

## **Shaun Guier and David Scharlau Memorial Scholarship Fund**

Christ United Methodist Church  
2807 Valwood Parkway  
Farmers Branch, TX 75234  
972-247-6136

### **Purpose:**

The purpose of the Shaun Guier and David Scharlau Memorial Scholarship Fund is to provide one or more annual scholarships to persons from the member families of Christ United Methodist Church, Farmers Branch, Texas, for study at an institution of higher learning.

### **Scholarship Selection Guidelines:**

Recipients are to be selected from the active member families of Christ United Methodist Church.

Recipients are to be selected primarily on the basis of need.

Scholarships may be used to attend undergraduate college or university, trade school, or graduate school. Recipients may be at any level of post-secondary school and previous recipients may make repeat applications if needed.

Applicant may have a generic study plan with no specific major.

Scholarships will be paid directly to the school or other provider of the recipient's choice, upon proof of enrollment. If a recipient does not attend school during the term of the award, the award will be returned to the Fund. Extenuating circumstances may be considered.

Please complete attached information and return to Christ United Methodist Church, Attn: Pastor, 2807 Valwood Parkway, Farmers Branch, TX 75234. Application package must be received by April 1st of plan year.

Scholarship recipients will be notified by May 1st of plan year. Scholarship(s) will be presented on Mother's Day of plan year.

**I hereby agree to abide with the decisions of the Scholarship Committee and will also be willing to have a personal interview with the committee if asked.**

Signature of applicant \_\_\_\_\_

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**APPLICATION DEADLINE April 1st**

**Please provide the scholarship selection committee with the following information.**

Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone# \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

School currently attending or current employer \_\_\_\_\_

**Family information:**

Parents/Spouse (if married)

\_\_\_\_\_

Occupation and place of employment of parents/spouse

\_\_\_\_\_

Number of other persons (and ages) living in household

\_\_\_\_\_

Number of other persons in household attending college \_\_\_\_\_

Are you an active member of Christ Church? \_\_\_\_\_

If you are not an active member, please list name of active family affiliation to Christ Church.

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**Future Plans:**

Where do you plan to further your education? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you applied to this institution? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been accepted? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you applying for any other scholarships or financial aid? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, which ones? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you received any other scholarships or financial aid? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, which one(s) and amount(s) received? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you plan to attend school on a full time basis? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you plan to work while attending school? \_\_\_\_\_

How many hours per week? \_\_\_\_\_

**On a separate page, please provide the following information:**

**Academic Information:** Describe your academic experiences. (can include SAT, ACT scores, GPA from high school/trade school or college last attended, or a letter from your former school, etc.) Official transcript not required.

**Honors, Activities and Participation in school, church and community:** You may attach a resume. Include awards/honors, extracurricular activities, leadership positions, community service, employment, summer activities, mission trips, and your involvement in the life of the church. If you have been away from Christ Church while attending college, please list your involvement while you were at Christ Church and include your spiritual connection and activities while you have been away from home.

**Essay Section:** Inform the Scholarship Committee about any circumstances that you might have that will influence the committee. Please state why you need financial aid, what your major might be and what your career plans are. Also please include any extenuating circumstances concerning your academic experiences, your family situation or your financial need. (Be specific, no more than one page)

