

APPLICATION FORM

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

1230 Bower St., Howell, MI 48843
(517) 546-2730

Completed Applications with all attachments must be returned by May 1st, 2022

Full Name: _____ Date _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Telephone: _____

School currently attending: _____

Full-time _____ Part-time _____ Year of High School or Anticipated College Graduation: _____

Please answer the following questions:

How long have you been a member/constituent of this United Methodist Church? _____

If you have attended other churches, please list according to years:

Please list all church activities you are involved in and your level of involvement (for example: Sunday School, UMYF, Common Grounds, Committees, etc.)

List the organizations, clubs, or sports in which you are involved:

If you are currently in high school, what college, university or trade school do you plan to attend?

If you are currently employed, what do you do? _____

How do you plan on financing your college education? _____

List any community service activities in which you are you involved: _____

Please attach the following to your application:

First-time applicants:

1. A one-page, typed description of your future plans, including life goals, the reason(s) for picking the school or college you have chosen, what you plan to study and why.
2. A copy of your high school and any post high school transcripts. Current high school seniors must submit their transcripts from the previous seven semesters. Undergraduate college students must submit their complete high school transcripts plus all post high school transcripts up to the current time. Graduate students must submit all undergraduate transcripts plus graduate transcripts up to the current time.
3. Letters of recommendation from **three** sources. Preferably, one from school, one from employment and one from a non-related church member. Please include addresses and phone numbers. Letters should address **this** scholarship application specifically. Duplicate copies of University Application letters of recommendation are not acceptable.

Return Applicants:

1. An update of your credits and grades.
2. A one or two-page essay about your college experience. Essays should be specific to the current year and award. Some questions to think about or answer:
 - *Has it been positive? Are you glad you chose your particular school? If not, will you change schools? What activities have you been involved in? Have you been active in any church-related groups or activities and if so, what? When do you expect to complete your studies? What are your plans for the future after graduation?*

All Applicants:

1. Place **all information** in a **sealed** envelope marked "Scholarship". Mark the envelopes as going to Howell FUMC, Attention: *Jennifer Rhodes* or *Danielle Burkhart*.
2. Applications must be **received** (not postmarked) by Sunday, **May 1st, 2022** in order for you to be considered.
3. Applications can be given *physically, electronically, or sent by mail*.
 - *Physically*: Place in Office Mailbox (on office door) anytime the church is open, or leave in the church mailbox outside.
 - *Electronically*: Submit all files to jrhodes@howellfumc.com or danielle@howellfumc.com
 - *Mail*: Mail to First United Methodist Church, Attention: Jennifer Rhodes or Danielle Burkhart, 1230 Bower Street, Howell, MI, 48843.

If you have any questions, you may call Tom Burkert at 517-546-2667 or Jennifer / Danielle Burkhart at 517-546-2730 during office hours.

**** Incomplete Applications or those received after the deadline (May 1st, 2022) will NOT be considered for a scholarship. ****