

## **Grants from the Available Program Fund**

### **First United Methodist Church, Hanford**

Special funds have been made available through an undesignated gift to the church. A portion of these funds have been set aside for use by recognized groups and committees of the church for specific one-time purposes. Groups and committees may submit proposals for the use of these funds using the application below:

The vision for our church as embodied in the vision statements adopted November 1, 2001 set forth these goals for the First United Methodist Church of Hanford:

#### **VISIONS FOR OUR CHURCH**

1. Increased participation in worship experiences that are meaningful to a variety of ages and levels of faith;
2. Touching other lives in times of struggle following Christ's example;
3. Building bridges of trust through service to the community;
4. Inspiring and encouraging believers to life-long growth in Godly wisdom and faith;
5. To seek and embrace those who are searching by our words and actions.

"Because of her quiet manner, Millie Kraft may not have been known to everyone in our church. She often accepted rides from her good neighbor, Abbie Thyarks, and attended church and UMW meetings. At that time they both lived on 14th Ave. where Millie's late husband, Alex, had farmed walnuts. About 3-4 years ago Millie moved to town to be nearer family where she lived until her passing on Feb. 4, 2000. Always friendly, she was a very humble person that appreciated the small favors offered by Abbie and others".

## Grant Proposal for the Available Program Fund

**DATE SUBMITTED** \_\_\_\_\_

1. Name of Committee/Group: Amount requested:
2. Contact Person:
3. Proposed Use of Funds:
4. Which vision statement(s) listed above will this program address?
5. Why is this program needed?
  
6. Goal of Proposed Program:
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
7. Method (How will the program be implemented?):
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
8. What is your group or committee's annual budget?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
9. How much does your group or committee have in an existing holding account?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
10. Why can the proposed program not be accomplish with the existing budget or holding account funds?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
11. Do you anticipate this program needing additional funds in the future?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
12. If yes, what funds do you anticipate using or requesting?