



HOLY INNOVATIONS

ENDOWMENT FUND

INSPIRE GRANT

Inspire Grants are available for \$500-\$2500 and do not require matching funds. Inspire Grants are available to ministries and congregations of the Eastern North Dakota Synod to support creativity, innovation, and experimentation. Grants are intended to strengthen current mission, expand ministry possibilities, or extend community engagement. Grants will not fund capital projects or salaries.

Council meeting minutes or document showing congregational support must be submitted along with this application. Please submit online via the Eastern North Dakota Synod Endowments webpage: www.eandsynod.org/resources/endowment-funds

Congregation or ministry name and city:

Applicant name:

Applicant email:

Name of called or contracted leader:

Leader email:

Names of project team members (who will be working on the project)

Please briefly describe your idea and how that idea or need was identified:

How is this project connected to the congregation's mission and identity and/or current ministry priorities or goals?

Please outline the timeline for planning and implementing this project:

Have other congregational or community resources have been identified to support this project? (other funds, volunteer support, partner organizations, etc)

Please share the budget for this project. If ongoing funding is needed, please share your funding plan.

Please share your plan for evaluating the project (Feedback, tracking numbers, written reflection from project team, etc.)

How will you share about this project and invite support for this project with the congregation?

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