

APPLICATION

LUTHERAN SOCIAL SERVICES OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

LUTHERAN PASTORS ASSISTANCE FUND

Name of applicant: _____

Social Security #: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____

Name of Spouse: _____

Social Security #: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____

Affiliation with the Lutheran Faith _____

Your Address: _____

Phone # (with area code): _____

Fax #, if any: _____

Email address: _____

The amount of funding that you have need of: _____

The reason for your request: _____

The date by which the money is needed: _____

The best time of day to contact you: _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

**Mail completed application to:
Lutheran Pastors Assistance Fund
2560 N. Santiago Blvd.
Orange, CA 92867-1862**

ATTACHMENT A

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

An individual may be eligible to receive assistance from the Lutheran Pastors Assistance Fund if she or he is a working or retired pastor and meets all of the following criteria:

- **A Lutheran Pastor of LCMS and/or ELCA or predecessor church.**
- **Was called as a Pastor in Southern California at any point prior to retirement.**
- **A surviving spouse of a retired Pastor may also be eligible to receive assistance from this Fund, if the spouse met the criteria described above.**

INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE NOT ELIGIBLE

Individuals who are receiving government housing assistance and/or Medicaid/Medi-Cal that could be affected by receiving assistance should not apply for help from the Lutheran Pastors Assistance Fund, as it might reduce or eliminate government assistance benefits.

APPLICATION PROCESS

If you or someone you know meets the eligibility requirements described above, and decides to apply for help from Lutheran Pastors Assistance Fund, the individual should complete an application (available on line at www.lssc.org) or contact Lutheran Social Services of Southern California to request an application form.

If the applicant is eligible for aid from this Fund, she they will receive a letter from LSS/SC confirming eligibility, the amount approved and effective date, as soon as possible.