

**Knights of Peters Claver Ladies Auxiliary Court 257  
Saint Martin DePorres Scholarship Application, 2023**

**Applicants must be enrolled at high schools located in the Diocese of San Bernardino and  
must be of African American descent**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

School Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

# of Children in Family \_\_\_\_\_ Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Please attach the following documents to this application:

- Copy of transcript (10<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>) or report card (9<sup>th</sup> grade) for the Spring Semester of the 2022/2023 school year
- A brief letter of recommendation from a teacher, school counselor, or principal on school letterhead
- A typed 250 word essay prepared by the student. The essay must include :
  - An introduction of self and family
  - Indicate involvement in church, school and or community.
  - Indicate how the receipt of the scholarship will help your family financially.
  - An indication of college, career goals and future involvement in the Catholic church

**All documents must be received by September 22, 2023,** and must be submitted in a complete package to be considered by the Scholarship Committee. Qualified applicants will be notified of the date, time and place of their individual interview. Scholarships will be awarded at a Black Catholic History Mass in November 2023. If you have any questions, please contact:

Lady Bernadette Pinchback, Telephone # 951-682-9171.

**Send your completed application, transcript, recommendation letter and essay to:**

Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Aux., Court #257  
c/o St Anthony Church  
1640 Western Ave.  
San Bernardino, CA 92411