

Faith Lutheran Church of Chico, California

SCHOLARSHIP FOR COLLEGE, TECHNICAL, TRADE AND GRADUATE SCHOOL STUDENTS

The Women's Ministry of Faith Lutheran Church, Chico, California, is offering a scholarship in the amount of \$1000 to acknowledge student achievements in academic and volunteer service in school, church, and community.

QUALIFICATIONS

Applicant must be a member of Faith Lutheran Church, Chico, California. Applicant must plan to attend a university, community college, trade, technical, or graduate school as a full time student for the upcoming year.

TO APPLY, APPLICANTS MUST:

- Fill out the attached application.
- Provide two reference letters by non-family-members (e.g. teachers, advisors, pastors, or employers). Reference letters must be written specifically for this scholarship application.
- Send in their high school transcript or equivalent.
- Send in a recent photograph.

Application should be mailed to:

Faith Lutheran Church
ATTN: Women's Ministry
667 E. 1st Ave.
Chico, CA. 95926

Deadline for this application is _____. Applicants will not be considered if postmarked or received after the deadline date. Recipient of the award will be notified within two months from this date.

SELECTION

The recipient of this scholarship will be chosen by a church committee. After the recipient is notified, proof of enrollment in one of the above schools, along with a thank-you letter to the Women's Ministry of Faith Lutheran Church, Chico, California, must be provided. Upon receiving this information, a check in the amount of \$1000 will be given to the recipient.

Name of the school recipient will be attending

Intended major/course of study

On a separate piece of paper or attachment, please provide the following:

1. State your reason for applying for this scholarship.
2. Describe in detail any community service/responsibility you may have.
3. Include career plans, goals, objectives, and other information you feel would be valuable to the selection committee.
4. Describe all church service activities and extracurricular activities you have been active in. (Please do not use abbreviations for organizations.)
5. List any academic, sport, or club-related awards you have received during the last 4 years.
6. List your last year of employment history if applicable. This may include family businesses.

ESSAY QUESTION

What do you feel is the most pressing issue our country faces, and what is your solution?
(Minimum 250 words, not to exceed 500 words.)

(Initial) _____ I give permission for my name to be released in a news release concerning this scholarship.

Applicant signature

Date

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SENDING APPLICATION PACKET

Please return the application packet in the following order:

1. 2 application pages (Women's Ministry of Faith Lutheran Church, Chico, California – Scholarship Application)
2. Copy of school records and attendance
3. Questions 1-6
4. Essay question
5. Reference forms (2) with sealed letters
6. Photograph

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