

The Edgar Borden Bennett Annual Bursary

*The Edgar Borden Bennett Bursary is given annually as a part of our ministry to students.
The amount varies annually with fluctuating interest rates.*

Requirements for applicant eligibility

- 1) The applicant shall be associated with the ministries of the Anglican Parish of Kitley.
- 2) The applicant shall have submitted a completed application form.
- 3) The applicant shall have been accepted into a full year of studies in a post-secondary institution of learning.
- 4) The applicant shall have written an essay of at least 250 words on one of:
 - 1) Why I've chosen this course of study and how it relates to my faith.
 - 2) A verse from the Bible and what it means for me.
 - or 3) How I hope to make the world a better place.

Process, Selection Criteria and Presentation - amended during COVID-19 Pandemic

- 5) Announcements will appear in the May monthly parish email / mailing, as well as on Parish web and Facebook pages during the application period, as well as at in person worship, with information regarding the Edgar Borden Bennett Bursary application.
- 6) The Incumbent will receive completed applications and essays from applicants by the date set annually and assign each essay a number. For 2023 the application deadline will be June 30, 2023.
- 7) The numbered essays will be assessed by an evaluator chosen by the wardens.
- 8) The evaluator will evaluate the essays using the following criteria
 - content
 - essay format
 - grammar
 - spelling
 - number of words (minimum of 250)
- 9) A standard grading system will be used to determine the successful essay.
- 10) The successful essay number will be received by the Incumbent from the evaluator and the successful applicant's name given to the wardens.
- 11) The wardens will notify the successful applicant.
 - A cheque will be issued and presented, in August.
 - A second cheque will be presented upon receipt of proof of successful completion of the first term.
 - The student failing to successfully complete their fall term will forfeit the second installment.