



Grace Episcopal Church

Application Guidelines for Outreach Grant

Fall 2026

The grant application receipt deadline is Tuesday, October 6, 2026.
Applications that are incomplete or postmarked after October 6th will not be considered.

How must the grant application be submitted?

In writing or scanned to:

Grace Episcopal Church
Outreach Committee
315 Wayne Street
Sandusky, Ohio 44870
office@gracesandusky.org

Who can apply for a Grace Outreach Grant?

Any Erie County charitable organization [(501) (c) (3)] whose work benefits the residents of Erie County may apply for a grant.

What if an organization wants to apply for an entirely new venture, and there is no organizational structure in place (budget, board, etc.)?

Complete everything that is applicable. Make good use of the opportunities to tell your story. You may attach additional documentation as needed to share your vision.

What are the funding priorities?

Requests for funding that incorporate our values of feeding the hungry, clothing the naked, and/or the education of adults or children in living out the Gospel as understood by the Episcopal Church will be given preference.

What kinds of expenses are *not* funded?

- Salaries or other forms of compensation
- Contributions to lobbying groups or political action committees
- Ongoing annual projects
- Scholarships

What amount will be funded?

Grant requests should be in the range of \$500 - \$2000.

When will grants be distributed?

Checks will be distributed by December 31, 2026.

Are there other requirements?

- Projects funded by a Grace Outreach Grant must be completed by September 1, 2027.
- Written and pictorial documentation of the complete project shall be provided to Grace Grant Committee as part of the grant requirements. A communication will come to you as a reminder to be able to share your success story – this *must* be completed if an application is to be considered for the following grant cycle.
- In the narrative, the Applicant must acknowledge *all* funding sources (applied or materialized) (i.e. Erie County Community Foundation) and if/when the request was approved or denied.



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Mission Statement

**"In light of our confidence that 'God loves you. No exceptions',
Grace Episcopal Church strives to be a welcoming community,
inviting everyone to learn, serve, and share in Christ's love."**

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Name of Organization _____ E-mail _____

Mission Statement	
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Address: _____ Phone _____

Contact Person _____ Position _____

If you are awarded a grant, how should the check be made out? _____

Describe how the funds will be used in light of our criteria to grant monies (you may attach a narrative).	
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What is the amount of money you are requesting from Grace Church \$ _____

What is the approximate number of people you serve each month? _____

Number of paid employees _____ Number of volunteers _____

List the sources of other funding and amounts	
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Attachments:

- 2026 Proposed Budget
- List of Names of the Organizations Board of Directors (if an organization)
- Tax Exempt Form listing your organization as a “charity”