

## ***Universal Trinity A.M.E. Scholarship Application***

**Deadline: May 1, 2025**

**Fillable PDF. Type Directly On This Form. You must have Adobe Reader which is free.**

**Applicant's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Fully complete the scholarships for which you are applying EVEN IF you have applied before. The scholarship reviewers do not have access to your previous application. If you have applied before, feel free to copy and paste from your previous application where appropriate.**

### **How to Obtain Criteria for Each Scholarship**

The criteria for each scholarship may be obtained from the church website (<http://www.tamec-lansing.org/>), calling the church office (517-882-5722), or emailing a request to [trinityamescholarship@gmail.com](mailto:trinityamescholarship@gmail.com).

**This application form is to be used for the Trinity AME Scholarships listed below. Please put a checkmark beside ALL the scholarship(s) for which you are applying and COMPLETE ALL PARTS that are required information for each scholarship as indicated.**

1. \_\_\_\_ Janet and Stuart Dunnings Foundation Scholarship (Parts 1, 2, & 5)
2. \_\_\_\_ Charlie R. and Mary L. Fanning Memorial Scholarship (Parts 1, 2, 3, & 5)
3. \_\_\_\_ Dr. Herman D. Hughes and Kay F. Hughes Scholarship (Parts 1, 2, 4, 5)
4. \_\_\_\_ Noreese Underwood Memorial Scholarship (Parts 1, 2, 4, & 5)
5. \_\_\_\_ Trinity Educational Award (Parts 1, 2, & 5)

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- **You must submit a transcript of your high school grades if you are graduating from high school or transcript of college grades if you are already in college.**
- **You must submit proof of enrollment in college, community college, or trade school.**

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**Return completed application to Dr. Eunice F. Foster, Trinity Educational Awards Committee Chp., at [trinityamescholarship@gmail.com](mailto:trinityamescholarship@gmail.com). Put "Trinity Scholarship Application" in the subject line of the email.**

Please print clearly or type

### Part 1.

I \_\_\_\_\_, read and understand the criteria for this scholarship program. I affirm my wish to be considered for one or more scholarships as indicated above. Permission is hereby given to officials of my institution to release transcripts of my academic records and other requested information. I affirm that the information is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



### Part 2. Biographical Information

Full Legal Name

Last \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a member of Trinity A.M.E. Church? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No

#### Permanent Residence

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Check whether you are \_\_\_ U.S. Citizen \_\_\_ U.S. National \_\_\_ U.S. Permanent Resident

\_\_\_ Immigrant \_\_\_ Refugee

#### Your Education

What high school did you attend? \_\_\_\_\_

High School Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_

What college are you or will you be attending? \_\_\_\_\_

I HAVE APPLIED\_\_\_\_ I HAVE BEEN ADMITTED\_\_\_\_ CONTINUING AS A STUDENT THERE \_\_\_\_

Check your academic level in the upcoming school year:

Freshman    Sophomore    Junior    Senior    Masters    Doctoral    Other\_\_\_\_\_

Name of your program, undergraduate major, or graduate program \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Expected Semester and Year of Graduation    Semester \_\_\_\_\_    Year \_\_\_\_\_

List the appropriate grade point average (GPA) as requested below:

- a.      Cumulative high school GPA if you will be a first-year student      \_\_\_\_\_
- OR**
- b.      Cumulative college GPA if a continuing undergraduate or graduate student      \_\_\_\_\_  
            and the number of credits you have completed towards your degree or program      \_\_\_\_\_

Beginning with the school you currently attend, list all the schools you attended in the last four years, including any for summer school, special programs, and/or certifications.

### Membership Activities at Trinity AME Church

Please **check** the organizations, programs, and/or experiences you participated in at Trinity AME Church: Sunday Worship Service, Sunday School, YPD, Youth Usher Board, and/or other church activities **during the last two years**. If you are a continuing college student away at college, list your activities the last two years before going away to college

\_\_\_\_ Sunday School      \_\_\_\_ Youth Usher      \_\_\_\_ Youth Choir

\_\_\_\_ YPD                      \_\_\_\_ Sunday Worship

\_\_\_\_ Other, explain \_\_\_\_\_

**Names, phone number, and email address of three (3) adults, NOT FAMILY MEMBERS, who can attest to your involvement in the ministries you indicated above ministries:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

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### ***Part 3. Additional Section Required for the Charlie R. and Mary L. Fanning Memorial Scholarship***

#### **Hardships You Have Faced**

Briefly describe any hardships you have faced in your life and efforts you have made to overcome them. (Limit: 250 words)

**Your Aspirations**

Briefly describe your career goal(s), why you value education and the ways in which you have shown that you value education: (Limit 250 words)

**Demonstrated Pride in Your African American Heritage**

Briefly explain the ways in which you have demonstrated pride in your African American heritage. (Limit 250 words).

**If not a Trinity Member:**

If not a member of Trinity, please list organizations and/or experiences in your home church, the community, and/or your school in which you have been an active participant. **List the names, phone number, and email address of three individuals, NOT FAMILY MEMBERS, who can attest to your participation in these activities and programs.**

1. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_



**Part 4.**                    ***Additional Section Required for the  
Dr. Herman D. and Kay F. Hughes Scholarship  
And the  
Noreese Underwood Memorial Scholarship***

**Your Career Goals:**

Briefly describe your career goal(s) and explain how attending college affects those goals: (Limit 250 words)



**Part 5 Checklist: Application is NOT complete unless it contains ALL of the following information.**

**ALL these Items MUST be submitted *for you to be considered for the scholarship. All submitted items must be legible and easy to read.***

- \_\_\_\_\_ Completed required parts of application for EACH scholarship for which you are applying.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Transcript for those graduating from high school or attending trade school, community college, college, or graduate school. **MUST BE SUBMITTED with the application.**
- \_\_\_\_\_ Proof of continuing enrollment in trade school, community college, college, or graduate school during the upcoming school year. **Acceptance letter or other proof of enrollment MUST BE SUBMITTED with THE application.**

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***Thank you for applying. Trinity A.M.E. Church wishes you great success in all you do!!***