

## International Youth of Unity (IYOU) Dream Seed Scholarship

### Exciting News! Scholarships Now Available for IYOU!

The IYOU Dream Seed Scholarship was made possible by the Unity Institute Students' Association through donations received during two services honoring Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Thanks to their inspired efforts and the generosity of the attendees to both services, we are excited to announce that International YOU is now able to offer two scholarships covering registration costs for this year's IYOU event, "Standing on Holy Ground."

To apply for the IYOU Dream Seed Scholarship, applicants need to write a 500-word essay based on Dr. King's famous "I Have a Dream" speech. There are **two** specific questions to answer in the essay:

1. What is a dream that you have for your life that will bless the world?
2. How has YOU supported you in realizing your dreams?

The essay should be double-spaced and include your name, the Unity center you attend, your phone number and your email address. Please email to Rev. Dr. Jane Simmons at [you@unity.org](mailto:you@unity.org). **Submissions must be received by April 26, 2012.** Recipients will be notified by May 14, 2012. We look forward to hearing from you!

Please note: **Prior to being awarded the scholarship, recipients must be willing and able to fulfill the following event registration requirements after being notified.** These requirements are in place for all YOUers attending the 2011 IYOU event:

- Be age 15-18 and currently attending high school
- Be actively involved in YOU
- Read "The Five Principles" by Rev. Ellen Debenport
- Create and lead a lesson on one of the Unity principles written about in Ellen Debenport's book **OR** write a 300 word essay describing a time you used one of the Unity principles written about in the book, in your own life. **In order to confirm your registration, the lesson plan or essay needs to be included with the registration documents.**
- Have attended a prior regional YOU event
- Have completed 15 hours of service in a Unity center or local community
- Attend with a designated event sponsor ("**Event Sponsor Agreement**" must be submitted with registration forms.)