

## **SSBC 2018 Continuing Education Application**

Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in our scholarship program. 2 Timothy 2:15 states, “Study to show thyself approved unto God”. Please take time to read the application packet and familiarize yourself with the process **AS THE FOCUS AND REQUIREMENTS FOR THE APPLICATION PACKET HAVE CHANGED.**

Due to the current economic situation, our focus has shifted to primarily assisting the graduating high school seniors in their efforts to attend college. The Scholarship Committee recognizes that those students currently attending college have financial challenges that they are facing, as well. Wherein we are not able to help everyone, we do wish to continue to offer our support and encouragement. Therefore, this year we are limited to offering a minimal monetary stipend based on merit, community involvement, short answer response essay, and church participation.

### Statement on Plagiarism

Plagiarism is using others’ ideas and words without clearly acknowledging the source of that information. To avoid plagiarism, you must give credit whenever you use:

- Another person’s idea, opinion, or theory;
- Any facts, statistics, graphs, drawings—any pieces of information—that are not common knowledge;
- Quotations of another person’s actual spoken or written words; or
- Paraphrase of another person’s spoken or written words.

Thank you for your interest in the 2018 Scholarship Ministry application. Please complete the information provided below by Sunday, May 6, 2018.

**Application Deadline: 6 MAY 2018 (Applications are welcomed prior to deadline)**

Please remember, **ALL** pieces of the application packet must be turned in together by the application deadline. If any pieces of the packet are missing, you will be ineligible to receive an award or major points will be deducted!

Contact Persons: Sis. RaeShauna Mboma 202-498-5284 or Bombay Mboma

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Short Answer Response**

Dear Applicant,

Each applicant is responsible for completing a short answer response essay that has not been previously submitted to the Scholarship Ministry. The essay is a major piece in determining which applicants will receive an award. It is also a clear and descriptive reflection of you. Ecclesiastes 9:10 states, "Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might". Therefore, dedicate appropriate time and energy towards submitting a top quality essay. Please adhere to the following requirements in regards to your essay.

Publicity Notification: In completing this section, you also agree that if you are named a winner in the competition, St. Stephen Baptist Church may release information about your achievement(s) to the church's website and/or printed church materials.

\*All decisions made by the SSBC Scholarship Committee are final and awards are subject to change on ministry discretion. Awardees must also be committed to participation in recognition ceremonies to receive funds.

**SSBC 2018 CONTINUING EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP  
APPLICATION**

**Are you a Member of St. Stephen Baptist Church?**

**WHAT IS YOUR FIRST AND LAST NAME:**

**WHAT EMAIL ADDRESS WOULD LIKE TO BE CONTACTED:**

**PLEASE LIST BELOW ALL OF YOUR CURRENT CHURCH PARTICIPATION:**

**LIST OF ACADEMIC OR OTHER HONOR AWARDS:**

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**LIST ALL OF YOUR EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND COMMUNITY SERVICES:**

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**WHAT DO YOU CONSIDER TO BE THE SINGLE MOST SOCIETAL PROBLEM? WHY?:**

Short Answer

200 words or Less

- Minimum of 1 Scripture reference

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**DO YOU THINK GOD SHOULD BE INTRODUCED BACK INTO THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS? AND WHY?:**

Short Answer

200 words or less

- Minimum of 1 Scripture references

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**PLEASE INDICATE A SERMON THAT HAS PROVIDED INFLUENCE TO PERSONAL LIFE AND**

**DEVELMENT. A BIBLICAL REFERENCE MUST BE EMBEDDED:**

Minimum of 300 words

- Minimum of 1 Scripture references



