



FR. THOMAS A. JUDGE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS THE FR. LAWRENCE O'LEARY SCHOLARSHIP

ELIGIBILITY AND REQUIREMENTS

The purpose of these awards (\$1,000 for 1st place and \$500 for 2nd place) is to provide financial assistance to an applicant to further his or her Catholic High School education. This scholarship is a onetime award per student.

- Applicant must be enrolled in a Catholic High School, grade 9, 10, 11 or 12 as of September 2026. Proof of acceptance is required. Grade average at time of application must be a minimum of 2.0 or a "C". Transcript of latest grades will be requested.
- Applicant does not need to be related to a member of Fr. Thomas A. Judge Council, Knight or Columbiette or be a Columbian Squire.
- Application must indicate student's involvement in Church, Community or School activities and must include a statement from a Priest, program mentor, teacher, counselor, etc. as to student's character.
- An essay entitled, "How my Catholic background helps me be a better person for myself and for others." Essay should not exceed 150 type written words.
- Signature of parent or guardian is required.

Applications should be submitted to Fr. Thomas A. Judge Council, P.O. Box 1151, East Northport, NY 11731. Attn: Robert Dabkowski, GK, and must be post marked no later than June 1, 2026. Scholarship award will be presented to the student at a Council's meeting. Student's application will be given a numerical identification. Names will not be available to Scholarship Committee members.

The decision of the Committee is final.



FR. LAWRENCE O'LEARY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
FR. THOMAS A. JUDGE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
COUNCIL #6893

(Please print or type)

NAME _____ DOB _____

ADDRESS _____ TELEPHONE _____

CATHOLIC SCHOOL OF ATTENDANCE SEPTEMBER 2026 _____

GRADE _____ GRADE AVERAGE (present grade) _____

NAME AND RELATIONSHIP OF FR. JUDGE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEMBER:

EXTRA-CURRICULAR INVOLVEMENT (i.e., Church, School, Community)

I vouch that all information above is true and will provide the required proof, if requested.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE _____

GRAND KNIGHT SIGNATURE _____

FINANCIAL SECRETARY SIGNATURE _____

On a separate sheet, please attach a 150 word (typed) essay titled, "How my Catholic background helps me be a better person for myself and toward others." Applicant does not need to be related to a member of Fr. Thomas A. Judge Council, Knight, Columbiette or Squire. Applicant must be enrolled in a Catholic High School in September 2026. Application must be postmarked no later than June 1, 2026.

(For Committee Use Only)

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