**RURAL LIFE SCHOLARSHIP**

 **(Applicant must pursue post secondary education that results in serving the agricultural community in their chosen profession)**

**Applicant Information:**

Applicant Name:

Address: City: Zip Code:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Current Grade: Date of Birth: Phone: Cell:

Name of Parent(s)/Guardian(s):

Name of Parish you belong to:

**Recommendation Form**

As part of your application, you are required to have a signed letter of recommendation by a pastoral leader of your parish. The recommendation outline is found at the end of this application. Please print (or forward via e-mail) the attached recommendation outline form to your pastoral leader along with a copy of your completed application prior to the application due date. Please be considerate of your pastoral leader’s time and allow sufficient time for your leader to complete the recommendation. Inform your pastoral leader that they are to forward (email or US postal) the signed recommendation directly to: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_If they choose to e-mail it, the fact that they are sending it with a typed signature and from their e-mail account will count as an authentic signature.

***Submission deadline for applicants: MARCH,1ST, 2019***

**Applicant Short Answer:**

Where does your passion for agriculture originate?

What Saint do you relate to and least two reasons why?

How do you see yourself serving the agricultural community upon post secondary graduation?

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| **Section 1 - Church Leadership** Example. server, music, lector, communion distributor, volunteer educator, etc |
| **LEADERSHIP ROLE** | **# OF YEARS** | **List one or two aspects of how serving in this role affected your faith.**  |
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| **Section 2 – Community Service within your parish community**  |
| **Activity/Event**  | **Frequency** | **# of years** | **What was your role in each of these activities/events** |
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**APPLICANT:**

* I have prepared this report myself and it is correct as to my involvement in my parish community.

Date: Signature of applicant:

**PARENT**

* I have reviewed this report and it is a correct reflection of my child’s participation in our parish community.

Date: Signature of parent/guardian:

**Assurances (Please check to indicate completion)**

\_\_\_\_ The application is typed or handwritten (in pen) legibly

\_\_\_\_ I have signed this application

\_\_\_\_ My parent/guardian has signed this application

\_\_\_\_ I have given my pastoral leader the recommendation outline form and I have informed them of the due date.

Name of person providing the recommendation:

**Please email the completed application to:**

**In addition, this completed application should be forwarded to your pastoral leader for their recommendation.**

**PASTORAL RECOMMENDATION FORM**

For (Applicant name)

You have been approached by the named applicant who is applying for a scholarship offered by the Rural Life Committee of the Green Bay Diocese. Your evaluation is an essential part of the application process.

Name of person completing recommendation form:

The applicant has received:

 \_\_\_\_ Baptism \_\_\_First Holy Communion \_\_\_\_ Reconciliation \_\_\_\_ Confirmation

What attributes do you see in the applicant that exhibits a passion for agriculture?

What attributes do you see in the applicant that indicates a good faith life?

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| For Office Use Only |
| Application completed: \_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_No  | Date Received:  | Recommendation received:\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No | Date received:  |

**Accuracy of Application:**

The applicant I am recommending has provided me with a copy of their application form. I have reviewed their application and believe it to be correct and an honest representation of the applicants’ involvement in our parish community. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ No

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Dated: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please complete the form and send it DIRECTLY to: gchavez@gbdioc.org

 Or Mail to: Gabriela Chavez, Parish Mission Team

1825 Riverside Dr, Green Bay, WI 54301,

**DO NOT give this completed form back to the member.**

**If you have any questions, please contact Gabriela Chavez at gchavez@gbdioc.org**

**Submission deadline for applicants: March,1, 2019**