

Hope Community Church

Phil and Karen Lundberg Memorial Scholarship Fund

Revised: Dec. 2021 (For Academic Year 2022-23)

The Phil and Karen Lundberg Memorial Scholarship Fund (PKL Fund) replaces the former Hope Community Church (HCC) Missions Education Fund. The purpose of this scholarship fund is to provide financial assistance to post-secondary (i.e., college) students from our church body and children of Missionary families directly supported by Hope Community Church.

Phil and Karen Lundberg—life-long members of HCC—had a life-long missions focus, both internationally and locally, as well as a love for bringing up children in the way of the Lord. Thus, it is fitting to associate their names with this fund.

Fund Purpose & Eligibility

The purpose of this scholarship fund is to provide financial assistance and encouragement to post-secondary students from the HCC church body or children (Missions Kids aka MKs) of Missionary families directly supported by Hope Community Church. The PKL Fund is intended to be a dedicated (Restricted Use) fund that will be separate from the annual HCC General Fund (Budget). The scholarship is intended to be funded by Individuals contributing designated funds and general revenue (budget) funds allocated by the HCC Leadership Team at the end of each budget year. (Example: At the end of a fiscal year, HCC may end up with a surplus of \$8,000 of which the Leadership Team may choose to transfer \$2,000 to the PKL Fund.)

The fund goal is a baseline of \$20,000 (e.g., funded as explained above and thereafter, allocations to maintain the \$20,000 minimum level). The goal of \$20,000 is not a requirement for awarding a scholarship and there is no requirement to award scholarships every calendar year.

Eligible Applicants

Eligible applicants—regardless of location—will have graduated from a K12 high school (or equivalent) and are pursuing post-secondary education in the form of college, community college, trade schools, or apprentice positions. Applicants must apply for each academic year with a limit on four applications.

Applicants from Missionary families directly supported by Hope Community Church are eligible regardless of the student's post-secondary curriculum or major or post-graduation career goal. Missionaries in the field face many challenges when it comes to planning for their children's post-secondary education. The eligibility of their children is a tangible way for HCC to come alongside these families in a meaningful way.

Applicants from HCC families (HCC members and “regular attenders”) must demonstrate a heart for Missions and desire to pursue Missions field work or Vocational Ministry (domestic or internationally). Applicants must be working on course work that includes theological education or specific individual goals that have relevancy to full or part-time evangelical ministry after graduation. The area of Missions that the applicant is pursuing must be in alignment with the doctrines of the Evangelical Free Church of America and Hope Community Church.

Applicants do not need to have a declared major such as “Missions” since a Missionary is not a specific occupation. For example, at Trinity Western University, there is no major in “Missions,” only a minor. Students pick up the major of their choice to combine with their minor to get prepared for entering the Missions field. (As an example, IT Support as a major can provide a great opportunity to enter vocational ministry.)

Scholarship Award Amounts

- Two award categories: Missions Kids and HCC Students.
- Each award category is eligible for a 1st Place and 2nd Place award amount TBD each academic year.
> 1st Place Award for AY 2021-22: up to \$2,000 (USD)
> 2nd Place Award for AY 2021-22: up to \$1,000 (USD)
- Scholarship awards are determined by evaluation of quality and substance of applications with consideration of circumstances and needed.
- The Scholarship Evaluation Committee has discretion with determining awards.

Application Process

Applications are available from HCC office or HCC Website in late December.

Applications must be submitted to HCC office by 12:00 pm (noon) Pacific Time on February 28, 2022.

Applications will be reviewed by an Ad Hoc Committee consisting of a minimum of three (3) people; representing the HCC Missions Team, HCC Leadership Team, and a Member-at-Large (unrelated to applicants).

Award Process

Announcement of scholarship recipients will be made on or before May 1.

To receive the scholarship, the student must provide a formal "Notice of Enrollment" from the school or institution along with the student's School ID or Account number.

HCC will forward the scholarship amount to the school's or institution's business office for crediting to the student's account.

Any other type of disbursement of scholarship funds are subject to review by HCC Leadership Team.

This is the end of the overview and specifications of scholarship.

Following are two separate application forms in PDF form; HCC applicants and MK applicants.

Hope Community Church ~ Olympia, Washington

The Phil and Karen Memorial Scholarship Application for Academic Year: 2022 – 2023

Application Form for Hope Community Church Student

Applicant (Student) Profile

Full Name: _____

HCC Member: Yes ___ No ___ Regular Attender: Yes ___ / No ___

Home (mailing) Address: _____

Phone: (____) _____ - _____ Email: _____

Parent(s)/Guardian(s): _____

HCC Member: Yes ___ No ___ Regular Attender: Yes ___ / No ___

Secondary school (or alternative); name & city: _____

Graduation date: _____

Post-secondary School/Institution Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

Expected start date for academic year: _____

Class status at the beginning of the term (Freshman, etc.): _____

Declared major (if known): _____

Declared minor (if known): _____

Expected date of graduation: _____

School/Institution Financial Information

Estimated **annual** cost for:

Tuition: \$ _____

Room & Board: \$ _____

Books, Supplies, Fees, etc.: \$ _____

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School/Institution Financial Information (continued)

Other scholarships obtained (source and dollar amount): _____

Student Loans expected (FAFSA, PELL, etc.): _____

Do you have current financial loans from previous years attending school Yes ___ / No ___ If Yes, describe.

Aside from Tuition and Room & Board, please describe any other financial needs you anticipate.

Does institution offer "Matching-funds" Yes ___ No ___ / If "Yes" deadline for payment? _____

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HCC Student Applicant Questions and Essays
Response to all questions is required. Use additional sheets as necessary.

1. Describe your involvement with HCC and youth programs.

2. Describe your God-given skills and how you envision using them with Missions-related work?

3. What Missions organization would you like to affiliate with?

4. **Optional:** Please list references (name, phone, email address) who can provide background on your spiritual walk or prior Missions-related activities.

Required Essay 1: On a separate sheet, please create an essay of 200-400 words to illustrate the growth of your personal faith.

Required Essay 2: On a separate sheet, please create an essay of 200-400 words on what motivated you to enter Missions-related work.

Applications must be submitted – or delivered in-person -- by 12:00 pm on February 28, 2022.

**Hope Community Church
Scholarship Program
2425 Black Lake Blvd. SW
Olympia, WA 98512**

**Application can be mailed to the address above or scanned/printed-to-PDF and emailed to
office@hopecc.us.**

Hope Community Church ~ Olympia, Washington

The Phil and Karen Memorial Scholarship Application for Academic Year: 2022 - 2023

Application Form for Children of Supported Missionaries

Applicant (Student) Profile

Full Name: _____

Home (mailing) Address: _____

Phone: (____) _____ - _____ Email: _____

Parent(s)/Guardian(s): _____

Secondary school (or alternative); name & city: _____

Graduation date from secondary school: _____

Name of Home Church: _____

Missionary Family Information

1. How long has your family been supported by Hope Community Church? _____

2. Name of Mission Organization: _____

3. Mission Field Country: _____

4. History of student's Mission living experience(s); country, # of years, etc.: _____

5. Does the Mission organization provide "Matching-funds" Yes ___ No ___

If "Yes" deadline for payment? _____

Post-secondary School, Institution, or Program Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

Expected start date for academic year: _____

Class status at the beginning of the term (Freshman, etc.): _____

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Post-secondary School, Institution, or Program Information (continued)

Declared major or coursework (If known): _____

Declared minor or coursework (If known): _____

Expected date of graduation: _____

School, Institution, or Program Financial Information

Estimated **annual** cost for:

Tuition: \$ _____

Room & Board: \$ _____

Books, Supplies, Fees, etc.: \$ _____

Other scholarships obtained: _____

Do you have current financial loans from previous years attending school Yes ___ / No ___ If Yes, please describe.

Aside from Tuition and Room & Board, please describe any other financial needs you anticipate?

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