

Chisago Lake Lutheran Church Scholarship

The Chisago Lake Lutheran Scholarship was created to provide give grants for higher education and/or vocational training to students from Chisago Lake Lutheran Church.

Endowments have been given to the glory of God and in memory of:

Edith and Arnold Johnson
Victor and Ellen Engstrand
Wilhelm and Estelle Hall

AWARDS

- Scholarships must be used within 12 months of the award.
- The amount of scholarship grants in any one school year shall be determined by the amount of funds available and the amount to be determined by the scholarship committee.
- Selection of recipients shall be made by a committee appointed by the church council of Chisago Lake Lutheran Church.
- Recipients will be notified in July, 2026.
- Funds shall be paid directly to the institution for tuition or school fees.

ELIGIBILITY

- Candidate must be a current member of Chisago Lake Lutheran Church or the dependent of a current member.
- Candidate must be planning to attend a post-secondary institution. Primary eligibility shall be given to those students attending a church related college, university, or seminary, but consideration is also given to those attending public college, university, or vocational institutes.
- Candidate must be either a graduating senior or enrolled in a post-secondary institution as a student.

CRITERIA

- Academic and vocational achievement.
- Service to the church, school, and community.

PROCEDURE

To be considered for the Chisago Lake Lutheran Church Scholarship, applicants must complete an application and return it to Chisago Lake Lutheran by June 8, 2026. The application must include:

- A completed application form.
- Two personal references either using the form enclosed in this packet or a letter of personal reference. *References are good for two years; after that new ones must be submitted.*
- A copy of the most recent high school or post-secondary school transcript.

Incomplete forms or any missing pieces listed above may result in disqualification or a lower scholarship award.

**Return by June 8th to: Chisago Lake Evangelical Lutheran Church
P. O. Box 175
Center City, MN 55012**

Or

office@chisagolakelutheran.org

Gladys L. Johnson Scholarship

The Gladys L. Johnson Scholarship was created by Gladys Johnson in 1966 to defray costs for students attending post-secondary education.

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ELIGIBILITY

- Candidate must be planning to attend a post-secondary institution. Primary eligibility shall be given to those students attending any public or private college, university, seminary, or vocational institutes.
- Candidate must be either a graduating senior or enrolled in a post-secondary institution as a student.

CRITERIA

- Academic and vocational achievement.
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PERSONAL STATEMENT

Use the space provided below to write how this scholarship would benefit your educational goals and financial needs. (Use another sheet of paper, if necessary, or use the back of this one.)

What are your goals as you pursue your education?

Explain your financial need for this scholarship.

Describe your work experience.

PERSONAL REFERENCES

A personal reference form is enclosed. You may duplicate this for additional references or have them submit a letter of reference. Two references are required at least one being a school staff member or pastor.

References:

1. _____

2. _____

PERSONAL REFERENCE FORM

Student

In the process of making application for Scholarship award at Chisago Lake Lutheran Church the applicant has been asked to submit it to either a school staff member (teacher, counselor, administrator, etc.) and/or a Pastor. To help the Scholarship Committee better evaluate this applicant, please answer the following question, sign and date the form at the bottom, and return to the Chisago Lake Lutheran Church or return to the applicant. If you have any questions or desire further information, please contact (651) 257-6300.

1. How long have you known the applicant?

2. What is your relationship to the applicant?

3. List strengths and gifts you feel this applicant has that would impact our consideration of him/her for scholarship.

4. List any additional information you feel is pertinent to the applicant.

I certify that the above information is accurate and true.

Name and Title

Mailing Address

Phone Date

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Center City, MN 55012