



*ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION  
GREAT FALLS, VIRGINIA*

## **RULES AND CONDITIONS FOR SCHOLARSHIP**

1. **Name of Scholarships:** Alexander DeFilippis Scholarships
2. **Sponsor:** St. Catherine of Siena Women's Association
3. **Contact for Information & Application Forms:**  
Scholarship Committee  
St. Catherine of Siena Parish Rectory  
1020 Springvale Road  
Great Falls, VA 22066  
Tel. (703) 759-4350
4. **Application Availability:**  
On line @ <http://st-catherines.net>  
Paper application in Career/Guidance Centers in local high schools
5. **Number and Amount of Scholarships:**  
Two (2) at \$3,000<sup>1</sup>
6. **Duration of Scholarship:** One time award of a check for the stated amount for use on tuition, fees, etc. for postsecondary education during a student's freshman year.
7. **Eligibility:** Senior high school students who are registered parishioners of St. Catherine of Siena Parish or whose legal residence is Great Falls, McLean, Vienna, Reston, Herndon, Sterling or Potomac Falls, Virginia and who have been admitted to an accredited post secondary institution. Verification of high school graduation and college admittance is required. Prior applicants of the Alexander De Filippis Scholarship are ineligible.
8. **Basis of Award:** The scholarships are awarded based on submission of an application and letters of recommendation by the established deadline, subject to a one-tiered review process. Late or incomplete applications shall not be considered.
9. **Advertisement of Scholarships:** On or about March 1 of each year.
10. **Deadline for Submission of Application Packet:** The complete application packet (including references) must be postmarked by May 15 or hand-delivered by 4:00 on that date to the above address.
11. **Award Date:** July 15 of each year.

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<sup>1</sup>The Women's Association reserves the right to increase or decrease the amount of each scholarship to be awarded from year to year, depending on available revenues. Awarding of scholarships is contingent on receiving sufficient qualifying applications filed within the specified deadlines, including letters of recommendation, and judged to meet the substantive criteria for awarding.