

2021
*Baccalaureate Service
and Awards Presentation*



Fortiter, Fideliter, Feliciter

Episcopal High School
Alexandria, Virginia

May 28, 2021
4:30 p.m.

Prelude Music for brass Various

Hymn at the Procession 541 "Come, labor on" *Ora Labora*



1	Come,	la - bor	on.	Who	dares	stand	i -	dle
2	Come,	la - bor	on.	The	en - e -	my	is	
3	Come,	la - bor	on.	A	- way	with	gloom -	y
4	Come,	la - bor	on.	Claim	the	high	call -	ing
5	Come,	la - bor	on.	No	time	for	rest,	till



1	on	the	har -	vest	plain,	while	all	a -	round	us
2	watch -	ing	night	and	day,	to	sow	the	tares,	to
3	doubts	and	faith -	less	fear!	No	arm	so	weak	but
4	an -	gels	can -	not	share—	to	young	and	old	the
5	glows	the	west -	ern	sky,	till	the	long	sha -	dows



1	waves	the	gold -	en	grain?	And	to	each	ser -	vant
2	snatch	the	seed	a -	way;	while	we	in	sleep	our
3	may	do	ser -	vice	here:	by	fee -	blest	a -	gents
4	Gos -	pel	glad -	ness	bear:	re -	deem	the	time;	its
5	o'er	our	path -	way	lie,	and	a	glad	sound	comes



1	does	the	Mas -	ter	say,	"Go	work	to -	day."
2	du -	ty	have	for -	got,	he	slum -	bered—	not.
3	may	our	God	ful -	fill	his	right -	eous—	will.
4	hours	too	swift -	ly	fly.	The	night	draws—	nigh.
5	with	the	set -	ting	sun,_____	"Ser -	vants,	well	done."

Words: Jane Laurie Borthwick (1813-1897), alt. Music: *Ora Labora*, Thomas Tertius Noble (1867-1953)

Introduction The Rev. Elizabeth H. Carmody

Invocation The Rev. John H. Barrett P'18 '21

First Reading Genesis 45:4-9E. Claybyrne Prescot Sailor '21

Then Joseph said to his brothers, "Come closer to me." And they came closer. He said, "I am your brother, Joseph, whom you sold into Egypt. And now do not be distressed, or angry with yourselves, because you sold me here; for God sent me before you to preserve life. For the famine has been in the land these two years; and there are five more years in which there will be neither plowing nor harvest. God sent me before you to preserve for you a remnant on earth, and to keep alive for you many survivors. So it was not you who sent me here, but God; he has made me a father to Pharaoh, and lord of all his house and ruler over all the land of Egypt. Hurry and go up to my father and say to him, 'Thus says your son Joseph, God has made me lord of all Egypt; come down to me, do not delay.'"

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Psalm 15Maria Harrison Claiborne '21

- 1 Lord, who may dwell in your tabernacle? *
who may abide upon your holy hill?
- 2 Those who lead blameless lives and do what is right, *
who speak truthfully from the heart.
- 3 There is no guile upon their tongues;
they do no evil to their friends; *
they do not heap contempt upon their neighbors.
- 4 In their sight the wicked are rejected, *
but they honor those who fear the Lord.
- 5 They do not give their money in hope of gain, *
nor do they take a bribe against the innocent.
- 6 Whoever does these things *
shall never be overthrown.

Second Reading Romans 8:28-39Caroline Kilroy Bradford '21

We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose. For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, in order that he might be the firstborn within a large family. And those whom he predestined he also called; and those whom he called he also justified; and those whom he justified he also glorified.

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What then are we to say about these things? If God is for us, who is against us? He who did not withhold his own Son, but gave him up for all of us, will he not with him also give us everything else? Who will bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? It is Christ Jesus, who died, yes, who was raised, who is at the right hand of God, who indeed intercedes for us. Who will separate us from the love of Christ? Will hardship, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? As it is written,
"For your sake we are being killed all day long;
we are accounted as sheep to be slaughtered."

No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Hymn "All people that on earth do dwell" *Old Hundredth*
arr. Ralph Vaughan Williams

All people that on earth do dwell,
Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice;
Him serve with fear, his praise forth tell,
Come ye before him, and rejoice.

The Lord, ye know, is God indeed,
Without our aid he did us make;
We are his folk, he doth us feed,
And for his sheep he doth us take.

O enter then his gates with praise,
Approach with joy his courts unto;
Praise, laud, and bless his name always,
For it is seemly so to do.

For why? The Lord our God is good:
His mercy is forever sure;
His truth at all times firmly stood,
And shall from age to age endure.

To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
The God whom heaven and earth adore,
From men and from the angel host,
Be praise and glory evermore. *Amen*

Introduction The Rev. Elizabeth H. Carmody

Baccalaureate Address. The Rev. Dr. Hyeon Gu Lee P’21

Lord’s Prayer. The Rev. Dr. Thomas C. Hummel

Officiant The Lord be with you.
People And also with you.
Officiant Let us pray.

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. *Amen.*

School Prayer. The Rev. Richmond A. Jones

Eternal and Almighty God, our Redeemer and Sustainer, we humbly beseech you to continue your blessings on this School, which has been founded for the educating of young people in useful knowledge, virtue, and spiritual growth. Bestow your favor upon those who work here, and endow them with patient zeal, persevering love, and energetic devotion to those placed under their care. Continue to fill this School with students who seek challenge courageously, and grant them the spirit of curiosity, joy, and familial compassion toward one another. Enlighten the minds of us all, and enable us to increase daily in wisdom, honor, respect, humility, and gratitude; let the blessed influence of your Holy Spirit continually comfort and direct us; and grant that this community may prove a lasting source of good throughout all generations, to your everlasting praise. *Amen.*

The Peace The Rev. Richmond A. Jones

Officiant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People And also with you.

Presentation of Awards Charles M. Stillwell
Nathaniel A. Ebel
Douglas J. Dickson

Closing Prayer for the Class of 2021 Christopher Ho Kim '21

Blessing and Dismissal The Rev. Elizabeth H. Carmody

Closing Hymn "On our way rejoicing" *Valour*
Led by choir members from the Class of 2021



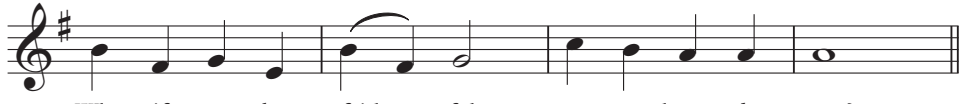
1. On our way re - joi - cing glad - ly let us go; _____
2. If with hon - est heart - ed love for God and man, _____
3. Un - to God the Fa - ther joy - ful songs we sing, _____



5 Con-quer'd hath our Lea - der, _____ van-quist'd is the foe.
Day by day thou find us _____ do - ing _____ what we can,
Un - to God the Sav - iour _____ thank - ful hearts we bring,



9 Christ with - out, our safe - ty; Christ with - in, our joy;
Thou who giv'st the seed - time wilt give large in - crease,
Un - to God the Spi - rit bow we and a - dore,



13 Who, if we be faith - ful, can our hope de - stroy?
Crown the head with bless - ings, fill the heart with peace.
17 On our way re - joi - cing now and ev - er - more.



On our way re - joi - cing as we home - ward move, _____



21 Hear - ken to our prai - ses, O thou God of love!

Postlude: Music for brass Various

Honors and Awards

BOYD TAYLOR CUMMINGS MEDAL

For Publications

This medal, presented to a student for distinguished work on school publications, is named in memory of Boyd Taylor Cummings, a student at Episcopal from 1938 to 1941 who was killed at Guadalcanal while serving with the 1st Marine Division during World War II.

THE SCHOOL AWARD

For Excellence in Music

This award recognizes a student for excellence in the study and performance of music.

EDWIN WILSON AWARDS

For Theater Arts: Acting and Dance

These awards, established by Edwin Wilson, Jr. '45, recognize outstanding achievement in the theater arts of acting and dance.

CHARLES C. PLUMMER AWARD

For Excellence in Choir

This award was established by the family of Charles C. Plummer, a student at Episcopal from 1914 to 1916, in memory of Mr. Plummer's love for the choir, both as a student at Episcopal High School and as a member of the Immanuel Church-on-the-Hill Choir.

DASH PIERCE AWARD

For Excellence in Chinese

This award was established in 2013 by the classmates, friends, and family of Dash Pierce '00 as a tribute to, and in memory of, his love of Chinese culture and language, a passion that began when he was a student at Episcopal. The award recognizes excellence in the study of Chinese.

WILLIAM WINDER LAIRD MEDAL

For Excellence in French

This award for excellence in French is given in memory of William Winder Laird, a student at Episcopal from 1893 to 1896 and a member of the Board of Trustees from 1926 to 1927. Through his generosity, Episcopal High School received Laird Acres, more than 40 acres adjacent to the School's property

SELBY BARNES PAPIN MEDAL

For Excellence in Spanish

This award for excellence in Spanish is given in memory of Selby Barnes Papin, a student at Episcopal from 1913 to 1918.

THE SCHOOL AWARD

For Excellence in Environmental Studies

This award recognizes excellence in environmental studies.

CHARLES FELLOWS PAGE AWARD

For Excellence in Poetry

This award is presented in memory of Charles Fellows Page to the student showing the truest interest or the most creative effort in poetry.

WILLIAM GARRETT BIBB MEDAL

For Excellence in Shakespeare

Presented to a student for distinction in the understanding and appreciation of the works of Shakespeare, this medal is named in memory of William Garrett Bibb, a student at Episcopal from 1879 to 1882 and a member of the Board of Trustees from 1925 to 1928.

MARTIN BALDWIN WHITAKER MEDAL

For Outstanding Senior Externship Defense

This award for outstanding senior externship defense is presented in memory of Martin Baldwin Whitaker, a student at Episcopal from 1964 to 1967.

WHITTLE, JOHNS, AND MEADE BOOK PRIZES

For Scholastic Achievement

A student is awarded one of the following for academic achievement in the current academic session.

The Whittle Prize recognizes academic excellence.

The Johns Prize recognizes eminent academic excellence.

The Meade Prize recognizes the highest level of academic excellence.

ROBERT WIATT FARRAR COMMITMENT TO ATHLETICS AWARD

This award is presented to graduating seniors who have been three-season athletes for the duration of their EHS careers. It is named in memory of Robert Wiatt Farrar '07, who earned nine varsity letters, was all-conference in football, and served as a captain of the boys' basketball and lacrosse teams. Wiatt led with a tremendous work ethic and competitive spirit, always embodying the highest ideals of sportsmanship.

2020 Cum Laude Inductees

CLASS OF 2021

John Crosby Barrett
Xinyue Chen
Gigi Leigh Friedman
Sofi Nana Yaa Igyan
Christopher Ho Kim
Linxiao Kong
Lawson Thomas Lavery
Rachel Lindsay Marsh
Arianna Alexis Otoo
Britney Sue Parkinson
Leslie Denise Reyes García
E. Claybyrne Prescot Sailor
Jungjae Justin Yi

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CLASS OF 2021

Elizabeth Minta Brice
Maria Harrison Claiborne
Benjamin Christian Condemi
Samantha Budd Funkhouser
Thomas Bailey Gibert
Sophie Rei Novitsky
Sieun Debby Lee
You Lu
Lucy Catherine Peacock
Brenton Lohr Smith, Jr.
John Woodfin Burress Walker

2020-21 Monitors

Lucy Wooten Bland
Caroline Kilroy Bradford
Elizabeth Minta Brice
Cynthia McClain Brooks, Senior Monitor
Andrew Bruce Caslow, Jr.
Xinyue Chen
Benjamin Christian Condemi
Lucy Macgill Dixon
Gigi Leigh Friedman
Thomas Bailey Gibert
Robina Knox Gregg
Sofi Nana Yaa Igyan, Senior Monitor
Christopher Ho Kim
Lawson Thomas Laverty, Senior Monitor
Sieun Debby Lee, Senior Monitor
You Lu
Sophie Rei Novitsky
Lucy Catherine Peacock
Edward Lamb Powers, Senior Monitor
Leslie Denise Reyes García, Senior Monitor
E. Claybyrne Prescot Sailor, Head Monitor
Sahibveer Singh
Charles Noell Starks
Xin Di Wang
Harrison Joseph Wise
Maximilian Erik Wriedt
Jungjae Justin Yi

2020-21 Honor Committee

Maria Harrison Claiborne, Chair
Benjamin Christian Condemi
Lucy Macgill Dixon
Thomas Bailey Gibert
Christopher Ho Kim
Lucy Catherine Peacock
Regan Simone Simmons
Harrison Joseph Wise

2020-21 Discipline Committee

Caroline Kilroy Bradford, Chair
Andrew Bruce Caslow, Jr.
Gigi Leigh Friedman
John Galvin Hines III
Skye Alexandra Jackson
Arianna Alexis Otoo
Sahibveer Singh
Jungjae Justin Yi

Participants

- Officiants** The Rev. Elizabeth H. Carmody
The Rev. Richmond A. Jones
The Rev. Dr. Thomas C. Hummel
- Invocation** The Rev. John H. Barrett P'18 '21
St. Edwards School, Vero Beach, Florida
- Preacher** The Rev. Dr. Hyeon Gu Lee P'21
Senior Pastor, Lexington Korean Presbyterian Church, Lexington, Kentucky
- Verger** Lucy Wooten Bland '21
- Crucifer** Stephen Witherow Nuckolls, Jr. '21
- Torch Bearers** Jungjae Justin Yi '21
Cynthia McClain Brooks '21
- Monitor Banner** E. Claybyrne Prescott Sailor '21
- Student Lectors** E. Claybyrne Prescott Sailor '21, *Head Monitor*
Maria Harrison Claiborne '21, *Chair of the Honor Committee*
Caroline Kilroy Bradford '21, *Chair of the Discipline Committee*
- Senior Prayer** Christopher Ho Kim '21, *Senior Warden of the Vestry*
- EHS Concert Choir** Brent E. Erstad, *Director of Choral Music*
Robert E. Stubbs, Jr., *Organist*
- Instrumentalists** Festival Brass