

## APPENDIX 1.13

### **NUT AWARENESS POLICY**

Due to potentially life-threatening health concerns arising from exposure to nuts and nut products, Grace United Church strives to be a nut-free environment for all congregation members, staff, renters, community partners and members of the public.

**Definition:**

The presence of nuts (nuts or products made from peanuts, almonds, Brazil nuts, cashews, chestnuts, hazelnuts, macadamias, pine nuts, pistachios, pecans, walnuts, etc.) within the building is not permitted.

**Procedure:**

Congregation members, staff, renters, community partners and members of the public will be informed of this policy through signs posted in the building, Grace Notes, promotional material, church bulletin, rental agreements, and church correspondence.

**Personal Responsibility:**

As always, the allergic person must take responsibility for taking precautions to keep themselves or child safe from contamination. We cannot guarantee a nut-free facility.