



# WORKING AGREEMENT

Name of Church: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Unit #: \_\_\_\_\_ \*If you are a new unit, a number will be assigned to you\*

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

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

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Denomination: \_\_\_\_\_

Church E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

As partners in ministry, CSB uses a “working agreement” with churches offering our programs. This agreement is based on mutual acceptance of roles and responsibilities as outlined below.

Ministries we intend to run this year:

- Tadpoles    Tree Climber    Stockade    Battalion    Treks

### Responsibilities of CSB to Your Church

1. Assist your church in preparing and equipping men and boys for Christian witness and service.
2. Provide opportunities to church leadership for consultation and evaluation.
3. Make available effective program tools and training for today’s men and boys.
4. Establish and maintain standards and quality service.

### Responsibilities of Your Church to Christian Service Brigade

1. Acknowledge that the Word of God is our final authority in faith and life and endorse the expression of this in Christian Service Brigades’ Standard of Faith
2. Designate a responsible person or persons to direct the continuing preparation of men for their roles with boys and other men through the ministry of CSB.
3. Utilize the support of CSB resources leading boys to Christ and guiding men and boys into Christian maturity.
4. Accept financial responsibility for prompt payment of invoices and fees.
5. \_\_\_\_ I certify that all adults who participate in any way with our CSB program have gone through and will follow the required youth protection training for the church sponsoring our CSB unit.
6. \_\_\_\_ I certify that each adult involved in our CSB unit (for weekly meetings or any outings) will have passed a background check through the sponsoring church within the past 3 years.

Please note: The local church is responsible for all youth protection, training, and leader vetting and certification. CSB (including CSB staff / agents) has no involvement in your church’s youth protection other than the requirement they are in place in order to register. If your church fails to certify or breaks your youth protection policies; CSB maintains the right to revoke registration and will notify local law enforcement if it becomes aware of violations of state/local law.

Christian Service Brigade asks your church to affirm the following declaration: “We recognize that equipping young men and boys as disciples of Jesus Christ and developing effective leaders is a primary responsibility of the church. We therefore enter this Working Agreement with Christian Service Brigade and will uphold our responsibility to the best of our ability. We confirm our agreement with the CSB Standard of Faith.”

Chairman Name
Chairman E-Mail Address
Phone #
Mailing Address
Chairmain Signature



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## STANDARD OF FAITH

This doctrinal statement summarizes our interpretation of Biblical teaching and serves as the guideline for all CSB publications. As required by the Christian Service Brigade's Constitution, all staff and board members subscribe to it.

**We believe** in the Scriptures of the Old and the New Testaments as verbally inspired by God and inerrant in the original writing, and that they are of supreme and final authority in faith and life.

**We believe** in one God, eternally existing in three Persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

**We believe** that Jesus Christ was begotten of the Father, conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, and is true God and true man.

**We believe** that all people were created in the image of God; that they sinned and thereby incurred not only physical death, but also that spiritual death which is separation from God; and that all human beings are born with a sinful nature and are sinners in thought, word and deed.

**We believe** that the Lord Jesus Christ died for our sins, according to the Scriptures, as a representative and substitutionary sacrifice; and that all who believe in Him are justified on the ground of His shed blood.

**We believe** in the resurrection of the crucified body of our Lord, in His ascension into Heaven, and in His present life there for us, as High Priest and Advocate.

**We believe** in the personal and imminent return of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

**We believe** that all who receive by faith the Lord Jesus Christ are born again of the Holy Spirit, and thereby become children of God.

**We believe** in the bodily resurrection of the just and the unjust, the everlasting blessedness of the saved and the everlasting punishment of the lost.

**We believe** that God has established marriage as a lifelong exclusive relationship between one man and one woman and that all intimate sexual activity outside the marriage relationship whether heterosexual, homosexual, or otherwise, is contrary to God's design. We believe that God created the human race male and female and that all conduct with the intent to adopt a gender other than one's birth gender is contrary to God's design.

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PASTOR'S PRINTED NAME

PASTOR'S SIGNATURE

DATE