

# THE CHILDREN'S SPIRITUALITY SUMMIT



## Stonehouse/May Research Scholarship Award

The Stonehouse/May Scholarship is named in honor of two founding members of the Society for Children's Spirituality: Christian Perspectives – Dr. Catherine Stonehouse and Dr. Scottie May. As teachers, researchers and writers, both Dr. Stonehouse and Dr. May have made significant contributions to the local church and the field of Christian education.



The Stonehouse/May Research Scholarship is awarded for scholarly excellence in children's spirituality research. This scholarship is granted at the conference to a graduate student whose research has been approved by their university's committee, and whose paper has been approved for presentation at the conference. The recipient must be currently enrolled in a master's or doctoral program and be in good standing.



## The Tina Lillig Best-Practices Scholarship

The Tina Lillig Best-Practices Scholarship is named for Tina Lillig who devoted much of her life to the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, eventually becoming its first national director. This award is given for excellence in best practices in children's spirituality. This scholarship is granted at our conference to a graduate student whose ministry model or workshop has been approved for presentation at the conference. The recipient must be currently enrolled in a master's or doctoral program and be in good standing.

**Each of these scholarships includes a \$1000 award  
and a complimentary conference registration.**

We look forward to presenting these scholarships at the  
**Children's Spirituality Summit: A Christ-Centered Gathering in June 27-29, 2018**  
which will convene on the campus of Lipscomb University, Nashville, TN.

**Deadline for application March 15, 2018 at midnight.**

See <http://childrenspirit.org/call-for-papers.html> for more information and to apply.

# Scholarship Application Form

Applying for:

Stonehouse/May Research Scholarship     Tina Lillig Best-Practices Scholarship

Please complete the following information: (Deadline March 15, 2018 at midnight)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Academic Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

Program enrolled in: \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor's Name/Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check appropriate box:     Masters Student     Doctoral Student

Have you submitted a paper/workshop/ministry model proposal to present at the 2018 conference?     Yes     No

Please attach the following: (**Deadline for scholarship application is 3/15/18 at midnight.\***)

- 1) Written explanation of research paper, ministry model, or workshop proposal (between 300-500 words), including description of the larger work you are involved in and indicates the scholarly contribution to the field of children's spirituality (Stonehouse/May Award) or contribution to the application of children's spirituality principles in practical ministry (Lillig Award).
- 2) A letter of recommendation from your advisor that includes their contact information, information regarding the approval of your research by the institution's committee, and your status as a current masters or doctoral student in good standing. Letter must be received *from your advisor* by March 15, 2018 as well.

**Send completed application to Dr. Mimi Larson, [mimi.larson@wheaton.edu](mailto:mimi.larson@wheaton.edu).**

**You may also contact Dr. Larson at this email for more information about the scholarships.**

\* Please note: While the February deadline for submitting proposals may have passed, we will still accept paper/ministry model proposals from those applying for the scholarships.