

***** NOTICE *****

On behalf of the Margaret Wilson Scholarship Trust, the Birmingham United Methodist Church (Birmingham, Iowa) would like to announce the application deadline for educational scholarships for Birmingham area residents. Applications for the 2023-2024 school year are due on or before April 1, 2023.

- Applicants must have a grade point average (GPA) of 2.50 or higher AND
- Applicants must be accepted to an accredited two or four-year college AND
- Applicants must live within the Birmingham zip code or telephone exchange **OR** be a member of Birmingham United Methodist Church, a member's spouse or a member's dependent.

Applications are available at:

- Birmingham United Methodist Church
- Van Buren County High School guidance counselor's office
- Fairfield High School guidance counselor's office
- An application may also be requested in writing from: Birmingham United Methodist Church, PO Box 234, Birmingham, IA 52535.

*****Please destroy any old application forms and use the updated one enclosed*****

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MARGARET WILSON SCHOLARSHIP TRUST

Scholarship Application

The deadline for filing this completed application is April 1, 2023. (must be post-marked by the deadline to be considered received timely)

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- CRITERIA:**
1. Grade point 2.50 or higher and
 2. Be accepted to a 2 or 4-year accredited college and
 3. Live within the Birmingham zip code or Birmingham telephone exchange
- OR be a member of the Birmingham United Methodist Church, member's spouse or member's dependent.

PERSONAL

Name _____

Permanent Address _____

Phone _____ Email (for scholarship correspondence only) _____

EDUCATION

Name of college/seminary you plan to attend:

What classification will you be? FR ____ SOPH ____ JR ____ SR ____ GRADUATE ____ SEMINARY YEAR ____

Have you been accepted? Y or N

Will you be attending FULL TIME or PART TIME? (please circle one)

GPA (High School or College) _____ (cumulative)

ACT/SAT score (if still in high school) _____

VOCATION

For what career are you preparing? (If undecided, list possible choices)

ACTIVITIES AND INTERESTS

State briefly your extracurricular interests and activities: _____

STATEMENT OF APPLICANT AND CO-SIGNERS

We certify that all information given on this application is true, correct and complete to the best of our knowledge.

Applicant: _____ Date _____

Parent (if dependent): _____ Date _____

Return the completed application to:

**Birmingham United Methodist Church
Attn: Scholarship Committee
PO Box 234
Birmingham, Iowa 52535**

Deadline is April 1, 2023.

Form revised: 2/8/2012