

**Asbury United Methodist Church  
Children's Ministry Volunteer  
Code of Ethics**

1. I desire to model Christ-likeness in all my behavior, especially as I serve in ministry to children at Asbury United Methodist Church. I aim to demonstrate my love for the Lord Jesus, my gratitude for His grace and forgiveness and testify to the power of the Holy Spirit working in my life.
2. I am committed to enrolling in Planning Center online and showing up for my assigned dates and times.
3. I desire to demonstrate respect, loyalty, patience, courtesy and maturity.
4. I will treat children of all races, religions and cultures with equality, respect and consideration.
5. I will not abuse children/youth, in anyway, including but not limited to:
  - a. Physical abuse (e.g. strike, shake, slap)
  - b. Verbal/mental abuse (e.g. humiliate, degrade, threaten)
  - c. Sexual abuse (e.g. inappropriate touch or exposure)
6. I will not possess or use illegal drugs; I will not possess or use alcohol, cigarettes, tobacco and electronic smoking devices on the campus of Asbury United Methodist Church.
7. I will not use or tolerate profanity in the presence of children.
8. I understand my obligation and responsibility to protect children and agree to report known or suspected abuse of children to Janet Day or Christina Treat.
9. I understand that any violation of this code may be ground for dismissal, discipline or other action by the Asbury United Methodist Church.

**I have read and understand the above provisions.**

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Signature

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Date