

## ***Burke Women's Fund Grant Recipients Since Inception***

### **2023 Grants Awarded**

- Casting for Hope – “Supporting Expanded Services” (\$7,500)
- Grace Episcopal Church – “Grace Cares Hygiene Blessing Bags” (\$5,000)
- The Enola Group – “Stewards of Children in Spanish” (\$8,337.98)
- The Meeting Place One, Inc. – “Rapid Re-Housing” (\$20,000)
- The YMCA of Catawba County – “Before & After School in Burke” (\$7,121)

### **2022 Grants Awarded**

- Christ United Methodist Church – “Women’s Sewing and Circles Initiative” (\$3,924)
- Burke Literacy Council – “Burke Work Opportunities” (\$1,585)
- Options – “A Fresh Start” (\$3,500)

### **2021 Grants Awarded**

- Casting for Hope – “Hope’s Here For You Project” (\$2,500)
- Center for Rural Health Innovation – “Health-e-Schools Burke County” (\$7,500)
- Compassionate Hearts Clinic – “Mental Health Counseling” (\$2,800)
- Glen Alpine Food Pantry – “Milk Money” (\$6,500)
- Options, Inc – “Safety Plan” (\$8,360)

### **2020 Grants Awarded**

- Compassionate Hearts Clinic – “Women and Families” (\$1,800)
- Habitat for Humanity – “Habitat Restore Truck” (\$10,000)
- Options, Inc – “Expressions of Healing” (\$7,350)
- The Meeting Place One – “Security Features” (\$1,450)
- TOSS - “TOSSCAMP – The Art of Science” (\$2,000)

### **2019 Grants Awarded**

- Assure The Future – “Go Baby Go” (\$2,000)
- Blue Ridge Community Action – “Foster Grandparent Program” (\$7,500)
- Burke United Christian Ministries – “Better Start Bags” (\$5,000)
- Foothills Conservancy of NC – “Our Big Backyard” (\$5,000)
- Options, Inc. – “Are You Aware” (\$2,000)
- The Meeting Place One – “Re-Flooring of Emergency Shelter” (\$6,000)
- Western Piedmont Council of Governments – “Burke County Transit” (\$8,000)

### **2018 Grants Awarded**

- Burke County Literacy Council – “Running for Literacy” (\$2,930)
- Casting for Hope – “Casting for Hope Expanded Retreat Programming” (\$6,029)
- First Presbyterian Church – “Sweet and Savory Delights Bakery” (\$7,500)
- Western Piedmont Council of Governments – “Fixed Route Public Transportation Service for Burke County” (\$10,000)

### **2017 Grants Awarded**

- Burke County Literacy Council – “Running for Literacy” (\$1,700)
- Catawba Science Center – “GALS Girls Actively Learning Science” (\$3,000)
- Center for Rural Health Innovation – “Health-e-Schools Telemedicine Program” (\$7,100)
- Library Foundation of Burke County – “Read, Exercise, and Discover (READ)” (\$4,800)
- Oak Hill United Methodist Church – “Burke Augustine Literacy Project” (\$1,700)
- Oak Ridge Baptist Church – “Good Samaritan East Clinic” (\$5,963)
- Western Piedmont Community College – “Tutoring Support & Camp Connect” (\$2,000)  
Focus Grant
- City of Morganton – “One Dime Blues: An Etta Baker Tribute” (\$2,500)

### **2016 Grants Awarded**

- Assure the Future – “Circles De Esperanza” (\$1,250)
- Burke Arts Council – “TOSS” (\$1,200)
- Burke County Literacy Council – “Growing Healthy Living Skills” (\$2,000)
- Burke United Christian Ministries – “Feeding the Masses” (\$3,000)
- Catawba Science Center – “GALS Girls All Love Science” (\$4,000)
- Good Samaritan Clinic – “Improving the Health of Women” (\$4,500)

- Oak Ridge Baptist Church – "Compassionate Hearts Clinic" (\$2,500)
  - Options – "Taking Care of Business" (\$1,000)
  - South Mountain Children and Family Services – "Summer Fun" (\$1,200)
  - Strategic Alliance for Burke Youth – "Burke Girls' Empowerment Summit" (\$1,000)
  - The Meeting Place, Inc. – "Services and Case Management Enhancement" (\$3,500)
- Focus Grants
- Girl Scouts Peaks to Piedmont – "Camp Sunshine" (\$1,450)
  - The History Museum of Burke County – "The Desegregation of BCPS Systems" (\$2,150)

#### **2015 Grants Awarded**

- Burke Charitable Properties – "Lighting Up For Safety" (\$2,832)
  - Burke County Literacy Council – "Literacy on the Move" (\$5,000)
  - Burke United Christian Ministries – "Collaborative Food Pantry" (\$7,000)
  - First United Methodist Church, Valdese – "Children's Feeding Ministry" (\$3,000)
  - The Meeting Place – "Women's and Children's Shelter Staff Expansion" (\$5,500)
  - Southmountain Children and Family Services – "SPARCS of Light for Troubled Teens" (\$1,200)
  - Strategic Alliance for Burke Youth – "Burke Girls' Empowerment Summit" (\$1,000)
- Focus Grants
- Habitat for Humanity – "Woerner Way Gardens" (\$2,500)
  - St. Matthews United Methodist Church – "St. Matthews Baby Closet Supply" (\$5,000)
  - Valdese First Christian Church – "Dry Bottoms Diaper Ministry" (\$5,000)
  - Waldensian Presbyterian Church – "Burke County Community Gardens Initiative" (\$5,500)

#### **2014 Grants Awarded**

- Assure The Future – "Burke County Circles Initiative - Teen Circles " (\$927)
- Blue Ridge HealthCare Foundation – "Lean In, Go Far!" (\$3,000)
- Burke Hospice and Palliative Care – "Footprints on My Heart" (\$2,098)
- Burke United Christian Ministries – "Forklift Purchase" (\$5,539)
- Burke United Christian Ministries – "Sweet Delights Bakery" (\$5,000)
- First United Methodist Church, Valdese – "The Children's Feeding Ministry" (\$4,000)
- Options, Inc. – "Searching for Success" (\$3,175)
- The Salvation Army Boys and Girls Club – "After School Program" (\$5,000)

#### **2013 Grants Awarded**

- Barium Springs Home for Children – "Growing Catawba Valley Healthy Families" (\$7,000)
- Blue Ridge Community Action – "Burke County Circles Initiative" (\$900)
- Blue Ridge HealthCare Foundation – "Beyond the Treatment " (\$3,500)
- Burke United Christian Ministries – "Feed the Children" (\$7,500)
- Burke United Christian Ministries – "Project Independence" (\$5,000)
- Foothills Service Project – "Women Building for Women" (\$2,640)
- Good Samaritan Clinic – "Managing the Triple Threat of Diabetes" (\$4,000)
- Mimosa Christian Counseling Center – "At Risk Family Stress" (\$5,000)
- Options – "Safety Goggles" (\$5,000)
- Waldensian Presbyterian Church – "Providing Feminine Hygiene" (\$4,000)

#### **2012 Grants Awarded**

- Barium Springs Home for Children – "Catawba Valley Healthy Families" (\$3,300)
- Blue Ridge HealthCare – "More for Moms - Burke County Public School Nurse Program" (\$2,500)
- Burke County Literacy Council – "Project Flower: Transportation, Technology, and Training" (\$3,300)
- Burke United Christian Ministries – "Project Warmth" (\$8,000)
- Good Samaritan Clinic – "Teeth in Need" (\$2,000)
- Options, Inc. – "In-House Therapy " (\$7,500)
- The Meeting Place One, Inc. – "Burke Women's Shelter" (\$5,000)
- The Salvation Army Boys and Girls Club – "After School Childcare" (\$5,000)

#### **2011 Grants Awarded**

- Burke United Christian Ministries – "Project Dignity" (\$5,000)
- First United Methodist Church, Valdese – "The Children's Feeding Ministry" (\$4,000)
- Good Samaritan Clinic – "Complete Physical Exams for Female Patients" (\$5,000)
- Options – "Opportunities for Empowerment" (\$2,000)
- The Meeting Place One, Inc. – "FACES Families Adjusting Changing Evolving Safely" (\$9,600)
- The Salvation Army Boys and Girls Club – "After School/Summer Childcare" (\$5,000)

**2010 Grants Awarded**

- Appalachian Family Innovations – “Stewards of Children Training” (\$1,500)
- Burke County Literacy Council – “Project Flower Transportation” (\$1,000)
- First United Methodist Church, Valdese - “The Children’s Feeding Ministry” (\$2,000)