

Membership FAQs

Here are some frequently asked questions about membership at Reformation. If you have other questions, please reach out to a pastor. They are always open for conversation!

What does it mean to be a “member”?

Reformation, like all churches, is a non-profit. As part of the legal administration of our congregation, our constitution outlines the rights and privileges of membership. Those who become formal members of the congregation are granted the right to vote at congregational meetings and serve on the Congregation Council. Members are defined as those who commune and make a contribution of record in this and/or the preceding year. (You can view Reformation’s constitution at relcmedia.org/constitution.)

Do I have to be a member to participate in activities here?

All ministry events of Reformation are open to all people! The only things that non-members cannot do are those things listed above – vote at congregational meetings and serve on the Congregation Council.

What if I am a member of another church?

If you want to become a formal member of Reformation you are able to transfer your membership to this congregation. If you wish to maintain your formal membership at another congregation, you can become an “associate member” of Reformation. Associate membership is a way to have a formal connection with a congregation without the legal rights and privileges of membership. Many in our Reformation community maintain ties to more than one faith tradition or place of worship.

How do I become a member?

Please complete the new member form or the link at relcmedia.org/newmember. After we have your information received, let us know what date and service time you would like to join! Our Council will vote at their next meeting to approve your membership and we will celebrate during worship using the Welcoming New Members liturgy, which is a simple Affirmation of Baptism.