



PHONG TRÀO THIẾU NHI THÁNH THỂ VIỆT NAM TẠI HOA KỲ
VIETNAMESE EUCHARISTIC YOUTH MOVEMENT IN THE USA
BAN CHẤP HÀNH MIỀN ĐÔNG BẮC

VŨ KHIÊM CUNG SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship honors the work, life, and legacy of Rev. Vũ Khiêm Cung, founder of the Vietnamese Eucharistic Youth Movement (VEYM), Northeastern Region. Born on April 10th, 1940 in Vietnam, Father Vũ Khiêm Cung received the calling to the priesthood at a young age due to the early exposure to Catholicism through his family. Guided by the love for Jesus Christ and strengthened by the Holy Spirit, the bright Vũ Khiêm Cung led the VEYM, Northeastern Region to uncharted heights with years of excellent leadership, humility, servanthip, and unquestionable morality. As such, the Vũ Khiêm Cung scholarship is intended to motivate, encourage, and provide financial assistance to one Eucharistic Youth Leader annually who exemplifies above and beyond qualities that can contribute to the ever growing legacy of Rev. Vũ Khiêm Cung.

Scholarship Year: 2019
Scholarship Amount: \$1000.00 USD
Eligibility: Applicant must be an active **VEYM member for the past three years**, and is a certified Vietnamese Eucharistic Youth Leader in good standing at the time of application submission.
Restriction: Previous scholarship winners may not apply.
How to Apply:

✘ Type and submit an essay (no more than 2000 words; English or Vietnamese) stating:

- 1) Your reason for applying to this scholarship
- 2) Your goals as a VEYM member
- 3) Your source of motivation as a VEYM member
- 4) Pope Francis announced that October 2019 would be a month of extraordinary mission, imploring us all: "To renew the ardor and passion, the spiritual engine of the apostolic activity of innumerable saints and missionary martyrs". The pope highlights the apostolic activity of saints and martyrs. Select one Vietnamese Saint or Martyr whom you admire and discuss: Why you selected this saint/martyr; How you, as a HT, can work towards emulating their passionate lives; and the role that TNTT plays in realizing the pope's intention. *Please include your saint name, full name, chapter name, phone number, and email on the header or footnote of every page.*

- ✘ Submit a sealed copy of an official academic transcript from your current educational institution (if applicable).
- ✘ Submit a copy of your most recent SAT scores (if applicable).
- ✘ Submit two letters of recommendations from individuals who can speak to your qualities (one has to be from a Eucharistic Youth Leader or Chaplain; letter cannot be from a family member).
- ✘ Submit a sealed copy of your family's most current income tax documentation.
- ✘ Submit a verification letter of "good standing" and "3 years of VEYM involvement" with signatures from the Chapter's President and Chaplain.
- ✘ Submit a copy of the official Eucharistic Youth Leader certification
- ✘ Send all required documentations to

Vũ Khiêm Cung Scholarship Committee
84 Roosevelt Ave - West Seneca NY 14224

Selection Criteria: ✘ Overall presentation of self through the essay and academic achievement(s)
✘ Financial need
✘ Recommendation letters

Timeline: ✘ **November 1st, 2018:** Application available
✘ **May 31st, 2019:** Application due date
✘ **August 31st, 2019:** Notification date
✘ Award Ceremony Date: TBA

Process: Recipients are determined in a selection process independently managed by the Vũ Khiêm Cung Scholarship Committee. The Regional Executive Committee will ensure that the selection process is free of biases. Selected recipient will be notified via email and payment will be made directly to the recipient.

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