

“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 expenditure of funds.

Grants are awarded to parish groups and community organizations in the Diocese of Little Rock 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. Parish applications must have pastoral approval. If you have questions or need additional information, please call the Respect Life Office at (501) 664-0340 ext. 393. *To apply, please complete the online form at <https://www.dolr.org/respect-life-grant-application> or complete and mail the form below to: Respect Life Office, Diocese of Little Rock, 2500 N. Tyler St., Little Rock, AR 72207.*

Date of Application: _____

Name of Organization: _____

Contact Person: _____

Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Amount of Grant Requested: _____

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Describe your organization and its mission:

Which area of prolife work does your project address?

☐ Education and Public Information

☐ Pastoral Care

☐ Public Policy

☐ Prayer and Worship

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?

If this is a parish application, did your pastor approve it?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Thank you for your application.

