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Annual  
Commencement  
of  
Illinois Wesleyan University  
Bloomington, Illinois



MEMORIAL GYMNASIUM  
MONDAY, JUNE 11, 1951  
TEN O'CLOCK

# Program

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Memorial Gymnasium — 10:00 A.M.

(Academic Procession forms on Campus, 9:30 A.M.)

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Processional — “Pomp and Circumstance”

*Elgar*

(Audience will stand during Processional)

The Star Spangled Banner

Hymn —

Lord of all being, throned afar,  
Thy glory flames from sun and star;  
Center and soul of every sphere,  
Yet to each loving heart how near!

Sun of our life, Thy quickening ray,  
Sheds on our path the glow of day;  
Star of our hope, Thy softened light  
Cheers the long watches of the night.

Lord of all life, below, above,  
Whose light is truth, whose warmth is love,  
Before Thy everlasting throne,  
We ask no luster of our own.

Grant us Thy truth to make us free  
And kindling hearts that burn for Thee,  
Till all Thy living altars claim  
One holy light, one heavenly flame. Amen.

— *Oliver Wendell Holmes*

Invocation in Unison —

Accept the work of this year, O Lord, as we lay it at Thy feet. Thou knowest its imperfections, and we know. We bless Thee that Thou art no hard taskmaster, watching grimly the stint of work we bring, but the Father and Teacher of men who rejoices with us as we learn to work. We have naught to boast before Thee, but we do not fear Thy face. Thou knowest all Things and Thou art Love. Accept every right intention, however brokenly fulfilled, but grant that ere our life is done we may under Thy tuition become true master workmen, who know the art of a just and valiant life. Amen.

— *Walter Rauschenbusch*

Scripture Reading

THE REVEREND J. DEWEY MUIR

Prayer

THE REVEREND PRESTON E. HORST

Solo — "Lord God of Abraham" — Elijah

*Mendelssohn*

MR. LLOYD A. PFAUTSCH, Bass-Baritone  
*University Orchestra*  
Kenneth N. Cuthbert, Director

Presentation of Speaker —

PRESIDENT MERRILL J. HOLMES

Commencement Address — "Trumpeter, Sound!"

DR. CHARLES B. KETCHAM

Conferring of Degrees; Presentation of Diplomas

PRESIDENT MERRILL J. HOLMES

Announcement of Honors

Alma Wesleyana

From hearts aflame, our love we pledge to thee,  
Where'er we wander, over land or sea;  
Through time unending loyal we will be —  
True to our Alma Mater, Wesleyan.

When college days are fully past and gone,  
While life endures, from twilight dream till dawn,  
Grandly thy soul shall with us linger on —  
Star-Crowned, our Alma Mater, Wesleyan!

— *W. E. Schultz*

Benediction

THE REVEREND JOHN DYSTANT

Recessional — "Grand March" from Tannhauser

*Wagner*

(Audience will remain standing during Recessional)

MEMBERS OF THE CLASS OF 1950 WHOSE DEGREES WERE  
GRANTED FOLLOWING THE JUNE COMMENCEMENT

Summer Commencement 1950  
Graduates

*Bachelor of Arts*

Ruth Virginia Belyea, August 12, 1950  
Maurice M. Ferrero, August 12, 1950  
Nerayo Issayus, August 12, 1950

James C. Miller, July 22, 1950  
Russell Edward Olson, July 22, 1950  
William E. Quinton, July 22, 1950  
Jean Carol Williams, August 12, 1950

*Bachelor of Science*

William A. Bunton, July 22, 1950  
Marjorie June Fleming, August 12, 1950  
Mary Gek-Hua Ho, August 12, 1950  
Marjorie Ellen Lawrence, July 22, 1950

Robert Dean McFeeters, August 12, 1950  
Betty Matsuda Makiya, August 12, 1950  
Clifford N. Storm, August 12, 1950  
Mary Louise Willmeroth, August 12, 1950  
Alvin Zimmerman, August 12, 1950

*Bachelor of Philosophy*

John Stanley Ames, July 22, 1950  
Vernon P. Barling, July 22, 1950  
W. Alan Draper, August 12, 1950  
James Louis Elliott, July 22, 1950  
Norman Sigfried Erickson, August 12, 1950  
William Thomas Exton, July 22, 1950  
Herman Hudson Howard, August 12, 1950  
Robert G. Jones, August 12, 1950  
John Wesley Morrison, July 22, 1950

Robert Lee Nelson, August 12, 1950  
Theodore H. Rost, July 22, 1950  
Wallace Dale Scott, August 12, 1950  
William Francis Shepherd, August 12, 1950  
Fred Sipiora, July 22, 1950  
Perry Virgil Stewart, August 12, 1950  
Elwin E. Taft, Jr., August 12, 1950  
Wayne Townley, July 22, 1950  
Frank Rodney Wilson, August 12, 1950  
W. Carson Zander, August 12, 1950

*Bachelor of Music*

Mildred Gaston Barnett, July 22, 1950  
Elvin Eugene Beatty, July 22, 1950  
Eben Campbell, July 22, 1950  
Marilyn Stine Flavin, August 12, 1950  
Dorothy Hyndman, July 22, 1950

Lois Kleinsteinber Holmes, July 22, 1950  
Trennis Lile, August 12, 1950  
Phyllis Ravnaas, July 22, 1950  
Derwood J. Shiplett, July 22, 1950  
George James Stanley, August 12, 1950

*Bachelor of Fine Arts*

John B. Lueschen, August 12, 1950

*Master of Music*

Shirley Balk, July 22, 1950  
Ivan Kortkamp, July 22, 1950

William Arnold Lewis, July 22, 1950  
Myron Mikita, July 22, 1950

# Degrees Conferred 1951

## COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

### *Bachelor of Arts*

Mary Louise Agazzi  
Richard L. Albaugh  
George Kain Allison III  
Audrey Anne Bennett  
Albert Dean Berenz  
William J. Boys  
James Reed Burgess  
Sarah Jane Burt  
James Edward Clough  
Albert Glenn Copeland  
Marilyn Ruth Craig  
Stanley E. Cunningham  
Benjamin F. Day  
Charles Thomas Day

William Gerald Duvall  
Elmer Eades  
Joan Ruth Ericzon  
Fern Kathryn Fisher  
Susan Rae Gage  
Jeanne Metzger Gipson  
Joanne Graening  
Jeannine Elaine Hildebrandt  
Charles Roland Hill  
Dawn Willene Hite  
Robert Eugene Holmes  
Beverly Jean Hornsby  
Anetta J. Horst  
James Philip Howard

J. William Jones  
Maureen Jane Jones  
Renee Antoinette Kidd  
Antonie J. Konselman  
Fermin Luque, Jr.  
Marie Garrison Lush  
Garth Lynn McDermott  
Roger Wayne Miller  
Ruth Ann Palm  
Janis Lucille Phelps  
Eleanor Lorraine Pregl  
Wolford C. Price  
Carol Jo Reynolds

Dolores Jean Reynolds  
Arthur Merle Runyon  
William L. Schaub  
Charles Kirk Schulz  
Richard Lee Schwarzwaldner  
Joseph Jerome Solls  
Wilbur C. Stevens

S. Marvin Troxel  
Alice Varney  
Dolorous Ann Wahls  
Edgar Lee Webb  
Louise Marie Wichmann  
Germaine Sue Winegarner  
Rodney Zander

### In Absentia

Oliver W. Henry Richard Hiram Lehman

### To be conferred following summer school

Donald Herbert Shute James N. Taylor

### *Bachelor of Science*

William Richard Beadles  
Frank H. Calsmer  
Albert James Cartwright  
George Dahlgren, Jr.  
John Robert Eklund  
Joan Beatrice Fleming  
Leland Glen Hay  
Barbara Wolford Hensley

Thomas Royce Hensley  
Samuel George Kahn  
Shozo Kajiwara  
Frank L. Livingston  
Gwendolyn Houldridge  
McCorkle  
Samuel R. Maehara  
Margaret Lois Melzer  
Nelva Beth Moore

Martha Emeline Moushon  
Beverly Joyce Outram  
Dolores J. Olson  
Baldwin John Paredes  
Mabel Louise Pond  
Dyrle Larkin Quick  
Joan Lue Seymour  
Richard Adams Stoik  
Seifu Michael Zelleke

In Absentia  
William L. Davis Robert Melvin McGaffey

### To be conferred following summer school

Roland Goins Mary Margaret Muir  
Kenneth E. Johnson

### *Bachelor of Philosophy*

Gilbert I. Baechler  
William A. Benjamin  
Gordon D. Beutke  
James Joseph Blaha  
David Lawrence Brown III  
Kenneth Bruno  
George S. Connelly  
Albert Cronkrite  
Franklyn J. Davis  
Dale Dean  
Thomas H. Desnoyers  
Anthony L. DiGiovanni  
Nancy Dunbar  
Donald Leroy Eddy  
John Edward Ellis  
Bert Eugene Elwert

William Einar Friberg  
Richard Regis Gabos  
Davis Lewis Gaylor  
Wendell Lee Golden  
James A. Gough  
Robert Dale Haag  
Howard Eugene Hastings  
Jack M. Hawkins  
Frank M. Hines  
Ronald Deane Hinton  
Robert W. Hoffman  
Lloyd Edward Holt  
Phillip W. Hunt  
Kingston H. Isenhardt  
Robert Dean Johnson  
Donald James Joslyn  
Ralph Earl Keller

Robert A. Kiwi  
Ray J. Lankford  
Frederic Addison Lauher  
Robert M. Love  
Donald N. McCall  
David M. Maclay  
Donald James Martin  
Warren E. Miller  
Gilbert C. Mitchell  
Thomas W. Mohr  
John Edward Muir  
Paul S. Nakamura  
Helen Ann Nichols  
Curtis Preston Reining  
James Irvin Reynolds  
Tony A. Saliture  
Emery L. Schafer

Gerald R. Schroeder  
Donald Philip Scott  
Joseph David Sherrard  
Robert Lee Shute  
Donald Weldon Smith  
Vernon I. Strubhar  
Luman B. Sutton  
Ellen Swartz  
John K. Swinney

Robert Eugene Thiel  
Eleanor Winifred Tibbitts  
Kenneth Dale Titchenal  
Carl Frank Van Singel  
Richard Gale Wenderoth  
William Whiteside  
Charles Frederick Wiechert  
John L. Wroan, Jr.

### To be conferred following summer school

Carl Hagen Bergersen Verne L. Martin  
John Doran ~~Hastie Neynaber~~  
John Lane Rolland K. Prest  
John Hamilton McCracken Eugene Sears  
Henry V. L. Lee E. Charles Smith

## COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS

### *Bachelor of Music*

Alese Joan Buck  
Ray Davis Byham  
P. Glen Coler  
Barbara Jean Crawford  
Pauline Hurst Cronkrite  
Lucrezia D'Amelio  
Allen Douglas  
Kenneth Green

Bernadine Lenore Gustat  
Howard Eugene Hastings  
Arthur Ernest Holmes  
Vester Huffines, Jr.  
Richard Leland Jamison  
Clifford Herbert Johnson  
Orville Joseph Lefever

John Louis Leighty  
Peggy Joyce Letsinger  
Frances Jane McCall  
William N. Maschger  
Joseph C. Maurer  
Richard Wayne Melvin  
Myron L. Osterberg  
Marilyn Ruth Pfederer

James Thomas Poulos  
Arthur Fields Smith  
Franklin N. Smith  
Nora Eloise Stattner  
Jeanne Elaine Trotter  
Donald Lee Zimmerman

### To be conferred following summer school

Julian Eldridge Baggerly Mylla-Jeanne Kratina.  
Billie Lou Brummell Gloria Turnbull  
Eugene L. Grman Linda Wolferman

### *Bachelor of Fine Arts*

Charles M. Conklin  
Shirlee Laraine Haegele  
Barbara Jean Hall  
Donald Ray Heint

Haroldine Johnson  
~~Wendell Reed Kessler~~  
Helen Jean Lauterbach  
James Dean Makinson  
Mary Alice Esch Montgomery

Robert Masami Nishida  
Joan Marie Saylor  
Catherine Carson Sherrard  
Billie James Simpson

Eugene Edwin Tapp William Wray Wentz  
To be conferred following summer school  
Arthur Hall Smith

### *Master of Music*

John E. Kinnison

Frank A. Koukl

### To be conferred following summer school

Whayoung Shung Ahn  
~~Eda Mae Frances Bell~~  
James Bell  
William Book

Arthur Clifford  
Stanley Fisher  
~~William D. Foster~~  
Mary Goodyear

Ralph Hays  
~~William John Jackson~~  
Lawrence Kaney  
James Keith

Olin Ostendorf  
Lynn Pearson  
Carl Petkoff  
Harry Rosenbloom

Aurelia Seyfert  
Reeve Thompson  
Ruth Lee Titterton  
Tommie Wood

## BROKAW HOSPITAL

### *Graduate Nurse Diplomas*

Naomi Ruth Beeler  
Priscilla Joan Bobb

Barbara Anne Brown  
Lucy Rebecca Coffey

Patricia Ann Darcy  
Norma Marie Dodson

Jo Anne Freedlund  
Ruth Marie Hunter

Virginia Ruth Webb  
Phyllis Gayle Wichmann

## HONORARY DEGREES

### *Doctor of Laws*

T. Otto Nall  
Henry P. Rusk

### *Doctor of Literature*

Laura Jean Jarrett Brooks

### *Doctor of Divinity*

Donald Rosevear Crocker  
Harry Smith Crede