



**Allegany
Franciscan
Ministries**

A Member of Trinity Health

**All Region Fund Grants – FY20
Total \$312,850**

Council on American-Islamic Relations (CAIR) Florida, Tampa, FL

General Operating Support \$40,000

The mission of the Council on American-Islamic Relations (CAIR) is to enhance understanding of Islam, encourage dialogue, protect civil liberties, empower Muslims and build coalitions that promote justice and mutual understanding. Services offered by CAIR include pro bono legal representation for civil rights and immigration services, educational workshops for clients to learn their legal rights, promotion of civic duties like voting and participation in the census and Islam 101 education. Grant funds will be used to support four staff salaries, digital media design, publications, staff professional development and to maintain a legal database.

Catholic Charities Diocese of Palm Beach, Palm Beach Gardens, FL

Hurricane Dorian Relief and Assistance \$10,000

Funding will support Bahamians affected by Hurricane Dorian who are staying in the Palm Beach area with housing, transportation and direct assistance such as food, medical, or personal needs.

Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Miami, Wilton Manors, FL

Disaster Relief Services-Hurricane Dorian Bahamian Relief \$10,000

Funding supports efforts in the Bahamas post Hurricane Dorian by providing emergency goods and humanitarian relief through available resources in South Florida. Grant funding will be used to purchase supplies for hurricane survivors including air mattresses, generators, nonperishable food items and hygiene products.

Direct Action and Research Training (DART Center), Miami, FL

Reducing Excessive Arrests in Florida \$40,000

DART is a network of 23 affiliated grassroots, nonprofit, congregation-based Justice Ministry organizations that brings together people across racial, religious, and socioeconomic lines to pursue justice in their communities. There are 10 affiliates located in Florida. In 2014, these affiliates came to together to form a collaborative addressing statewide criminal justice reform. Work initially focused on children with advocating for ensuring use of a juvenile civil citations for first time offenders. Grant funding will be used to continue to monitor and promote the use of juvenile civil citations but also to launch a campaign to encourage use of adult civil citations.

Equality Florida Institute (EQFLI), St. Petersburg, FL

General Operating Support \$40,000

Equality Florida Institute (EQFLI) is the largest civil rights organization dedicated to securing full equality for Florida's lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer (LGBTQ) community. Their focus for the next year will include boosting mobilization and education efforts aimed at increasing support for LGBTQ nondiscrimination protections, adding thousands of supporters, and building a core team of hundreds of deeply engaged volunteers. EQFLI will also focus on protecting LGBTQ people during the COVID-19 crisis. Grant funding will primarily support current staff salaries and benefits.

Florida Nonprofit Alliance (FNA), Jacksonville, FL

General Operating Support \$30,000

The Florida Nonprofit Alliance (FNA) represents the concerns, values, and interests of nonprofits and their constituencies in Tallahassee and DC with legislators and state agencies. In addition to advocacy, FNA's work includes research, information sharing on issues affecting the sector, and professional development and organizational resources. There are currently 200 members. Grant funds will be used for staffing expenses including the executive director's salary as well as for lobbyist and communications consultant fees.

Florida Philanthropic Network (FPN), Tampa, FL

Project Florida Counts! \$50,000

This project is a partnership between Florida Philanthropic Network and Florida Nonprofit Alliance to implement a statewide campaign for census outreach specifically for hard-to-count communities. Half of the grant will be used to support the leadership and programmatic activities of FPN and FNA. This will include information sessions with nonprofits, creation of a communications toolkit, and establishing and administering a pooled fund with a goal of raising \$2 million. The remaining half of grant funds will be used as pooled funds to be re-granted within in hard-to-count communities.

Florida Philanthropic Network (FPN), Tampa, FL

Membership Dues and General Operating Support \$10,000

Florida Philanthropic Network (FPN) is a statewide membership network of philanthropic organizations committed to promoting philanthropy, fostering collaboration and advancing public policy by Florida, in Florida. Grant funds will assist the organization in providing news, information and resources to members, advocating on behalf of philanthropy locally and nationally, and commissioning objective research on the nonprofit and philanthropy sector to disseminate to public, private and nonprofit sectors.

Florida Policy Institute (FPI), Orlando, FL

Safety Net Advocacy Coalition \$34,000

Florida Policy Institute (FPI) is an independent public policy research nonprofit dedicated to advancing policies and budgets that improve the economic mobility and quality of life for all Floridians. This statewide coalition of 119 members serves applicants and recipients of safety net programs (Medicaid, SNAP, WIC, and TANF) and works to preserve or expand these programs.

Coalition activities include a monthly newsletter, webinars, in-person trainings and calls to action. Grant funds will support the staffing (senior policy analyst) and program costs of the Safety Net Advocacy Coalition.

Franciscan Sisters of Allegany – Jamaica, Kingston, Jamaica, West Indies

Water Harvesting and Sewer Management Project \$25,000

This grant will support ministries in Jamaica. Funding will be used to purchase and install water collection and filtration tanks as well as gutters to ensure a safe, adequate and reliable water supply to serve the needs of convent residents, students, employees and visitors. Additionally, funding will help pay for professional services required to design, develop and implement a water harvesting and sewer management system to replace the existing network that is antiquated and inadequate.

National Committee for Responsive Philanthropy (NCRP), Washington, DC

General Operating Support \$5,000

The National Committee for Responsive Philanthropy (NCRP) engages with the philanthropic sector to help U.S. grantmaking foundations and high net worth donors recognize the importance of funding marginalized populations to create long-term change. Funding will provide general operating support to fund communications, Power Moves Project, Movement Investment Project, and Impact Awards.

Sol Relief, St. Petersburg, FL

Hurricane Dorian Relief \$5,000

The grant will be used for a long-term recovery project to rebuild local homes with a focus on elderly and families with children. Funds will specifically be used for the cost and transportation of building materials, transportation for volunteer laborers and a Bahamian contractor to work alongside Sol Relief's volunteers.

Southeastern Council of Foundations (SECF), Atlanta, GA

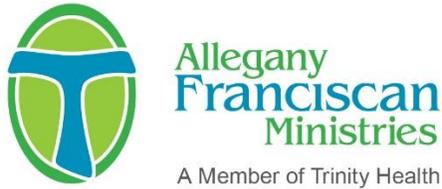
2020 Membership \$3,850

Southeastern Council of Foundations (SECF) is an association of grantmakers serving more than 340 grantmakers across the southeast which represent more than \$50 billion in assets. SECF works in partnership with members to serve, strengthen, promote, and champion the South's philanthropic voice and infrastructure through engaging programming, leadership development, public policy engagement, access to unique resources and invaluable connections. Grant funding will be used as membership fees for Allegany Franciscan Ministries from May 2020 – May 2021.

Student Public Interest Research Groups (Student PIRGs), Boston, MA

Expanding Student Engagement in Florida, \$10,000

Grant funding will be used to support the existing organizer based in Florida and additional field staff starting in spring. New staff will focus on a Get out the Vote Campaign. Student PIRGs has chapters at the following Florida colleges: FAMU, FSU, UF, USF and Tallahassee Community College.



St. Clare Fund Grants – FY20
Total \$350,000

BayCare Health System Clearwater, FL

Faith Community Nursing (FCN), \$110,000

BayCare Health System's FCN Program has defined goals based on the needs of the communities served as identified by their hospitals Community Health Needs Assessments. The overarching goal of the BayCare FCN program is to provide health education that will empower community members to take personal responsibility for their health, and provide information that will enable them to make informed healthcare decisions. Phone calls, cards, e-mails, and visits to clients in homes, hospitals, and other facilities provide intentional care of the spirit that sets Faith Community Nursing apart from other nursing specialties. A relationship is built that allows the FCN to become a trusted partner in the client's healthcare and allows the FCN to be an advocate for the client and guide them through the healthcare system. Each FCN program is headed by a hospital-based lead who is tasked with expanding Faith Community Nursing in their service area.

BayCare Health System Clearwater, FL

Hope Health, \$75,000

The Pinellas Hope homeless shelter is operated under St. Anthony's Hospital and in partnership with the Morton Plant Hospitals and Catholic Charities of the Diocese of St. Petersburg. Hope Health refers to the healthcare services provided by a registered nurse to residents of this homeless community. The services originally focused only on medical respite care for homeless residents recently discharged from the hospital. The program allows these residents to heal and recover with wound care, medication management, scheduling and attending medical follow-up appointments. Hope Health now includes on-site office hours for the general shelter population who self-identify the need for services and chronic disease management programming. The program seeks to reduce emergency room utilization, find medical homes for residents and increase knowledge and self-care for chronic diseases.

BayCare Health System Clearwater, FL

Medication Assistance Program (MAP) - \$65,000

MAP was initiated in 2017 as a free, community-wide service to ensure everyone has access to affordable medications. Through the program, BayCare patients and the general public receive help via phone or email to navigate resources, apply for eligible programs and obtain medications for less cost. Resources include drug manufacturer patient assistance programs, drug copay or discount cards, and referrals to the retail pharmacy discount drug list. To market the program, the MAP team has established partnerships with free clinics and federally qualified health centers.

Nonprofit Leadership Center of Tampa Bay (NLC), Tampa, FL

General Operating Support with a COVID-19 Lens and Pinellas Initiative \$30,000

Nonprofit Leadership Center (NLC) provides the Tampa Bay area nonprofit sector accessible, high quality, and innovative training to strengthen their ability to deliver their mission to the community. Programs are delivered through a variety of methods: classroom and custom training, coaching, certificate programs, conferences, and cohort groups. Grant funding will support training costs including presenter fees, registration fees, food & beverage, program supplies, custom training presenter fees, travel and supplies, and marketing expenses that include Pinellas County Initiatives.

Nonprofits First West Palm Beach, FL

General Operating Support for Capacity Building \$20,000

Nonprofits First offers accreditation, leadership development, education, membership and management support services to nonprofits. During the COVID-19 pandemic, education and professional development has shifted to an online platform. Grant funds will be used primarily for personnel with remaining funds used for supplies, staff trainings, Foundation Center directory fee, postage, and software licenses.

Tampa Bay Network to End Hunger (TBNEH), Tampa, FL

Building Organizational Capacity for Financial Sustainability \$50,000

TBNEH seeks to end hunger in Tampa Bay by bringing people together to find solutions that eliminate barriers, increase access and knowledge, and expand the amount of nutritious food available. TBNEH serves Pinellas, Pasco and Hillsborough Counties and includes 350 members. Grant funds will provide operating support and funding to engage a consultant to work with the board to restructure and grow as well as build leadership and organizational capacity.