

## Council Priority Funds – Application

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**PRIORITY FUND INFORMATION – Completed by Applicant**Organization Name Sherwood Park United ChurchAddress 20 Fir Street

Street and number

Subdivision if rural

City or town Sherwood ParkProvince ABPostal code T8A 1Z6Contact person Hazel FlewellingTelephone 780 - 467 - 2048Email address (optional) whflew@shaw.caProject Type ☐ Event ☒ Project ☐ ExpenseAmount Requested \$ 4,400.00

Brief description of request

Sherwood Park United Church's 'United Harmony Handbell Choir' requests funding to complete a two 3 octave choir.

Hazel Flewelling

Print name

Hazel Flewelling

Signature

Aug. 3, 2019

Date

**Please remember to attach a proposed budget and request letter to this request.**Number of attached pages 3**Collection and use of personal information**

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August 3, 2019

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### Request of Priority Funding

Sherwood Park United Church's vision is "Following Christ, we care and act"

Our vision elements are:

1. Being visible in the community
2. Inspiring Faith and Fellowship
3. Being Responsible Stewards

SPUC has been a community of faith in Strathcona County for over 50 years.

Sherwood Park United Church's 'United Harmony' handbell choir has a paid part time director and 20 volunteer bell ringers, the majority who are from the community. The bell choir rings during, at least, four church services a year and participate in two music services annually joining our choir and accompanists. These music services are advertised locally and we do have people from the community attend. They also provide outreach to the community by ringing at lodges, nursing homes, other churches and community functions.

We have had bell ringers attend workshops. In December 2019, 5 of our bell ringers and our director (at their own expense) will participate in the "Great Christmas Ring" in New York City. Bell ringers from all over Canada and United States will attend this event. The bells will be ringing in Carnegie Hall and Central Park.

We have been working towards a two 3 octave choir. Having a double bell choir (the only one we are aware of in Alberta) would really enhance our sound.

The chimes we have requested will enhance the deep bass sound that is often needed.

Also, we are requesting funding for a case for the small bells. At the present time they are stored in a cardboard box, not particularly a safe place for storage and travels.

We respectfully ask Council's consideration in supporting our request for funding through the Council Priority Funding.

Yours truly



Hazel Flewelling

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***Estimate***

Date	Estimate #
2019-03-18	873

***Handbells etc***

11245 12 Ave NW  
Edmonton, AB T6J 6V6  
www.handbellsetc.ab.ca

Name / Address
Sherwood Park United Church Susan Galloway 20 Fir Street. Sherwood Park, AB T8A 1Z6

Description	Qty	Rate	Total
E4 bell is \$420 US are about \$567 CDN	1	567.00	567.00
F4 bell and F#4 bell are each \$370 US are about \$500CDN each	2	500.00	1,000.00
case for the E4 and up\$290 US are about 392CDN	1	392.00	392.00
4 th octave add on set is \$1360 US or about \$1836 CDN	1	1,836.00	1,836.00
brokerage at the border	1	200.00	200.00
Shipping and Handling services	1	200.00	200.00
GST on sales		5.00%	209.75
		<b>Total</b>	<b>\$4,404.75</b>