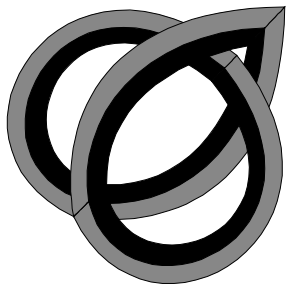


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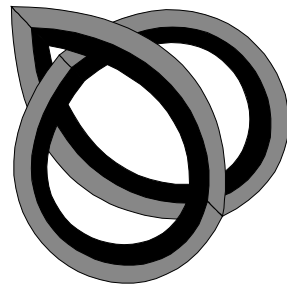
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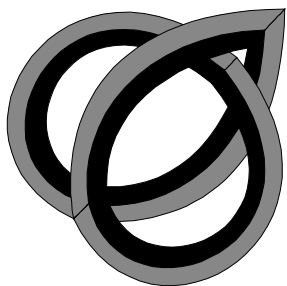


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The 84th Year in Salisbury
The 158th Year Since Founding



OPENING CONVOCATION

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* THE OPENING VOLUNTARY, IN PROCESSION

Trumpet Voluntary in D Major

Trumpet Tune in D Major

David N. Johnson

Henry Purcell

Paul E. Oakley, *Director of Choral, Vocal & Sacred Music Studies*
Associate Professor of Music and College Organist

* THE INVOCATION

Dr. Kenneth W. Clapp '70, *Chaplain and Senior Vice President*

* THE CONVENING OF THE COLLEGE

Dr. W. Craig Turner, *President*

* THE OPENING HYMN

Immortal, invisible, God only wise

St. Denio

**Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes,
Most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
Almighty, victorious, Thy great name we praise.
Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light,
Nor wanting, nor wasting, Thou rulest in might;
Thy justice like mountains high soaring above
Thy clouds, which are fountains of goodness and love.
To all, life Thou givest, to both great and small;
In all life Thou livest, the true life of all;
We blossom and flourish like leaves on the tree,
Then wither and perish; but naught changeth Thee.
Thou reignest in glory, Thou rulest in light,
Thine angels adore Thee, all veiling their sight;
All praise we would render; O help us to see
'Tis only the splendor of light hideth Thee!**

OPENING REMARKS

Paul E. Fisher, *Chairman, Board of Trustees*

WELCOME & RECOGNITION OF SGA OFFICERS

Kevin Flebbe, *President, Student Government Association*

RECITATION OF THE HONOR CODE (see back panel)

Dr. W. Richard Stephens, Jr., *Provost*

AN ANTHEM

Hallelujah

The Catawba Singers

William David Brown



RECOGNITION OF FACULTY AND STAFF SERVICE (see back panel)

Drs. Turner and Stephens
Assisted by Professor David Pulliam, *College Marshal*

A GOSPEL SONG

Show Me Thy Way

The Catawba Singers
arr. Charles H. Gilchrist

THE CONVOCATION ADDRESS

Dr. Turner

* THE ALMA MATER

Fair Catawba

Bernice & Alvin R. Keppel

**Down in the verdant Southland, High on the Piedmont plains,
There's a tower that is piercing the heavens,
And a campus of fond mem'ry lanes.
Higher than the walls of man's waking, Are the thoughts of my sojourn there.
Brighter than the sun upon waking, Are the friendships time cannot outwear.**

**Fair Catawba, my Catawba, Symbol of life and right.
We, thy sons and daughters, hail thee, Queen of Light!
Rich and glorious be thy future, World of influence wide,
And with us, who bear thy culture, May thy precepts and spirit abide.**

(Note: Music and lyrics for the alma mater by the late Dr. and Mrs. Alvin R. Keppel. Dr. Keppel was president of Catawba College from 1942 to 1963, and Mrs. Bernice Keppel, a fine musician, was active in musical activities in the community. Their son, the late Dr. Robert A. Keppel, '49, was a member of the Catawba College Board of Trustees.)

* THE BENEDICTION

Dr. Clapp

* THE CLOSING VOLUNTARY, IN PROCESSION

Crown Imperial

Paul E. Oakley, *College Organist*
Sir William Walton

**All members of the Catawba community are invited and encouraged to share in the Campus
Worship services held at 10:00 p.m. each Tuesday.**

The Catawba College

Honor Code

As a member of the Catawba College community, I will practice academic honesty, communicate truthfully, and show respect for the rights and property of others. I will also encourage others in the community to behave honorably.

Adopted 11/11/93

Junior Marshals

Cynthia Cook
Jessica Gilmore
Stephanie Hill
John Hoehman
William Huneycutt
Mark Ketterer
Joseph Manser

Lara Morse
Zachary Owen
Laura Ritchie
Sarah Robinson
Laura Sale
Robert Sawyer
Elizabeth Sloop

FACULTY AND STAFF

years of service....

*The Length of Service Recognition Program
was founded in 2003 as a project of
the Staff Personnel Committee, now the Staff Council.*

40 years...

Dr. Bethany Sinnott

35 years...

Dr. Michael Baranski

25 years...

Dennis Davidson
William Haggerty
Geraldine Mitchell

20 years....

Dr. Sheila Brownlow
Robert Casmus
Dr. Julie Chamberlain
Dr. Kenneth Clapp
Ginger Hamric
Sandra Owen
Sylvia White

15 years....

Dr. Gary Freeze
Jim Gantt
Dr. Carol Ann Miderski
Dr. Timothy Moreland
Nanette Whitley
Dr. John Zerger

10 years....

James Allison
Howard Collins
Michael Eden, Jr.
Sharon Miller
Michael Overcash
Cynthia Wittum
Jane Young

5 years....

Carl Lynn Beaver
Taft Brown
Richard Darr
Dr. Carla Eastis
Keith Engwall
Constance Grant
Henry Haywood
Sandra Haywood
Eric Nianouris
Kimberly Smith
Douglas Stanley
Linda Watson
William White, Jr.
Dee Woodie