

Name of Grant: Diocese of Raleigh Respect Life Grant **Funded by:**

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Decision Makers	Diocesan Human Life and Dignity (HLD) Grant Review Committee
Purpose	These Funds are intended to proclaim that human life is a precious gift from God; that each person who receives this gift has responsibilities toward God, self, and others; and that society, through its laws and social institutions, must protect and nurture human life at every stage of its existence.
Funding Source	Funds are derived from a grant provided by the Diocese of Raleigh generated by Bishop Annual Appeal funds. Amount available \$10,000.
Intended use and Restrictions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The intention of the grant is to put resources of the Church to promote respect for life in four pillars as per the USCCB’s Pastoral Plan for Pro-Life Activity. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public Information and Education to deepen understanding of the sanctity of human life and the mission of the Church to witness to and serve all human life. • Pastoral Care for women and all others who have been affected by abortion; for those who are disabled, sick, and dying, and their families and caregivers; for those who have lost loved ones to violent crime; and for ministry to those in prison, especially who are sentenced to death. • Public Policy efforts directed to restoring legal protection to the lives of unborn children and those vulnerable to pressures to end their lives by assisted suicide, and to providing morally acceptable alternatives to abortion and assisted suicide. • Prayer and Worship directed to participation in the sacramental life of the Church and in programs of communal and individual prayer, that the culture of death that surrounds us today will be replaced by a culture of life and love. • The funds are intended for projects to assist with growth and NOT for operational costs. Applications that propose to increase fundraising capability, expansion (e.g. “seed money” for new projects and incremental improvements), will be prioritized. • Organizations may receive grants for a particular project for no more than three consecutive years. If a second or third application, a grantee report must be submitted showing the use of the funds. New applications will be prioritized.
Brief History	Established in 2000 to meet the demand for Respect Life initiatives.
Grants Range	\$500 to \$2,000
Contact Person(s)	Deacon Joshua Klickman, (M) 919.632.7379, E-mail: Joshua.Klickman@raldioc.org *
Application Guidelines	Applications are available April 1. Deadline for application is June 1. Applications received after the deadline will not be considered. Grantee is responsible to obtain the endorsement of the local Pastor of the Catholic Church in their community (see page 4). Grants are awarded at an event in October. A copy of proof of tax-exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the IRS Code. No project will be funded unless it has 501(C)(3) status.
Ways to Apply	There are three ways to submit your application, paper copy (mailed to the address above), email, or by fax. Confirm receipt via email from the Contact Person.

** Direct all questions or inquiries regarding grant eligibility to the contact person.*

Project Name _____ Year _____ RL

Respect Life Grant
OFFICIAL GRANT APPLICATION FORM

(ONLY APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED ON THIS FORM WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION)

1. Deanery in which applicant resides: Indicate the Catholic Diocese of Raleigh Deanery where project is located (Check One)

- Albemarle Cape Fear Fayetteville New Bern Newton Grove
 Tar River Raleigh Piedmont

2. Name of organization requesting funds _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

3. Contact Person _____

Title _____ Phone _____

Email Address _____

4. Amount Requested: \$ _____

5. Catholic Moral and Social Teaching

- a. All grantees must agree they will not engage in activities in conflict with fundamental Catholic moral and social teaching.
- b. All grantees must agree they will not engage in prohibited political campaign intervention on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for political office within the meaning of section 501 © (3).

Name and Signature: _____

Position: _____

6. Describe the need or concern you are seeking to address in the community. Include the following:
- a. The approximate number of people served _____
 - b. The profile of the persons/community you are serving _____
 - c. The approach/strategy used to address this need. _____

7. What is the specific project of your program that you are asking the Respect Life Grant to fund?

8. How does this program promote or support the four pillars as per the USCCB’s Pastoral Plan for Pro-Life Activity? How do the beneficiaries of your program have a voice in the project?

9. Provide an itemized list of the use of Respect Life Grant funds for this project.

Item	Cost
Total Cost	

Project Name _____ Year _____ RL _____

10. Is there any Catholic parish/group participation (association) in this project? Yes _____ No _____

a. If yes, please name the parish/group and indicate how they are involved: _____

b. How has your organization (or the Catholic associate) promoted the Bishop's Annual Appeal (BAA), or what are your/their plans to promote the BAA? _____

11. Have you received funding from the Respect Life Grant or any other grant from the Catholic Church? If so, when? _____

12. Endorsements

Please name two references other than staff or Board members.

Name: _____ Name _____

Address _____ Address _____

Email _____ Email _____

Phone (W) _____ Phone (W) _____

Phone (M) _____ Phone (M) _____

13. Does your organization have an annual independent audit? _____ (Initial) _____

Attach the following:

- a. A copy of proof of tax-exempt status under Section 501(c)3 of the IRS Code. No project will be funded unless it has 501c (3) status
- b. Mission Statement of your organization

14. Notice: If funding is approved, a Grantee Report on the use of the funds is required within nine months of receipt of funds. If not received, future funding requests will be denied. Initial as read and understood: _____

15. Preparer's printed name and signature _____

Preparer's Email Address _____ Telephone _____

Date of Application _____

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Date Application Received:

Staff Comments:

Date/Amount Funds Granted:

Checklist

- _____ 1. *Is your evaluation form for last year's grant submitted? (For those who received a grant)*
- _____ 2. *Have you completed the Catholic pastor's endorsement page? (Page 5)*
- _____ 3. *Have you initialed #14 and signed block #15?*
- _____ 4. *Have you included your mission statement?*

Endorsement of Application by Local Catholic Pastor

Grant Applicant – Please contact the Catholic Church pastor nearest to your area of service. Speak to him about the project and have the form below completed. For assistance to locate a pastor, please refer to the contact person on Page 1.

Pastor/Pastoral Administrator – The Diocese is asking local pastors to come to know the projects that are funded by Respect Life Grant funded projects in your area. Respect Life Grants are intended to support projects that proclaim that human life is a precious gift from God; that each person who receives this gift has responsibilities toward God, self, and others; and that society, through its laws and social institutions, must protect and nurture human life at every stage of its existence. Thank you for your interest.

Pastor/Pastoral Administrator's Printed Name & Signature Date

Parish, City

Please select one...

I endorse this request because _____ _____

I do not endorse this request because _____ _____
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Financial Addendum Required for all Diocesan Grant Applications
(For Catholic Organizations)

Category	Parish Financial Information	School Financial Information (if applying for school)	
# of Registered Households			# of Students
Total Annual Offertory for most recently completed fiscal year.	\$	\$	Total Tuition
Total Annual Income for most recently completed fiscal year.	\$	\$	Amount Contributed by Parish
	\$	\$	Total Other Income
	\$	\$	Total All Income

List Amounts Deposited in the Following Accounts

	Checking Accounts	Checking Accounts	
General Checking Account	\$	\$	General Checking Account
Restricted Checking Account	List Purpose & Amount	List Purpose & Amount	Restricted Checking Account
Purpose	\$	\$	Purpose
Purpose	\$	\$	Purpose
Purpose	\$	\$	Purpose
Purpose	\$	\$	Purpose
	Savings Accounts	Savings Accounts	
General Savings Account	\$	\$	General Savings Account
Restricted Savings Accounts	List Purpose & Amount	List Purpose & Amount	Restricted Savings Account
Building	\$	\$	Building
GWOC	\$	\$	Purpose
Purpose	\$	\$	Purpose
Purpose	\$	\$	Purpose
Purpose	\$	\$	Purpose

**Financial Addendum Required for all Diocesan Grant Applications
(For non-Catholic Organizations)**

Budget

Expenses		
Income		
Funds Received from Grants		
Total Income		

General Checking Accounts – List Amounts on Deposit

Amount	Purpose

Restricted Checking Accounts – List Amounts on Deposit

Amount	Purpose

General Savings Accounts – List Amounts on Deposit

Amount	Purpose

Restricted Savings Accounts – List Amounts on Deposit

Amount	Purpose