

BROADWAY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships are awarded in recognition of outstanding youth who are regular attenders/members of Broadway United Methodist Church. All High School graduates and GED recipients are eligible to apply to the scholarship committee before **Saturday, April 25, 2026**.

STANDARDS OF ELIGIBILITY - ALL APPLICANTS FOR SCHOLARSHIPS MUST BE:

- A member/participant of Broadway United Methodist Church
- Actively involved in church and community activities
(i.e. regular attendance in worship, Wed. evenings, Bible school, Sunday School, UM youth groups, camps, choir, service projects), and demonstrate leadership.
- Scholastically competent by maintaining a **2.75 GPA** (4.0 scale)
- Attending accredited schools, enrolled with a **minimum of 12 hours EACH semester for the upcoming school year**
- Special consideration is given to applicants entering church-related occupations.

Once you have received an initial Broadway UMC scholarship you may apply for additional scholarship funding for up to 3 consecutive years (making the total possible scholarships rewarded to per student 4). You must still qualify with the criteria listed above - both GPA & hours/semester. Another example would be if you graduated from high school with enough credits to start as a sophomore in college, you could still apply 3 more consecutive years which may now include hours in a graduate program. This would complete your 4-year cycle. Please note, we are not accepting graduate school scholarship applications unless it is completing your 4-year cycle.

**Scholarships will be announced at both church services on May 17th - Senior/Scholarship Sunday .
Scholarship checks will be mailed to recipient toward the end of July.**

Scholarships monies have been given by family & individual memories from:

Dean & Mona Daniels, Mick Freeman, Kris Lippke, Donald & Evelyn McMullen, Beth Peterson, Maynard & Emma Ridlen, Bill Samuelson, Doris Toland, Douglas Vergamini, Broadway's Women of Faith

Dorothy Mae Boone and Harold & Everall Pengra Seminary Scholarships are for those persons from Broadway attending a United Methodist Seminary. If there are no Broadway seminary students the Boone Scholarship fund shall be divided among the United Methodist students from Southwest Iowa attending Saint Paul School of Theology in Kansas City. If there is no one from Southwest Iowa the funds will be sent to the Saint Paul School of Theology General Scholarship Fund.

HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Please answer the questions below clearly and concisely. This information will be used by the Scholarship Team when making scholarship selections. You may submit the form by email if you wish to Broadway's scholarship chair, Nancy File, at filen@cox.net or **deliver it to the church office before Saturday, April 25, 2026.**

Name _____ Age/DOB _____

Cell Phone # _____

Home Address _____

Personal Email Address _____

(please do not use your school account, as this will expire after your graduation)

Name of High School _____

Parents'/Guardians' Name _____

List all the church activities in which you have actively participated and your involvement by year. (Feel free to attach another sheet.)

Of the experiences listed above, which have been the most meaningful for you at Broadway. Explain how these experiences have benefited you, your ministry in the church, your school and your community. (Feel free to attach another sheet.)

Broadway Scholarship Application Continued:

List the school, community and volunteer activities and your specific involvement in each.

What colleges/university/school do you plan to attend and have you officially been accepted?

What are your present vocational interests? What is your intended major?

How do you plan to finance your schooling costs?

What employment experiences have you had?

Please list the names and phone numbers of three adults OTHER THAN RELATIVES who could be contacted for references, including one Broadway member. Include your relationship to each.

YOUR APPLICATION MUST BE RETURNED TO THE CHURCH OFFICE OR EMAILED to filen@cox.net (scholarship chair) BY APRIL 25, 2026 . A completed application includes this form, a current picture and your high school transcript.

Broadway United Methodist Church, 11 South First Street, Council Bluffs, IA 51503

Late and/or incomplete applications will NOT be considered for a scholarship.