Abuse Prevention Covenant

BCMC is committed to providing a safe and secure environment for all who participate in ministries and activities sponsored by the church. The following policy statements reflect our congregation's commitment to preserving this church as a holy place of safety and protection for all who would enter. BCMC commits to be a place in which all people can experience the love of God through healthy relationships with others.

Please answer each of the following questions by circling your response:

1. As a Volunteer / Employee in this congregation, do you agree to observe and abide by BCMC's Abuse Prevention and Response Policy? yes / no

2. As a Volunteer / Employee in this congregation, do you agree to observe the Two Adult guideline at all times? yes / no

3. As a Volunteer / Employee in this congregation, do you agree to promptly report abusive or inappropriate behavior to the APRC? yes / no

4. As a Volunteer / Employee of this congregation, do you agree to inform the pastor (before beginning your assignment) if you have ever been convicted of or committed abuse or a violent crime? yes / no

5. As a Volunteer/Employee of this congregation, do you agree to complete a background authorization form when and if requested, understanding that failure to complete a background authorization form when requested could result in immediate suspension/and or termination of duties or position? yes / no

I have read and agree to observe and abide by the Abuse Prevention and Response Policy, and I agree to observe and abide by the policies set forth above.

Your signature:	Date:
Print Full Name:	