

El Buen Pastor UMC Santa Paula
SOCIAL MEDIA POLICY STATEMENT

We, at El Buen Pastor UMC Santa Paula welcome you and your comments to our social media sites. The purpose of our online communities is to provide a place for people to share and engage in conversation about faith, missions, outreach, community and worship. We value thoughtful, polite, and concise comments that reflect a variety of views. We do, however, provide the following guidelines:

We will not tolerate use of lewd, offensive, libelous, demeaning or otherwise hurtful or hateful speech directed toward either individuals or groups. We reserve the right—but assume no obligation—to delete such comments and report offenders as appropriate.

We do not allow messages selling products or promoting commercial or other ventures. We will delete such messages without notice.

- ❖ We reserve the right to delete any submissions on our social media pages that contain:
- Personal digital media, website links, and messages without authorization of the administrator; and we reserve the right to delete them without notice.
 - vulgar language
 - personal attacks of any kind
 - comments or content that promotes, fosters or perpetuates discrimination on the basis of race, creed, color, age, religion, gender, marital status, genetics, status with regard to public assistance, national origin, physical or intellectual disability or sexual orientation
 - spam or links to other sites
 - is clearly off topic
 - advocates illegal activity
 - promotes particular services, products, or political organizations
 - infringes on copyrights or trademarks