

*The Class of*

**2021**

*Upper Columbia Academy  
Graduation Weekend*

**A Mighty Fortress**

A mighty fortress is our God,  
A bulwark never failing;  
Our helper He, amid the flood  
Of mortal ills prevailing.  
For still our ancient foe  
Doth seek to work us woe;  
His craft and power are great;  
And armed with cruel hate,  
On earth is not his equal.

Did we in our own strength confide,  
Our striving would be losing,  
Were not the right man on our side,  
The man of God's own choosing.  
Dost ask who that may be?  
Christ Jesus, it is He,  
Lord Sabaoth His name,  
From age to age the same,  
And He must win the battle.

That word above all earthly powers,  
No thanks to them, abideth;  
The Spirit and the gifts are ours  
Through Him who with us sideth;  
Let goods and kindred go,  
This mortal life also;  
The body they may kill;  
God's truth abideth still,  
His kingdom is forever.

# CLASS OF 2021

Bianca Aguilar ▲  
 Thomas Asaki ▲◆◆  
 Kytanna Ballard  
 Alexander Battaglia ▲  
 Elliot Bodnar ▲□◆●  
 Mikayla Brenton ▲◆◆  
 Chloe Bryant  
 Emma Busto  
 Garrett Christensen ◆◆  
 Ryan Coon ▲□  
 Lauren Curtis ▲  
 Zachary Damm ▲★  
 Zachary Davis  
 Abraham Ellis Lahav  
 Kirk Everett ◆◆  
 Eros Figueroa ▲  
 Makena Fleck ▲◆◆  
 Joshua Ford  
 Luke Ganson □  
 Annika Geschke □◆  
 Ryan Gimmaka  
 Aubrey Glover  
 Kendra Goertzen  
 Carly Haeger ◆◆+●  
 Lucy Han ▲◆◆  
 Lorelei Harbour ▲◆◆◆+  
 Rachel Hare  
 McKenzie Haskin  
 Dylan Hill ▲◆◆◆+●  
 Daniel Holloway-Cook  
 Juliana Hughes ◆◆  
 Elizabeth Jimenez ◆◆●  
 Evan Judge  
 Christopher Kime ▲★

Hannah Knipple ◆◆◆★  
 Kyler Kramer ▲  
 Peiteng Li  
 Kaitin Martsching ▲□  
 Gabriel Moller  
 Faith Montes ▲◆◆★  
 Xochilt Morales Rios ◆  
 Jared Moran □  
 Madalyn Nichols ◆  
 Graham Oakley  
 Chantelle Olbekson ★  
 Ashley Olson ◆◆★  
 John Palacios ▲  
 Joshua Penhallurick  
 Evan Pierce ▲◆◆  
 Rebekah Reynolds ▲  
 Natasha Rogers ▲◆◆  
 Alyssa Ruud ▲  
 Ian Schroetlin ▲◆◆◆+●  
 Richard Scott ◆◆  
 Emilee Shearer □  
 Caleb Shirinzadeh ◆◆◆★  
 Madeline Stone ◆◆  
 Missy Surdal ▲◆◆◆+  
 Hannah Thornton □  
 Abigail Threadgill ▲◆◆◆★  
 Kathleen Meza ▲  
 Joah Van Dooser  
 Colby Villa  
 Alden Wilfley ◆◆◆★  
 Alexander Wilfley ◆  
 Arthur Willett  
 Alice Wu □  
 Samantha Young

## CLASS MOTTO

“And so for a time it looked as if all the adventures were coming to an end; but that was not to be.” C.S. Lewis

## CLASS TEXT

“The Lord will fight for you; you need only to be still.”  
 Exodus 14:14

## CLASS COLORS

Black, Gold, Turquoise, Silver

## CLASS OFFICERS

President .....	Lorelei Harbour
Vice-President .....	Caleb Shirinzadeh
Chaplain .....	Faith Montes
Secretary .....	Missy Surdal
Treasurer .....	Dylan Hill
Historians .....	Hannah Knipple & Chantelle Olbekson
Sports Coordinator .....	Alden Wilfley
Music Coordinator .....	Abigail Threadgill
Sergeant-at-Arms .....	Christopher Kime
Student-Faculty Representative .....	Zachary Damm

▲ Four-year Senior  
 ◆ High Honors  
 □ Honors

★ Officer  
 + 4.0 GPA  
 ● Spokane Scholar

## CLASS SPONSORS

Curtis Anderson, Donovan Andregg, Eric Johnson, Bob Lenz, Krista Phillips

## JUNIOR CLASS PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT

Ayden Lee & Ashley Cox

# CONSECRATION

Friday, June 4, 2021 - 7:30 p.m.

Junior Processional	Cello Suite #1 in G <i>J.S. Bach</i>	
Senior Processional	Canzona A 10 <i>Samuel Scheidt</i>	
Welcome		Annika Geschke
Praise Team		Class of 2021
Invocation		Thomas Asaki
Special Music	“His Eye Is on the Sparrow” <i>Civilla Durfee Martin/Charles Hutchinson Gabriel</i>	Christopher & Abigail
Special Tributes		Class of 2021
Scripture	John 3:9-10	Kaitin Martsching
Introduction of Speaker		Carly Haeger
Consecration Address	“God is Not a Magician”	Kyle Gladding
Benediction		Kyler Kramer
Candle Lighting	“Go Light Your World” <i>Chris Rice</i>	Class of 2021
Recessional	Festive Overture <i>Dmitri Shostakovich</i>	

# SABBATH SCHOOL

Sabbath, June 5, 2021 - 10:00 a.m.

Song Service		Class of 2021
Welcome		Madalyn Nichols
Prayer		Mikayla Brenton
Special Music	“Kingsfold” <i>arr. David Marlatt</i>	String Ensemble
Scripture		Abraham Ellis Lahav
Sabbath School		Joe Hess
Closing Prayer		Richard Scott

# BACCALAUREATE

Sabbath, June 5, 2021 - 11:00 a.m.

Senior Processional “Singet Dem Herrn Ein Neues Lied”	<i>J.S. Bach</i>	
Welcome and Announcements		Alexander Wilfley
Invocation		Chloe Bryant
Hymn	“A Mighty Fortress” <i>Martin Luther</i>	Congregation
Call for Offering		Xochilt Rios Morales
Offertory	“Sleepers Awake” <i>J.S. Bach/arr. Andrew Middleton</i>	Dylan, Ian, Lucy
Scripture	Romans 8:31	Evan Pierce
Prayer		Ryan Coon
Special Music	“I Want to Walk As a Child of the Light” <i>Kathleen Thomerson</i>	Choraliers
Introduction of Speaker		Rebekah Renyolds
Baccalaureate Address	“If”	Eric Johnson
Benediction		Joshua Ford
Recessional	“Great Gate of Kiev” <i>Modest Mussorgsky/Ravel</i>	

# SUNDOWN MEDITATION

Sabbath, June 5, 2021 - 8:30 p.m.

Welcome		Emma Busto
Opening Prayer		Peiteng Li
Song Service		Class of 2021
Devotional Thought		Kendra Goertzen
Special Music	“Living Proof” <i>Hannah Knipple, Caleb Shirinzadeh</i>	Hannah K., Madeline
Devotional Thought		Rachel Hare
Special Music	“Jesu, Joy of Man’s Desiring” <i>J.S. Bach</i>	Faith & Abigail
Closing Prayer		Evan Judge

# CLASS NIGHT

Saturday, June 5, 2021 - 9:15 p.m.

Welcome and Announcements		Luke Ganson
Opening Prayer		Zachary Davis
Introduction of Officers		Curtis Anderson
Introduction of President		Makena Fleck
President’s Address		Lorelei Harbour
Presentation of Class Gift		Zachary Damm
Presentation of the Class of 2022		Dylan Hill
Closing Prayer		Juliana Hughes

## COURTESY INFORMATION

Commencement is a joyful and dignified occasion. We appreciate everyone conducting themselves accordingly. Graduates and families look forward to this milestone with excitement and anticipation, and appropriate conduct by everyone will create positive memories for all who attend.

We ask that you express your excitement in ways that will not prevent others from hearing the speakers and enjoying the ceremony (no horn-blowing, Silly String, or fireworks for reasons of courtesy and personal safety). We request that no glitter or confetti be used in order to preserve the carpet. Please stay off the stage and stairs.

Cell phones and pagers should be turned to their silent operating modes to help ensure that all guests can hear and enjoy the activities.

## GRADUATION HANDSHAKE PICTURES

A professional photographer will take a diploma handshake photo of each graduate during the ceremony on Sunday, and you may order the photo from the representative in the gym lobby prior to Commencement. You may also order online at [www.northern-exposures.com](http://www.northern-exposures.com). Please honor the photographer's field of view.

## LIVE STREAM AVAILABLE

All weekend programs will be live streamed. View the video stream online at "[www.ucaa.org/live](http://www.ucaa.org/live)." A link to the written program is available on the site.

## COMMENCEMENT

Sunday, June 6, 2021 - 10:00 a.m.

Junior Processional	Concerto for 2 Trumpets <i>Antonio Vivaldi</i>	
Senior Processional	"Pomp and Circumstance No. 1" <i>Edward Elgar</i>	
Invocation		Bianca Aguilar
Welcome		Aubrey Glover
Scripture	Galatians 6:9	Kathleen Tucker
Special Music	"Just a Closer Walk With Thee" <i>arr. Don Gillis</i>	Brass Ensemble
Introduction of Speaker		Caleb Shirinzadeh
Commencement Address	"Don't Give Up"	Bryce Reading
Board Chairman's Challenge		Rodney Mills
Presentation of Scholarships		John McVay, WWU President
Principal's Awards		Eric Johnson, Principal
Presentation of Diplomas		Eric Johnson, Principal Charles Hartman, VP for Academics
Special Music	"Irish Blessing" <i>Graeme Langager</i>	Octet
Benediction		Garrett Christensen
Recessional	"Toccata in F" <i>Charles-Marie Widor</i>	