Ministry Resource Committee Grant Process

1. For the remainder of 2020, all MRC grants may be submitted on a rolling cycle. No submission dates or deadline.

2. Churches/individuals interested in applying for a Ministry Resource Grant must submit the attached application by email to: presbyteryofcharlottemrc@gmail.com

3. Upon receipt, the application will be reviewed by the MRC Grants Sub-Committee. If the grant is incomplete, additional information may be requested from the submitting entity. Complete grants will be reviewed by the sub-committee and a recommendation made to the full committee for a vote. (Please be sure to attach an itemized list of projected costs. Failure to do this will result in a delayed response to your requests.)

4. Churches/individuals and your assigned MRC Connector will be notified by a member of the sub-committee as to the outcome of the request.

5. The assigned MRC Connector will conduct a follow-up with your church in 1 - 2 months to discuss your progress towards the goal for which grant funds were requested.

6. Depending upon the nature of the grant requests, your church and/or you may be requested by the Presbytery to share insights, assistance, etc. with other churches seeking information on the same or similar projects/programs that were supported by your grant funds.
Grant Application /Presbytery of Charlotte/ Ministry Resource Committee

To apply for a grant from the MRC, please answer the following questions and attach a current financial statement with itemized budget for the year. Please submit to: presbyteryofcharlottemrc@gmail.com

Date of application: __________________________
Name of your congregation: __________________________
Principal contact person: __________________________
   Email: __________________________  Phone: __________________________
Average worship attendance: _______/Sunday   Annual operating budget: __________________________
Annual giving to the Presbytery of Charlotte: __________________________
What grant funds from the PCUSA or the Charlotte Presbytery have you received in the past three years? __________________________

Type of Grant Requested __________________________  Amount Requested: _______

On the back please include an Itemized List of Projected Costs for the project/program.
Brief summary of what the grant is to be used for: __________________________

In addition, please answer the following questions related to the grant for which you are applying:

For Hamilton, Pharr, and Small Church Grants:
• How will this project benefit your community? __________________________

For Coaching Grants:
• What is the desired outcome or goal of having a coach? __________________________
• Do you have a coach in mind or do you need help finding a coach to fit your needs? __________________________
• What will be the indicators of a successful coaching relationship? __________________________

For New Initiatives, New Worshiping Communities, or Presbytery Transformation Grants
• Please describe the community that you are trying to reach. __________________________
• What have been some of your accomplishments so far in working with this community? __________________________
• Why is this funding important to your ministry and what plans do you have for the future? __________________________
• How will you measure success? __________________________
• How might the presbytery continue to play a supportive role for the growth of your ministry? __________________________

For Shared Mission Grants, please complete separate application form found on the Grants Page

For matching PCUSA grants, simply forward the PCUSA grant application to the MRC.
Please email your application materials to: presbyteryofcharlottemrc@gmail.com

Office Use Only: Cluster-______  Connector-_____________  Presbytery Giving: __________