



North Shore Unitarian Church
Children/Youth Religious Education
Registration Form

We're glad you're here! Please thoroughly complete this form to register your child(ren) or youth into NSUC's Religious Education programs.

Parent Information

Parent/Guardian #1

First & Last Name _____

Email Address _____

Preferred Phone Number _____

Preferred Method of Communication Email Phone Call Other _____

Membership NSUC Member Non-Member Unsure

Parent/Guardian #2

First & Last Name _____

Email Address _____

Preferred Phone Number _____

Preferred Method of Communication Email Phone Call Other _____

Membership NSUC Member Non-Member Unsure

My family has pledged to NSUC for 2016-17.

(There is no registration fee, but pledging to the church is encouraged to cover costs of providing programs and services.)

Yes No Unsure

We recognize that many families have more than two parents/guardians. If this is the case for you, please include additional parent/guardian names here and any additional information you'd like to include to help us serve your family well.

Please provide any family information below that may help us serve your family better, such as a change in family situation (e.g., recent divorce or move), different address for Parent/Guardian #2, etc. Please contact Interim Director of Lifespan Religious Education (IDLRE) Meredith Olson at dre@nsuc.org or 847-235-1955 if you have extensive details or would like to discuss your family situation.

Parental Consent & Waiver for Children Under 18 Years of Age

I/we the undersigned, being the parent/guardian(s) of the children/youth listed on this form, hereby grant full permission to The North Shore Unitarian Church to prepare, use, reproduce, publish, distribute, and exhibit my children's picture, portrait, likeness, actions, voice, or any or all of them in or in connection with the production of websites, still photography, motion picture film, television tape, film, digital video, soundtrack recording, educational publication for informational or any other professional purpose deemed necessary in the interest of the mission of The North Shore Unitarian Church.

I/we hereby waive all rights of privacy or compensation, which I/we may have in connection with the use of my child's picture, portrait, likeness, actions, voice, or any or all of them, in or in connection with said websites, still photography, motion picture film, television tape, film, digital video, soundtrack recording and any use to which the same or any material therein may be put, applied, or adapted by The North Shore Unitarian Church. This consent and waiver will not be made the basis of a future claim of any kind against The North Shore Unitarian Church and any of its officers or directors.

My signature indicates my willingness to support my child/youth's attendance at programming, support the NSUC Mission and Covenant of Right Relations, and support my child/youth in adhering to their class covenants, including policies for the youth group.

Opt Out – I do not give consent for my child(ren)'s photo, likeness, etc. to be used.

Signature _____ Date Signed _____

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Children's Religious Education Registration

Enter information for babies through 8th graders here. See future pages for Youth Group section to enter youth in grades 9-12.

Which of your children will be participating in Junior Choir?

Junior Choir meets on Sunday mornings at 9:15-9:55am and sings during all-ages worship services. All children in kindergarten through 8th grade are welcome.

If any of your children have allergies (food, environmental, latex, etc.) or special needs, please specify. Include any helpful tips for teachers working with your children (specify which child).

Child's Name	Birthdate	2016-17 Grade in School

Youth Group Registration

Youth Group, for people in grades 9-12, is offered on Sunday morning at approximately 10:15-11:20am when there is not an all-ages service. Youth are expected to attend worship service through the Message for All Ages before going to the youth room.

Completing the youth email and cell phone fields gives permission to the church's representatives to use the youth's email address and cell phone number for relevant communications, in addition to the parents/caregivers' contact information.

Youth #1

First & Last Name _____

Birthdate (DD/MM/YYYY) _____ Grade in School _____

High School (include town) _____

Cell Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

Youth #2

First & Last Name _____

Birthdate (DD/MM/YYYY) _____ Grade in School _____

High School (include town) _____

Cell Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

Youth #3

First & Last Name _____

Birthdate (DD/MM/YYYY) _____ Grade in School _____

High School (include town) _____

Cell Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

Youth #4

First & Last Name _____

Birthdate (DD/MM/YYYY) _____ Grade in School _____

High School (include town) _____

Cell Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

Youth Group Policies

1. Practice the Seven Principles of Unitarian Universalism and abide by our NSUC Covenant of Right Relations.
2. Members and guests must arrive on time and stay for the entire class/program unless other arrangements have been made in advance with the youth group advisors.
3. Be respectful to everyone.
4. Listen when others are sharing.
5. No overt or covert sexual activity and/or inappropriate behavior is allowed.
6. Youth must be registered and active for three months at NSUC prior to attending overnight events.
7. Youth may not possess or use tobacco, alcohol, or other drugs on NSUC premises or at NSUC sponsored events held onsite or offsite.
8. No verbal or physical violence will be tolerated.
9. No weapons of any kind are allowed.
10. Certain programs are reserved only for registered NSUC youth group members.
11. Guests may visit up to three times. They must register to continue participating after the third visit.

If there is anything else you want to communicate with the Lifespan Religious Education staff and teams, please include it here:

Lifespan Religious Education Volunteer Registration

To be eligible for most LRE volunteer positions, you must be a member of NSUC, have been participating in the congregation for at least one year, agree to abide by the Covenant of Right Relations and the church safety policies, and agree to complete a confidential background check.

Please indicate all roles in which you'd be interested in volunteering by checking the boxes next to them. Some volunteer opportunities are especially popular. If you have a preference for how you volunteer next year (2017-18), you can indicate that in the box below as well.

See Interim Director of Lifespan Religious Education (IDLRE) Meredith Olson (dre@nsuc.org or 847-235-1955) for more details about any position or if you have other questions.

Indicate parent/guardian #1's interests in the first column of checkboxes and parent/guardian #2's interests in the second column.

Teaching Opportunities

- Spirit Play (pre-kindergarten through 1st grade)
- Spirit of Adventure (2nd-5th grade)
- World Religions (6th-7th grade)
- Affirmation (8th grade)
- Substitute Teacher

Mentoring Advising, and Facilitating Opportunities

Note: Our Whole Lives (OWL) is a comprehensive sexuality and relationship education program consisting of six levels that cover age 5 through older adults.

- Affirmation Mentor
- Youth Group Advisor
- Chaperone for World Religions field trips, youth conferences, etc.
- Adult Religious Education Facilitator (e.g., UU history, spiritual practices)
- Kindergarten through 6th Grade OWL Facilitator
- 7th-12th Grade OWL Facilitator
- Adult OWL Facilitator

Administrative/Logistical Opportunities

- Childcare – supervise young children in the nursery
- Sunday Assistant – greeting, assisting teachers, setting up food
- Special Event Support – for all-ages services and special events
- Administrative Support – research, graphic design, or other office tasks
- Classroom Preparation & Organization – cleaning, sorting, preparing supplies, etc.
- Children/Youth Religious Education Team – plan and implement CYRE and all-ages programs
- Diversity & Inclusion Team – research how we can be ready to serve people of all abilities, special needs, backgrounds, etc.
- Adult Religious Education Team – plan and implement adult and all-ages programs