

# State of Idaho



## Department of State.

### CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

I, GEO. H. CURTIS, *Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, and legal custodian of the corporation records of the State of Idaho*, do hereby certify that the original of the articles of incorporation of

**FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF BOISE, IDAHO, INC.**

was filed in the office of the Secretary of State on the **Second** day  
of **October** **A. D. One Thousand Nine Hundred Forty-four** and  
**on Film Roll**  
is duly recorded ~~in Book~~ **No. 5** of Record of Domestic Corporations of the State of Idaho,  
and that the said articles contain the statement of facts required by Sections 29-103, 29-1101 and  
29-1102, Idaho Code, Annotated.

AND I FURTHER CERTIFY, That the persons executing the articles and their associates  
and successors are hereby constituted a corporation, by the name stated in the articles, and for  
**Fifty (50) years** from the date hereof, with its registered office in this State located  
at **Boise** in the County of **Ada**,  
and as such are subject to the rights, privileges and limitations granted to Religious, Ex-Service  
Men, Benevolent, Charitable and Fraternal Corporations, as provided in Chapter 11, Title 29,  
Idaho Code, Annotated.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed  
the Great Seal of the State. Done at Boise City,  
the Capital of Idaho, this **Second** day  
of **October**, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand nine hundred **Forty-four**,  
and of the Independence of the United States of  
America the One Hundred **Sixty-ninth**.

Secretary of State.

ARTICLE OF INCORPORATION  
OF THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF BOISE, IDAHO

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the undersigned have this day voluntarily associated ourselves together for the purpose of incorporating under the Laws of the State of Idaho, and for the purposes for which we have been elected as hereinafter set forth, a religious corporation to be known and designated as FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF BOISE, IDAHO, INC.

We hereby certify that the object for which this corporation is formed are:

To establish a CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH at 710 West State Street, Boise, Ada County, Idaho, for the purpose of Public worship, religious training, and service in connection therewith in said city of Boise, according to the principles and doctrines set forth in the constitution and by-laws of said church, and to take care of the building, effects, real property and personal property, and all the affairs and temporalities; to buy, sell, mortgage, and encumber such real estate owned by the corporation.

That the principal place of business of the corporation shall be 710 West State Street, Boise, Ada County, Idaho.

That the time for which this corporation is established shall be Fifty (50) years from and after the date of incorporation thereof.

That the number of Trustees who shall have the management of the business affairs and real estate of this corporation shall be Nine (9) and the names of the Trustees elected for the first year and until their successors are elected are: Charles H. Stewart, Mrs. F.L. Miller, D.C. Arnold, R.J. Newell, V.L. Vincent, R.V. Hopper, B.C. Fairchild, Lindon F. Watson, William S. Gruger, Jr.

That the said Trustees were duly elected in accordance with said constitution and by-laws at a meeting of said Association and church, held at 710 West State Street, Boise, Idaho, on the 2nd day of June, 1944, at eight o'clock p.m. for the purpose among other things, of electing Trustees to take charge of the management of the property, temporalities and affairs of, and to form this corporation; that a majority of the members of such church who were then and there present at such a meeting voted at such election, for the above named Trustees; attached hereto and forming a part hereof is a certificate of the Secretary of said church verifying the above stated facts pertaining to the election of said Trustees whose names are hereto subscribed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the herein named Trustees have set our hands and seals hereto in Triplicate this 2nd day of June, 1944.

Charles H. Stewart (SEAL)  
R.V. Hopper (SEAL)  
Mrs. E. L. Miller (SEAL)

W. N. Vincent (SEAL)  
B. C. Fairchild (SEAL)  
R. J. Newell (SEAL)  
D. C. Arnold (SEAL)  
Wm. S. Gruger, Jr. (SEAL)  
Lindon F. Watson (SEAL)

STATE OF IDAHO, }  
County of Ada. } ss.

On this 2nd day of June, 1944, before me, LAUREL E. ELLM, a Notary Public for said State, appeared personally, Charles H. Stewart, Mrs. E.L. Miller, D.C. Arnold, R.J. Newell, W.D. Vincent, R.W. Hopper, B.C. Fairchild, Lindon F. Watson, William S. Gruger, Jr., known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my notarial seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

Laurel E. Ellm  
Notary Public for Idaho  
Residing in Boise, Idaho

My commission expires July 21, 1956.

STATE OF IDAHO, }  
County of Ada. } ss.

I, the undersigned Secretary at the meeting of the members of the First Congregational Church of Boise, Idaho, County of Ada, herein referred to, do hereby certify as follows:

First: That a meeting was held by the above named Association on the 2nd day of June, 1944, commencing at the hour of eight o'clock p.m. at said First Congregational Church of Boise, Idaho, at 710 West State Street, Boise, Idaho, for the purpose of electing a Board of Trustees consisting of nine (9) members, to prepare Articles of Incorporation for said Association and to administer all its property, real and personal, and all its business, legal and financial affairs.

Second : That such meeting and election was called by publication of notice in the Idaho Sunday Statesman for a period of two weeks prior to said election and by posting a like notice in a conspicuous place on the church building in which said election was held.

Third: That at such meeting the following persons all of which reside in Ada County, Idaho, are citizens of the United States and voting members of said church, were duly elected without opposition by a majority of the voting members present as such Trustees: Charles H. Stewart, Mrs. E.L. Miller, D.C. Arnold, R.J. Newell, W.D. Vincent, R.W. Hopper, B.C. Fairchild, Lindon F. Watson, William S. Gruger, Jr.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereto subscribed my name  
this 2nd day of June, 1944.

Lawrence D. Brant  
Secretary of said meeting of the  
members of the First Congregational  
Church of Boise, Idaho

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of  
June, 1944.

James E. Elson  
Notary Public for the State of  
Idaho, residing in Boise, Idaho.

My commission expires July 31, 1946.

P U B L I C A T I O N

IN ISSUE OF MAY 14th, MAY 21st, and MAY 28th.

IDAHO SUNDAY STATESMAN

On the 2nd day of June, 1944, at eight o'clock p.m. at the First Congregational Church at 710 West State Street Boise, Idaho, an election will be held by the members of said First Congregational Church of Boise, Idaho, for the purpose of electing a Board of Trustees consisting of nine members to prepare Articles of Incorporation for the First Congregational Church of Boise, Idaho, and to administer all its property, real and personal, and all its legal and financial affairs, and for the purpose of adopting a constitution and By-Laws of said Church.

DATED: May 12<sup>th</sup>, 1944.

CHARLES H. STEWART  
MRS. E.L. MILLER  
D.C. ARNOLD  
R.J. NEWELL  
W.D. VINCENT  
R.W. HOPPER  
B.C. FAIRCHILD  
LINDON F. WATSON  
WILLIAM S. CRUGER, JR.

Incorporators.