



Florida-Bahamas Synodical Women's Organization
Fund for Leaders Scholarship Application

Name: _____ Sex: ☐ Male ☐ Female
Last First MI

Permanent Address: _____
Address City State Zip

Current Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

ELCA Seminary attending: _____
Note: Only those currently attending ELCA seminaries are eligible to be awarded this scholarship

Degree being sought: _____ Master of Divinity (M. DIV) _____ Master of Arts (MA)

Year in Seminary: _____

Home Congregation: _____ Location: _____
Name City/State

Are you an active member of your Women of the ELCA Congregational Unit? _____

Describe your involvement:

Describe how you exhibit faith qualities that empower others:
(Attach separate sheet if needed)

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How have you demonstrated leadership qualities in the church and community?
(Attach separate sheet if needed)

What additional information would you like to share regarding your application for scholarship?
(Attach separate sheet if needed)

Please submit this completed application to the Florida-Bahamas SWO President via mail or email. Contact information is available on the website at www.flwelca.com/fund-for-leaders. Applications must be received no later than midnight January 10, 2026

Direct any questions to the SWO Secretary.

Applicants will be notified no later than February 15th of each year. Scholarships will be awarded in two increments (September and January) according to the guidelines of the ELCA Fund for Leaders in Mission. The selected applicant will be invited to attend our Fall Gathering at the Lake Yale Baptist Center in Leesburg, FL, or send a video or written greeting.