

# The Roanoke Chapter of the American Guild of Organists

## Guidelines for Scholarship Application

(This form may be duplicated)

2011-2012

Scholarship applications for the **Jeryl Powell Organ Scholarships** will be accepted until **April 16, 2012**. The competition time and location will be arranged with the applicants and announced after the deadline.

1. Each applicant must be a student in grades 9-12.
2. Each applicant must be studying or intend to begin studying the organ.
3. Each applicant will be required to play one hymn and two short pieces of contrasting styles. Sight-reading a simple hymn will be required. It is suggested that a third piece be prepared in case of a tie. Students who have not yet studied the organ may play on the piano.
4. Applications must be received by **April 16, 2012**.
5. Each application must be accompanied by two letters of recommendation; one from the student's primary music teacher.
6. Auditions must be in person.
7. Applicants will be notified of the committee's decision by mail. Their decision will be final.
8. The award must be used for expenses relating to organ study (music, workshops, private lessons, etc.). Recipients are required to write a brief letter to the scholarship committee by December 31, 2012, stating how the award was used.
9. No recipient can receive the award for more than two consecutive years.
10. First Prize: **\$500** Second Prize: **\$300**
11. The committee reserves the right to make no award at all, or to give only one award.

**I have read and agree to the terms of the Scholarship Guidelines.**

\_\_\_\_\_ (Student Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Parent Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Teacher Signature)

After filling out both forms, please mail to:

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