

150 Best Bars in America 2015

#60 Bar at Church & State (Los Angeles)



Church and State

Located in the original loading dock of the Nabisco factory building, built in 1925, the bar at French bistro **Church & State** has become known for its revolving, seasonally inspired cocktail selection and its cocktail of the day. The drink menu includes 10 house cocktails, 10 bottled beers, and 75 French wines by the bottle with 12 more by the glass.

Located at one end of the restaurant, overlooking the dining area and open kitchen, is the 10-seat marble bar. The drinks are made with small-batch and artisanal spirits and liqueurs. The full restaurant menu is available at the bar. Popular dishes are the moules marinières (P.E.I. Mussels with French fries and aioli), os à moelle (roasted bone marrow with marinated radish salad), steak tartare (Sun Fed Ranch grass-fed beef heart tartare with mesclun salad and French fries), and the charcuterie board (duck prosciutto, house-cured pork belly, pork rillettes, pâtés de campagne, head cheese, chicken liver mousse, house mustard, and pickled vegetables).