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SUNDAY, AUGUST 6, 1944, 11:00 A. M.

Auditorium-Gymnasium

# The Thirty Fourth Annual Summer Baccalaureate Service

## Order of Worship

Processional—War March of the Priests (“Athalia”) . . . Mendelssohn

Organ Prelude—Vision . . . Rheinberger  
Mrs. E. Strain Williams

Call to Worship

Hymn—God of Our Fathers . . . Congregation

1. God of our fathers, whose almighty hand  
Leads forth in beauty all the starry band  
Of shining worlds, in splendor thru' the skies  
Our grateful songs before thy throne arise.
2. Thy love divine hath led us in the past,  
In this free land by thee our lot is cast;  
Be thy our ruler, guardian, guide and stay *thou*  
Thy word our law, thy paths our chosen way.
3. From war's alarms, from deadly pestilence,  
Be thy strong arm our ever sure defense;  
Thy true religion in our hearts increase,  
Thy bounteous goodness nourish us in peace.
4. Refresh thy people on their toilsome way,  
Lead us from night to never-ending day;  
Fill all our lives with love and grace divine,  
And glory, laud, and praise be ever thine.

Scripture Lesson

Prayer

Response . . . College Choir

Offering—(Benefit, Southwest Regional “Y” Budget)

Offertory Response

Inflamatus (Stabat Mater) . . . Rossini  
College Choir—Mable Myers, Soloist

Special Address . . . Rev. I. B. Loud  
Dist. Superintendent, Methodist Church, San Antonio, Tex.

Song—“Lord, I Want To Be A Christian”  
The College Choir

Benediction

Response . . . College Choir

Recessional . . . Congregation (Seated)