



HOLY CROSS
H I G H S C H O O L

2019-2020

SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarship funds have been established at Holy Cross High School by many friends, families, alumni, and staff in the hope of providing new opportunities to the young men and women of the Holy Cross Community. Many students will be recipients of these honors based on varying criteria such as academic performance, extracurricular participation, school and community contributions, economic need, and future endeavors. The following information provides a brief description of the scholarships available to qualified students.

Deadline for submitting applications is Friday, February 15th

SCHOLARSHIPS OPEN TO CLASS OF 2020, 2021, 2022

BERNIER FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP \$500

Two (\$500) scholarships. The first scholarship will be awarded to a **girl** with strong English writing skills. The second one will be awarded to a **boy** who plays soccer.

- Demonstrate Financial Need

ERMINIA CRONAN SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000

This scholarship was established in 2008 by Steven Cronan '83 in memory of his mother, Erma Cronan, a longtime employee of Holy Cross High School.

- 85 or better overall average
- Demonstrate Financial Need
- In good standing

THEODORE P. ESPOSITO MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP \$2,000

This award is given in memory of Mr. Theodore P. Esposito, father of Holy Cross alumni, members of '94, '97 and '99 graduating classes. As Mr. Esposito excelled in both the classroom and on the field playing football and baseball, preference will be given to students who play sports.

- 90 average
- Demonstrate Financial Need
- Involvement in Extracurricular Activities (preference given to athletes)

ANNE AND CHARLES MARTONE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000

This scholarship is in memory of Anne and Charles Martone, parents of graduate Mike Martone '74.

- Academic Promise
- Solid member of the Holy Cross High School community

DYLAN MCDERMOTT SCHOLARSHIP \$2,500

This scholarship was established in 2011 by actor, Dylan McDermott, Class of '79.

- Primary consideration will be given to a student in the visual or performing arts.
- Demonstrate Financial Need
- Show Academic Promise
- Requirement- Answer the Question: "How will this scholarship help me at Holy Cross?" Include any special financial circumstances or hardships which you believe should be considered.

GEORGE M. AND MARY E. OLIVER SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000

This scholarship was established in 2006 by Attorney Robert Livermore '91 in memory of his grandparents, George and Mary Oliver.

- Demonstrate Financial Need
- Academic Promise
- Extracurricular Activities

STUDENT COUNCIL "SPIRIT OF THE CROSS" SCHOLARSHIP \$500

This scholarship award is sponsored by the Holy Cross Student Council. It was created to recognize the true "Crusaders" of Holy Cross, those students who demonstrate spirit and pride in their school by involving themselves in all aspects of Holy Cross life.

- Nominated by an administrator, faculty, staff or student member of the Holy Cross community.

CLASS OF 2022 SCHOLARSHIPS

CIARLEGLIO FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000

This award is given in memory of Jerry and Jessie Ciarleglio, parents of Holy Cross faculty member, Mr. Ciarleglio '72; grandparents of Christopher '00, Adam '01, Sarah '08, and Kaitlin '08.

- Must exhibit academic work that reflects his or her true potential
- Kind and Considerate to others
- Demonstrate Financial Need

CONGREGATION OF NOTRE DAME SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000

The Congregation of Notre Dame Scholarship was established in 2001 to commemorate and honor the dedication and commitment of the Sisters of the Congregation of Notre Dame (CND) and their foundress St. Marguerite Bourgeoys. The Sisters involvement in Catholic education has been very evident for over 100 years in the city of Waterbury. The Sisters have served at Notre Dame Academy, Waterbury Catholic High School and Holy Cross High School. The Religious Community was founded over 300 years ago by St. Marguerite. Her mission and love for education is now evidenced on four continents.

- Demonstrate Financial Need
- Academic Promise
- Preference given to association with the CND's

THOMAS & AGNES GINTY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP \$500

Monsignor Thomas Ginty '76 and his sister, Theresa Butkovic, established this scholarship in 2008 in memory of their parents. Scholarship will be awarded to either a member of the Class of 2022 or Class of 2021.

- Demonstrate Financial Need
- Academic Promise

HOGREFE FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000

Two annual scholarships were established in 2000 in honor of the Hogrefe Family.

- Demonstrate Financial Need
- Proficiency in Math and/or Science

JENNIFER KULPA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP \$500

The Kulpa family established a scholarship to be awarded annually in the memory of their daughter, Jennifer. This scholarship recipient will be chosen by the Math Department.

- Freshmen Girl (Preference given to Middlebury resident)
- Shows exceptional talent in mathematics.

MONTEIRO FAMILY SCHOLARSHIPS \$1,000 (Available in 2022 School Year)

Sandy and Frank Monteiro '88 established two scholarships; one in 2002 and the other in 2011. Each award is renewable yearly based on the recipient's continued meeting of the criteria.

- Overall Cumulative Average of 82 or higher
- Extracurricular Activities
- Community Service Volunteer

FRANK STEPONAITIS SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000 (Available in 2021 School Year)

This scholarship was established in honor of Frank Steponaitis, member of the Holy Cross faculty for 25 years. As a lifelong educator in Catholic schools, Frank was passionate about teaching, was dedicated to his students, and espoused strong Christian values. He is remembered for his quick wit and great sense of humor.

- Demonstrates Financial Need
- Academic Potential
- Strong character
- Scholarship is renewable annually as long as the student maintains a minimum of a B average and is active in one or more extracurricular school activities

JAMES E. TOBIN SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000

The James E. Tobin Scholarship was established in 1999, by Thomas Tobin '79, in honor of his father. This scholarship acknowledges Mr. Tobin's ideals of scholarship, sportsmanship and a dedicated work ethic - traits he instilled in his nine children. The recipient will be chosen at the discretion of the administration and the coaches of the boys and girls swim team.

- Swimmer/diver
- Academic Promise
- Dedicated work ethic and sportsmanship
- Financial Need

CLASS OF 2021 SCHOLARSHIPS

BOZZUTO FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000

The Bozzuto Family established a scholarship fund to be awarded on an annual basis to a Holy Cross student.

- 90 average
- Demonstrate Financial Need
- Community Service Volunteer (Preference given to Special Olympics volunteer)

MR. AND MRS. A. RALPH CORBO, SR. SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000

This scholarship was established during the *Campaign for Holy Cross High School* by the Corbo children in memory of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Ralph Corbo, Sr.

- Demonstrates Financial Need
- Shows promise in one or more artistic disciplines – music, theater and/or studio art
- Preference will be given to a resident of the North End of Waterbury

MARK CORDON '85 MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS \$2,000

These two scholarships were established to honor the memory of Mark Cordon a member of the class of 1985. His family and friends continue to remember him with great love and affection.

- Demonstrate Financial Need
- Athletics
- Academic Promise

ANTHONY GERACE SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000

This scholarship was established during the *Campaign for Holy Cross High School* by Mr. William Gerace '72 in honor of Anthony Gerace.

- Academic Promise
- Demonstrate Financial Need

THOMAS & AGNES GINTY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP \$500

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- Demonstrate Financial Need
- Academic Promise

AGATHA M. HANLEY SCHOLARSHIPS \$1,000

Two scholarships are awarded to help with tuition costs of junior year.

- Community Service Volunteer
- Academic Promise
- Demonstrate Financial Need

JOHN JASON MARANO '95 MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP \$1,500

Brian Batista '95 and the Batista Family in conjunction with Dunkin Donuts established this scholarship to honor the memory of John Jason Marano, a member of the class of 1995.

- Academic Promise
- Participate in Athletics
- Demonstrate Financial Need
- Preference given to Waterbury Residents

THOMAS P. PERRELLI, JR. '98 MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP \$500

This scholarship was established in 2007 by Darlene and Joseph Perrelli ('99), and Holy Cross Football Alumni friends to continue to remember Tom's character, loyalty, humor, and charm. Scholarship will be awarded to either a member of the Class of 2022 or Class of 2021.

- Football Player
- Exhibits team leadership, dedication, enthusiasm and spirit
- Requirement- Answer the Question: "How has attending Holy Cross High School and playing football impacted your life?"

ROWLAND FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP \$2,500

The Rowland Family Scholarship was established in 1997, by former Governor John G. Rowland '75 and his family.

- Preference will be given to a Waterbury resident
- Demonstrate Financial Need
- Academic Promise
- Show interest in pursuing a career in public service

SHOVE FAMILY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP \$500

This scholarship is awarded in memory of Veronica and Raymond Shove, Jr., former faculty member Jim Shove's parents.

- Solid Academic Record
- Involvement in school or community activities
- Demonstrate Financial Need

CLASS OF 2020 SCHOLARSHIPS

AIEP HOST FAMILIES GLOBAL CITIZEN SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000

Apex International Education Partners (AIEP Host Families), owned and operated locally by Feng Chen and David Guerrero'04, places international students with host families at Holy Cross. They are offering two scholarships.

- Shows an interest in foreign language and culture
- And/or pursuing international studies business or education post-graduation.
- Must have taken/will take an Honors or AP language course and/or have maintained a 90 or above cumulative average to date in all of their classes.
- Preference will be given to those involved in global community service or who have embraced learning about other cultures, especially with current international students attending Holy Cross.
- Requirement- Answer the Question: (minimum of 2 paragraphs): "What does it mean to be globally aware and why is it important?"

THE HUNTER CHRISTIAN ALBEE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000

This scholarship was established in 2016 by Mr. and Mrs. Denny Albee in memory of their son, Hunter Christian Albee.

- Varsity Athlete (Preference given to multi- sport athletes)
- Honor Roll student
- Demonstrate Financial Need
- Requirement- Answer the Question: "Explain your commitment to athletics, academics and leadership at Holy Cross."

MELISSA M. GARBUKAS '86 MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP \$250

The Garbukas family established a scholarship in memory of their daughter, Melissa, class of '86.

- Volleyball player

KATHERINE AND JAMES B. GRIFFIN SCHOLARSHIP \$100

Attorney Walter Griffin established the Katherine and James B. Griffin Scholarship in memory of his parents. This scholarship in the amount of **\$100** will be awarded to the top **junior** in American History classes. The criteria for selection will be based on academic performance and potential, as well as the recommendations of the Social Studies Department. **(No application is necessary for this award)**

CHARLES PETER HANLEY SCHOLARSHIPS \$1,000

These two scholarships are awarded to two juniors to help with the tuition costs of their senior year at Holy Cross.

- Academic Potential
- Past Performance
- Overall Character
- Demonstrates Financial Need

GARY M. HOWARD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000

The Gary M. Howard Scholarship was established in 1986 by the parents, family and friends of Gary Howard. At the time of his death, Gary was a junior at Holy Cross High School. A scholarship will be awarded each year to a member of the junior class who best personifies the scholastic-athletic characteristics that Gary Howard sought to achieve.

- Overall cumulative academic average of 82 or higher
- Participation in Athletics

LOUIS G. MANZO MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP \$250

In the spring of 1988, the family of Louis G. Manzo established a **\$250** tuition grant.

- Member of a Junior Varsity Athletic Team
- Academic Promise
- Demonstrate Financial Need
- Display good sportsmanship

MOTHERS' CLUB SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000

The Mothers' Club established this scholarship for a junior girl or boy.

- Academic Promise
- Community Service
- Extra-Curricular Activities
- Requires separate application

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ATTORNEY GERARD J. REHEL, JR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000

The Waterbury Bar Association established this scholarship in 1988 in memory of Attorney Gerard J. Rehel, Jr., a graduate of Holy Cross High School. Student should exhibit strength of character and integrity to community that Atty. Rehel exhibited first at Holy Cross High School, and then continued to display in college, law school and as an active attorney in Waterbury.

- Academic Promise
- Maintain B Average

ANN MARIE ROMEO SCHOLARSHIP \$250

This scholarship was established by the Romeo family in memory of Ann Marie Romeo, a 1987 graduate of Holy Cross High School, who perished in an auto accident in 1990.

- A female on the Swimming and Diving team
- Exhibits dedication, spirit and team leadership

JANICE P. SENICH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP \$500

This scholarship was established in 2010 by her family (Class of '80 and '84.)

- Resident of Waterbury
- Demonstrate Financial Need
- Preference given to students interested in becoming a teacher

JASON F. TILLOTSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP \$500

This scholarship was established by Jason's family, relatives, and friends in 1990. Jason passed away in 1989 during his junior year at Holy Cross.

- Academic Improvement from freshmen year
- Good Citizenship qualities and characteristics
- Involvement in school and extracurricular activities