

THE EFREM & DONECIA SMITH YOUNG HEROES SCHOLARSHIP

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In Honor of Efrem Smith, founding Pastor of the Sanctuary Covenant Church (SCC), and his wife Donecia, we will be awarding up to 4 Financial Scholarships to 2021 graduating high school seniors. Efrem and Donecia believed that every student could be empowered in their God-given capacity to be a Young Hero and change the world for good. Below are the application and the requirements. **Application Deadline: May 7, 2021**

Awards

- We are pleased to offer up to 4 Financial Scholarships to students who will be enrolled in a higher education institution during the 2021-2022 school year.
- **SCC Scholarship** - Must be a regular attendee or member of Sanctuary Covenant Church (\$1,500 and \$1,000 scholarship awards)
- **Community Scholarship** - Must graduate from a North Minneapolis High School. (\$1,500 and \$1,000 scholarship awards)
- Awarded scholarships will be paid directly to the academic institution upon proof of enrollment for the 2021-2022 School Year.
- **North Park University Matching Grant** — Scholarship recipients attending North Park University(NPU) are eligible for an NPU (PIE) Grant that will match your award up to \$500/semester. To be eligible, student must be an active part of an Evangelical Covenant Church.

FOR GRADUATES OF A NORTH MINNEAPOLIS HIGH SCHOOL - SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

<input type="radio"/>	2021 Graduating senior of North Minneapolis High School
<input type="radio"/>	Must have a 2.5 GPA or higher
<input type="radio"/>	Attending a 2 or 4 year College starting in the fall of 2021
<input type="radio"/>	An official High School Transcript
<input type="radio"/>	One Letter of Recommendation from a Community Service Leader under whom you have served
<input type="radio"/>	One Letter of Recommendation from a Staff Member of your graduating high school
<input type="radio"/>	Participated in volunteer service in the community, school, or church
<input type="radio"/>	Completed Application By May 7, 2021

YOUNG HEROES' SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION - Please Print Clearly

NAME _____
LAST FIRST MIDDLE

ADDRESS _____
STREET
CITY STATE ZIP

PRIMARY PHONE _____

EMAIL _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAMES _____

NAME OF HIGH SCHOOL _____ NAME OF ACADEMIC/GUIDANCE COUNSELOR _____

LIST OF EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT. WHICH ACTIVITY/COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITY MEANT THE MOST TO YOU AND WHY?

COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY YOU PLAN TO ATTEND & INTENDED MAJOR

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING 3 ESSAY QUESTIONS IN **150 WORDS OR MORE** (PRINTED OR IN A SHORT VIDEO FORMAT

- 1) Essay - What does it mean to be a young hero? How have you demonstrated this in your life?
- 2) Essay - In what ways have you demonstrated leadership in your family, school, or community?
- 3) Essay - Explain one thing that you've had to overcome?

PLEASE INCLUDE A HIGH RESOLUTION PHOTO OF YOURSELF WITH YOUR SUBMISSION.

EMAIL COMPLETED APPLICATION MATERIALS TO: TARA@SANCTUARYCOV.ORG

OR MAIL TO: SANCTUARY COVENANT CHURCH
Young Heroes Scholarship
710 West Broadway Avenue
Minneapolis, MN 55411

If chosen, please be prepared to attend Senior Sunday at Sanctuary Covenant Church - May 23, 2021