



Religious Education Department

Prince of Peace Catholic Church

4600 Preserve Parkway, Hoover, Alabama 35226

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April 13, 2020

Dear 2020 Eighth Grade Student,

Congratulations on completing your next step towards high school! We wish you much success and happiness in your future endeavors.

All current eighth grade students who are members of Prince of Peace Catholic Parish and who are planning to attend John Carroll Catholic High School in the 2020/2021 school year are invited to apply for the **Patrick Francis Werszner Memorial Scholarship**. The scholarship is awarded based upon the student's character and service to others. (An essay will not be required as in the past.)

The winner receives a \$1,000 award toward their freshman year tuition, which is then renewable for \$500 annually for the following three years as long as the student remains in good standing at John Carroll. The application can be downloaded from the church website. The application deadline is May 9, 2020. The winner will be announced May 20, 2020.

The Prince of Peace Knights of Columbus established this scholarship five years ago to honor Patrick Francis Werszner, who passed away on September 6, 2015 at the age of 19. Patrick was a member of the POP Knights of Columbus Council 11537, a 2010 graduate of Prince of Peace Catholic School, a 2014 graduate of John Carroll Catholic High School, a student at UAB and a member of both Prince of Peace Catholic Church and St. Stephen the Martyr Catholic Chapel at the time of his death.

All applicants should complete the enclosed application form and submit two (2) letters of recommendation by Saturday, May 9, 2020. Application and letters of recommendation should be sent to:

Chairman Selection Committee
Patrick Francis Werszner Memorial Scholarship
Prince of Peace Church
4600 Preserve Parkway
Hoover, Alabama 35226

Check List:

_____ Application form completed by candidate and submitted to selection committee by May 9, 2020.

_____ Sent forms with stamped addressed envelope to two (2) persons for their recommendation letter.

_____ Recommendation letters submitted to committee by May 9, 2020.



Patrick Francis Werszner

2020 Personal Data Sheet

Memorial Scholarship

Name:

Last

First

Middle

Address:

Number and Street

Phone – Home

Cell

City

State

Zip

Date of Birth: _____ Sex: _____ # of Siblings: Brothers _____ Sisters _____

Father's Name: _____ Mother's Name _____

List honors/activities in which you have participated while in high school: (attach additional information, as desired)

Awards/Honors	Activities/Community Service

List briefly on this sheet why you would like to receive this award. You may attach an additional sheet, if you choose.

- Note:** 1. Provide 2 Letters of Recommendation, one page each, from Teachers, Coaches or Mentors. NO DIRECT FAMILY MEMBERS (i.e., Parents, Grandparents, Aunts or Uncles)
2. The above information will be kept confidential by the Scholarship Committee.

*Patrick Francis Werszner
Memorial Scholarship*

Please give two (2) persons the attached Recommendation Form to complete for your recommendation letters. Enclose a stamped addressed envelope so they may mail the letters to the committee. The address for the envelopes is:

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Recommendation letters due by May 9, 2020.