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1. POLICY:

The Adult Religious Education sub-Committee will provide a weekly forum to explore religion, social justice, personal growth, community issues and other topics deemed of interest to the congregation.

- The Adult RE Sub-Committee chairperson is a member of the NUUC RE Committee.
- The Adult RE Sub-Committee consists of the following: Sub-committee chairperson, a publicity coordinator and Adult RE Room coordinator.
- The year coincides with the youth RE school year. There is no scheduled Adult RE programming during the summer months of June, July or August.
- Adult RE programs are listed in the monthly Beacon and Beacon Bits.

2. REFERENCED DOCUMENTS:

- M040 NUUC Policies and Procedures handbook
- P011 RE Committee General Policies and Procedures
- File of past program records, topics of interest, potential programs. Kept by chairman.

3. DEFINITIONS:

• RE = Religious Education

4. PROCEDURE STEPS:

| Step | Activity 1: Adult RE Chairperson Duties | Responsibility |
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| A | Planning for Adult RE programs is done in the summer. General topics may span religion, politics, social justice issues, parenting issues, artistic expression, self-help, open forum discussions, etc. | Adult RE Chairperson |
| В | Recruiting of sub-committee members is done as needed. | Adult RE Chairperson |
| С | The Chairperson schedules Adult RE programs and coordinates date, time and classroom availability with the Church Administrator and the Program Council. | Adult Re Chairperson/ Church Administrator |
| D | The Chairperson or a designee attends and is a member of the Program Council. | Adult Re Chairperson |
| Е | The Chairperson attends RE Committee meetings. | Adult RE |

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| Step | Activity 1: Adult RE Chairperson Duties | Responsibility |
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| | | Chairperson |
| F | The Chairperson handles complaints (and compliments) concerning Adult RE. | Adult RE Chairperson |

| Step | Activity 2: Publicity | Responsibility |
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| А | The Chairperson writes Beacon articles to outline monthly Adult RE program – Sept through May | Adult RE Chairperson |
| В | The Publicity Coordinator writes Beacon articles to thank presenters – June | Publicity Coordinator |
| С | The Publicity Coordinator meets deadlines established by the Beacon editor. | Publicity Coordinator |
| D | Weekly Beacon Bits announcements are extracted from the monthly Beacon article | Church Administrator |
| E | Program speakers will provide a brief description of each Adult RE program to the Adult RE Chairperson before the Beacon deadline. | Adult RE Presenters |

| Step | Activity 3: Adult RE Room Set-Up | Responsibility |
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| А | The Room Coordinator makes sure the room is clean | Adult RE Room Coordinator |
| В | The Room Coordinator will ask presenters about any special needs they may have regarding the set up of the chairs, table(s) or any other equipment. | Adult RE Room Coordinator |
| С | The Room Coordinator sets up chairs and tables according to plan. | Adult RE Room Coordinator |
| D | The Coordinator will procure any special items, such as TV/DVD player, easel, dry erase markers, pencils, pens, etc, that may be needed. | Adult RE Room Coordinator |
| E | The Room Coordinator will notify Building and Grounds if anything is out of order, i.e., TV, light bulbs, air conditioning. | Adult RE Room Coordinator |

5. OTHER INFORMATION - (Attachments, records, other comments as needed):.

• Currently, there is no Adult RE budget to pay speakers. Most speakers are members of the NUUC congregation.

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