

About Associate Members

Who are Associate Members?

Associate members of the Council are churches who agree with the Basis and Purpose of the CCC, but who prefer an interim association with the Council or whose membership is less than the minimum requirement for Council membership.

This status allows a non-member church to enter a working relationship with the Council to deepen the ecumenical movement in Canada.

Why become an Associate Member?

Associate Members seek to serve God's mission in the world, give expression to the unity offered to the world through Jesus Christ, witness to the continuing renewal of the Church by the Holy Spirit, promote the growth of ecumenical and missionary obedience among all Christians, and facilitate common action by the member churches.



What's expected of an Associate Member?

Associate Member churches appoint representatives to the semi-annual Governing Board and the Commissions, Reference Groups and other bodies of the Council. Associate Member churches are invited to make an annual financial contribution to share in the costs of the Council.

How to become an Associate Member

Write to the General Secretary indicating approval of the Constitution, acceptance of the Basis and Purpose of the CCC and the desire to participate in the life of the Council



Who We Are

The **Canadian Council of Churches (CCC)**, founded in 1944, is a broad and inclusive ecumenical body, now representing 26 member churches including Anglican; Eastern and Roman Catholic; Evangelical; Free Church; Eastern and Oriental Orthodox; and Historic Protestant traditions. Together these member churches represent 13,500 worshipping communities and comprise 85% of the Christians in Canada.*

Together we respond to Christ's call for unity and peace, seek Christ's truth with affection for diversity, and act in love through prayer, dialogue, and witness to the gospel.

*drawn from data provided by the Statistics Canada 2011 Survey

CONTACT US TODAY ABOUT BECOMING AN AFFILIATE!

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