

NAM's Scholarship Program is an investment in the future of the Maronite Church. Because we recognize the importance of our youth - our future - we strive to offer them financial assistance as they begin their college careers.

In 2010 via partnership with NDU and USEK, we strengthened the scholarship and heritage programs; as students study for a semester in Lebanon.

Through personal contributions and special collections at all our conventions we continue to build up our scholarship fund in an effort to increase the dollar amount and the number of annual scholarships we offer. Your tax-deductible donations are welcome!

We are happy to announce NAM's Annual Scholarship Program. On the right are application forms for:

1. **NAM General Application for Scholarships:**

- **John A. Solomon Memorial - MYO Scholarship; Two** scholarships of **\$2000** each, payable over 2 years, available for high school seniors who are active members of MYO
- **Massabki Brothers Scholarship; One** scholarship of **\$2000**, payable over 2 years, available for high school seniors
- **Naomi & Paul Kassouf Scholarship; Two** scholarships of **\$2000** each, payable over 2 years, available for high school seniors
- **Paul Wakim Scholarship; One** scholarship of **\$1000**, available for high school seniors
- **St. John Maron Scholarship; One** scholarship of **\$2000**, payable over 2 years, available for high school seniors from St. John Maron, Orange, CA
- **Gilbert Chagoury Undergraduate Scholarship; One** scholarship of **\$2000**, available for students already in college
- **Robert Atallah Scholarship; One** scholarship of **\$2000**, available for students already in college
- **Thomas and Jennie Ayoob Memorial Scholarship; One** scholarship of **\$2000**, payable over 2 years, available for students already in college
- **Gilbert Chagoury Graduate Scholarship; One** scholarship of **\$2000**, available for students already in masters or doctorate program
- **Joseph and Alice Resha Memorial Scholarship; One** scholarship of **\$2000**, payable over 2 years, available for high school seniors and students already enrolled in a degree or certificate program and pursuing a career in the healthcare field

2. **USEK Scholarship:** The University of the Holy Spirit-Kaslik, Lebanon. **10 Summer scholarships** will be awarded which will include full tuition and dormitory; and **\$500** once the semester is completed. Available for college students; Summer 2019.

3. **NDU Scholarship:** Notre Dame University-Louaize, Lebanon. **12 scholarships for the Spring or Fall semester**, both include full tuition and dormitory; and **\$500** once a semester is completed. Available for college students; Spring/Fall 2019

The details and eligibility requirements are clearly explained in each application. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me directly at 312-373-0123, email me at namscholarships@gmail.com or contact the NAM Office using the information at the bottom of this page.

Please promote these scholarships at your parish. At a minimum, please post the enclosed flyers in the church and add it to the bulletin. The **DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS IS May 15, 2018**. This is a "hard and fast" deadline and, in fairness to all applicants, absolutely no applications will be accepted after this date.

As always, we encourage your participation in this annual scholarship program, and we look forward to receiving the completed scholarship applications. Thank you for your continued support of NAM.

The scholarships winners will be announced at **NAM's National Convention, on Thursday night July 12, 2018**. All current applicants and past winners are especially encouraged to attend.

Sincerely yours,

Anthony Hazkial
Chair, Scholarship Committee