



Peace with Justice

North Georgia Conference - United Methodist Church

GRANT APPLICATION GUIDELINES

Application Due Date: First Friday in November

The BOOK of DISCIPLINE 2004, OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

¶ 264.5 *Peace with Justice Sunday... has been celebrated with an offering on the First Sunday After Pentecost. Congregations are to observe Peace with Justice Sunday on this date or on another date appropriate to the local church....*

¶ 264.5a) *the annual conference treasurer shall retain 50 percent of the receipts for Peace with Justice ministries in the annual conference....*

Funding Source: The Peace with Justice Offering is retained in the North Georgia Conference from the "Peace with Justice Sunday Offering" in June of each year. Fifty percent of monies collected go to the awarding of grants. The balance goes to the General Church.

Funding Amount: The committee approval for funding will not exceed \$2,000. This money is for seed capital to get the project started. Second year's funding **may** be awarded on certain occasions where the terms of this application have been met and the project's future funding sources are still being solicited.

Eligibility: To apply for funding, the applicant is required to represent a United Methodist local congregation in the North Georgia Conference. The awarded grant monies are to help initiate or enable a **new justice ministry for a church, advocate peace with justice issues or ministries that serve in that capacity.**

APPLICATION

PEACE WITH JUSTICE
SUNDAY OFFERING GRANT
North Georgia Conference

Deadline - First Friday in November

PROGRAM/PROJECT NAME (for which you are requesting PwJ Grant funds):

LOCAL UMC CHURCH REQUESTING GRANT

ADDRESS _____

TELEPHONE _____

EMAIL _____

WEB SITE _____

PASTOR OF LOCAL CONGRGATION _____

PROGRAM/PROJECT CONTACT PERSON NAME: _____

AMOUNT OF GRANT REQUEST _____

WHAT IS THE PEACE WITH JUSTICE MINISTRY? (250 WORDS OR LESS)

WHO WILL BENEFIT FROM THIS MINISTRY? _____

HOW WILL THIS INVOLVE YOUR LOCAL CHURCH? _____

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WHO IN YOUR COMMUNITY ALREADY HAS THIS MINISTRY? _____

FUNDING: PLEASE PROVIDE IN A SEPARATE DOCUMENT IN DETAIL A FINANCIAL BUDGET FOR ALL EXPENDITURES THAT YOU ARE REQUESTED FUNDING DOLLARS. (No budget = no funding)

TOTAL COST OF PROJECT OTHER THAN GRANT REQUEST: _____

OTHER SOURCES OF FUNDING (Include Local Church, District, General Board of Church and Society, Board of Global Ministries. If requests have been made, but money has not yet been approved, please indicate those as possible sources)

HOW YOU WILL BE ACCOUNTABLE TO THE PWJ COMMITTEE (OR CONFERENCE) IN SHARING THIS MINISTRY OR EXPERIENCE: (i.e. links to webpage, pictures, stories, etc.)

WILL YOU MAKE A COMMITMENT TO WITNESS TO YOUR LOCAL CHURCH ON PEACE WITH JUSTICE SUNDAY? _____

IF GRANT IS AWARDED, PLEASE SUBMIT PROGRESS REPORT WITH PHOTOS

Peace with Justice Coordinator NGUMC (address noted below)

Signature

Date

Pastor's Signature

Date

Submit Application by second Sunday in November

PLEASE SUBMIT APPLICATION TO:

NGUMC PEACE WITH JUSTICE COORDINATOR

Dawn L. Britt

940 Concord Rd.

Smyrna, Ga. 30080

Fax:770-438-6997

Email: dawn.britt@ngumc.net

Print application format from website: www.peacewithjustice-ngumc.org or request from Dawn L. Britt: 770-435-0851, E-mail: dawn.britt@ngumc.net.

********Notification of the decision on grant applications will be made by December 31 of the current year. Payments are disbursed in January of the subsequent year.***