In a five page essay (approximately 1500-2000 words), the Admissions Committee wants to know who you are as a person of faith: Who is God for you and how has your understanding of God developed over the course of your lifetime? Use the following questions to guide you in developing your essay:

- Which experiences and personal relationships have been most formative in your development as a person of faith?
- What are your most significant involvements and experience in the Church?
- What social issues are of the most concern to you?
- What are the three most challenging books you have read and what was significant about each for you?
- What has led you to decide to enter a theological seminary at this time?
- What are your hopes for theological education at Eden Theological Seminary?