

Reaching Out Wednesdays

Topic: Undergraduate Tuition

Question: 3. Do your undergraduates pay for their own tuition?

Diocese of Fresno: We try to work it out so that our undergrads pay their tuition while the diocese pays room and board. We encourage the guys to apply for financial aid; and we are willing to provide a “loan” that will be forgiven if they are ordained or must be repaid if they leave.

Diocese of Rochester: Our undergraduates fund their own tuition.

Archdiocese of Denver: Our undergraduate seminarians in their first two years of school pay for 70% of tuition/room/board and the diocese pays 30%. Once the men are studying here on campus the diocese pays 100%.

Diocese of Arlington: Our college seminarians pay half of their tuition, room and board. They can take out loans and all scholarship money is applied to their half first. We feel it is important in their maturity to own part of their education.

