



Knights of Columbus
Incarnation Council 6364
240 Main Street
Mantua, NJ 08051



Grand Knight – William Madgey
237-3852

February 1, 2022

Dear Fellow Parishioner,

The Incarnation Council 6364 of the Knights of Columbus is awarding \$500 scholarships to deserving children in our parish. To be considered, the child must be in 8th or 12th grade. The 8th grade child must be going to a Catholic High School and the 12th grade child must be going to a 2 or 4 year accredited College. The Scholarship intends to recognize the student/family that best represents the Knights of Columbus virtue of charity in the form of active ministry in our parish. Academic accomplishments will also be considered.

An application is enclosed which must be completed along with required attachments **no later than April 15th**. A committee will review all applications and award the scholarships. Notification will be made to all applicants by **May 18th**. Completed applications with a letter of recommendation from a teacher or counselor, a certification from one of our parish priests, and an essay can be mailed to Dave Zarzycki at the address listed below or scanned and emailed to davezyc@comcast.net **See the last page of this packet for essay topic and requirements.**

Please be sure to complete a separate application for each eligible student. Good Luck.

Yours Truly,

Dave Zarzycki

Dave Zarzycki
Scholarship Chairman
726 Duke Drive
Wenonah, NJ 08090

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
COUNCIL 6364
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

(All information provided will be treated as confidential and will be used solely
for the purpose of the scholarship application review process)

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Student's Name: _____

Grade: _____

Address: _____

School: _____

Phone: _____

Parish: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Parents/Guardians: _____

Student's Signature

Date

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Ages of Brothers and Sisters: _____

How long have you been a member of Incarnation Parish? _____

What school will you be attending next year? _____

Are you on the free or reduced lunch program? Yes _____ No _____

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS: Please list below any Academic Awards or other Academic Achievements that you received, including the dates of such awards or achievements (attach additional sheets, if necessary).

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES: Please list below any School Activities (including any clubs, teams, or organizations) in which you participated, including the dates of participation (attach additional sheets, if necessary).

PARISH ACTIVITIES: Please list below any Parish Activities in which you participated, including the dates of participation (attach additional sheets, if necessary).

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Please provide any additional information that you believe that the Scholarship Committee should consider (attach additional sheets, if necessary).

LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION: Please attach a letter of recommendation from a teacher or counselor, a certification from one of our parish priests and an essay based on the following.

ESSAY REQUIREMENTS: In an essay of 250-500 words, describe everyday obstacles that you may have experienced or witnessed others experiencing while living a life of authentic faith. Explain how you have overcome these obstacles and how, by doing so, it has helped your faith to continue to grow.

Essays will be judged on a 100-point scoring system with 35 points for content (How clearly is the theme presented?), 30 points for grammar (How well is the essay written with respect to sentence structure, paragraph construction and spelling?) and 35 points for style (Does the essay show creativity, imagination and development of the topic in a compelling style?)