



Unity in Diversity Policy

1. The North Shore Unitarian Church aspires to be, and resolves to become, a diverse and inclusive community.
2. We value the spiritual, social and intellectual enrichment that flows from diversity, that abides in an atmosphere of mutual respect and co-operation.
3. All persons who observe our principles of openness and inclusion are welcome among us as members and friends.
4. In our posture toward the larger community, we strive to include:
 - a) people of all ages, especially youth and young adults
 - b) people of any affectional orientation
 - c) people of diverse ethnocultural backgrounds
 - d) people of any political and religious perspectives who observe our principles and democratic process.
 - e) people of all socio-economic levels and
 - f) people of all countries, withholding any prejudice we may have based on national origins.
5. We proudly declare this policy to the larger community, and wish to co-operate with other communities who act on similar principles.

Carried unanimously by the Congregation of the North Shore Unitarian Church at their Annual General Meeting March 11, 2001.