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**National Philoptochos Announces the Inaugural  
Young Philanthropist Award**

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New York, NY - National Philoptochos is excited to announce a new initiative designed to promote Philanthropy among the next generation, the inaugural **Young Philanthropist Award**.

Philoptochos will honor one young woman and one young man, juniors or seniors in high school, from the Direct Archdiocesan District and each Metropolis at the National Clergy-Laity Conference, June 28 – July 2, 2020, in Cleveland, Ohio.

Philoptochos desires to show appreciation for the compassionate heart of students who have reached out to the less fortunate. The objective is to encourage our Orthodox Christian youth to continue to give their time and talent to the needy, and to inspire a philanthropic spirit that will continue throughout their lives.

Philanthropy makes a significant difference in a community and an impact on society. The 18 award honorees will receive a gift of \$1000 to design and establish a Philanthropic program within their community. The awards ceremony will take place at the Grand Opening Breakfast of the 2020 Clergy-Laity Congress on June 29, 2020.

Additional information, nominating form and application can be found on the National Philoptochos website at: [www.philoptochos.org](http://www.philoptochos.org) and by selecting Events-Convention 2020.

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