



Dear Brother or Sister in Christ:

Thank you for your decision to volunteer at Calvary Chapel Melbourne campuses! The desire to serve is a natural and proper response to the work of Christ within you. Where to volunteer becomes the big question. Each one of us has a unique blend of talents, traits, gifts and experiences that God will use to accomplish His work. This ministry questionnaire has been designed to help us to get to know you better and to assist you in determining your appropriate place of service in the Body of Christ. Carefully consider your answers as this will help to maximize the potential for you to experience one of the greatest joys you will ever know, which is being used by God in the capacity for which you were designed.

We appreciate your faithfulness as you serve God with your gifts. It is very important for you to understand three areas in our ministry – philosophy, doctrine and servanthood. The following is a list of requirements that we ask you to fulfill. Please strive to complete all three within the first few months of receiving this letter or completing this questionnaire. We believe that completing these requirements will help all of us to be more effective.

**Part 1 – Calvary Chapel’s Core Values**

Read [The 5 Core Commitments](#) by Pastor Mark Balmer

**Part 2 – Philosophy of Calvary Chapel**

Read [Calvary Distinctives](#), by Pastor Chuck Smith

**Part 3 – How to Effectively Serve Others as a Servant of God**

Read [On Being a Servant of God](#), by Warren Wiersbe

These three books are available to you, at a reasonable cost, through The Chapel Store. You may also share books among friends.

The Apostle Paul uses the “body” as a metaphor to describe how the local church should function. Each one of us is a unique part of the Body of Christ, and just like our human bodies, each part has a specific purpose. Ephesians 2:10 says *“For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.”* I trust you will look forward to the excitement and challenge of this truth as you complete the enclosed ministry questionnaire and find the destiny of your mission in God. Then, enjoy serving Him with all your heart.

In His Service,

Mark Balmer,  
Senior Pastor

# Calvary Chapel Melbourne

## Statement of Faith

**WE BELIEVE** that there is one living and true God, eternally existing in three persons: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, equal in power and glory, and that this triune God created, upholds, and governs all things.

**WE BELIEVE** that the BIBLE is the only inspired, infallible and authoritative Word of God.

**WE BELIEVE IN GOD THE FATHER**, an infinite, personal Spirit perfect in holiness, wisdom, power, and love, and that He concerns Himself mercifully in the affairs of men. We believe that He hears and answers prayer, and that He saves from sin and death all who come to Him through Jesus Christ.

**WE BELIEVE IN JESUS CHRIST**, God's only begotten Son, conceived by the Holy Spirit. We believe in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, and in His miracles and teaching. We believe in His substitutionary atoning death, His bodily resurrection, and His ascension into heaven where He sits at the right hand of the Father. We believe in His personal, visible return to earth, and the establishment of His Kingdom.

**WE BELIEVE IN THE HOLY SPIRIT**, who convicts the world of sin, righteousness, and judgment, and who regenerates, sanctifies, and empowers for ministry all who believe in Christ. We believe the Holy Spirit indwells every believer in Jesus Christ, and that He is an abiding Helper, Teacher, and Guide. We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit, and in the exercise of all Biblical gifts of the Spirit.

**WE BELIEVE** that all PEOPLE are sinners by nature and choice, and therefore regeneration by the Holy Spirit is essential. We believe that repentance (turning away) from sin and acceptance of Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior is the only way to come into relationship with God. We believe that Jesus Christ baptizes the seeking believer with the Holy Spirit to empower the believer for service, and that this often occurs after salvation.

**WE BELIEVE** in the resurrection of all people, both the saved and the lost; they that are saved unto eternal life in heaven, and they that are lost unto eternal damnation in hell.

**WE BELIEVE** it is important to uphold the Scriptural practices of the early church. Therefore, we hold to the practice of water baptism and the regular taking of communion. We do not believe that either of these practices is essential for salvation, but that they serve as a demonstration of our living faith in Christ.



## Vision Statement

### WIN A PERSON TO JESUS CHRIST

Mark 16:15 He said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the good news to all creation. New converts bring excitement and infuse freshness into a body."

### DISCIPLE A PERSON IN JESUS CHRIST

Matthew 28:19-20 "Therefore, go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you."

Equipping believers gets them grounded in the Word. During this disciplining process, the person is being conformed to be like Jesus Christ. God has left all believers here on earth so that the Holy Spirit might indwell and empower them:

- 1) To think like Jesus thought ..... Mind of Christ
- 2) To minister like Jesus did ..... Works or ministry of Christ
- 3) To be like Jesus ..... Character of Christ

### SEND A PERSON FOR JESUS CHRIST

Acts 1:8 "But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

*The world is in darkness and surviving without hope. Christians have been called to go and bring light and hope to these hurting people. We must have the compassion of Jesus.*

All applications are to be returned to the Information Center

# MINISTRY QUESTIONNAIRE

The information given in this questionnaire will be held in complete confidence by Calvary Chapel

**Everyone who serves at Calvary Chapel Melbourne must:**

- ✓ Be born again and have a clear testimony.
- ✓ Honor Jesus Christ as the number one priority in their life.
- ✓ Attend Calvary Chapel worship services regularly.
- ✓ Be reliable and dependable.
- ✓ Agree with Calvary Chapel Melbourne Statement of Faith with no reservations.

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Melbourne  
 Viera  
 Sebastian  
 Oviedo

Notes:

**PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY**

Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Apt. No: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Trade or profession: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_ Years There: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse's Name (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_ Anniversary: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Children: \_\_\_\_\_ Names and ages (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you fellowshipped at Calvary Chapel Melbourne? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you agree with the Statement of Faith (please read attached Statement of Faith carefully) without reservation? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
 (If no, please explain on a separate page the specific areas of your differences)

How long have you walked with the Lord? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been water baptized? \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_ Where? \_\_\_\_\_

Which campus do you attend? \_\_\_\_\_ Which service(s) do you attend? \_\_\_\_\_ How Often? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you currently serve as a volunteer in any areas? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, where? \_\_\_\_\_

In which area would you like to serve? \_\_\_\_\_

In which service(s) would you like to volunteer?

_____ 8:30 Sun	_____ 10:45 Sun	_____ 6:45 Wed	_____ 6:00 Sat
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In which campus would you like to volunteer?

Melbourne	Viera	Sebastian	Oviedo
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Briefly give your testimony, when did you become a Christian and how has your life changed? (Attach additional sheet if needed).

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Describe your devotional life. Spiritually, where are you right now?

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What part does prayer play in your life?

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Please list or describe your talents, skills, hobbies, etc.

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Please list any Bible college, adult education classes, workshops, counseling classes, or training classes that you have attended at Calvary Chapel or elsewhere.

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Is there anything further we should know about you? Perhaps you would like to discuss a circumstance God allowed to occur in your life that equipped you to minister to others?

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Please list three people who could provide a personal reference (a staff member or someone in leadership at CCM is preferred).

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***Please attach a picture of yourself to complete this application.***

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

