



# First Lady Agretta Epps Scholarship Fund

## *Purpose:*

The First Lady Agretta Epps Scholarship Fund is based on the principle of “seeking and helping to fill” an educational need. Available funds will be used for individual development and community outreach.

Individual development will include, but not be limited to, scholarships to eligible awardees to help defray the cost of books, school supplies, and tuition.

Community outreach will include, but not be limited to, seminars, support for classrooms and educational organizations, and opportunities for “each one to teach one.”

## *Criteria:*

Members of Second Baptist Church of Los Angeles who are enrolled in an educational program will be considered for eligibility based on

- Being in good standing with the educational institution, with a focus on obtaining a diploma, certificate, or degree as well as
- Being community-minded and identifying and articulating a specific need that can be addressed to help remove barriers to the education and advancement of others

Eligible members should submit a maximum two-page essay of a specific educational need in the Los Angeles community that should be considered, along with the following:

- Date of submission of the essay
- Member’s name, address, and telephone number
- Parent’s/legal guardian’s name, address, and telephone number (where applicable)
- Name of the educational institution that the member attends
- Diploma, certificate, or degree in progress
- High school or college transcript or other evidence of good standing with the educational institution
- Targeted date of obtaining the diploma, certificate, or degree
- Name, address, telephone number, and contact person(s) of the organization, etc. that is in need

***The essay and related accompanying document(s) should be provided to First Lady Agretta Epps.***

## *Guidelines:*

Dependent upon available funds, scholarships are a one-time award that may be provided at any time during the year.

