

APPLICATION
Theologian Education for Clergy & Laity Grant

Commission on Ministry
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Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

Parish _____

Please describe below the details of the activity for which the grant funds are requested and how this program will enhance your ministry. (Attach any relevant information.)

Amount Requested \$ _____

- 1. The purpose of grants for Theological Education for Clergy & Laity is to provide financial assistance to clergy and lay persons who wish to continue their theological education in order to benefit the parish they serve or the Diocese of Easton.**
- 2. Grants will not be given for sabbatical, graduate level courses or training required for ordination.**
- 3. Grants will fund one third (1/3) of total cost of continuing education not to exceed \$500. Grants may exceed \$500 if multiple persons are involved or if the result of the continuing education has a multiplier effect on the Diocese of Easton.**
- 4. No cleric or layperson shall receive more than one (1) grant in any calendar year.**
- 5. Applications for funding must be on an official form and approved by the COM at its monthly meeting.**
- 6. COM will notify applicants of approval and certify payment via the diocesan Administrator of Finances. (410) 822-1919 x104**

Upon approval this application will be filed in the office of the Bishop of Easton.