

Purpose

The Timothy Project (TIMP) provides scholarship funds to qualified students who are actively engaged in ministry while attending college/seminary in order to prepare them for vocational church or missionary ministry.

Source of Funding

This scholarship is funded with distributions from the "Curtis A. Baker and Shirley Ann Baker Scholarship Fund." Distributions are made on a quarterly basis from the income generated by the trust. Income not awarded will become part of the corpus of the trust. Scholarships awarded by the College will be reimbursed on a dollar for dollar basis.

Awarding of TIMP Scholarships

The College's scholarship committee awards funds annually July 1-June 30 up to 75% of the following:

- Tuition and fees (for courses within the declared program major)
- Mission practicum or study abroad travel
- Rent for Criswell Student Housing

Summary of Candidate Qualifications

- Full-time enrollment
 - 12 or more hours for undergraduate students
 - 9 or more hours for graduate students
- Minimum GPA requirement
 - Maintain cumulative GPA of 2.75 or above for undergraduate
 - Maintain cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above for graduate.
- Must be involved in either a paid or unpaid church ministry position.
- Must provide confirmation of church ministry on church letterhead signed and dated by designated church official.
- Must submit TIMP Application
- Must submit TIMP Statement of Beliefs Agreement
- Must submit an explanation of goals, as outlined on the TIMP application
- Must submit typed statement of financial need (signed and dated)
- Must fulfill all financial and student responsibilities as stipulated in the catalog.
- Must complete Free Application for Federal Student Aid and Criswell Supplemental Application for Financial Aid
- Previous recipients must provide an explanation of lessons learned while receiving TIMP.
- Must meet all college deadlines outlined in the Course catalog and Student Handbook
- All scholarship candidates must apply or reapply on an annual basis

Responsibilities of Scholarship Recipients

- Maintain all requirements of TIMP agreement
- Maintain a Christian testimony
- Meet with the Bakers or their representatives on an annual basis
- Must attend a brief orientation regarding the maintenance of the scholarship
- Participate in mentorship program.
 - a. Student must select his/her own mentor and provide the Financial Aid Office with mentor's name, position, and contact information on or before the orientation.
 - b. Student must meet with mentor at least one time a month.
- Student must submit TIMP Recipient Monthly Report Form every month

Responsibilities of College/Seminary

- Award funds in compliance with the TIMP agreement.
- Retain the current doctrinal statement as stipulated under this agreement.
- Report to the WACF board and the Bakers, on an annual basis, regarding the administration of the TIMP funds.
- Contact each mentor and provide him or her with banquet information and the Mentor Report Form.
- Review each recipient's GPA at the end of the fall semester and initiate contact regarding eligibility and the appeal process for those recipients not meeting the GPA requirement.
- Organize an orientation for the recipients at the beginning of each year.
- Provide a maintenance checklist to students at the time of orientation.

Statement of Faith

1. The Bible is the only inspired, authoritative Word of God and is infallible in its original writing
2. There is one God, eternally existent in three persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
3. The following is true and taught by Scripture regarding Jesus Christ: His deity and His humanity, His virgin birth, His sinless life, His miracles, His vicarious and atoning death through His shed blood, His bodily resurrection, His ascension to the right hand of the Father, His present rule as Head of the Church and His imminent, personal return in power and glory.
4. Salvation is by grace through faith alone in the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.
5. The present ministry of the Holy Spirit is the continuous indwelling of the Christian upon conversion to enable to him or her to live a godly life.
6. The church exists both as the local bodies of believers in the Lord Jesus Christ and as the universal body of believers to include those in the past, present and future generations without regard to class, gender, nationality and race.
7. There will be a resurrection of both the saved and the lost; the saved unto eternal life and the lost unto eternal damnation.



Timothy Project Scholarship Application Checklist

Name: _____

Grade Level: _____

Please complete the application checklist below and attach the requested documents behind this sheet in the order listed below. Incomplete applications will not be reviewed. If you do not have each requested document below, your application will automatically be disqualified.

- Completed Timothy Project Application
- Signed Statement of Beliefs
- Confirmation of church ministry on church letterhead signed and dated by designated church official.
- Typed Statement of Financial Need (sign and date)
- Free Application for Federal Student Aid
- Criswell Supplemental Application for Financial Aid
- Explanation of 3-5 Goals (see bottom of Timothy Project Application)
- Explanation of lessons learned during their time as a TIMP recipient (Previous TIMP recipients only)

Signature: _____

Date: _____



Timothy Project Scholarship Application

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ M.I.: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____ D.O.B.: _____

Gender: _____ Marital Status: _____ Spouse's Name: _____

Names and Ages of Children: _____

Year you began attending Criswell College: _____ Program of Study: _____

Expected Graduation Date: _____ Home City, State, and Country: _____

Current Church Membership: _____

City/State: _____ Denomination: _____ Currently Employed: Yes / No

Place of Employment: _____ Position: _____

Number of hours per week: _____

What are your plans for employment next year?

Briefly give your reasons for wanting to apply to the Timothy Project:

Please list your experience in ministry:

Please attach: 1) a statement with 3-5 goals you hope to achieve in your ministry with the help of TIMP, and 2) a statement of lessons learned during ministry while receiving TIMP. (Previous Recipients Only)

As a Timothy Project Scholarship applicant, I pledge myself to abide by all of the regulations of the faculty and administration. I will seek to protect the good name of the institution; to preserve and protect the heritage and hope of the College; to keep in monthly contact with my chosen mentor; and to make full reports of my fulfillments of the Timothy Project requirements.

Signature: _____ Date: _____



Timothy Project Scholarship Statement of Beliefs

I believe:

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2. There is one God, eternally existent in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
3. The following is true and taught by Scripture regarding Jesus Christ: His deity and His humanity, His virgin birth, His sinless life, His miracles and atoning death through His shed blood, His bodily resurrection, His ascension to the right hand of the Father, His present rule as Head of the Church and His imminent, personal return, in power and glory.
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Name (print): _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____



Timothy Project Scholarship Requirements

- Maintain a CGPA of 2.75 or above (undergraduate)/ 3.0 or above (graduate).
- Maintain full time enrollment status (12+ credit hours undergrad/ 9+ hours graduate).
- Maintain activity in your ministry. If your ministry changes, please submit your change in writing to the Criswell College Financial Aid Office.
- Maintain a Christian Testimony.
- Attend a banquet upon invitation from the Criswell College Financial Aid Office.
- Meet with mentor on a monthly basis and submit the monthly report form each time you meet with your mentor. (Begins 10/1/18)
- If you have a change in mentors, you must notify the Financial Aid Office of the change in writing. This must include the mentor's name, email address, and phone number.
- Notify the Criswell College Financial Aid Office of any change in classes, anticipated mission's practicum trip, or student housing changes.

Name (print): _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____