



*Celebration of Confirmation*  
2017-2018

# 8:45AM CONFIRMATION SERVICE

## SUNDAY, MAY 20, 2018

GATHERING MUSIC	From the Rising of the Sun	<i>Guitar</i> – Lexie Parrott <i>Vocalists</i> – Caroline Bostick, Gracie Carlton, Riley Gordon, Macie Griffith, Katie Johnson, Allie Malaska, Lilli Miller, Kathleen Nichols, Meredith Morningstar, Bentley Thompson	SCRIPTURE READING	Psalm 139:1-18	Claire Wallace
WELCOME		Rev. Roy Mitchell	MUSICAL PERFORMANCE	Pachelbel Canon/10,000 Reasons	Jake Spadavecchia, <i>piano/voice</i>
WORDS OF GREETING		Caleb Gardner	SCRIPTURE READING	1 Peter 2:9-10	Macie Griffith
CALL TO WORSHIP		Mallory Holmes	SPOKEN WORD	“Meaning of Confirmation”	Tyler Gossett Fritz Heigel
	Jesus says, “I am the Way for you.”		MUSICAL PERFORMANCE	Nothing but the Blood	Truman Bullock, <i>clarinet</i>
	<b>And so we come to follow Christ.</b>		THE GREAT THANKSGIVING		Rev. Roy Mitchell
	Jesus says, “I am the Truth for you.”		THE GIVING		
	<b>And so we come to dwell in the light.</b>			<i>Please come to the table when your Confirmand’s name is called.</i>	
	Jesus says, “I am the Life for you.”		PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION		Riley Gordon
	<b>And so we come, leaving behind all else to which we cling.</b>		LITANY OF DEDICATION		MaryWesley Few
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE		Anne Kathryn Barfield		Look at your hands; see the touch and tenderness,	
SONGS OF PRAISE	Whirling Leaves Appalachian Hymn	Meredith Morningstar, <i>piano</i> Kathleen Nichols, <i>violin</i>		<b>God’s own for the world.</b>	
SCRIPTURE READING	Matthew 22:36-39	Allie Sinclair		Look at your feet; see the path and direction,	
OFFERING PRAYER		Olivia Miller		<b>God’s own for the world.</b>	
OFFERTORY	How Great Thou Art	Gracie Carlton		Look at your heart; see the fire and love,	
SONG OF DEDICATION	Doxology			<b>God’s own for the world.</b>	
HOMILY	Our Confirmation Stoles	Katie Johnson Meredith Morningstar		Look at the cross; see God’s Son and our Savior,	
MUSICAL PERFORMANCE	Amazing Grace	Callie Gardner, <i>oboe</i>		<b>God’s own for the world.</b>	
			BENEDICTION		Callie Gardner

# THOSE SERVING TODAY

*Greeters:* Anne Kathryn Barfield, Kalan Batson, Caroline Bostick, Will Busby, Collin Crane, Reese Hensley, Trey Varn, Charlie Whitlock, Abby Knisley, Ellie McCart

*Crucifer & Acolytes:* Kate Brawley, Noah Starker, Benjamin Wilson

*Offering Ushers:* Charlie Creech, Ellie McCart, David Meier, Lilli Miller, Kate Redmond, Allie Sinclair, Jake Spadavecchia

*Musicians:* Truman Bullock, *clarinet*, Gracie Carlton, *voice*, Callie Gardner, *oboe*, Meredith Morningstar, *piano*, Kathleen Nichols, *violin*, Jake Spadavecchia, *piano/voice*, Lexie Parrott, *guitar*, Caroline Bostick, Gracie Carlton, Riley Gordon, Macie Griffith, Katie Johnson, Allie Malaska, Lilli Miller, Kathleen Nichols, Meredith Morningstar, Bentley Thompson, *vocalists*

*Words of Greeting:* Caleb Gardner

*Scripture Readers:* Macie Griffith, Allie Sinclair, Claire Wallace

*Prayers of the People:* Anne Kathryn Barfield

*Offering Prayer:* Olivia Miller

*Prayer after Communion:* Riley Gordon

*Call to Worship:* Mallory Holmes

*Litany of Dedication:* MaryWesley Few

*Benediction:* Callie Gardner

*Stole Speakers:* Katie Johnson, Meredith Morningstar

*Class Speakers:* Tyler Gossett, Fritz Heigel

**CONFIRMAND****MENTOR**

Anne Kathryn Barfield .....	Leisa Pope
Kalan Seawright Batson .....	Gloria Griffin
Caroline Elizabeth Bostick .....	Rosamund Korybski
Kathryn Perry Brawley .....	Macie Runge
Truman Vance Bullock, II .....	Dan Holcombe
William Anderson Busby .....	Greg McKee
Ella Grace Carlton .....	Nancy Meyers
Collin Alexander Crane .....	Rob Foy
Charles Robert Creech .....	Murray Shaw
MaryWesley Elizabeth Few .....	Erin Benfield
Caleb William Gardner .....	Jimmy Davis
Callie Willoveigh Gardner .....	Karen Bost
Riley Wells Gordon .....	Cher Hoskins
Tyler Daniel Gossett .....	Bill Pearson
Macie Steele Griffith .....	Cindy Parker
Thomas Frederick Heigel .....	Brad Ikenberry
Reese Jarrett Hensley .....	Brian Boore
Mallory Nicole Holmes .....	Lou Ellen Davis
Katie Jane Johnson .....	Aimee Aird-Powell
Abigail Elizabeth Knisley .....	Selena Tucker
Allyson Leigh Malaska .....	Laurie Smith
Elizabeth Ryan McCart .....	Iva Boerma
David Jacob Meier .....	Richard Boerma
Lillian Louise Miller .....	Cassie Shaw
Olivia Noel Miller .....	Janet Sandifer
Meredith Ruth Morningstar .....	Mary Mulligan
Kathleen Marie Nichols .....	Doris Blazer
Alexa Teegan Parrott .....	Carole Leigh Griffin
Katherine Gardner Redmond .....	Sarah Cleveland
Allie Elizabeth Sinclair .....	Tanya Pearson
Jacob Eric Spadavecchia .....	Ray Meyers
Noah James Starker .....	Jeff McDermott
Sara Bentley Thompson .....	Julia Turlington
Trey Varn .....	Bill Parker
Claire Elizabeth Wallace .....	Ashley Cheney
Charles Rufus Whitlock, III .....	Pete Cleveland
Benjamin Oliver Wilson .....	Bill Mulligan

# THANK YOU

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Georgie Simmons

*Delaney Carlisle, Youth Representative*

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It is both with the support of our families and friends as well as with your guidance, love, and wisdom that we find ourselves here today, ready to take the next step in our faith journey. We would ask that you pray for each of us as we continue to learn and grow in our faith and in our lives. Each of us will be forever grateful for the time that you have given us during classes, on retreats, and through your many words of encouragement and blessing.

We also thank those who helped make today's events so special: Rev. Dr. Robert Howell, Rev. Dr. Justin Gilreath, Rev. Roy Mitchell, Rev. Gayle Quay, our mentors, and all those in attendance.

*Confirmands, their families, and guests are invited to a reception in Drake Hall immediately following the 8:45 AM service.*



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