



Central Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) Decatur, Illinois Scholarship Application

PERSONAL INFORMATION

FULL NAME _____

HOME ADDRESS _____

(Street/P.O. Box)

(City/State/Zip)

SCHOOL ADDRESS _____

(Street/P.O. Box)

(City/State/Zip)

PHONE _____

HOME / WORK / SCHOOL

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING IF YOU LIVE WITH PARENTS/GUARDIANS

PARENTS/GUARDIANS

MOTHER _____

OCCUPATION _____

FATHER _____

OCCUPATION _____

ARE YOU CLAIMED BY YOUR PARENTS/GUARDIANS AS A DEPENDENT FOR INCOME TAX PURPOSES?

YES

NO

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING IF YOU ARE MARRIED AND/OR A PARENT

IF MARRIED:

SPOUSE _____

OCCUPATION _____

NUMBER OF DEPENDENT CHILDREN _____

WHICH SCHOLARSHIP(S) ARE YOU APPLYING FOR?

COCOA AND LILABELLE TRAYLOR SCHOLARSHIP

ROY & RACHEL SCHILLING SCHOLARSHIP

DON & BONNIE SAUER PEACE & JUSTICE SCHOLARSHIP

DR. BARBARA TYLER SCHOLARSHIP

WALTER & INABELL KIRBY SCHOLARSHIP

(SEE PAGE 4 FOR DESCRIPTION/CRITERIA)

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

PLEASE, ATTACH YOUR CURRENT HIGH SCHOOL OR COLLEGE TRANSCRIPTS TO THE BACK OF THIS APPLICATION

HIGH SCHOOL, COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY OR VOCATIONAL/TRADE SCHOOL ATTENDED, NAME AND ADDRESS	DATES ATTENDED	CREDITS EARNED	GPA	DIPLOMA/DEGREE OR EXPECTED GRADUATION DATE

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY/TRADE SCHOOL ENROLLED IN FOR FALL OF 2024

SCHOOL NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

MAJOR _____

EXPECTED OCCUPATION AFTER GRADUATION _____

SCHOOL & COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION INVOLVEMENT

LIST ALL EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND CIVIC ORGANIZATION YOU HAVE PARTICIPATED IN BELOW:
(ATTACH ADDITIONAL PAGES AS NEEDED)

NAME & DESCRIPTION OF	DATES	OFFICES HELD/HONORS RECEIVED

WRITTEN PERSONAL STATEMENT

PLEASE PROVIDE A TYPED, WRITTEN STATEMENT (500 WORDS OR LESS) DESCRIBING YOUR INVOLVEMENT IN THE LIFE OF CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH INCLUDING LEADERSHIP YOU HAVE PROVIDED AND HOW YOUR EDUCATION WILL HELP YOU MEET YOUR GOALS FOR THE FUTURE.

PERSONAL REFERENCES

PLEASE PROVIDE THREE REFERENCES INCLUDING NO MORE THAN ONE RELATIVE

NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE	RELATION	DATES KNOWN

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

ESTIMATED EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES FOR COMING YEAR:

TUITION \$ _____
BOOKS & FEES \$ _____
HOUSING \$ _____
MEALS & COMMUTING \$ _____
OTHER _____ \$ _____
TOTAL \$ _____

NUMBER OF FULL-TIME COLLEGE STUDENTS IN HOUSEHOLD _____

ESTIMATED AMOUNT YOU EXPECT TO RECEIVE FROM:

PARENTS/SPOUSE \$ _____
SCHOLARSHIPS/GRANTS \$ _____
LOANS \$ _____
PERSONAL SAVINGS \$ _____
EMPLOYMENT/WORK STUDY \$ _____
OTHER _____ \$ _____
TOTAL \$ _____

SCHOLARSHIP DESCRIPTIONS

THE ROY O. & RACHEL R. SCHILLING SCHOLARSHIP

The Schilling Scholarship is awarded each year on a competitive basis to a participating member of Central Christian Church, Decatur, Illinois. Award is based primarily upon academic achievement and financial need, however, participation in church, school and community activities is considered as well. Award is made annually, and does not extend past the year of award. A recipient must reapply each year he or she wishes to be considered for the scholarship. Preference will be given to those who intend to enter into the fields of ministry, teaching or nursing. Should there be no suitable applicants in the areas of study preparing students for these fields, then consideration will be opened to all applicants. Applicants may be currently attending either a college, university or trade school, or planning to attend one the following year. No Schilling Scholarship will be awarded to students who have been awarded and accepted full scholarships for tuition and fees by either another scholarship award, fund or grant.

THE COCOA "COKE" & LILABELLE TRAYLOR SCHOLARSHIP

The Cocoa and Lilabelle Traylor Scholarship Fund is awarded annually to a deserving person who wishes to pursue a career in teaching. Preference is also given to those who intend to enter into public service such as the fields of ministry or nursing. If no qualified applicants apply in these designated fields, the scholarship may be awarded to a candidate who will attend vocational school to learn a trade. Award is based primarily upon academic achievement and financial need, however, participation in church, school and community activities is also considered. Award is made annually, and does not extend past the year of the award. A recipient must reapply each year he or she wishes to be considered for the scholarship. Applicants may be currently attending either a college, university or trade school, or planning to attend one the following year.

THE DON & BONNIE SAUER PEACE & JUSTICE SCHOLARSHIP

The Don and Bonnie Sauer Peace & Justice Scholarship is awarded annually to a deserving person who demonstrates peace and justice ideals by active involvement with college, church, or community organizations, or with an individual not directly connected to any group. Award is based primarily upon these active involvements. The applicant's written personal statement on this application form is also strongly considered. Academic achievement, choosing a peace and justice curriculum, and financial need may be considered. If no qualified applicants apply, the awarding of the scholarship will wait until there are qualified applicants in a future year. The award is made annually and does not extend past the year of the award. A recipient must reapply each year he or she wishes to be considered. Applicants may be currently attending a college, university or trade school, or planning to attend one the following year.

THE DR. BARBARA TYLER SCHOLARSHIP

The recipient of the Dr. Barbara Tyler Scholarship shall be chosen by the Scholarship and Awards Committee of Central Christian Church - Christian Education Department. This scholarship may be awarded annually to a qualifying person who seeks additional education beyond high school. If there is no eligible candidate, the Scholarship Committee may hold the award for a future year. The desired candidate shall have actively participated in Central's youth or young adult programs, have been baptized at Central Christian Church and be a current member of the church. If qualified, the candidate may be granted this scholarship in addition to any other Central Christian Church scholarship awarded in the same year. A recipient may receive this scholarship more than once so long as he or she shows continued participation in Central's ministries and maintains acceptable academic standing. Should multiple candidates be equally qualified for this award, the winner shall be determined through a lottery conducted by the Scholarship Committee.

THE WALTER & INABELL KIRBY SCHOLARSHIP

The Walter and Inabell Kirby Scholarship Fund is awarded annually to a deserving person who wishes to pursue a career in music or international affairs. If no qualified applicants apply in these designated fields, the scholarship will be open to all qualified candidates. Award is based primarily upon academic achievement and financial need, however, participation in church, school and community activities is also considered. Award is made annually, and does not extend past the year of the award. A recipient must reapply each year he or she wishes to be considered for the scholarship. Applicants may be currently attending either a college, university or trade school, or planning to attend one the following year.

YOU MUST RESPOND TO ALL THE INFORMATION REQUESTED IN THIS APPLICATION IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED FOR THE SCHOLARSHIPS DESCRIBED ABOVE. APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE CHURCH OFFICE BY May 3, 2024, AT 3 P.M. PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT NEATLY YOUR RESPONSES.

SIGNATURE

I VERIFY THAT ALL INFORMATION PROVIDED IS TRUE AND GRANT CONSENT FOR CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH TO USE MY NAME AND PICTURE FOR PUBLIC RELATIONS PURPOSES SHOULD I BE AWARDED A SCHOLARSHIP.

SIGNED _____