



## **2021 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

**APPLICATION DUE DATE:  
SATURDAY, JUNE 5<sup>TH</sup>, 2021**

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St John Baptist Church aims to financially support undergraduate students who are a part of our congregation. Eligible students will receive support for High School graduation and each subsequent undergraduate year.

**EMAIL COMPLETED APPLICATION TO:**  
[YouthMinistry@stjohnbaptistchurch.org](mailto:YouthMinistry@stjohnbaptistchurch.org)



## St John Baptist Church Scholarship

\$1,500\* for High School Graduates/ \$1,000\* for Returning College Students

*\*Award disbursement in 2 increments: 50% in Fall 2021, 50% Spring 2022*

### 2021 High School Graduates:

Eligible applicants must: submit an application by Saturday, June 5<sup>th</sup> at midnight, be a 2021 High School graduate, be an active member of St John Baptist Church for a minimum of one year\*, submit a copy of the acceptance letter from their higher education institution of your choice (acceptable institutions include: two or four year colleges/universities, trade schools, and technical colleges), and must submit a typed essay between 1000 and 1500 words (prompts found on page 3).

### Recurring College Students:

Eligible applicants must: submit an application by Saturday, June 5<sup>th</sup> at midnight, be continuing in undergraduate education, be an active member of St John Baptist Church for a minimum of one year\*, submit a copy of your transcript (official or unofficial), verification of enrollment for Fall 2021, and must submit a typed essay between 1000 and 1500 words (prompts found on page 3).

Applications can be submitted to [YouthMinistry@stjohnbaptistchurch.org](mailto:YouthMinistry@stjohnbaptistchurch.org).

For any questions, contact Rev. Rickey Harvey, Jr. at [RHarvey@stjohnbaptistchurch.org](mailto:RHarvey@stjohnbaptistchurch.org).

*\*Applicants who joined the church post-June 2020 will still be recognized with gifts at the graduate recognition ceremony.*

### Personal Information

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

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

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Contact Information (Phone or email): \_\_\_\_\_

### High School Information

Name of High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Month & Year of High School Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_





If applicable, please include the name of the college/university you will be matriculating to and your proposed field of study. Please put "N/A" if this question is not applicable to you.

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What city and state is the institution above located in? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been accepted into the institution of your choice?

\_\_\_ Yes (If so, please include a copy of your acceptance letter)

\_\_\_ No

Briefly describe your career goals.

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### Essay

Please choose one of the following three essay prompts, and answer in 1000-1500 words words:

*Typed, 12 font, double-spaced, grammatically-correct submissions, please.*

- 1) Describe life experiences that have shaped your faith and spiritual development, and how you'll apply that faith to your undergraduate life.
  
- 2) Does any attribute, quality, or skill distinguish you from everyone else? How did you develop this, and how will you use it to glorify God and benefit others?
  
- 3) Describe the current and past impact of the black church in this community; and your thoughts on how the church can impact the Howard County community in the future.