



Mountain View Lutheran Church

Mission Endowment Fund Grant

Guidelines and Application MEF Fiscal Year 2025/26

The Mountain View Lutheran Church Mission Endowment Fund was established to provide financial support for the mission and ministry of Mountain View Lutheran Church. The purpose of this permanent fund is to, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, assist the community of Christ as it seeks to live out the love of God in Jesus Christ.

Each year the MEF Committee may distribute up to 10% of the June 30th balance of this year (June 30, 2025). Our focus areas are:

1. Missions: Local, Regional, and World Projects.
2. Education: College and seminary scholarships and special programs within Mountain View Lutheran Church.
3. Youth: Support for ministry and programs for youth of all ages.
4. Worship and Music: Support for the worship and music life of the church.
5. Capital Projects: major renovations and the building of new facilities.

Fund grant applications for 2025/26 are available at the church office, which must be completed and returned to the church office by **October 31, 2025**. Applicants will be interviewed by a two-member team from the MEF Committee. Grants will be presented in January, 2026

This application is available in a word format, so it can expand to enable you to have space you need to explain your project; however *please* keep in mind the committee will review multiple projects, so please be concise. ***Hint: Have a friend not connected to the project read your application before submission and ask them to describe the project to you afterwards. If they cannot accurately describe it, then go back in and add additional information.***

Please contact MEF Committee Members if you have any questions about the application process: Beth Ann Johnson, Sonja Dahl, Todd Kelley, Tristan Cornell, Karen Quandt, Bob Yost, Tom Fairchild, Laci Thompson, Peter Briggs, Marie Phillipson, or Paul Hoseth.

Please note, due to funding constraints the MEF may not be able to fund every project/program that applies or may only partially fund your request. **All funded programs are required to submit a report by June 30, 2026 and an end of grant report.**

We appreciate the time and effort you are taking to apply for this funding and thank you for your service in our community.

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Contact Person:	
Organization/Ministry Group:	
Email:	
Address:	
Phone:	Date of Application:
Amount Requested:	
Which area of interest (see pg 1) does this project fall under?	
Have this program/project applied for funds before?	
Year funding received:	
Have you submitted a final report on how that funding was used? <i>(if not, please include a letter describing how the funding was used)</i>	
Is this request sponsored/supported by a MVLC ministry group? If yes, which group?	
Please give a brief description of your program or project:	
Please provide a brief summary of the reason for your request:	

Total Project Budget (Expenses):

Is there anything else you would like to share with the committee:

Can you provide a short example/story of how this program makes a difference in the community?

Please submit this form, completed, to the church office by the end of the day on October 31, 2025. The committee will review the form and contact you if we need additional information.

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After reading the application, do you need additional information?

Do you have an affiliation with this program?

Committee member name: