

Polk Memorial Scholarship Fund

Presented by First Lutheran Church in Lake City

In accordance of the wishes of the Bob Polk and his family this scholarship is to be awarded to a deserving student who is a confirmed member of First Lutheran Church and who plans to enter an educational program in a medical or a related human health care program.

To be eligible for this scholarship the candidate must be a confirmed member of First Lutheran Church in Lake City, MN and enrolled in an undergraduate 2 or 4 year college, university or technical school program pursuing a medical or health care related degree.

Dollar Amount of Scholarship

One scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 will be awarded to a confirmed First Lutheran member entering a medical field or a related human health care program. The award will increase by 10% a year until the funds are depleted.

Duration of Scholarship

Candidates can re-apply for this scholarship as long as they are making satisfactory progress toward their degree in a health care program of study during their undergraduate program. Scholarship award is limited to 4 years.

Application Process

- High School or college student applicants must have a GPA of 3.0 or above.
- Must be accepted by a two or four year program at an accredited college, university or technical school.
- Completion of Application Form
- Completion of Personal Statement
- Completion of Release of Student Records Form

Selection

A selection committee will review applications. The selection committee will include the Polk family and 2-4 representatives of First Lutheran Church.

Contact person at the First Lutheran Church in Lake City is Patty Svien, 651-345-4383, lsvien@centurylink.net or Pastor Tim Ehling, Pastor First Lutheran Church.

Award

The selection of the scholarship recipient will be made by July 1 of each year. This award will be presented by the Polk family or designated person(s) chosen by the Polk family at a church service chosen by the family and successful candidate.

Distribution of Funds

The check will be made out to the student and the school. It will be paid the second semester after submission of first semester grades to the Scholarship Committee of First Lutheran Church in Lake City.

**Scholarship application will be returned to First Lutheran Church office by,
June 1**