

Women Helping Women ECW Scholarship
Program Application 2017-2018 Date: / /

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Rector: _____

Parish/Deanery: _____

Briefly describe your purpose and plan to further
your religion education/ministry for this request.

Please attach separate page if you need more
space.

Bishop's Signature: _____

Rector's Signature: _____

Applicant's Signature _____

Mail materials to Diane Mance, ECW Treasurer,
105 Poppy Lane, Asheville NC 28803

Ways to support this program...

- Have a fundraiser at your church
- Make a personal contribution by check
(Donations - please make checks
payable to WNC ECW and specify
Women Helping Women ECW
Scholarship Program)
- Be a sponsor for \$500

To learn more about program visit ...

www.episcopalchurchwomen-wnc.org

Help us make a difference in the
lives of women within our diocese!

For information about this program or how to apply, please contact

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Women on the Go

WOMEN HELPING WOMEN



**A granting program of the
Episcopal Church Women
(ECW) Diocese of Western
North Carolina**

The Mission of Women Helping Women

Women Helping Women ECW Scholarship Program is intended to assist women in Diocese of Western North Carolina with funds so they can pursue or further their religious education or ministry. Program is open to the following:

- Ordained women
- Women seeking ordination to priesthood or permanent diaconate
- Lay women who wish to further their education and/or ministry

Our Vision Is

To give every woman in our diocese the opportunity to empower herself through education.

Women Helping Women is a program that helps to address the Millennium Development Goals adopted by the Episcopal Church.



Criteria for Gifts...

An official Women Helping Women ECW Scholarship application must be completed and submitted by the deadline dates: **May 1 and November 1.**

An application must be signed by the bishop and by the applicant's parish rector.

An application must be signed by an officer of the Women Helping Women ECW Scholarship Committee.

Women Helping Women funding is given only once for the educational request.

Maximum amount of a Women Helping Women ECW Scholarship Gift is \$500.00

2016 WHW Project funded:

A Widow's Tale Retreat, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Nebo, NC (Biff Bauer)

Women Previously Funded...



My bi lingual **Seed of God** books are being used by the Episcopal Church at various of their mission sites around the world. A Mile of Pennies (MOP) grant from the Church Periodical Club made a bundle of books available for the children in our companion Diocese of Durgapur.

However, the MOP grant doesn't pay for shipping, and so the Diocesan ECW graciously provided funds to help the books reach their destination. For this I am exceedingly grateful and so are the children who received the books. *Genelda Woggon*



Being a recipient of a scholarship from the Episcopal Church Women of Western North Carolina has helped me pay for my final year of Deacon Formation School and my third year of Education for Ministry. Thank you all for your generous support and continued prayers. *Brenda Gilbert*

Other Scholarship Recipients were: Alice Rutland, Deacon Glenda McDowell & Joyce Russell Brooks

Women Previously Funded Continued...

My first year of EFM was an enriching and extraordinary experience. The acceptance of my application for an educational grant to attend year two has made it possible for me to continue this course and receive even more enlightening and fulfilling instruction. I am glad to have the opportunity to again thank the ECW for their assistance. *Betty Tignor*



I am a postulant to the diaconate in my second year of formation. We are required to complete four years of EFM as well as read many books on reasoning, tradition and scripture. The scholarship I received helped me defray the cost of the needed books and other training material. Thank you, ECW, for helping me enrich my formation. *Michele Wiltfong*



The ECW Funds I received enabled me to attend the retreat, *Iconography: The Gospel in Line and Color*, February 21-27th. I chose to paint the Icon of the Holy Face. The process of painting an icon is a meditative and prayerful experience. Though this experience greatly enriched my personal faith, I'm excited that this icon will be used in our (St. Philip's Episcopal, Brevard) Easter Vigil service. It will be included with other artists' works, to aid worship and broaden our concept of Christ's resurrection. *Martha Mayberry*

