

BENEVOLENCE FUND APPLICATION

Hope Chapel Staff Only:	
Date:	_____
Staff/Elder	_____
Contact:	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Kokua	<input type="checkbox"/> Samaritan

GENERAL INFORMATION

Name _____

Address _____

Phone (day) _____ (evening) _____

Are you Married Single Children – how many _____

Landlord _____

Landlord's Address: _____

Landlord's Phone (day) _____ (evening) _____

What is the total amount needed? \$ _____ For what? _____

Are you a member of Hope Chapel? _____

How did you hear about Hope Chapel benevolence fund? _____

Have you received help from Hope Chapel's benevolence fund in the past? _____

If yes, how much? _____ When? _____

Have you received help from anyone at Hope Chapel? Yes No If yes, how much? _____

Have you received help from other churches? Yes No

If yes, please list _____

Is yes, how much? _____ When? _____

Are there other agencies or individuals that are aware of your need? Yes No

Have they helped you in any way? Yes No

Explain _____

List the types of aid you receive now:

What is the amount received?

Unemployment _____

\$ _____

Welfare _____

\$ _____

Food Stamps _____

\$ _____

Salvation Army _____

\$ _____

Social Security _____

\$ _____

Disability _____

\$ _____

Other Assistance _____

\$ _____

Are you employed? Yes No

If yes, where are you employed? _____

If not employed, are you able to work? Yes No

Do you have access to transportation? Yes No

Take home pay per month? _____

What are your living expenses? _____

- 1. Food per week/month\$ _____
- 2. Utilities per week/month \$ _____
- 3. Rent per week/month \$ _____
- 4. Transportation per week/month \$ _____
- 5. Other _____
- Total per week/month \$ _____

References to confirm your history and need:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Phone #</u>	<u>Address</u>
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____

The above information is true to the best of my knowledge. The church has my permission to check with any of the above sources to use them to determine assistance. I understand that the church does not bind itself to assist me.

Signature _____ **Date** _____

FOR STAFF USE ONLY

Suggested alternate source to be tried prior to Hope Chapel approval? Yes No

Explain _____

Personal history with person _____

Comments _____

RECOMMENDATION

Approved Denied Amount \$ _____

Explain action and date completed and/or communicated _____

Make check out to: _____ Mail to: _____

Account number _____

Please call when check is available for pick up.

Hope Chapel Benevolence Fund

(financial assistance program)

Now that you have filled out the benevolence fund application, it has been given to a pastor for review. Here are answers to some frequently asked questions:

When can I expect to hear back from someone?

Applications are reviewed on Wednesdays or Thursday. Pastor Craig Mauck, or someone from his office, will give you a call after the review. Please wait for a call before coming back in. You will not be able to see him if you show up without having received a call.

Does everyone get approved for assistance?

Unfortunately, no. Hope Chapel is a non-profit organization which relies on donations from its members and others in the community to operate. In this tough economy, we are not able to provide as much assistance as we know is needed. Every applicant is encouraged to seek other forms of financial assistance from other agencies.

What number can I call to check on my application?

You may call 879-3853, ext. 226, and leave a message for Pastor Craig Mauck there. Please do not call the main office line, as **the volunteer receptionist will not have any information about your application.** We ask for your patience in waiting for a call back.

What does benevolence mean?

Benevolence means charitable kindness.

Helpful Phone Numbers

Maui Food Bank	243-9500
Feed My Sheep (food given out on Saturdays at Hope Chapel parking lot)	872-9100
Hale Kau Kau (dinner every night at St. Theresa's Church)	875-8754
Ka Hale a ke Ola in Wailuku	242-7600
Ka Hale a ke Ola in Lahaina	662-0076
Women Helping Women	579-9581
Salvation Army	871-6270