

Mount St. Joseph University
presents



A TOAST TO THE CLASS OF 2025

Monday, January 13, 2025

6 - 7:30 p.m.

5/3 Bank Dining Hall

100 Days Champagne Toast

One hundred days before Commencement, we celebrate the Spring 2025 Senior Class at *The Pinnacle* of their journey at the Mount with a champagne toast. This event launches the countdown to graduation and *The Pinnacle Series* of programs that will support students as they plan for their lives after college and their future as MSJ Alumni.

- 6:00 p.m. | Guests Check-in at Registration Table**
- 6:05 p.m. | Welcome** Janet Cox
Dean of Students
- 7:00 p.m. | Introductions** Dr. Steve Almquist
Provost
- 7:05 p.m. | 100 Day Toast to Class of 2025**..... Dr. H. James Williams
President, Mount St. Joseph University
Carole Campbell Williams
First Lady, Mount St. Joseph University
- 7:25 p.m. | MSJ Alma Mater**
- Please join President and Mrs. H. James Williams in singing the MSJ Alma Mater.*
- 7:28 p.m. | First of 100 Tips for 100 Days** Carole Campbell Williams
- 7:30 p.m. | Conclusion**

Special Thanks

100 Day Toast Event and The Pinnacle Series Committee
Carole Campbell Williams, Chair;
Paige Ellerman; Steve Almquist;
Jaimi Cabrera; Janet Cox; Sydney Prochazka; Melissa Rouse; and Lisa Tinsley

Voices of Gold
Sarah Lois Barton; Hallie Davin Browning; Brianna Cornelius; Sarah Elizabeth Haverbusch; Teresa Marie Longano; Megan Sue McNulty; Alyssa Grace Meyer; Brinna Mae Otto; Jaelin Rose Parker; Rain Phoenix-Brown; Joshua David Pille; Amadeus Sparks; and Grace Upton

Ensemble
Ethan Imm, Electric Bass; Marisa Larson, Voice; and Mark McCafferty, Vibraphone

Event Catering
Chef Robert “Buddy” Fristoe; Brenda Ellington; Cheryl Wendlandt; and the AVI team

Pinnacle Series Brand and Marketing
Amanda Absher; Bevin Blankenbuehler; Greg Goldschmidt Jr.; Amanda Gratsch; Heather Konerman; Chloe Seckman; and Jeff Wampler

MSJ Alma Mater

Lion's Heart

The Mount St. Joseph University Alma Mater

Mark McCafferty

♩ = 100

G- B \flat C C B \flat F B \flat F C F B \flat

5 C D-/C C E-7 \flat 5 D- C D- C 7 F/C C 7 F/A C F B \flat F

Ma - ter Dei and Good Saint Jo - seph Pa - tron of our school,

9 G- D 7 G- C/G E-7 \flat 5 C/G B \flat F/C B \flat /C F/C C 7 F

Guide our Dear Al - ma Ma - ter Gol - den is thy rule.

13 C B \flat F/C B \flat D- C/D D- A- 7 B \flat D 7 G-

1. Stand for Jus - tice as we should, Ser - vice to the Com - mon Good,
2. Set the Pace and Light the Way, Space for all to have their Say,

17 F C 7 /B \flat F/C B \flat /D C/G D- C

1. Dare to Risk a Car - ing Heart Meet the needs and do our Part.
2. Cher - ish each and eve - ry day

21 1. F C 7 F B \flat C A- G- C 7 F

Li - ons form our Hearts with M S J!

The Pinnacle Series

Throughout 100 days before the May Graduation Ceremony, we will honor our next graduating class with events that allow our seniors to unite, reflect, and celebrate the summit of their journey—*The Pinnacle*. All events are provided at no cost to students.

THE ART OF SELLING YOURSELF TO POTENTIAL EMPLOYERS

Thursday, January 30, 2025 | 2 - 3 p.m. | Williams Recital Hall

Presented by Teri Compton '05, '90, MSJ Chief Human Resources Officer, and Amanda Meeker, MSJ Director of the Career & Experiential Education Center.

GRAD FINALE

Tuesday, February 11, 2025 | 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. | Molloy Room

Wednesday, February 12, 2025 | 4 - 6 p.m. | Molloy Room

Sponsored by the Office of Student Affairs.

NETWORKING EDITION

Thursday, February 13, 2025 | 2 - 3 p.m. | Williams Recital Hall

Presented by Carole Campbell Williams, MSJ First Lady, and Michelle Williams McAlister, Senior Director of Marketing for Lay's, PepsiCo.

MSJ SPRING CAREER FAIR

Wednesday, February 26, 2025 | Noon - 2 p.m. | Theatre Gallery & Lobby

Sponsored by the Career & Experiential Education Center.

FINDING PURPOSE AFTER THE MOUNT

Thursday, March 13, 2025 | 2 - 3 p.m. | Williams Recital Hall

Presented by Panel of MSJ Alumni: Jeremy Viltro '02, Senior Vice President, Line of Business CFO, Fifth Third Bank; Richard Hess-Leurs '00, Fabric & Home Care TSO Daily Operations Leader at Procter & Gamble; Melissa Rouse '21, MSJ Alumni Engagement Manager.

BECOMING FINANCIALLY INDEPENDENT AFTER COLLEGE

Thursday, March 27, 2025 | 2 - 3 p.m. | Williams Recital Hall

Presented by Dan Sutton '08, '95, President and CEO of Kemba Credit Union.

THRIVE & SHINE: SELF-CARE FOR YOUNG PROFESSIONALS

Thursday, April 10, 2025 | 2 - 3 p.m. | Interfaith Chapel

Presented by Patsy Schwaiger Willig '73, Licensed Professional Clinical Counselor, MSJ TriHealth Health & Wellness Center.

READY TO LAUNCH: THE FINAL INSTALLMENT

Thursday, April 24, 2025 | 2 - 3 p.m. | Williams Recital Hall

Presented by Carole Campbell Williams, MSJ First Lady, and Distinguished Guests and Alumni.