

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN
UNITED METHODIST MEN
GEORGE HOLMES
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
Deadline – May 9, 2017

Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Address _____ Phone _____

Are you a member of C.U.M.C.? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, date joined _____

If you are not a member, are your parents? _____ Date joined _____

Expected date of entry into College or University _____

If you are already in school, please indicate which school and circle your classification.

Name of College or University _____

FRESHMAN SOPHOMORE JUNIOR SENIOR POST GRADUATE

List the schools to which you are applying in order of preference:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

TO THE PARENTS:

The following information will be held strictly confidential. Please summarize your financial status and indicate why a scholarship is being sought. This summary should be attached to your son or daughter's application.

Also, please check one of the following:

_____ A scholarship is **absolutely** necessary for my child to attend college.

_____ A scholarship, although it would certainly alleviate financial strain, is **not** absolutely necessary for my child to attend college.

**** A Student Must Apply & Be Accepted as a Full Time Student to a Fully Accredited College or University, Technical School, or Junior College.****

CHECKLIST FOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

- _____ Application
- _____ Academic Reference
- _____ Crosby United Methodist Church Member Reference
- _____ Individual Reference
- _____ Student Letter

Mail or deliver to Crosby United Methodist Church Office no later than Monday, May 9, 2017.

Crosby United Methodist Church
P. O. Box 1385
Crosby, TX 77532-1385

CROSBY UNITED METHODIST WOMEN'S, CROSBY UNITED METHODIST MEN'S
AND GEORGE HOLMES SCHOLARSHIP FUND CRITERIA

The following is the eligibility criteria:

- a) The applicant must be an active member of Crosby United Methodist Church, or
- b) At least one (1) of the applicant's parents must be a member of the church. If the application is made under a parent's membership, the applicant must also demonstrate that he or she has actively participated in worship and/or youth activities of the Crosby United Methodist Church and
- c) The applicant must be at least a high school senior.

The following persons will be members of the "Scholarship Review Committee":

- a) Pastor
- b) One appointed member from UMW
- c) One appointed member from UMM
- d) Youth Director or Coordinator
- e) Administrative Council Chair

If any member of the scholarship committee should have a son or daughter applying for an award, the committee will appoint a replacement for temporary service as necessary.

No restrictions will be placed on the applicant's choice of school. UMW will encourage, however, the attendance to one of the United Methodist colleges.

The applicant will complete the scholarship application as well as submit the following additional items to be considered for an award:

- a) proof of application to a college or university,
- b) three (3) references from someone other than a parent or relative,
 - academic reference from a teacher, professor, counselor, or principal/administrator
 - reference from a member of Crosby United Methodist Church
 - reference from an individual of the applicant's choice
- c) a letter from the applicant describing personal aspirations and educational goals.

The following priorities for awarding funds are to be considered, but not necessarily in order stated:

- a) degree of need for financial assistance
- b) level of activity as a member of Crosby United Methodist Church
- c) motivation to attend school, and
- d) personality and character assessment

Any student who is awarded a scholarship from the UMW, UMM, or George Holmes Scholarship Fund, must apply and be accepted as a full-time student at an accredited college or university, technical school, or junior college.

Any amount awarded by the UMW, UMM, or George Holmes Scholarship Fund, will be payable to the college or university and be used to cover tuition, books, and/or dormitory fees.

The UMW, UMM, or George Holmes Scholarship Fund reserves the right not to award a scholarship should no applicant meet the above criteria.

Dear Student:

The United Methodist Women's
United Methodist Men's and
George Holmes Scholarship Fund

Attached is an application form for an individual scholarship of \$500.00 for use at the College or University to which you are admitted.

Please fill out the application and submit it along with the other items needed for a thorough evaluation of the applicant's eligibility and need for financial assistance. Please provide brief references that may either be turned in with the application or emailed directly from the reference to the church at: jamie@crosbyumc.org

Following is a list of the references required:

- academic reference from a teacher/professor, counselor, or principal/administrator
- from a member of Crosby United Methodist Church (must not be a staff member)
- reference from an individual of the applicant's choice

In addition, please include a letter describing your educational goals and personal aspirations.

The following priorities for awarding funds are to be considered, not necessarily in the order stated:

- a) degree of need for financial assistance
- b) level of activity as a member of Crosby United Methodist Church
- c) motivation to attend school, and
- d) personality and character assessment

After you have completed the application and have included all the above mentioned items, please return it to the church office, mail, or email to:

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Deadline for submitting this year's application is Monday, May 9, 2017.
All incomplete forms will be rejected.