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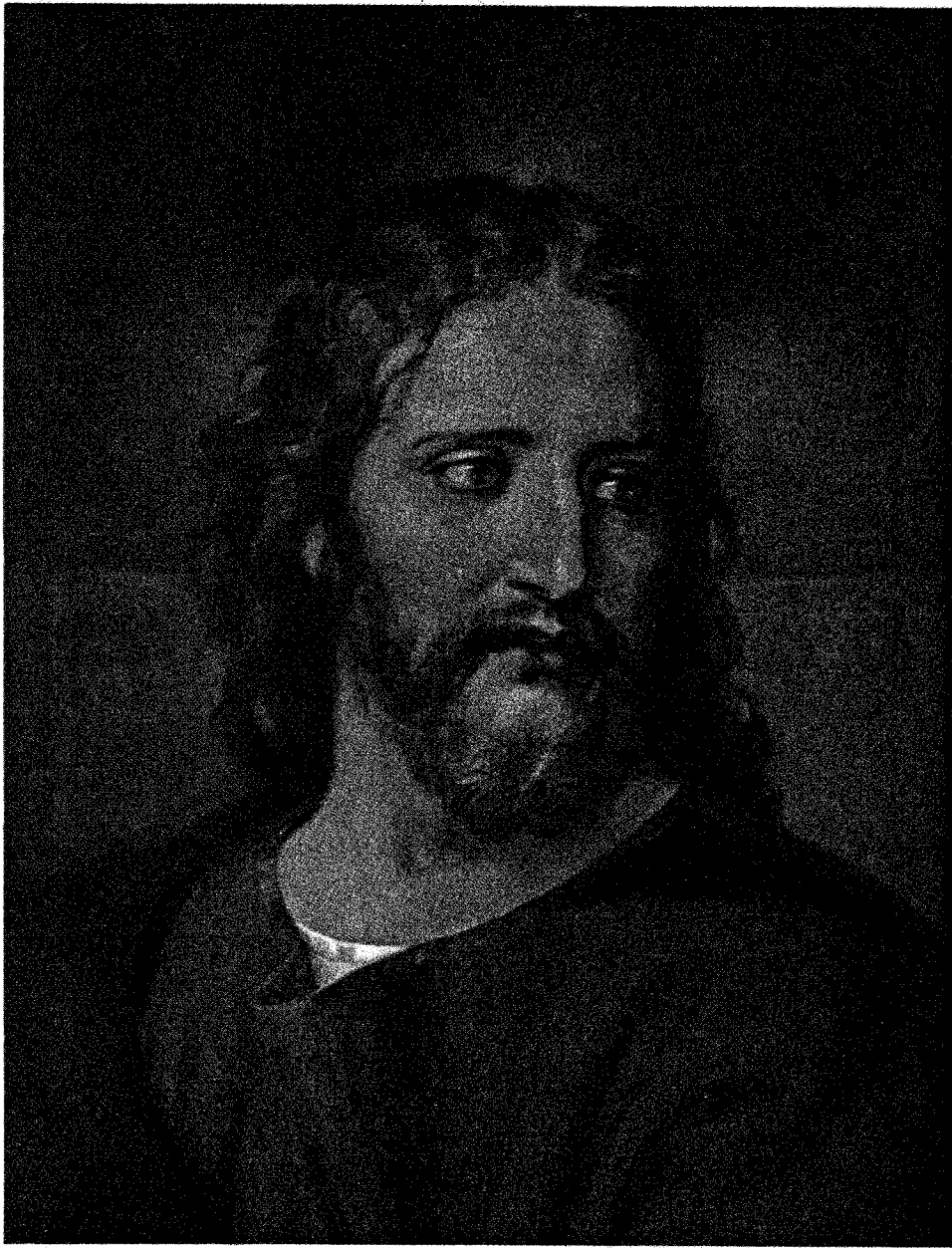
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THE GREAT
COMMISSION

*Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them
in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy
Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you;
and lo, I am with you always . . .*

MATTHEW 28:19-20

Northwestern Lutheran Theological Seminary
MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA

The Baccalaureate

SUNDAY EVENING

May the Eighth, Nineteen Hundred and Sixty
at Eight o'Clock

RICHFIELD LUTHERAN CHURCH

Nicollet Avenue at Sixtieth
Minneapolis, Minnesota

THE REVEREND HAROLD T. RASMUSSEN, D.D.



VESPERS

PRELUDE

THE PROCESSION of Faculty and Candidates

HYMN 127—*"Come, Gracious Spirit, Heavenly Dove"*

THE VERSICLE—Page 141

THE REVEREND H. T. RASMUSSEN

THE PSALM 93—Page 197

THE LESSON

ANTHEMS—*"Prayer"* (Text from the Russian Liturgy) . Richard Kountz
"Gnadig und Barmherzig"† . . . A. B. Grell-Jakob Christ
Northwestern Seminary Choir, Dr. C. B. Lund, Director
James E. Bennett, '60, Director

HYMN 304—*"Lord of the Living Harvest"*

THE SERMON—*"Winning God's Approval"*

THE REVEREND HAROLD N. STOFFEL

Pastor, Holy Trinity Church, La Crosse, Wisconsin

THE OFFERING*

THE CANTICLE, Magnificat—Page 144

THE PRAYER—Page 146

THE BENEDICTION

RECESSIONAL HYMN 441—*"Give to Our God Immortal Praise"*

POSTLUDE

† Merciful and gracious is the Lord, forbearing, patient and of great kindness. Help us, God. O save us, Lord; and for Thy Name's sake, forgive our grievous sin. Alleluia.

* The offering received at this service will go to Northwestern Seminary and will be used in meeting the ever-increasing demands in the preparation of well-trained pastors. Your generous gifts will be greatly appreciated.

The Commencement

FRIDAY EVENING

May the Thirteenth, Nineteen Hundred and Sixty
at Eight o'Clock

LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE REFORMATION

Laurel and Oxford
St. Paul, Minnesota

THE REV. ALFRED O. FRANK, D.D.



PRELUDE

THE PROCESSION of Faculty and Candidates

HYMN 197—*"Glorious Things of Thee are Spoken"*

INVOCATION AND PRAYER

THE REVEREND I. B. KINDEM
President, Board of Directors
Northwestern Lutheran Theological Seminary

PSALM 98—Page 188

THE GLORIA PATRI

THE LESSON

ANTHEM—*"Praise We Sing to Thee"* St. Anthony Chorale
Senior Choir, Reformation Church

THE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS—*"Evangelical Compulsion"*

THE REVEREND JAMES A. SCHERER
Dean, The School of Missions
Chicago Lutheran Theological Seminary

HYMN 216—*"Lift Up Your Heads"*

THE PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

THE REVEREND A. C. M. AHLÉN, PH.D.
Dean of the Seminary

AWARDING OF DIPLOMAS

THE REVEREND CLEMENS H. ZEIDLER, LITT.D.
President of the Seminary

ANTHEM—*"God's Son Has Made Me Free"* Grieg

PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN 380—*"Awake, My Soul"*

THE BENEDICTION

THE RECESSION of the Faculty and Graduates

POSTLUDE

The Seminary extends its sincere thanks to the congregations and pastors of Richfield Church and Reformation Church for making available their churches for the Seminary's graduation programs. We tender special thanks to the organists, Mrs. Mary Beth Martinson and Mrs. Helen Billing, and the choir of Reformation Church for their contributions to these occasions.

Class of 1960

BACHELOR OF DIVINITY

Charles D. Anderson
James E. Bennett
Douglas H. Buck
Warren H. Diskerud
Gerald C. Eisele
Benjamin F. Elger
Richard Q. Elvee
George H. Erickson
Maurice A. Felton
William R. Hamilton
John W. Hanson
Donald R. Johnson
Ronald J. Lavin
Merton H. Luebke
Kenneth H. Merck
Harold L. Murkve
Alvy C. Paul
John R. Roth
John W. Sell
R. John Singh
Donald Sondrol
Duain W. Vierow
Thomas M. Warme

GRADUATE IN THEOLOGY

Lawrence C. Dynneson



Relatives and friends may have an opportunity to congratulate the graduates in the Fellowship Hall. All present are invited to a reception there in honor of the graduating class at the close of the Commencement service. The reception is under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of the Seminary.