

# LENA MAHONE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

## **Selection Criteria and Recommendations:**

The goal is to award qualified applicants according to their needs and worthiness.

## **Instructions for Applicants:**

1. Read the guidelines carefully.
2. Submit a personal essay of no more than 500 words that is preferably hand written. The personal essay is to reflect your goals, motivation, reasons why you should be awarded the scholarship and an introduction of yourself to the committee who will review your application. It should also address the questions of:
  - a). Personal ethics
  - b). Personal academic goals
  - c). The essay should demonstrate your writing ability.
3. For high school seniors - deliver your application and required materials to your scholarship counselor - and it must be received Greenville United Methodist Church no later than April 7<sup>th</sup>.
4. For non-high school students - all material and completed application forms must be mailed with your name, address and telephone number clearly marked on the application to Greenville United Methodist Church, PO Box 250, Greenville, Virginia 24440 no later than April 7<sup>th</sup>.
5. An official transcript(s) must also be included for post-high school coursework.

## **Eligible Requirements:**

1. There shall be no age restrictions. The applicant must be a graduating high school senior, have already graduated or earned their GED.
2. The applicant must have applied to his/her school of choice and must provide documentation of acceptance before an award is confirmed.
3. The scholarship shall be delivered to the recipient.

Mail completed requirements to:

Greenville United Methodist Church, PO Box 250, Greenville, Virginia,  
ATTN: Scholarship Committee.

Or email to: [info@greenvillechurch.net](mailto:info@greenvillechurch.net)

# LENA MAHONE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Lena Mahone was a life-long member of Greenville United Methodist Church. She was born 8/30/1936 & died 2/1/2016. Ms. Mahone had a passion for reading and art. She provided the means to establish this scholarship as her commitment to help others pursue their educations. Selection will be based on financial need, the application, the essay, and academic record. \*\*Note: you may attach additional sheets as needed\*\*

I. Name \_\_\_\_\_  
High School \_\_\_\_\_ GPA \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ email \_\_\_\_\_

II. Post High School Plans:  
A. Where do you plan to continue your education? \_\_\_\_\_  
B. Have you been accepted or currently attending? \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Intended field of study \_\_\_\_\_

III. **\*\* As this is a "Needs Based Scholarship" \*\*** Please list any financial concerns that you would like the scholarship committee to take into consideration.

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IV. List school, club, and sports activity involvement including any honors, awards, or leadership roles.

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V. List church/clubs that you are a member of other than at school.

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VI. List community, volunteer, club and church activities in which you are involved.

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Essay: In no more than 500 words respond to the following topic: "Introduction of yourself and a reflection of your goals, motivation, reasons why you should be awarded the scholarship. Also address your personal ethics and persona; academic goals. The essay should be preferably handwritten and should demonstrate your writing ability and should show your unique personality."

*Please attach your essay.*

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ATTN: Scholarship Committee  
PO Box 250  
Greenville, VA 24440

or Email to:  
[info@greenvillechurch.net](mailto:info@greenvillechurch.net)

Student signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/guardian signature (if high school student): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ email \_\_\_\_\_