

## BACCALAUREATE SERVICE INSTRUCTIONS Friday, May 3, 2024 7:00 p.m. Graduates must arrive by 6:15 p.m. as noted below.

The Baccalaureate Service is an annual event at Eastern Nazarene College that takes place prior to commencement day. This is a worship service which includes a message focused on the graduates. It is an event which requires that academic regalia be worn by graduates and faculty. All graduates and their families are invited.

Graduates should assemble attired in their academic regalia in the Mann Student Center by 6:15 p.m. (In case of rain, the Metcalfe Gathering Room in the basement of the Wollaston Church will be used). The Registrar's Office will place you in marching order. Tassels should be worn on the right, except Master's candidates whose tassels should be worn on the left.

The processional shall move out promptly at 6:45 p.m. under the direction of the Marshal. Faculty and graduates will be seated appropriately by the Marshal. At the close of the service, there will be a recessional up the main aisle. The Marshals shall direct you to exit row by row on cue.

The Service will begin promptly at 7:00 p.m.

Immediately following the Baccalaureate Service there will be a reception for graduating students and their guests in Lahue Physical Education Center.