

New Life United Methodist Church
YOUTH CODE OF CONDUCT FORM

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For events under the sponsorship of New Life United Methodist Church, I am a representative of the Christian community and I am responsible for my actions. I understand the following:

- I will abide by all rules and directions from Leaders.
- I will participate fully in all activities to the best of my ability.
- I will show respect and care for other people, places and things. This is regardless of whether we are on Church property or on a Church sponsored trip or Ministry. Any fees for damage and/or cleaning will be charged to the youth's family.
- All youth present are expected to remain on-site for the duration of the event. Special permission is required to leave before the specified end of the event.
- I will abide by the "buddy system" when traveling for a Church sponsored trip or Ministry.
- I will report any suspected abuse to one of the Christian Education Leaders, regardless of whether the abuse is against me or someone else. Following the "see something, say something" policy.
- I understand that Leaders and other youth will possibly use technology to communicate with me, but will do so in a proper manner. I will likewise use technology in a proper manner when communicating with Leaders and other youth. Technology includes but is not limited to: cell phone, texting, email, and Social Media. I also understand it is my right to ask someone not to use my information or imaging in any Technology communications.
- The underage illegal use or possession of drugs, alcohol, tobacco, and firearms are prohibited.
- All sexual relations are prohibited.
- I will do my best to have fun!

Any violation of these guidelines will result in you being immediately sent home, regardless of the hour. Persistent inappropriate behavior will result in a request for a parent/guardian meeting with the Pastor and any other appropriate Leaders; and the youth will not be able to return to youth related activities until this meeting occurs.

We have read and understand the Code of Conduct above.

Youth Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Leader Signature

Date

Pastor Signature

Date