



Joan E. Shropshire Education Grant Application

This fund has been created in memory of Joan E. Shropshire, who passed away July 18, 2015, to provide a one-time educational assistance grant for students pursuing higher education (post-secondary education) from an accredited college, university, trade, or technical school commencing in the fall of 2017. Messiah Lutheran Church Council Officers (Executive Committee) administers this fund, and will meet annually to determine the availability of grant monies to qualifying applicants. This program may be amended, suspended, and/or terminated by the Messiah Lutheran Church Council.

GRANT REQUIREMENTS

1. Applicant must have completed high school and/or received a high school equivalency certificate, such as a GED or related certificate.
2. Applicant must be a member of Messiah Lutheran Church before January 1st of the year they enter post-secondary education.
3. Applicant must submit to the Messiah Business Manager the Joan E. Shropshire Education Grand Fund Application by August 1st of the year of enrollment in post-secondary education.
4. Applicant must complete a semester from an accredited college, university, trade, or technical school.
5. Applicant must submit their first semesters transcripts to the Messiah Business Manager at the completion of the semester.
6. All decisions concerning this program and/or student eligibility made by the Messiah Lutheran Church Council Officers are final.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Your Name _____ Your Email _____
 Address _____ Your Phone _____
 Parent/Guardian _____ Parent/Guardian Phone _____

GRADUATION AND POST-SECONDARY

Where you received your High School Diploma/GED/Equivalent _____
 Proof of Graduation: *Please attach to this application a photo of Diploma, GED, or equivalent certificate.*

Name of Post-Secondary School you plan to attend _____

STATEMENT OF FAITH AND CAREER GOALS

Please share with us **what faith means to you?**

Please share with us some ways you have been **connected with Messiah** (ministry groups/events/activities)

Please share with us your **career goals**

Signature _____ Date Completed _____