



## Youth Ministry Christian Code of Conduct

Our purpose is to share the unconditional love of Christ with each person, so all may know and accept the love and grace of God.

*(Matthew 28:18-20, Mark 12:29-31)*

I will conduct myself after the example of JESUS CHRIST.

- I understand that every event offered by the Youth Ministry of Christ United Methodist Church is my privilege to go and not my right.
- I understand that just because I or my parents are paying for this event does NOT mean I can act anyway I want.
- I understand that my behavior reflects not only on myself, but also my parents, our church and most importantly, God.
- I will not cuss or use poor language.
- I understand that I may not sneak out or be out of my bed after lights out.
- I understand that I **WILL NOT BRING** any illegal drugs (heroin, cocaine, marijuana, etc.), alcohol, tobacco products, weapons (knives, hurtful "toys", etc.) or fireworks to any event and that the **USE OF ANY OF THESE** will result in an automatic, no-questions-asked trip home, a conference with the Senior Minister, Youth Minister, my parents and probably a professional counselor. All other disciplinary action is up to the Youth Director's discretion.
- I understand that certain types of attitudes and activities could result in disciplinary action including, but not limited to, being kept from participating in certain activities as well as being sent home early. (PARENTS: In the case of an airplane ride home, you will pay for it! It will only be used in the most severe cases, but that is at the Youth Minister's discretion.)
- I understand that the adult leaders have been placed by the youth staff in authority over me. I will respect what they have to say and ask me to do or not do.
- I understand that the ultimate authority at this event is the youth staff; even if my parents are at this event, the decisions of the youth staff take priority.
- Finally, I understand that this is a group event and that group participation is expected.

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Youth's Signature

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Parent's Signature

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Date