

# Theresa Mumford Memorial Scholarship



Presbyterian Mission  
**Financial Aid  
for Service**

The current level of funding will support 3-6 students with awards ranging from \$2,000-\$3,000. New applicants must submit the student portion of their application prior to their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday. Awardees, eligible for renewal, must reapply each year. Guidance counselors in Brantley, Camden, Charlton, Glynn, Pierce, Ware and Wayne counties should ask students who might be eligible to complete the online application.



Online application powered by **Kaleidoscope**

- Help available in the application.
- Opportunity to apply for more scholarships through Kaleidoscope.

## Eligibility

Student must:

- Be a resident of Brantley County, GA (or abutting county)
- A female orphan
- Enter college as full-time student at an accredited college or university in the United States
- Display satisfactory academic progress

## Range of Award

Minimum: \$2,000

Maximum: \$3,000

## Deadline

*Complete the Student portion of the online application prior to the student's 18<sup>th</sup> birthday.*

*Complete the online application by June 1.*

## Awards

See Notes on priority of awards

Awards announced to the student and payment sent to the school by August 1.

## The Application Process

*These steps will be completed by the applicant.*

- 1 Complete the FAFSA. Sign up for financial aid at the college or university you plan to attend.**
- 2 Gather the information needed to complete the application**
  - Name and email of your pastor or clerk of session (only if you are a PC (USA) Church member)
  - Information about where, when, and what you have studied to date.
  - General information about your interests and goals.
  - General information about extracurricular activities, volunteer work, and employment.
  - The name and email address of your financial aid counselor at the college or university that you plan to attend in the fall.
- 3 Set up an online account.**

Follow the instructions provided in your inbox to set up an online account, authenticate your identity and begin the application.
- 4 Complete the remaining application elements in the online application system by June 1st.**



## Priority of Award

Financial Aid for Service is required to give preference to Brantley County residents, but financial need, and progress to degree are also considerations that may have a bearing on award eligibility.

1. Brantley County students who demonstrate need, renewal to be awarded first, then new students in the order that the application became complete.
2. Brantley County students who *do not* demonstrate need, renewal to be awarded first, then new students in the order that the application became complete.
3. Camden, Charlton, Glynn, Pierce, Ware and Wayne students who demonstrate need. Preference for renewal students.

## Student Responsibilities

Keep your contact information up to date. Students are required to apply annually. A typical renewal application consists of no more than the Financial Information form, but we reserve the right to request a transcript if we are unable to determine progress to a degree from the FIF.

## Confidentiality of Evaluations

Do not share your user ID/password, or any application links sent to your email after you have started the application.

Information collected to support your application is maintained by Kaleidoscope for the office of Financial Aid for Service. The church membership/pastor endorsement form, work product of the college or university the student attends, and selection committee scores and notes are confidential and will not be released to the student and/or parent/guardian. Applications are viewed only by staff members with responsibility for the Presbyterian Mission Agency scholarship program, reading committee members, and financial aid staff at the student's selected college or university.

## Alternate Contacts

The online application system cannot be configured to support alternate contacts. Starting in the spring of 2021 we will only be able to respond to inquiries made by the student. Our online application is managed by a third-party service.

## Mailing Address/Contact Information

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