**Emmanuel Community Church**

 ***Dr. Eric Suddith, Pastor***

 **Fall 2023/ SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PACKET**

**2023 /Fall Scholarship Award**

**Open Enrollment Date: July 16, 2023**

Emmanuel will award Academic Scholarships for the Fall and Spring Semesters. The scholarship **amount** for each semester will be based on the availability of funds.

**Eligibility Requirements**

To be eligible, students must:

* Be a member of Emmanuel Community Church between the ages of 17-22 and be currently active in the Bold Ministry/Sunday School/Online Learning Classes and/or Wednesday Bible Study. New student members must have completed New Members Classes and actively participated in ECC ministries over a 6-month period of time.
* While in college, be active in Bible Study and or Sunday school (online). Parents who are members must be currently active in Sunday school prior to the scholarship if the student is **away** at school and can’t participate online.
* Have completed the requirements for a high school diploma by the Georgia Department of Education or must have earned a GED (General Equivalent Diploma) from an accredited school.
* Be transitioning into an accredited 4-year College/ University, or 2-year Junior College in the upcoming semester or quarter.
* Student must be enrolled full-time (at least 12 semester hours) to receive a full scholarship or part–time (at least 9 semester hours) for a partial scholarship.

* Have a 2.0 GPA or higher per semester/quarter. An official transcript from High School scanned or a transcript printed from the official Educational Institution portal must be provided.
* Submit a completed Emmanuel Scholarship Application Packet electronically on or before the designated submission deadline.

**Essay Question Required:**

**Question:** In what areas of your life you have put that which is secular too close to (or in place of) the sacred? Regarding entertainment, secular spirituality, attitude toward money, etc. What guardrails can you erect to prevent this?

**How to Apply**

Eligible students must submit a **completed application:**

* Student Information Form
* Affirmation of Attendance (Sunday School)
* Written Essay
* Proof of High School Diploma/or GED
* Official college transcript (once in college)
* Letter of acceptance to college/university, or proof of current enrollment in college/university
* Incomplete or late applications will not be accepted. **NO EXCEPTIONS**

**Scholarship Funds Disbursement Procedure**

Scholarship recipients will receive confirmation via email, mail, or text. Check will be mailed to the student’s school address or parent/guardian’s address

 on the designated date.

**WHERE TO SUBMIT THE APPLICATION PACKET:**

The completed Application Packet should be properly

submitted and emailed to ***eccscholar2@gmail.com***

before the deadline date.

**DEADLINE DATE: August 13, 2023**

**Please Note: Student(s) enrolled in less than twelve (12) hours in College/University will receive a partial scholarship.**

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**FALL 2023 STUDENT INFORMATION FORM**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Are you currently a member at ECC? Yes [ ]  No[ ]

 Are your Parents Members of ECC? Yes [ ]  No [ ]

Student Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Parent(s) Home Phone # \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Student Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent (s) Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name of College/University/ Attending:

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Student ID #: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

College/University/ Address:

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**\*\*\*Application Check List:**

1. Completed form above (**Student Information Form)**
2. Signed “Affirmation of Attendance” (for Sunday school/ Bible Study or Online Learning Classes).
3. All essays are to be typed (500 words minimum) 12pt. font - Times New Roman double-spaced on 8 ½ x 11 size paper) Essays are to be properly written with correct use of grammar.
4. Official Transcript (must be current).
5. Proof of current enrollment in College/University.



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**Affirmation of Attendance**

My Name is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and I am applying for an ECC Scholarship for College/University. In order to qualify for this scholarship, I understand that I must be participating via ZOOM (or whatever online platform is used by ECC) Small Groups, Sunday school, Bold Ministry, and/or Wednesday Night Bible Study. This means that I am **almost always** ONLINE learning more about God and His work through the Lord Jesus Christ. Or, I am in-person learning on Sunday mornings.

Please sign below that you can verify that I am **almost always** actively participating in ONLINE Sunday school learning classes, or that I am now in-person learning.

If I have already moved away from my parents’ home while attending college and can no longer participate in person, then I promise to continue to connect with ONLINE Sunday School Young Adult Learning. When in town on breaks, I will attend in person to better enjoy fellowship time and in-person learning.

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(Print) Name of Student (Print Name) TLC Leader/ Facilitator

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 (Signature) Student (Signature) TLC Leader/Facilitator

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 Date Date