



SACRED HEART CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Tanner Simonis Memorial Scholarship Application

This Scholarship was established in 2016 by Jeremy and Elizabeth Simonis in loving memory of their son, Tanner. Tanner was a generous and kind-hearted child who attended and loved Sacred Heart School dearly. He graduated from the Sacred Heart 6th grade in the spring of 2015 but tragically was involved in an ATV accident shortly afterwards. Knowing Tanner's love for the school, his parents established this scholarship as an opportunity for other children, who may not otherwise have the opportunity, to experience...as Tanner did...all the beautiful benefits of a Catholic education associated with Sacred Heart School. The Tanner Simonis Memorial Scholarship will be made available annually (provided funds are available) to a qualifying family currently enrolled or committed to enroll in Sacred Heart Catholic School for the upcoming school year. The \$2,000 scholarship is a tuition scholarship intended to cover either the current partial or full cost of tuition to Sacred Heart School for the upcoming school year.

Applications will be accepted until July 1, 2026.

Scholarships will be determined by Father Miller and the Simonis Family. Recipients of the Scholarship will remain anonymous and Scholarships will be distributed directly to the school on an annual basis.

Continuation of the scholarship is dependent upon the following:

- 1) Continued private financial donations sufficient to sustain the annual Scholarship awards.
- 2) Continued support and approval of the Simonis family.
- 3) Continued support and approval of the Sacred Heart Finance Council and Pastor.

REQUIREMENTS

- 1) *The family must be attending or committed to attend Sacred Heart Catholic School in the 2026-2027 school year.*
- 2) *An essay, addressing the following two questions, should be attached to this completed application.*
 - *Why is Catholic education important to your family?*
 - *Why would you like to send your child/children to Sacred Heart School?*
- 3) *Verification of financial need. (FACTS statement, free or reduced lunch verification, PSAS statement work great.)*

*Sacred Heart School
will foster a
Catholic atmosphere
teaching as Jesus did,
enabling children to grow
in their relationship
with Him,
and becoming
responsible leaders
for the future
in this world and
saints for eternity.*

If you have questions, please email the Sacred Heart parish office:
parishoffice@sacredheartpolonia.com



TANNER SIMONIS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

FAMILY NAME: _____

CURRENT STREET ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____

EMAIL: _____ PHONE NUMBER: _____

ALTERNATE EMAIL: _____ ALT PHONE NUMBER: _____

STUDENT'S NAME(S): _____

GRADE LEVEL IN 2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR: _____

TUITION: _____

SCHOOL ATTENDED IN THE 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR: _____

CURRENT PARISH WHERE FAMILY ATTENDS REGULAR MASS: _____

PASTOR: _____

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By signing this document, we attest that the information on the application is true and accurate.

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature

Date : _____

Please submit completed application, essay, and supporting documentation to:

Attn: Scholarship
Sacred Heart Parish
7379 Church Street
Custer, WI 54423