



Pacifica Synod - ELCA

Office of the Bishop - Lutheran Center For Mission & Learning

Pacifica Synod Funding for Coaching and Spiritual Direction for Rostered and Lay Leaders

Pacifica Synod is investing in coaching and spiritual direction as one means of supporting faithful, resilient leaders in the church and the world. This pilot program allows for up to \$400 per individual to subsidize sessions with a certified coach or spiritual director, while funds last. We anticipate this will provide participants with 3-6 sessions with the coach or spiritual director, depending on their rate. This opportunity is open to both rostered and lay (non-rostered) leaders, such as administrative staff and congregational officers within the Pacifica Synod.

To access these funds, please complete the information below. Funds may be administered either through reimbursement (with documentation), or by the coach or spiritual director directly invoicing and receiving payment from the Pacifica Synod.

This opportunity is open to people who are currently meeting with a coach or spiritual director to help defray costs and to people who have never met with a coach or spiritual director but are curious to try.

You can find spiritual directors here: <https://stillpointca.org>
and <https://www.sdicompanions.org/find-a-spiritual-director-companion/>

You can find coaches here: <https://www.elcacoaching.org/pages/i-want-a-coach>

You can find a coach in the Pacifica Coaching Network here:
<https://www.pacificasynod.org/about/ministry-teams/coaching-in-the-pacifica-synod/>

Funding Request

Name _____

___ I am a rostered leader (ordained pastor or deacon)

___ I am a lay person (not rostered/ordained)

Address _____

Email _____

Phone Number _____

Congregation on Ministry in Pacifica Synod _____

Amount Requested (\$400 maximum) _____

Coach or Spiritual Director Name and Contact Info _____

Credentials/certification (Spiritual Directions International, ELCA Coaching, etc.)

Payment Information

___ I am submitting documentation of my payment as a request for reimbursement.

___ The coach or spiritual director will invoice the synod. (Please discuss this with them first.)

Please submit completed application and documentation (or invoice) by mail or email:

MAIL TO: Pacifica Synod

1801 Park Court Pl., Bldg. C, Santa Ana, CA 92701-5010

EMAIL TO: terri.robertson@pacificasynod.org

For questions about this opportunity, contact Synod Vice President Nicolette Rohr (nicolette.rohr@gmail.com). For questions about application submission or payment, contact Terri Robertson (terri.robertson@pacificasynod.org).

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so all may experience God's boundless grace.***