

ALCOHOL POLICY

The following policies will govern the use of alcoholic beverages at UUCWV functions or functions that occur at UUCWV not specifically sponsored or endorsed by UUCWV. This policy also applies to UUCWV sponsored events that happen offsite.

1. All applicable Federal, State and Local laws and ordinances, governing the use/distribution of alcohol must be acknowledged and observed when serving alcoholic beverages.
2. The serving of alcohol shall be confined to the Social / Fellowship Hall.
3. The only alcoholic beverages allowed will be beer and/or wine.
4. Alcoholic beverages and food containing alcohol must be clearly labeled as such.
5. Food will always be offered when alcohol is being served.
6. Any group serving alcohol must have at least one person designated and identified to ensure alcohol is being served according to these rules and is being consumed responsibly. If the designated person decides someone has had too much alcohol, they can take action necessary to ensure that person or persons are not served any more alcohol. The designated person(s) shall not consume alcohol while acting in this capacity.
7. Drinking alcohol will never be a social requirement. Non-alcoholic beverages will always be available and clearly labeled whenever alcoholic beverages are being offered.
8. Non-alcoholic beverages will be offered in such a way as to be equal to the offering of alcoholic beverages.
9. Alcohol will not be allowed or consumed at youth group events or youth group sponsored events, like a youth conference, performance or retreat, even if a person is 21 or older.
10. No one under the age of 21 will be permitted to consume or serve alcohol, even with permission of their parents.
11. Consumption of alcohol outside on church grounds is not permitted.
12. The sale of alcohol is prohibited unless a permit for sale of alcohol is obtained from the city prior to an event. Any outside group obtaining such a permit must provide a copy of the permit to the church office prior to the event taking place.
13. Alcohol will not be stored on church property for more than 24 hours prior to or after an event. Any alcohol remaining 24 hours after an event will be removed from the premises.
14. Non-church groups using our facility may serve alcohol provided they have given a Certificate of Liability to the church office prior to the event that names UUCWV as an insured.