

St. Vladimir Orthodox Church



Membership Pledge Card

For the Church Year 2021-2022

To be a voting member of St. Vladimir Orthodox Church, please fill out this form, and return one copy for each person over 18.

Name: _____
(Please **print** name of voting parish member.)

Pledge:

As a voting member of St. Vladimir's Orthodox Church,

I, _____, commit myself to:

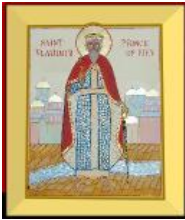
- prepare for and take communion as often as possible,
- participate in and attend prayer services, various parish ministries, and functions of all kinds as often as possible,
- understand and contribute to the financial responsibilities of this parish for the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Signature: _____

According to our parish bylaws, a voting member of St Vladimir's is one who:

- *is at least eighteen (18) years of age,*
- *participates in the sacramental and liturgical life of the Church,*
- *has been attending services for at least six (6) months*, and*
- *contributes to the financial needs of the parish.*

** A member can be canonically transferred from another parish.*



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Contact Information:

This information will be included in the Parish Directory. **If you have previously filled this page out, and nothing has changed, it is not necessary to fill it out again.**

Fill in your names and those of your child(ren) below along with your birthday and Name Day.

Name	Birthday	Name Day

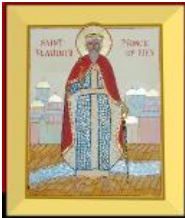
Mailing Address: _____

email: _____

email: _____

Telephone: () _____

Cell: () _____



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St. Vladimir Church Donating Directives

✓ **What are the financial requirements of a voting member?**

The parish of St. Vladimir requires financial resources in order to exist. We must pay for things like building rent and upkeep, liturgical supplies, and our priest's salary. In addition, we give 10% of our monthly income to the Archdiocese of Canada (OCA). This tithe stays in Canada. This is all documented in the monthly financial statements which are available to everyone. We ask that voting members familiarize themselves with and contribute to these financial needs. We do not have parish dues, nor do we wish to become dependant on fundraising. The norm of Christian giving is the tithe, i.e. 10% of one's income. If one is not already tithing one should be working toward this norm. Below is a guide to proportional giving:

Annual Income	2%	4%	5%	8%	10%
\$10,000	\$200	\$400	\$500	\$800	\$1,000
20,000	400	800	1,000	1,600	2,000
50,000	1,000	2,000	2,500	4,000	5,000
75,000	1,500	3,000	3,750	6,000	7,500
100,000	2,000	4,000	5,000	8,000	10,000
125,000	2,500	5,000	6,250	10,000	12,500
150,000	3,000	6,000	7,500	12,000	15,000
175,000	3,500	7,000	8,750	14,000	17,500

How To Donate To St. Vladimir Orthodox Church

• **e-Transfer:**

The simplest way to donate money is through the [e-Transfer System](#) on your computer. Here's how you do that:

Log in to your online or mobile banking app, find and select 'Send an Interac e-Transfer' - then on the next screen select an option 'Interac e-Transfer Recipient' - Insert halifaxorthodox@gmail.com - insert donation amount and accept.

• **Cheques:**

A cheque payable to "[St. Vladimir Orthodox Church](#)" can be placed in the Offering Basket or into the Donation Box provided near the candles in the Narthex (entrance), where envelopes are provided.

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✓ **Tax Receipts**

All donations to the parish are **Tax Deductible in Canada**. A tax receipt will be issued and sent in January. Please make sure the Secretary has your correct name, address and email.

May God bless us