

Saving Grace Christian Academy

PROMOTION GRADUATION CEREMONY



June 13, 2025 | WOGWC Main Sanctuary

A black and white photograph of a graduation cap and a rolled diploma. The cap is in the foreground, and the diploma is partially unrolled, showing its white interior. The background is dark and out of focus.

PROGRAM

PROCESSIONAL

"Hold Up the Light"
Faculty & SGCA Scholars

ENTRANCE OF GRADUATE

"Pomp and Circumstance"
Ava Saxton - Kindergradten
Zi'Ahir Brown - 5th Grade
Zion Brown- 8th Grade
Lyric Darby-Wadlington - 12th Grade (Magnum Cum Laude)
Bowie State University

INVOCATION

Dr. Bennie Duncan (F.L.O.W. Ministries)

PLEDGES & SCRIPTURES

Led by Corey Parrott (6th Grade)
Jordan Thomas (11th Grade)
Zoey Bullock (10th Grade)
Sanaa Sanders (11th Grade)
Kaylin Jackson (10th Grade)
SGCA Scholars

BLACK NATIONAL ANTHEM

(PLEASE STAND)

"Lift Every Voice and Sing" led by Dr. Michelle Duncan

PRINCIPAL'S WELCOME

Dr. Whitney Curry

SCHOOL REPRESNTATIVE

"Bright As Bright"
Ava Saxton (Kindergarten)

Zi' Ahir Brown

MUSICAL SELECTION

"Stand by Me"
SGCA Scholars

SALUTATORIAN SPEECH

Zion Brown - 8th Grade

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MUSICAL SELECTION

"Count on Me"
SGCA Scholars

CLASS AWARDS

Lady Ida Jackson

VALEDICTORIAN SPEECH

Lyric Darby-Wadlington -12th Grade (Magna Cum Laude)
Attending Bowie State University

MUSICAL SELECTION

"Nothing's Gonna Stop Me"
SGCA Scholars

HONORS AWARDS

Dr. Whitney Curry

COMMENCEMENT SPEECH

Pastor Ayeisha Kirkland

AWARDING OF GRADUATES

Dr. Dominic Curry

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

CLOSING PRAYER

Pastor Bennie (Word of Grace Worship Center)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

PLEDGE TO THE CHRISTIAN FLAG

I pledge allegiance to the Christian Flag and to the Savior for whose Kingdom it stands. One Savior, crucified, risen, and coming again with life and liberty to all who believe.

PLEDGE TO THE BIBLE

I pledge allegiance to the Bible, God's Holy Word, I will make it a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path and will hide its words in my heart that I might not sin against God.

LIFT EVERY VOICE AND SING THE BLACK NATIONAL ANTHEM

Lift ev'ry voice and sing,
till earth and heaven ring,
ring with the harmonies of liberty.

Let our rejoicing rise
high as the list'ning skies,
let it resound loud as the rolling sea.

Sing a song full of the faith that the dark past has taught us.
Sing a song full of the hope that the present has brought us.

Facing the rising sun
of our new day begun,
let us march on till victory is won

Stony the road we trod,
bitter the chast'ning rod,
felt in the days when hope unborn had died;
yet with a steady beat,
have not our weary feet
come to the place for which our people sighed?
We have come over a way that with tears has been watered.
We have come, treading our path thro' the blood of the
slaughtered,
out from the gloomy past,
till now we stand at last
where the bright gleam of our bright star is cast.

God of our weary years,
God of our silent tears,
thou who hast brought us thus far on the way,
thou who hast by thy might
led us into the light,
keep us forever in the path, we pray.
Lest our feet stray from the places, our God, where
we met thee;
lest our hearts, drunk with the wine of the world, we
forget thee;
shadowed beneath thy hand,
may we forever stand,
true to our God, true to our native land.

Special Thanks

Supervisors

Dr. Whitney Curry

Lady Ida Jackson

Elective Supervisors

Ms. Bronte Stewart- American Sign Language

Lady Curry- French & Health

Deacon Alonzo Mathis – P E

Larnell Carr -Health & PE

Denise Lucas - Art

Elder Restine Jackson- Music

Pastor Steven Coates - Business & Finance

Sis. LeeBertha Loving- Student Aide

Administration

Sis. Denise Lucas - Secretary & Before /AfterCare

Jimmie McGill-Transportation

Dr. Dominic Curry - Administrator

Dr. Whitney Curry - Principal

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