

**First United Methodist Church**  
**901 North Kings Hwy.**  
**Myrtle Beach, SC 29577**  
**<http://www.fumcmb.org/>**

### **Youth Group Senior Scholarship Opportunity**

Our church has been generously endowed by church members who have, through gifts and memorials, established a scholarship fund that provide financial resources to be awarded to full-time students in the amount of \$1,000.

### **Purpose**

The purpose of this Senior Scholarship is to encourage Youth Group participation through attendance, mission work, and leadership.

Each applicant will need to attend at least 3/4 of youth events which will be accumulated in the form of Sunday School attendance, Youth Group and other youth sanctioned activities (not including Prayer Breakfast) and at least 1/3 of all youth missions. Attendance will be tracked by the Youth Leaders at each said event.

### **Application Procedure**

1. Applications will become available at the beginning of March during the year of application. Applications may be picked up at the church office or may be acquired from the church website.

2. Completed typed applications, current school transcript(s), a letter of recommendation and a photo must be returned to the Scholarship Committee at the First United Methodist church office by April 20. Please check with the church office to verify that your application has been received by the church secretary.

Additional paper may be used if more room is needed for any responses. It's most important that your responses are detailed and complete to help the Scholarship Committee better know you. Any questions should be directed to the Church Administrator, Greg Clemmons (Email: [administrator@fumcmb.org](mailto:administrator@fumcmb.org)).

3. After reviewing all applications, the Scholarship Committee will contact all applicants by mail. The scholarship recipients will be invited to the presentation of awards during a worship service in May. Recipients are expected to attend this presentation. If unable to attend, the student must contact the chairperson of the Scholarship Committee prior to the awards service.

### **Personal/Contact Information**

Name:

Home Address:

College Address:

Phone Number:

Email:

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Name:  
Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Phone Number:  
Home Church:  
Home Church Address:  
Home Church Phone Number:

### **School Activities**

List group or individual school activities in which you're an active member and identify any leadership role or responsibilities you may have.

### **Church Involvement**

Identify areas in which you've been active in your church since sixth grade.

### **Leisure/Community Activities**

List activities outside of school such as your hobbies, interests, and any community service. Identify any leadership role or responsibilities you may have. Be specific please.

### **Academic**

Name of High School:  
Date of Graduation:  
High School Class Rank out of High School Grade Point Average \*  
List any recognition, awards or honors that you've received in school, church, work, or community in the last several years.

### **Your Faith Journey**

Please respond thoughtfully and specifically to each prompt or question, developing and expressing your ideas.

1. Give a brief summary of the main events in your life and outline your personal as well as your educational goals.
2. How has this church influenced your life journey of faith?
3. In what ways has your religious background and faith impacted your life? Give specific examples of your personal religious beliefs and attitudes, how they guide you in living your daily life.
4. Explain why this scholarship is important to you.

### **References/Letter of Recommendation**

Please give the name, address and phone number of two references, not related to the applicant, who can attest to your character, personal and educational goals. One should be an active member of the church, and the other may be a community volunteer or employer with whom you have worked. Please ask the person at least two weeks ahead to give time to write a letter of recommendation to mail to the church by April 20.