GRANT OVERVIEW
for the Presbytery of Charlotte’s
Ministry Resource Committee (MRC)
http://www.presbyofcharlotte.org/program-areas/ministry-resource-committee/grants/

**Source: MRC Budget**
$15,000 for 2020
Rolling submission

**SHARED MISSION GRANTS (up to $5,000)**
Two or more congregations come together for shared mission in the area around their churches; at least one of the participating churches must have a membership of less than 175.

**NEW INITIATIVES GRANTS (up to $2500)**
To assist a congregation or NWC taking on a completely new initiative which responds to a changing ministry context...

**COACHING ($750 - $1000)**
Provides coaching or mentoring resources to help the pastor, session, musician, or designated committee within a congregation be supported in the process of transformation with outside expertise. [**Note: may need to consolidate with transformation grants under the BHCF**]

**Source: Pharr Family Bequest**
($98,300 for 2020/$50,000 for 2021)*
Rolling submission

**MINISTRY CONTINUATION**  (up to $2,500, but may be adjusted based upon need)
To support congregations in continuing to do ministry during and post COVID pandemic.

**Source: Hamilton Fund**
(loose cap: ~$4,200/year)
Rolling submission

**HAMILTON FUND GRANT ($250-$1,000)**
Assist congregations of <200 members with new projects or programs that could not be included in the annual budget.

**Source: Building Healthy Churches Fund**
(loose cap: $50-60,000/year)
Rolling submission

**NEW WORSHPING COMMUNITY GRANT (Level I-IV)**
Assist a new worshiping community fund core mission during the first 7 years of life. Grants are scaled in successive amounts with benchmark and narrative accountability. ($7500, $25,000 matched, $25,000 matched)

**TRANSFORMATION (RE-DEVELOPMENT) GRANT  (Level I-IV)**
Modeled after the 1001 NWC grants, the MRC will work with congregations undergoing significant transformation to offer grants scaled in successive amounts with benchmark and narrative accountability.

*Unused funds will be rolled over to subsequent years*