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Wisconsin United Methodist Foundation **Clergy Study/Renewal Leave Grant Application**

The Clergy Leave Grant is intended to financially assist congregations with the added expenses involved with providing pastoral care and worship leadership while the pastor is participating in a study/renewal leave. Once a study/renewal leave has been approved by the church Staff/Parish Relations Committee, the District Superintendent and Cabinet, please complete and submit this application to the Wisconsin United Methodist Foundation for grant consideration.

The Wisconsin United Methodist Foundation will review all Clergy Study/Renewal Leave Grant Grants will be awarded to those congregations determined to be most deserving based upon financial status of the church and other factors which demonstrate the grant is critical to the successful completion of the pastor's study/renewal experience.

Churches applying for a Clergy Study/Renewal Leave Grant will be notified within 30 days of application whether or not the church has been selected for the grant award. Awards may be up to \$900/ month for up to three months.

Name of Church applying for grant

Address	_City, State, Zip
Email	Phone
Name of Pastor approved by cabinet for study/renewal leave	
Planned dates of Pastor's Study/Renewal Leave	
Dates of Pastor's previous leaves if any	

Please attach:

- 1. Describe the major reasons why the church is applying for a grant.
- 2. A copy of current church budget and most recent full year income and expense report for the church.
- 3. A copy of the application submitted to the cabinet for Study/Renewal Leave completed by the Pastor which includes a brief description of what the pastor hopes to accomplish during this leave, including how the experience will be implemented in the context of the needs and goals of the local congregation.

Church Leader (SPRC chairperson or Church Council Chairperson if SPRC not available) completing this application (please print name)

Title of Position in Church

Signature

Print Name