



**New Hope Church Endowment Fund Board
2023 Grant Application Packet
\$5,000 Grant Opportunity**

About the Grant: The New Hope Church Endowment Fund Board is offering grants of up to \$5,000. The goal for the use of this grant money is to further the Board's mission: *to enhance discipleship and stewardship for the continual long-term growth of New Hope's Christian Ministries within the community.* Grant requests may be made by individuals with a relationship to New Hope Church or by local non-profit organizations for up to \$5,000. The types of grants awarded will be seed grants, matching grants, project funds, and program funds. As guided by our mission, the Board is looking to fund projects and programs that further the impact areas of **Legacy, Discipleship, or Stewardship** (Descriptions below).

- **Legacy** – financial assistance for projects/programs which may 1) build the legacy of the church within the community, 2) assist a project deemed by a congregation member(s) as part of an endowment, and/or 3) help the church endure into the future
- **Discipleship** – funds available for projects/programs which 1) enhance education, 2) encourage ministry, and/or 3) provide mission opportunities
- **Stewardship** – financial assistance for projects/programs which 1) encourage financial giving, 2) promote talent giving, 3) provide opportunities for time giving, and 4) educate the church body about stewardship and/or stewardship opportunities

Eligibility: Individuals should have a relationship with New Hope Church, be a member of the church's local community, or be a local 501(c)3, non-profit organization. We are looking to make a direct impact on our church and/or local community.

The Process: Those wishing to participate must submit a grant proposal (application forms) by **Sunday, April 2, 2023.** The completed application shall be returned via email only at NHEFBGrants@newhopeworship.com. Application forms may be requested electronically by emailing NHEFBGrants@newhopeworship.com. The Grant Committee will review and evaluate every application submission. The NHEFB will notify recipients of the 2021 award(s) in the late spring/early summer timeframe. The grant recipient(s) will then be announced to the congregation.

Questions?: If you have any questions or concerns about eligibility or the grant process, please contact Sara Burke via email at sjand3kids@columbus.rr.com.

“Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain.” - I Corinthians 15:58

Administration

Please answer all applicable questions:

1) Organization Name:

2) Organization Address:

3) Organization F.I.D.:

4) Title of Project/Program:

5) Brief Description of Program:

6) Grant amount requested (maximum \$5,000):

7) Applicant Contact information:

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| Contact 1: Title: email: Phone Number: |
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| Contact 2: Title: email: Phone Number: |
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8) Please check the box for **all** impact areas that apply to your project/program (descriptions for these impact areas can be found on page 1):

- Legacy
- Discipleship
- Stewardship

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9) Please identify your relationship (if any) to New Hope Church:

- Member for years
- Relative of a member (Member has belonged to NHC for years)
- Regular attender for years, but currently not member
- Program participant (preschool, sports camp, youth group, etc):

Program(s):

- Other (Specify:)

10) Applicant Signature

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Program-specific Information - *Please answer all questions on this form*

1) Program Goal (20 points)

a. *Our goal with this project/program is to:*



- b. *“This program/project will further the New Hope Endowment Fund Board's impact area of (choose Legacy, Discipleship or Stewardship) because (state how it connects to at least one of the impact areas)...and it will benefit the (church community or local community) by...”*



- c. *Does your project/program/organization maintain an outward Christian focus/message toward the target population? If so, explain in detail?*



2) What is the documented need for your project/program? (15 points)

Provide information on the issue/situation you intend to address with this project/program and why you want to address the issue. Include, in bulleted form, as much specific data & statistics as possible to support your case. Include sources. Add screenshots if necessary. If you wish to include attachments, note below and attach when you submit your Grant Application via email.



3) Target population (15 points)

Describe your target population for this project/program.

Please include details on the demographics for this program as you will measure them. (Examples: age, district, neighborhood, new participants, etc.). Add screenshots if necessary. If you wish to include attachments, note below and attach when you submit your Grant Application via email.



4) Short-Term Outcomes and Measurement (20 points)

Describe, in bulleted form, what you expect your short-term outcomes to be using a specific numeric measurement.

Describe how you expect those outcomes to affect the specific impact area and community as identified in your Program Goal (see above) and explain how you will measure it. If you have a survey or other measurement tool, please explain these details.



5) Project/program Design and Methodology (15 points)

a) Inputs – Describe the resources you will dedicate to or use for this program. Examples: staff, volunteers, equipment, facilities, money, etc.



b) Activities/Services – Describe in detail the strategies, techniques and types of treatment that comprise this program's methodology. Examples: feeding, sheltering, teaching, mentoring, etc.



c) Outputs – List the volume of work you will accomplish. Examples: specify the number of classes taught or participants served, etc.



d) Areas for New Hope Church Involvement – List ways in which you may involve New Hope or its church members. (Examples: volunteers, meeting space, communication channels, etc.)



6) Program Budget and Unit Costs (15 points):

Please provide the total budget for the program as well as detailed unit costs for specific areas. Show any calculations and/or screenshots that may help explain costs.

