

GEORGE MARTIN BURSARY

Applications are now being accepted for the George Martin Bursary of \$500.00. The George Martin Bursary is a legacy of the late George Martin of this parish. It consists of a gift of \$15,000.00 dedicated to aiding students from this parish who are entering their first year of post-secondary education at a recognized institution. It provides that the principal remains untouched and that bursaries be funded from the interest only, so that the fund may carry on in perpetuity. The bursary is administered by the Parish Pastoral Council through its George Martin Bursary Committee. A candidate must:

- be currently enrolled in an approved post-secondary institution of learning;
- be a member in good standing of the parish of St. Edward the Confessor;
- have contributed significantly of time and talent to this or another Catholic faith community; and
- have submitted to the Committee an application form properly completed within the specified time period.

Application forms are available at the parish office; further instructions are available on the forms.

The deadline for submissions:

- Submissions by hand to the parish office are due at **12:00 noon on Friday, July 30, 2021.**
- Submission by mail (**postmarked up to and including July 30, 2021**) are to be sent to:

George Martin Bursary Committee

St. Edward's Parish
2085 Maple Bay Road
Duncan, BC V9L 5L9

Please note that late submissions will not be considered.

Pat Carter

Chairperson

George Martin Bursary Committee

St Edward's Parish
George Martin Bursary
Application

Restricted to Registered, Practicing Catholics from St. Edward's

Bursary for Advanced Education 2021

1. Bursaries - Amount \$500.00.
2. Open to any student attending any recognized post secondary institution, including academic, trade and technical full time courses of at least 1 school year's duration.
3. Preference will be given to those having participated and/or contributed to parish life.
4. The award amount will be paid to a recognized post-secondary institution upon proof of acceptance.
5. Enrolment into the recognized post-secondary institution must be within the next school year.
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This bursary is a gift from our community and as such certain requirements are to be considered. Past and present active involvement in the faith community and sharing of our Christian gifts are an important value of our community. This bursary is a community act of recognition for your involvement and sharing.

However at times in the last year of high school a person may join our community and only begin to share their gifts. They may have been shared with another Catholic community for years prior to joining St. Edward's. This will be considered and recognized.

It is important that young people consider how their faith has supported them up to the time they apply for this bursary and what, how and with whom they plan to continue to find this support during their schooling. Therefore, you are asked to complete the following application and supply the Parish Pastoral Council with a letter as described on the application form.

Bursary No. _____

***St Edward's Parish
George Martin Bursary
Application***

Application For Advanced Education: *for assistance to attend a recognized post-secondary institution.*

Name _____ Current School Attending _____

Name of Father/Guardian _____ Occupation: _____

Name of Mother/Guardian _____ Occupation: _____

Registered Member of St. Edward's Parish (Yes) (No) Number of Dependent Children in Family _____

Address: _____

Institution you are enrolled with (or plan to enroll in): _____

Applicants Please Complete The Following:

List parish activities in which you have participated and any position you have held, if any, in those activities. For example Altar Server, Youth Group, Ministries, etc.

Please attach a short letter describing the importance of a faith community, sharing your gifts and your plans for ongoing practice in a Catholic faith community during your educational experience.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date _____

Verified: _____ Date _____