

# *Holy Family Catholic Church*

## *Scholarship Fund*

*The spirit of generosity and concern for the education of others is evident in those that founded Holy Family Catholic Church more than 100 years ago and this Scholarship Fund reflects just a part of who the founding members were.*

*Established October 17, 1893, Holy Family Catholic Church was founded by French and French Canadian immigrants. Their struggles to begin the parish and continued struggles to build the church tested their faith and determination. They were people of good moral character, strong work ethics and had a desire to promote education, even Catholic education for their children.*

*The founding members were seriously committed to providing what was necessary to have a beautiful site to worship as well as a place to teach. This commitment met serious challenges as the beginning of World War I began. Their determination was tested further with the Great Depression and then the outbreak of World War II. These parishioners gave selflessly, sacrificing so that their children and generations to come could worship, learn and share what they knew God expected from all. They were people of great humility and dignity. They served not only their parish, but their community, as well. Their stewardship of God's gifts stands as an example to all who share in God's promises and the desire to intellectually spread His message through educational achievements.*

# *Holy Family Catholic Church Scholarship*

The scholarship fund granted by Holy Family Catholic Church is an expression of faith in Jesus Christ, in Holy Family Church's mission as God's Church in this world, and in the potential of young Christian men and women. Scholarships will be awarded in two categories: those that are attending Kindergarten through grade twelve in a Catholic school, and those that are choosing to attend a college or university to further their education, up to the age of twenty four.

Holy Family Catholic Church's intentions are that the awards be made to individuals who show evidence of the following:

1. Good moral character
2. Regular participation within the parish of Holy Family Catholic Church (i.e. altar server, lector, usher)
3. Academic excellence, diligence, achievement or ability

To be eligible for a scholarship, a student must be a full-time student, of good moral character, exhibit academic excellence (based on the ability of the student) and regularly participate as member of the parish. Parent, legal guardian or grandparent must be a financially contributing member of the parish also. If the student is below the accepted age to participate, the participation of the parent, legal guardian or grandparent will be considered as the student's requirement. The Holy Family Catholic Church Scholarship award will be granted annually, funds permitting, and applicant must apply to renew their award. Renewal applications should not be considered granted due to previously received awards. Each application, new or renewal, will be reviewed by the Scholarship Committee of Holy Family Catholic Church. Applications are considered when all applications have been received. Any questions, please contact Deacon Roger Pasioneck or the Scholarship Committee chair.

1. The completed application must be typed or neatly written in blue/black ink.
2. A photo of the applicant must be attached.
3. Incomplete applications will not be considered for the scholarship.

**The deadline for submitting applications is April 30, 2017.**

Submit completed application and related documents to:

Holy Family Catholic Church  
Attn: Scholarship Committee  
1525 S. Washington Avenue  
Saginaw, Michigan 48601  
[holyfamilydeacon@cscluster.com](mailto:holyfamilydeacon@cscluster.com)

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**The Holy Family Catholic Church Scholarship Fund at Holy Family Catholic Church was created specifically as a scholarship fund for members of our parish.**

The requirements for consideration are moral character, academic excellence (no minimum grades or tests scores are required - personal motivation is recognized as equally as important as grades) and regular participation within the parish. Applicants, or parents/legal guardians of minor applicants, are required to be financially contributing members of Holy Family Catholic Church. Applicants must be between 5 and 24 years of age. Awards are for one year only, but applicants can reapply yearly.

The attached form is to be completed by all applicants. All information used in evaluating the application will be inaccessible except to members of the Holy Family Scholarship Committee, who will hold it in the strictest confidence.

In an effort to ensure that the wishes of the donor are carried out as completely and responsibly as possible, the Committee, which reviews all applications, asks that all applicants and their families sign below:

I (we) certify and acknowledge that the Holy Family Catholic Church Scholarship Committee of Holy Family Catholic Church shall have the authority and permission to obtain any information it deems necessary from administrative officials at schools I have attended or plan to attend; that the Committee's recommendations will be submitted to the Finance Council of Holy Family Catholic Church, which has the sole authority to award funds; that any irregularities found in this application, or change in circumstances occurring after submission of this application (such as change of school, failure to maintain grades, etc.) may result in the re-evaluation, revocation and/or withdrawal of any scholarship previously awarded, at the sole discretion of the Scholarship Committee; that statements made in this application are true and correct to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief; that in the event of a change in circumstances after the date of submission of the application, I (we), agree to submit a supplement to the application containing information on the change of circumstances.

Signature(s) of Parents(s) or Legal Guardian		Signature of Applicant
Date		Date

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Applicant Name

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Last Name

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First

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Address (Permanent)

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City

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State

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Zip Code

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Permanent Phone Number

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Cell Phone Number

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Social Security #

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Date of Birth

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Male/Female

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Email Address

**FAMILY INFORMATION**

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**Father's Name**

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Envelope #

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Address (city, state, zip)

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Phone Number

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**Mother's Name**

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Address (city, state, zip)

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Phone Number

**SIBLING INFORMATION**

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Applicant Name

**ACADEMIC INFORMATION**

(K through 11th grade students only)

**School Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**School Address** \_\_\_\_\_  
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**What grade will the student be entering?** \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any extracurricular activities the student participates in:

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Please list any community service activities the student participates in:

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What do you feel is the most important reason for attending a Catholic school?

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Please list which ministries the student participates in at Holy Family Church:

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On an additional page, please explain to the Scholarship Committee why Holy Family Church is important to you.

**Please include the most current copy of your report card.**

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Applicant Name

**ACADEMIC INFORMATION**

**School(s) Attended:** \_\_\_\_\_

Graduation Date (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

**College(s) Previously Attended**

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Cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_

**College Plans for Coming Year**

College	Classification	Major
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List any leadership positions you have held, with approximate dates.

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**Please include a copy of your most recent transcript.**



