Alpine Presbytery - Funds available for grant applications

Due dates for applications for all funds are: 28th February and 31st August in each year

Application forms are available from:

The Executive Officer: executiveofficer@alpinepresbytery.org

Grant Funds available:			31/12/2022 amount
Name	Purpose	Region	available
Gardner Bequest - Christchurch	Advancement of God's work within the Presbytery or enabling a parish or group to continue God's work. Not for ordinary parish work	Presbytery of Christchurch	\$6,215
Lay Ministry - Mid Canterbury	Lay Ministry	Mid Canterbury	\$317
Mission and Youth Work- Sth Canterbury	Mission & Youth Work	South Canterbury	\$7,968
St Davids Trust Income - Christchurch	Mission and / or ministry – training, accommodation, projects, equipment as per criteria rating. For ex members, individuals, parishes (see criteria overleaf)	Specific parishes in first instance; Christchurch	\$9,284
VC Reid Bequest Income - Sth Canterbury	Giving assistance to aged Presbyterians in the Timaru and Geraldine parishes of the Presbyterian Church.	Timaru and Geraldine	\$20,896
Youth Work Fund: - Mid Canterbury	Youth Work	Mid Canterbury	\$533

St David's Trust: Application Criteria

- **A:** To meet or to help in meeting the reasonable costs, charges and expenses of the Presbytery in administering the trusts of the Real Property Fund and the General Fund.
- **B:** To meet or help in meeting the costs of training or retraining any of the former members of the congregation of St. David's Sydenham, or those who, or whose parents were baptised in St. David's Church, for the ministry of the Presbyterian Church of New Zealand or for other social work (being such as is legally recognised as charitable or for mission work in any denomination of the Christian church.
- **C:** To facilitate or further community service or Christian projects (the service and projects being such as are legally recognised as charitable) within the Cracroft Sector (being for the congregations within the Cashmere, Hoon Hay and St. Martins parishes).
- **D:** To meet or help in meeting the cost of course fees, accommodation and travel expenses of any incumbent minister or lay member of the Congregation of the Cracroft Sector (as aforesaid) engaged in approved study leave or special training courses for the purpose of developing capacity for Christian service (being such service as is legally recognised as charitable).
- E: If in the opinion of the Presbytery the purposes defined in paragraphs B:, C: and D: are adequately achieved, or further provision is impracticable (by reason of lack of candidates for training or for any other reason), to meet or help in meeting the costs of training or retraining members of the Church of the Presbytery of Christchurch, other than those referred to in paragraph B: above, for the Ministry, social work or mission work, referred to in paragraph B:, or to facilitate or further the service or projects referred to in paragraph C: in Sectors of the Presbytery of Christchurch other than the Cracroft Sector (as aforesaid).