

St. Martin of Tours Church

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April 30, 2017

Dear Parishioner,

We are pleased to announce that the Scholarship Grant Program at St. Martin of Tours will be continued into the 2017-2018 school year. We need to increase the number of volunteers to help insure the future success of the fund raising activity.

We have an established Scholarship Grant Committee. The members are Frank Speck, Bob Eike, Barb Muich along with Monsignor McCumber. These parishioners will play an active role in the advancement of this program, assessing the needs of the families involved, reviewing the tuition increases at area schools and monitoring the funds available based on parish fund raisers.

To qualify for a Scholarship Grant:

1. The family needs to be registered parishioners at St. Martin of Tours.
2. Important to Catholic Education is participation in the parish, especially Sunday Mass
3. Families are expected to attend Mass at St. Martin of Tours indicating their presence by placing their contribution envelope in the Sunday collection basket at least once a month. There is no required contribution amount, just simply your presence at Mass.

As beneficiaries of the St. Martin of Tours Scholarship Grant your participation in the parish fundraisers is essential. Scholarships will be awarded based on the following guidelines:

- \$1000 Scholarship Grant for a single child - 12 volunteer shifts required
- \$1000 Scholarship Grant each for 2 children - 18 volunteer shifts required
- \$1000 Scholarship Grant each for 3 or more children - 24 volunteer shifts required

The volunteer shifts may be worked by the parent, grandparent or other qualifying immediate family member. Be certain, as you and/or another family member volunteer for a fundraising event that **you sign** in so our records will reflect your volunteer shifts. Shifts for this grant begins August 2017 thru July 2018*

Scholarship Grants will be considered for any student enrolled in parochial catholic education (including children age 4/5 in the last year of catholic preschool), as long as their parents or grandparents are registered parishioners at St. Martin of Tours Church and meet the expectations listed above. If the Grant has been awarded, payment to the schools in two equal payments, one in August and the other will be around the third week in January.

If you have a child you would like to be considered for a Scholarship Grant for the upcoming 2017-2018 School Year, complete the Scholarship Grant Application/Agreement and submit to the rectory **no later than May 31, 2017**. Your completed application may be faxed, emailed or sent by first class mail, but **must be received by May 31, 2017**.

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Attention: Scholarship Grant Committee

Sincerely,

Monsignor McCumber
Pastor

Larry Skaggs
Bingo Chairperson

Ken Harangozo
Bingo Chairperson

SCHOLARSHIP GRANT APPLICATION/AGREEMENT
2017-2018 School Year - August, 2017 thru July, 2018

Family Last Name _____

Father's Name _____ Mother's Name _____

Home Address _____

Phone Number: _____ Phone Number: _____

Email: _____ Email: _____

Child #1

Name _____ Date of Birth _____

School Attending _____ Grade Entering _____

Child #2

Name _____ Date of Birth _____

School Attending _____ Grade Entering _____

Child #3

Name _____ Date of Birth _____

School Attending _____ Grade Entering _____

Child #4

Name _____ Date of Birth _____

School Attending _____ Grade Entering _____

Application/Agreement must be completed and returned no later than **May 31, 2017** to be considered for the Scholarship Grant Program. You will be notified of acceptance by mail.

By signing the application below, you are verifying that you have read the requirements for a Scholarship Grant and will adhere to guidelines stated in the letter above.

It is the responsibility of the parent to inform St. Martin of Tours if there are any changes in the enrollment status of your child/children.

Parishioner's Signature _____ Date _____

* If other family members – grandparent, older children, etc. will be working any of the volunteer shifts, please list their names below for proper tracking.

Name _____ Relationship _____

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