

# POLICIES ON SCHOLARSHIP AND FINANCIAL AID

## **Bishop Charles F. Golden Scholarship**

This scholarship aid may be granted to the following category of persons:

Certified ministerial candidates and probationary members in good standing in the Conference who are under the care of the California-Pacific Annual Conference Board of Ordained Ministry or related to a District Committee.

- This aid is granted on the basis of need certified by the Financial Aid Officer of a seminary APPROVED BY THE UNIVERSITY SENATE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. This aid will be regarded as an INTEREST FREE LOAN until the recipient has completed two years of full-time service under a District Superintendent. At that time, the aid shall become an outright gift!
- IN CASE OF DISCONTINUANCE from the candidacy and ordination process, the loan is to be repaid.
- For a student enrolled full time, the maximum amount of scholarship aid is \$550 per request.
- For a student enrolled part time, the following amounts will be awarded: 11 units, \$500; 10 units, \$450; 9 units, \$400; 8 units, \$350; 7 units, \$300; and, 6 units, \$250.
- Requests shall not be granted more than twice in any academic year, including summer terms. A new application for aid needs to be submitted at the beginning of each term. THIS IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE STUDENT.
- Scholarship aid granted through the Conference Board of Ordained Ministry should INCREASE not REPLACE the total aid capacity of the seminary student.
- An invitation will be sent to the home church of the scholarship aid recipient, encouraging the church to match the Board's contribution.
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## **APPLICATION DEADLINES FOR GOLDEN SCHOLARSHIP AID**

FALL TERM: September 1<sup>st</sup> & SPRING TERM: January 1<sup>st</sup>

## **The Botkin Foundation Award**

The Board of Ordained Ministry has the privilege of annually giving five awards of \$2,000 each to **full time** students whom the Board deems most needful. These awards shall be determined by the scholarship Aid Committee at their October meeting, and thus it is imperative that students submit their applications in a timely manner--if possible,

Application forms are available from:

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