

Matthew R. Chumley Memorial Scholarship

Scholarship cover page

Matthew R. Chumley attended Our Saviour Grade School and was a 1992 graduate of Routt High School. He was also a member of Our Saviour Parish while residing in Jacksonville. Matt was well known for his dedication to family and friends and having a smile on his face.

This scholarship fund was created by the family and friends who attended the Matthew R. Chumley Free Throw Contest. The scholarship will be awarded to a senior Routt student who: attended OSS (K-8) and RCHS (9-11), has at least one parent or grandparent who graduated from RCHS, has completed all Sacraments (Baptism, Penance, First Communion, and Confirmation) participates in school Masses, and has participated in an extra-curricular activity for at least 2 years at RCHS

Student information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Parent or Grandparent Alumnus: _____

Parish(es) where Sacraments were completed: _____

Extra-curricular Activity: _____ Years Participated: _____

This sheet should be the only page to contain student information.

Students must complete and submit this form with a paragraph that answers one or both of the following questions: 1) How have you helped someone with depression, anxiety, or a mental illness or who has been bullied? 2) How have you been helped when you have been depressed, anxiety ridden, or bullied? Work will be presented blindly to the Chumley family. *All information contained within the written responses will be kept confidential.*

Answers must be typewritten, double-spaced, and the work must be original by the student. Any plagiarized work will be disqualified. (Plagiarism is the submission of any portion of the answer that is not the student's own work).

For judging purposes, each submission is assigned a number; no judge will know the name of the student who submitted the work. The Development Office will keep this information confidential. **If you include your name, parents' names, or any family members' names in any areas of your answers, your paper will be disqualified.**

The recipient of this designated scholarship is to be determined by the Routt Catholic High School Principal and the Development Office.

**Deadline to submit to the Routt Development Office is April 15, 2026.
Please call the Development Office if you have questions at (217) 243-8563.**