



Scholarship Ministry

2024 SCHOLARSHIP MINISTRY COMMITTEE

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"Let your light shine before men, that they may see your good work and glorify your father in heaven." Matthew 5:16

April 1, 2024

Dear Queen's Chapel Church Family and Friends:

<u>Scholarship Ministry Mission Statement</u>: To promote and encourage the educational pursuits and goals of students by providing financial support to enhance their God-given talents to better impact the church community and the world.

On behalf of the Scholarship Ministry of Queen's Chapel United Methodist Church, we bring you greetings as we begin our 2024 scholarship initiative. We hope and pray that you have remained vigilant, safe, and healthy.

As a result of last year's success, the Scholarship Ministry will again present the "Showcase of Stars" program at Queen's Chapel, with a free will offering, on Saturday, June 8, 2024, at 11:00 A.M. We are accepting monetary donations in support of our scholarship initiative from April 1, 2024 to June 8, 2024. Please make your check payable to *Queen's Chapel United Methodist Church* or *QCUMC*, with *Scholarship 2024* in the memo section of your check. Indicate if your donation is for the *Lillie Mae Taylor Account* or *Queen's Chapel UMC Account*. Donations can be given at any time online at <u>www.qcumc.org</u>. Click on GIVE. Scroll down to Scholarships. Click on Give now.

The 2024 Queen's Chapel High School scholarship application and the 2024 Queen's Chapel UMC Continuing Education/Lillie Mae Taylor Continuing Education scholarship application will be available Monday, April 1 – Friday, May 17. Applications may be picked up at the church office Wednesdays and Fridays from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Prior to picking up applications, please contact Ms. Eveline Bush, church administrator, at 301-210-9038. Applications can be downloaded from www.qcumc.org. Click on the "**Scholarship Kickoff**" button. You may also contact Joyce Brown at joyce21045@verizon.net if you wish to have an application emailed to you. All scholarship application packets are due in the church office on or before Friday, May 31, 2024.

Let's continue to support and encourage our scholars as they navigate through their educational journeys. If you have questions, contact Janet Anderson at <u>janet20139@aol.com</u> or Joyce Brown at <u>joyce20145@verizon.net</u>. We thank you for your continued support. Stay safe and be blessed.

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Queen's Chapel United Methodist Church Scholarship Ministry

Presents

howcase of Stars

Saturday, June 8, 2024 11:00 AM

FREE WILL OFFERING

Queen's Chapel United Methodist Church 7410 Old Muirkirk Road Beltsville, MD 20705 Rev. Dr. William E. Butler, Pastor







The Showcase "Ensemble"

Cameron Carr – Liturgical Dancer ★ Deneene Savoy-Diggs – Soloist Kelvin Dukes – Vocalist ★ Zara James – Contemporary Pianist/Vocalist Patrick Cooper – Jazz Pianist Tracey Gibson – Soloist ★ Shelia Walker – Mime Artist Schkena Coates & Jordan Bobo – Vocal Duo

2023 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

• JANAE KING •

Queen's Chapel Continuing Education Scholarship



Janae attends Bowie State University and continues to excel academically aspiring to be an emergency room nurse. She is very excited to spend her first year on campus, meeting new people and getting to know her professors. While acknowledging the importance of academic achievement, Janae stresses that she owes much of her success to the anchoring experience that Queen's Chapel has afforded her. In a biographical sketch that accompanied her scholarship application, Janae captured Queen's Chapel's impact on her life stating, "My church is especially important to me. Learning

about the Bible, attending Sunday School, Vacation Bible School, and worshiping in church have had a profound impact on my life, shaping me into who I am today."

We wish Janae much success as she completes her studies, going into her senior year at Bowie State University, where she is on track to graduate in the spring of 2024.

Lillie Mae Taylor Continuing Education Scholarship



Michael is a 2021 graduate of Laurel High School. He was very involved in school activities, a varsity member of the track and field team, a member of the National Honor Society. He was voted "Mr. Laurel High School" in his senior year.

Michael is very active at Queen's Chapel United Methodist Church, where he serves as an usher, sings in the choir, attends Vacation Bible School, participates in Wednesday night Bible Study, and has attended the annual Rock Retreat in Ocean City, Maryland. These experiences have had a profound impact on his life and in shaping

who he is today.

Michael attends North Carolina A&T University, majoring in biology, with the aspiration of becoming an orthodontist. He is a member of the USNDA – Undergraduate Student Dental Association, NCAT Chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and the Metro Aggies. Michael is dedicated to his studies, his community, and his church.

We wish Michael continued success on his educational journey.



EVENT/ACTIVITY	DATE
Distribution of scholarship application packets (See distribution information below.)	Monday, April 1, 2024 – Friday, May 17, 2024
Scholarship application packets due in church office (Hours same as for application packet pickup.)	On or before Friday, May 31, 2024
"Showcase of Stars" Scholarship Fundraiser Queen's Chapel United Methodist Church FREE WILL OFFERING (See contact information below.)	Saturday, June 8, 2024 – Starts at 11:00 AM
Scholarship Youth Sunday	Sunday, June 23, 2024 – 10:00 AM

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> <u>"Showcase of Stars" Scholarship Fundraiser</u> Janet Anderson Phone: (410) 721-7918 Email: janet21039@aol.com

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