## **Our Mission**

Grace School of Theology is an evangelical Christian institution of higher learning and has as its purpose the offering of programs of study in an environment where academic excellence is emphasized and a biblically based perspective is maintained. Grace is committed to enriching its students spiritually, intellectually, and professionally, and to preparing students to serve God in a global and culturally diverse society.

# **Our Vision**

The Vision of Grace School of Theology is to develop spiritual leaders in every nation who can teach others about the love of Christ, a love that cannot be earned and cannot be lost.

# **Celebrating Together**

We are honored to celebrate the achievements of today's graduates. All graduates and guests are invited to attend a reception following this afternoon's ceremony.

This graduating class includes several milestones, including our first graduates from Spain and Kazakhstan, our first graduate from the Philippines, our first master's level Spanish Program graduate, and our first Master of Theology graduate. Our graduates represent thirteen states and three countries.

### Resources

*Saving Grace Podcast:* gsot.edu/savinggrace *The Grace of God E-Course:* gsot.edu/graceofgod

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# Grace School of Theology 2017 Commencement



SATURDAY, MAY 13, 2017 THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON Faith Bible Church The Woodlands, Texas

# **Grace School of Theology** 2017 Commencement Program

PRELUDEDr. Juan Peña Sánche
PROCESSIONAL (please rise)Pomp and Circumstand
INVOCATIONScott McEwe
WELCOMEDr. Dave Anderso
<b>OPENING SONG</b>
SCRIPTURE READINGMerrick Bledsoe and Rafael Pae
STUDENT TESTIMONYNekelia Gentr
INTRODUCTION OF GUEST SPEAKERDr. Dave Anderso
COMMENCEMENT ADDRESSRev. Mark Ra
SPECIAL MUSIC: I SurrenderChris Brad
PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATESDr. Albert Letting, I
CONFERRAL OF DEGREESAcademic Dear
DEDICATORY PRAYERDr. Joe Wa
CLOSING HYMNGreat Is Thy Faithfulne.
BENEDICTIONDr. Ken Wilso
RECESSIONALTrumpet Voluntar

#### CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

Biblical Studies Certificate -Meegan Celes Weaver \*\*\*†

#### — Associate of Arts in Biblical Studies —

Bryan Keith Conard \*† Jim J. Fulloon Shane Christopher Kreller \*\*† Carlos Padilla Vazquez \*\*† Christopher Scott Weaver \*\*† Pedro Reina Yañez \*\*\*†

#### — Bachelor of Arts in Biblical Studies -

Moisés Gallardo † Jairo Rolando Mendoza † Vicente Caballero Morales \*\*† Andrew Michael Stacy \*\*\*

#### – Master of Ministry ———

Ghebremedhin Abraham Gusta Booker, III Richard Kenneth Bruce, III \*\*† Nadia Lisa Chavez Emmanuel W. Chea, Jr. † Christopher Robin Craig † Alberto R. Morlett Rauan Muratbayev † Yeldos Nazhenov † Zhailibay Nurumbetov † Matthew Lawson Rowell † Alexander John Livioco Villanueva † William Branton Wallace \*

#### — Master of Arts in Biblical Studies ——

David Elliot Brewer Mark August Fontecchio \*\*\*† Robert Conley Garmon \* Jacqueline Yvonne Hawkins H. Finley Jones \*\*\* John Ashton-Scott Larsen \* Alberto R. Morlett Jonathan Glen Pyle \* Fernando Rocha, Jr. Rebecca Ann Schulthess \* Daniel Christian Suello Timothy Victor Weaver \*\* Deena Rae Williams \*\*

#### – Master of Divinity ——

James Perry Applegate \*\*\* Thomas Ray Young \*\* Richard Keith Keller \*\*

— *Master of Theology* — Shannon Dean Chickering

\*Graduating with Honors | \*\*Graduating with High Honors | \*\*\*Graduating with Highest Honors | † In Absentia