



# The Union Presbyterian Church

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The Union Presbyterian Church Scholarship Committee is now accepting applications for educational scholarships for the 2016-2017 academic year.

We encourage you to read the enclosed information sheet regarding the Scholarship Fund. Our Church is blessed with the generosity and forethought of the people described therein.

Scholarship awards are a token of encouragement and support of our Congregation for those continuing their education. The amount may vary from year to year depending on total funds available, number of applicants and specific needs of applicants. Scholarships are need-based; it is particularly important that your application section labeled, "Expenses" and "Aid" be as complete and accurate as possible. We also consider other factors when evaluating applications; among which are regular participation in Church and Church-related functions.

By making application, you will be committing yourself to two things:

1. Keeping in touch with the Scholarship Committee during the year. This requirement is to help us keep in better touch with you and to know how you are doing during these important years of study and to let the Congregation know about your activities and experiences.
2. Total confidentiality. Your award shall not be discussed among recipients, or parents.

Applications are due in the Church office by 12:00 noon on Friday, June 10, 2016. **This is a firm deadline to allow the Scholarship Committee to review applications.** Award checks will be mailed to your home in early August.

We look forward to assisting you in obtaining your higher education. May God bless you.

Sincerely,

Scholarship Committee:

Jane Park – Chair  
Claire Bombard  
Mark DeLap  
Henry Hammond  
Kay McDonald  
Ondra Murray  
Jean Parry

**UNION PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
SCHOLARSHIP FUND  
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION  
2016-2017**

All information is kept in strictest confidence. Consideration will be given to all applicants based on the following information.

LAST NAME	FIRST	MIDDLE
ADDRESS		
PHONE		E-MAIL

**PERSONAL DATA:**

If Student resides with Parents:

Father's Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

If Student is self-supporting or married:

Student's Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

**ACTIVITY RECORD:**

Extra-curricular School Activities (including offices held): \_\_\_\_\_

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Church Activities: \_\_\_\_\_

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Community Activities: \_\_\_\_\_

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**FUTURE PLANS:**

Provide a description of your educational and career goals in a paragraph or two: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name of educational institution you will be attending: \_\_\_\_\_

School class or year of study: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of years remaining until graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

**TO BE FILLED IN BY APPLICANT: for full year (2 semesters)**

Expenses:

Tuition                    \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Fees                        \_\_\_\_\_  
Books                      \_\_\_\_\_  
Room & Board            \_\_\_\_\_  
Transportation         \_\_\_\_\_  
Other                        \_\_\_\_\_

Total Expenses        \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Aid Available:

Scholarships & Grants    \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Tuition Waiver            \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Contribution      \_\_\_\_\_  
Spouse's Contribution    \_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Assets          \_\_\_\_\_  
Summer Earnings         \_\_\_\_\_  
Other Resources          \_\_\_\_\_

Total Aid Available      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

In making this application I promise to keep in touch with the Church through the Scholarship Committee.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

## **UNION PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH** **SCHOLARSHIP FUND INFORMATION**

The Union Presbyterian Church Scholarship Fund is funded by monies specifically designated for scholarships. Currently the Scholarship Fund receives money from the annual accrued interest of the Harriet R. Darmody, Kenneth L. White and Ethelyn I. Hewitt scholarship accounts. Don Haney expressed his love for education by establishing the College Scholarship Fund for the youth of the church.

**Mrs. Harriet R. Darmody** joined Union Presbyterian Church in 1920 and served in many capacities over the years, including terms as an Elder and on committees. She helped promote the best interests of her church for the glory of God. Harriet was extremely interested in the scholarships offered by Union Church and made a bequest to the church to be used for scholarships for Union Church students.

**Kenneth L. White** joined Union Church in 1919. Ken was one of the most beloved persons ever to serve as Deacon in our church. He represented his church well with his friendly and helpful manner. Ken specifically requested that his bequest to Union Church be used for the Scholarship Fund to help students with their education.

**Ethelyn I. Hewitt** was a lifetime member of Union Church. She served many years as a Deacon and was an active member of the women's group. She was a retired IBM employee of over 30 years service and although never married, she loved children and was interested in their continued education.

**Donald W. Haney** became a member of Union Presbyterian Church in 1947. He and his wife Helen were very active in the life of the church. Don was a development engineer during his career with IBM and had many patents to his credit. At the age of 90, he authored a book of his life in the 20<sup>th</sup> century entitled *Don Haney's Odyssey*. A copy of the book is in the UPC library.

1. The purpose of the scholarship funds is to provide scholarships for students who have graduated from high school and who plan to continue their education.
2. Eligible education activities shall include full or part-time enrollment at an accredited college or university, technical, or trade school, nursing school, or in any training experience preparing a person for a vocation.
3. Applications are accepted once a year from each student, and scholarships may be granted on an annual basis.