

St. Thomas' Episcopal Church Scholarship Program
ADELINE ROSS MEMORIAL and JIM DUFFY MEMORIAL
INITIAL APPLICATION for Dubois High School Graduates

The *Adeline Ross Memorial Scholarship* is given in memory of an Episcopal Deaconess who was active in the Wind River Valley from 1915-1949. She used her own money to offer loans to students for education. In the late 1960s, Dubois resident and artist Mary Back was instrumental in creating a method to continue helping students, and arranged for a large bequest to the Fund upon her death. The principal is now invested and the interest earned is given through application to learners of all ages following specific guidelines. One such award is for recent DHS graduates seeking a 2-year or 4-year degree.

The *Jim Duffy Memorial Scholarship* is available to students planning to study Ongoing Trades and/or Career & Technical Education (CTE). Originally granted by Mr. Duffy, the awards were reactivated in 2014 when the Jim Duffy Estate donated funds to St. Thomas' Church for outreach and scholarships.

A maximum of \$1,000 may be awarded to an applicant. Upon successful completion of each year in school, students may apply annually for up to 3 more years of scholarship using the *Adeline Ross/Jim Duffy Memorial Renewal Application for Continuing DHS Recipient, 2nd – 4th Year*.

This application, complete with all attachments, is due on or before **April 5** of the current year: **Mail** to St. Thomas Church, PO Box 735, Dubois, WY 82513 or **email** stthomas.wy@gmail.com

Name: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____

Home Address: _____ **Email:** _____

Home Phone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

Name and location of school (college, university, trades) **you plan to attend:** _____

Intended major or field of study: _____

REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS (A-D)

A. Answer the following questions in typed-essay format:

1. What are your future career plans? What studies and/or training will you seek?
2. What community service activities have you participated in? Why has this been an important part of your education?
3. Discuss any financial need you anticipate for continuing your post-secondary education.

B. Resume listing activities, honors/awards and employment experience

C. Two letters of recommendation One from a school source concerning character and scholastic abilities; and one from someone who is NOT affiliated with the school who can evaluate your character and community interaction. (Note: coaches ARE affiliated with the school.)

D. High School Transcript

**Successful applicants must provide proof of enrollment prior to receiving their check.
Should applicant fail to attend school, funds must be returned to the St. Thomas' Scholarship Fund.*