

New Worship Service Grant

<h2>Description</h2>

The New Worship Service Grant is to provide up to \$1,000 to help church's launch new worship services in order to reach unreached persons outside the congregation. This includes establishing both in-person and online congregations.

Eligible Churches: Any United Methodist Church located in Indiana. Before submitting an application, churches must complete three coaching sessions with a consultant provided by Church Development.

Grant Approval: Grants are approved as they are submitted. Contact CD@inumc.org for more information. Send completed (scanned) applications as a PDF to CD@inumc.org, Or, mail to:

Indiana Conference UMC

Attention: Church Development

301 Pennsylvania Parkway, Suite 300

Carmel, IN 46280

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Application

Church's Name: _____ District: _____

Address: _____ Zip Code: _____

Person Submitting Application: _____ Date: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Check all that apply:

- The church is a United Methodist Church in Indiana
- The church is launching a new worship service to reach a new population group
- The church is covering at least 50% of the project's cost
- The church's Council approved this request. Date: _____
- The church has notified its Superintendent that it is applying for this grant
- The church intends to remain in the Indiana Conference of the UMC
- The church plans to pay its Conference and District tithe this year
- At least three coaching sessions have been completed. Dates: _____

Note: If all of these are checked, the church is eligible to submit the application.

1. Describe the new worship service: _____

2. When is the planned launch date: _____

3. Describe its target group: _____

4. What is the hoped for outcome (vision)? _____

5. How much money is needed to do the project? \$ _____

6. Attach the project's budget showing both anticipated expenses and income.

7. How much grant money is requested? (Up to \$1,000) \$ _____

Note: If approved, a check will be made payable to the church and mailed to the above address to the attention of the person submitting the grant. Please indicate below if any changes should be made to this arrangement.

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