**The Most Reverend Frederick James Hiltz Scholarship Fund**

**Saint George’s College Jerusalem**

The Most Reverend Frederick James Hiltz Scholarship Fund has been established by the Diocese of Toronto to support study programs to be undertaken at Saint George’s College, Jerusalem The scholarship fund has been named to honour and recognize the commitment and faithful support shown by Archbishop Hiltz for the mission of the Diocese of Jerusalem and of Saint George’s College.

Scholarships will be made available to individuals throughout the Anglican Church of Canada

*Who may apply?*

* All active clergy, members of religious orders, postulants, and laity, including diocesan and parish staff subject to the approval of their supervisor(s), shall be eligible, upon application, to receive scholarship awards.
* In the case of applications from the Diocese of Toronto all applications will require the approval of the area bishop and in the case of applicants other than clergy, the approval of the incumbent of the applicant’s parish. In the case of members of religious orders and diocesan staff, applications will also require the approval of the Bishop of Toronto.
* Scholarships may also be awarded, upon application, to applicants from other Canadian dioceses subject to the same eligibility criteria and approvals cited above i.e. supervisor, incumbent and/or diocesan bishop.
* The scholarship is restricted to “first time” students at St. George’s College.
* Although awards will normally be made only to individuals, applications from small groups may be considered from time to time.

*How and when is the decision made?*

* Subject to the eligibility criteria, scholarship awards will be made at the sole discretion of the Bishop of Toronto in consultation with an ad hoc Committee established for this purpose.
* Scholarships will be awarded annually in the spring.
* **The application deadline for 2023 is March 31, 2022**
* As of December 31, 2022 a total of 39 awards have been made to clergy and lay from across Canada

*How many scholarships will be approved annually?*

* We hope to award 7 scholarships this year

*What does the scholarship cover?*

* Typically, each scholarship will cover the cost of tuition, room and board, ground transportation and airfare to maximum of $5,500.00. In some circumstances additional amounts may be awarded.

*What college courses qualify?*

* Typically, the 10-day *Palestine of Jesus* course or courses of equivalent duration will qualify. However, many other courses offered at the College may also qualify depending upon the applicant’s cited purpose for taking the course in question.

*What must I do to qualify for a scholarship?*

* Each applicant or group is expected to **fill in the Application form**, obtain permission of their Bishop and submit a “**one** pager” explaining the following: Please use the
  + Why are you interested in studying at Saint George’s College?
  + What course are you planning to take and why? What are your learning objectives?
  + What do you expect to learn from the cited course and how might this learning be implemented into your current ministry setting? How might others benefit from your experience? Also, you must be prepared to share your experience with others.

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