

The Margaret S. Cole and Susan Cole Lacy Scholarship

The First Presbyterian Church in Pitman, NJ

The Cole-Lacy Scholarship Fund is a permanent endowment of the First Presbyterian Church in Pitman, NJ for the purpose of providing annual scholarships for graduating high school seniors or college students. Preference will be given to students who are members of First Presbyterian Church in Pitman, who are involved in church activities, and who intend to major in education, music or ministry. However, all fields of study will be considered. Applications are welcome from high school, trade school, undergrad and graduate students who reside in the following New Jersey counties: Gloucester, Camden, Salem, and Cumberland.

Applicants are required to complete the attached application form and provide a copy of the Student Aid Report generated from their FAFSA application, which includes the Expected Family Contribution (EFC). Applicants are also required to prepare a 500-word essay describing their involvement in their faith community, how their faith has shaped them as an individual, and how it will continue to guide their life.

Completed applications are due in the church office at 10 Wildwood Avenue in Pitman by noon on **May 12, 2023**. Applications may also be submitted by email to office@pitmanpres.org. Under no circumstances will this application deadline be extended. **Any application submitted after the deadline or that is incomplete will not be considered.** Previous applicants are welcome to apply again this year, but the scholarship will not be awarded more than twice to any individual. At this time, it is our intention to present these scholarships in Sunday worship on Father's Day, June 18, 2023, at 10 a.m. Students are strongly encouraged to be present during worship that morning to receive their scholarship.

Questions may be directed to the Cole Lacy Scholarship Committee through the Church Office at (856) 589-1050 or office@pitmanpres.org.

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Please print all information

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Email Address: _____

School Currently Attending: _____

School attending Fall 2023: _____

Major/Field of Study: _____

Community Engagement: _____

Member of or affiliated with a church? Yes No

If yes, which church? _____

Have you received this scholarship in the past? _____

Please prepare an essay describing involvement in your faith community, how your faith has shaped you as an individual, and how it will continue to guide your life. This essay should be a minimum of 500 words.

The deadline to submit your completed application is Friday, May 12, 2023 at 12:00 p.m. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES WILL THIS DEADLINE BE EXTENDED. Any application that is submitted after the deadline or is incomplete will not be considered. Please submit your application to the First Presbyterian Church in Pitman, 10 Wildwood Avenue, Pitman, NJ 08071, attention Cole-Lacy Scholarship. **This scholarship is planned to be awarded during Sunday Worship on Father's Day, June 18, 2023, at 10:00 a.m.** Further information can be found on our website, pitmanpres.org/cole-lacy-scholarship.

Have you included...

- this completed application form?
- FAFSA Student Aid Report, including Expected Family Contribution (EFC)?
- 500 word essay?