

Roseland United Methodist Church
College Scholarship Criteria
Deadline to apply is May 3, 2020

Thank you for your interest in the Roseland United Methodist Church Education Scholarship. The purpose of the scholarship fund is to provide financial assistance to members of our congregation who wish to attend an institution of higher education.

All candidates must meet the following criteria to be considered for a scholarship by the scholarship committee:

1. Be a full member of Roseland United Methodist Church for at least one year.
2. You are currently enrolled or been accepted to an institution of higher education.
3. Have a grade point average of at least 2.75 on a 4.0 scale.
4. Be an active participant in Sunday morning worship (two or more times per month). If you are not living in the area, parents or grandparents may attend for their student.
5. A total of twenty hours of church volunteer service (must benefit our church and the ministries it supports).
 - If a student is away at college and not living locally, a parent or grandparent may volunteer in place of the student for 15 hours. The student themselves MUST participate in 5 hours of service.
 - If a student is a high school senior or is attending a local college or university, all volunteer hours must be done by that student.

Other guidelines to be considered:

- Participating in summer camp or youth group fundraisers, attending summer camp, youth group or a youth mission trip is not considered volunteer service to the church.
- If a parent or grandparent is a member of a committee board, he or she must be an active participant who attends meetings regularly.
- If there are multiple scholarship students in a family, parent hours cannot be duplicated on each student's volunteer form.
- All volunteer hours will need to be completed by the scholarship application deadline.
- It will be the student's responsibility to maintain a list of volunteer service to the church with supervisor's signatures and it to their scholarship application.

New Journey Grants available to students entering the military for the first time:

- The scholarship committee of Roseland United Methodist Church has created a new policy to honor our students who have made the choice to enter into our nation's military service. If a student is a full time member of our church, has served at least 20 church community service hours in the last year and attends worship services on a regular basis we will award that student with a one time "New Journey" grant. A minimum grade point average is not a requirement to receive a New Journey Grant.

The committee will notify the applicants of their decision by letter. Presentation of scholarships will be made during the worship service of your choice in late July or early August.

Address all correspondence to:

Roseland United Methodist Church
Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 157
Roseland, FL 32957
Email: roselandchurch@bellsouth.net

Thank you,
The Scholarship Committee

IMPORTANT! Include with your application:

1. A cumulative transcript from your current school (not required by New Journey Grant Applicants).
2. Your volunteer hours on the form provided by the church or in some other organized manner. Remember to include all signatures of supervisors.

BOTH of these items must be submitted with your application before you can be considered!

Student Application Roseland United Methodist Church Scholarship Fund

Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Cell: _____

Parent Email: _____

Parent Cell: _____

Names/relationships of family members attending college in the coming academic year:

Check one: I am applying for ___ College Scholarship ___ New Journey Grant for Military

New Journey Grant Applicants: what branch of service will you be entering and when?

Graduating High School Seniors:

School currently attending: _____

School you will be attending in the coming year: _____

Current college students:

School currently attending: _____

School you will be attending in the coming year: _____

Current year of studies: _____ Estimated date of graduation: _____

Intended Major (if declared): _____

Intended Profession (if known): _____

New Journey Grant applicants should skip to page 2 to finish answering questions.

Please attach this year's academic transcripts & list below (GPA must be above 2.75):

	School	City/State	GPA weighted	GPA unweighted	Dates Attended
High School					
College/University					
College/University					

List other financial aid & scholarships (with \$ amounts) you be receiving this year:

Current School & Community Involvement: _____

Honors & awards: _____

Service & Leadership: _____

How often do you or someone from your family attend worship services or activities at Roseland?

If employed, list company name & address & job title:

Attach on a separate piece of paper your type written answers to the following questions:

1. If we were to ask your friends to describe you, what would they say?
2. Which Christian activity or volunteer opportunity has given you the most satisfaction and why?

Please include with this application your completed list of volunteer hours and sign below.

Student's Signature _____ Date: _____

Roseland United Methodist Church Scholarship Volunteer Hours

Please read so you understand the criteria!!

- A minimum of 20 hours is required each year.
- Students must personally complete a minimum 5 hours themselves (but we encourage you to personally do as many of the hours as possible). See the back of this sheet for a list.
- Parents or grandparents (sorry, no siblings) can complete up to 15 hours if the student is living away from the area.
- A student living locally in the area during the school year must complete all 20 themselves. This includes all high school seniors.

THIS FORM IS TO BE ATTACHED TO STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION BEFORE THE DEADLINE EACH YEAR.

Date	Summary of hours worked (i.e. 3 hours NOT 9:00-12:00)	Check(✓) if a Critical Need area	Volunteer opportunity	Name of Volunteer	Supervisor	Supervisor Signature

Name of student: _____

Signature: _____

Critical Need Volunteer Opportunities
A minimum 20 hours is required each year

Opportunity	Date/Hours	Requirements	Contact/Supervisor
Prayer Garden Spring & Summer Maintenance (weeding & trimming)	unlimited		Tom & Alice Douberley 772-589-0564 home aldoub@bellsouth.net
Thrift Shop	10am-2pm Closed Tues & Sun.	Sorting or pricing, help with furniture. Must be able to lift at least 30 lbs.	Dave Desrosier 772-321-1764 cell desro@cfl.rr.com
Thrift Indoor Rummage Sales	Various Dates in 2020-21	Help with set up, during sale and clean up.	Linda Desrosier 772-589-3035 church office 321-446-5336 cell roselandchurch@bellsouth.net
Sound booth Easy Worship (Power Point)	Both services	Prior approval & training	Dave Desrosier 772-321-1764 Cell desro@cfl.rr.com
Sunday School teacher	Rotate Sundays with other volunteers 9AM	Prior approval. Background check & child protection class required	Patti Dabrowski 772-538-0135 cell pattid3@earthlink.net
Sunday morning nursery volunteer	Rotate Sundays with other volunteers	Prior approval. Background check & child protection class required	Tonya Smith 772-664-9594 home
Welcome Table	3 rd Friday of each month in kitchen	Help prepare meals & serve dinner to seniors living in assisted living centers	Kim Cruickshank 704-756-1238 cell kcc2041@cs.com
Church Christmas decorating	Set up Saturday of Thanksgiving weekend. Clean up after Jan 8, 2021	Be able to climb a ladder.	Pastor Linda Tice 772-589-3035 roselandchurch@bellsouth.net
Thanksgiving Dinner @ the church	Thanksgiving Day	Set up, serve, clean up	Stacey Cephus 772-453-4515 cell bivinsstacey@gmail.com
UMM Breakfast/Dinner (does not include spaghetti dinner that benefits summer camp)	Various Times of year	Set up, serve, clean up	Jim Sullivan 772-359-5883 sulli4664@aol.com

Other critical need volunteer opportunities may arise during the year and will be published in the monthly newsletter and the Sunday morning worship bulletin.

"Put God in charge of your work, then what you've planned will take place." ~Proverbs 16:3