

2018 CRS RICE BOWL SMALL GRANT CRITERIA & GUIDELINES

CRS Rice Bowl is sponsored by Catholic Relief Services (CRS) and the Archdiocese of Portland. This Lenten solidarity and faith-formation program is conducted in Catholic parishes within the archdiocese. 75% of funds are used for international relief and development projects. 25% of all money given is made available for projects within the Archdiocese of Portland that address hunger and poverty.

To learn more about CRS Rice Bowl please visit the [Archdiocesan RB page](#).

1. The requesting organization must be located in the Archdiocese of Portland.
2. The request must benefit those who suffer from hunger or poverty. Beneficiaries must currently reside in the Archdiocese of Portland. Grant money may not be used for salaries or wages.
3. The project and its leaders must not be in conflict with Catholic moral and social teaching.
4. Organizations' activities must not engage in partisan political activity.
5. What Catholic affiliation or relationship with the Church does your project have?
6. Applicants must demonstrate a willingness to collaborate with the Office. Please state how your organization is or will be in relationship with the Office of Life, Justice & Peace.

If you have questions regarding the grant process, please contact justiceandpeace@archdpdx.org

