

The R. Wayne Feezer Memorial Scholarship

The R. Wayne Feezer Memorial Scholarship* offered by Ward's Chapel United Methodist Church honors the memory of Wayne, an active lifetime member of the Church and is awarded annually to church members pursuing a post-secondary education. Applicants are not limited to first year students, yet when funds are limited, first year applicants will be given priority. Scholarships of up to \$5,000 per academic year will be awarded based on the following: church involvement, community service, academic record, letters of recommendation, and financial need.

Applications will be available at the church office beginning February 15, 2021. Applications and all supporting documentation must be submitted to the church office no later than **May 1, 2021**. The number of scholarships and the amount will be announced on Sunday, June 6, 2021.

Qualifications

To be considered for the R. Wayne Freezer Memorial Scholarship, applicants must:

- Be a member of Ward's Chapel United Methodist Church and actively involved in the church.
- Be accepted into a post-secondary education program.
- Submit a completed application and all required documentation.

This scholarship must be used to cover tuition, academic fees, books, and on-campus room and board only. The monetary scholarship award will be made payable directly to the post-secondary institution. If the applicant receives a full scholarship from another source that covers the above mentioned items, then he/she will not be eligible to receive the R. Wayne Feezer Memorial Scholarship.

Selection Process

A scholarship selection committee will select the recipient(s) from the applications received by May 1, 2021. The recipient(s) will be notified by June 1, 2021 and will be honored appropriately.

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Required Documentation

(All information will be strictly confidential)**

1. Most recent academic transcript and a copy of ACT/SAT scores, GRE score, or most recent test required for admission.
2. Two letters of recommendation from non-family members, with at least one being non-academic.
3. Proof of acceptance to a post-secondary institution and the estimated cost of tuition, academic fees, books, and on-campus room and board.
4. Copy of most recently filed Federal Income Tax return***.
5. Financial statement listing assets and liabilities***.

***If you are claimed as a dependent on your parent/guardian's tax return, please also provide a copy of parent/guardian's most recently filed Federal Income Tax return and Financial statement listing assets and liabilities.

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8. Provide any additional information explaining why you feel you should receive financial help with your college expenses.

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Application Checklist

- _____ Completed Application
- _____ Academic Transcript and ACT/SAT/GRE/other scores
- _____ Letters of Recommendation
- _____ Proof of Acceptance into Post-Secondary Institution and Estimated Costs
- _____ Required Financial Documentation
- _____ Student's Signature
- _____ Parent/Guardian's Signature (if required)

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