

Waterloo College
Baccalaureate Service



St. Matthews Lutheran Church
Kitchener, Ontario

REV. JOHN SCHMIEDER, D.D., Pastor

Sunday, May 21st, 1950

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A.M.

The Order of Service

The Processional Hymn

1. Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of Creation!
O my soul, praise Him, for He is thy health and salvation!
All ye who hear,
Now to His temple draw near;
Praise Him in glad adoration.
2. Praise to the Lord! Who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth,
Shelters thee under His wings, yea, so gently sustaineth;
Hast thou not seen,
How thy desires e'er have been
Granted in what He ordaineth?
3. Praise to the Lord! Who doth prosper thy work and defend thee;
Surely His goodness and mercy here daily attend thee,
Ponder anew
What the Almighty can do,
If with His love He befriend thee!
4. Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore Him!
All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before Him!
Let the Amen
Sound from His people again;
Gladly for aye we adore Him.

The Invocation

The Confession of Sins

O most merciful God, Who hast given Thine Only-begotten Son to die for us, have mercy upon us, and for His sake grant us remission of all our sins: and by Thy Holy Spirit increase in us true knowledge of Thee, and of Thy will, and true obedience to Thy Word, to the end that by Thy grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Declaration of Grace

The Introit

The Kyrie

Gloria in Excelsis

Glory be to God on high, and on earth peace, good will toward men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee for Thy great glory, O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the Only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.

For thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord; Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the Glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect

The Epistle — I PETER 4:7-11

Responsory—HOW EXCELLENT - - G. H. Federlein
St. Matthews Choir, Mrs. G. Malik, Alto Soloist

How excellent is Thy loving-kindness, O God! Therefore the children of men put their trust under the shadow of Thy wings. They shall be abundantly satisfied; for with Thee is the fountain of life; in Thy light shall we see light.

Hide Thy face from my sins and blot out all mine iniquities. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.

O continue Thy loving-kindness unto them that know Thee; and Thy righteousness to the upright in heart.

The Gospel—JOHN 15:26 — 16:4

The Creed

The Hymn

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| 1. My God! how wonderful Thou art,
Thy majesty how bright!
How beautiful Thy Mercy-seat
In depths of shining light! | 3. No earthly father loves like Thee,
No mother e'er so mild,
Bears and forbears as Thou hast done
With me, Thy sinful child. |
| 2. Yet, I may love Thee too, O Lord!
Almighty as Thou art;
For Thou hast stooped to ask of me
The love of my poor heart. | 4. My God; how wonderful Thou art,
Thou everlasting Friend!
On Thee I stay my trusting heart
Till faith in vision end. |

The Sermon — "LIGHTED TO LIGHTEN"

The Rev. Dr. N. J. Gould Wickey, Ph.D., D.D.

The Offertory

The Announcements and the Offering

The General Prayer, the Lord's Prayer, the Benediction

The Recessional Hymn

1. Lord of the lands, beneath Thy bending skies,
On field and flood, where'er our banner flies,
Thy people lift their hearts to Thee,
Their grateful voices raise:
May our Dominion ever be
A temple to Thy praise.
Thy will alone let all enthroned.
Lord of the lands, make Canada Thine own!
Lord of the lands, make Canada Thine own!
2. Lord of the worlds, with strong eternal hand,
Hold us in honor, truth and self-command;
The loyal heart, the constant mind,
The courage to be true,
Our wide extending Empire bind,
And all the earth renew.
Thy Name be known through ev'ry zone;
Lord of the worlds, make all the lands Thine own!
Lord of the worlds, make all the lands Thine own!



Graduating Class of 1950

David Barkman	Robert Hammer	Marion Schnarr
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