

**TRINITY COLLEGE, BURLINGTON, VERMONT**  
**CLASS OF 1968**  
**ANNIVERSARY GIFT**

Dear Female Applicant,

Trinity College, Burlington, Vermont was a small Catholic women's liberal arts college under the auspices of the Sisters of Mercy. While we came from different backgrounds and different educations (Catholic high schools or public high schools), we had three things in common. We were women; we chose to pursue/attain an undergraduate degree; we chose to pursue this degree at a Catholic College. The Class of 1968, to honor our 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary, is offering a special anniversary gift of \$4000 to a woman who, like we were, is looking to pursue an undergraduate degree from an accredited Catholic College or accredited Catholic University within the United States. This anniversary gift is for the 2018 – 2019 academic year and will be payable in one lump sum to the qualified recipient. The Trinity College, Burlington, Vermont class of 1968 Anniversary Gift's receipt will be contingent upon the proof of your acceptance to and enrollment in an accredited Catholic College or Catholic University within the United States.

In order for the gift application to be processed properly, please take the time to review the requirements listed in the instructions and provide the information requested in the attached application form.

Please complete the entire application. You may attach your letters of recommendation from people other than relatives. Mail the application to the address below by April 15, 2018.

Mary Cheney  
Trinity College Vermont, Class of 1968  
601 Lewis Creek Road  
Charlotte, VT 05445

Sincerely,

Trinity College, Burlington, Vermont, Class of 1968, Anniversary Gift Committee

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**ANNIVERSARY GIFT OBJECTIVE:**

To encourage Catholic women to pursue their undergraduate degree within the community of a Catholic institution of higher education.

**ELIGIBILITY RULES:**

1. Applicant must be a Catholic woman.
2. The gift is only open to a graduating high school senior or an adult student attending a post secondary school for the first time.
3. Applicant must be accepted and enrolled at an accredited Catholic College or accredited Catholic University approved for Title IV funding (Pell Grants, Federal Direct Loans) within the United States.
4. Anniversary gift must be used for the academic year for which it is awarded.
5. Recipient of the anniversary gift must provide proof of acceptance at, and enrollment in, an accredited Catholic College or accredited Catholic University.

**AWARDING OF ANNIVERSARY GIFT:**

Trinity College, Burlington, Vermont Class of 1968 will award one 50<sup>th</sup> year anniversary gift of \$4,000 to an eligible applicant for the 2018 – 2019 academic year.

**REVENUE SOURCE:**

Trinity College, Burlington, Vermont, Class of 1968.

**METHOD OF PAYMENT:**

The anniversary gift will be awarded to the selected recipient. The anniversary gift will be presented in a single payment (payee: recipient/institution recipient will attend) after the recipient provides proof of enrollment for the 2018 – 2019 academic year.

**CATHOLIC COLLEGES/CATHOLIC UNIVERSITIES:**

The anniversary gift must be used at an accredited Catholic College or accredited Catholic University within the United States.

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**ANNIVERSARY GIFT APPLICATION CHECKLIST**

- Fill out the application
- Complete/attach written questionnaire and essays
- Attach two letters of recommendation
- Letters of Recommendation – Letter should be from someone who is not related to the applicant (e.g. a counselor, guidance director, academic advisor, teacher, principal employer, business leader, neighbor, or family friend).

The letter must address the applicant's:

- Achievements/strengths
- Talent/potential for success
- Community/school involvement
- Character/initiative/leadership
- Commitment to completing her education beyond high school
- Commitment to her chosen career/ field of study
- Education/work ethic

- Sign the application
- Parent or guardian (if applicant is a minor) sign the application
- Application must be received on or before April 15, 2018
- Send application to:

Mary Cheney  
ATTN: Trinity College, Burlington, Vermont, Class of 1968  
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**ANNIVERSARY GIFT APPLICATION**

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Student's Name (First, Middle, Last) Date

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Address (Number & Street) City State Zip

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Primary Telephone Number Email Date of Birth

**List All High Schools Attended:**

School Name	Address	From	To

Date of Graduation or Equivalent:

Name and address of Catholic College or Catholic University you will be attending: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Parent Information (only required if applicant is under 18 years of age)

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Name of Parent

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Address (Number & Street) City State Zip

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Primary Telephone Number Email

I/We certify that all the statements contained in this application are true and correct

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Student's Signature / Date

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Parent's Signature / Date (if applicant is under 18 years of age)

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**ANNIVERSARY GIFT APPLICATION QUESTIONNAIRE**

Why are you choosing to pursue your undergraduate degree at a Catholic College or Catholic University?

How would this gift help you in pursuing your undergraduate degree?

Address any family or financial information and /or circumstances that have an impact on your ability to pay for college.

How would you envision the experience of a Catholic College or Catholic University carrying over into your future life?

Share something about yourself? (Feel free to include extra-curricular activities, honor/awards received, community service, life experiences, work experiences)

Any other comments?