DAF Shorter Application Form

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The use of the District Advance Fund (DAF) is overseen by the Managing Trustees of the Birmingham Methodist District who delegate responsibility for making grants to the District Resourcing Mission Committee.

For full information relating to the DAF see the **Policy for use of the Distrct Advance Fund** which will be an invaluable reference when seeking funding from the DAF.

This is the shorter form for grants up to £1,000.

This form is not designed to be a hurdle to trip you up, rather it is a mechanism to ensure that you have considered key questions when designing a project, and that the DRMC has all the information that it needs in order to make a decision. The word counts are only guides, and if you are having any problems filling in the form get in touch with one of the named individuals at the end of this document.

We are so pleased that you are considering a project to forward the Kingdom of God in your context and we are here to help!

# Project Details

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| **Project Title:** |       |
| **Circuit / Church:** |       |
| **Lead Person / Team Members:** |       |
| **Stream:** | [ ]  New Places for New People including Church at the Margins and Mission for a Digital Age[ ]  MAPJ (Methodist Action on Poverty and Justice) Projects[ ]  Church Growth Support inc Missional & Evangelism Posts[ ]  Youth Engagement inc Empowering young people into Pioneering, Evangelism and Leadership[ ]  Justice, Dignity and Solidarity[ ]  Chaplaincy[ ]  Eco Church |
| **Vision:** | *What do you hope the project will look like? (100 words)*     *What outcomes are you hoping to achieve? (50 words)*     *What will you be spending the money on? (a simple budget)*      |
| **Discernment:** | *How have you discerned God’s leading to this particular piece of work? (100 words)*     *Which group will hold the Oversight and Governance for this project? (eg. Church Council, Circuit Meeting)*      |
| **Mission:** | *How does this project help support the Circuit / Church mission priorities?*      |

# Financial

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| **Amount applied for:** | £       |
| **Bank Account Details:** | Account Name:      Account Number:      Sort Code:      Bank Name:       |

I declare that the information I have supplied here is, to the best of my knowledge, complete and accurate at the time of writing. I understand that if any of the information is found to be false, untrue, misleading, or misrepresenting then the funding may be forfeit. I understand that I may be contacted to provide more information to support this funding request. I consent to this form being kept securely by the Birmingham District.

Signed:       Date:

Print Name:       (Circuit Superintendent or someone on their behalf)

Please send completed forms with attachments to the District Office: office@birminghammethodist.org.uk

For further information and guidance please contact:

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