

COLLEGE OF THE HOLY CROSS

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Commencement



AT TEN IN THE MORNING

FRIDAY, THE TWENTY-SECOND OF MAY

TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY-SIX

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READING OF THE DEGREE

Latin Degree read by Elliott Visconsi '95, *Provost and Dean of the College*

Q.B.F.Q.S.

*Et Rei Publicae Literariae Bene
Vertat Collegii Sanctae Crucis S.Ʒ
Vigornii Praeses et Professores
Has Literas Inspecturis S.P.*

Illud apud politiores gentes veteri consuetudine invaluit, ut qui doctrinae laude praestent post studiorum emensum curriculum sollemni iudicio ad certos honoris evehantur gradus. Quod insigne decus studiisque fovendis adjumentum ne huic nostro Sanctae Crucis S.Ʒ Vigornii Collegio deesset, sapienti Rei Publicae Massachusettensis Concilio et auctoritate cautum est. Quare cum _____ studiis naviter peractis factoque periculo scientia insignem se nobis probaverit, et ei Artium Baccalaureatum atque adjecta jura omnia et privilegia decernimus attribuimusque, et rite adipiscentem hunc honorem gratulamur. Has insuper conferimus literas Collegii sigillo nostraque manu firmatas, quae pro meriti collatique honoris certam legentibus fidem faciant.

die vicesimo secundo Maii anno bis millesimo vicesimo sexto



As an augury of good fortune and prosperity,
and as a boon to the Republic of Letters!

To all who shall read this document, greetings from the President and Faculty of the College of the Holy Cross, of the Society of Jesus, in Worcester. It has been a time-honored custom among the more cultivated peoples to distinguish by recognized titles of honor those who have completed a prescribed course of study and exhibited to the satisfaction of qualified examiners marked excellence in learning. And provision has been made by the learned and authoritative General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts that the power of granting this distinction, as an aid to learning, should be vested in this our College of the Holy Cross, of the Society of Jesus, in Worcester.

Wherefore, since “ _____ ” having successfully completed this course of study and undergone the prescribed examinations, has proven to us distinction in learning, we confer and bestow the degree of Bachelor of Arts, with all the rights and privileges pertaining thereunto, and we offer congratulations on the meritorious achievement of this honor. Furthermore, we confer this diploma, signed by our own hands and authenticated by the Seal of the College, to certify to all readers that the receiver has merited this honor.

THE TWENTY-SECOND DAY OF MAY, 2026

THE FOUNDING OF HOLY CROSS



From the beginning of his tenure as the second Bishop of Boston, Benedict Joseph Fenwick longed to establish a Catholic college within the boundaries of his all-New England diocese. Catholics in great numbers, fleeing religious persecution and famine, and seeking economic opportunity, were pouring into the region. He recognized the need to educate them and to provide priests for his growing number of parishes as a major challenge of his episcopacy.

An alumnus of Georgetown College, Bishop Fenwick later served twice as president of his alma mater. As a Jesuit, his religious life had been marked with a certain academic mentality that prepared him well to undertake the establishment of a college. He was enterprising and courageous. And he knew that he could call upon the resources of his fellow Jesuits of the Maryland Province if and when he needed them to staff a school.

The location in Worcester was fortunate. Other sites had been considered, but here, in 1836, Rev. James Fitton purchased 52 acres of land and began an academy for boys. The academy prospered but Fr. Fitton's pastoral responsibilities in Worcester, Rhode Island, and Connecticut left him neither time nor energy to manage a boarding school, and he gladly conveyed the property and buildings to Bishop Fenwick for his college. The Bishop's letters record his enthusiasm for the project as well as its location.

"Next May I shall lay the foundation of a splendid College in Worcester. ...It is calculated to contain 100 boys and I shall take them for \$125 per an. & supply

them with everything but clothes. Will not this be a bold undertaking? Nevertheless I will try it. It will stand on a beautiful eminence & will command the view of the whole town of Worcester."

He gave the College the name of his cathedral church, the Cathedral of the Holy Cross. The cornerstone was put in place with great solemnity on June 21, 1843 and on the second day of November, with six students aged 9 to 19, the first classes were held. The College held its first Commencement in 1849.

Within three years, the enrollment had increased to 100 students. In spite of very limited finances, the College was beginning to grow until, in the summer of 1852, a catastrophic fire destroyed it. Were it not for the insistence of Bishop John B. Fitzpatrick, who had succeeded Bishop Fenwick, and the tireless labors of Father Anthony F. Ciampi, S.J., the fourth president, the Jesuits would have abandoned the project and returned to Georgetown. Funds were raised to rebuild the College, and in 1853, it opened for the second time.

Petitions to secure a Charter for the College from the General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts were denied in 1847 for a variety of causes, including anti-Catholicism on the part of some legislators. Nonetheless, the College conducted its business and awarded its diplomas, which were signed by the president of Georgetown. Finally, with the energetic support of Governor John A. Andrew, the Charter for College of the Holy Cross was officially granted on March 24, 1865.

THE COLLEGE SEAL



The College's seal identifies Holy Cross as an educational institution founded by Rev. Benedict J. Fenwick, S.J., second Bishop of Boston. The outer circle of the seal states in Latin "College of the Holy Cross, Society of Jesus, Worcester, Massachusetts."

The inner shield contains an open book, which is a symbol of learning, and a cross of gold symbolizing the Christian faith. The Latin motto on the book is associated with Constantine the Great. According to Eusebius of Caesarea (chapter 28, *Life of Constantine*, dated 339) God had sent the Emperor a vision of a cross of light in the heavens with an inscription "in hoc signo vinces" (in this sign you will conquer). Shortly thereafter, Constantine defeated his co-emperor Maxentius at the battle of the

Milvian Bridge in 312 to become sole emperor of Rome. In 313, he proclaimed the Edict of Milan, which allowed Christians freedom of worship. The breadth of the Emperor's tolerance was clear: "to no one whatsoever should we deny liberty to follow either the religion of the Christians or any cult of his own free choice."

The cross divides the lower part of the shield into quarters, which are alternately red and sable, the colors on the ancient shield of Worcester, England.

The upper part of the shield has in its center the emblem of the Society of Jesus, a blazing sun with the letters IHS, the first three letters of Jesus' name in Greek. On either side is a martlet, reminiscent of those on the ancestral crest of Bishop Fenwick.

ORDER OF EXERCISES



PRELUDE

First Suite in Eb, Chaconne, Intermezzo, March, Gustav Holst
Baba Yetu, Christopher Tin
Fields of Gold, Julie Giroux

ACADEMIC PROCESSION

Pomp and Circumstance, Op. 39, No. 1-4, Edward Elgar/Retford/ed. Alfred Reed

NATIONAL ANTHEM

Nathan Murray '26

INVOCATION

Marybeth Kearns-Barrett '84, *Director of College Chaplains*

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS

Vincent D. Rougeau, *President of the College*

HONORARY DEGREES ARE CONFERRED

Vincent D. Rougeau, *President of the College*

HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENTS

Timothy J. Garvin, Doctor of Public Service
Charles D. Baker, Doctor of Public Administration

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Charles D. Baker, Doctor of Public Administration

READING OF THE DEGREE

Elliott Visconsi '95, *Provost and Dean of the College*, Holy Cross Latin Degree

DEGREES IN COURSE ARE CONFERRED

Vincent D. Rougeau, *President of the College*

VALEDICTORY ADDRESS

Peter Panagiotis Kanellopoulos Stamoulis '26

BENEDICTION

Rev. Keith Maczkiewicz, S.J., *Associate Vice President for Mission and Ministry*

ALMA MATER

Senior Members of the College Choir

RECESSIONAL

Procession of the Nobles, Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov; *Amparito Roca*, Jaime Texidor
Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, J. P. Sousa; *Under the Double Eagle*, Josef Franz Wagner

MARSHAL-IN-CHIEF

Patricia M. Ring

ASSISTANT MARSHALS

Robert Bellin

Debra Gettelman

Francisco Gago-Jover

Tomohiko Narita

Sarah Petty

MARSHALS OF THE FACULTY

Alex Hindman, Political Science

Stephanie Yuhl, History

Peter Fritz, Religious Studies

Ronald Jarret, Chemistry

Gareth Roberts, Mathematics

Melissa Boyle, Economics

Alo Basu, Neuroscience

Christine Coch, English

Kendy Hess, Philosophy

Helen Freear-Papio, Spanish

THE COMMENCEMENT CEREMONIAL BAND

Douglas Weeks, *Conductor*

DEGREES IN COURSE



BACHELOR OF ARTS HONORS

Emily Arlene Addona, *Summa Cum Laude*
Kara Elizabeth Battaglia, *Summa Cum Laude*
Jacqueline Ann Bazazi, *Summa Cum Laude*
Caroline Mary Boardman, *Summa Cum Laude*
Leo Michael Quinam Bubb, *Cum Laude*
+ Abigail Sarah Clark, *Summa Cum Laude*
Harry George Courts, *Cum Laude*
Claudia Marie Ericson, *Magna Cum Laude*
Ana Lucía Fernández del Castillo, *Magna Cum Laude*
Evan John Garcia, *Summa Cum Laude*
Tyler Joseph Hall, *Summa Cum Laude*
Anna Elizabeth Howie, *Summa Cum Laude*
Jaden Arthur Kirkwood, *Magna Cum Laude*
Kayla Isabella Krupa, *Summa Cum Laude*
Eileen Ledesma, *Magna Cum Laude*

Isabel Maude Mallory, *Summa Cum Laude*
Audrey McConnell, *Summa Cum Laude*
Oluwadamilola Ayomide Oguntuyo
Tessa Catherine Patti, *Summa Cum Laude*
+ Katherine Karen Quinn, *Summa Cum Laude*
Samuel Louis Reed, *Summa Cum Laude*
William Beckan Schutte, *Magna Cum Laude*
Danielle Angela Renconada Soriano, *Summa Cum Laude*
Julianna Francesca Stratton, *Magna Cum Laude*
Isabel Grace Sullivan, *Summa Cum Laude*
Sophie Irene Stephanie Sundaram, *Fenwick Scholar,*
Summa Cum Laude
Stefanie Szawerda, *Summa Cum Laude*
Isabelle Heghine van der Spuy, *Magna Cum Laude*
John Kevin Zimmermann, *Magna Cum Laude*

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Francesco Accogli
Samantha Marie Adams
TJ Adams
Maria Jose Aguayo Granados
+ Erin Delaney Albers, *Magna Cum Laude*
Etelson Alcius **
Jenna Marie Alesandrelli
Kieran Alexandro, *Cum Laude*
Giovana Celeste Almendariz Rodriguez
Jade Alvarez, *Cum Laude*
Francis Edward Amuso, *Cum Laude*
Zachariah Scott Annand
Henry Saul Argueta
Mia Adalid Arias
Wyatt Kamran Asgarian, *Cum Laude*
Joshua Aidan Ashkenaze
Diego Avalos
Fattima Imran Aziz
+ Clarissa Anne Azurin, *Summa Cum Laude*
Blake Thomas Bacas
Mary Aisling Bacon-Blaber, *Cum Laude*
Estephania Seline Baez Gonzalez
Éowyn Rachel Bailey, *Fenwick Scholar, Summa Cum Laude*
Elizabeth Baka, *Cum Laude*
Sean Michael Baker Jr., *Summa Cum Laude*
Seneca Quaranta Baldi, *Summa Cum Laude*
Alexandre Ernst Balzora-Rivert, *Magna Cum Laude*
Mackenzi Lorin Banet, *Magna Cum Laude*
Connor Alexander Bankuti
Bailey Maria Baptista, *Magna Cum Laude*
Thomas Ernest Barbella
Helen Barrera, *Cum Laude*
Christopher James Tilton Barrett **
Wesley George Bartels **
Lillian Reed Bateman, *Cum Laude*
Allison Nicole Beard

Tristan John Beurpere
Julian Boyd Beban, *Magna Cum Laude*
Gianluca Bebbber, *Magna Cum Laude*
James Beerbower, *Magna Cum Laude*
Luke Michael Belanger, *Summa Cum Laude*
Erica Mary Belden, *Cum Laude*
Benjamin Anthony Berger, *Cum Laude*
Daniel McCullough Berlam
Emilia Alexandra Bertram, *Cum Laude*
Thomas Samuel Bestpitch Jr.
Julia Marie Biamonte, *Cum Laude*
Kevin Cooper Birenbaum, *Cum Laude*
Alessandro Bizzarri
William James Black III, *Cum Laude*
Kendall Elisabeth Blomquist
Griffin Alec Blood, *Fenwick Scholar, Summa Cum Laude*
Jordyn Cydney Bloom, *Cum Laude*
James Declan Blum
Lauren Blum, *Summa Cum Laude*
Michael Louis Bochman, *Cum Laude*
Michael Anthony Bonanno, *Magna Cum Laude*
Isabelle Kara Bonegio, *Summa Cum Laude*
Lily Jeannine Borowiec, *Cum Laude*
Ava Sophia Bottone
Frances Ann Bottorff, *Magna Cum Laude*
Samuel Ryan Boyer
Matthew Sears Bradley
Greyson Brady, *Cum Laude*
Matthew Brady, *Cum Laude*
Meredith Brady
William Craig Brady
Anna Michelle Brait
Nora Jane Brannegan
Allison Yin Bratlie, *Magna Cum Laude*
Madeline Brennan, *Magna Cum Laude*
Tess Eileen Breslin, *Cum Laude*

Michael John Brini
 Nora Elizabeth Brink, *Cum Laude*
 Jonas Newton Brock
 James Louis Brockmeyer
 Margaret Ann Broderick
 Benjamin David Brogioli, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Ella Simone Bromage
 Christian Andrew Muccini Brownsword
 Matthew Robert Brunelle
 Zachary John Bubonovich, *Cum Laude*
 Haly Jean Buchmann, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Rebecca Hooper Buckley, *Cum Laude*
 Jacob Alexander Budabin
 Emily Elizabeth Bulson, *Cum Laude*
 Ashley Robin Bunici, *Cum Laude*
 Kayden Rose Burke, *Cum Laude*
 Kate Riley Burns, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Matthew Mark Bushway Jr., *Summa Cum Laude*
 Emma Barbara Butler, *Cum Laude*
 Nicole Rose Byrnes
 Jack Anthony Cacioppo, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Jane Eleanor Caffrey, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Megan Cahalan, *Cum Laude*
 Lucille Ann Calcio, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Shaye Ellen Callanan, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Michael Thomas Callinan, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Luke Jackson Cambra, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Stephen Joseph Canavan
 Luke Candon
 Kristian Cania
 Taylor Lillian Cantelon
 Benjamin Michael Capocci, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Margaret Sofia Carr, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Alexa Grace Carroll, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Julia Elizabeth Carrozza, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Scott Lyndall Carter, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Kayla Clare Castellucci, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Emily Nailyn Castro
 Anna Grace Cerami, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Vanessa Cervantes**
 Tiffany Cespedes Tavarez, *Cum Laude*
 Phoebe Marie Chamian, *Cum Laude*
 Nicholas Roger Champeon, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Maxim Philip Freund Chartier
 Alexandra Chase
 Kyan Luca Chase
 Daniel Alexander Chavez, *Cum Laude*
 Corinne Cheong, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Meredith Katherine Christo
 Giavanna Susan Lucia Ciaravino
 Aidan James Clark, *Cum Laude*
 Andrew Jay Clarkin Jr., *Magna Cum Laude*
 Russell Cleary
 Lara Nicole Coby, *Cum Laude*
 Angel Gabriel Collazo Figueroa, *Magna Cum Laude*
 + Charlotte Genevieve Collins, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Caryn Leigh Xiu Comerford, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Grace Elizabeth Connelly, *Cum Laude*
 Michael Christopher Connelly
 Tatiana Leigh Coolbaugh, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Emma Simone Coonan, *Cum Laude*
 Kyra Madeline Corbisiero, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Nicholas Corporon
 Andres Felipe Correa
 Andrew Joseph Corso
 Charles Edward Cote
 + Max Michael Coté, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Jude Couch, *Cum Laude*
 Aquinnah Jeanne Counihan, *Cum Laude*
 Ethan James Courcelle
 John Gilbert Cox Jr. **
 Owen James Cox, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Juliana Sophia Craig
 Mackenzie Kyle Creagh
 Samantha Mulligan Crosby, *Cum Laude*
 Lia Oneil Crouch
 Caroline Marie Crowdell, *Cum Laude*
 John David Crowley, *Cum Laude*
 Joseph Giovanni Cucinotta
 Gerald Kelly Cutone, *Cum Laude*
 Olgeta Petraq Danga
 Carley Madelyn Mckenna Dangora, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Michael Thomas Dargan, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Caroline Isabel Davis
 Jack Gammel Davoren, *Cum Laude*
 Naomi Angelys De Haza, *Cum Laude*
 Sixtine Marie de Hennin de Boussu-Walcourt
 Starr De La Cruz
 Jose De Leon
 Matthew Joseph DeBoer
 Brennan Blake DeCourcey
 Amy Nicolle Del Cid Yoc, *Cum Laude*
 Lauren Anna DeLucia, *Cum Laude*
 John Timothy Denehy, *Cum Laude*
 Laurel Ann Standish Denneen, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Anne Margaret DePriest, *Cum Laude*
 Alexander Deutsch, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Deirdre Connor Devine
 Grace Elizabeth Di Leo
 Mateo John DiCicco, *Cum Laude*
 Maria Kathleen DiFilippo, *Cum Laude*
 Gabriella Yi Min Dineen, *Cum Laude*
 Patrick McGinty Dinn
 Joseph Ryan DiPietro, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Christina DiRuzza, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Julia Anne Divine, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Fiona Claire Doherty
 Grace Bella Doherty, *Cum Laude*
 Grace Marie Doherty
 Maeve Caroline Doherty, *Cum Laude*
 Erin Riley Donahue, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Dylan Patrick Donnelly
 Mary-Elizabeth Donnelly, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Ryan Thomas Donovan, *Cum Laude*
 Patrick Henry Doran
 Francesca Lynne D'Orio
 Alexandra Frances Dotson, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Casey Dougherty
 Simone Irene Doumbouya-Foreman
 John James Dowling
 Maura Margaret Downing, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Aidan Ryan Doyle, *Cum Laude*
 Sean O Doyle, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Siobhan Dwyer Draddy

Claire Crawford Driscoll, *Cum Laude*
Olivia Lucetta Dulac, *Cum Laude*
Jenna Elyse Dupell, *Cum Laude*
Abigail Lynn Durkin, *Magna Cum Laude*
Rhiannon Nicole Dymont, *Summa Cum Laude*
Tyler Martin Eagan
Christopher J Egrie
Noah Benjamin Eldridge **
Edwin Victor Espinosa Jr. *Cum Laude*
Grace Katherine Evans, *Summa Cum Laude*
Colin James Fahey
Charlotte Fallon, *Magna Cum Laude*
Amy Fang, *Magna Cum Laude*
Michael Peter Fargione, *Magna Cum Laude*
Charles Francis Farley, *Magna Cum Laude*
Eva Sofia Fava-Rodrigues, *Magna Cum Laude*
Adele Feldberg, *Cum Laude*
Siobhan Fennelly
Austin James Ferry-Calo, *Cum Laude*
Allyson Victoria Fetterman, *Magna Cum Laude*
Evelyn Jane Fey
Elena Jane Filipowicz, *Cum Laude*
Delia Marie Filippone, *Summa Cum Laude*
Diane Angeline Fils
Garrett Geoffrey Fitzgerald ¹
Jake Patrick Fitzgerald
Sean Patrick Fitzgerald
James Matthew Flaherty III
Kaitlyn Flanagan, *Magna Cum Laude*
Shiloh E Fleming
Isabella Sofia Flores
Gregory Garcia Flynn
Madeleine Elizabeth Foard, *Magna Cum Laude*
Maeve Elliott Foley, *Magna Cum Laude*
Teresa Fontes, *Magna Cum Laude*
Julia Antonina Maria Fonti, *Magna Cum Laude*
Samantha Kaylee Forde
William Patrick Foresta
Olivia Catherine Foster, *Cum Laude*
Thomas Matthew Foster
Emily Jean Fox, *Magna Cum Laude*
Anna Francis, *Cum Laude*
Benjamin Christopher Franzone, *Magna Cum Laude*
Dean Charles Freeley, *Summa Cum Laude*
Nicholas Dominic Freni, *Summa Cum Laude*
Cayla Victoria Friedman, *Cum Laude*
Mia Elizabeth Froio
Lydia Margaret Fullerton, *Magna Cum Laude*
Alex William Fumagalli
Manus Alexander Furman Jr.
Gabriel Emiliano Galvan Maldonado
Thomas Gangemi IV, *Magna Cum Laude*
Anna Margaret Ganguly, *Cum Laude*
Madeline Deborah Gannon, *Cum Laude*
Robert Gardner, *Cum Laude*
Ararat Meaza Gebreyesus
Lauren Hailey Gelbwachs, *Summa Cum Laude*
Katherine Charlotte Gelshenen, *Magna Cum Laude*
Lachlan Getz
Isabelle Lucia Giaquinto, *Cum Laude*
Callie Jean Gillan, *Cum Laude*
Kevin Gillis Jr. *

Isabella Juliet Gillon
Ashley Marie Giorgio, *Cum Laude*
Lily Catherine Glance
Isabelle Ann Glander
Ava Alexandra Crowley Gleason
Brian Patrick Glennon
Caroline Ann Gola
Desmond Thomas McDonagh Goto
Brooke Ann Goyette
Riley Grable, *Cum Laude*
Brock Gerard Graf
Ella Hanley Grainger, *Cum Laude*
Halley Michelle Gramer, *Magna Cum Laude*
Abigail Rose Granrath
Caroline Margaret Grasso, *Summa Cum Laude*
Kevin James Graziosi, *Summa Cum Laude*
Kevin Joseph Greed, *Cum Laude*
Duncan Greene, *Magna Cum Laude*
John Pdraig Greiner, *Cum Laude*
Mary Claire Griffin, *Summa Cum Laude*
John Carlson Grzebien
Kevin Joseph Guden
Brendan Gunn **
Molly Isabelle Hachey
Daniel Hackett
Noella Hadaegh
Thomas Joseph Haigh
Samantha Nicole Halligan ***
Madeline Catherine Hamm, *Summa Cum Laude*
Carly Hanifin, *Cum Laude*
William Harding, *Magna Cum Laude*
Lauren Grace Harkins, *Summa Cum Laude*
Devin J. Haskins ^
Lucia Zenobia Hathaway, *Magna Cum Laude*
Sara Cristina Rivera Hayes
Timothy David Heinke
Lucas McCallum Henderson
Imani Henriquez
Caroline Grace Hepp, *Magna Cum Laude*
Brandon Hernandez
Maxim Herr, *Cum Laude* ²
Jocelyn Ashley Herrera
Nicholas Hessick
Anika Phelps Heywood, *Summa Cum Laude*
Daniel Patrick Hickey, *Magna Cum Laude*
Ivori D Hidalgo Batista
Brady Matthew Higgins
Alexander Olmsted Hill
Sabine Karen Hinkaty, *Summa Cum Laude*
Emily Anne Hodulik, *Cum Laude*
Laura Jean Hofmann, *Summa Cum Laude*
+ Amelia Claire Hogan, *Summa Cum Laude*
Seamus Aidan Hogan, *Magna Cum Laude*
Louden James Hogg
Abigail Lin Holtman
Kate Josephine Hong
Abigail Rose Hornung, *Cum Laude*
Andrew Michael Houllahan, *Magna Cum Laude*
Helen Marie Howland, *Cum Laude*
Maxwell Gary Hubler, *Magna Cum Laude*
Keira Margaret Hughes, *Magna Cum Laude*
Lauren Elisabeth Hughes, *Magna Cum Laude*

Jeremiah Tiangco Hugo, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Claire Terese Hunter, *Magna Cum Laude*
 + Tessa Jane Hutton, *Cum Laude*
 Brendan Patrick Hyland, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Yuto Ichimura **
 Daniel Camilo Illanes
 Michael Chance Irlandez, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Christopher Matthew Irving
 Claudia Isabel Jaber, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Abigail Elizabeth Jacobs, *Cum Laude*
 Dhoksia Jani
 Michael Robert Jantz Jr., *Cum Laude*
 Lily Ann Marie Jaramillo, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Jake Jarmolowich ^
 Aidan Lawrence Jarvis, *Cum Laude*
 Jake Jaszcz
 Benjamin Jenkins, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Julian Isaiah Jenkins, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Anne Haley Jessen, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Zhiyan Jiang
 Andrew Johnson, *Cum Laude* ¹
 Liam Ellis Johnson, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Trevor Louis Johnson, *Cum Laude*
 Stephen Alexander Joseph *
 Cassidy Louise Joslin, *Cum Laude*
 Jack Kamke
 Joseph Toth Kane, *Cum Laude*
 Morgan Noel Kane
 John Mitchell Kasten
 Victoria Kaufer Casas
 Braeden William Keane
 Jeremiah Branigan Keefe, *Cum Laude*
 Peter Dennis Kehoe, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Jackie-Lynn Kelcourse
 Neala Grace Kelley, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Elaine Anna Kelly, *Cum Laude*
 Elizabeth Madsen Kelly
 Erin Katherine Kelly, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Tess Peyton Kelly, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Sean Paul Kennedy Jr. *Magna Cum Laude*
 Eamon Christopher Kenney, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Leigh Marie Kerbaugh, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Anna Elizabeth Kerns
 Tariq Ali Khalaf, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Jessica Kielur, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Patrick Shevlin Kiely **
 Viola Kim, *Cum Laude*
 Ashley Kirven, *Cum Laude*
 Gavin Michael Klein, *Cum Laude*
 Marjorie Melissa Knight, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Kathleen Ann Kobeski, *Cum Laude*
 John Paul Dexter Koehl, *Cum Laude*
 Iliia Kolesnikov, *Magna Cum Laude*
 + Aiden James Konold, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Joseph Robert Koslosky, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Aidan Christopher Kostas
 Claire Elisabeth Kraemer, *Magna Cum Laude*
 + Caroline Erin Kramer, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Demi Anastasia Kroumpouzou, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Max Kudinov, *Cum Laude*
 Celia Jane Kulis, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Mario George Kyprianides
 + Peter LaBorin, *Cum Laude*
 Siobhan Ruth Lacey, *Cum Laude*
 Abigail Elizabeth Lane, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Brendan Patrick Lane
 James Wilson Langkamp, *Cum Laude*
 Matthew David Lannon, *Cum Laude*
 Katherine Ann Laraia, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Aidan James Larkin, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Lars-Belvin Williams Larsson
 Christian Lasch
 Rowan Matthew Tennyson Laufik
 Samuel James Lavalley, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Jorji LaViolette, *Cum Laude*
 Kaylie Marie Lawlor
 Olivia Grace Lawry, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Ngoc Le
 Erin Catherine Ledwith, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Caden Lee
 + Mae Mulholland Legare, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Denise Leija
 Kate Taylor Leinson, *Cum Laude*
 Murphy Mae Lemon, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Nicole Leo
 Racheli Levy-Smith
 Caroline Mary Lewis
 Lane Elizabeth Lewis
 Conor Leyden, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Conor James Lillis
 Macy Ruth Linberg
 Patrick Lanway Ling
 Alexandra Carmela LoCoco, *Cum Laude*
 Kelly Griffin Lombardo, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Samuel Henry London, *Summa Cum Laude*
 John Robert Long, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Juan Roberto D. Lopez *
 Brooke Loranger
 William Wyatt Lorenzen, *Cum Laude*
 Jovani Lorenzo-Cruz
 MaryKate Loveless, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Megan Marie Lovett, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Grayce Mary Loycano, *Cum Laude*
 Angela Paulina Loza
 Peng Lu
 David Anthony Luigs
 Bryan Luna, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Sophia Rose Lupone, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Alexandra Paige Lusby
 Jessica Scott Lussier
 Dylan Gray Lynch
 Jack Abraham Lynch
 Ella Margaret Lynch-Bartek, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Liam Michael Lyons, *Cum Laude*
 Lillian Grace Lyons, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Megan Mary MacFarlane
 Gabriella Machairas, *Cum Laude*
 Anthony Matthew Magnani, *Cum Laude*
 Alanna Joy Mahar
 Kiely Jean Maher
 Michael Thomas Mahoney, *Cum Laude* ***
 Viona Kristo Male, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Ava Delia Malloy, *Cum Laude*
 Bryce Andrew Maloney, *Magna Cum Laude*

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 Atiya Woolman
 + Junyi Wu, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Jaden Michael Wywoda
 Jingxian Xu, *Cum Laude*
 Catherine Karam Yoshida, *Cum Laude*
 Blake Joseph Youngblood
 Qingxia Yu
 Atlas William Zack
 + Madeline Teresa Zafon-Whalen, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Zaven Alexander Zeitountzian, *Cum Laude*
 Junjia Zhang **
 + Enci Zheng, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Wenyi Zhu, *Cum Laude* ^
 Ashley Celeste Zilora, *Summa Cum Laude*
 George John Zioze

^ Degree conferred August 22, 2025

* Degree conferred January 9, 2026

** Degree requirements will be completed in either summer or fall 2026. Honors are subject to change upon degree completion.

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¹ Commissioned as Ensign(s) in the United States Navy

² Commissioned as Second Lieutenant in the United States Marine Corps

+ Departmental Honors

Please join us for a reception in the Convention Center Exhibit Hall immediately following the ceremony.

PRIZES



The Academy of American Poets Prize	Tessa Catherine Patti
The George J. Allen, Ph.D., '65 Psychology Award	Kyra Madeline Corbisiero
The American Institute of Chemists Foundation Award	Claire Renee Thibodeau
The Pedro Arrupe Medal and Prize	Elaine Anna Kelly
The Karen Gottschang Turner Asian Studies Award	Paige Elizabeth Thomson
The Elias Atamian Family Book Award	Sean Michael Baker Jr.
The Beethoven Prize	Nathan Murray
The Bourgeois French Prize	Anna Deborah Rowley
The Nellie M. Bransfield Award	Emma Barbara Butler
The Joseph C. Cahill Prize.....	Haley Lena Pottle
The Claudia N. Ross Chinese Studies Award.....	Caryn Leigh Xiu Comerford
The Frank D. Comerford Award.....	Ester Tiafack Mokonchu
The Philip A. Conniff, S.J., Latin Prize.....	Isabel Grace Sullivan
The Crompton Gold Medal.....	Mackenzi Lorin Banet
The John J. Crowley Memorial Prize	Lucia Zenobia Hathaway
The Patrick F. Crowley Memorial Award	Emily Arlene Addona
The John J. Cummings, Jr./BAI Award	Maria Kathleen DiFilippo
The Caren G. Dubnoff Political Science Award	Cullan Kimball McHugh
The Economics and Accounting Department Achievement Award	Julia Helen Saksena
The Justice and Equity in Education Award	Ellen C. McCarthy
The Father Flatley Medal.....	Griffin Alec Blood
The Rev. John W. Flavin, S.J., Award in Biology.....	Kara Elizabeth Battaglia
The Vin Forde Memorial Award	Evan John Garcia
The Thomas A. Fulham Environmental Studies Prize	Sienna Louise Moore
The Gender, Sexuality and Women's Studies Award	Eva Sofia Fava-Rodrigues
The Dr. Marianthi Georgoudi Memorial Award	Benjamin Upson Stone
The Edna Dwyer Grzebien Prize	Éowyn Rachel Bailey
The George H. Hampsch Award.....	Rhiannon Nicole Dymnt
The Rev. William F. Hartigan Medal	Evan John Garcia
The Rev. Robert F. Healey, S.J., Greek Prize	Iliia Kolesnikov
The Thomas P. Imse Alpha Kappa Delta Award.....	Elle Frances Milek
The Robert Edmond Jones Award.....	Adele Feldberg
The Monsignor Kavanagh Medal and Award	Julia Antonina Maria Fonti
The Edward V. Killeen, Jr., Prize	Ella Margaret Lynch-Bartek
The Oscar Romero Latin American, Latinx, and Caribbean Studies Award	Eileen Ledesma
The John C. Lawlor Medal	Benjamin Upson Stone
The William E. Leahy Award.....	Ashwin Prabakaran
The Leonard Award	Peter Panagiotis Kanellopoulos Stamoulis
The Heather C. Lochmuller '98 Award	Annabelle Eloise Rie
The Rev. John J. MacDonnell, S.J., Computer Science Award	Anthony Angelo Petrosino
The Markham Memorial Scholarship Award	Audrey McConnell
The Gertrude McBrien Mathematics Prize	<i>ex aequo:</i> Clarissa Anne Azurin Katherine Virginia Wolters
The Angelo Menegatto Prize in Italian Studies	Caroline Margaret Grasso
The Nugent Gold Medal	Jeremiah Tiangco Hugo
The John L. Philip Memorial American Sign Language Award	Ashley Hope Pothier
The Purple Prize	Lilly Pearl Patton
The Jairam Miguel Rodrigues Rao Prize	Gracie Ann Reisman
The John Paul Reardon Medal and Award.....	Maeve Elliott Foley
The Susan Rodgers Anthropology Award.....	<i>ex aequo:</i> Audrey McConnell Camiah Heaven Small
The Freeman M. Saltus Prize	Kayla Isabella Krupa
The George Bernard Shaw Award	Owen James Cox
The Excellence in Statistics Award.....	Amelia Claire Hogan
The Strain Gold Medal	Audrey McConnell
The Study Abroad Independent Project Prize	Éowyn Rachel Bailey
The Varsity Club Norton Prize	<i>ex aequo:</i> Abigail Rose Hornung John Robert Long
The Shirley Verrett French Prize in Memory of the Rev. Lionel P. Honoré, S.J.....	Teresa Fontes
The Edward F. Wall, Jr., Prize	Enci Zheng
The Washington Semester Research Prize (Fall 2024).....	Grace Katherine Evans
The Washington Semester Research Prize (Spring 2025)	Lauren Grace Harkins
The Carter G. Woodson Prize	Oluwadamilola Ayomide Oguntuyoy

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Rhiannon Nicole Dymant
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IN MEMORIAM

degree awarded posthumously



Julie Aven Kreymborg

HONORARY DEGREES



DOCTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE

Timothy J. Garvin

Exemplary leader and change-maker. Dedicated advocate and volunteer. Backbone of the community. Lifelong servant to the common good.

Tim Garvin, you have made an immeasurable impact on the lives of the people and communities you have served, especially within our greater Worcester community.

For more than two decades, your impassioned leadership as President and CEO of the United Way of Central Massachusetts has helped transform lives and strengthen communities across our region. Since 2006, you have led the century-old organization in its efforts to support the health, education, and financial stability of individuals and families across Worcester County.

Under your leadership, United Way has strengthened partnerships with nonprofits, businesses, and community leaders to address regional challenges and expand opportunity. Through initiatives focused on youth opportunity, early childhood development, financial empowerment and community resilience, you have helped position United Way as a convener and catalyst for collective impact throughout Central Massachusetts.

In 2020, you helped lead Worcester's efforts to respond to the global pandemic, leading and facilitating the Worcester Together Response Team, and partnering with community organizations to create the Worcester Together Fund. Under your leadership, United Way has supported key community efforts like: One City, One Library; POW! WOW! Worcester; Project New Hope; Hotel Grace; and Working for Worcester, a program founded by Holy Cross students, which owes much of its success to your enthusiastic mentorship over its 14-year history.

Your commitment to the social services sector has been a common thread through your entire career. You have served others as a youth development volunteer for the Peace Corps in Jamaica, led the YMCA of Greater Boston as vice president and executive director, held roles as a board member and treasurer for the Massachusetts Nonprofit Network, and volunteered with the American Diabetes Association for nearly 20 years. Your dedication to the communities you have worked with exemplifies a lifelong commitment to service, civic engagement, and global citizenship.

That all may know of our great esteem for you and our strong support for your exemplary career and unwavering devotion to the common good, the College of the Holy Cross confers upon you this day the degree, Doctor of Public Service, *honoris causa*.

HONORARY DEGREES



DOCTOR OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

Charles D. Baker

Transformative executive and public servant. Innovative problem solver. Esteemed leader with the keen ability to build bridges across difference.

Charlie Baker, your results-driven leadership – in state government, the private sector, and now at the NCAA amid complex legal and regulatory change – embodies a life of action and service.

Since 2023, you have served as the sixth president of the National Collegiate Athletic Association. Leading a member-led organization made up of athletic programs at more than 1,100 schools and over 500,000 student-athletes nationwide, you have focused on improving the student-athlete experience, increasing the efficiency of the national office, and advocating for the future of college sports. During a period of significant change for college athletics, you have led the NCAA in addressing issues common to student-athletes, a role you know well as a former collegiate athlete at Harvard University.

Before joining the NCAA, you served two terms as governor of Massachusetts. You worked across party lines to pass major legislation while guiding the Commonwealth from a billion-dollar budget deficit to a surplus. Your administration expanded broadband access, increased investments in education and infrastructure, improved access to behavioral health services, strengthened addiction and recovery programs, advanced clean energy initiatives, and enacted criminal justice and policing reforms. During eight years in office, you were consistently ranked among the most popular governors in the United States and one of the highest-rated elected representatives in the nation.

Your distinguished career has spanned business, nonprofit and government administration. You served as CEO of Harvard Pilgrim Health Care and guided the company from near bankruptcy to becoming one of America's top healthcare plans. You also held leadership roles in state government as Secretary of Administration and Finance and Secretary of Health and Human Services. Your track record of substantive, innovative, and widely supported solutions has made an impressive impact on the communities you have served.

That all may know of our great esteem for you and our strong support for your dedicated service to college athletics and to the state of Massachusetts, the College of the Holy Cross confers upon you this day the degree, Doctor of Public Administration, *honoris causa*.

THE COLOR PURPLE



There are two theories of how College of the Holy Cross chose purple as its official color. One suggests that it was derived from classical Roman tradition that clothed a triumphant general in a solid purple toga during his state celebration. Thus the Emperor Constantine was dignified by the “purple.” As a corollary, the imperial family had exclusive control of an Egyptian quarry that produced purple porphyry stone for portraits and funerary monuments.

The other story is attributed to Walter J. Connors, an 1887 graduate, and was printed in the October 1940 issue of the *Alumnus*. According to the account, there was a disagreement during the 1870s between Holy Cross students from Massachusetts and those from Connecticut concerning the colors of the school’s baseball uniforms. The students from Massachusetts purportedly favored the crimson of Harvard, while those from Connecticut favored the deep blue of Yale. Legend has it that a fellow student with a sense of diplomacy resolved the dispute in the chemistry lab, where he mixed copper sulphate (blue) with iron oxide (red) to produce the color of purple.

ALMA MATER



The Holy Cross alma mater was composed by Augustine P. Coniff, Class of 1902, and set to the tune of “Maryland, My Maryland,” best known today as the former state song of the state of Maryland. Many will also recognize this melody as the tune of the German Christmas song “O Tannenbaum.” Both “Maryland, My Maryland” and “O Tannenbaum” were derived independently from a 16th-century folk tune known as “Lauriger Horatius.” “Maryland, My Maryland” was retired as the state song of Maryland in 2021 due to its use by Confederate sympathizers during the Civil War as a battle hymn and its lyrics disparaging President Lincoln and the Union. Like other songs written at the time, “Maryland, My Maryland” was the product of a larger American culture of racism whose legacies persist today.

At the 2022 Academic Conference, a group of students in Professor Daniel DiCenso’s *Race, Identity, and Hip-Hop Studies* seminar presented the results of a research project they had undertaken to understand the history of blackface minstrelsy at Holy Cross and the relationship between the *Songs of Holy Cross* and the songs of the Confederacy or songs of southern origin celebrating the institution of slavery. Their findings have sparked an important conversation on campus that continues today.

THE COLLEGE MACE

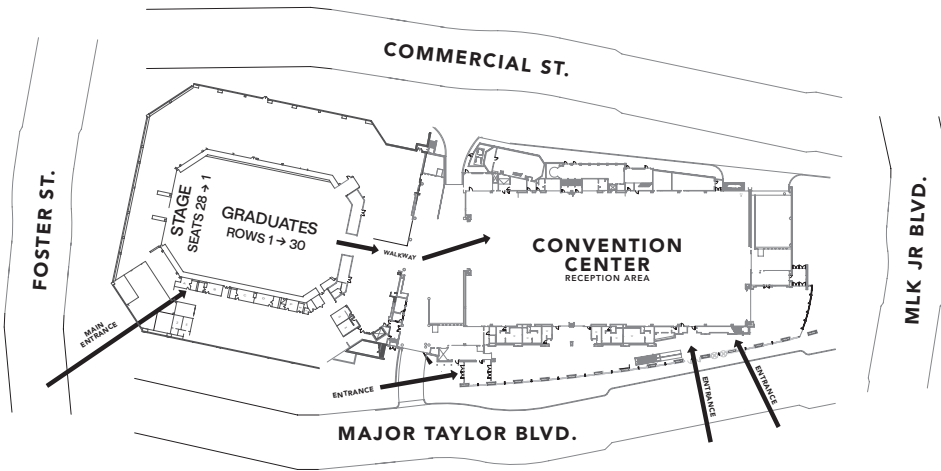


Originally used as a weapon of war, the mace was an emblem of physical strength in the Middle Ages. Its look changed with its purpose: Maces were once heavy clubs with spike-covered metal balls attached to the ends or swinging from short chains. By the 16th century, maces were decorated with jewels and precious metals and no longer used as weapons. Today, the mace is viewed as a symbol of intellectual authority and is often carried during ceremonial academic and ecclesiastical processions.

At Holy Cross, it is tradition for the College’s registrar to carry the mace while leading processions at the baccalaureate Mass, commencement, special academic convocations, and at inaugurations of the College’s presidents.

Holy Cross’ own intricately designed, hand-crafted silver mace was presented to the College in 1984 by blacksmith Kenneth Lynch Sr., the late owner of Connecticut-based ironwork firm Kenneth Lynch & Sons. It replaced a wood and metal mace that was a gift of the Class of 1940, now stored in the College’s Archives and Special Collections. In a 1984 edition of *Crossroads*, the precursor to Holy Cross Magazine, Lynch explained that he gifted the mace because two of his brothers were Jesuit priests, and he was a great admirer of Holy Cross. (Lynch also worked on the wrought iron fence along College Street).

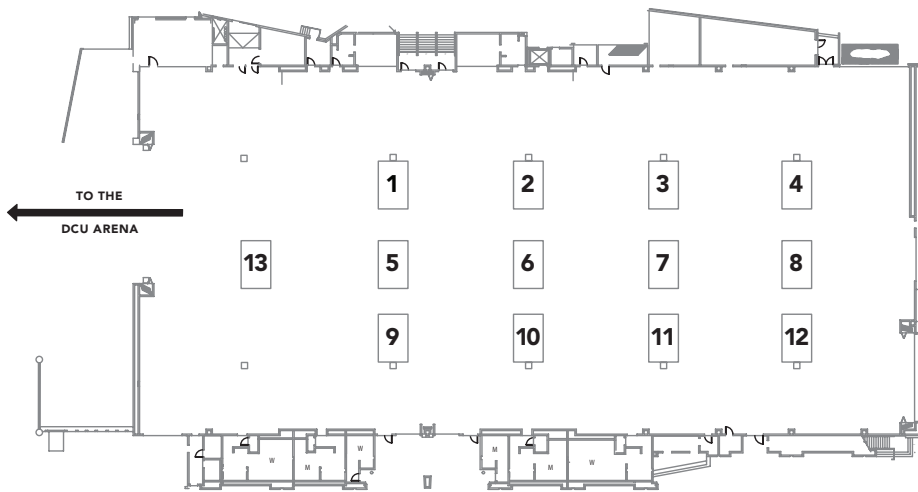
The gleaming result measures more than three feet in length with three layers of polished silver covering its bronze base. The names of the College presidents and their years of service are inscribed on the head of the mace, which features a cross-topped dome. The bottom of the mace bears the College’s seal.



Welcome to the 180th Commencement Exercises of the College of the Holy Cross. We're glad you're here to celebrate the achievements of the Class of 2026 with us!

The commencement ceremony will begin at 10 a.m. and will conclude at approximately 1 p.m. Please join us immediately after the ceremony for a reception in the adjoining Convention Center. This map notes the entrances to the Convention Center; you may either walk

along the outside of the building, or walk through the arena floor after the graduates and faculty have recessed. There are volunteer student ushers throughout the arena, who can help provide directions or additional information as needed.



CONVENTION CENTER RECEPTION AREA

BANNER LOCATIONS

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| 1. World Languages, Literatures and Cultures + Spanish | 7. Asian Studies + Critical Race and Ethnic Studies + Sociology and Anthropology |
| 2. English + Environmental Studies | 8. Mathematics, Computer Science and Statistics + Naval Science |
| 3. Education + Psychology + Neuroscience | 9. Music + Theatre and Dance + Visual Arts |
| 4. Economics and Accounting | 10. Classics + History |
| 5. Center for Interdisciplinary Studies + Philosophy + Religious Studies | 11. Biology |
| 6. Chemistry + Physics | 12. International Studies + Political Science |
| | 13. Class Dean |

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OH, HEAR THY VOICES ONE IN SONG
HOLY CROSS, O HOLY CROSS.
THY SPIRITS LOYAL, TRUE AND STRONG
HOLY CROSS, O HOLY CROSS.
THY PURPLE BANNER FLOATS ON HIGH,
WHILE SONGS OF PRAISE SWELL TO THE SKY,
THY HONORED NAME SHALL NEVER DIE,
HOLY CROSS, O HOLY CROSS.

Words: Augustine P. Conniff, Class of 1902
(Revised 19 Jan. 1976)

Tune: *Maryland, My Maryland*

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