

**POLICY:**

**Firearm Policy and Procedure**

At no time is any person other than an active duty, uniformed law enforcement officer allowed to carry a firearm, openly or concealed, with or without a valid state-issued permit/license, on church premises.

This policy is enforceable by law in accordance with North Carolina General Statute 14-415.11(c)(8).

If this policy is violated, anyone on campus is empowered to ask the person possessing the firearm to vacate the premises or to report the infraction to law enforcement.

Any subsequent offense could result in a “No Trespass” Order for church premises.

**Relevant North Carolina Statutes**

**N.C. Gen. Stat. § 14-415.11. Permit to carry concealed handgun; scope of permit. (c)**

Except as provided in G.S. 14-415.27, a permit does not authorize a person to carry a concealed handgun in any of the following:

(8) On any private premises where notice that carrying a concealed handgun is prohibited by the posting of a conspicuous notice or statement by the person in legal possession or control of the premises.

**N.C.G.S. § 14-269.2. Weapons on campus or other educational property. (b)** It shall be a Class I felony for any person knowingly to possess or carry, whether openly or concealed, any gun, rifle, pistol, or other firearm of any kind on educational property or to a curricular or extracurricular activity sponsored by a school. Unless the conduct is covered under some other provision of law providing greater punishment, any person who willfully discharges a firearm of any kind on educational property is guilty of a Class F felony.

**SIGNAGE:** 1. Inside Sign and Decals 2. Outside (parking lot and fence)



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