



# PEACE WITH JUSTICE SCHOLARSHIP

*Awarded by the East Ohio Church and Society Committee*

## Purpose

To promote learning and awareness, within the framework of Scripture, of peace and social justice issues that will help create a lifelong commitment to work for God's vision of shalom for all humanity.

## The Scholarship

Two \$1,000 non-renewable scholarships will be presented from the East Ohio Conference Church and Society Committee. (One to a high school senior and one to a post high school student.)

## Who Can Participate?

Any high school senior or post high school student who is an active member in a United Methodist Church inside the boundaries of East Ohio Conference. The applicant must be planning to attend a college, trade school or other institution of higher education for the 2016-2017 school year.

## How To Enter?

Answer the following questions in 1,200 words or less (total.)

1. Using a Bible, preferably a Study Bible, select one passage from the Old Testament and one passage from the New Testament and discuss how Peace with Justice is evident and/or rooted in these passages.
2. Identify your hero or model of Peace with Justice and describe what that person did or is doing that makes Peace with Justice meaningful to you? This person may be someone you know personally or a current public figure.
3. If you have been involved in any activity that you think illustrates Peace with Justice please describe it. Whether or not you have been involved in Peace with Justice in the past discuss what you intend to do in your school, church or community that demonstrates or could contribute to Peace with Justice.

Your answers with the entry form below must be postmarked by March 15, 2016 . Any applications received after this date will not be considered. Keep a copy of your writing as the Church and Society Committee will keep all submitted pieces for use in educational and publicity materials. Those who are awarded scholarships will be notified by June 1, 2016. (Please do not call before this date.)

Entries will be judged on the author's understanding of and commitment to Peace with Justice, influence of your faith, superior content, clarity of expression, and originality of thought with proper attention to grammar, sentence structure, spelling and punctuation. Your answers must be your own original work. Signing this form confirms that you have not copied from any source and that no one else has written any part of your answers. Also, signing this form indicates that you agree to have excerpts of your entry publicized.

## PEACE WITH JUSTICE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Please type:

<b>Name</b>			
<b>Phone</b>		<b>Email</b>	
<b>Address</b>			
<b>City, State, Zip Code</b>			
<b>Name of High School</b>		<b>City</b>	
<b>Church Name</b>		<b>District</b>	
<b>What institution are you currently attending or planning to attend?</b>			
<b>Have you been accepted?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		

With my signature I attest to the originality of my work as submitted, and agree that excerpts or the entirety of my work may be publicized by the East Ohio Conference.

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*Signature*

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*Date*

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*Pastor's Signature*

**Please comment on the applicant's participation in your church.**

Mail to:

Peace With Justice / East Ohio Conference UMC / 8800 Cleveland Avenue NW / North Canton / Ohio / 44720  
Attention: CCOM