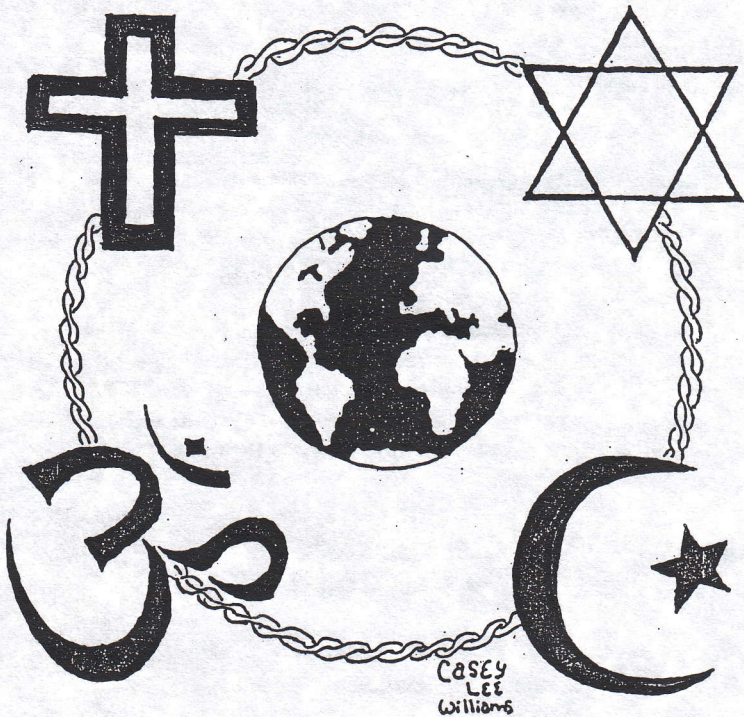


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Friday, May 17, 2002  
Dorothy Dickson Date Center  
Wilkes University

\*Call to Worship  
- Sound

*The Opening Verses of the Koran*  
Muslin Scriptures

*Kelly Bogansky*  
Seda Ibrahim '04  
Doctor of Pharmacy

\*Procession of Light  
*instrumental music*

~~*Kelly Bogansky*~~  
Amanda Carleton '02      Kim Kasierloski '02  
B.A. Psychology              B.S. Biology  
Melissa Tracey '02        Jessica Alferio '02  
B.S. Biology                  B.A. English

\*The Alma Mater

led by pianist, Alyse Srebro '02  
B.A. Music Ed.

*chorus*

Wilkes, our Alma Mater, We pledge our hearts to thee.  
Honor, Faith and courage, Truth and loyalty  
In our work and in our pleasure, Guide us as a friend;  
We shall always love thee, Loyal to the end.

Thou shalt lead us onward, In search of finer Things.  
May we find the wisdom, That thy spirit brings.  
May our deeds of love and service, Ever swell thy fame~  
Wilkes, we stand to greet thee!  
Glory to thy name  
words & music by Eleanor C. Farley

\*The Welcome

~~Paul Adams~~  
~~Dean, Student Affairs~~

\*The Opening Prayer

~~Mark Allen~~  
~~Associate Dean, Student Affairs~~

*Kevin Gaughenbaugh*



**\*Readings**

Joshua 1: 7-9 Hebrew Scripture

~~Resemary Cabanillas '02~~

~~B.A. Sociology~~

Katie Cammerota

Matthew 6: 25 - 34 Christian Scripture

~~John Langshaw '02~~

~~B.A. Communications~~

Kevin Sickle

**\*Response:**

~~John Langshaw '02~~

~~B.A. Earth Environmental Science~~

~~Janielle Logana~~ ~~Kathy Bogansky~~

K. G.

Leader:

I asked for strength, that I might achieve greatness

All:

I was made weak, that I might learn humbly to obey

Leader:

I asked for health, that I might do greater things

All:

I was given infirmity, that I might do better things

Leader:

I asked for riches, that I might be happy

All:

I was given poverty, that I might be wise

Leader:

I asked for power, that I might be the praise of all

All:

I was given weakness, that I might <sup>be</sup> the need for God

Leader:

I asked for all things, that I might enjoy life.

All:

I was given life, that I might enjoy all things

Leader:

I got nothing that I asked for-but everything I hoped for,  
almost despite myself, my unspoken prayers were answered.  
I am among everyone here who is richly blessed.

**\* Readings**

"Desiderata"

Sarah Becker '02

B.S. Biology

Janielle

"Leave Room for God"

Bethany Jenner '02

B.A. Communication

Logana



\*Baccalaureate Address

*Kevin Gaughenbaugh*  
~~Mrs. Mary H. Matunis~~  
Assistant Director of Office Youth &  
Young Adult Ministry

\*Reflection / Book of Gratitude

*- light background  
music*

*Kevin Gaughenbaugh*  
~~Deborah Brandt '02~~  
B.A. Political Science/Criminology

\*Closing Prayer

Dr. Anthony J. Kiessling  
Assistant Professor, Chemistry

\*Recessional

*Chorus*

*Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*  
led by pianist, Alyse Srebra

1. Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee, God of glory, Lord of love;  
Hearts unfold like flowers before Thee, Opening to the sun above.  
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness; Drive the gloom of doubt away;  
Giver of immortal gladness, Fill us with the light of day.
2. All Thy works with joy surround Thee, Earth and heaven reflect Thy  
rays Stars and angels sing around Thee. Center of unbroken praise. Field  
and forest, vale and mountain, flowery meadow, flashing sea, Chanting bird  
and flowing fountain, Call us to rejoice in Thee.
3. Mortals, join in happy chorus, which the morning stars began; Love divine  
is reigning o'er us, Joining all in heaven's plan. Ever singing, march we onward,  
Victors in the midst of strife, Joyful music leads us sunward, In the triumph  
song of life.