

George W. And E. Fern Maddox Memorial Criteria

Requirements:

Applicant must be a member of an Iowa United Methodist Church.
Applicant must have completed <u>at least</u> a bachelor's degree.
Applicant must be enrolled in a course of study leading to a graduate or
professional level degree at an approved United Methodist Seminary.
Applicant must be preparing for ministry in the local church.
Applicant must demonstrate financial need, a FAFSA/IRS Tax
return is <u>required</u> .
Applicant must provide a college/seminary transcript to date.

Personal Statement Essay Question

Write a personal statement describing your call to ministry and your personal relationship with Jesus Christ.

Recommendation Letters

Three letters of recommendation required:

- 1. Pastor or Parish-Pastor Relations Committee or equivalent
- 2. Academic Professor of their undergraduate or seminary
- 3. A wider community representative who has observed them in an employment or volunteer setting

All applications and required documentation must be completed online, the Foundation cannot accept applications and documentation sent by mail or email.