

**HALIFAX COMMUNITY CHURCH
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

**FULL TIME STUDENTS
CURRENTLY ATTENDING COLLEGE**

Halifax United Methodist Church (now Halifax Community Church) established a scholarship program in 2001 for graduating high school seniors enrolling in higher education. Since 2009 the Bailets Legacy Scholarships are also available for full time students presently attending college to submit a scholarship application for consideration. The scholarships are based on the following criteria:

- A Student's Scholastic Achievements
- College, Church or Sunday School, and Community Services
- A Required Personal Essay
- Extra Curricular Activities
- College Expenses/Need
- The Bailets Legacy requirements state "the criteria for these awards shall be established by the named Executor and the scholarship committee of the Halifax United Methodist Church (now Halifax Community Church), taking into consideration need, and such other factors as they may determine, as well as allowing only one scholarship per year to a resident of the Halifax Area School District and all other scholarships must be awarded to persons who attend the Halifax United Methodist Church (now Halifax Community Church). To award individual scholarships not to exceed \$2,000 per year, which award shall not be given to the same student for more than four years."
- "Those persons entering into the ministry would be eligible for the duration of their years of study and would be eligible for a scholarship not to exceed \$4,000 per year. The person receiving the ministry education scholarship must practice in the ministry for five consecutive years or the scholarship will be considered a loan and must be repaid to the Halifax United Methodist Church (now Halifax Community Church) Trust herein established."

All completed applications have to be submitted by Friday, April 10, 2026.

Halifax Community Church
Scholarship Committee
105 Wind Hill Drive
Halifax, Pennsylvania 17032

Any questions, please call the Halifax Community Church Office at 896-8092.

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**Application for Full Time Students
Currently Attending College**

2026/2027 School Year

(All Information Contained Herein Will Be Kept Confidential)

I. Name of Applicant

Last	First	Middle
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Home Address

Cell Phone

Email address

Age _____ **Gender:** **Male** _____ **Female** _____

Name and address of School you will be attending in the Fall (2026)

2. Church Membership

A. Does applicant attend Halifax Community Church?

Yes _____ **No** _____

If No, which church, if any, are you affiliated with? _____

B. When home from college how often do you attend your local church worship services, Sunday school or activities?

Your involvement:

C. While attending college list your involvement in local church services or activities, and/or campus Christian activities or groups below.

D. Do your parents or guardians attend Halifax Community Church?

Yes _____

No _____

E. If applicant does not attend Halifax Community Church, explain affiliation with this church. List current and past church activities. Use separate sheet if necessary.

3. Parents/Guardians

Father's Name _____

Mother's Name _____

Guardian's Name(s) _____

4. Extra-Curricular Activities this year (Include athletics, band, student organizations, part-time work, summer work, community service projects, etc.) Be specific with your attendance – once, weekly, monthly, etc. Use separate sheet if necessary.

5. Academic Achievement

Attach or submit a copy of your College Academic Transcript.

6. Personal Essay

Please include a typed essay explaining why you have selected the particular field of study and college/university you attend; the importance of the scholarship money; and also, share how you have grown in your spiritual journey while attending college.

7. Financial Information

A. Estimated costs for next academic year:

Tuition and Fees _____

Room and Board _____

Books/Materials _____

Other _____

B. List any additional scholarships applied for or awarded with amounts:

**** Special consideration will be given to your application if your family is experiencing financial hardship. Please have your parents contact the pastor by Friday, March 27, 2026, to discuss the situation if this is the case for your family. All information will be kept confidential between the pastor and your family. The pastor will only share with the committee that there is a financial need.**