

*Saving Grace Christian Academy*

# PROMOTION GRADUATION CEREMONY



*June 18, 2026 | WOGWC Main Sanctuary 6:30PM*

# PROGRAM

## PROCESSIONAL

"Hold Up the Light"  
Faculty & SGCA Scholars

## ENTRANCE OF GRADUATE

"Pomp and Circumstance"  
Sanaa Sanders - 12th Grade (Top of Class)  
Technical and Vocational Studies

## INVOCATION

Pastor Bennie Buggs

## PLEDGES & SCRIPTURES

Led by Dylan Butler (4<sup>th</sup> Grade)  
Madison Sanders (7<sup>th</sup> Grade)  
Jordan Thomas (12<sup>th</sup> Grade)

SGCA Scholars

## BLACK NATIONAL ANTHEM

(PLEASE STAND)

"Lift Every Voice and Sing" led by Sis. Denise Lucas

## PRINCIPAL'S WELCOME

Dr. Whitney Curry

## SCHOOL REPRESENTATIVE

"RTJ III Scholarship Recipient"  
Zi'Ahir Brown (6<sup>th</sup> Grade)

## MUSICAL SELECTION

"Hero"  
SGCA Scholars

## SCHOOL REPRESENTATIVE

"Edward Johnson Recipient"  
Zion Brown (9<sup>th</sup> Grade)

## MUSICAL SELECTION

"Count on Me"  
SGCA Scholars

A black and white photograph of a graduation cap and a rolled-up diploma. The cap is in the upper left, and the diploma is in the lower right. The background is a dark, textured surface.

## CLASS AWARDS

Lady Ida Jackson

## MUSICAL SELECTION

"Oceans"

SGCA Scholars

## VALEDICTORIAN SPEECH

Sanaa Sanders -12th Grade (Top of Class)  
Attending Technical and Vocational School

## MUSICAL SELECTION

"Silver and Gold"

SGCA Scholars

## HONORS AWARDS

Dr. Whitney Curry

## COMMENCEMENT SPEECH

Ms. Brooke Buggs

## AWARDING OF GRADUATES

Dr. Dominic Curry

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

## CLOSING PRAYER

Pastor Ayeisha Isidore (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

Sis. Denise Lucas

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Ms. Atlantis Wigfall- American Sign Language

Dr. Whitney Curry- French & Health

Deacon Alonzo Mathis – P E

Denise Lucas - Art

Dr. Whitney Curry- Music

Pastor Steven Coates - Business & Finance

Sis. LeeBertha Loving- Student Aide

Mr. Christian Curry - Student Aide

## Administration

Sis. Denise Lucas - Secretary & Before /AfterCare

Jimmie McGill-Transportation

Dr. Dominic Curry - Administrator

Dr. Whitney Curry - Principal

\*Thank you to all parents, family and friends for your continued support.