

SCHEDULE OF GRADUATE COMMENCEMENT ACTIVITIES | SPRING 2026

Saturday, May 2

7:00 p.m. 113th annual Commencement Concert featuring the Olivet Nazarene University Orchestra and selected student soloists, with Dr. Neal Woodruff conducting, Larsen Fine Arts Center, Kresge Auditorium

Friday, May 8

7:30 p.m. *Baccalaureate Service* (Doors open at 6:00 p.m.)

Speaker: Dr. Gregg Chenoweth, President

Location: Betty and Kenneth Hawkins Centennial Chapel. Overflow seating will be in Wisner Hall of Nursing Auditorium.

PLEASE NOTE: Graduates will sit with family and friends during the Baccalaureate Service. Graduates, dressed in their academic robes, should be seated in the Centennial Chapel no later than 7:15 p.m. Only trustees and faculty will march in the academic procession for this service. Line of March for trustees and faculty forms at Weber Center at 6:45 p.m. Graduates and their families are reminded that there will be open seating on the main floor of the Centennial Chapel.

Saturday, May 9

7:30 a.m. *Mathematics Department Graduation Reception*, Burke Lower Level (by invitation only)

7:30 a.m. *Biology Department Graduation Reception*, Reed Atrium (by invitation only)

7:30 a.m. *Engineering Department Breakfast*, Reed Technology Center (by invitation only)

CONVOCATION FOR GRADUATE & CONTINUING STUDIES DEGREE CANDIDATES

1:30 -2:00 p.m. *Line of March for Graduate and Continuing Studies degree candidates and faculty* at Weber Center (Doors open at 1:00 p.m.)

2:00 p.m. Prelude

2:15 p.m. March begins at Weber Center

2:30 p.m. *Commencement Convocation for Graduate and Continuing Studies degree candidates*

Speaker: TBD

Location: Betty and Kenneth Hawkins Centennial Chapel

All Commencement information including livestreaming and on-demand viewing is available at: <https://www.olivet.edu/commencement>.