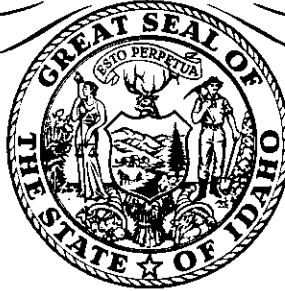


State of Idaho



Department of State.

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

I, ARNOLD WILLIAMS, 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

BELLEVUE COMMUNITY CHURCH, INC.

was filed in the office of the Secretary of State on the **Twenty-fourth** day of **October,** A. D. One Thousand Nine Hundred **Sixty-two** and is duly recorded on Film No. **121** of Record of Domestic Corporations of the State of Idaho, and that the said articles contain the statement of facts required by Sections 30-103, 30-1101 and 30-1102, Idaho Code.

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 **perpetual existence** from the date hereof, with its registered office in this State located at **Bellevue** in the County of **Blaine** 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 30, Idaho Code.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF
BELLEVUE COMMUNITY CHURCH, INC.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the undersigned citizens of the United States of America and residents of Blaine County, Idaho, being all of full age and not in any way disqualified, do by these presents associate ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation in which the pecuniary profit of members is not a purpose; and we do hereby certify as follows:

Article I.

The name of said corporation shall be BELLEVUE COMMUNITY CHURCH, INC.

Article II.

The registered office of the corporation shall be located at Bellevue, Idaho; and the post office address thereof shall be Bellevue, Idaho.

Article III.

The corporation shall have perpetual existence.

Article IV.

The corporation is formed for the purposes hereinafter specified but not for pecuniary profit of its members.

Article V.

The objects and purposes of the organization generally are religious, charitable and benevolent, as follows:

- A. To give instruction to believers in Christ.
- B. To lead sinners to the Saviour.
- C. To promote the spread of the Gospel of Jesus Christ at home and abroad.
- D. To stimulate the expression of individual and public worship and prayer.

Article V. (cont.)

sell, convey, and in any manner dispose of all kinds of real and personal property which may be used in the accomplishment of any or all of the foregoing purposes.

- H. To do all other acts and things necessary or expedient in promoting the doctrine hereinafter set forth as well as promoting generally the welfare and effectiveness of the activities of said church.

Article VI.

This corporation shall remain perpetually an undenominational body, and the doctrine to be taught and observed shall be as follows:

1. We believe the Bible to be the inspired, the only infallible, authoritative Word of God, and the one rule of doctrine and duty. II Timothy 3; 16-17.
2. We believe that there is one God, eternally existent in three Persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Matthew 28: 19.
3. We believe in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His substitutional and atoning death through His shed blood, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father, and His personal return in power and glory. John 1:1-2; Luke 1: 26-35; II Cor. 5:21; I Peter 1: 18, 19; Acts 2: 24; Acts 1: 8-11.
4. We believe in one condition for eternal salvation, which is the receiving of the Lord Jesus Christ as personal Saviour and that salvation is not based on any work or merit of the individual. John 1:12, 3:16; Eph. 2:8-9.
5. We believe that man was created in the image of God, that he 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, are totally depraved and need a Saviour from sin. Gen. 1:26; Gen. 2:17; John 3:6; Romans 3: 10-23.
6. We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit by whoso in dwelling the Christian is enabled to live a godly life. Acts 1:8; Eph. 1:13.
7. We believe in the resurrection of the saved to life, and the lost to condemnation. John 5: 28-29.
8. We believe there are two sacraments, Baptism and the Lord's Supper, which are divinely enjoined upon all Christians. Acts 4:47-48; I Cor. 11: 23-29.
9. We believe in the Spiritual unity of believers in Christ. John 17:11.
10. We believe in executing Christ's last command to His disciples

may not be assigned in such manner that the transferee thereof can by such transfer become a member of the corporation, except by resolution of the Board of Directors and under such regulations as the by-laws may prescribe. The rights and interests of all members are equal. Any person sixteen (16) years of age or over, giving evidence, by life and testimony that he is trusting in Jesus Christ for salvation, and who is in agreement with the doctrine, ordinances, and constitution of this church, shall be eligible for membership; and upon application to and examination by the General Church Board, who is also designated herein as the Board of Directors, the applicant shall be accepted as a member of this organization. Membership may be terminated by death or by request of the member. The General Board may terminate a membership by a two-thirds vote of the total board membership. A member shall be given opportunity to defend himself against any accusation brought against him. Those who are desirous of maintaining their membership in another Church while being associated with the Bellevue Community Church, will be considered Associate members with all privileges except that of voting upon a Pastor.

Any member who is absent for eight consecutive Sundays is placed on the inactive list and is ineligible to hold office or to vote, except in unavoidable circumstances in which case the General Church Board shall be the judge. To be reinstated for an office or to vote, the person must be in attendance for four consecutive Sundays. Meetings are provided through the week for members unable to attend Sunday Services. All persons voting must be eighteen (18) years of age or older.

Charter members shall be any of those persons whose names shall appear on the organizational agreement and/or on the member-

Article VIII.

The names and places of residence of the original incorporators are as follows:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Charles Wright	Bellevue, Idaho
Duke Martin	Bellevue, Idaho
Wayne Clark	Gannett, Idaho
Margaret Wise	Bellevue, Idaho
Carl Schoessler	Gannett, Idaho

Article IX.

The governing body of this corporation shall be vested in a Board of Directors. Until the election of Directors as provided by the by-laws, the above named incorporators shall constitute the first Board of Directors of the said corporation. The Board of Directors shall also constitute the General Church Board.

Article X.

The Board of three trustees shall be elected by the membership, which board shall have charge of the property of the corporation, as well as its care, maintenance, and improvement; but said Board of Trustees shall not have power to purchase, mortgage, transfer, or sell any real estate without authorization by vote of two-thirds of the members at a meeting called especially for that purpose, after notice is given as provided in the by-laws. The first Board of Trustees shall be elected for terms of one, two and three years, and thereafter each trustee shall be elected for a term of three years except where the election is to fill a vacancy caused otherwise than by expiration of the term, and in such event the election shall be for the unexpired term.

The officers of the corporation shall be Chairman, Vice-chairman, Secretary and Treasurer. The offices of Secretary and Treasurer may be combined. The officers shall be elected by the Members.

Article XI

member elected from the membership. The General Church Board is charged with the general oversight of church activities. The Board shall meet as least once each month for consideration and determination of all matters of business which should properly come before said Board. It shall at all times endeavor to reflect the will of the church membership and to represent fairly the best interests of the entire church constituency. It shall always be subject to the will of the church membership as expressed by the vote of such members in accordance with these articles and the by-laws adopted in conformity herewith. The members of this corporation shall not be liable for the obligations of the corporation.

Article XII.

Vacancies on the Board of Trustees or on the General Church Board shall be filled by the remaining member of such Board until successors have been elected by vote of the membership. No one shall serve more than six consecutive years in one office after which time a period of one year must lapse before he can be again elected to that office. The Board of Directors shall adopt by-laws consistent with the purposes and principles set forth herein and such by-laws may be repealed or amended by them providing they obtain the affirmative vote of not less than two-thirds of the active membership of the corporation prior to the time such repeal of amendments become effective.

Article XIII.

The Pastor shall be elected by the voting membership of the church by means of ballot with a two-thirds majority vote being required for election. The General Board shall present the pastoral candidate to the membership. When the election is held, the General Board must present also the candidate's written agreement to uphold

and by laws of the church without mental reservation

be deemed a vote of confidence in the pastor.

If at any time the pastor shall make application to be released from the pastorate, or if the relationship between the pastor and the congregation becomes such as to be detrimental to the welfare of the church, the pastoral term may be terminated after sixty days from the date of the notice of intention or from the date upon which a two-thirds of the voting membership shall elect to terminate the pastoral term. This period of sixty days may be changed by mutual consent of the voting membership and the pastor. The General Board shall have the authority to consider these matters and make proper recommendations to the membership and the pastor. The Pastor shall have the oversight of all the spiritual activities in the church and shall minister to the needs of the congregation and the community. The pastor shall be ex-officio member of every committee engaged in church activities except those dealing with his personal relations to the church. He shall, however, be given opportunity to appear before the church business meeting and answer questions regarding his conduct or defend himself against accusations which may be brought against him. He shall report to the General Board concerning his activities in accordance with the request of the Board.

Article XIV.

There shall be three Deacons and three Deaconesses elected at the annual election. They shall care for calling on the community and the sick, and the serving of the Lord's Supper. Husbands or wives may assist in this office in calling, visiting the sick, etc.

Article XV.

The secretary-Treasurer shall keep the minutes of the church and the General Church Board meetings, the membership roll, and conduct such correspondence of the church as needed. His records are

vouchers and receipts for payments made. The Church Board may decide where the money shall be kept. The books of the church will be audited annually or at any time the church board may order. A financial report shall be sent to all members every three months. The Treasurer and Assistant shall sign all checks.

The assistant shall keep all the minutes of the Sunday School meetings, and shall have charge of record books, ordering of supplies, and other things designated by the Sunday School Superintendent, or Church Board.

Article XVI.

The superintendent shall be on the General Board. The Superintendent shall manage the Sunday School and call for regular monthly meetings with the Board of Education

Assistant Superintendent shall assist the Superintendent in his duties and fill his position when necessary. He will also be a member of the Board of Education.

Article XVII.

This Board of Education shall consist of Pastor, Superintendents, Sunday School Teachers, Assistants, and Secretary. It is the duty of this Board to select teachers for the children's and youth department of the Sunday School and to approve all the Sunday School teachers who teach regularly in the Sunday School.

It shall further be the duty of this Board to make sure that the literature used in the Sunday School and Vacation Bible School is of a sound evangelical and interdenominational character. It shall be concerned with the promotion of Teacher Training Courses and classes for training Vacation Bible School Teachers.

Article XVIII.

The annual Church Election shall be held the first Sunday of March, with the new officers taking office the third Sunday of March.

more selected by the General Board, and an equal number selected by the congregation. The nominating committee shall be appointed one month prior to the annual meeting. This committee shall place in nomination one name for each office to run against the present officer at the annual election. Other nominations may be made from the floor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The above named incorporators have here-
unto set their hands this 16th day of July, 1962.

Jack Smith

Charles F. Wright

Samuel J. Jones, Jr.

Walter C. Clark

Margaret Wise

STATE OF IDAHO)
) ss
COUNTY OF BLAINE)

On this 4th day of October, 1962, before me the undersigned, a
Notary Public, in and for the State of Idaho, personally appeared
Charles Wright, Duke Martin and Marguerite Wise, the persons whose
names are above subscribed and acknowledged to me that they executed
the same.

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


Notary Public for Idaho
Residing at Hailey, Idaho
My Commission Expires Jan. 24, 1965

STATE OF IDAHO)
) SS
COUNTY OF BLAINE)

On this 15th day of October, 1962, before the undersigned,
a Notary Public, in and for the State of Idaho, Personally
appeared Wayne Clark The person whose
name is above subscribed and acknowledged to me that he
executed the same.

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

Notary Public for Idaho
Residing at Hailey, Idaho
My Commission Expires Jan. 26, 1960

STATE OF IDAHO)
) SS
COUNTY OF BLAINE)

On this 22 day of October, 1962, before the undersigned,
a Notary Public, in and for the State of Idaho, Personally
appeared Carl Schoessler The person whose
name is above subscribed and acknowledged to me that he
executed the same.

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



Notary Public for Idaho
Residing at Hailey, Idaho

**NOTICE OF ELECTION
BELLEVUE COMMUNITY
CHURCH**

WHEREAS, It is required by law that prior to incorporation, under Chapter 11 of Title 30, Idaho Code Annotated, an election be held for the purpose of electing such directors or members of such board as such corporation may elect to operate under,

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that Sunday, the 2nd day of September, 1962, at the hour of 8:00 o'clock P.M., at the Bellevue Community Church, located at Bellevue, Blaine County, Idaho, is hereby designated as the time and place for holding an election for the purpose of determining whether or not said Church shall incorporate under the foregoing laws, and if it shall be determined that it shall incorporate, then for additional purpose of electing such directors or members of such boards as may be at that time determined upon as the governing body or bodies of such corporation.

Dated this 15th day of August, 1962.

CHARLES WRIGHT
DUKE MARTIN
WAYNE CLARK
MARGARET WISE
CARL SCHOESSLER
Trustees.

Pub. 8/16 and 8/23

Affidavit of Publication

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

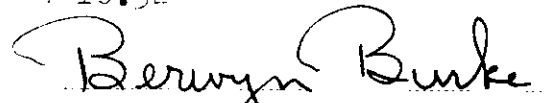
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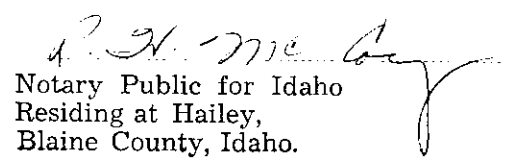
sixteenth day of August, 1962, and ending with the last publication thereof on the

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BERWYN BURKE, Publisher.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 23rd day of August, 1962.


Notary Public for Idaho
Residing at Hailey,
Blaine County, Idaho.