

2019 - 2020 Scholarship Opportunity Church of the Transfiguration

The Church of the Transfiguration (COTT), under the administration of the Pastoral Council, is offering a scholarship opportunity open to young adults in the Parish. The scholarship is in keeping with the Parish's efforts to support and encourage students that are heading off to post high school education and those who are currently attending a school of higher education to continue in the growth of their faith. The scholarship also serves as a tangible sign to students that the foundation of faith experience at COTT endures.

SCHOLARSHIP AMOUNT: Each year our Parish hopes to award a deserving student a \$500 scholarship

ELIGIBILITY: Youth members of COTT who are currently high school seniors and have made a firm commitment to enter a school of higher learning and those who are currently enrolled in a school of higher learning.

APPLICATION: Hard copies of the application will be available outside of the Parish office. A PDF copy may also be obtained on the Parish website. Completed applications should be returned to the Parish office by no later than Monday, April 1. Your submission should be limited to 300 words and written from a **personal point of view without assistance from another individual or family member.**

SELECTION: Completed applications will be reviewed by a COTT representative selection committee and submitted to the Parish Council for approval and processing. The Parish will notify the awardee in writing and the winner will be announced at the mass for high school graduates in June.

If you have any questions regarding the scholarship, please contact Dan Burkard by phone at 703 789-1636 or by email at dburkard1@gmail.com; or Bill Dillon by phone at 540 473-2347 or by email at wildilmars@aol.com.

Timeline for Scholarship

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| Feb 16 and 17
And
Mar 9 and 10 | Announcement in Parish Bulletin (Light green paper) |
| Mar 2 and 3 | Youth members of Parish Council announce at masses |
| April 1 | Deadline for submission of applications |
| April 3 | Discuss at Parish Council Meeting |
| April 3- May 15 | Convene Parish Review Committee composed of:
Dan Burkard and one Youth member (Parish Council)
One member from Youth Ministry
One member from Circle of Mary
One member from the Knights of Columbus |
| May 24 | Pastoral Council notifies winner in writing |
| June 1 and 2 | Announce winner at mass for high school graduates |