

Alcohol Policy
First Unitarian Church of St. Louis

Purpose

To prevent the consumption of and/or acquisition of alcoholic beverages by minors (people under the age of twenty-one) on the property of First Unitarian Church of St. Louis.

1. The serving of alcoholic beverages, at any event sponsored by First Unitarian Church to persons under the age of twenty-one is prohibited.
2. Church events serving alcohol will establish a table specifically for the beverages at which an adult is always present and charged with the responsibility of adherence to this policy. The table will have a sign indicating that the beverages are for only those twenty-one and older.
3. Church events serving alcohol will always have a non-alcoholic beverage option.
4. If an event is designated as a BYOB affair, adults bringing alcohol are responsible for monitoring the beverage so that minors are not served. Alcoholic beverages left unattended during the event may be confiscated and destroyed.
5. Any alcoholic beverages remaining at the conclusion of an event (church sponsored or rental) and not removed will be destroyed.
6. Groups who keep a supply of alcoholic beverages (church groups or rental groups) on the church premises will keep all beverages in a locked cabinet. Rental groups may be asked to provide their own secure cabinet.
7. Church groups sponsoring events and planning to serve alcohol will inform either the Church Administrator or the Religious Educator of their intention. Each group sponsoring an event is responsible for enforcing the policy. In the event of a violation of the policy, the coordinator will inform the Church Administrator and/or Religious Educator.
8. All rental groups will be informed of this policy by the Church Administrator.
9. Any minor found consuming or distributing alcohol at First Unitarian Church will have the beverage removed from them and a guardian will be contacted immediately.
10. Any adult who gives an alcoholic beverage to a minor at First Unitarian Church will be asked to leave the event.

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