

**FRANK AND ANN DERR SCHOLARSHIP
C/O ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH**

I. OVERVIEW

The family of Frank and Ann Derr implemented a scholarship program for the members of St. Paul Lutheran Church in 2013. The scholarship shall be awarded to a deserving student pursuing a degree in the nursing or teaching discipline or pursuing a higher degree in the medical or educational field. A scholarship committee consisting of the executive council members, a family representative and a financial representative over sees the scholarship

II. AMOUNT OF SCHOLARSHIP

The amount of the scholarship will be 3% of the total amount in the mutual fund at the time of the application deadline. The recipient is to receive the check from St. Paul. If the amount exceeds the actual cost of tuition, the scholarship will only pay the actual cost of tuition.

III. REQUIREMENTS OF SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANTS

- A. Must be a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church for at least one year.
- B. Must be a high school graduate or working towards a higher degree.
- C. Must be accepted or enrolled in a college or vocational school.
- D. Must use funds for undergraduate/graduate studies.
- E. The winning applicant must be an active member of St. Paul Lutheran Church.

IV. PROCEDURE/POLICY

- A. The information reported on the application is classified as being true.
- B. The applicant must be pursuing a degree in nursing or teaching or pursuing a higher degree in the medical or educational field.
- C. The recipient of the scholarship may collect the scholarship upon the presentation of verification that he/she is enrolled in school.
- D. The recipient of the scholarship may reapply each year.

- E. The recipient of the scholarship must enroll and remain in a school of higher learning for the entire quarter, semester, and/or school year. If not, funds will be forfeited and must be returned to the Frank and Ann Derr Scholarship Fund. If there are mitigating circumstances that a recipient has no control over, the scholarship award may be reinstated.
- F. **Applications and transcripts must be returned on or before the deadline date.**

GUIDELINES FOR AWARDING THE SCHOLARSHIP

- A. All interested applicants must fill out an application and mail or bring the application to St. Paul Lutheran Church by the deadline set by the scholarship committee. The envelope should be addressed to the St. Paul Lutheran Church scholarship committee chairperson.
- B. Applications are to be returned with high school or college transcript
- C. Church involvement listed on the application will be verified by the committee.
- D. Applications should be filled out completely to be considered for the scholarship.
- E. The scholarship committee will notify the scholarship winner's high school so the student may be recognized at the school's awards ceremony.

STEPS THAT NEED THE APPLICANTS ATTENTION

1. Please fill out every blank in your scholarship application. This includes complete addresses and zip codes.
2. Please sign the form that authorizes the committee to verify your status from your respective schools (please supply addresses and zip codes). If your school gives you a transcript you may send a copy with the application.
3. On the sheet listing the church related activities, please be specific with names of activities, dates and locations of activities.
4. **Applications and transcripts must be returned by 4:00 p.m. on the last Friday of March to the church's office. NO EXCEPTIONS!**
5. If the applicant is not a recent high school graduate, transcripts are requested for the last two semesters that he/she was in school.

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PASTOR: ALAN D. KETHAN
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

DIRECTIONS: All sections must be completed. Write N/A if question does not apply.

INDICATE YOUR STATUS

College

Graduate College

(Write the year you are in on the line)

____ Entering freshman
____ Freshman
____ Sophomore
____ Junior
____ Senior

____ Master's Degree
____ Doctorate Degree
____ Voc. Technical School
____ Community College

Name _____

Home Address _____

Telephone _____ Birthdate _____ Sex _____

Marital Status _____ Year of High School Graduation _____

High School Graduated From _____

Name of High School Guidance Counselor _____

Name of Last School Attended _____

Father's Name _____ Mother's Name _____

Do you live with your parents? _____

Guardian's Name _____ Relationship _____

Occupation of Father _____ Mother _____ Guardian _____

When did you Join St. Paul Lutheran? Month _____ Year _____

Do you currently attend Sunday school? _____

If yes, indicate your
teacher/teachers _____

Do you attend Bible Study? _____ If yes, indicate your
teacher/teachers _____

List the church ministries and activities in which you are or have been active in the last two years at St. Paul Lutheran Church. Be sure to include Sunday school and Bible Study.

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| 1. _____ | 6. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 7. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 8. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 9. _____ |
| 5. _____ | 10. _____ |

List school and community clubs or organizations in which you are or have been active in the last two years.

Club or Organization	Dates From - To	Name of Sponsor
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

List school, civic or church awards received in the last two years:

Awards	Year Received
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

On a separate sheet of paper, indicate in paragraph form, how the church has been or is an influential factor in your life. Also, indicate how you expect to use the church's teachings in your future.

To certify that the information given on this application is true and correct to the best of your knowledge, please sign below:

Signature _____

Date _____

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Dear Scholarship Committee:

As a scholarship recipient, I understand that I must enroll and remain in a school of higher learning for the entire quarter/semester, and/or school year the scholarship is awarded. If for some reason I do not complete the entire quarter/semester, and/or school year I will refund the scholarship amount to the Frank and Ann Derr Scholarship Fund c/o St. Paul Lutheran Church.

If there are mitigating circumstances that I as a recipient of the scholarship award have no control over, the scholarship award may be reinstated.

(Scholarship Recipient) Print

(Scholarship Recipient) Signature

**(Parent or Guardian) Print
(If recipient is applying while
Enrolled in high school)**

(Parent or Guardian) Signature

(Date)