

“Human life is sacred and inviolable at every stage and in every situation” -The Gospel of Life, no.87

Respect Life Grant Application

APPLICATION PERIOD: June 1 – August 31

The Respect Life Office of the Diocese of Little Rock provides a limited number of grants specifically to fund pro-life ministry, outreach, direct services or advocacy in Arkansas. Grants between \$100 and \$1,000 are awarded at the discretion of the bishop and are dependent on the availability of funds. Applications must be received electronically (preferred) or postmarked by Aug. 31. Grants are awarded during Respect Life Month (October). All grant recipients must provide a follow-up report before May 31 of the following year to show progress and provide documentation regarding the expenditure of funds.

Grants are awarded to groups and organizations that promote a consistent ethic of life. The Pastoral Plan for Pro-Life Activities from the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops divides prolife ministry into four categories: education and public information; pastoral care; public policy; and prayer and worship. Applicants are asked to identify the type of pro-life ministry for which grant funds will be used based on these categories. BEFORE applying, please read the Grant Application Guidelines which defines "consistent life ethic" as well as the four types of pro-life work listed above. If you have questions or need more information, please call the Respect Life Office at (501) 664-0340, ext. 326. *To apply, please complete and mail the form below to: Respect Life Office, Diocese of Little, 2500 N. Tyler St., Little Rock, AR 72207.*

Date of Application _____

Name of Organization _____

Contact Person _____

Phone Number _____

Address _____

E-mail Address _____

Amount of Grant Requested _____

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Describe your organization and its mission.

Date Organization Established _____

Current Organizational Budget _____

List Current Board Members (Name, Address, Phone Number)

Is your nonprofit organization incorporated under Arkansas law? ____yes ____no

What is your organization's tax status? _____

Which area of pro-life work does your project address?

____ **Education and Public Information**

____ **Pastoral Care**

____ **Public Policy**

____ **Prayer and Worship**

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How do you plan to use this grant?

How does your organization support a consistent ethic of life?

Do you have any additional information to support your request?

Thank you.