

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT AWARD (TYM Award) 2017

- (1) An award of \$4,000.00 will be granted in the Spring Semester (2017) to 2 graduating high school seniors who are active members of the Total Youth Ministry (TYM) at St. John the Evangelist Parish in Oxford, Mississippi or other Catholic religious education program that serves high school students at St. John the Evangelist Parish in Oxford, Mississippi, provided that student has been accepted for admission for the following Fall Semester at either:
 - a. Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge, Louisiana (LSU), where Paul and Jane Cassisa met during college; or
 - b. Any accredited, four-year public university located in Mississippi.
- (2) The TYM Award recipient shall be a practicing Catholic student who is currently a high school Senior, and whose family is registered with St. John the Evangelist Parish in Oxford, Mississippi.
- (3) The TYM recipient must plan to attend either Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge, Louisiana or any accredited, four-year public university located in Mississippi full-time during the Fall Semester immediately following the presentation of the TYM Award.
- (4) Any qualified person interested in receiving the TYM Award shall apply at St. John the Evangelist Parish in Oxford, Mississippi no later than April 10 of the Spring Semester.
- (5) A committee comprised of individuals approved by the pastor at St. John the Evangelist Parish in Oxford, Mississippi shall select the TYM Award recipient no later than April 21st of the Spring Semester.
- (6) The committee shall analyze the qualified applicants for the TYM Award and choose the person among those applicants who, in the opinion of the committee, is the best example of both:
 - a. Living the Catholic faith, as demonstrated through his or her daily interactions with others; and
 - b. Practicing the Catholic faith.
- (7) The length of time that each TYM student's family has been registered at St. John the Evangelist Parish shall be considered when the TYM Award recipient is selected.
 - a. As between equally qualified applicants, preference shall be given to those TYM students whose families have been registered parishioners at St. John the

Evangelist Parish for a total of four or more years during the TYM student's lifetime.

i. Those four or more years need not be consecutive, nor do those four or more years need to be the years immediately preceding the date of the TYM Award, in order for any student to qualify for this preference.

(8) The TYM Award recipient shall not be eligible to receive a CCM Award during the Fall Semester following receipt of a TYM Award.

(9) The funds from the TYM Award shall be used to help the recipient defray the cost of tuition.

(10) The TYM Award shall be paid to the Bursar's Office at either:

a. Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge, Louisiana; or

b. Any accredited, four-year public university located in Mississippi.