

## -MERIT BASED SCHOLARSHIP-

**REQUIREMENTS**: Must be a scholar enrolled in Grades 9-12 for the 2023-2024 school year with a current GPA of 3.0 or higher. Scholar must be in good standing with school administration. Prior winners that continue to meet scholarship criteria may apply.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Tuesday, April 18, 2023

SELECTION DATE: Tuesday, May 2, 2023

## **ESSAY PARAMETERS**

In 500 to 750 words using Times New Roman 12 point font, please prepare an essay responding to the following prompt:

The four pillars of Dominican life are prayer, study, community, and service.

- **Part I:** Which of these pillars is most important to you and why. Describe how you strive to carry this pillar out in your daily life; and
- **Part II:** Please describe how you plan to apply one of the four pillars to your Catholic education at Bethlehem Academy next year.

AWARD RANGE: Scholarships of at least \$250 will be awarded.

**PLEASE NOTE:** This is a merit-based scholarship. It is not a need-based scholarship.

**SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS**: Please mail or email your essay, along with your name and 2023-2024 grade, and send to:

Bethlehem Academy Attn: Kris Sauer 105 Third Ave SW Faribault, MN 55021 Or

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