

# UNITED METHODIST STUDENT DAY



**When you give to the special offering on United Methodist Student Day, you invest in a channel of hope for young leaders who bring their Wesleyan values into their schools and professions.**

**“That I’ve been chosen for this scholarship means the church sees something in me that they like, and I’m excited to show them they made the right decision. ... I can’t wait to give back to The United Methodist Church throughout my life.”**

— GIFT OF HOPE SCHOLAR DYLAN PARSON

**“I would love to be involved in organizations related to education and the systemic injustices that still exist. I continue to listen to God as I am looking toward the future.”**

— GIFT OF HOPE SCHOLAR SIDNEY OTEY

**“I think God has chosen me to take this career path (as an equine veterinarian). I love animals and want to help them stay healthy and happy so they can live long lives with the people who love them. I take hands-on classes, where I handle horses, livestock, domestics and exotics.”**

— GIFT OF HOPE SCHOLAR AMANDA BRUNERR



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## PLEASE GIVE GENEROUSLY!

One of six churchwide Special Sundays with offerings, the United Methodist Student Day offering funds a channel of hope for young scholars.

The burden of taking on prohibitive amounts of debt can feel overwhelming. It may limit bright, qualified students from bringing their full selves into the professions to which they feel called.

Supporting United Methodist students gives them a financial boost to help them realize their dreams. It also gives them a spiritual boost, helping them to recognize that the church has confidence in them and in their talents.

This offering helps to send United Methodist students into the world with justice-seeking, healing and compassionate values that have been instilled in them over the years.

When the church comes together to serve our students, we partner with God. We pray for students while putting our prayers into action through this special offering.

Please write your check to your local church with “UMSD” written on the memo line and place it in the offering basket. To give online or set up monthly giving, go to [UMCgiving.org/giveUMSD](http://UMCgiving.org/giveUMSD).



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