

## JOYFUL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY CHURCH



April 10, 2021

Dear Applicants,

Thank you for your interest in the Scholarship Program provided by Joyful Christian Community Church (JCCC). We are pleased to post the application packet and pertinent information up on our website.

The JCCC Scholarship Program is established to encourage Christian students to continue their education. The JCCC Scholarship Program will be accepting applications for the following three categories:

- Missionaries & Pastors' Kids Scholarship (PK & MK Scholarship)
- Seminary Scholarship
- General Academic Scholarship

Please refer to the summary document for specific eligibility requirements for each category. It is very important that your financial needs are completely and accurately presented.

The scholarship awards will be determined by the JCCC Scholarship Committee. A student may only apply for ONE scholarship category.

For the academic year 2021-2022, applications will be accepted until **May 31, 2021**. A **completed application form and all required documents** must be submitted by above due date. Scholarship recipients may receive an email notification with follow-up instructions during the selection process of award recipients. The announcement for the scholarship awards will be posted at **www.joyfulccc.org** during the week of **July 25, 2021**. It is the responsibility of the applicant to check the recipients list and provide any additionally requested documents which may be required before the scholarship is awarded. The scholarship award ceremony will be held in late **August 2021** during the worship service at JCCC. The exact date will be posted on the JCCC website, [www.joyfulccc.org](http://www.joyfulccc.org).

Please submit your completed application via email to ***scholarship2021@joyfulccc.org*** by **no later than May 31, 2021**. The application form should be scanned with the applicant's signature (and parents' signature, if necessary). Completed application packages can be turned in by regular mail to:

**Attention: Scholarship Committee  
Joyful Christian Community Church  
P.O. Box 270  
Glendale, CA 91209**

Should you have any questions regarding the JCCC Scholarship Program, please email ***scholarship2021@joyfulccc.org***.

In Christ and His Grace,

Scholarship Committee  
Joyful Christian Community Church



## Summary of 2021 JCCC Scholarship Eligibility Requirements

### Scholarship Eligibility Qualifications for All Categories

1. Baptized or confirmed member of a church recognized by JCCC or a church considered to believe in the doctrines similar to those of JCCC.
2. The applicant must either attend a school in Southern California (or has been admitted to a school in Southern California for the upcoming academic year), **OR** the applicant's permanent address must be in Southern California. The applicant must meet one of the following criteria:
  1. Full time undergraduate or graduate student attending a fully accredited 4-year college or university located in **Southern California** (or have been admitted to such a program for the upcoming academic year), subject to approval by JCCC's Steering Committee.
  2. Full time undergraduate or graduate student attending a fully accredited 4-year college or university located **outside of Southern California** (or have been admitted to such a program for the upcoming academic year) **if the student's permanent address is in Southern California**, subject to approval by JCCC's Steering Committee,
  3. International or "out of state" student (permanent address is outside of California) attending a 2-year community college or junior college program in **Southern California**, subject to approval by JCCC's Steering Committee.
3. Average GPA 2.7 (B-) or above.
  - Official academic transcript should be sealed and mailed to JCCC's Scholarship Committee directly from the school or submitted electronically from the institution.
  - Unofficial transcript sent by an applicant will not be accepted.
4. Must demonstrate financial need.
5. A letter of recommendation must be included with the completed application. The letter of recommendation may be from: (i) a pastor at the church the applicant is currently attending, or (ii) a teacher or professor at the school of the applicant.
6. Please send ONE (1) email or mail with the completed application including all attachments.
7. If selected to be awarded a scholarship, an enrollment verification or statement of tuition must be provided to JCCC's Scholarship Committee to receive the scholarship.

### PK & MK Scholarship

**Purpose:** To provide financial support, promote and encourage pursuit of Christian leadership by the children of Pastors and Missionaries.

**Qualifications:**

- Read the scholarship eligibility qualifications for all categories above.
- Must prove a parent is currently active full-time Pastor or Missionary.

### Seminary Scholarship

**Purpose:** To provide financial support, promote and encourage pursuit of a theological education by recognizing those students who exemplify the servitude-leadership qualities of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**Qualification:** Read the scholarship eligibility qualifications for all categories above.

### General Academic Scholarship

**Purpose:** To provide financial support, promote and recognize academic and leadership achievements by undergraduate and graduate students.

**Qualification:** Read the scholarship eligibility qualifications for all categories above.

### Important Information

**Since the JCCC Scholarship Program is based on financial need, you will have to completely and accurately describe your current financial circumstances to be considered.**



## 2021 JCCC Scholarship Award Timeline

<b>Date</b>	<b>Schedule</b>
April 10, 2021	Announcement of scholarship application
May 31, 2021	Application deadline
Week of July 25, 2021	Announcement of scholarship award recipients
Late August 2021	A scholarship award ceremony will be held during worship service at JCCC. The exact date will be posted on the JCCC website, <a href="http://www.joyfulccc.org">www.joyfulccc.org</a> .



## 2021 JCCC Scholarship Program Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

### ELIGIBILITY and APPLICATION

- 1. I am an international student studying in the US. Am I still eligible to apply for the scholarship?**  
Answer: **YES.** You do not have to be a US citizen or permanent resident to apply for the JCCC Scholarship.
- 2. I am an international student and thus, I do not have necessary tax returns or CSS financial aid profile or FAFSA report to support my financial circumstances. What documents can I submit?**  
Answer: Please submit your Form I-20 along with proof of current enrollment at your academic institution. Please explain in detail the specifics of your current financial circumstances.
- 3. I am planning to enroll as a part-time student. Am I eligible to apply?**  
Answer: **NO.** Only full-time students are eligible for the JCCC Scholarship.
- 4. I am a child of a pastor who is currently inactive. Can I apply for the PK & MK Scholarship?**  
Answer: **NO.** In order to apply for the PK & MK Scholarship category, your parent must be an active full-time pastor or missionary. You may apply for the General Academic Scholarship instead.
- 5. I received a JCCC Scholarship last year. Can I apply this year again?**  
Answer: **YES.** Provided that you will be enrolled as a full-time student for 2021-2022, you may re-apply.
- 6. How much is the scholarship award?**  
Answer: The scholarship award ranges from \$1,000 to \$3,000.
- 7. When is the deadline to submit a completed application?**  
Answer: Applications emailed to the JCCC Scholarship Committee will be accepted until 11:59 p.m. (PDT) on May 31, 2021. If you apply by mail, the post office stamp date must be marked on or before May 31, 2021. Physical application packages will only be accepted if mailed to the P.O. Box address as stated herein below.
- 8. Can I submit essays in Korean?**  
Answer: **YES.** However, we strongly encourage you to challenge yourself and write your essay in English.
- 9. Can I apply for this scholarship if I am (or will be) attending a school outside of Southern California?**  
Answer: **YES.** If your permanent address is in Southern California.

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Please submit your completed application by no later than May 31, 2021. Applications may be submitted via email to [scholarship2021@joyfulccc.org](mailto:scholarship2021@joyfulccc.org) or by physical mail to:

Attn: Scholarship Committee  
Joyful Christian Community Church  
P.O. Box 270  
Glendale, CA 91209

For any other inquiries, please email [scholarship2021@joyfulccc.org](mailto:scholarship2021@joyfulccc.org).

Name (Last, First)

Email address

Year (1,2,3,4,  
G-Master,  
G-Doctorate)

Telephone Number



## 2021 JCCC Scholarship Application

Please indicate the scholarship you are applying for (select one only).

PK & MK Scholarship

Seminary Scholarship

General Academic Scholarship

### A. PERSONAL INFORMATION - Please fill in your information on the top of the application on both pages

Last Name	First Name	MI	Korean Name	Sex (M/F)	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yy)
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Permanent Address	City	State	Zip	Telephone
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Mailing Address	City	State	Zip	Telephone
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Country of Citizenship (US, Korea, etc)	US Permanent Resident (Y/N)	School, Major, Year for 2021/22 Academic Year
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Please select one. Are you currently a student, OR is your permanent address in Southern California?  Yes  No

### B. CHURCH INFORMATION

Are you or your family currently members of Joyful Christian Community Church? If yes, state their names and relationship to you.

If no, state the name, address and denomination of your current church. How long have you been a member?

Name of Church	Address (City, State)	Denomination	Years in Attendance
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Have you been baptized or confirmed?  Baptized  Confirmed  No

On a separate sheet of paper, please describe your ministry or community service experiences during the last 3 years.

### C. ACADEMIC HISTORY

On a separate sheet of paper, please list all your academic institutions starting from your high school. Please list the following: Name of school, City and state, Years of attendance, GPA, Degree (if applicable), SAT score (high school), Major. Additionally, please list any academic achievements, honors and/or awards. Please have your most recent transcript sent by your institution. (Seminary students do not have to list high school).

### D. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

\*If you will be enrolled in an undergraduate program for the 2021-2022 academic year, you must provide your parents' information.

Marital Status	# Dependents/Ages	Name of Your Father*	Name of Your Mother*
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Your 2020 Gross Income \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Your Spouse's 2020 Gross Income \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Your Parents' 2020 Gross Income\* \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name (Last, First)	Email address	Year (1,2,3,4, G-Master, G-Doctorate)	Telephone Number
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**D. FINANCIAL INFORMATION - Continued**

Financial Costs for the Upcoming Year:		Financial Pledges:		Financial Need:
Tuition	_____	Personal Contribution	_____	↓ A-B = \$ _____
Room & Board	_____	Contribution from Parents*	_____	
Books & Supplies	_____	Financial Aid from School	_____	
Transportation	_____	Scholarships	_____	
TOTAL(A)	_____	TOTAL(B)	_____	

Date	Parent(s)' Name*	Parent(s)' Signature*
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Attach supporting documents such as CSS Financial Aid Profile, FAFSA Report, Your Income Tax Return, Your Parent's Income Tax Return, etc.

On a separate sheet of paper, as accurately as possible, please share your current financial situation.

**E. ESSAYS**

- Please select ONE of the following essay questions. Your statement should be at least 200 words.
- ◆ **For General Academic and PK & MK Scholarship applicants:**
    - Tell us about a time when you faced hardship or great trouble in your life and how God's faithfulness helped you overcome that experience.
    - What would look different in our community and world if we saw God's kingdom come? What part is God calling you to play in that?
  - ◆ **For Seminary Scholarship applicants:**
    - Tell us about your calling into pastoral ministry. Why do you feel called to serve and what is your vision for your ministry?
    - In what areas of your life do you notice God deepening your character? Please share a specific experience where or when you felt his prompting.

**F. LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION AND REFERENCES**

- Please provide a letter of recommendation meeting the JCCC scholarship requirements. Recommender should send a letter directly to JCCC's Scholarship Committee via email to *scholarship2021@joyfulccc.org* or regular mail to *Attn: Scholarship Committee, Joyful Christian Community Church, P.O. Box 270, Glendale, CA 91209*.
  - Please provide one or more personal references.
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| Reference 1: Name _____ | Phone Number _____ | Relationship _____ |
| Reference 2: Name _____ | Phone Number _____ | Relationship _____ |

**G. FINAL CHECK LIST**

- All of the following required documents must be enclosed in your application package. Please include your name, email address, telephone number, and 2021-2022 academic year (1,2,3,4 for undergraduates, G-Master, G-Doctorate) on each separate attachment.
- Completed Application (2-pages)
  - Church Activities/Community Service Description (Section B)
  - Academic History (Section C)
  - Transcript (most recent) sent by institution (Section C)
  - Supportive Financial Documents (CSS Financial Aid Profile, FAFSA Report, Income Tax Returns, etc.) including your explanation of current financial circumstances (Section D)
  - Essay (Section E)
  - Letter(s) of Recommendation sent by qualified person (Section F)

To the best of my knowledge, I attest that the foregoing information I provided is true. If requested by the JCCC Scholarship Committee, I will provide any additional information concerning my application. Furthermore, I understand that incompleteness or falsification on my JCCC Scholarship Application will automatically result in disqualification.

Date	Applicant Name	Signature
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**Please submit your complete application by May 31, 2021 to: [scholarship2021@joyfulccc.org](mailto:scholarship2021@joyfulccc.org)**

✘ How did you find JCCC scholarship program?    Newspaper    Internet    Parents    Friend    Other