



## Heartland Community Church Rental Policy

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Applications for use of the Heartland building are to be submitted to the Business Group two weeks or more in advance of the requested date.

The application is available on the Heartland website, [www.goheartland.ca](http://www.goheartland.ca), under About, Rentals. Please fill out the online form.

### Users Responsibilities

**All renters are asked to treat this church building with respect** and to respect our statement of faith and core values as listed at the end of this document.

No drugs are to be brought into or used in this facility or on the grounds. No tobacco products are to be used in the facility; smoking is permitted on the grounds.

No pets are to be brought into the church.

No glitter or confetti is to be used in the church.

### Before Use

- Additional use of the building will be given for wedding rehearsals (must be arranged). This is included in the rental fee.
- Rentals are asked to be respectful of the wall finish. No nails, scotch tape, or other material that will damage walls is to be used for decorations.
- Church furniture that is moved is to be returned to its former location. Permission is required to move musical instruments and equipment.

### During Use

- Please do not adjust thermostat.
- Children should be supervised by an adult.
- The sound system is to be operated by Heartland trained personnel. When the sound system is needed, contact the Audio Visual group two weeks prior to the rental date. The Audio Visual group may be reached by email:  
[audiovisual@heartlandcommunitychurch.ca](mailto:audiovisual@heartlandcommunitychurch.ca)
- Use of candles is permitted only under the utmost care.

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#### After Use

- All chairs and tables must be clean and returned to their original positions before the next day.
- All leftover food and personal containers must be removed from the kitchen immediately after social function.

#### Use of Kitchen Facilities

- Contact the Food Co-ordinator for training if using the coffee maker and/or the dishwasher.
- Leave the kitchen as you found it. See the posted list of cleaning responsibilities.
- Any kitchen equipment or dishes that are used must be cleaned and returned to their proper places.
- Groups using outside catering must contact the church Food Co-ordinator prior to using the kitchen.

#### General Comments

- Vacuum and/or dry mop all floors that have been used.
- Washrooms that have been used are to be cleaned.
- Access and closing of the building must be coordinated with a Business Group representative.
- Damages to the church facilities are the responsibility of the renting group.

#### Contacts

• Facility Booking	Wil Wieler	(204) 797-6081
• Business Group Chair	Wil Wieler	(204) 797-6081
• Custodian Co-ordinator	Krista Kubanek	(204) 392-4228
• Kitchen Co-Ordinator	Clara Sawatzky	(204) 355-4498
• Audio Visual	Maria Nikkel	(204) 806-0155



## Heartland Community Church Core Values

We value and **welcome** each person with love and acceptance, knowing God's **grace** extends to all people. We will provide a safe place to belong without judgment, where brokenness is shared.

We value the **giftedness** of each person, encouraging freedom of expression, creativity and volunteering. We will help each other to discover and develop our gifts. We will honor and celebrate each other's gifts.

We value **prayer** as integral dialogue with a faithful God. Through praise and confession, through petition and listening, we value both private and corporate prayer. We are confident in a loving God who hears and answers our requests in his way, in his time.

We value servant **leadership** in every aspect of church life. We value a community of leaders that is relational, intuitive, transparent and teachable. Leadership will be faithful and accountable to God and community.

We value our local **community**. We will build relationships and make connections with our neighbors both locally and globally. We will be concerned for people's well being – spiritually, socially and physically with an emphasis on a life style of peacemaking and creation care.

We value **worship** as a deeply personal and authentic expression of our love and thankfulness to God. Open and diverse in style, worship is an integral part of our lives. It is worthy of our best efforts and adds power and blessing when expressed collectively. Worship is a natural outlet for a life guided by the Spirit.

We value the **Bible** as the living Word of God. We believe in its relevance and timely application in our daily lives. We believe that God continues to reveal Himself through the mystery of His Word. While we encourage individual study, we discover its meaning collectively.

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## EMC Statement of Faith

**1. The Bible** We believe that the Bible is the inspired and infallible Word of God and that it gives authoritative direction for our faith and conduct ([2 Timothy 3:16–17](#)).

### 2. God

We believe in one eternal God who has revealed Himself as Father, Son and Spirit. The Scriptures teach us to pray to God as our Father, to trust in the son, Jesus Christ, as our Lord and Saviour, and to follow the leading of the Spirit who is with us. All persons in this trinity are fully and equally God ([Matthew 6:9](#), [2 Peter 3:18](#), [John 14:16](#)).

### 3. Creation

We believe God created everything as revealed in Scripture ([Genesis 1, 2](#)).

### 4. The Dignity of the Human Race

We believe God created people in His own image and that all human life is sacred ([Genesis 1:26–27](#)).

### 5. The Fall of the Human Race

We believe our first parents chose disobedience and that the whole human race has followed them in their sin ([Romans 3:23](#)).

### 6. Satan

We believe Satan is a personal spirit being who opposes God and is the inspirer of all that is evil ([Matthew 4:1–11](#)).

### 7. Salvation

We believe that since Jesus Christ has atoned for all sin by His death, all people may now be saved by grace through their faith in Him ([Ephesians 2:1–10](#)).

### 8. Discipleship

We believe that a commitment to Christ means being willing to follow Him in a life of discipleship ([1 Peter 2:13–14](#)).

### 9. The Life of Peace

We believe that the teachings and example of Christ call us to a life of nonviolence and a ministry of peace in this world ([Matthew 5](#)).



## **10. The Church**

We believe that all who trust in Jesus Christ are united with His body, the church, by the baptism of the Holy Spirit ([1 Corinthians 12:13](#)).

## **11. Ordinances**

We believe Christ has given us three ordinances—water baptism, the Lord's Supper, and footwashing—and that these should be observed by the church as symbolic reminders of spiritual truths ([Matthew 28:18–20](#), [1 Corinthians 11:20–32](#), [John 13:1–17](#)).

## **12. The Resurrection**

We believe Jesus Christ was raised from the dead and that all people will be raised as well, either to life or to condemnation ([John 5:29](#)).

## **13. The Return and Final Triumph of Christ**

We believe in the personal return of Christ to gather His own, judge all people, defeat death, and triumph over all evil, so that God the Father may again be over all ([1 Corinthians 15:20–29](#)).