



Grant Resources, Historic Houses of Worship

New York Landmarks Conservancy, Sacred Sites Program

<https://nylandmarks.org/what-we-do/grants-loans/sacred-sites/>

Applications due January 15 & June 1st; matching grants of up to \$15,000 for project planning, up to \$50,000 for exterior/structural repairs; average of 10-30% project cost.

Statewide, about 25 applications, 20 grants awarded per grant round; nearly all applicants with eligible projects funded. Site visits, technical advice, referrals.

National Fund for Sacred Places

<https://fundforsacredplaces.org/>

LOI January, First Cut June, Final Awards October

Matching grants of \$50 to \$250,000, 2:1 above \$100,000 or up to \$10,000 for soft costs; over 50 years old & historic/significant, about 12-16 awardees/year nationally VERY COMPETITIVE

Preserving Black Churches

<https://savingplaces.org/black-churches>

Q&A July, Applications August, Final Awards January

Primarily exterior restoration; funds for planning, capacity building, endowment; not all require match VERY competitive national program, \$50,000 to \$200,000; 35 awards in 2023

New York State CFA-EPF Restoration Grants

<https://parks.ny.gov/grants/historic-preservation/default.aspx>

Applications due July, Final Awards

Matching grants of up to \$500,000 (\$750,000 for enormous projects), exterior restoration of non-liturgical elements only for houses of worship

Administered under statewide CFA, funded via EPF, administered by NY State Parks, Recreation & Historic Preservation

22 grants in 2022, from about \$250,000 to \$750,000 statewide, including 2 churches, VERY Competitive

Local and Regional Foundations sometimes fund nonprofit capital projects, including for houses of worship, varies by locality & foundation

<https://candid.org/?fceref=lr>