



**PHONG TRÀO THIẾU NHI THÁNH THỂ VIỆT NAM TẠI HOA KỲ**  
**VIETNAMESE EUCHARISTIC YOUTH MOVEMENT IN THE USA**  
**BAN CHẤP HÀNH LIÊN ĐOÀN THÁNH PHAOLÔ HẠNH**

## **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), St. Paul League of Chapters, formerly known as the North Eastern Region. Born on April 10<sup>th</sup>, 1940 in Vietnam, Father Vũ Khiêm Cung received the calling to the priesthood at a young age due to 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, St. Paul League of Chapters 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.

<b>Scholarship Year:</b>	2020
<b>Scholarship Amount:</b>	\$1000.00 USD
<b>Eligibility:</b>	Applicant must be an active <b>VEYM member for the past three years</b> and is a certified Vietnamese Eucharistic Youth Leader in good standing at the time of application submission.
<b>Restriction:</b>	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 spoke to the Youth Forum participants in June 2019 stating that like the disciples of Emmaus, who recognized the resurrected Christ and ventured forth to share what they witnessed, today's youth are also "called to bring the light of Christ into the darkness of the world." Reflecting on the above message, discuss: 1) How have/can you serve as a beacon of light for the world?; 2) What are some challenges you have faced in your journey to evangelize and how might you overcome them? *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 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 must 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:** ✘ Application available: **November 1st, 2019**  
✘ Application due date: **May 31st, 2020**  
✘ Notification date: **August 31st, 2020**  
✘ Award Ceremony Date: TBA

**Process:** Recipients are determined in a selection process independently managed by the Vũ Khiêm Cung Scholarship Committee. The Executive Committee of St. Paul Hanh League of Chapters 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. For further details on the selection process, please visit [www.liendoanphaolohanh.org](http://www.liendoanphaolohanh.org).

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