

**Grant Application  
Confidential**



Those eligible for grants are described in Rules Two and Three of the Constitution.

**Rule 2:** The object of the Fund is to relieve ministers of the gospel (irrespective of denomination) who, through God’s providence, are in necessitous circumstances, and who hold and proclaim the historic Christian faith of sovereign and electing grace, especially the following: The verbal inspiration and inerrancy of the Holy Scriptures. There are three persons in one indivisible Godhead: the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, who are co-equal, co-essential and co-eternal. The fall of man by original transgression is total and complete. God the Father made absolute and particular choice of all His people in Christ before the foundation of the world, without respect to any good works foreseen in them. The eternal salvation of the elect is secured in Christ by their complete redemption and justification by His blood and imputed righteousness. All the elect by nature need, and duly receive regeneration by the Holy Spirit to bring about their repentance and faith. The faith of God’s elect is the free gift of God’s grace to every one of His people by which they believe in Christ, and receive the knowledge of salvation by the forgiveness of sins, which has been secured by Jesus Christ.

**Rule 3:** The needy widows and dependants of ministers as described in Rule 2 shall, if of good moral character, also be eligible for relief.

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Please complete this form as **comprehensively** as you are able. The information will be used only by the committee of GARF to ensure that as far as possible limited funds are distributed fairly. Please return to the GARF secretary with **as much supporting evidence as possible**. In the case of **Pastors, please provide the last 2 years of audited church accounts**.

**Personal Details**

Full Name: .....

Date of Birth: .....

Address: .....

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Postcode: .....

Marital Status: .....

**Dependants Names:**

Spouse: .....

Other: .....

Child: ..... Age: .....

Child: ..... Age: .....

Child: ..... Age: .....

Place of Worship: .....

Are you a member: .....

**Total Income over the previous 12 months**

		£
Pastors (where applicable)	Gross Stipend:	
	Net Stipend:	
Income from Itinerant Ministry	Gross:	
	Net:	
Income from Other Ministry	Gross:	
	Net:	
Income from Secular Employment	Gross:	
	Net:	
Spouse's income (if appropriate)	Gross:	
	Net:	
Gifts from Churches		
Gifts from Charities		
Gifts from Individuals in excess of £100		

Are you in receipt of a pension?	* Circle Your Answer	Yes	No
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If yes, please provide details: .....

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Have you applied for support from other societies or charities? * Circle Your Answer	Yes	No
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If yes, please provide details:

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Do your savings exceed £20,000? * Circle Your Answer	Yes	No

Are you in receipt of benefits/Universal Credit, child benefit, housing benefit, pension or other? * Circle Your Answer	Yes	No
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If yes, please provide details: .....

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<b>OUTGOINGS</b>	<b>Previous 12 Months - £</b>	<b>Anticipated next 12 Months - £</b>
Mortgage		
Rent		
Council tax		
<b><u>UTILITIES</u></b>		
Electricity		
Gas/Oil		
Water		
Telephone		
<b><u>CAR EXPENSES</u></b>		
Tax		
Insurance		
Fuel		
Maintenance		
<b>Pension contributions</b>		

<b><u>Other regular expenditure</u></b>		
Food		
Clothing		
Household		

Please add any other information you feel is relevant.

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***The following is for GARF Trustees to complete***

We certify that we believe the individual nominated comes within the scope of Rule Two or Rule Three of the Gospel Advocate Relief Fund Constitution:

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***(on behalf of the GARF Trustees)***

Date: .....