



Northwestern Ohio Synod ELCA Mission Endowment Fund Grant/Distribution Application 2002

**All requests must be submitted on this form and received by
April 22, 2002.**

Complete the information requested and submit this application to the Northwestern Ohio Mission Endowment Fund Committee. The Endowment Committee will make funding decisions in March with announcement and disbursements At the Synod Assembly May 31 and June 1, 2002.

\$5,000 will be available for 2002 distribution to congregations. Grants will be considered for ministry to benefit the following areas of ministry:

- Congregational outreach and evangelism;
- Congregational leadership development;
- Congregational communication strategies;
- Congregational global mission and ministry strategies.

Criteria include congregational-based ministries and funding not for capital expenditures. Please include a specific strategy explaining how the dollars will be used; how these funds will promote the mission and ministry of the ELCA, the synod and the congregation; as well as how this program will be evaluated. Funds will be distributed as evenly across the synod as possible.

1. Summarize the request, including the specific amount requested:

2. What need will be met through this program or initiative?

3. How will this promote the mission and ministry of the ELCA, the synod and the congregation?



4. How will you know if this initiative or program is effective? How will it be evaluated?

Name of Submitter / Contact Person

Date

Address

Phone

Congregation

Location

The proposal has been reviewed with the congregational president and the pastor of the congregation:

Pastor

Date

Congregational President

Date

Date received by Synod Office: _____

**SEND TO: Endowment Fund Committee
 Northwestern Ohio Synod ELCA
 621 Bright Rd.
 Findlay, OH 45840**

No email requests – all requests must be submitted on this form and received by April 22, 2002.

NOTE: This grant is a one-time distribution. The money is to be used for new programs that meet the criteria in the NWOS Mission Endowment Fund summarized in the attached letter. No operating expenses will be covered.