The Baccalaureate Service

Class of 2014

Wait Chapel
Eleven o’clock in the morning
Sunday, May the Eighteenth
Two Thousand and Fourteen
THE BACCALAUREATE SERVICE

CARILLON PRELUDE: Fantasia on a Theme of Wake Forest ........................................ Ryan Douglas Whittington ('14)
                                Raymond Ebert ('60), University Carillonneur
                                Ryan Douglas Whittington ('14), Student Carillonneur

ORGAN PRELUDE: Prelude and Fugue in G Major .......................................................... Felix Mendelssohn
                                Prelude, Fugue and Chaconne in C Major ......................................................... Dietrich Buxtehude
                                Donald L. Armitage, University Organist

PROCESSIONAL: Trumpet Tune in A Major ................................................................. David N. Johnson
                                Trumpet Tune in D Major ................................................................. David N. Johnson

WELCOME ......................................................................................................................... Nathan O. Hatch
                                President

INVOCATION .................................................................................................................... The Reverend K. Monet Rice-Jalloh
                                Associate University Chaplain

HYMN: “Joyful, Joyful We Adore You” .......................................................... HYMN TO JOY

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 Peter 4:10 ............................................................... Stephen A. Clark ('14)

LITANY: .............................................................................................................................. The Reverend Larry V. Jones
                                United Methodist Campus Minister
                                Candice C. Denton ('14)
                                Karen A. Sawyer ('13)
                                Jacqueline R. Sutherland ('14)

ANTHEMS: Love is Little ............................................ arr. Kevin Siegfried
                                The Old Church ....................................................... Stephen Paulus
                                Concert Choir
                                Brian Gorelick, conductor

INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER ................................................................................. President Hatch

SERMON: “Stewards of God’s Varied Grace” .................................................. Melissa Rogers
                                Special Assistant to the President and Executive Director of the
                                White House Office of Faith-Based and Neighborhood Partnerships

PRAYER FOR THE CLASS OF 2014 ............................................................................. The Reverend Timothy L. Auman
                                University Chaplain

HYMN: “Be Thou My Vision” .......................................................... SLANE

BENEDICTION .................................................................................................................. The Reverend Rebecca G. Hartzog
                                Associate University Chaplain

RECESSIONAL: Toccata (from Symphony V for Organ) ........................................ Charles-Marie Widor

CARILLON POSTLUDE: Be Thou My Vision ................................................................. Irish Melody
**JOYFUL, JOYFUL WE ADORE YOU**

1. Joyful, joyful, we adore you,
   God of glory, life and love;
2. All your works with joy surround you,
   Earth and heaven reflect your rays;
3. You are giving and forgiving,
   Ever blessing, ever blest,
4. Mortals join the mighty chorus
   Which the morning stars began;

hearts unfold like flowers before you,
opening to the sun above.

God’s own love is reigning o’er us,
joining people hand in hand.

Melt the clouds of sin and sadness,
drive the gloom of doubt away;

Ever singing, March we onward,
victors in the midst of strife;

Giver of immortal gladness,
fill us with the light of day.

Chanting bird and flowing fountain,
sound their praise eternally.

Joyful music leads us onward
in the triumph song of life.

**BE THOU MY VISION**

1. Be thou my vision, O joy of my heart; naught be all
   else to me save that thou art,
2. Be thou my wisdom, my calm in all strife; I ever
   with thee, and thou in my life;
3. Riches I heed not, nor vain empty praise; thou mine in -
   heav’n’s joys, O bright heaven’s sun!
4. Great God of heaven, after victory won, may I reach
   Heart of my own heart, what -

by her i tance, now and always, thou and thou only, the

day or by night, waking or sleeping thy presence my light.

Child may I be, thou in me dwelling, and I one with thee.

First in my heart, great God of heav’n, my treasure thou art.

Words: Henry van Dyke 1907, alt.
Music: Ludwig van Beethoven 1824; adapt. Edward Hodges 1864

Words: Irish ca. 8th century, trans. Mary Elizabeth Byrne 1905, vers. Eleanor H. Hull 1912, alt.
Music: Irish traditional melody
TODAY’S SPEAKER

Melissa Rogers serves as Special Assistant to the President and Executive Director of the White House Office of Faith-Based and Neighborhood Partnerships.

Rogers formerly served as Director of the Center for Religion and Public Affairs at Wake Forest University School of Divinity and as a nonresident Senior Fellow in the Governance Studies program of The Brookings Institution.

Prior to her time with Wake Forest University and Brookings, Rogers was the Executive Director of the Pew Forum on Religion and Public Life and General Counsel of the Baptist Joint Committee for Religious Liberty. In 2008, Baylor University Press published a casebook co-authored by Rogers, Religious Freedom and the Supreme Court.

In 2009, President Barack Obama appointed Rogers to serve as Chair of his inaugural Advisory Council on Faith-Based and Neighborhood Partnerships. In 2011, she was named to a subgroup of the State Department’s Religion and Foreign Policy Working Group. Rogers has testified before subcommittees of the U.S. Senate and House Judiciary Committees.

She earned her law degree from the University of Pennsylvania Law School and graduated Phi Beta Kappa from Baylor University.

MEMBERS OF THE CONCERT CHOIR

Brady Buchanan    John Gorelick    Emma Northcott    J.B. Robards
Olivia Campbell   Logan Healy-Tuke  Bryanna Norwood   Samantha Sells
Wade Collins      Troi Hicks        Betty Jo Ogburn  Heather Sullivan
Cole Crowson      Bradley Hicks     Chelsea Parish    Ryan Whittington
Nicolas Cusi      Ryan Howard       Connor Pendergrass  Yiming Xu
Meghan Fallon     Terra Johnson     Caroline Perkins  Grace Young
Jamie Floyd       Diann Low         Hope Peterson    
Riana Freedman    David Luzinski    Kelsey Rector