

SAN CLEMENTE'S FIRST CHURCH



St. Clement's by-the-Sea
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Welcoming all since 1929

Class of 2025 Senior Scholarship Application

PARISH MISSION:

Follow Christ through the way we live and love, spreading the good news of God in Christ, opening our hearts to all, and experience and spread joy in the process.

SCHOLARSHIP:

St. Clement's by the Sea will award at minimum one (1) \$500 scholarship to a graduating high school senior, to be applied toward the cost of tuition, fees, housing and/or books at an accredited public or private university or college, junior or community college or vocational/trade school in the Fall of 2025. Payments will be made directly to the school or program and applied to students' account. *Application deadline is Friday, May 9, 2025.* The recipient(s) will be announced during Sunday Services on June 1, 2025.

PURPOSE OF THE SCHOLARSHIP(S):

Provide funding to deserving student(s) who wish to engage in the process of higher learning.

ELIGIBILITY:

1. Be a current member at St. Clement's by the Sea.
2. Be a high school senior who will graduate during the 2024-2025 academic year.
3. Plan to enroll, as a first-year student, in a full-time program of study at an accredited public or private university or college, junior or community college or vocational/trade school for the 2024-2025 academic school year
4. Demonstrated service to others through the church.
5. Complete and submit all required application materials and signatures by the deadline: May 9, 2025. *Include transcript, letter(s), typed essay, printed, and SIGNED application form*

APPLICATION SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

1. Completed application with required signatures
2. Current academic transcript (unofficial is acceptable) with 7th semester (fall) grades
3. One letter of recommendation from a teacher, employer, or community member unrelated to applicant. St. Clement's rector may not be used as reference. (Limited to one typed page)
4. Essay (400-600 words, typed)
5. Submit completed application to (postmarked or delivered by May 9, 2025):
St. Clement's by the Sea, c/o Scholarship Committee, 202 Avenida Aragon, San Clemente, CA 92672
* Entire application packet (including completed & signed application form, transcripts, letter of recommendation and essay) must be submitted all together in one envelope. REQUIRED
ESSAY (400-600 words):

Why Advanced Education will enable me to live more fully into God's purposes for the future.

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CONFIDENTIAL PERSONAL INFORMATION

Student Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Father's Name: _____

Father's Occupation/Company Name: _____

Mother's Name: _____

Mother's Occupation/Company Name: _____

Both merit and financial need are considered for this scholarship. Please explain any unusual or special circumstances which make financial aid necessary (divorce, loss of home, single parent household, loss of employment, etc.)

Combined annual family income (both parents) – Check the box to the right that is correct

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Under \$25,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000-74,999 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000-124,999 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$150,000-174,999 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$25,000-49,999 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$75,000-99,999 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$125,000-149,999 | <input type="checkbox"/> Over \$175,000 |

ACADEMIC RECORD

GPA (weighted): _____ Decile Rank: _____

Intended Major or Study Area: or Undeclared _____

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Schools(s) applied to or enrolled in for Fall 2024:	Status:	Accepted	Pending
1. _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____	_____

HONORS & AWARDS

Honor/Award Name	Year
1. Brief Description _____	_____
2. Brief Description _____	_____
3. Brief Description _____	_____
4. Brief Description _____	_____

EXTRACURRICULAR* **(ATHLETICS / CLUBS / LEADERSHIP)**

**St. Clement's recognizes the limitations of extracurricular activities (athletics, clubs, volunteer service, etc.) during the COVID19 pandemic. Feel free to include extracurricular activities prior to the pandemic through middle and high school.*

Activity/Organization	Year(s)	Position(s) Held
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____
5. _____	_____	_____

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COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES* (VOLUNTEER SERVICE)

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Activity/Organization	Year(s)	Total Hours
1. Brief Description of Involvement _____	_____	_____
2. Brief Description of Involvement _____	_____	_____
3. Brief Description of Involvement _____	_____	_____
4. Brief Description of Involvement _____	_____	_____

EMPLOYMENT

Job Title/Position	Date(s) of Employment	Employer/Company Name
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____

SIGNATURES

The student and parent/guardian signing this scholarship application attest to the accuracy of the information provided as well the required attachments.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

PRIVACY NOTICE: We respect your privacy and are committed to protecting it. St. Clement's by the Sea will treat all personal information in accordance with the law and church privacy policy. We will not sell or disclose your information to third parties for commercial purposes. We will look after the information carefully and use it for consideration during the application process. It will be made available only to St. Clement's by the Sea directors and staff during the review process, will be held securely and destroyed in due course.