



22 March 2016

Dear High School Student:

The Church of the Sacred Heart is now accepting applications for the Phyllis Scherberger Service Scholarship to be awarded for the 2016-17 academic year. This scholarship, a \$1,000.00 grant, is endorsed and funded by the Parish Council to recognize young people in the church community who exemplify Christian values and a commitment to helping others through their service to church, school, and local communities. This program is open to students who:

- will graduate from high school in the Spring of 2016
- are members in good standing at the Church of the Sacred Heart
- are actively practicing their Catholic faith (including regular Mass attendance)
- plan to attend a two or four year college, university, or technical school
- have an exemplary record of church and community service.

To apply for the 2016 scholarship program, please complete the attached application package and return it with your sealed letters of recommendation to the church office, ATTN: Scholarship Committee, NO LATER THAN 3 p.m. ON Thursday, April 14, 2011. The applications will then be judged by a panel of volunteer graders (none of whom is a staff member, parent of an applicant, or the scholarship chair). These graders will evaluate each section of the application, with all sections weighed equally, to arrive at a composite score that determines the recipient.

If you have questions about the application package, please contact the Scholarship Committee Chair, Judy Davis, at 489-7540. Thank you for your interest in the Phyllis Scherberger Service Scholarship.

Sincerely,

Judy Davis  
Scholarship Committee Chair

**PHYLLIS SCHERBERGER SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP  
APPLICATION**

**PART I–Personal information**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

High school: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation date: \_\_\_\_\_

College(s), university(ies), or technical school(s) to which you've been accepted:

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School you plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's address (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Father's phone (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's address (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's phone (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Other family members with whom you reside:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Relationship</u>
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Are you a member of the Church of the Sacred Heart? \_\_\_\_yes \_\_\_\_no

Do you actively practice your Catholic faith (including regular Mass attendance)?

\_\_\_\_ yes                      \_\_\_\_ no

If you have been a member of the Church of the Sacred Heart for less than a year, please list your previous parish's name, pastor, address, and phone number:

Parish: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor: \_\_\_\_\_

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

I hereby certify that the information contained in this application package is true to the best of my knowledge.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Part II—Church service, activities, and awards and honors

Please list all church related activities, service, and ministries below. Attach additional sheets if necessary, following the same format.

[illegible]

### Part III—School and community service, activities, and awards and honors

Please list all school and community activities, service, awards and honors below. Attach additional sheets if necessary, following the same format.

[illegible]

Please list any paid employment held during the last four years.

<b>Employer</b>	<b>Dates</b>	<b>Position or duties</b>	<b># of hours per week</b>

#### **PART IV–References**

Please attach two letters of recommendation. One letter must be from a youth minister, minister or director of religious education, or pastor, and one should be from another adult who can attest to your responsibility, motivation, and dedication to your church, school, or local community. **These letters should be on organization letterhead and should be in SEALED envelopes, with the applicant's name on the front and the recommender's signature written across the back flap.**

## **PART V–Essay**

In an essay of approximately 300 words, describe ONE church, school, or community activity that has been especially meaningful to you. Focus on only ONE activity, and explain how that activity has influenced your development as a person.