



Kensington Temple

KENSINGTON TEMPLE LONDON CITY CHURCH CITY – CELL CHARTER

The Kensington Temple Cell Vision – our cells exist for the making, maturing and mobilising of disciples within Kensington Temple, London City Church. In order to facilitate the working of cells the following principles apply:

1. The cell is always under the direction of the cell leader and the local leadership report to Colin and Amanda Dye.
2. Each cell will follow the teaching programme as laid out by the Senior Minister, or the local leadership in the case of LCC Network Churches.
3. The group will not be used for the promotion of any kind of business or outside ministry.
4. Any promotion of events will need to be approved by the Senior Ministers Office (SMO) and, in the Network churches, the local leadership.
5. Each cell leader will commit to being an active member of a leadership cell themselves.
6. Each cell leader will encourage members to fully journey through all the steps of the ladder of success.
7. Each cell leader will encourage all who qualify to plant a cell after completing term one of Mastering Leadership or any such other programme that SMO may agree.
8. Each cell leader will allow the cell to transition into a leadership cell when all members of the cell have started their own cell.
9. No offerings are to be taken in the cell group unless specifically requested by the Senior Minister or Senior Ministers Office (SMO). Giving by standing order to KT and the LCC Network Churches is also to be encouraged.

10. Any additional activities requiring finance to be cleared by the Primary Leader (P12) or local leadership in the case of LCC Network Churches.
11. Effective weekly records will be kept and recorded weekly via the online reporting structure known as 'X-change' (xchange.kt.org).
12. Each cell leader will commit to ensuring that wherever possible everybody who is referred to their group is called within 48 hours, and visited within 7 days and encouraged to join the cell.
13. Each cell leader will commit to praying for each cell member, to visiting them and seeking to see them reach their full potential in Christ.
14. Each cell leader will support the vision and ministry of Kensington Temple London City Church.
15. If at any time the leader of the cell decides to leave KT/LCC then the group will be handed to the Primary Leader (P12) who will facilitate the process of transition of leadership.
16. Each cell leader will commit to attend and promote the Net Meetings, Sunday services, Cell Leader training events, KTLCC celebrations, Annual Leaders Vision Week, Energise Conference, and other significant events organised.
17. Each cell leader must agree to the fundamental beliefs of the Elim Pentecostal Church which are outlined on the final page.
18. Each cell leader acts as the representative of the Senior Minister. Each cell leader will acknowledge that they are a part of KT/LCC and will conduct him/herself in an appropriate manner.
19. The cells will function on a homogenous basis.
20. Spiritual Gifts are to be used in a way to build and encourage people and for confirmation. Prophecy needs to be regulated so as not to include subjects such a person's future partner or key financial decisions. Spiritual Gifts are to be exercised by the standard and disciplines set by scriptures. All prophecies must go through the process of testing involving both the cell leader and the Primary cell leader. Words of basic affirmation or encouragement are to be submitted to the cell leader. Words of personal direction of any type to any person on any matter MUST be submitted to the Primary Leader before they are to be in any way considered as appropriate. *Before any formal counselling is undertaken the Primary Leader must be consulted.* The cell leader is responsible for seeking the guidance of the Primary Leader on all such matters.
21. The cell leader will recognise and accept the final authority of the Kensington Temple Church Board in matters of doctrine, discipline, membership and cell vision.

I agree to abide by all the stipulations of this charter and accept them as binding in all matters in regard to my cell group ministry in the Kensington Temple London City Church Network.

Signed

New Cell Leader

Date:

Signed

Primary P12 Leader / Network Pastor

Date:

Fundamental Truths

THE BIBLE: We believe the Bible, as originally given, to be without error, the fully inspired and infallible Word of God and the supreme and final authority in all matters of faith and conduct.

THE TRINITY: We believe that the Godhead exists co-equally and co-eternally in three persons Father, Son and Holy Spirit and that these three are one God, sovereign in creation, providence and redemption.

THE SAVIOUR: We believe in the true and proper deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His real and complete humanity, in His sinless life, in His authoritative teaching, in His substitutionary and atoning sacrifice through His blood shed, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father, in His heavenly intercession and His second advent to receive His Church.

THE HOLY SPIRIT: We believe in the deity of the Holy Spirit who proceeds from the Father and the Son and the necessity of His work in conviction of sin, repentance, regeneration and sanctification, and that the believer is also promised an endowment of power as the gift of Christ through the baptism in the Holy Spirit with signs following. Through this endowment the believer is empowered for fuller participation in the ministry of the Church, its worship, evangelism and service.

MANKIND: We believe in the universal sinfulness of all men since the Fall, rendering man subject to God's wrath and condemnation.

SALVATION: We believe in the necessity for salvation of repentance towards God and faith in the Lord Jesus Christ by which the sinner is pardoned and accepted as righteous in God's sight. This justification is imputed by the grace of God because of the atoning work of Christ, is received by faith alone and is evidenced by the Fruit of the Spirit and a holy life.

THE CHURCH: We believe in the spiritual unity and the priesthood of all believers in Christ and that these comprise the universal Church, the Body of Christ.

THE MINISTRY: We believe in the ministries that Christ has set in His Church, namely, apostles, prophets, evangelists, pastors and teachers, and in the present operation of the manifold Gifts of the Holy Spirit according to the New Testament.

THE ORDINANCES: We believe in the baptism of believers in water in obedience to the command of Christ and the commemoration of Christ's death by the observance of the Lord's Supper until His return.

THE COMMISSION: We believe that the Gospel embraces the needs of the whole man and that the Church is therefore commissioned to preach the gospel to the world and to fulfil a ministry of healing and deliverance to the spiritual and physical needs of mankind.

THE COMING KING: We believe in the personal, physical and visible return of the Lord Jesus Christ to reign in power and glory.

THE FUTURE STATE: We believe in the resurrection of the dead and in the final judgement of the world, the eternal conscious bliss of the righteous and the eternal conscious punishment of the wicked.