



St. Luke's Methodist Church Foundation
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION For Academic Year 2026/2027

- (1) PART A – completed copy of this 2026 Scholarship Application
- (2) PART B - your personal essay
- (3) PART C - a certified transcript
- (4) PART D - two letters of recommendation
- (5) PART E - Financial Need Verification (where required)

A complete application must be received by the deadline (Tuesday, March 31, 2026) to be considered. Incomplete applications (without all required documents) will not be considered.

PART A

NAME: _____

MALE FEMALE MARITAL STATUS: SINGLE MARRIED DIVORCED

CURRENT MAILING ADDRESS: _____

CELL PHONE: _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

*Email: _____

**Most communication regarding scholarships will come through email. Please provide an email, or multiple email addresses, that will be regularly monitored.*

ARE YOU A MEMBER OF ST. LUKE'S? YES NO

NAME OF GUARDIAN 1 _____ MEMBER OF ST. LUKE'S? _____

ADDRESS _____ EMAIL: _____

TELEPHONE _____

OCCUPATION _____

NAME OF GUARDIAN 2 _____

TELEPHONE _____ EMAIL: _____

LIST THE NAME(S) OF SIBLING(S) LIVING AT HOME OR IN COLLEGE:

NAME: _____ AGE: _____ SCHOOL ATTENDING: _____

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

SCHOOL CURRENTLY ATTENDING: _____

I AM IN GOOD STANDING AT MY ACADEMIC INSTITUTION.

ADDRESS: _____

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY APPLYING TO OR ATTENDING: _____

PROPOSED FIELD OF STUDY: _____

ESTIMATED COST PER YEAR (TUITION & BOARDING): _____

SELECT THE SCHOLARSHIP YOU ARE APPLYING FOR

OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS FOR WHICH YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE CONSIDRED

OTHER SCHOLARSHIP(S) APPLIED FOR/RECEIVING (NOT SLUMC):

_____ AMOUNT _____

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IF CURRENTLY ATTENDING COLLEGE, NAME OF HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDED AND YEAR OF GRADUATION:

_____ SAT/ACT SCORE _____ GPA AT CURRENT INSTITUTION _____

HAVE YOU BEEN AWARDED A SCHOLARSHIP FROM ST. LUKE'S IN THE PAST?

CHURCH AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Activity/Ministry: _____ Years Involved: _____ Hours/Week: _____
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COMMUNITY SERVICE/VOLUNTEER WORK:

Organization: _____ Years Involved: _____ Total Hours: _____
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SCHOOL EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES (clubs, sports, arts, etc.):

Activity: _____ Years Involved: _____ Leadership Role: _____
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Activity: _____ Years Involved: _____ Leadership Role: _____

PART B: PERSONAL ESSAY - In narrative form (not more than two typed pages attached separately to your application) summarize your reason for applying for a scholarship. If you qualify for a specialized scholarship listed, please highlight your eligibility in your essay. You can include your participation in church activities, extra-curricular activities, academic honors and achievements, personal experience, special interests, your future plans, or your financial needs.

PART C: Current Certified Transcript

PART D: TWO (2) LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION ARE REQUIRED -

- 1) Recommendation from a high school teacher or college professor.
- 2) Recommendation from St. Luke's United Methodist Church Student Ministry Director or Assistant Student Ministry Director or member. In place of a recommendation from St. Luke's you may include a recommendation from another church organization you are affiliated with.

APPLICANT CERTIFICATION

I certify that all information provided in this application is true, complete, and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any false or misleading information may result in denial or revocation of scholarship funds.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature (if applicant is under 18): _____
Date: _____

DEADLINE FOR RETURN OF COMPLETED APPLICATION IS Tuesday, MARCH 31, 2026

Email to: Anona Karnaky, AKarnaky@stlukesmethodist.org

Mail to: St. Luke's UMC, P.O. Box 22013, Houston, TX 77227-2013, Attn: Finance Department/Scholarships