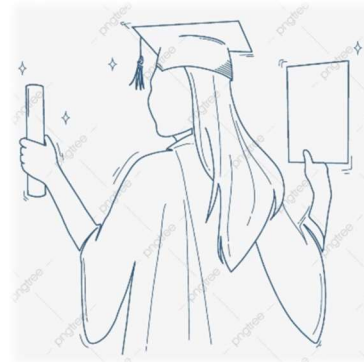


**ATTENTION**  
**2025 CATHOLIC FEMALE**  
**HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES!**



The SDCCW (Springfield in IL Diocesan Council of Catholic Women) is pleased to give \$2,000 for education beyond high school to four 2025 female high school graduates from the Springfield Diocese in IL who exemplify the SDCCW's MISSION.

The MISSION of the SDCCW is to support and empower all Catholic women in spirituality, leadership and service. The SDCCW is affiliated with the National Council of Catholic Women (NCCW).

To apply for a **SDCCW 2025 SCHOLARSHIP**, mail the following three documents by April 1 (postmarked by at least **April 1, 2025**) to:

**Rita Devore**

**Coordinator of the SDCCW Scholarship Program**

**1006 Shenandoah Ave., Effingham, IL 62401**

**r\_devore01@hotmail.com 217-821-7517**

1. The **SDCCW Scholarship Application**: Completed-- including your signature and the signature of your pastor.
2. A **TYPED ESSAY** (two pages maximum) signed by you indicating **how you have shown during your high school years** and **how you plan to continue** embodying the values of leadership, faith and service to your family, parish, school and/or community.
3. A **LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION** from an adult that is familiar with how you have demonstrated values of leadership, faith and service to family, parish, school and/or community.