

Rev. Dr. Judy Mbugua Scholarship Application

(Provided for university students in 2PC and Campus Outreach Memphis)

As you may know, serving on a short-term mission team can give you a bigger glimpse of God's work in peoples' lives around the world. We are grateful for the privilege of offering trips through our church. If you are considering an upcoming 2PC trip, campus ministry trip, or CO Memphis CCP, we want to help.

The 2PC World Missions Team (WMT) would like to encourage by offering a scholarship opportunity for a short-term mission's experience. To be considered for this scholarship, you must be enrolled in college full-time (undergrad or graduate), be a member of or child of members at 2PC (or have attended a CO Summer Project), and complete the attached application. Your application will be reviewed by World Missions Team members (anonymously) and winners will be chosen and announced at the upcoming World Missions Conference.

The winners will receive financial support funds for a short-term mission trip to be taken before the end of the year after the Missions Conference where the winners are announced, or it is forfeited. The trip must be approved as a qualifying missions trip by the WMT. Prizes toward a trip will be awarded as follows: First Place \$2000; Second Place \$1000; Third Place \$500. The announcement of the winners will be made on **Sunday night, March 1st, of the World Missions Conference.** (*No former winners will be eligible. Late entries will not be considered, no exceptions.*)

PLEASE CAREFULLY READ AND FOLLOW ALL DIRECTIONS

Please complete the 2-page application form. Submit both pages along with your essay to the COM office, (nik.weber@campusoutreach.org) or 2PC World Missions Office, (partners@2pc.org) **no later than NOON, Tuesday, February 10, 2026.**

1. Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Home Address _____

Cell _____ School _____ Year _____

Are you a member of 2PC? _____ If no, are your parents members of 2PC? _____

Parent or Guardian _____

2. Which 2PC Missions Trip(s) or COM Project(s) have you participated in? Please give the year(s) and if applicable city or country.

If you have any questions, please call Lisa Ritenour (World Missions Administrator) at (901) 454-0034 ext or email partners@2pc.org.

Application Form

Applicant No. _____

Students: Please TYPE the answers to the following questions. *Do not write your name anywhere on this sheet or in your answers.** The answers will be read anonymously.

Describe your relationship to Jesus and share your story about how it got to where it is today.

Why are you applying for this scholarship?

Please provide a ***typed*** response of **500 to 1000** words on the following topic: Please provide a response of **500 to 1000** words on the following topic:

“Into the Darkness” (John 12:46) which is our conference theme this year

“I have come into the world as light, so that whoever believes in me may not remain in darkness.”

In writing your response, please consider each of the following questions. Feel free to use other scripture on this topic in your answer.

- 1. The namesake of the scholarship, Rev. Dr. Judy Mbugua, believes that the gospel of Jesus rescues people from darkness and brings them into the light. Why does she think that and how do you see it in the Bible?**
- 2. What are Rev. Dr. Mbugua’s motivations to go “Into the Darkness” in the Kibera slums with the good news of Jesus?**
- 3. Missions often involves serving and helping others with practical needs that shows what the light can look like compared to the darkness. How do we see that in Rev. Dr. Mbugua’s ministry? In what way(s) does Rev. Dr. Mbugua model how it is insufficient without verbally sharing the gospel?**
- 4. How does meditating on what God has done in the past, like through Ms. Rev. Dr. Mbugua’s life and work, provide fuel for us to go “Into the Darkness” for others?**

To learn about Rev. Dr. Mbugua, consider her books or the following websites.

Books-

Judy: A Second Chance

Relentless Faith

See What God Has Done

Websites-

<https://www.2pc.org/on-mission/world-missions/global-mission-partners/detail/103083/>

<https://www.homecaresf.org/>

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Judy_Mbugua

<https://nation.africa/kenya/life-and-style/lifestyle/decades-of-transforming-lives-in-nairobi-slums-4327312>

Videos-

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p5la5npmFnA>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wUWHRUqgPnQ>