

Excerpt from the Heart of God Church Leaders' Code of Conduct

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2. PERSONAL CONDUCT

This section governs the personal conduct of leaders

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- 2.5 Being role models, leaders shall be mindful of their behaviour in public and also online (Romans 14:13).
- 2.6 Leaders' conduct shall be above reproach. They should not mislead or stumble others (1 Thessalonians 5:22).
- 2.7 Leaders shall exercise wisdom in managing their finances, bearing in mind that we are stewards of God's money (Matthew 25:14-30).

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- 2.10 Leaders shall hold themselves to a high level of personal integrity and morality in all aspects of their lives (Proverbs 11:3).
- 2.11 Leaders shall be law-abiding (Romans 13:1-7).

3. RELATIONSHIP WITH OTHERS

This section governs the conduct of leaders with others in Church whether it is in person or online/on social media.

- 3.1 Leaders shall set appropriate boundaries in all relationships and ensure their personal, sexual and financial conduct shall be above reproach.
- 3.2 Leaders shall under no circumstances abuse their authority in their relationships with others in Church.
- 3.3 Leaders shall not abuse or take advantage of their position of authority to further their personal, political, business or social agenda.

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4. CHURCH

This section governs the relationship of leaders with the Church

- 4.1 Leaders shall be aligned with the vision of the Church (1 Corinthians 1:10).

4.2 Leaders shall be committed to Church programmes such as services, connect group meetings and shall attend them regularly.

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4.5 Leaders shall uphold the values of the Church in their lives.

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5. GOVERNMENT / COMMUNITY

This section governs the relationship of leaders within the community and the society

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5.2 The Church is strictly apolitical. Leaders shall not politicise religion.

5.3 Leaders shall support the nation's position on religious and racial harmony.

5.4 Leaders shall aspire to build harmonious relationships with other faiths by building bridges and not walls.

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