

# Rev. Robert E. & Lily A. Berlie Local Pastor Scholarship Guidelines *(for year 2021)*

## PURPOSE

The **Rev. Robert E. & Lily A. Berlie Local Pastor Scholarship** is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a local pastor;
- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist Church;
- Is attending classes and a Course of Study that is 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. For the year 2021, **2 scholarships will be awarded in the amount of \$1,300 each**. 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 on April 1 by:

1. Visiting the Foundation's web site 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. Robert E. & Lily A. Berlie Local Pastor Scholarship  
c/o The 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 "GPCConnect" email and distributed to all accredited United Methodist seminaries.

## DEADLINE

**Applications must be received at the Foundation office by June 30, 2021.**

## AWARDS

The Nebraska United Methodist Foundation will notify the scholarship recipient by **August 7, 2021**. Upon notice of the award, the scholarship will be paid to the person to whom it was awarded in care of their educational institution.

# Frederick and Esther Paulus Local Pastor Scholarship

## Guidelines *(for year 2021)*

### PURPOSE

The **Frederick and Esther Paulus Local Pastor Scholarship** is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a local pastor;
- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist Church;
- Has become a Certified Candidate;
- Is attending classes and a Course of Study that is approved by the Great Plains Annual Conference;
  - Preference will be given to students attending Saint Paul or Iliff 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

### 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 his or her first year of classes
- 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. For the year 2021, **3 scholarships will be awarded in the amount of \$1,500 each**. 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 on April 1 by:

1. Visiting the Foundation's web site 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:

Frederick and Esther Paulus Local Pastor Scholarship  
c/o The 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 "GPconnect" email and distributed to all accredited United Methodist seminaries.

### DEADLINE

**Applications must be received at the Foundation office by June 30, 2021.**

### AWARDS

The Nebraska United Methodist Foundation will notify the scholarship recipient by **August 7, 2021**. Upon notice of the award, the scholarship will be paid to the person to whom it was awarded in care of their educational institution.

# **Gifts From The Heart Local Pastor Scholarship**

## **Guidelines** *(for academic year 2021-2022)*

### **PURPOSE**

The **Gifts From The Heart Local Pastor Scholarship** is awarded annually to a ministerial student who:

- Is a local pastor;
- Is a member of a Nebraska United Methodist Church;
- Has become a Certified Candidate;
- Is attending classes and a Course of Study that is approved by the Great Plains Annual Conference;
- 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

### **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 his or her first year of classes
- Documentation/Description supporting financial need
- Two letters of recommendation

### **AMOUNT & ADMINISTRATION**

An annual amount of \$1,000 will be awarded.

### **APPLICATION**

Application materials can be obtained on April 1 by:

1. Visiting the Foundation's web site 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:

Gifts From The Heart Local Pastor 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 "GPconnect" email and distributed to all accredited United Methodist seminaries.

### **DEADLINE**

**Applications must be received at the Foundation office by June 30, 2021.**

### **AWARDS**

The Nebraska United Methodist Foundation will notify the scholarship recipient by **August 7, 2021**. Upon notice of the award, the scholarship will be paid to the person to whom it was awarded in care of their educational institution.