



Arnedia Greenlaw Scholarship Application 2026  
Rev. Dr. Curtis T. Bryant Jr., Senior Pastor

### FIRST YEAR COLLEGE STUDENT

The Mount Zion Baptist Church annually recognizes spiritual and academic commitment through its **ARNEDIA GREENLAW SCHOLARSHIP**. This scholarship is given in honor of Mrs. Arnedia Greenlaw because she was such an inspirational teacher. The purpose of this scholarship is to help our qualifying students in furthering their educational endeavors.

*Applications must be received by: Monday, June 1, 2026*

*LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED*

#### **Please read and follow these guidelines for eligibility:**

1. Applicant must be a member of Mt. Zion Baptist church for at least one year prior to making application and have been actively involved in a church ministry while in high school.
2. Applicant must have a **grade point average (GPA) of 2.5** or better.
3. Applicant must meet all graduating requirements, as well as having been accepted into an accredited college, junior college, university or technical school as a full-time student.

\*Please note that this scholarship is awarded based on a point system. Ministry involvement, GPA, and essay are rated and scored to determine the amount awarded to each student.

#### **Please submit the following required materials in one complete application package:**

1. A completed and signed application (**Includes parent's and your signature**).
2. A typed a 400-500 word essay which should address all of the following topics:
  - (a) your educational and career goals
  - (b) how you intend to use your education to foster Christian relationships
  - (c) your church membership, church activities, organizations and positions held; and how your participation helped develop your Christian character
  - (d) where do you see yourself five (5) years from now?
3. A recommendation letter from a teacher, counselor or work supervisor.
4. At least one document that proves acceptance or enrollment from your selected college or university. (Examples include: **admissions acceptance letter, proof of tuition deposit, or proof of class registration.**)
5. A clear, clean and appropriate individual **photo** of yourself.
6. An **OFFICIAL school transcript** (unofficial or opened transcripts will not be accepted) showing your recent cumulative grade point average should be sent to:

Mt. Zion Baptist Church  
AGS Committee  
402 Singleton Place  
Joliet, IL 60436

Please send all other materials in one email to [agscholarship@mtzionjoliet.org](mailto:agscholarship@mtzionjoliet.org).



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Directions: Please fill out this application fully. If there are any questions that do not apply to you, answer N/A.

**STUDENT INFORMATION**

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Dorm (or housing) address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

**COLLEGE INFORMATION**

Name of College: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of College: \_\_\_\_\_  
(include city, state, zip)

Field of Study (Major): \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Mother or Guardian)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Father or Guardian)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Address if different than yours)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Address if different than yours)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone number

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Telephone number



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MINISTRY INVOLVEMENT

Please answer the following questions so that we may process your scholarship application:

1. How many years have you been a member of Mt. Zion? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Which of the following Mt. Zion Ministries are you apart of (past or present):

Ministry:	Dates	Position(s) held (if applicable)
<input type="checkbox"/> Elevate Wednesday	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Elevate Sunday	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Elevate Teen Choir	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Nurses	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Genuine Praise Dancers	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Sunday School	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Ushers	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Nursery	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Media	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Culinary Arts	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Other	_____	_____

Please list your extracurricular and/or volunteer activities:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Please sign this application. Signature of this application indicates that all information stated in this application is true. Any falsification of information associated with this application will void you of scholarship consideration.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Legal Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)