

*ST. MARY CHURCH  
SIMSBURY, CONNECTICUT  
FATHER JOSEPH CUNNINGHAM  
COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION*

Please Note:

1. Applicant must be a high school senior who will attend an institution of higher learning as a fulltime freshman student for the academic year 2013-2014.
2. Applicant and/or applicant's family must be registered parishioners of St. Mary Parish, Simsbury, Connecticut as of March 1, 2013. Applicants are advised to verify registration with the Parish Office before beginning the application process.
3. In preparing their applications, applicants should bear in mind that the Scholarship Committee will weigh consideration of parish and church service at approximately 50%; community service at approximately 25%; school service and grades at approximately 10% each; and miscellaneous information at 5%.
4. This complete scholarship application form, along with an original high school transcript and two letters of reference, must be mailed or hand delivered to the Women's Guild mailbox located in the Parish Office at 3 Massaco Street, Simsbury, CT 06070 by **Friday, May 17, 2013**. The Parish Office closes at 4:00 p.m. It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that the application and all supporting documents are submitted to the proper location by the deadline.

I. Applicant information

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (home): \_\_\_\_\_ (cell): \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Siblings (names and ages): \_\_\_\_\_

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Our family has been a member of St. Mary Parish since: \_\_\_\_\_

II. College/Universities I have applied to:

(List in order of preference):

Accepted?

Intended Major

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III. Activities. Please provide dates and details. List any academic honors; state whether you have held any leadership positions, list hobbies or areas of interest. You are encouraged to attached additional pages as needed.

Parish/Church: \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_

Community: \_\_\_\_\_  
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School: \_\_\_\_\_  
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IV. Student Employment

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Brief description of responsibilities: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates of employment: \_\_\_\_\_

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Brief description of responsibilities: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates of employment: \_\_\_\_\_

V. References. List the names and address of two individuals whom you have asked to write a letter of reference for you. One of the two should be an adult who can describe your parish /church related activities. You are encouraged to provide your references with information about the Scholarship criteria, so that they will be able to detail the areas of interest to the Scholarship Committee.

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

VI. Personal Statement. Please attach a brief statement about yourself, emphasizing your qualifications for the Father Joseph Cunningham Scholarship.

VII. Verification: I represent that all information contained in this application is true and accurate.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant

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Signature of Applicant's Parent/Guardian

**MAIL TO: St. Mary Church Scholarship Fund, P.O. Box 575, Simsbury, CT 06070**