

DR. ALVIN UHLE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND PURPOSE/CRITERIA STATEMENT

Purpose Statement:

The purpose of the Dr. Alvin Uhle Memorial Scholarship Fund is to provide monetary assistance to those persons who have participated in the life of Rose City United Methodist Church and who wish to further their education in the field of their choice.

Application Criteria:

1. All applicants must give evidence of actively participating in worship, activities and programs of Rose City Park United Methodist Church. A student may or may not be a church member.
2. The applicant must be a high school graduate planning to use the scholarship for further education from an accredited institution including trade school, community college, or university.
3. All scholarship money will be given as a grant and is awarded for the September to August academic year.
4. A person may be approved for more than one scholarship from this fund in successive years depending on need, at the discretion of the Rose City Park United Methodist Church Scholarship Committee. In addition the applicant may also apply for and receive funding from the Rose City Park United Methodist Scholarship Fund.
5. An application form (available in the church office) reviewing accomplishments and financial needs must be provided to the Memorial Scholarship Committee. Applications will be accepted according to timelines established by the Memorial Scholarship Committee. The availability of scholarships will be announced in the Apostolate Newsletter and church bulletin allowing ample time for application submission prior to the due date.
6. At least three members of the Scholarship Committee will interview each applicant prior to a final decision.
7. Scholarship recipients will be expected to make themselves available for introduction to the church congregation when the Scholarships are announced.
8. Scholarship money will be disbursed no more than one week prior to the start of the term in which funds will be used. Recipients may request funds through the chair of the Memorial Scholarship Committee or another designated member of the Committee. Checks may be made out to the school or the scholarship recipient at the discretion of the scholarship recipient.
9. Money not requested during the academic year for which it is awarded will remain the property of the Dr. Alvin Uhle Memorial Scholarship Fund. The recipient who does not use their awarded scholarship during the year for which it was awarded may reapply in a subsequent year.

Questions concerning these criteria may be addressed to Jill Bills, Chair of the Memorial Scholarship Committee, telephone (503) 253-8211.

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Dr. Alvin Uhle Scholarship Fund Background Information

The Dr. Alvin Uhle Scholarship Fund was established in 1998. A long time member of our church, Dr. Uhle's passion was to help others, not only as a doctor, but as a friend as well. The scholarship funds provided annually by Dr. Uhle's family members are given as a reflection of his interest in the ambitions of students and their pursuit of education.