

**ST. JOSEPH PARISH GRANT PROGRAM**  
**Grant Guidelines**  
**2021**

The purpose of the St. Joseph Parish Grant Program is to provide grants which further the mission of the Parish. These grants may be directed to projects within or outside of the Parish. Accordingly, applications will be accepted from parish organizations or outside organizations. Applicants may request funds up to \$5000.

Characteristics upon which grant applications may be judged include, but are not limited to the following criteria:

1. Advances the mission of St. Joseph Parish
2. Meets a priority need in the community
3. Encourages collaboration
4. Is able to continue after the duration of the grant
5. Judiciously uses the dollars available

Procedure to be used for those requesting a grant:

1. Complete application
2. All grant requests from other parishes must be brought forward by the pastor.
3. All other requests must be brought forward by the appropriate organization's executive or chairperson.
4. Applications may be submitted between February 1 and March 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021.
5. The Grant Committee will meet to make recommendations after March 30<sup>th</sup>.
6. The Pastoral Council will approve grants prior to May 15<sup>th</sup>.
7. Notification of acceptance or denial will be sent to applicants by May 15<sup>th</sup>.
8. Grants will be dispersed on May 30<sup>th</sup>.
9. A report of progress toward the goal of the grant will be required within 3 months after the grant has been received. The report should outline how the grant has been or is being distributed.

For a grant application, please click here: