



## Wayne C. Barrett Steward Leader Award Grant Application

Up to a total of four (4) grants in the amount of \$2,500 each shall be awarded annually to congregations within the Michigan Area of The United Methodist Church. The award recipients shall demonstrate exceptional financial stewardship, embody of culture of generosity, and adhere to the financial procedures and protocol as defined in the *Book of Discipline of The United Methodist Church*. Please complete the following information and return by **MARCH 15, 2022** to:

Marian@UMFMichigan.org or mail to  
 United Methodist Foundation of Michigan  
 3347 Eagle Run Dr NE • Suite B • Grand Rapids, MI 49525

Church Name	
Address	
City/State/Zip	
Contact Person	Title
Phone	Email
District	Annual Conference
Average Worship Attendance <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 10px;"> <span>_____ Less than 100</span> <span>_____ Between 100 and 200</span> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 10px;"> <span>_____ Between 200 and 300</span> <span>_____ More than 300</span> </div>	

We acknowledge that the church:

- Invests funds with the United Methodist Foundation of Michigan
- Contributed 100% of its conference ministry shares for the previous year and is current in contributions for the present fiscal year
- Adheres to the financial procedures and protocol as defined in the *Book of Discipline of The United Methodist Church*

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes

\_\_\_\_\_ No

Share ways in which the church demonstrates a collaborative relationship between the pastor and laity in providing leadership in the area of financial stewardship.

How has the church demonstrated exceptional financial stewardship over the past year?

How is the church striving to embody a culture of extravagant generosity?

State the church's mission and/or vision statements:

If selected, we will likely use the grant funds to:

How will this use of grant funds further the church's mission and vision?

Attach any additional information that might be helpful to the Awards Committee.

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Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Church Office/Position

\_\_\_\_\_  
Pastor's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

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Pastor's Email Address

**Application Deadline: March 15, 2022.** You will receive an acknowledgement of submission. You should contact our office if you do not receive such verification. Grant recipients shall be notified in May, 2022.