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*"Thank you for choosing me as a recipient of the St. John's Scholarship. This will go a long way and it will definitely help further my education. Thank you to my church for having an influence on my life."*

*~ Logan Fraker,  
2015 Scholarship Recipient*

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## Thank You!

Thank you to those church members and individuals for your generous donations that keep this program alive. To learn more about giving to the Scholarship program, please contact St. John's office at (563) 324-5278

## Who We Are

### About Us

St. John's United Methodist Church is a Methodist-Christian denomination that is both mainline Protestant and Evangelical. Founded in 1968 by the union of the Methodist Church (USA) and the Evangelical United Brethren Church, the UMC traces its roots back to the revival movement of John and Charles Wesley within the Church of England. As such, the church's theological orientation is decidedly Wesleyan. It embraces both liturgical and evangelical elements. The United Methodist Church is the largest denomination within the wider Methodist movement, which has approximately 80 million adherents around the world.

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**ST. JOHN'S  
UNITED  
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CHURCH**

**Scholarship  
Program**



## Creating Futures

Founded in 2014, the St. John's Scholarship Program is 100% donation-funded and awards a select number of \$500 scholarships each year to qualifying high school seniors who are applying to a college, university or specialty education program.

Applications are due to the church by the first Sunday in April and awardees are recognized in worship on Mother's Day weekend.

Contact the church office to pick up and submit applications.

The Scholarship Program is a way for members of St. John's to express their love and concern for our youth. You can pick up an application in the church office. You are asked to write a 250-500-word essay on how St. John's has helped you develop a belief in God and how that belief will help you going forth in life. We ask that you also give the church ideas on how we can make the church more relevant to youth. We ask that you submit two letters of recommendation with the application. The application, essay, and letters of recommendation are due in the church office the first Sunday of April.

### Applicant Qualifications:

- Be a member of St. John's United Methodist Church
- Regularly attend Sunday School, worship services and/or other youth activities
- Reach out to youth in the church, school and/or community
- Participate in community service
- Show potential for successful completion of chosen education path

### Scholarship Mission:

To support St. John's United Methodist Church youth and evaluate how relevant the church and its activities are to today's youth.