

The logo features a gold cross with a central circle containing a smaller cross. To the right of the cross, the text "GREATER WICHITA MINISTERIAL LEAGUE" is written in a gold, serif, all-caps font.

GREATER WICHITA MINISTERIAL LEAGUE

The **Greater Wichita Ministerial League** is an organized body of pastors and ministers who are devoted to the purpose of uniting the Body of Christ, without concern for denominational affiliation, race or gender.

We are an organization of local clergy organized with the objective of uniting the people of the City of Wichita by being a voice that will speak out against social and political injustice in this community and the city at large. While fulfilling the commission of Jesus Christ by going in to all of the world and preaching the Message of the Kingdom to every man, woman, boy and girl.

The purpose of the Greater Wichita Ministerial League is to promote unity, peace and positive change within the Greater Wichita community of ministers and the city at large, to include all races with special emphasis on the African American community.

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Serving the City of Wichita with the Love of Jesus Christ.



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2018 Scholarship Program

6 Scholarships Available!

Guidelines

Greater Wichita Ministerial League Inc., announces **The Greater Wichita Ministerial League Scholarship Awards Program**. The awards banquet will be on May ? at Wichita State University.

Under the Program, 6 \$1000 scholarship will be awarded to seniors attending a high school in the city of Wichita KS, served by GWML or where the League has a presence. Children of GWML members are eligible to apply and should contact the GWML directly for more information.

Available Scholarships:

The Greater Wichita Ministerial League: Six (6) Scholarships Totaling \$6,000 are available for seniors attending any high school in Wichita, Kansas.

Program Guidelines & Priorities:

- * Seeking graduating seniors with a record of volunteerism in the community in non-school sponsored activities and participation in extracurricular school activities.
- * Applicants must have a minimum GPA of 2.5, and plan to attend a 4-year College or 2.0 for those who plan to attend a 2 years college or technical school.
- * Scholarship funds will be paid in September 2018 for the first semester and January 2019 for the second semester of the student's first year **directly to the college** and not to the student. It will be the student's responsibility to submit to the GWML at that time an invoice for second semester tuition and fees, student ID number and college information.
- * Applicants must have the endorsement of their Guidance Counselor on their application attesting they are a qualified fit for this scholarship program. **The Greater Wichita Ministerial League strongly suggests that each high school present this opportunity to the strongest applicants that match this program's guidelines.** Application deadline is **April 30, 2018 by 4:00 p.m.** to be received at the **Greater Wichita Ministerial League President's office**. Late applications are not accepted.

Mail one copy of a completed typed application package to:

(This includes application with signoff by Guidance Department, essay, Resume, and school transcript.)

The Greater Wichita Ministerial League
Scholarship Committee
c/ o Greater Wichita Ministerial League, Inc.
P.O. Box 8082
Wichita, KS 67208

The applications will be reviewed and recipients selected by a committee consisting of volunteers from **The Greater Wichita Ministerial League**. The scholarships will be awarded on DATE TBD.

Applications may be downloaded from **The Greater Wichita Ministerial League** website at www.gwmlct.org/scholarships

Please submit any questions to: info@gwmlct.org



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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2018

Please type your answers.	
1.	Last Name: _____ First Name: _____
2.	Mailing Address Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
3.	Daytime Telephone Number: () _____ Email Address: _____
4.	Date of Birth: Month Day Year Gender: _____
5.	Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA): _____ (On a 4.0 scale) Attach proof of GPA. Your most recent school transcript is required.
6.	Are you the first person in your family to go to college: YES ___ NO ___
7.	Name and location of High School attending: _____
8.	(If your resume or activities sheet answers question 8, please attach and skip to Question 9.) A. List any academic honors, awards and membership activities while in high school: B. List your hobbies, outside interests, extracurricular activities and school related volunteer activities: C. List your non-school sponsored volunteer activities in the community:
9.	A. If you have decided on what university, college, community college or technical college you plan to attend, please list their name. B. If not, list your top 3 college choices:
10.	Is your <u>parent or legal guardian</u> an member of GWML? Yes _____ No _____ If your answer is 'yes' please answer blocks A, B, C below. If your answer is 'no' go to item 13.)
11.	A. His/her full name: _____
12.	Name & address of parent(s) or legal guardian(s): (Include address if different than your own listed in Question 2.) Name(s) Street: City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Home phone of parents or legal guardians: _____ Work phone: _____



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13. On a separate sheet please write an essay (500 words) answering the questions below:

Describe how volunteer or community service has shaped who you are today and what community service has taught you. Also, discuss in your essay about any challenges or obstacles you have dealt with and overcome in life and how this will help you succeed in college and beyond.

STATEMENT OF ACCURACY FOR STUDENTS

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also consent that if chosen as a scholarship winner my picture may be taken and used to promote **The Greater Wichita Ministerial League's** scholarship program. (Winner may waive photo due to unusual or compelling circumstances.)

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, according to **The Greater Wichita Ministerial League Scholarship** policy, I must be present or representative at any potential awards ceremony, surprise, or reception in May 2018 to receive my scholarship award.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, according to **The Greater Wichita Ministerial League Scholarship** policy, it is my responsibility to remit to **The Greater Wichita Ministerial League** the appropriate information for my scholarship to be paid directly to my educational institution for my first semester in September 2018 second in January 2019.

I hereby understand I will not submit this application without all required attachments and supporting information. Incomplete applications or applications that do not meet eligibility criteria will not be considered for this scholarship.

Signature of scholarship applicant: _____ **Date:** _____

STATEMENT OF SUPPORT BY GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

I hereby affirm that this application meets the criteria set forth by this scholarship program and that I submit this application to **The Greater Wichita Ministerial League Scholarship Committee**.

Name of Guidance Counselor submitting the application: _____

High School: _____

Contact information (email and phone): _____

Signature of Guidance Counselor: _____ **Date:** _____

Checklist

- Application
- Essay
- Resume/Activity Sheet
- Guidance Counselor signature
- School Transcript

MAIL COMPLETE APPLICATION PACKAGE TO THE FOUNDATION AT:
The Greater Wichita Ministerial League Scholarship Committee
c/o Greater Wichita Ministerial League, Inc.
P.O. Box 8082
Wichita, KS 67208

REMINDER:

The deadline for this application to be received by the Greater Wichita Ministerial League Office is:
April 30, 2018, 4:00 p.m. NO EXCEPTIONS!