



## **Mary Rosanne Creedon Scholarship**

**Purpose:** This scholarship is funded from the income earned on a gift from the Mary Rosanne Creedon estate. Ms. Creedon was a graduate of the St. Elizabeth School of Nursing in Youngstown. Mercy College is the successor to that school.

### **Eligibility requirements:**

- Acceptance into the Associate Degree program in Nursing at Mercy College, Youngstown
- 3.0 GPA and in good standing with the College
- Completed Scholarship Application Form
- Completed FAFSA on file with the Financial Aid Office by February 28

### **Number and value of scholarship:**

- One non-renewable scholarship awarded annually
- \$500 to be used for tuition and fees

## **Fifth Third Bank Scholarship**

**Purpose:** This scholarship is funded by the Fifth Third Bank. Fifth Third Bank is a United States regional bank corporation with headquarters in Cincinnati, Ohio and locations throughout Ohio and other Midwestern states. This scholarship will be awarded to new or current students with demonstrated financial need.

### **Eligibility requirements:**

- New or current student
- 3.0 GPA
- Submit an essay of not more than one double-spaced, type written page explaining the candidate's choice of area of study and reasons for choosing Mercy College
- Completed FAFSA on file with the Financial Aid Office by February 28<sup>th</sup>

### **Number and value of scholarship:**

- Ten non-renewable scholarships awarded for the 2010-2011 academic year
- \$500 to be used for tuition and fees

## **Florence Burke Scholarship**

**Purpose:** This scholarship was established in memory of Florence Burke, mother of Dr. Patricia McAllen, Campus Director/Program Chair at Mercy College, Youngstown site. The recipient is someone who has a passion for the care of geriatric patients.

### **Eligibility requirements:**

- Current student at Mercy College, Youngstown
- 2.7 GPA and in good standing with the College
- Completed Scholarship Application Form with a short essay addressing the applicant's desire to care for geriatric patients
- Complete FAFSA on file with the Financial Aid Office by February 28

### **Number and value of scholarship:**

- One non-renewable scholarship awarded annually
- \$500 to be used for tuition and fees

## **Frank and Fern Magyar Scholarship**

**Purpose:** This scholarship was established in memory of Frank and Fern Magyar by their family to assist first year nursing students at Mercy College of Ohio, Youngstown site, who are in financial need. Applicants must be a resident of Columbiana, Mahoning, or Trumbull Counties in Ohio to be eligible.

### **Eligibility requirements:**

- An entering student accepted to the Associate Degree Nursing program at Mercy College, Youngstown site
- Minimum 3.0 GPA and in good standing
- Financial need
- Resident of Columbiana, Mahoning, or Trumbull Counties in Ohio
- Completed application for the scholarship

### **Number and value of scholarship:**

- One non-renewable scholarship awarded annually
- \$1000 to be used for tuition and fees

## **The Joseph and Agnes Diorio Scholarship**

**Purpose:** The Joseph and Agnes Diorio Scholarship Fund was established in 2015 in memory of the Diorios by their family and friends. Deborah Diorio Zajac, daughter of Joseph and Agnes, is one of the original faculty members of Mercy College's associate degree program in nursing at Youngstown. The Diorios, life-long residents of Youngstown, were supporters of nursing education and loyal

patients of St. Elizabeth Hospital. They recognized and appreciated good nursing care.

The scholarship is given to an Associate of Science in Nursing student in good standing, who successfully completes the first level of nursing courses, and is eligible to begin the second level of the nursing program at Mercy College of Ohio, Youngstown location. The scholarship is to be used for tuition and fees. The College's Scholarship Committee selects the recipient. The award will be made after the Spring Semester is completed. The award amount is \$500.

Funding for the award is from gifts received from family and friends. The funds will be distributed in accordance with the spending policy of the Mercy College Foundation. In the unlikely event the initial intent of the fund can no longer be fulfilled, the Board of Directors of the Mercy College of Ohio Foundation may direct the funds to another use, which in their understanding best meets the intent of the fund.

**Eligibility requirements:**

The criteria for the scholarship are as follows:

For ASN Students:

- Successfully complete all first level nursing courses and eligible to begin the second level of the nursing program at the Youngstown location.
- Currently maintain at least a 3.0 GPA and in good standing in the nursing program.
- Demonstrated evidence of clinical competency (one letter of recommendation from a previous clinical instructor.)
- Complete application for the scholarship.
- Complete an essay on the importance of clinical competency.