

CALL FOR PROPOSALS

Peace with Justice Grant 2019-2020

Pacific Northwest Conference

The *Peace with Justice (PwJ) Grant* is funded by the generosity of churches across the Pacific Northwest each year on Peace with Justice Sunday. These gifts are shared across our connectional, global ministry as United Methodists, but a portion are reserved to support justice-related efforts across our Conference. The Conference Peace with Justice Coordinator will review all proposals and make recommendations to the Conference Board of Church and Society for several one-time awards of up to \$1,000.

Eligible applicants include, but are not limited to:

- Faith-related or faith-founded non-profit agencies
- United Methodist individuals, congregations, and communities
- Non-faith-based agencies working for social justice that have connections or partnerships with United Methodist individuals, congregations, and communities

While ministries that stress acts of mercy and compassion, or provide ongoing services to those in need, are essential in our society, the current priority for this grant is to support those opportunities that can result in significant social change through a modest, one-time grant. When funds are available, we will consider offering support to proposals that are ongoing projects or to those that focus on traditional community service/acts of mercy, but please note that the limited nature of this resource limits our ability to provide ongoing operating budget.

If your proposal is selected, we will inform you by email and invite you (or a representative) to be present at the Pacific Northwest Annual Conference (June 7-9, 2019 – exact date/time of presentation to be determined) to be recognized by the Conference. The Board will also request an end-of-year report summarizing the impact of the Grant and allowing us to share your good work with our funders across the conference.

If you have questions about the PwJ Grant, the Conference Board of Church and Society, or the United Methodist Social Principles, please contact PNW CBCS Chair Ann Mayer (arsamayer@yahoo.com) or PNW PwJ Coordinator Dave Wright (dwright@pugetsound.edu).

Please note that the same project may not receive this grant two years in a row, and when possible we attempt to fund new organizations each year.

To apply, please submit your materials by email attachment (PDF or Word document) to BOTH Ann and Dave at the above email addresses by 11:59pm on 5/1/19. Applicants will be informed of the Board's decisions by 6/1/19.

Required content for A complete application will include:

- A cover letter describing your project.
 1. A cover letter
 2. The 2019 PwJ Grant Application Form
 3. An itemized budget for your planned use of the grant
 4. (optional) Any additional supporting materials

With gratitude,

Ann & Dave