

## **The Thomas W. Currie Scholarship**

This scholarship is awarded to fund seminary education for racially and ethnically diverse students under the care of the Grace Presbytery Committee on Preparation for Ministry. In 2008 the Committee on Preparation for Ministry of Grace Presbytery established a fund in honor of Reverend Thomas “Tom” W. Currie who served on the committee for many years. Throughout his ministry Tom Currie showed a passion for starting new Presbyterian congregations and encouraging candidates for the ministry. The scholarship may be awarded to qualifying students each year while enrolled in seminary, for up to three years.

Tom Currie served as the founding pastor for Rigma Presbyterian Church, Fort Worth, and served Oak Cliff Presbyterian Church for numerous years. He started several new churches in the Houston area and left the United States to serve parishes in New Zealand. After returning to Grace Presbytery, he served churches in Ferris, Italy, Milford, and Crumby, Texas. During his career he served in many Presbytery leadership roles and authored numerous books.

Award Disbursement - Varies Based on Need

Application Form – [Grace Students Under Care Form](#)

Application Deadline – Annually, June 1<sup>st</sup> each year