



(Malachi 3:16)

## Terms of Use

**CityMatters is a virtual cloud-based community platform of churches, ministries, businesses and individuals who have agreed to work together to serve and interact in our community. Our collective effort and use of the platform is guided by the following:**

We most solemnly and joyfully pledge as local churches, ministries, businesses and individuals to utilize the CityMatters platform by, / walking in Christian love as we interact together in the CityMatters platform / determine to walk uprightly in the world / be just in our dealings / faithful in our engagements / examples in our conduct / our efforts, and further determine to watch over each other in brotherly love / to remember each other in prayer / to aid in sickness and distress / to cultivate a genuine Christian concern for each other in feelings and gentleness of speech / to be slow to take offense / always ready for reconciliation mindful of our Lord's word to secure harmony without delay / and in view of our mutual concern for our community and being established here together by the good hand of our Lord to seek God / build relationships / pursue God's will in our community through righteousness, we do declare together, as follows:

1. We are bound together by the redemptive work of Jesus Christ as described in the Holy Scriptures and the prayerful direction of the Holy Spirit as articulated in the Apostles Creed.
2. We are local churches, ministries, businesses and individuals in good standing within our community.
3. We are committed to working together across church, ministry, business, individual and racial boundaries to serve our community.
4. We agree wherever possible to prioritize our corporate community service efforts, over our individual efforts.
5. We agree that the CityMatters community platform will NOT be a venue (except within our own groups) to further our individual church, ministry, business and individual agendas at the expense of others, but to collectively lift up righteousness in our community.
6. We agree that any time a participating church, ministry, business or individual no longer feels they can remain a part of the CityMatters effort they may freely remove themselves, by requesting their information be removed from the CityMatters platform via email to [info@citymatters.info](mailto:info@citymatters.info).
7. We recognize that the physical re-gathering of Israel has begun and continues to this day. That God declares they will be re-grafted in Romans 11 and we chose to participate in the work of God as He directs in this and the great blessings that are promised to flow from it.

***"Is there any encouragement from belonging to Christ? Any comfort from his love? Any fellowship together in the Spirit? Are your hearts tender and sympathetic? Then, make me truly happy by agreeing wholeheartedly with each other, loving one another, and working together with one heart and purpose."***  
***Phil 2:1-2***

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- Any direct threat of harm and/or harassment is prohibited and may require intervention by authorities.
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- Comments that share personal information about others or otherwise invade their privacy; that impersonate another person or use any method to misrepresent the origin of the comment are prohibited.
- Prohibited comments will be removed as soon as discovered and commenters may be blocked.
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