

Gertrude McFarland Memorial Scholarship

Established 1968

The Gertrude McFarland Scholarship is a minimum award of \$300 administered by the Women's Guild of Christ Episcopal Church in Warrensburg, Missouri in memory of a faithful and loyal member of the church.

BACKGROUND

Gertrude McFarland was actively involved in many parish roles for decades. Upon her death, Miss McFarland left a generous bequest to the Women's Guild of Christ Church, establishing a memorial fund to finance annual scholarships for college students.

CRITERIA & SELECTION PROCESS

The scholarship is available for study at a college, university, vocational school, or seminary.

Recipients may apply for a second award, but preference will be given to first time applicants.

Preference will be given to communicants of Christ Episcopal Church and then to Johnson County, Missouri, residents who are Episcopalians or Lutherans (ELCA), and then to any other applicants, regardless of faith affiliation.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Applicants will provide:

- 1) A typed statement of approximately 300-500 words relating your motivation for further education, future goals, involvement in your community of faith, and financial need.
- 2) Two letters of recommendation:
 - a) One academic recommendation from a faculty member or teacher
 - b) One personal recommendation from a member of your community
- 3) A current transcript of your high school, college, or continuing education academic work.

Applications and related materials must be **delivered/postmarked by April 1** to:

**Christ Episcopal Church
Attn: McFarland Scholarship
PO Box 3
Warrensburg, MO 64093**

Application for the
Gertrude McFarland Memorial Scholarship

Name _____

Date of Birth _____

Home Address _____

Telephone _____ Email _____

Faith Affiliation _____

Postsecondary/ Education Plan _____

Name of School _____

Enrollment Status Applied Admitted Already a Student

CURRENT STUDENTS COMPLETE THIS SECTION

Name of School _____

Class Designation Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior Graduate

Major & Minor _____

Cumulative GPA (4.0 scale) _____

Anticipated date of degree completion _____

ALL APPLICANTS COMPLETE THIS SECTION

Please list any campus and community organizations to which you belong. Note leadership roles when applicable. Attach a second sheet if necessary.
