

## Bethany Leader Honor Code

As an essential part of Bethany, you have a responsibility to cultivate and reflect mature Christian behavior becoming of wholehearted life in Jesus (see Eph. 5:1–33).

While serving the body of Christ as a worship team member at Bethany, you commit to present a good appearance at all times. In matters of the heart, deed, behavior, and attire; you should strive to demonstrate Biblical standards in all circumstances throughout every season.

As followers of Christ, the way we present ourselves to others is of vital importance to the way others perceive Christ. Our conduct should never be an embarrassment to Christ but should exemplify the best qualities of a mature believer and servant-leader.

Exemplifying the highest moral commitment, you are expected to maintain a disciplined life of Bible reading, prayer, and fasting. Additionally, as a leader, you must refrain from such things as:

- o Profanity
- o Gambling
- o Smoking, chewing, or use of tobacco-related products
- o Being drunk with wine or other alcoholic beverages (or any alcohol consumption)
- o Unethical practices
- o Illegal drugs
- o Pornography
- o Sexual immorality (living with someone of the opposite sex that's not your spouse, sex outside of marriage, adultery, and homosexuality)
- o All behaviors which might cause the Holy Spirit to grieve and others to stumble including any misuse of social media

By providing an example in speech and action, we encourage others to grow in Christ and become servant-leaders themselves. This is a way of life measured by the heart and commitment of each leader in the Bethany Church family. We should regard it as an essential part of our development, not as a burden or restriction.

I agree to walk in unity with and submit to the leadership, policies, and procedures of Bethany Church, and to refrain from unscriptural conduct in the performance of my services on behalf of Bethany Church. I agree to faithfully attend a B-Group providing accountability, encouraging spiritual development, and building godly relationships.