



109th Goshen College Commencement

April 29, 2007

Welcome!



Welcome to Goshen College. We are delighted that you have joined us this weekend to celebrate the lives and accomplishments of our 2007 graduating class. The 109th commencement ceremony of Goshen College signals both endings and beginnings in the lives of our graduates. We trust you will find the opportunity to share cherished experiences, to greet friends and faculty, and to hear dreams of exciting possibilities yet to come.

On behalf of the Goshen College faculty and staff, we extend our heartfelt congratulations to all students, parents and families for a journey well traveled. We are profoundly conscious of the hard work and strong dedication to college education that brought you to this important moment in your life and the life of the college. The door of welcome will always be open to each of you as we look forward to an ongoing relationship with past and future Goshen alumni and friends.

May God bless each student with grace and courage for the life that lies ahead. May all their dreams and service begin, continue and end in God's best intentions for them. May they always experience the abiding joy and deep meaning of a life sustained by those core values that also uphold and guide Goshen College: Christ-centeredness, passionate learning, global citizenship, compassionate peacemaking and servant leadership.

President James E. Brenneman

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jim Brenneman". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned below the printed name.

Schedule of commencement events

Saturday, April 28, 2007

- 9:30 a.m.-4 p.m. Senior Art Exhibit. Music Center, Hershberger Art Gallery
- 7-10 p.m.
- 11 a.m.- 3 p.m. Bookstore open
- 10 a.m.-noon Commencement rehearsal. . . . Union Gym and Roman Gingerich Recreation-Fitness Center

The following activities are planned for all who identify with a department through a major, minor or other special program. Graduates and their families are invited to join and meet faculty and fellow students.

- 1:30-4 p.m. Senior Nurses' Pinning Ceremony Church-Chapel
Reception to follow
- 2-3 p.m. Communication and Theater Yost Room, Umble Center
- 2-3 p.m. English and TESOL Newcomer Center, Room 14
- 2-3:30 p.m. Music Music Center Lobby
- 2-3:30 p.m. Accounting, Business, Economics and Information Systems Java Junction
- 2:30-3:30 p.m. Bible, Religion, Philosophy, Peace, Justice and Conflict Studies Wyse Hall, Room 319
- 2:30-3:30 p.m. History and Political Science. Wyse Hall, Room 318
- 2:30-4 p.m. Sociology, Social Work, Anthropology, Intercultural Studies, Women's Studies
Wyse Hall, Room 123
- 3-4 p.m. Art Music Center, Hershberger Art Gallery
- 3-4 p.m. Physical Education. Gingerich Recreation-Fitness Center, Rooms 104
- 3-4 p.m. Teacher Education Church-Chapel, Room 118
- 3-4:30 p.m. Modern and Classical Languages and Literatures College Cabin
- 3:30-4:30 p.m. Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Mathematics,
Environmental Science, Physics and Psychology Schrock Science Annex Lobby
- 4-5:30 p.m. International and multicultural students Kulp Hall, International Lounge
- 7:30 p.m. Senior Program (*see next page for more information*). Music Center
- 8:45-10:30 p.m. Reception with the President, honoring graduates and their families,
hosted by James E. and Terri J. Plank Brenneman. Music Center Lobby and Courtyard

Sunday, April 29, 2007

- 11 a.m. Baccalaureate Church-Chapel
- 3 p.m. Commencement Roman Gingerich Recreation-Fitness Center
- 4-6 p.m. Adult Programs reception Newcomer Center, Room 17

Goshen's Class of 2007: A Celebration

Saturday, April 28, 2007, 7:30 p.m.

Music Center, Sauder Concert Hall

Senior Program

Enjoy an array of performing arts talent from this year's graduating seniors, including vocal music, dance, poetry, instrumental music, drumming. Hosted by Anika Roth and Joel Miller. All are welcome!

Immediately Following the Program

President's Reception

Join James E. and Terri J. Plank Brenneman in the lobby immediately following the Senior Program. Refreshments will be served.

Senior Forum

Outstanding work, projects and research from a variety of disciplines on display in the lobby. Browse the exhibits and have a chance to interact with the graduating seniors.

Senior Art Exhibit

Visit the Hershberger Art Gallery, located off the lobby in the Music Center, where work by senior art majors is on display.

Baccalaureate

Sunday, April 29, 2007, 11 a.m.

Church-Chapel

Prelude

Amanda Entz, piano

Welcome & Invocation

Daenielle John

Worship in Song

Kyle Yoder

Hymnal: A Worship Book, No. 26, "Holy Spirit Come with Power"

Sing the Journey, No 13, "My Soul is Filled with Joy," with piano accompaniment

Scripture

Acts 2:1-4, 14-17

Paul Keim, Valerie Hershberger, Doug Schirch, Julie Armstrong

The Message:

A Collage of Voices: The Graduates Speak

The Class of 2007

A Word of Proclamation: An Elder Responds

"Wildfires of the Spirit: Becoming Prophets, Visionaries & Dreamers"

James E. Brenneman, President of Goshen College

Women's Choir

"We Are" Composed by Ysage M. Barnwell

Litany of Benediction

Carl 'Skip' Barnett, Barbara Abebe, Daenielle John, Peter Miller

Written by Alexandra Roth and Anna Yoder

Song of Response

Hymnal: A Worship Book, No 418, "Move in our Midst," with piano accompaniment

Postlude

Amanda Entz, piano

The lamp and the book



In 1904 "Culture for Service" was made the motto of Goshen College, after the term was used by then-president Noah E. Byers (1903-1913). At a traditional graduation week ceremony carried out at least by the early 1920s, the graduating senior class solemnly passed the actual book and lamp to the juniors. Found in the college seal, the book symbolizes the importance of the written word, especially holy Scripture. The lighted lamp represents the light of learning that, in a world of darkness, pushes back the darkness.

Goshen College is a place of light and of enlightenment. Signing the Goshen College book is a tradition that links generations of alumni in the spirit of "Culture for Service" and extends the light of learning to future students.

The 2007 Commencement Planning Committee consisted of seniors Rachel Derstine, Jesse Johnson, Maryan Mohamed, Brian Schlabach; faculty advisers Malinda Berry and Bobby Meyer-Lee; and Stan Miller, executive secretary.

109th Annual Commencement

Sunday, April 29, 2007, 3 p.m.

Roman Gingerich Recreation-Fitness Center

James E. Brenneman, President, presiding
Douglas Liechty Caskey, Processional Marshal, Chair of Faculty
American Sign Language translation provided by Tracey Stack, NIC, Goshen College Class of 2006

**Processional*

Goshen College Commencement Ensemble
John Gaulty, Associate Professor of Music

Invocation

Carl Horner, father of Nathan Horner, Class of 2007

Congregational Hymn

“Joyful, joyful, we adore thee” (see page 8)
Lee Dengler, Assistant Professor of Music

Commencement Address

“Feeding the Wolves” – Rev. Joy Carroll Wallis

Recognition of Retirees

Retirees presented by John D. Yordy, Provost
Duane R. Kauffmann, Professor of Psychology
Larry Yoder, Assistant to the Executive Director of Merry Lea Environmental Learning Center and Associate Professor of Biology

Conferring of Degrees

James E. Brenneman
Candidates presented by Anita K. Stalter, Academic Dean
Assisted by Stanley Miller, Registrar

Congregational Hymn

“God of grace and God of glory” (see page 9)

Benediction

Susan Mark Landis, mother of Laura Landis, Class of 2007

**Recessional*

Goshen College Commencement Ensemble

**Please remain seated for the processional so that everyone can see the graduates in procession.*

Please remain standing during the recessional.

Please turn off cell phones and pagers during the commencement ceremony.

A live video feed is available for viewing in the Recreation-Fitness Center lobby.

Joy Carroll Wallis



The Rev. Joy Carroll Wallis grew up in the inner city of South London, England, as the child of an Anglican priest. She was one of the first women to be ordained as a priest in the Anglican Church of England in 1994, following a hard fought struggle for equality. She was also the adviser to British writer Richard Curtis, as well as the inspiration and role model, for his hit situation comedy series “The Vicar of Dibley,” starring Dawn French.

Carroll Wallis has written a book about her life and work as a priest in the Church of England, “Beneath the Cassock: The Real Life Vicar of Dibley,” (2002, Harper Collins, UK), which was released as an American edition in 2004 by Crossroads Publishing and titled “The Woman Behind the Collar,” with a foreword from the Archbishop of Canterbury, Rowan Williams. As the youngest elected clergy member of the General Synod, Carroll Wallis was able to speak on behalf of women and others marginalized by church and society. Her 10-year ministry in inner-city London parishes embraced the needs of the poor, the homeless, the mentally ill, families and the elderly. She had earlier received a bachelor’s degree in education.

Carroll Wallis is a gifted preacher and communicator and regularly contributes to the church press, public radio and television. In 1997, she married Jim Wallis, editor-in-chief of *Sojourners* magazine, and moved to Washington, D.C. She is licensed as a priest in the Episcopal Church, and has two young sons, Luke and Jack.

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HYMN TO JOY 87, 87D

1 Joy - ful, joy - ful, we a - dore thee, God of glo - ry, Lord of love.
 2 All thy works with joy sur - round thee, earth and heav'n re - flect thy rays,
 3 Thou art giv - ing and for - giv - ing, ev - er bless - ing, ev - er bless'd,
 4 Mor - tals, join the might - y chor - us which the morn - ing stars be - gan.

Hearts un - fold like flow'rs be - fore thee, prais - ing thee their sun a - bove.
 stars and an - gels sing a - round thee, cen - ter of un - bro - ken praise.
 well - spring of the joy of liv - ing, o - cean - depth of hap - py rest!
 Love di - vine is reign - ing o'er us, lead - ing us with mer - cy's hand.

Melt the clouds of sin and sad - ness; drive the dark of doubt a - way.
 Field and for - est, vale and moun - tain, bloom - ing mead - ow, flash - ing sea,
 Thou our Fa - ther, Christ our broth - er, all who live in love are thine.
 Ev - er sing - ing, march we on - ward, vic - tors in the midst of strife.

Giv - er of im - mor - tal glad - ness, fill us with the light of day!
 chant - ing bird and flow - ing foun - tain, call us to re - joice in thee.
 Teach us how to love each oth - er, lift us to the joy di - vine.
 Joy - ful mu - sic lifts us sun - ward in the tri - umph song of life!

Text: Henry van Dyke, 1907; *Poems of Henry van Dyke*, 1911, all
 Music: Ludvig van Beethoven, 1803; adapted by Edward Hodges, *Trinity Collection of Church Music*, 1864

God of grace and God of glory 366

CWM RHONDDA 87, 87 extended

1 God of grace and God of glo - ry, on thy peo - ple
 2 Lo! the hosts of e - vil round us scorn thy Christ, as -
 3 Cure thy chil - dren's war - ring mad - ness; bend our pride to
 4 Save us from weak res - ig - na - tion to the e - vils

pour thy pow'r. Crown thine an - cient church's sto - ry, bring her
 sail his ways! From the fears that long have bound us, free our
 thy con - trol. Shame our wan - ton, self - ish glad - ness, rich in
 we de - plore. Let the search for thy sal - va - tion be our

bud to glo - rious flow'r. Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age,
 hearts to faith and praise. Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age,
 things and poor in soul. Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age,
 glo - ry ev - er - more. Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age,

for the fac - ing of this hour, for the fac - ing of this hour.
 for the liv - ing of these days, for the liv - ing of these days.
 lest we miss thy king - dom's goal, lest we miss thy king - dom's goal.
 serv - ing thee whom we a - dore, serv - ing thee whom we a - dore.

Text: Harry E. Fosdick, 1910, *Praise and Service*, 1932
 Music: John Hughes, 1905 or 1907, *The Voice of Thanksgiving*, No. 4, 1928

Goshen College Commencement Ensemble
John Grauly, Music Director

Flute

Kaleem Kheshgi

Oboe

Kim Glick

Clarinet

Mark Massey
Melanie Hershberger

Horn

Andrew Blount

Trumpet

Daniel Vader

Trombone

Scott Lehman

Tuba

Josh Tyson

Percussion

David Kempf

Violin

Leslee Smucker
Rachel Yoder

Viola

Elizabeth Buschert
Jeremy Good
Rosalyn Troiano

Cello

Peter Miller
Maria Byler
Tyler Yoder

Bass

Melissa MacGregor

The Class of 2007

The following list of degree candidates includes all members of the 2007 graduating class whether participating in the exercises or being graduated in absentia. Some December 2007 graduates have chosen to participate in these exercises. Inclusion in this publication may not be construed as documentation of completion of degree requirements. Certification of the conferral of a degree is by receipt of a diploma or official transcript noting degree completion.

Two degrees are conferred. Those with majors in Nursing, Organizational Management, Organizational Leadership or Management Information Systems receive the Bachelor of Science degree. All others receive the Bachelor of Arts degree.

Following each name is the field of study being completed by the student. Use of the diagonal (/) indicates that the two fields are a double major program with two equal areas of concentration. Areas in which a minor will be completed are indicated by *italics*.

Graduation Honors

Graduation honors are awarded to students who have earned a cumulative GPA of 3.6 or above with no grade lower than a "C" at Goshen College. Students in the traditional baccalaureate degree program must have completed a minimum of 48 graded hours at Goshen College. Students in the Adult Degree Completion Program must have completed at least 40 graded hours at Goshen College. Honors are reflective of grade point averages as of December 2006 and are subject to change with the addition of grades in later terms. The specific honor is indicated with an asterisk after the name.

* *Summa Cum Laude*: 3.90-4.00 GPA (with highest honor)

** *Magna Cum Laude*: 3.80-3.89 GPA (with great honor)

*** *Cum Laude*: 3.60-3.79 GPA (with honor)

Ashenafi Abebe
Music
Fresno, Calif.

Johnny Amazan
Biology
Port-au-Prince, Haiti

Elisa Sosa Amodei***
Nursing
South Bend, Ind.

Michael A. Amos
Biology, *Health*
Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Minerva Andriotis***
Organizational Leadership, *Women's Studies*
Goshen, Ind.

Cecilia Marie Baltazar
Nursing
Bristol, Ind.

Bethany L. Bauman*
Elementary Education/
Special Education
Goshen, Ind.

Jeffrey M. Bauman***
Business, *Accounting, Entrepreneurship*
Goshen, Ind.

Jennifer D. Bell
Nursing
Sturgis, Mich.

Lucas G. Bishop
Communication, *Theater*
Conifer, Colo.

- Eric B. Bixler**
Communication
Indianapolis, Ind.
- Shannon M. Black*****
Nursing
Granger, Ind.
- Megan Elizabeth Godshalk Blank**
Communication, *History*
Souderton, Pa.
- Dagan Y. Bontrager*****
History/Communication
Lancaster, Pa.
- Alexander R. Bouwman**
Mathematics, *Psychology*,
Secondary Education
Woodridge, Ill.
- Kristine A. Bowman****
English, *Bible and Religion*
Millersburg, Ind.
- Nicole Kirstin Boyd**
Art
Goshen, Ind.
- Kelli J. Breden*****
Nursing
Osceola, Ind.
- Tanya Nicole Brenneman**
Nursing
Goshen, Ind.
- Melanie Joy Brown****
Art, *Secondary Education*
Edmonton, Alberta, Canada
- Jennifer Reber Buchholz**
Nursing
Goshen, Ind.
- Michael D. Buckwalter*****
Biology
Goshen, Ind.
- Molly Elizabeth Buckwalter****
Music, *English*
Harrisonburg, Va.
- Sarah Lynn Buskirk*****
Music, *Secondary Education*
Grove City, Ohio
- Grace Elaine Carpenter**
Organizational Leadership
Millersburg, Ind.
- Jamie Marie Carr**
Nursing
Sturgis, Mich.
- Kassidy Lavon Cheek**
Nursing
Franklin, Ind.
- Daniel W. Clouse**
Interdisciplinary (Theater,
Psychology, Spanish)
Goshen, Ind.
- Nathan D. Colclasure**
Computer Science and
Applied Mathematics
Decatur, Ind.
- Matthew S. Crawford**
Physical Education,
Secondary Education
Middlebury, Ind.
- Lana K. Creamer*****
Nursing
Warsaw, Ind.
- Esi Ewudziwa Cudjoe**
Nursing
Madina-Accra, Ghana
- Jessica N. David***
Music, *Church Music*,
Secondary Education
Archbold, Ohio
- Marsha L. Decker****
Nursing
Leonidas, Mich.
- Rachel E. Derstine**
Sociology/Anthropology, *History*
Blooming Glen, Pa.
- Nathan Joseph Detweiler***
Social Work
Washington, Iowa
- Jo Ellen Dick****
Organizational Leadership
Goshen, Ind.
- Daniel Josiah Ditzler**
Chemistry/History
Bellevue, Iowa
- Jennifer A. Donihue**
Organizational Leadership
New Paris, Ind.
- Geraldine Elizabeth Dull*****
Nursing
Goshen, Ind.
- Hannah Mary Eash***
Peace, Justice &
Conflict Studies/Spanish
Bristol, Ind.
- Amanda M. Entz***
Music, *Piano Pedagogy*,
Secondary Education
Newton, Kan.
- Andrew Blair Esch**
History, *International Studies*
Bellefontaine, Ohio
- Amanda J. Esh*****
Elementary Education/
Special Education, *TESOL*
Philadelphia, Pa.
- Josh M. Ewert**
Environmental Studies
Marcellus, Mich.
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Spanish/Bible and Religion
Bridgewater, Va.
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Elementary Education, *Music*
Goshen, Ind.
- Solomon R. Fenton-Miller**
Music
Marcellus, Mich.
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Peace, Justice & Conflict Studies
Phoenix, Ariz.
- Willie G. Frazier**
Business
East Chicago, Ind.
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Bible and Religion
Henderson, Neb.
- Andrew H. Froese***
Accounting, *Business*
La Junta, Colo.
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Business, *Entrepreneurship*
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- Gan Khai Teng**
Business, *International Studies*
Tangkak, Johor, Malaysia
- Nate C. Gautsche**
Business
Goshen, Ind.
- Rosemary Gest***
Nursing
Centreville, Mich.
- Brooks Fabian Gingerich**
Music, *Secondary Education*
Aurora, Ore.
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Business,
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Kokomo, Ind.
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Art
Smithville, Ohio
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Aurora, Ore.
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Interdisciplinary (Psychology,
Sociology, Education)
Goshen, Ind.
- David Isaac Glick***
Physics
Goshen, Ind.
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Middleton, Wis.
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Secondary Education
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Social Work
Flanagan, Ill.
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Telford, Pa.
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Environmental Studies
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West Liberty, Ohio

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The academic procession

The history of academic dress reaches back into the earliest days of the oldest universities. The costumes and colors, trimmings and patterns you will see are all traditional and interpret both the degree and field of learning. The bachelor's gown has pointed sleeves; the master's gown has an oblong sleeve. The doctor's gown has bell-shaped sleeves decorated with chevrons of velvet.

The colors you will see in the hoods and gowns of GC faculty represent the various fields in which the degrees were taken: apricot – nursing; brown – fine arts; citron – social work; crimson – journalism; dark blue – philosophy; yellow – science; green – medicine; lemon yellow – library science; blue – education; pink – music; purple – law; sage green – physical education; salmon pink – public health; scarlet – theology; yellowish-brown – business; white – arts and humanities; and orange – engineering.

The hoods, differing in length for the three degrees, are lined with the official colors of the university or college conferring the degree. Hoods are edged and bound with velvet of the color appropriate for the degree.

A note about photography:

Arrangements have been made for a professional photographer to take a picture of each graduate as he or she receives a diploma. Color proofs of these photos will be mailed one week after graduation. Details have been given to the graduates. This will ensure that all families will have a picture of their graduate receiving a diploma.

Goshen College

History: Founded in 1894. A private, four-year, Christian college rooted in Mennonite Church USA and committed to Christ-centered passionate learning, global citizenship, compassionate peacemaking and servant leadership.

Location: Goshen, Indiana (pop. 30,000); 120 miles east of Chicago

Enrollment: Approximately 1,000 students from 30 states and 29 countries

Campus: 135 acres with 19 major buildings, with nearby Merry Lea Environmental Learning Center and a marine biology facility in the Florida Keys

Student-faculty interaction: 13:1 student-faculty ratio

Retention rate (fall 2006 to spring 2007): 96.6 percent

International education: Goshen's Study-Service Term (SST) is among the nation's most innovative study abroad programs. With eight host countries, 79 percent of the graduating class of 2006 studied abroad.

Campus life: Many student clubs and co-curricular opportunities

Campus ministries: Weekly chapels and worship services, Bible study and small groups, worship team, voluntary service and spiritual direction

Athletics: 14 intercollegiate sports in a competitive NAIA conference

Financial aid: 99 percent of full-time students receive financial assistance; average package of scholarships, grants and loans is more than \$17,555. Recognized as a "least debt" college by *U.S. News & World Report's* "America's Best Colleges."

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