

# Seminary Scholarship Guidelines and Application

# The Albert R. Murdoch Ministerial Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Albert R. Murdoch Ministerial Scholarship is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist Church;
- Plans to become a pastor in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference of the United Methodist Church;
- Is a pre-ministerial student in his/her junior or senior year of undergraduate studies, or is a seminary student;
- Is enrolled full-time at a college, university, or seminary accredited by the United Methodist Board of Higher Education;
- Has a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of approximately \$750.00 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

#### The Albert R. Murdoch Ministerial Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement will be emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to the United Methodist seminaries serving Nebraska students.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# The Alice Kruse Ministerial Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Alice Kruse Ministerial Scholarship is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist church;
- Plans to become a pastor in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference of the United Methodist Church;
- Attends one of the following seminaries accredited by the Great Plains United Methodist Board of Ordained Ministry:
  - Saint Paul School of Theology
  - o Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary
  - Iliff School of Theology
  - Perkins School of Theology;
- Has successfully completed two (2) full semesters, or the equivalent thereof, of seminary studies;
- Upon his/her anticipated graduation date from seminary, will have a minimum of 30 years of eligibility to serve as a United Methodist minister in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference;
- Has a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher in his/her seminary studies.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of approximately \$2,000.00 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

#### The Alice Kruse Ministerial Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement will be emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to the United Methodist seminaries serving Nebraska students.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# The Alice Kruse Seminary Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Alice Kruse Seminary Scholarship is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist church:
- Plans to become a pastor in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference of the United Methodist Church;
- Attends one of the following seminaries accredited by the Great Plains United Methodist Board of Ordained Ministry:
  - Saint Paul School of Theology
  - o Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary
  - Iliff School of Theology
  - Perkins School of Theology;
- Has successfully completed two (2) full semesters, or the equivalent thereof, of seminary studies;
- Upon his/her anticipated graduation date from seminary, will have a minimum of 30 years of eligibility to serve as a United Methodist minister in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference;
- Has a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher in his/her seminary studies.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of approximately \$750.00 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

#### The Alice Kruse Seminary Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement will be emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to the United Methodist seminaries serving Nebraska students.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# The Alva Clark Seminary Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Alva Clark Seminary Scholarship is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist church;
- Plans to become a pastor in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference of the United Methodist Church;
- Attends Iliff School of Theology;
- Has successfully completed two (2) full semesters, or the equivalent thereof, of seminary studies at Iliff;
- Has a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher in his/her seminary studies.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of approximately \$500.00 will be awarded.

#### DURATION

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

#### The Alva Clark Seminary Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement is emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Foundation's e-Newsletter, announced on the Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to Iliff School of Theology.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# The Andrew and Nevabelle Howe Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Andrew and Nevabelle Howe Scholarship is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist church;
- Preference is given to qualifying students from the Gateway District;
- Is used to provide scholarship support for Nebraska United Methodist students attending a United Methodist seminary;
- Plans to become a pastor in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference of the United Methodist Church;
- Has successfully completed two (2) full semesters, or the equivalent thereof, of seminary studies; and
- Has a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher in his/her seminary studies.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of approximately \$500 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8841 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

#### The Andrew & Nevabelle Howe Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement will be emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to the United Methodist seminaries serving Nebraska students.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# The Baldwin F. & Amy L. Kruse Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Baldwin F. & Amy L. Kruse Scholarship is awarded annually to a Nebraska ministerial student in seminary who is pursuing an advanced degree, beyond the bachelor's degree, for the ordained ministry in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference of the United Methodist Church.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of approximately \$500.00 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

The Baldwin F. & Amy L. Kruse Scholarship c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A current resume
- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Three letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement will be emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to the United Methodist seminaries serving Nebraska students.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

Determination as to who is awarded the scholarship is made by the Foundation's Stewardship Committee. The Foundation's Stewardship Committee will make a recommendation to the full Foundation Board as to the selection of a recipient. The Foundation will notify the scholarship recipient by **August 15, 2024.** Upon notice of the award, the scholarship will be paid to the person to whom it was awarded in care of their educational institution.

# Ben and Martha Simmons Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Ben and Martha Simmons Scholarship is awarded annually to a ministerial student in graduate studies who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska Methodist Church:
- Plans to become a pastor in the Great Plains Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church;
- Attends a seminary accredited by the Board of Ordained Ministry;
- Has a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher in his/her seminary studies.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of approximately \$4,000 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship may be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **SPECIAL STIPULATION**

This scholarship is issued in the form of a debt obligation; each year of the award being a separate obligation. One year of the debt obligation is to be forgiven for each year in which the recipient works full time in a pastoral capacity in the State of Nebraska as a member of the Great Plains Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church, or its successors.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: <a href="mailto:info@numf.org">info@numf.org</a>
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

#### The Ben and Martha Simmons Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W Fletcher Ave., Suite 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Three letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement will be emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to the United Methodist seminaries serving Nebraska students.

#### **DEADLINES**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# The Charles and Marilyn Humphrey Seminary Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Charles and Marilyn Humphrey Seminary Scholarship Fund is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist church;
- Plans to become a pastor in the Great Plains United Methodist Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church:
- Attends one of the following seminaries accredited by the Great Plains United Methodist Board of Ordained Ministry:
  - 1. Saint Paul School of Theology
- 3. Iliff School of Theology
- 2. Perkins School of Theology
- 4. Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary
- Has successfully completed one (1) full semesters, or the equivalent thereof, of seminary studies;
- Upon his/her anticipated graduation date from seminary, will have a minimum of 15 years of eligibility to serve as a United Methodist minister in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference;
- Has a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 or higher in his/her seminary studies.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of \$1,250 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

#### The Charles and Marilyn Humphrey Seminary Scholarship Fund

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement will be emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to the United Methodist seminaries serving Nebraska students.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# The Cowles United Methodist Church Memorial Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Cowles United Methodist Church Memorial Scholarship is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist church;
- Plans to become a pastor in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference of the United Methodist Church;
- Attends a seminary accredited by the Great Plains United Methodist Conference;
- Upon his/her anticipated graduation date from seminary, will have a minimum of 30 years of eligibility to serve as a United Methodist minister in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference;
- Has a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of approximately \$2,500 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

#### The Cowles UMC Memorial Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement will be emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to the United Methodist seminaries serving Nebraska students.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# The Darrell and Joyce Pickett Seminary Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Darrell and Joyce Pickett Seminary Scholarship is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist church;
- Plans to become a pastor in the Great Plains Conference of the United Methodist Church;
- First preference will be given to students attending St. Paul School of Theology;
- Has successfully completed two (2) full semesters, or the equivalent thereof, of seminary studies, and
- Has a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher in his/her seminary studies.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of approximately \$150 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

#### The Darrell and Joyce Pickett Seminary Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement is emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to United Methodist seminaries serving Nebraska students.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# The David Wayne Krick & Donald E. Krick, Jr. Seminary Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The David Wayne Krick & Donald E. Krick, Jr. Seminary Scholarship is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a member of the United Methodist Church.
- Has lived in the Gateway (or predecessor district) for at least two (2) years.
- Attends or will be attending a United Methodist accredited seminary in the United States.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount up to \$2,000 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

#### The David Wayne Krick & Donald E. Krick, Jr. Seminary Scholarship

c/o The Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- A letter from the District Superintendent verifying the following: UMC membership, district residence for at least two years, and current appointment status.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement will be emailed to the Gateway District Superintendent, published in the April issue of the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email, and distributed to the United Methodist seminaries serving Nebraska students.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

The Gateway District Committee on Ministry will review applications and will notify the scholarship recipients by **August 15, 2024.** Upon notice of the award, the scholarship will be paid to the person to whom it was awarded in care of their educational institution.

# Dean, Jean & Randy Fleming Family & Humphrey/Goff Global Methodist Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Dean, Jean & Randy Fleming Scholarship is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska Global Methodist church;
- Plans to become a pastor in the Global Methodist Church;
- Has a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher in his/her seminary studies.

#### **AMOUNT**

#### An annual amount of \$1,500 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's web site at: <a href="https://www.numf.org">www.numf.org</a>
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

Dean, Jean & Randy Fleming and Humphrey/Goff Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement is emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Foundation's e-Newsletter, announced on the Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# Floma Taylor Ministerial Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Floma Taylor Ministerial Scholarship is awarded annually to two ministerial students attending seminary who:

- Are members of a Nebraska Methodist Church:
- Plan to become pastors in the Great Plains Conference of the United Methodist Church;
- Will have a minimum of 30 years of eligibility to serve as a pastors in the Great Plains Conference;
- Attending a seminary accredited by the Board of Ordained Ministry;
- Have a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher in his/her seminary studies.

#### **AMOUNT**

Two annual amounts of \$3,750 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship may be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

The Floma Taylor Ministerial Scholarship c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W Fletcher Ave., Suite 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Three letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement will be emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to the United Methodist seminaries serving Nebraska students.

#### **DEADLINES**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

## The Good Steward Scholarship

In Memory of Rev. Richard E. Atherton, Rev. Cal Leeds, Mary Moore, Rev. Richard & Lois Urbach, and Rev. Hughes B. Morris, Jr.

#### **Guidelines**

#### **PURPOSE**

The Good Steward Scholarship is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist church;
- Is used to provide scholarship support for Nebraska United Methodist students attending a United Methodist seminary;
- Plans to become a pastor in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference of the United Methodist Church;
- Has successfully completed two (2) full semesters, or the equivalent thereof, of seminary studies;
- Has a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher in his/her seminary studies.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of approximately \$225 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8841 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

#### The Good Steward Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement will be emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to United Methodist seminaries serving Nebraska students.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# The Harlan and Mabelle Wyrick Memorial Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Harlan and Mabelle Wyrick Memorial Scholarship is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist church;
- Plans to become a pastor in the Great Plains Conference of the United Methodist Church;
- Attends one of the following seminaries accredited by the Great Plains United Methodist Board of Ordained Ministry:
  - Saint Paul School of Theology
  - o Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary
- Who is in his/her junior or senior year of undergraduate studies or is in his/her first year of seminary studies
- Has a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher in his/her seminary studies.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of approximately \$6,775 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

The Harlan and Mabelle Wyrick Memorial Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- · A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- · A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement will be emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to the United Methodist seminaries serving Nebraska students.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# Joe Meehan UMM 100 Club Global Methodist Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Joe Meehan UMM 100 Club Scholarship is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a member of a Global Methodist church;
- Plans to become a pastor in the Global Methodist Church;
- Has a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher in his/her seminary studies.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of \$500.00 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: <a href="https://www.numf.org">www.numf.org</a>
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

#### The Joe Meehan UMM 100 Club Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement is emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Foundation's e-Newsletter, announced on the Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# Merv Schleifert UMM 100 Club Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Merv Schleifert UMM 100 Club Scholarship is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist church;
- Plans to become a pastor in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference of the United Methodist Church;
- Has a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher in his/her seminary studies.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of \$500.00 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: <a href="www.numf.org">www.numf.org</a>
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

The Merv Schleifert UMM 100 Club Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement is emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Foundation's e-Newsletter, announced on the Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# The Murdock Ebenezer UMC Professional Church Leader Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The **MURDOCK EBENEZER UMC PROFESSIONAL CHURCH LEADER SCHOLARSHIP** is to be awarded annually so long as there are available funds and a student whose application is approved. A Murdock Ebenezer UMC Professional Church Leader Scholarship Committee will review applications and make the final decision on recipients.

This scholarship is awarded annually to a student who;

- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist Church, in the following order of priority: 1) a member of Ebenezer UMC, 2) a member of a UMC in Cass County, NE, 3) a member of a UMC in the Blue River District, 4) a member of the UMC in the Missouri River District:
- Intends to become a professional church leader (minister, youth minister, Christian Education Director, church musician) in a Great Plains United Methodist Church;
- Has successfully completed two (2) full semesters, or the equivalent thereof, of college level studies with the
  intention of pursuing a career in professional church leadership; and
- Has a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 (on a 4.0 scale) or higher in his/her studies.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount will be determined by the church.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8841 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

#### The Murdock Ebenezer UMC Professional Church Leader Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement will be emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to the United Methodist seminaries serving Nebraska students.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# The Myrtle E. Williams Seminary Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Myrtle E. Williams Seminary Scholarship is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Plans to become a pastor in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference of the United Methodist Church;
- Is a pre-ministerial student in his/her junior or senior year of undergraduate studies, or is a seminary student;
- First preference shall be given to students who are serving the Nebraska Adams First UMC at that time and if there is no applicant serving Adams First UMC in a given year, then the scholarship shall be awarded to another eligible applicant in the State of Nebraska;
- Attends St. Paul School of Theology;
- Has a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of \$2,000 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8841 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

#### The Myrtle E. Williams Seminary Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement is emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to St. Paul School of Theology.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# The Rev. Albert W. Winseman Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Rev. Albert W. Winseman Scholarship Endowment is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist church;
- Is used to provide scholarship support for Nebraska United Methodist students attending a United Methodist seminary;
- Plans to become a pastor in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference of the United Methodist Church;
- Has successfully completed two (2) full semesters, or the equivalent thereof, of seminary studies; and
- Has a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher in his/her seminary studies.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of approximately \$150 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

The Rev. Albert W. Winseman Scholarship c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement is emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to United Methodist seminaries serving Nebraska students.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

### Rev. Bob & Lily Berlie Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Rev. Bob & Lily Berlie Scholarship is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist Church;
- Is attending classes in person that are approved by the Great Plains Annual Conference;
  - Preference will be given to students attending Saint Paul School of Theology; if no such applicant exists, other schools will be considered
- Must be available to be an appointed member of the Great Plains Annual Conference with the intention of serving ministries approved by the Great Plains Annual Conference
- No form of discrimination, including sexual orientation, will disqualify any applicant from receiving a scholarship

#### Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **AMOUNT & ADMINISTRATION**

An annual amount of the available income accumulated from this fund is to be awarded. The available income will be divided into several scholarship awards. <u>Two (2) scholarships will be awarded in the amount of \$1,300 each</u>. If the number of scholarships available exceeds the number of applicants, it is permissible for one applicant to receive more than one award from this scholarship.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

Rev. Bob & Lily Berlie Scholarship c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement is emailed to each District Superintendent in the Great Plains Conference, published in the e-newsletter, announced on the Foundation's website, included in the "GP Connect" email and distributed to all accredited United Methodist seminaries.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office by June 30 of the current year.

#### **AWARDS**

# The Scahill Family Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The **SCAHILL FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP** is in recognition of the ministry of Rev. Thomas J. Scahill, Sr., Rev. Josephine M. Scahill and Dr. Joseph A. Scahill and wife Marilyn in Nebraska.

This scholarship is awarded annually to a student working toward the M.Div degree or its equivalent who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist Church;
- Plans to become a pastor in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference of the United Methodist Church or its successor bodies (without penalty if such service is not rendered);
- Attends one of the thirteen United Methodist seminaries:
- Has grades worthy of admission to Seminary and/or continuation of theological studies.

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of \$2,000 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8841 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

#### The Scahill Family Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement will be emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to the United Methodist seminaries serving Nebraska students.

#### DEADLINE

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# United Methodist Men's 100 Club Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The United Methodist Men's 100 Club Scholarship is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska or Kansas United Methodist church or the Global Methodist Church;
- Plans to become a pastor in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference of the United Methodist Church or the Global Methodist Church;
- Has a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher in his/her seminary studies.

#### **AMOUNT**

Eight (8) scholarships each in the amount of \$1,500 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

#### The United Methodist Men's 100 Club Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement is emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Foundation's e-Newsletter, announced on the Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# The Verl and Sylvia Miller Memorial Scholarship Guidelines

#### **PURPOSE**

The Verl and Sylvia Miller Memorial Scholarship provides an annual scholarship to be awarded to a student who:

- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist Church
- Is in his/her junior or senior year of undergraduate studies <u>or</u> is in his/her first year of seminary studies for the ordained ministry of any Christian denomination
- Primary consideration will be given to a ministerial student who is a resident of Harlan County, NE in pursuit of an
  advanced degree in education for the ordained ministry of any Christian denomination. If there are no qualified
  applicants who are residents of Harlan County, NE, the scholarship may be awarded to deserving students who
  are non-residents of Harlan County, NE, <u>but must be residents of the State of Nebraska</u> and who are pursuing an
  advanced degree for the ministry
- Are intending to become pastors in the Great Plains United Methodist Conference of the United Methodist Church. Candidates of other Christian denominations must plan to minister within the Great Plains United Methodist Conference

#### **AMOUNT**

An annual amount of \$250 will be awarded.

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing his or her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

The Verl and Sylvia Miller Memorial Scholarship c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation
- A copy of acceptance to a seminary (if a first-year seminary student)

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement will be emailed to each District Superintendent in the State of Nebraska, published in the April issue of the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to the United Methodist seminaries serving Nebraska students.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**

# **Women In Ministry Scholarship Guidelines**

#### **PURPOSE**

The **Women in Ministry Scholarship** is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a woman:
- Is a member of the Great Plains Annual Conference;
- Has become a Certified Candidate;
- Is currently enrolled in an accredited United Methodist School of Theology or Seminary, Doctorate of Ministry or Course of Study through an accredited United Methodist School of Theology or Seminary.
- Must be available to be an appointed member of the Great Plains Annual Conference with the intention of serving ministries approved by the Great Plains Annual Conference for the equivalent of three full-time years or reimburse the scholarship proceeds.

#### **AMOUNT & ADMINISTRATION**

An annual amount of the available income accumulated from this fund is to be awarded. This fund will be administered by the Nebraska United Methodist Foundation. **The annual amount is \$1,000.** 

#### **DURATION**

Upon application, the scholarship **may** be awarded more than one year to the same recipient, provided that such recipient is diligently pursuing her course of study.

#### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

- 1. Visiting the Foundation's website at: www.numf.org
- 2. E-mailing the Foundation at: info@numf.org
- 3. Calling the Foundation at: 402-323-8844 or 877-495-5545
- 4. Writing to the Foundation at:

#### Women in Ministry Scholarship

c/o Nebraska United Methodist Foundation 100 W. Fletcher Ave., Ste. 100 Lincoln, NE 68521

Attachments to the application form must include:

- A one-page statement of the applicant's description of calling and career plans for ministry
- A current academic transcript once the applicant has finished her first year of classes
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The scholarship announcement is emailed to each District Superintendent in the Great Plains Conference, published in the April issue of the Foundation's E-Newsletter, announced on the Foundation's website, included in the first April weekly "GP Connect" email and distributed to all accredited United Methodist seminaries.

#### **DEADLINE**

Applications must be received at the Foundation office in Lincoln, NE by June 30, 2024.

#### **AWARDS**