



Wilkes University
Baccalaureate Service

4 P.M. • FRIDAY, MAY 18, 2018

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

PRELUDE

Tsukasa Waltich, *Piano*

USHERS

Kala Walker, *Sociology*
Dian McKinney, *English*

CALL TO SERVICE

Kristin Osipower, *Coordinator of Campus Interfaith*

INVOCATION

Rabbi Larry Kaplan, *Temple Israel*

WELCOME ADDRESS

Dr. Paul Adams, *Vice President, Student Affairs*

STUDENT RECOLLECTION

Zawadi Nshimirimana, *Communications Studies*

READING FROM THE OLD TESTAMENT – SIRACH 4:11-16

Rachel Hodgins, *Environmental Engineering*

STUDENT RECOLLECTION

Jennifer Baron, *English and Secondary Education*

READING FROM THE NEW TESTAMENT – MATTHEW 6:1-8, 16-21

Nancy Ramirez, *Criminology and Sociology*

STUDENT RECOLLECTION

Anthony Fanucci, *Pharmacy*

"THE LORD BLESS YOU AND KEEP YOU" – PETER C. LUTKIN

Wilkes University Commencement Chorus
Dr. Steven Thomas, *Director*

BACCALAUREATE ADDRESS

Reverend Dr. Robert Zanicky, *First Presbyterian Church*

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS

Dr. Patrick Leahy, *President, Wilkes University*

BENEDICTION

Rabbi Larry Kaplan, *Temple Israel*

CONCLUDING HYMN – "JOYFUL, JOYFUL, WE ADORE THEE"

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| <p>1 Joyful, joyful, we adore You,
God of glory, Lord of love;
Hearts unfold like flow'rs before You,
Op'ning to the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness;
Drive the dark of doubt away;
Giver of immortal gladness,
Fill us with the light of day!</p> | <p>3 Mortals, join the mighty chorus,
Which the morning stars began;
God's own love is reigning o'er us,
Joining people hand in hand.
Ever singing, march we onward,
Victors in the midst of strife;
Joyful music leads us sunward
In the triumph song of life.</p> |
| <p>2 All Your works with joy surround You,
Earth and heav'n reflect Your rays,
Stars and angels sing around You,
Center of unbroken praise;
Field and forest, vale and mountain,
Flow'ry meadow, flashing sea,
Chanting bird and flowing fountain
Praising You eternally!</p> | |



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