

## **Fresno Pacific University Church Match Scholarship Policy for Undergraduate Students**

Any student who desires to receive a Church Match Scholarship must have his/her church send either a check or a letter to the University by the deadline for that semester. *Cash and personal checks will not be accepted.* The letter of intent should be on church letterhead and should include the student's name, ID or social security number, the amount the church will be sending, and the semester the money is for. It is the students' responsibility to contact their church.

For students attending in the fall semester, the letter of intent must be postmarked by October 1. If the check is sent by October 1, it is not necessary to send the letter of intent. The Church Match Check must be postmarked by December 1. Any funds postmarked after December 1 **will not be matched.**

For students attending in the spring semester, the letter of intent must be postmarked by February 1. The Church Match Check must be postmarked by April 1. Any funds postmarked after April 1 **will not be matched.**

The Fresno Pacific University match will be 1:1, with a maximum match of \$250/semester for any church that is not part of the Pacific District Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches. For all churches that are part of the Pacific District Conference, the match will be 2:1, with a maximum match of \$500/semester.

For Example:

*If your church is not part of the Pacific District Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches and sends \$500 dollars to Fresno Pacific University for the scholarship, Fresno Pacific University will match the donation with \$500, for a total amount of \$1000. The money will be split evenly between the fall and spring semesters.*

*If your church is part of the Pacific District Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches and sends \$500 dollars to Fresno Pacific University for the scholarship, Fresno Pacific University will match the donation with \$1000, for a total amount of \$1500. The money will be split evenly between the fall and spring semesters.*

- If meeting any of the above deadlines presents a problem for the church, the church should contact the Financial Aid Office at 559-453-2041.
- Church match checks and/or letters should be sent to:

Fresno Pacific University  
Financial Aid Office  
1717 S. Chestnut Ave. #2004  
Fresno, CA 93702