

St. Thomas' Episcopal Church Scholarship Program
ADELINE ROSS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
INITIAL APPLICATION FOR EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

*For learners who are re-entering or continuing undergraduate studies,
or are pursuing graduate degrees or other educational opportunities*

The **Adeline Ross Memorial Scholarship** is given in memory of an Episcopal Deaconess who was active in the Wind River Valley from 1915-1949. She used her own money to offer loans to students for education. In the late 1960s, Dubois resident and artist Mary Back was instrumental in creating a method to continue helping students, and arranged for a large bequest to the Fund upon her death. The principal is now invested and the interest earned is given through application to learners of all ages following specific guidelines.

A maximum of \$1,000 may be awarded to an applicant annually. Upon successful completion of each year in school, students may apply annually for up to 3 more years of scholarship using the *Adeline Ross Renewal Application for Educational Opportunities, 2nd - 4th Year*.

Completed application, with all attachments, is due by **July 1** of the current year.
If you have questions, please call 455-2313 or stop by the church office at 5 South 1st Street.

Mail to St. Thomas Church, PO Box 735, Dubois, WY 82513 or **email** stthomas.wy@gmail.com

Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Home Address: _____ **Email:** _____

Home Phone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

Name and location of school (college, university, trades, other) _____

Intended major or field of study: _____

REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS (A-D) Attaching a personal Resume is optional.

- A.** Responses to these questions in typed, essay format:
 - a. What are your career plans? Is this a change from previous jobs?
 - b. What studies/training are you seeking?
 - c. What problems might you face in completing these studies and how do you plan to overcome them?
 - d. Discuss any financial need you see as you continue your education.
- B.** Two letters of recommendation from sources not related to you
- C.** Transcript of grades from your most recent year of school
- D.** Proof of acceptance into your program of study from the educational entity

**Successful applicants must provide proof of enrollment prior to receiving their check.
Should applicant fail to attend school, funds must be returned to the St. Thomas' Scholarship Fund.*

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