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Dear parents of a graduating senior,

Graduation is just around the corner! What an exciting time in the life of your senior! So many decisions to make and plans to carry out! While this may be an exciting time for your senior, it can also be a financially challenging time for you as parents.

First Presbyterian Church (First Pres) has three scholarships available for your senior. The *Appreciation Scholarship* is a \$100 award available to ALL graduating high school seniors who are members of First Pres *and* enrolled in an accredited institution of higher learning. Simply fill out the application and return.

The *365 Discipleship Award Fund* was established to provide \$365 for any graduating high school senior that is in “good standing” as a First Pres disciple. Your senior simply needs to fill out the application. The Youth Team will receive and review applications and make decisions on awards. The criteria for receiving an award will be based on the merit of the applicant and his or her overall standing as an actively *participating church disciple*. This too is a simple application that needs only to be filled out and returned.

Finally, the *First Presbyterian Church Endowed Scholarship* is a need-based scholarship that is available each year, based on the student's financial need. Scholarships are awarded for undergraduate studies only, and applications must be filled out on an annual basis and submitted along with a current copy of the student's FAFSA and school transcripts. Scholarship preference is given to students who are members of First Pres with secondary preference to students who are members of other Presbyterian Church, USA churches in Rowan County. Please keep in mind that some families have greater financial need than others. The more students requesting the need-based scholarship, the lower the amount awarded to each student will be. Rest assured that all financial information will be held in strict confidence and shared only with members of the scholarship committee when determining need-based awards.

It is the responsibility of your senior to fill out all the forms and attach all necessary information required before the deadline. NO late applications will be accepted.

Completed forms can be mailed to the church or dropped off at the church office.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at 704-636-1321, or email me at clewis@firstpressalisbury.org.

The deadline to return all completed information is **Friday, April 24**.

Congratulations to you and your senior!

Christina Lewis
Business Administrator

First Presbyterian Church Scholarship Trust
Salisbury, North Carolina
Appreciation Scholarship Application

First Presbyterian Church Scholarship Trust will award a \$100 merit scholarship to all graduating high school seniors who are members of First Presbyterian Church and enrolled in an accredited institution of higher learning.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

First Presbyterian Church membership date: _____

Circle one: Confirmation – OR – Transfer of Letter

Name and address of institution of higher learning that you will be attending next school year:

Please be sure to type or print legibly.
Return to the church office no later than April 24.



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Attention: Christina Lewis
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Salisbury, North Carolina
365 Disciple Award Application

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

High School: _____

Please tell us about your active participation and involvement at First Presbyterian Church:

Please tell us the name of two people you would like to honor (*no relatives*):

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