

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish
390 County Road 523
Whitehouse Station, NJ 08889

SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES

The Scholarship has been established by the Rosary Altar Society of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, Whitehouse Station, NJ for the purpose of giving financial assistance to students of registered families of the parish.

A \$500.00 scholarship will be given to a high school senior boy &/or girl who have been accepted to a four year college, community college or vocational school.

The scholarship committee will decide the recipient of the scholarship based on:

- a) Applicant's statement of parish life and activity
- b) Personal essay
- c) Letter of recommendation from parish staff: pastor, music, youth or religious education directors
- d) List of other school/community activities

The application must be filled out and signed by the applicant and returned to the parish office in care of the Rosary Altar Society scholarship committee no later than the **Friday, April 27, 2012**.

The application will be deemed incomplete without all necessary items and will NOT be considered for the scholarship regardless of need or qualifications.

The Pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes will give final approval to the scholarship committee for scholarship recipients.

An announcement of the winner(s) will be placed in the church bulletin.

The scholarship check will be made payable to the applicant and the award will be presented at the June Meeting of the Rosary Altar Society. If the applicant is unable to attend, the check will be mailed to their home.

When final action has been taken on the application, a copy of the application, along with a letter of indication of action by the committee will be sent to the corresponding secretary of the Rosary Altar Society as a matter of record. All applications will be given to the President to place in the scholarship file of the Rosary Altar Society.

Rosary Altar Society
Scholarship Committee
Our Lady of Lourdes Parish
390 County Road 523
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Scholarship Application

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

High School: _____

Number of years at OLL: _____

Name and Address of College or vocational school:

Past and Present Community/Church Service: List dates and description on the back of this form

On a separate sheet please write a short essay (3-4 paragraphs) explaining why you should be considered for this scholarship.

Please attach a letter of recommendation from parish staff (pastor, music, youth or religious education), and a photo. A school recommendation is not necessary but may be included.

I hereby agree to the published guidelines for the RAS scholarship.

Applicant signature