

*First United Methodist Church
Sunday, May 31, 2026*



Go With God: A Prayer for Graduates

*As your classes and grading are now complete, may you
strive toward excellence in all you do.*

*As the speeches conclude, may your voices rise up to
pronounce justice and peace in the world.*

*As the fanfares cease, may you sing of joy, even in the dark
and lonely places.*

*As the applause quiets, may you celebrate and lift up
those around you.*

*As you graduate, may your achievements grow and cause
growth in your communities.*

*And may we all know of the overwhelming blessings of
the One who created all things.*

By Rev. Jay Moyers

2026 High School Graduates

Colin Weeks

- ◆ Son of Christa & Jonathan Weeks
- ◆ Lexington Senior High School
- ◆ Attending Appalachian State University studying Business Marketing & IT

Thomas Hartley Brown

- ◆ Grandson of Patricia & Jim Hartley
- ◆ Son of Christie H. & Scott Brown
- ◆ Midtown High School, Atlanta, GA
- ◆ Attending Emory University

Margaret Ellen Stegall

- ◆ Granddaughter of Martha & Ted Williams
- ◆ Daughter of Joanna & Thomas Stegall
- ◆ Wilson Christian Academy
- ◆ Attending University of North Carolina - Wilmington

2026 College Graduates

Kinsey Calderone

- ◆ Daughter of Emy & Greg Calderone
- ◆ Otterbein University
- ◆ Magna Cum Laude
- ◆ Bachelor of Arts in Musical Theatre
- ◆ Minor in Dance and Public Relations

Emma O'Connell

- ◆ Daughter of Elizabeth & Charlie O'Connell
- ◆ Wofford College
- ◆ Bachelor of Arts in Government

Madeline Hall Owen

- ◆ Daughter of Leslie & Mark Hall
- ◆ University of North Carolina – Greensboro
- ◆ Master of Science in Nursing – Family Nurse Practitioner

