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**National Capital Presbytery Scholarship Aid
For Candidates, Inquirers and Pending Inquirers**
Application Due: April 25, 2025 at 11:59 PM

March 25, 2025

Dear Candidates, Inquirers, Pending Inquirers, and CRE Candidates,

The National Capital Presbytery (NCP) and its Commission on Preparation for Ministry (CPM) want to encourage and support you in your discernment for ordained ministry. To this end, seminary education scholarship funds have been established to be awarded to Candidates and Inquirers under the care of NCP in theological preparation as Teaching Elders (Ministers of Word and Sacrament) in the Presbyterian Church PC(USA) as well as candidates who are in theological preparation as Commissioned Ruling Elders in NCP.

National Capital Presbytery scholarships are awarded to Inquirers and Candidates on the basis of need and expressed goals for education and/or preparation for ministry. An application from a pending Inquirer will be considered contingent on their approved enrollment as an Inquirer at the imminent. The Scholarship Committee of CPM is tasked with the selection of disbursement amounts for the period before our next round of scholarship applications in the fall.

To apply for NCP-CPM scholarships, please complete the fillable Word document that accompanies this letter, save it as PDF, and then return it via email to comadmin@thepresbytery.org For questions about the application form, email comadmin@thepresbytery.org. No applications will be accepted via postal mail. Applications must be received by April 25, 2025 11:59PM for consideration.

All answers to these questions will remain confidential and will only be reviewed by the Scholarship Committee.

In addition to funds from the presbytery, we encourage you to also apply for financial assistance to your home church, your seminary, and the PC(USA). Information about the Presbyterian Study Grant is available on the Presbyterian Mission Website:

<https://apply.mykaleidoscope.com/scholarships/PSG2025>

Scholarship recipients will be notified of awards on or before June 1, 2025. Awards will be sent directly to the seminary or program in which you are enrolled.

Peace and Blessings to all of you,

Rev. Blair Moorhead (she/her), Chair, Commission on Preparation for Ministry