

GUIDELINES

OLSON SCHOLARSHIP
for Members of

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, Concordia Missouri

Scholarship Fund administered by
TRUMAN HEARTLAND COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

To be eligible the applicant must:

- a) be any active member-in good standing at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Concordia, MO.
- b) be a part-time or, full-time student, or, a high school graduate student in good academic standing at State Fair Community College (SFCC) Sedalia MO, or, University Central Missouri (UCM) Warrensburg MO, or, any Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod (LCMS) affiliated post-secondary institution located in the states of Missouri, Illinois, Nebraska, Wisconsin, Michigan, Minnesota and Indiana, or, any Missouri certified Public University / College, or Certified Vocational Training Institution, or Community College.
- c) demonstrate good character, leadership, service, and a desire to continue their post-secondary education.

Selection Process

1. Applications for Olson Scholarship grants will be reviewed by the Scholarship Committee for completeness and forwarded to Truman Heartland Community Foundation. (THCF)
2. Selection of award recipients shall be based on a combination of merit, financial need and adherence to these guidelines. **MERIT is determined** by academics, concern for church, school and community, life experience, and Teacher/Advisor recommendations. Financial need based on family's financial situation including income, assets, expenses and family size to determine a particular family's ability to provide for an education program. Would consider returning to rural Missouri to seek employment and lifestyle.
3. Application forms can be obtained from any Scholarship Committee member, at the Church Office or from Guidance Counselors at Concordia High School and Saint Paul High School..

April 1 is the deadline for all applications, and must be returned to a Scholarship Committee Member. PLEASE DO NOT RETURN completed applications to the CHURCH OFFICE or HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELOR .

4. The Scholarship Committee, with the review and approval of the Truman Heartland Community Foundation, will annually establish the number and award amount. In a given year the Committee and/or Foundation may exercise the option of making no selection.
5. No member of the Scholarship Committee is eligible to apply for assistance. Members of the immediate families of Scholarship Committee members shall be eligible to apply with the provision that the related member not serve on the Committee during the year in which the application is considered.
6. Awards will be announced by May 30 of any given year. THCF decision is final.
7. Scholarship payment applied to Student Account ID by semester, unless otherwise noted by THCF.

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Nancy/Scholarship/Olson/St. Paul Application osc-32
No major alteration of Original Intent 98-thf. revised Jan 2020 PD(*) (** no social media

APPLICATION

OLSON SCHOLARSHIP
for members of
St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Concordia Missouri, 64020

1. Name _____ Tel # _____ e-mail _____ date _____

Address _____ City _____ ZIP: _____

2. Certificate or Graduated from _____ GPA _____ or Class Ranking _____

3 Enrolling School _____ Address _____ Tel# Bus.Office _____

Field of Interest _____ Certificate or Degree Level Anticipated _____

Entry Level _____ A+ or equivalent _____ Part Time Job _____ # of Hours _____ # in Family _____

4. List Church, Community activities participation, School offices held, honors received

5. Please Indicate your estimated budget for the **First Semester**

COSTS

RESOURCES

Tuition and required fees \$ _____
training aids & material \$ _____
(do not include room, board and commuting expenses)

Personal Savings \$ _____
Aid from parents or others \$ _____
Scholarships received \$ _____

of scholarships pending _____ \$ _____ TOTAL \$ _____

6. Attach a 300-word or less statement relative to your educational and vocational goals. You might include your plans and aspirations for the future and what values you hold to be important in your development along with returning to rural Missouri to seek employment.

7. Attach Current Transcript & **one** letter of recommendation from teacher or counselor.

8. **PLEASE SUBMIT** this completed application by **April 1, 2020** to one of the following:
Orlyn Heimsoth, 463-7714 Cindy Lueck Heins 463-2390 Dale Dieckhoff 463-7000
Paulette Oetting, 463-7679 Bev Frerking 463-2416 members of the Olson Scholarship Advisory Committee.(OSAC)

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9. Received by OSC Member _____ / _____ / _____

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