Praise the Source of Faith and Learning

1. Praise the source of faith and learning who has sparked and stoked the mind with a passion for discerning under tow and our art until conviction for discerning human knowledge.

2. God of wisdom, we acknowledge that our science has been designed. Let the sense of one coherent steady flow, blend, O God, our

3. As two currents in a river fight each other's how the world has been imparted. Far beyond our wonder flowing, from the wonders we can not survey faith and learning, till they carve a single course,

keep our faith for ever growing as praise and thanks to you, their Source.

Tune: HYMN TO JOY, 87 87 D; Ludwig van Beethoven (1770-1827).
Order of Exercises

Procession Faculty and Administration
Hymn All creatures of our God and King Sung by the Assembly (please stand)
Invocation Abbot John Klassen, OSB
Ceremony of Matriculation and Affirmation Dr. Michael Hemesath
Choral Presentation Men’s Ensemble Members of the Chamber Choir and Men’s Chorus
Student Welcome Mr. Alexander Wald
Introduction of the Speaker Dr. Karen Erickson
Address to the Assembly Dr. Benjamin Faber (Presented by Dr. Pamela Bacon)
Alma Mater Sung by the Men’s Ensemble and the Assembly (please stand)
Benediction Abbot John Klassen, OSB
Hymn Praise the Source of Faith and Learning Sung by the Assembly (remain standing)
Recessional

Platform Party
Abbot Rt. Rev. John Klassen, OSB
President Dr. Michael Hemesath
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Acting Dean of the School of Theology and Seminary Fr. Dale Launderville, OSB
Associate Professor of Psychology Dr. Pamela Bacon (Representing Dr. Benjamin Faber)

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