

BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN CHURCH FOUNDATION GRANT APPLICATION FORM

From a person or ministry within Bethlehem Lutheran Church Twin Cities

INSTRUCTIONS:

The Bethlehem Foundation's mission is to gather, invest and distribute financial resources to further the mission and values of Bethlehem Lutheran Church Twin Cities. Grants are given that accomplish one or more of the following:

- Helps nourish personal relationships with God and each other.
- Helps people provide for and obtain needs, such as housing, shelter, food, healthcare, and education.
- Helps us collaborate with and strengthen Twin Cities congregations and service organizations.
- Helps individuals with leadership, faith development, prayer life, and increased understanding of God's work.

The Board of Directors of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church Foundation meets four times each year. All applications are due by January 1, April 1, July 1, or October 1 to be included for consideration at the regularly scheduled quarterly meetings.

When complete, emailed the form to foundation@bethlehem-church.org, with one-word "GRANT" in the subject line.

**Applications may also be mailed to:
Bethlehem Lutheran Church Foundation
Attn: Grants Review Committee Chair
4100 Lyndale Ave. So.
Minneapolis, MN 55409**

If further information is required, you will be contacted by the grant review committee before the meeting.

If you have any questions, please call 612.312.3400 (which is Bethlehem Lutheran Church Minneapolis) and ask to leave a message for a Foundation Officer (all of whom are volunteers and not on staff of the church) or email foundation@bethlehem-church.org.

Thank you for your interest in the Bethlehem Lutheran Church Foundation and its mission.

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This request must go through a channel of endorsements from a sponsoring committee or Organization and the senior pastor as well as the recommendation of the church council, which meets on the 3rd Tuesday of each month, before being submitted to the BLC Foundation. Please do not submit this form to the Foundation until the appropriate signatures have been obtained.

PLEASE TELL US ABOUT YOURSELF AND THIS REQUEST:

Staff Member/Committee/Organization:

Contact Person:

Telephone:

Email:

Briefly describe the purpose of the activity/project for which you are seeking funds:

AMOUNT REQUESTED:

SIGNATURES:

Sponsoring Committee/Organization: _____ Date: _____

Senior Pastor: _____ Date: _____

Church Council President: _____ Date: _____

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- Please attach a more detailed description of the proposed activity/project
- Identify the objectives to be achieved and describe what methods you will use to achieve the objectives
- Include a timetable of the activity/project
- Include a statement of the benefits to be achieved by the activity/project
- If additional funds will be required to carry out the activity/project, please identify the source of those funds and the amount expected from each source