



CROWN COLLEGE

One Hundred Fifth Annual
COMMENCEMENT

Saturday, May 13, 2023

Wooddale Church, 6630 Shady Oak Road, Eden Prairie, MN



**BOLDLY CHRISTIAN.
ACADEMICALLY EXCELLENT.**

“Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another’s feet. I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you. Very truly I tell you, no servant is greater than his master, nor is a messenger greater than the one who sent him. Now that you know these things, you will be blessed if you do them.”

(John 13:14-17)

THE STORY OF CROWN COLLEGE

For over a century, Crown College has been preparing Christians to serve and influence the world. Founded in 1916 by Reverend J.D. Williams, the College began with four students who wanted to study the Bible. It quickly blossomed and grew into a training school and eventually became known as St. Paul Bible Institute, establishing a solid reputation as a leader in the Bible college movement throughout the Midwest.

By 1924, enrollment grew to 152; today, it is over 1400. In the late 1950s, the name was changed to St. Paul Bible College. Accreditation was granted to the College in 1975 by The Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association. The college resided in St. Paul, Minnesota, for over 50 years. In 1970, as the College grew, it moved to its present location just west of Minneapolis, near the communities of Waconia and St. Bonifacius. Nestled among the rolling hills of one of the most lake dotted regions of Minnesota, the beautiful campus offers an inviting place for learning and growth.

In the following years, the College expanded the curriculum with the introduction of many new majors and areas of study; the campus also grew with the addition of several housing facilities. In 1992, the name was changed to Crown College. That same year, Crown launched the EXCEL program with 53 adult students taking classes in Management and Ethics or Christian Ministry. The program grew into what is now known as the School of Online Studies and Graduate School, with over 600 students enrolled.

Today, Crown remains an exceptional, private Christian college passionate about preparing Christians who serve Christ and influence the world. It is distinguished by its pledge to deliver a Christ-centered education, online and on-campus, which is academically excellent and globally connected. Crown's commitment to providing an affordable private college education is evidenced by it being one of the ten most affordable private Christian colleges in the Midwest. More than 30 percent of Crown students also participate in one or more of its 16 athletic teams that compete in the Upper Midwest Athletic Conference within NCAA DIII. Also, Crown is a proud member of the National Christian College Athletic Association (NCCAA).

Of the more than 4,000 degree-granting institutions of higher education in the United States, Crown is of the 140 intentionally Christ-centered higher education institutions to be a member of the Council for Christian Colleges & Universities (CCCU) and is one of the four colleges affiliated with The Christian and Missionary Alliance church in the United States. Consistently recognized by U.S. News & World Report as ranking among the Best Midwest Regional Colleges, Crown offers more than 40 accredited majors to undergraduates and adults seeking degree completion or graduate-level degrees. Crown's Online Programs regularly receive national recognition as a Top Ten Online Christian College by TheBestColleges.com.

The mission of Crown College is to provide a biblically-based education for Christian leadership in The Christian and Missionary Alliance, the church at-large, and the world. As such, we exist to fulfill Jesus' final request on earth, The Great Commission:

“All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.”

(Matthew 28:18-20)

CROWN COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT

Saturday Morning at Ten O'Clock

PRELUDE	Mr. Brian Falk, Organist
*PROCESSIONAL	“Pomp and Circumstance” by Edward Elgar
*INVOCATION	Greg Kummer Chairman of the Board of Trustees
WELCOME	Dr. Andrew C. Denton President
*HYMN	“Crown Him with Many Crowns” by Matthew Bridges/George Elvey
SCRIPTURE READING COLOSSIANS 2:1-10a	Dr. Philip B. Petersen Professor Emeritus
INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER	Dr. Andrew C. Denton President
COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS	Mark Ashton Lead Minister, Christ Community Church, Omaha
PRESENTATION OF GRADUATES	Dr. Christopher W. Mathews Vice President of Academic Affairs Dr. Wilson R. Kuhn Vice President of Student Development
PRESENTATION OF DEGREES	Dr. Andrew C. Denton President
CONGRATULATIONS FROM ALUMNI RELATIONS	Joel Johnson Vice President of College Relations
*BENEDICTION	Dr. Fawn McCracken Associate Vice President of Adult, Online, and Graduate Studies
*+RECESSIONAL	“Toccata” from Symphony No. 5 in F by Charles-Marie Widor
FACULTY MARSHALS	Dr. Don Bouchard, Professor of Teacher Education Faculty Excellence Award for Service Dr. Joy Pieper, Associate Professor of Nursing Faculty Excellence Award for Teaching Dr. Justin Winzenburg, Associate Professor of New Testament and Greek Faculty Excellence Award for Scholarship

**Audience, please stand if able.*

+Please allow faculty and graduates to recess before leaving your seat.

Guests are asked to remain in their seats when taking photographs. Thank you.

CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS

by Matthew Bridges and George Elvey

Crown Him with many crowns, the Lamb upon His throne,
Hark! How the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its own.
Awake, my soul, and sing of Him who died for thee.
And hail Him as thy matchless King through all eternity.

Crown him the Lord of love; behold His hands and side,
Rich wounds, yet visible above in beauty glorified.
No angels in the sky can fully bear that sight.
But downward bends their burning eyes at mysteries so bright.

Crown Him the Lord of life, who triumphed o'er the grave,
And rose victorious in the strife for those He came to save;
His glories now we sing, who died and rose on high,
Who died eternal life to bring and lives that death may die.

Crown Him the Lord of years, the Potentate of time,
Creator of the rolling spheres, ineffably sublime.
All hail, Redeemer, hail! For Thou hast died for me.
Thy praise shall never, never fail throughout eternity.

BIOGRAPHIES

Crown College President: Dr. Andrew C. Denton was inaugurated on July 1, 2021 as the 17th president of Crown College. He provides a high level of vision, strategy, and execution to Crown while upholding a deep commitment to the integration of faith and learning. Dr. Denton has served as Executive Vice President and Vice President of University Relations at North Central University (MN), and Vice President of Enrollment Management at both Bethel University (MN) and Evangel University (MO) where his career began in Admissions. He holds a Ph.D. in Higher Education Leadership from St. Louis University and an M.B.A. from Missouri State University. Dr. Denton and his wife, Linda, have been married for 24 years and are the proud parents of three children: Lexie, Ashlyn, and Drew.

Commencement Speaker: Mark Ashton serves as the Lead Minister of Christ Community Church (Omaha, NE). Mark and his wife, Kelle, have been at the church for 17 years. In that time, they have led thousands to faith in Jesus, planted nine churches, sent missionaries to the least reached places on the planet, and built a hospital in Mali, West Africa. They have also launched a counseling center with two college extensions, which includes Crown College Omaha, a residency program. Mark serves as the Chairman of the Board for Within Reach and is on the Board of Directors for The Christian Missionary Alliance. In his free time, Mark loves CrossFit, biking, golf, and talking about Jesus. The delight of Mark and Kelle's life is their children—Haiven, Josiah, Caysie, Caleb, and Erica.

CLASS OF 2023

Graduate School

Candidates for Master Degrees

Master of Arts in Counseling

Ruth Luv Amoh.....	Minneapolis, Minnesota
Kirsten Anderson.....	South Haven, Minnesota
Taylor Nelson	Minneapolis, Minnesota
Gina Marie Ashley	Eagan, Minnesota
Marlana Marie Balk	Roseville, Minnesota
Deborah Bonaparte Auguste.....	Kennesaw, Georgia
Jackie Carlino	Springtown, Texas
Kristof C. Chara	Roseville, Minnesota
McKenzie Collins.....	Lincoln, Nebraska
Jennifer Kathryn Connolly	Blaine, Minnesota
Steven Thomas Cross	Kenosha, Wisconsin
Daniel Czirr.....	Akron, Ohio
Keleigh Duxbury	Watertown, Minnesota
Ginger N. Ekholm.....	Mora, Minnesota
Drake Epkes	St. Anthony, Minnesota
Nichole A. Fisher	Columbia Falls, Montana
Shannon Guenther	Janesville, Wisconsin
Aaron Hartman.....	St. Paul, Minnesota
Martin Johns	Cypress, California
Nathan Aaron James Johnson.....	Worthington, Minnesota
Katelyn M. King	Millville, New Jersey
Karrie Lynn Kjeldahl	Lake Mills, Iowa
Xee Vang Kong	Blaine, Minnesota
Amber Maxwell	Royston, Georgia
Douglas McCracken.....	Warren, Pennsylvania
Douglas Scott McMurdo.....	Dodge Center, Minnesota
Sara A. Miller	Shakopee, Minnesota
Shanna Miller Ghizoni.....	Anoka, Minnesota
Cynthia Sue Nelson	Shorewood, Minnesota
Courtney M. Peters.....	Badger, Minnesota
Reis D. Pieper.....	Omaha, Nebraska
Rachel Plikerd	Bowling Green, Ohio
Alexandria Quick	Omaha, Nebraska

Master of Arts in Counseling - Continued

Katharine Love Reutzel.....	Omaha, Nebraska
Linda Sue Ritenour.....	Omaha, Nebraska
Carolina Rivas	Surprise, Arizona
Matthew Robinson.....	Arden Hills, Minnesota
Jessica Marie Rybaczyk.....	Fresno, California
James Schroeder	Appleton, Wisconsin
Elizabeth M. Shadeko.....	Hastings, Minnesota
Demi Shetler	Ainsworth, Iowa
Richard Joseph Slabaugh II	Omaha, Nebraska
Joel Stephen Stai.....	Maplewood, Minnesota
Isaac Stearns	Browerville, Minnesota
Morgan Allison Thole.....	Mound, Minnesota
Vania Mercy-Rae Warns.....	Waterloo, Iowa
Emily Wiemers.....	Omaha, Nebraska
David W. Wilson.....	Sebring, Florida

Master of Arts in Exercise Science/Sport Performance

John Taylor Adams	Eldora, Iowa
Seth Donovan Betts	St George, Utah
Joshua Bracken	Farmersville, Illinois
Jonnie Goodmanson.....	Mound, Minnesota
Daniel Hawkins	Eden Prairie, Minnesota
Willie Hoyle.....	Bessemer, Alabama
Abigail Ruth Weckman.....	Hamburg, Minnesota

Master of Arts in Organizational Leadership

Christopher Crayton	Merrillville, Indiana
Lissette M. Cruz-Jiménez	Guatemala
Ross David Curington	Denver, Colorado
Dale Anthony DeMarchi	Colorado Springs, Colorado
Michaela Kasi Joelle Dove	Eules, Texas
Olivia Marie Hagstrom.....	St. Bonifacius, Minnesota
Madilyn Virginia Hecox.....	Rockford, Illinois
Torry J. Ledin.....	Anoka, Minnesota
Stephanie B. Lindberg.....	Ramsey, Minnesota
Cameron Reece	Arlington, Washington
Jonathon VanGilst.....	Andover, Minnesota

Master of Arts in Sports Coaching & Administration

Jack Becker New Prague, Minnesota
Drew Henry Burnett..... Diamondhead, Mississippi
Nathan William Johnson..... Detroit Lakes, Minnesota

Master of Business Administration

Joshua James Benjamin Farmington, Minnesota
Jordan Paul Peters..... St. Louis Park, Minnesota
Tammy Towianski..... Waconia, Minnesota

Graduate School of Ministry

Candidates for Master Degrees

Master of Arts in Christian Studies

Cameron H. Booze Chester, Maryland
Logan Michael Brunsting..... Hull, Iowa
Vincent Cardarelle Colgate, Wisconsin
Lorenzo Calvin Carmona..... Jacksonville, Florida
Matthew J. Cluraghty..... Milaca, Minnesota
Danielle Lynne Dudash..... Liberty Township, Ohio
Amanda Kaye Edin Shoreview, Minnesota
Johnathan D. Finkbeiner Apopka, Florida
Kaleb Gugger..... Billings, Montana
Brian Keith Higgins..... Casper, Wyoming
Brandon L. Hilstad Appleton, Wisconsin
Stanley C. Hsu San Jose, California
Adè Idowu Conyers, Georgia
Dwain Mikel Kue Clearwater, Florida
Anne M. La Rue-Shaw..... Appleton, Wisconsin
Long Chi Boualong Lee Appleton, Wisconsin
Joshua Medina Yonkers, New York
Taunya Faith Ranis Spring Valley, Wisconsin
Phillip John Roemer Willmar, Minnesota
Nicholas Christopher Swan..... Myrtle Beach, South Carolina
Emma Ruth Van Veldhuizen..... Bellbrook, Ohio

Master of Arts in Christian Studies - Continued

Gage Daniel Warrick..... Columbus, Ohio
Cheng Fue Xiong.....Stevens Point, Wisconsin
Cristal Ntsa Iab Xiong Conover, North Carolina

Master of Arts in Global Leadership

Emily Fisher Anoka, Minnesota
Edward Miranda..... Orlando, Florida
Elizabeth Venable..... Atlanta, Georgia

Master of Arts in Ministry Leadership

Meredith Cowman Omaha, Nebraska
Farah Everswick Monticello, Minnesota
Danielle Gabel..... Edina, Minnesota
Marie Laverdure.....Grayson, Georgia
Glenn L. Littrell Jr. North Platte, Nebraska
Kevin Tou Fong Moua Bangkok, Thailand
Kemanyi Idris Nix..... Westminster, Maryland
Andrew Ramsey Appleton, Wisconsin
Brian Douglas Rockwell Toccoa, Georgia
Sean Alexander Stevenson-Douglas Eston, Saskatchewan, Canada
Logan Strand Wahpeton, North Dakota
Lester Troutman Jr. Dayton, Ohio
Carissa R. VanDalen Appleton, Wisconsin

Master of Arts in Pastoral Counseling

Abigail Chiemi Kroontje.....Aiea, Hawaii
Krystalann Grace Bies.....Blaine, Minnesota
Caleb J. Lancaster..... Wausau, Wisconsin
David Nguyen..... Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Joseph Ahmhong Rhee..... Middlesex, New Jersey
Joy TrachselTwinsburg, Ohio
Daniel Truran..... Franklin, New Jersey
Liam MacIntyre Wright.....Seattle, Washington

Master of Divinity

Jason D. Albert	Aberdeen, South Dakota
Micah Joel Anderson	Lakeland, Minnesota
Scharlde Franklin	Houston, Texas
Peggy Ann Holtz	Brainerd, Minnesota
Levi B. Magruder	Great Falls, Montana
Brandon James Pellatz	Brunswick, Nebraska
Jessica Rodrigues Croteau Petry	Carthage, Texas

School of Online Studies

Candidates for Associate Degrees

Maryynn Ashpole (A.S. in Business)	Burnsville, Minnesota
Kaylen Bushell (A.S. in Christian Ministry)	Prineville, Oregon
Kathleen Elizabeth Card (A.S. in Care Ministries)	Farmington Hills, Michigan
Halle DeMien (A.S. in Care Ministries)	Osceola, Indiana
Yodahe Getachew (A.S. in Psychology)	Atlanta, Georgia
Angel House (A.S. in Business)	Winter Springs, Florida
Bailey Daniel Kretsinger (A.A. in General Studies)	Carver, Minnesota
Dominique Nash (A.S. in Christian Ministry)	Naples, Florida
Bernadette Torrez (A.A. in General Studies)	Denver, Colorado
Olivia VanDussen (A.S. in Care Ministries)	Lakeville, Minnesota
Holly Haven Zigga (A.S. in Care Ministries)	New Plymouth, Idaho

School of Online Studies

Candidates For Bachelor Degrees

Business Department

Major in Business (Bachelor of Science)

Emilie Anderson	Mayer, Minnesota
Chase Fowler, <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Nashville, Tennessee
Mitchell Koval	Hutchinson, Minnesota
Alexis R. Tucker Lee	Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Jenny M. Taylor, <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Wadena, Minnesota
Kelly Walgrave, <i>With Distinction</i>	Chaska, Minnesota

Christian Ministry Department

Major in Biblical Studies (Bachelor of Science)

Colton James Andrea	Cottonwood, Minnesota
Joel David Brummond, <i>Cum Laude</i>	Dassel, Minnesota
David Adam Eubank, <i>With Distinction</i>	Greensburg, Pennsylvania
William Fowler Sr.	Fairview Heights, Illinois
Gabriel Anthony Jasso, <i>With Distinction</i>	Omaha, Nebraska
Jason Eric Laufenberg.....	Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin
Scott Cornell Morgan	Crestview, Florida
McKay W. Ness.....	Sauk Rapids, Minnesota
Frank Ralph Padilla, <i>With Distinction</i>	Chula Vista, California
Samuel Charles Schroeder	Appleton, Wisconsin
MacKenzie Watts, <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	St. Louis Park, Minnesota

Major in Christian Ministry (Bachelor of Science)

Colton James Andrea.....	Cottonwood, Minnesota
Emily Marie Boatwright	Salem, Oregon
Willem Antonio Samuel Duiker Álvarez, <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	State College, Pennsylvania
David Adam Eubank, <i>With Distinction</i>	Greensburg, Pennsylvania
William Fowler Sr.	Fairview Heights, Illinois
Jeff Hillman.....	Omaha, Nebraska
Phylicia E. Lawrence.....	East Windsor, New Jersey
Hope Christiana Lindstrom	Salem, Oregon
Evan Mackerell.....	Salem, Oregon
Aimee Lynn McGrath	Salem, Oregon
Cheyenne D'shawn Perry, <i>With Distinction</i>	Fort Wayne, Indiana
James Pomeroy	Delta Junction, Alaska
Samuel Charles Schroeder	Appleton, Wisconsin
Megan Seward.....	Lewiston, Idaho
Patience Sinur	Keizer, Oregon
Kenneth Scott Smith	Arlington, Washington
Brent Aaron Springer	Council Bluffs, Iowa
Sinai NM Thao, <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Minneapolis, Minnesota

Major in Global & Cultural Studies (Bachelor of Science)

Madeline C. Ashcraft	Salem, Oregon
Kailey Fritts	Keizer, Oregon
Erin Laney	Omaha, Nebraska
Jenna Lorenz	Ramsey, Minnesota
Harris Macrae Martin	Salem, Oregon
Lexie Brianne Percifield, <i>Cum Laude</i>	Gillette, Wyoming
Katlyn Grace Ueek.....	Salem, Oregon
Julian White	Salem, Oregon

Social Studies & Humanities Department

Major in Alcohol & Drug Counseling (Bachelor of Science)

Jocelyn Haglund.....	Pequot Lakes, Minnesota
Amanda Juel Peterson, <i>With Distinction</i>	St. Joseph, Minnesota
Sarah Katherine Whitney, <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Garrison, Minnesota

Major in General/Liberal Studies (Bachelor of Science)

Cayden Parker Cianflone, <i>With Distinction</i>	Shakopee, Minnesota
Tammie Renee Miles, <i>With Distinction</i>	Lawrenceville, Georgia

Major in Psychology/Counseling (Bachelor of Science)

Goldie Verné Carter	Houston, Texas
Taylor Joy Ellefson, <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Andover, Minnesota
Emily Johnson, <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Arlington, Washington
Vita Kravchishin.....	Seattle, Washington
Ashley Montgomery	Mount Joy, Pennsylvania
Lexie Brianne Percifield, <i>Cum Laude</i>	Gillette, Wyoming
Megan Rude, <i>With Distinction</i>	Oakdale, Minnesota
Selene B. Novitsky, <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Dunlap, Tennessee
Caleb I. Stilwell	Fergus Falls, Minnesota
Dana Telander.....	Oak Grove, Minnesota
Tomasina Marie Uttecht, <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Mayer, Minnesota
MacKenzie Watts, <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	St. Louis Park, Minnesota

School of Arts & Sciences

Candidates for Associate Degrees

Eli Oscar Anderson (<i>Associate of Arts</i>).....	Dassel, Minnesota
Bailey Madison Rose Baird (<i>Associate of Arts</i>)	Champlin, Minnesota
Taylor Joy Boone (<i>Associate of Arts</i>)	Elk River, Minnesota
Susanna D. Carlson (<i>Associate of Arts</i>)	Apple Valley, Minnesota
Adriana Dawn Cortez (<i>Associate of Arts</i>)	Pine City, Minnesota
Rachel M. Eskola (<i>Associate of Arts</i>).....	Delano, Minnesota
Megan Patricia Goembel (<i>Associate of Arts</i>)	Burnsville, Minnesota
Joshua Hagen (<i>A.A. in Bible</i>).....	Hanska, Minnesota
Naomi Rain Hagner (<i>Associate of Arts</i>).....	Coon Rapids, Minnesota
Matthew Hawkins (<i>Associate of Arts</i>).....	Eden Prairie, Minnesota
Joshua Matthew Hoffman (<i>Associate of Arts</i>).....	Minnetonka, Minnesota
Ella Jane Hubler (<i>Associate of Arts</i>)	Ramsey, Minnesota
Alexis Johnson (<i>Associate of Arts</i>)	Shakopee, Minnesota
Elaina M. Johnson (<i>Associate of Arts</i>)	Chaska, Minnesota
Evan K. Johnson (<i>Associate of Arts</i>).....	Dassel, Minnesota
Olivia Renee Kristjanson (<i>A.A. in Bible</i>).....	Bloomington, Minnesota
Patrick Josh Minchow (<i>A.S. in Business Administration</i>).....	Benson, Minnesota
Daniel Joseph Myles (<i>Associate of Arts</i>)	Becker, Minnesota
Jonathan Daimon Ozment (<i>Associate of Arts</i>).....	Forest Lake, Minnesota
Noah Christian Rabb (<i>Associate of Arts</i>)	Andover, Minnesota
Julia Faye Rheault (<i>Associate of Arts</i>)	Wyoming, Minnesota
Maria Gianna Rosensteel (<i>A.S. in Business Administration</i>)	Excelsior, Minnesota
Hailey Paige Schrader (<i>Associate of Arts</i>)	Watertown, Minnesota
Angela Stephenson (<i>Associate of Arts</i>).....	St. Bonifacius, Minnesota
Isaiah Brian Stout (<i>Associate of Arts</i>).....	Zadar, Croatia
Grace M. Tuhy (<i>Associate of Arts</i>).....	Sunrise, Minnesota
Austin Lee Whyte (<i>Associate of Arts</i>).....	Long Lake, Minnesota

School of Liberal Arts, Education & Vocational Ministry

Candidates For Bachelor Degrees

Biblical, Theological, & Ministry Studies Department

Major in Child & Family Ministry (Bachelor of Science)

Meeghan Gloria Lillestolen, *Magna Cum Laude*.....Plymouth, Wisconsin
Logan Faith RhodesBuffalo, Minnesota

Major in International Relations (Bachelor of Arts)

Beau Andrew KyrolaCumberland, Wisconsin
Maria Alejandra Morales Muñoz, *Summa Cum Laude*Amatitlan, Guatemala

Major in Pastoral Leadership (Bachelor of Arts)

Ethan Arnold, *Magna Cum Laude*.....Kennard, Nebraska
Joshua HerrTray, Minnesota

Major in Worship Ministry (Bachelor of Science)

Alexander Jacob Thumberger, *Magna Cum Laude*Delano, Minnesota
Caillou S. Yang, *Magna Cum Laude*.....Wausau, Wisconsin

Major in Youth & Family Ministries (Bachelor of Science)

Meeghan Gloria Lillestolen, *Magna Cum Laude*.....Plymouth, Wisconsin
Titus Paul Mycke, *Magna Cum Laude*Perham, Minnesota
Colten Reinhard PauschPelican Rapids, Minnesota
Timothy Pressley.....Belle Plaine, Minnesota
Logan Faith RhodesBuffalo, Minnesota
John St. AmandWaconia, Minnesota

Bao Thao Wausau, Wisconsin

Major in Youth & Social Ministry (Bachelor of Science)

Alexander Jacob Thumberger, *Magna Cum Laude* Delano, Minnesota

Humanities, & Social Sciences Department

Major in Communication (Bachelor of Arts)

Cade Mitchell Carroll, *Magna Cum Laude*.....Buena Vista, Colorado

Anna Marie Chapman, *Summa Cum Laude*Ikoma, Japan

Evan Michael Corniea.....St. Bonifacius, Minnesota

Kathryn Grace Dimler, *Magna Cum Laude*Willmar, Minnesota

Bethany Anne Habbena, *Magna Cum Laude*Newport, Minnesota

Carissa Hoffmeyer Morgan, *Cum Laude*Minerva, Ohio

Cole Avery MatthysSt. Bonifacius, Minnesota

Telma C. RoeslerHastings, Minnesota

Major in Criminal/Social Justice (Bachelor of Science)

Caleb D. CarlsonApple Valley, Minnesota

Cody Peter Csulak, *With Distinction*Palmdale, California

Avery Kenda Lee, *Magna Cum Laude*..... Minneapolis, Minnesota

Tristan Shoemaker, *Summa Cum Laude* Los Angeles, California

Major in Criminology (Bachelor of Science)

Cody Peter Csulak, *With Distinction*Palmdale, California

Whitney Grace Cunningham..... Maple Plain, Minnesota

Cariesa Gross, *Summa Cum Laude*..... Waupaca, Wisconsin

Serena Patricia Haglin, *Summa Cum Laude*Howard Lake, Minnesota

Noah Pederson, *Magna Cum Laude*.....Howard Lake, Minnesota

Dawson Nicholas Sheets Monticello, Minnesota

Isabel Joy Stoffer Eden Prairie, Minnesota

Major in General Studies (Bachelor of Science)

Naomi Kawa GreinMarshalltown, Iowa

Major in History (Bachelor of Arts)

Joshua Christenson Otsego, Minnesota
Ugochukwu Onyinyechukwu Austin Egwim Woodbury, Minnesota
Noah Pederson, *Magna Cum Laude*.....Howard Lake, Minnesota
Tristan Shoemaker, *Summa Cum Laude* Los Angeles, California

Major in Psychology (Bachelor of Arts)

Emma Grace Bjurstrom, *Magna Cum Laude* Watertown, Minnesota
Katelyn R. Cooper, *Summa Cum Laude*..... Cologne, Minnesota
Ty D. Dill Erickson, *Magna Cum Laude*..... Briggsdale, Colorado
Elissa J. Finnan, *Cum Laude* Rochester, Minnesota
Cariesa Gross, *Summa Cum Laude*..... Waupaca, Wisconsin
Megan Elyse Kallman, *Magna Cum Laude*..... Omaha, Nebraska
Nicole Kriesel, *Summa Cum Laude*..... Victoria, Minnesota
Grace Ellen Larson, *Magna Cum Laude*..... Foreston, Minnesota
Emerald Ann Madison St. Michael, Minnesota
Clifford J. Nyland, *Magna Cum Laude*..... Chanhassen, Minnesota

Teacher Education Department

Major in Communication Arts & Literature Education (Bachelor of Science)

Robert Harold Watson, *Magna Cum Laude*..... Monticello, Minnesota

Major in Elementary Education (Bachelor of Science)

Hannah Christine Andrews, *Summa Cum Laude* Cody, Wyoming
Jaci Taylor Franson, *Magna Cum Laude* Watertown, Minnesota
Julia Amanda Hiatt, *Magna Cum Laude*..... Zimmerman, Minnesota
Kailey Darlene Hubert, *Magna Cum Laude*.....Paynesville, Minnesota
Hayeong Pang, *Summa Cum Laude*.....Seoul, Republic of Korea

Major in PE/Health Education (Bachelor of Science)

Gunnar J. Ledin Anoka, Minnesota

Amy Lynn Martius Redwood Falls, Minnesota

Major in Social Studies Education (Bachelor of Science)

Lindsay Rae Glover Victorville, California

Abigail Faith Pausch, *Summa Cum Laude*..... Sleepy Eye, Minnesota

Jeremiah S. VanAcker, *Cum Laude* Scandia, Minnesota

School of Health & Sciences

Candidates For Bachelor Degrees

Biological & Health Sciences Department

Major in Biology (Bachelor of Science)

Teagan Lynn Kuckkahn, *Magna Cum Laude*..... Weyauwega, Wisconsin

Major in Exercise Science (Bachelor of Science)

Cole Thomas Andersen Lakeville, Minnesota

Blake Matthew Boggs Spotsylvania, Virginia

Cooper J. Manske..... Nowthen, Minnesota

Bay Anastasia VanAcker, *Magna Cum Laude* Omaha, Nebraska

Kelsey Anne Watson, *Summa Cum Laude*..... Big Lake, Minnesota

Nursing Department

Major in Nursing (Bachelor of Science)

Nicole Marie Albertson, *Cum Laude*..... Orono, Minnesota

Therese Samba Assaka, *Cum Laude* Kinshasa, The Democratic Republic of the Congo

John Mark Cisneros Brownsville, Texas

Grace Mary Eckman East Bethel, Minnesota

Morgan Paige Glenz, *Cum Laude* Verndale, Minnesota

Jackson L. Hammargren Sioux Falls, South Dakota

Emily Marie Holliday, *Cum Laude* Minneapolis, Minnesota

Promesse Malewo St. Bonifacius, Minnesota

Nathan J. Muntifering Farmington, Minnesota
 Samantha Sartell, *Cum Laude* Waconia, Minnesota
 Jamie R. Sorensen, *Summa Cum Laude* Waconia, Minnesota
 Kylie Jane Thedens..... Orono, Minnesota
 Pahoua Sarah Vang, *Magna Cum Laude*..... White Bear Lake, Minnesota

School of Business

Candidates For Bachelor Degrees

Business & Sport Management Department

Major in Accounting (Bachelor of Science)

Carter Ronald Behne, *Summa Cum Laude*..... Elk River, Minnesota
 Michael Gregoria Jordan, Minnesota
 Charles Lee West Jr., *Cum Laude* Sunnyvale, Texas

Major in Business Administration (Bachelor of Science)

Jimmy Alejandro Anderson Andover, Minnesota
 Jasyn W. Bachtell, *Magna Cum Laude*..... Castalian Springs, Tennessee
 Javaree Cornelius Cardwell Chicago, Illinois
 Austin Gerald Hageman, *Magna Cum Laude* Big Lake, Minnesota
 Angelyna Gao Sy Moua Heu, *Cum Laude* St. Paul, Minnesota
 Ethan Siira, *Magna Cum Laude*..... Perham, Minnesota
 Alec Testerman, *Summa Cum Laude*..... Temecula, California
 Macabe Steven Thoen, *Magna Cum Laude* Glenwood, Minnesota
 Lane Thomas..... St. Bonifacius, Minnesota
 Patay Vongsombath, *Magna Cum Laude* Xiangkhouang, Lao People's Democratic Republic
 Charles Lee West Jr., *Cum Laude* Sunnyvale, Texas

Major in Marketing (Bachelor of Science)

Ashley Lynn Earick, *Summa Cum Laude*..... Oxford, Ohio
 Paige Eckman..... East Bethel, Minnesota
 Alec Testerman, *Summa Cum Laude*..... Temecula, California

Macabe Steven Thoen, *Magna Cum Laude*Glenwood, Minnesota

Major in Sport Management (Bachelor of Science)

Ashley Lynn Earick, *Summa Cum Laude*.....Oxford, Ohio

Guerry Tremain Everett Jr. West Palm Beach, Florida

Quis Lavare Icon Jr. West Palm Beach, Florida

Micah Jeffery Ladd, *Magna Cum Laude*..... Harris, Minnesota

Jacob John Masek..... Shoreview, Minnesota

Andrew Dale Sparlin Orcutt, California

GRADUATION HONORS

Baccalaureate graduates who have completed a specified amount of work at Crown College are awarded graduation honors based on the cumulative grade point average. Specific criteria can be found in the Crown College Catalog. Graduates receiving honors are presented with a gold cord to wear at Commencement. Actual graduation honors may be adjusted for those yet to complete final course requirements.

School of Arts & Sciences

Senior Honor Awards

Senior Honor medallions are presented by the faculty in recognition of outstanding merit and accomplishment as an Arts & Sciences student at Crown College. The criteria include academic achievement, participation and leadership in campus life and spiritual contribution.

Ugochukwu Onyinyechukwu Austin Egwim	History
Morgan Paige Glenz	Nursing
Michael Gregoria	Accounting
Emily Marie Holliday.....	Nursing
Avery Kenda Lee.....	Criminal/Social Justice
Titus Paul Mycke.....	Youth and Family Ministries
Hayeong Pang.....	Elementary Education
Abigail Faith Pausch.....	Social Studies Education
Timothy Pressley.....	Youth and Family Ministries
Ethan Siira	Business Administration
Alec Testerman	Business Administration
Bay Anastasia VanAcker	Exercise Science

Arts & Sciences baccalaureate degree candidates earn a second major in Christian Studies by completing at least 30 credits in Bible and theology.

ACADEMIC ATTIRE

The custom of wearing academic gowns and hoods dates from the twelfth century when a long gown and cowl (similar to the academic hood of today) were worn by clerics and scholars in unheated buildings. Today academic regalia signifies scholastic achievement.

Bachelors' gowns are made with pointed sleeves; Masters' gowns are made with long closed sleeves; Doctors' gowns have velvet panels down the front and velvet bars on round and open sleeves.

The size and shape of the hood distinguishes the degree, a doctoral hood being the largest. The color used in the velvet border of the hood indicates the field. The colors in the lining of the hood indicate the college or university which confers the degree.

Members of the Board of Trustees wear doctoral gowns during their term of office along with the black mortarboard worn by all participants.

Crown College is proud to recognize its graduating Veterans and military members with a red, white, and blue regalia cord. The cord colors replicate those of our nation's flag to denote the valor, excellence, and sacrifice these individuals have exemplified in their service to the United States Armed Forces.

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