



## EPWORTH HIGHER EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP FUND

**Announcement – March 1, 2021**

The Epworth Planned Giving Committee is pleased to announce an exciting new scholarship program to support church members' post-high school educational pursuits.

Over 20 endowments have been established by past and current members of the congregation to help ensure that Epworth continues to serve as a vital part of our community. A number of these endowments were designated by the donor for the purpose of education. The growth of these portfolios now enables us to honor the intention of the donors by investing in the future of our church members.

- **Scholarship Eligibility**

- The program is open to those of any age who have been a member of Epworth for the past 6+ months and are preparing to advance their education on either a full-time or part-time basis.
- This includes graduating high school seniors, existing college students, and older adults who are continuing their formal education.
- Awards will be determined based on factors which include financial need, academic achievement, church involvement, community involvement, and overall goals and aspirations.

- **Application Process**

- Qualified candidates must complete and submit the Higher Education Scholarship application, available March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021
- To request an application, contact: [EpworthPlannedGiving@gmail.com](mailto:EpworthPlannedGiving@gmail.com)
- Completed applications must be received by May 15, 2021.
- The Planned Giving Scholarship Committee will announce awards for the Fall 2021 semester by June 30, 2021

It is our hope that helping to financially support the educational endeavors of our church members will encourage scholarship recipients to continue their support of Epworth's mission, and in turn, foster the healthy future growth of our congregation for years to come.

