



TRINITY UNITED METHODIST
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Dear Applicant,

Trinity is offering scholarships for students currently enrolled or entering into college or trade school. Please review the guidelines below and fill out the application. Return the application to the church office along with your personal essay as soon as possible so that the scholarship committee can make selections for the coming school year. **The deadline is April 3, 2018 by 5:00 PM. Any late or incomplete applications will not be processed.**

Favorable consideration will be given to students

- Holding active Trinity membership for at least one year prior to applying
- Having active membership in Student Ministries at Trinity United Methodist Church or Campus Ministry
- Participating in one or more extra-curricular activities in high school, college or in the community

Required along with your application:

- A written goal statement
- Submit an essay that describes your Christian faith and explains how your experiences at Trinity United Methodist Church have helped you through your life experiences.
- Submit one recommendation letter from a staff member, church member (not a relative), high school educator, college professor or employer

Guidelines for person writing recommendation letter:

The person writing the letter of recommendation will describe, in as much detail as possible, the applicant's involvement in church and community, experience, abilities and leadership (or leadership potential). Your letter of recommendation, signed by you, **should be returned to the applicant** to be enclosed with other applicant requirements (i.e. transcript, essay). If there is a problem with this requirement, please contact Jonathan Deyling at jdeyling@trinitypbg.org or Carolyn Van Ess at cvaness@trinitypbg.org or contact the church office at 561-622-5278.

Our scholarship committee will review all applications and notify recipients of awards well in advance of the fall school term each year. Best wishes and continued success,



Scholarship Application
 Application Deadline April 3, 2018 at 5:00pm
 Incomplete or late applications will not be processed.
 Please type or print information clearly

Section I : Personal and Family Information

Applicant Information		
Name:		
Current address:		
City:	State:	ZIP Code:
Date of Birth:		

Parent(s)/Guardian Information		
Name(s):		
Address:		
City:	State:	ZIP Code:
Phone:		

Please list the names, ages, grades of other children in your family

Name	Age	Grade

Number of other family members currently attending a post-secondary school: _____



Section II : Church Affiliation

Please check the appropriate area of participation below:

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|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Church Attendance | <input type="checkbox"/> Regular | <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes | <input type="checkbox"/> Infrequent |
| Sunday School Attendance | <input type="checkbox"/> Regular | <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes | <input type="checkbox"/> Infrequent |
| Trinity United Methodist Youth | <input type="checkbox"/> Regular | <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes | <input type="checkbox"/> Infrequent |

List other committees, work area or service programs in the church and community in which you have participated:



Section III : Educational Background

Extracurricular Activities and Honors Received (if any, include both school and community, attach another sheet if necessary):

For High School Applicant Only

Grade Point Average through seven semesters: _____

Honors Grade Point Average through seven semesters: _____

For College Applicant Only

College GPA: _____

Semesters/Quarters: _____

Hours Completed: _____

Hours required to graduate: _____

All Applicants

Please list the college(s) or trade school(s) you have applied for and if you have been accepted.

College / Trade School Name	Accepted (Check if Yes)
	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>

If yes to any, please attach a copy of the acceptance letter.

Please provide the most current official transcript. (*Applications will not be processed without official transcripts)

Are you currently or planning to attend graduate school/seminary ect. ? Yes No

***Note: Only submit the most recent information, an advising transcript is acceptable in you have previously submitted an official transcript.**



Section III : Educational Background (Continued)

Do you plan to work while in school? Yes No

If yes, Part Time Full Time

Have you received a Trinity Scholarship in the past? Yes No

If yes, what years: _____

I agree that all information I have given is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Student Signature (Required)

Date

I agree that the above information and consider it to be accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Parent's / Guardian's Signature (Required if applicant is under 21 years of age)

Date