

First Presbyterian Church
Mission Support Grant Request Form

Church Mission Statement:

To be an active, growing, inclusive and caring church family that witnesses to God's love and shares the good news of Jesus Christ. Our mission leads us to invite all people to participate fully in our community and worship life as safe, loved, and accepted children of God, including:

- Conventional Christians and questioning skeptics
- Children and adults of all ages
- People of all sexual orientations, gender identities
- People of all races, & cultures
- People of all socioeconomic situations
- People of all mental and physical abilities
- Those who bring hope to the world and those who seek hope

Church Vision Statement:

SERVICE – MISSION THAT IS A CATALYST FOR JUSTICE AND PEACE

- **Service is inspired by Christ's example.** Through loving words and action we share our faith, without concern for personal risk or reward.
- **Service is responsive and collaborative.** We answer Christ's call by responding to individual, community and world needs.
- **Service is proactive.** We identify emerging needs, influence policy, and initiate and nurture new programs.
- **Service encourages us to make a difference.** We are transformed as we give our time, talents and financial resources (including 25% of the church's budget for mission)

Date: _____ Amount _____ **Name of Proposal/Grant:** _____

Person Requesting Grant: _____ Committee: _____

Phone #: _____ Email Address: _____ Address: _____

Please provide a brief description of the proposed project and its benefits (skip to page 2 if more space needed):

Signature of Committee chair: _____ Committee: _____ Date: _____

Please submit this request to the appropriate Church committee. If approved by the committee, it will be considered by Mission Support for possible recommendation to Session.

A one-page follow-up report is required as a condition for receiving this grant. The report form is on page 3. The report will be sent either _____ six months or _____ twelve months after the grant is received. The person responsible for submitting the report will be: _____. Email report to Sarah Sanders, moderator of Mission Support Committee: sanderss1621@gmail.com

Mission Support Use Only:

Grant Request Review Date: _____ Expiration Date: _____ Amount Approved: \$ _____

Signature of Mission Support Chair or designee.: _____

Once this grant is approved by Session, the check will be written to: _____

Does a letter need to accompany this check? ___No ___ Yes

Session Use Only

Date Approved: _____ Signature of Clerk of Session or designee: _____

Other Action Taken by Session _____

Please provide a brief description of the proposed project and its benefits:

Mission Support Follow-up Report

Date Grant received: _____ Amount \$ _____ Name of Proposal/Grant: _____

Person Requesting Grant: _____ Committee: _____

Phone #: _____ Email Address: _____ Address _____

This report is for the ____ six months or ____ twelve months following the grant being awarded.

Please provide a one-page report responding to these questions:

1. How was the FPC grant money used?
2. What impact does/did the funded project have?
3. Are there other ways (beyond funding) in which FPC or its members may be a partner in this program?