LUCE BERGESON STUDENT AID FUND APPLICATION FORM

***** All applicants to complete this section*****

Name: _____ Street Address: _____
First Middle Last

City / State / Zip: _____ Email address: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Year Confirmed: _____ Year Graduated High School: _____
Month / Day / Year

Name of accredited College, University or Seminary* you are/will be attending: _____
* Seminary must be ELCA. If not ELCA, stop here, you do not qualify for student aid through Luce Bergeson.

TRADITIONAL STUDENT (Ages 17 to 24) – complete this section if you are considered a traditional student and under age 25

Have you received past scholarship support from Luce Bergeson? YES* / NO If yes, what years and amounts?
_____ *Maximum number of years of student aid is four years

Parent(s) or Guardian(s) Name: _____

Member of Decorah Lutheran since: _____* Previous church membership: _____ (if applicable)
*Must be a member of Decorah Lutheran for two years as of April 15 if transferred membership from Winneshiek County Church

NON-TRADITIONAL STUDENT (Age 25 and older)
Full Member of Decorah Lutheran since:_____ (Must be a full member for two years as of April 15 to qualify for aid)

Do you have a four year undergraduate degree? YES / NO (if yes, stop here, you do not qualify for Student Aid)

Have you received past scholarship support from Luce Bergeson? YES* / NO If yes, what years and amounts?
_____ *Maximum number of years of student aid is four years

SEMINARY STUDENT

Full member of Decorah Lutheran since: _____*or Full Member from:_____ to:_____
*Full and continuous membership of 6 years as of April 15 is required to qualify for student aid

_____ _____ _____ _____
Student Signature Date Parent or Guardian Signature (Traditional Students) Date

If you attend a college or university of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, $1,000 will be awarded per year for up to four years. If you attend a seminary of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, $2,000 per year will be awarded for up to four years. If you attend a vocational program, a community college, a private college or university (other than ELCA), or a tax-supported state university, $500 per year will be awarded for up to four years. (These amounts assume normal income to the fund.) All students must fill out an application every year. A Statement of Intent needs to be done by first year students only. Mail this application and your statement of intent (a short essay on your educational/career intentions) to Luce Bergeson / Student Aid Fund, Decorah Lutheran Church, 309 Washington Street, Decorah, IA 52101 or bring them to the church office. **Deadline is April 15**

Late applications will be reduced by half until September 15. After September 15, any application can be denied.

THE STUDENT AID PROCESS IS NEITHER NEED NOR ACADEMIC BASED.