

Mount Tabor United Methodist Church  
3543 Robinhood Road  
Winston Salem, NC 27106

**Safe Sanctuaries Policies – July 2019**

**Registered Sex Offender  
Church Participation Covenant Statement**

The congregation of Mount Tabor United Methodist Church is committed to providing a safe and secure environment for all Children, Tweens and Youth. In furtherance of our Safe Sanctuary policy and in compliance with *N. C. Gen. Stat. §§ 14-208.17, 14-208.18*, all registered sex offenders who wish to be part of our worshipping community must abide by the following procedures:

1. As a registered sex offender, I will have and abide by conditions placed on my participation in the church community.
2. While on church property, I will be accompanied at all times by an unrelated, same-gender adult covenant partner. Providing a covenant partner will be the responsibility of the church.
3. I will not be permitted to work/volunteer with Children or Youth in any church-sponsored activity. *N.C. Gen. Stat. § 14-208.17(2008)*
4. I will not be in attendance at any event where Children, Tweens or Youth are the primary audience. This includes, but is not limited to, United Methodist Youth Fellowship activities, Vacation Bible School, Preschool, After School Program and Scouting activities. *N.C. Gen. Stat. § 14-208.18 (3) (2008)*. If I attend such an event, I will be told to leave and a report will be made to the sheriff's office.
5. I will not be within 300 feet of any location intended primarily for the use, care or supervision of minors. *N.C. Gen. Stat. § 14-208.18(a) (2) (2008)*
6. I will not be in any area of the property designated for the use, care or supervision of Children or Youth. *N.C. Gen. Stat. § 14-208.18 (a) (1) (2008)*. These areas include, but are not limited to, the nursery, Preschool classrooms, Children's Sunday school classrooms and playground.

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Senior Pastor Signature

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Church Council Chairperson Signature

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Date

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Covenant Person Signature

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