



## **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 2025. 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 30, 2025. 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 SEPT. 2025 \_\_\_\_\_

GRADE \_\_\_\_\_ GRADE AVERAGE (present grade) \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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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 2025. Application must be postmarked no later than June 30, 2025.

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(For Committee Use Only)

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