

Church Survey

Thank you for taking the time to help us better understand and improve our church. Who you are, and what you think, is important to our church. Please be honest and open with your answers. The best way to answer is to read the question and mark your first thought. You do NOT need to sign your name to this survey.

1. Gender: ___ Male ___ Female
2. Age: _____
3. Marital status: ___ Single (Never Married) ___ Widowed ___ Married ___ Divorced/Separated
4. Highest level of education completed: ___ H.S. ___ Trade ___ College ___ Post Grad
5. How long have you lived at your current address:
 ___ Less than 2 years ___ 2-5 years ___ 5-10 years ___ More than 10 years
6. Were you born in this state? ___ yes ___ no
7. Approximately how far do you live from the church building?
 ___ Less than 2 miles ___ 2-5 miles ___ 5-10 miles ___ More than 10 miles
8. Where would you place your household income? ___ Less than \$25,000 ___ \$25,000-\$50,000
 ___ \$50,000-\$75,000 ___ \$75,000-\$100,000 ___ \$100,000-\$250,000 ___ More than \$250,000
9. Are you satisfied with your current occupation? ___ No ___ Somewhat ___ Yes
10. How long have you been a Christian? ___ Not a Christian ___ Less than a year
 ___ 1-2 years ___ 3-5 years ___ 6-9 years ___ More than 10 years
11. How long have you been a member (or attending) this church? (in years)
 ___ Not a member ___ Less than a year ___ 1-5 ___ 5-15 ___ 15-30 ___ Charter member
12. How did you first hear about this church?
 ___ Friend invited me ___ Family member ___ Saw building or sign ___ Yellow Pages/Website
 ___ Preschool ___ Direct Mailing or other advertisement ___ Other _____
13. In a typical month, how often do you attend the following? (please indicate number from 1 – 4)
 ___ Sunday Morning Worship ___ Sunday School Hour ___ Mid-Week Service
14. Check up to three of the most important reasons you attend this church.
 ___ I enjoy the worship service ___ Because it is Baptist
 ___ I like the pastor ___ Because of the location
 ___ Most of my friends in the church ___ Because it is so friendly
 ___ It is my family's church ___ Because of the programs (Music, Youth, etc.)
15. During the past three years, my involvement and participation in this church has ...
 ___ Increased ___ Decreased ___ Remained about the same
16. How would you honestly rate your devotional life (Bible reading, prayer, etc.)?
 ___ Weak ___ Average ___ Strong
17. The number of close friends you have who are involved in this church is ...
 ___ None ___ 1-4 ___ 5-9 ___ 10 or more
18. I believe with the present location and current leadership, this church's potential for growth is ...
 ___ Low ___ Average ___ High
19. I believe that this church would be considered by visitors to be ...
 ___ Unfriendly ___ Friendly ___ Very friendly
20. I believe the preaching at this church is ...
 ___ Below average ___ Average ___ Above average
21. I believe the decisions are made in this church by ...
 ___ the pastor ___ a few people ___ the congregation
22. I believe the members of this church receive ...
 ___ Inadequate communication and information ___ Adequate communication and information
23. I believe the priorities for this church should be (number the following 1 through 5, with 1 being highest)
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24. Indicate with a checkmark if you think the following ministries are weak, average or strong ...

	Weak	Average	Strong
Sunday Morning Worship	[]	[]	[]
Adult Sunday School	[]	[]	[]
Mid-Week Service (Wednesday Nights)	[]	[]	[]
Worship Ministry (Music)	[]	[]	[]
Discipleship Training	[]	[]	[]
Evangelism and Outreach	[]	[]	[]
Missions Emphasis	[]	[]	[]
Preschool/Baby Ministry	[]	[]	[]
Children's Ministry	[]	[]	[]
Student (Teen) Ministry	[]	[]	[]
Adult Ministry	[]	[]	[]
Sports Ministry	[]	[]	[]

25. I believe this is a church that _____ quickly help an individual in a time of trouble.
_____ would _____ would not

26. I believe the two greatest strengths of this church are ...

27. I believe the two areas this church needs improvement the most are ...

28. Based on this community, I believe the greatest opportunity for the church to grow in its influence is ...

29. Do you feel you are a vital part of this church family? _____ yes _____ no

30. Do you feel you are being used according to your giftedness and passion? _____ yes _____ no

31. This church has the potential of growing to an attendance of _____ during the next 10 years.
_____ 250 _____ 500 _____ 750 _____ 1,000 _____ over 1,000

32. I would define discipleship as ...

33. The greatest immediate space or building needs in this church are ...

_____ and _____

34. The ministry I would most like to see this church start is ...

35. The current ministry that is not really necessary is ...

36. I wish the pastor would ...

37. I think the most important job of the pastor of this church is to ...

38. The best one word description of this church is that it is a _____ church.

39. What do you think will be the two major issues facing this church in the next five years?

40. What more could this church do to help you in your relationship with Christ?
