**Parish Application for 2016**

Eparchial Evangelization Fund for Programming for Youth and Young Families

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**Purpose**

This fund provides the necessary monetary resources to target children, youth, young adults and young families through innovative programming within the parish or deanery. All parishes are encouraged to apply.

**Requirements**

* The application’s action plan will reflect at least 3 of the 12 Priority Directions of Development “The Vibrant parish – A place to encounter the living Christ”.
* The application’s action plan will reflect each of the three pillars of parish renewal: Word, Eucharist, and Service.
* The application outlines new projects, activities or target group or existing activities; priority will be given to new projects
* One project per application
* The application can be filled in point form; *an example is provided*, and additional documents can be added.

**How to Apply**

Please complete the following application and submit **by January 31, 2016**. As soon as the selection process is complete, you will be notified. Monies will be transferred to the selected projects at the start of the project.

**Contact**

 If you have any questions or require more information, please contact **Millie Schietzsch**, Director of Youth Ministry, at **780 424 5496**, or email**youth@eeparchy.com**

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**Part 1: Contact Information**

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| Parish Name |  |
| Contact Name, phone number and address |  |
| Role of Contact in the Parish |  |
| Names of people who worked on this application  |  |
| Names of people who will implement the action plan (if different from above) |  |
| Which organization has been asked to support through monetary donation, offering volunteers, partnering?(For example, UCWLC, Rotary Club, Big Brothers and Sisters, Community Organizations etc.)  |  |

**Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Part 2: Current Reality within the Parish**

Please outline the current reality (existing programming, activities or involvement) for:

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| **Children**(Up to the age of 12) |  |
| **Youth** (Ages 13 – 17) |  |
| **Young Adults**(Ages 18 – 35) |  |
| **Young Families**(Families that have children up to grade 12) |  |

(If you are applying as a deanery, please complete the above table for each of the parishes.)

**Part 3: Action Plan**

Please be specific in outlining your action plan, the timeline, and resources.

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| Project Name |  |
| Targeted Group ( Children, Youth, Young Adults, or Young Families) |  |
| Intended Audience of the project ( Parish, Deanery or Eparchy) |  |
| Who will implement the project? |  |
| Outline of the project |  |
| Timeline of the project |  |
| List of resources needed to create and implement the project |  |
| Which of the Priority Directions of Development “The Vibrant parish – A place to encounter the living Christ does the project best match up with? |  |

**Part 4: Pillars of Parish Renewal**

Please indicate how the project reflects the pillars of parish renewal. Please refer to the Eparchy’s 25 year plan that is attached in the reference documents.

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| Word |  |
| Eucharist |  |
| Service |  |

**Part 5: Financial Information**

Please be specific in completing the budget. A final financial report is required at the end of the project or fiscal year whichever comes first.

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| Amount of money being applied for |  |
| Project Budget |  |

**Part 6: Indicators of Success and Potential Sustainability**

Please provide at least 2 indicators of success for each project applied for as well as a brief description of how the project could be sustained after the funded year. Please repeat the table for each project.

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| Project Name |  |
| Indicators of Success(These indicators can be qualitative and/or qualitative) |   |
| Project Sustainability (Consider if this project can be sustained over the next 10 years.) |  |

**Part 7: Disclaimer**

All selected projects agree to have their projects posted on the Eparchy website through pictures, testimonials, or anecdotes. Projects may be featured by Bishop Motiuk at the Bishop’s Gala.

**Part 8: Final Report**

After the project is complete ***or*** October 30th (whichever comes first) a final report is to be submitted to Millie Schietzsch, Eparchial Youth Director. This report will include pictures, anecdotes, testimonials and a financial statement.

Submit this completed application to: **Millie Schietzsch,** Director of Youth Ministry

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