



## GENESEE VALLEY DISTRICT LAY SERVANT MINISTRIES

### BONNIE CRICHTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP COVER LETTER

Dear Applicant,

The Genesee Valley District Lay Servant Ministries Committee is extending an opportunity for you to apply for the Bonnie Crichton Memorial Scholarship. Bonnie was a former Director of Lay Servant Ministries in the Genesee Valley District who embodied the United Methodist mission statement, "to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world." She was a compassionate, enthusiastic mentor to those who embarked on this journey of seeking God's call on their lives. We are pleased to offer this scholarship in honor of Bonnie's service.

This scholarship will be awarded to someone who will be taking the **Basic Course**, for the first time, at the Genesee Valley Lay Servant Ministry Fall Retreat. The retreat is a weekend learning event held at the Asbury Camp & Retreat Center, 16 Lakeside Avenue, Silver Lake, NY 14549. It is scheduled in early November each year. The scholarship will cover 75 percent of the cost of the weekend for a double occupancy room. You will be responsible for the balance of the fees and for the purchase of class materials.

Please complete the following application and return either by mail or transfer electronically to: Deborah Clyde, 11 Bowen Rd., Churchville, NY 14428 or [dclayde@rochester.rr.com](mailto:dclayde@rochester.rr.com). Your application will be reviewed by the committee and they will be in contact with you.

In Christ's service,

The Genesee Valley District Lay Servant Ministry Committee

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