

SYCAMORE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH SCHOLARSHIPS

CHURCH SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

PURPOSE: To honor and provide financial assistance to one or more students who will be attending a 2 or 4-year college or university in the following school year

AMOUNT: Depends on the funds available for distribution with a minimum of \$500 for each scholarship.

CRITERIA:

- ♦ Be a member of Sycamore United Methodist Church
- ♦ Have participated in church and community activities
- ♦ Return the completed application form to the church office by the deadline date

MARION B. MARSH MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

PURPOSES:

- ♦ To honor Marion Marsh's dedication to Christian education and leadership through more than 50 years of teaching Sunday School and bible study groups and leading numerous seminars and workshops at the Sycamore United Methodist Church and at the district level.
- ♦ To reward a high school senior for dedication to Christian education and leadership by providing scholarship assistance for college expenses.

AMOUNT: A \$1000.00 scholarship will be awarded to the applicant who best meets the following criteria:

CRITERIA:

- ♦ Must be a high school senior.
- ♦ Must be a member of Sycamore United Methodist Church.
- ♦ Must be planning to attend a 2-year or 4-year college during the following year.
- ♦ Should have demonstrated dedication to Christian education and/or leadership through exemplary participation and/or leadership in church activities. This could include Sunday School attendance, providing assistance in Sunday School or Vacation Bible School, and attending and/or leading church youth group activities during high school.
- ♦ Should have a desire to continue serving the church in the future either as a church worker or as a layperson involved in education or leadership.
- ♦ Must complete the attached application and return it to the church office by the deadline date.
- ♦ Must meet any additional requirements as deemed appropriate by the Sycamore United Methodist Church.

BARBARA J. RODGERS MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

PURPOSES:

- To honor Barbara Rodgers' dedication to public education and the United Methodist Church.
- To reward a college student for dedication to public and/or Christian education and leadership by providing scholarship assistance for college expenses.

AMOUNT: A scholarship with the minimum amount of \$1,000 will be awarded to the applicant who best meets the following criteria:

CRITERIA:

- ♦ Must be a member of the Sycamore United Methodist Church.
- ♦ Must have completed the freshman year of undergraduate studies and be planning to continue undergraduate, graduate, or post-graduate studies at an accredited college of university and have maintained a C+ or better average for prior years.
- ♦ Should have a demonstrated dedication to Christian education and/or leadership through exemplary participation and/or leadership in church activities. This could include Sunday School attendance, providing assistance in Sunday School or Vacation Bible School, or attending and/or leading church youth group activities during their current years of college studies.
- ♦ Should have a desire to continue serving the church in the future either as a church worker or as a lay person involved in education or leadership.
- ♦ Must complete the attached application and return it to the church office by the deadline date.
- ♦ Must meet any additional requirements as deemed appropriate by the Sycamore United Methodist Church.
- ♦ Priority will be given to prior recipients of the Marion B. Marsh Memorial United Methodist Endowed Scholarship.