

Frequently Asked Questions

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1. When was the Alliance formed?

The Alliance of Pentecostal-Charismatic Churches of Singapore (APCCS) was registered as a constitution on 1 November 2017, and officially launched on 19 April 2018.

2. Why was the Alliance formed?

Through APCCS, many Pentecostal, Charismatic and Independent churches now have an official body that not only echoes our theological convictions but also provide a network of relationships where pastors from Pentecostal, Charismatic and Independent churches are able to connect with one another, seek assistance and find support.

3. What are the objectives of the Alliance?

There are three broad objectives of APCCS:

Firstly, we seek to form a bond of unity among the Pentecostal, Charismatic and Independent churches. Through APCCS, we seek to close the ranks, and render support, facilitate equipping sessions and guidance between churches that will strengthen the overall Church in Singapore.

Secondly, we seek to be a collective representation for the Pentecostal, Charismatic and Independent churches for interaction with governmental authorities to represent the interests and needs of the churches.

Thirdly, we seek to be an additional Christian advocate, together with the National Council of Churches of Singapore (NCCS), in representing the collective Church in Singapore whenever there is a need to address various societal issues and concerns.

4. What are APCCS' beliefs?

Our Statement of Faith may be found at our About Page.

5. Can members of APCCS also be members of the National Council of Churches of Singapore?

Yes, definitely! Many of our members are also NCCS members, and we encourage that.

6. Will APCCS be able to nominate pastors in my church for the purposes of applying for a license with the Registry of Marriages (ROM) to solemnise marriages?

At the moment, we are not one of the nominating bodies recognised by ROM although this arrangement may change in the future.

7. Are there obligations and expectations of each member church to the alliance?

You can be as active as you would like as a member church and we certainly encourage you to be as plugged in as you can. Here are some ways you can get the best of your membership.

- Contribute by active participation by being present at meetings such as AGM,
- combined prayer and equipping platforms.
- Practice good governance.
- Network with each other
- Sharing of resources to build the body
- Contribute financially

Have we addressed your questions? Drop us a line at mail@apccs.org if we can help further.