



Good Shepherd Foundation Grant Application

Grants made through the Good Shepherd Foundation should be supported by an active member of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church. This individual is herein referred to as the "Congregational Shepherd." The Congregational Shepherd should have knowledge of the proposed project and be able to ensure grants are used appropriately. Congregational Shepherds are permitted to apply for a maximum of two grants per calendar year.

In accordance with the operating policies of the Foundation, grant income is to be distributed within the following four areas. Please check the area that most fits the purpose of the applicant:

- Grants for outreach into the community including institutions and agencies with which Good Shepherd relates, and to special programs designed for those in our community who are in spiritual and/or economic need.
- Grants to institutions and agencies of the South Carolina Synod of the ELCA and for missions of the ELCA at home and abroad.
- Grants to members of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church for the purpose of attending an ELCA seminary, for church related leadership conferences, or other such activities which enables members of the congregation to grow in Christian faith and service to God's people.
- Grants for non-budgeted special projects of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church not normally funded by the congregation's annual budget.

DEADLINE FOR RETURN OF GRANT APPLICATION IS MAY 1 AND NOVEMBER 1.

Please return the grant application to the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church office.

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church
Attention: Foundation
3909 Forest Drive
Columbia, SC 29204

The following section should be completed by the Congregational Shepherd:

Name: _____

Preferred Phone: _____

Preferred Email: _____

Are you an active member of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church? (circle one) Yes No
Relationship with grant applicant? _____

Are you directly involved with project for which grant funds are being requested?

The following section should be completed by the grant applicant:

Organization/individual Name: _____

Contact person (if different than above): _____

Title of contact person (if applicable): _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Mailing address: _____

Physical address (if different): _____

Tax ID: _____

Person or Organization to make check payable to: _____

Please provide a brief summary of the mission and goals of the applicant:

Please provide the specific purpose for the anticipated grant funds, the amount applied for (current maximum amount \$3,000) and anticipated date funds are needed:

Additional information the Foundation Board may find useful in making its determination on the grant request: (for example, if grant does not cover entire cost of activity or project, what is expected total cost and anticipated alternate sources of financial support?)

By accepting this grant, I agree to provide a 250-word summary of the program the funds were used for and photos or print materials related to the program within 60 days of completion. Please email summary to the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church Parish Administrator (parishadmin@gslc.com).

Signature of Congregational Shepherd: _____

Date: _____

Signature of Applicant: _____

Date: _____

For Foundation use:

Date received: _____

By whom: _____

Date of Foundation Board action: _____

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OUR MISSION

We are a community of all ages gathered by God's grace in faith for worship, learning, loving, and service to all.