

The **Bob Simpson Memorial Scholarship** is designed for college students who are members of Community Lutheran Church in Escondido and San Marcos to continue their pursuit of a college degree. There are several different award levels which are – Three \$2000.00 dollar scholarships (\$1000.00/semester), three \$1000.00 dollar scholarships (\$500.00/semester) and three-five \$500.00 scholarships (\$250.00/semester).

In order to apply for these scholarships, you must be a member of Community Lutheran Church and in regular worship when in town at either the Escondido or San Marcos campus. Please complete the following application and essay and turn in to either Jim Meyer at the Escondido campus or Pastor Matt Knauss on the San Marcos campus. Those applications and essays will be reviewed by a three-person committee and awards will be handed out according to their decisions. Students will need to maintain a 2.5 GPA in order to receive 2<sup>nd</sup> semester funds. You will need to reapply for the scholarship each year. Applications and essays are due by **Sunday, March 24th.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Current School \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete an essay incorporating your answers to the following questions.

- 1) What degree are you pursuing?
- 2) Why are you pursuing that degree?
- 3) What role has Community Lutheran Church played in your life?
- 4) What have you experienced or foresee as the biggest spiritual challenges for college students?
- 5) Which person outside your immediate family, has had the biggest influence on your life and why?
- 6) Where do you see yourself in 5-7 years?

Robert (Bob) Lee Simpson, born July 27, 1957 in Escondido, California passed away on March 1, 2008. Robert was a resident of Escondido for 50 years. He graduated from Escondido High School in 1976. He was a member of Community Lutheran Church, where he played in the hand bell choir, sang in the choir and was the Assistant Sunday School Superintendent for 18 years. He assisted in the Escondido High, Orange Glen High and Valley Center High School football programs, as well as the Escondido High basketball program.