

## **New St. James Presbyterian Church**

### **COVENANT OF CARE FORM**

The Covenant of Care is a promise to follow the safety standards set out in the Presbyterian Church in Canada's Leading with Care Policy and the New St. James Presbyterian Church's Leading with Care Policy. Both policies are available from the church.

It is a commitment to the safety and well-being of all children/youth and vulnerable adults.

As a leader/teacher/volunteer to children/youth/vulnerable adults:

- I promise to use appropriate language;
- I promise to show no bias based on gender, ethnic background, skin colour, intelligence, age, religion, sexual orientation or socio-economic status;
- I promise that I will not harass others;
- I promise to respect confidentiality and privacy, unless a child, youth or vulnerable adult is in danger, then I will report to a child protection agency or the police.
- I have read and agree with this Covenant of Care.

Signature:

Date:

Witnessed by:

Date:

(Minister/Clerk of Session or authorized person)