

# FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Financial assistance may be requested through the Outdoor Ministries Office. Please complete and sign the financial assistance form on the reverse side and return to:

**Outdoor Ministries  
Illinois Conference of the United Church of Christ  
26449 1340 N Ave  
Princeton IL 61356-8790**

Or

**e-mail to: [OutdoorMinistries@ilucc.org](mailto:OutdoorMinistries@ilucc.org)**

We believe that no participant should be excluded from attending a camp or retreat offered through Outdoor Ministries or a UCC church retreat due to the lack of financial ability. In keeping with that belief, Outdoor Ministries offers financial assistance through the Outdoor Ministries Scholarship Fund for the following:

- **Camps and Retreats:** (Those that are offered through Outdoor Ministries at Pilgrim Park or Tower Hill)
- **UCC Church Retreats:** (Any retreats that have been reserved at Pilgrim Park or Tower Hill that are being offered by individual UCC churches)

For any of the above, Outdoor Ministries offers scholarships for 1/3 of the cost. We recommend that the attendee pay 1/3 and the attendee's church pay 1/3.

If an attendee is unable to pay 1/3 of the cost, an exception may be requested. Please include a statement indicating the need and how much the attendee will be contributing toward the cost of the event.

If an attendee's church is unable to pay 1/3 of the cost, an exception may be requested. Please include a statement on church letterhead and signed by the pastor indicating the need and how much the attendee's church will be contributing toward the cost of the event.

Scholarships are available on a first-come, first-served basis, as funds are available.

***All requests for financial assistance are confidential.***

An Outdoor Ministries staff person will contact the attendee's parent or guardian and/or the attendee's pastor in a timely manner to confirm or decline the request.

## **Outdoor Ministries**

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# OUTDOOR MINISTRIES

## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE REQUEST FORM

*Please complete the following form for **each participant** requesting financial assistance.*

**Please print**

Event Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Event: \_\_\_\_\_ Camp \_\_\_\_\_ Retreat \_\_\_\_\_ UCC Church

Participant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Church Presently Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: State: Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Church Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

As funds are available up to 1/3 of the cost of the event may be covered for qualifying attendees by the Outdoor Ministries Scholarship Fund. The remaining 2/3 balance is the responsibility of the person attending the event and this person's church. Outdoor Ministry encourages the attendee to pay 1/3 and the church to pay 1/3.

Cost of the Event:	\$	
Church portion:	\$	Check #
Family portion:	\$	Check #
Amount requested:	\$	(1/3 of cost = Financial Assistance)

Signature of Applicant/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Pastor: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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(Office Use Only)

Date Received at Outdoor Ministries Office: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Outdoor Ministries Representative: \_\_\_\_\_

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