Emmanuel Celebrates President’s 25th Anniversary

The College recently held two very special events to honor Sister Janet Eisner, SND on the occasion of her 25th anniversary as President of Emmanuel.

On Thursday, April 28th, 450 friends of the College attended a dinner at the Seaport Hotel Plaza Ballroom in Boston. The very successful event raised funds to benefit Emmanuel College’s new Center for Mission and Spirituality.

Emmanuel will celebrate a historic 83rd Commencement on Saturday, May 14th, with nearly 400 students receiving bachelor’s and master’s degrees, and the first coed class of traditional undergraduates receiving diplomas. This year, the College will honor Rosie’s Place Founder Kip Tiernan, who will serve as the Commencement Speaker, Boston College Historian Thomas O’Connor and Emmanuel College alumni celebrating her 70th reunion Anastasia Kirby Lundquist ’35.

Tiernan began Rosie’s Place in 1974, and at the time, it was the first shelter for homeless women in the United States. Tiernan has led the fight to feed and shelter the homeless throughout Boston for 30 years. She is also the founder of the Greater Boston Food Bank, a founding member of the Boston Women’s Fund, Community Works, the Massachusetts Coalition for the Homeless and Health Care for the Homeless, and co-director of the Poor People’s United Fund, a funding source for grass roots community groups. She has had a long relationship with the College and the Sisters of Notre Dame.

Dr. Thomas O’Connor is Boston’s preeminent historian and has published numerous books on the history of Boston and its many populations. His most recent book is Eminent Bostonians, published in 2002 by Harvard University Press. His book, The Hub, has been a component of the Cityscapes course at Emmanuel. He is an accomplished scholar and reaches, and a renowned lecturer who was recognized with an Emmy Award in 1996 for his role in the WGBH documentary, “Boston: The Way it Was.”

Anastasia Kirby Lundquist ’35 is an accomplished writer and performer who played an important role in the early days of radio. She is the author of a history of the Emmanuel Chapel entitled, The Chapel Speaks, and also of A Dream of Christmas Eve. A loyal alumna who has been actively involved with her alma mater since her graduation, Stasia Lundquist is the oldest living relative of Emmanuel’s first Dean and a founder of the College, Sister Helen Madeleine Ingraham, SND.

Emmanuel Professor of Biology Bette Weiss will be presented with the Faculty Excellence-in-Teaching Award for 2004-2005 during Commencement. A member of the faculty for more than 20 years, Dr. Weiss has been the Chair of the Biology Department for several years.

This year’s student speakers are Catherine DesRoche, representing the Class of 2005, and Rosanne White representing Graduate and Professional Programs.

Emmanuel Commemorates the Life of Pope John Paul II

The College held two events on April 7th to honor Pope John Paul II’s extraordinary life and recognize his tremendous impact on the world.

A panel discussion on “The Legacy of the Pope” in the Janet M. Daley Library Lecture Hall looked at the influence of Pope John Paul II from religious, historic and political viewpoints. Emmanuel President Sister Janet Eisner, SND, Professor of Theology Dr. Mary Hines and Professor of Political Science Dr. Lenore Martin offered their personal reflections and research on his 26 years as pontiff.

Sister Janet spoke from personal experience about her three visits to see Pope John Paul II during his papacy. She talked about his strong connection with U.S. Catholic colleges and universities during his visits to Catholic University and with President Jimmy Carter in Washington, DC in 1979 and to Xavier University in New Orleans in 1987. She reflected on his call for Catholic colleges and universities to encourage their students to form a personal synthesis between faith and culture, and to serve their communities and society. Sister Janet also spoke about her pilgrimage to visit the Pope in Cuba in 1998 with a delegation from the Archdiocese of Boston. She recalled the poor living conditions in Cuba and the hope that the Pope’s message to the Cuban people instilled in them, noting that this historic visit impacted positively the revival of Catholicism and the improvement of diplomatic relations between the U.S. and Cuba.

Dr. Hines examined the impact of Pope John Paul II on the life of the church. She pointed out that the office of the papacy is primarily a ministry of unity, evidenced powerfully through the charismatic leadership of John Paul II. She also discussed the Pope’s outreach to young people, particularly through World Youth Days, the commitment to the life and...
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dignity of each human person that animated his social teaching, and his position on women in the church. She particularly noted his commitment to ecumenism and his contribution to the globalization of the church.

Dr. Martin talked of the Pope's international impact through his extensive travels and his awareness of world issues. She looked at three major global concerns and his significant impact on them: the downfall of communism, the recognition of the injustices towards the Jews by the Church, and the creation of a bridge to the Muslim world. She pointed out that Pope John Paul II used religion to inspire freedom and to reach out to others. Dr. Martin specifically cited his 1985 meeting with Muslim youth, his 1995 recognition of Israel and the Vatican's exchange of ambassadors.

A Mass of Remembrance was celebrated in the College Chapel for the Emmanuel Community as a tribute to Pope John Paul II. In her remarks, Sister Janet quoted Pope John Paul II's message to youth.

"You understand what is most important in your lives—your contact with God, your searching for the meaning of life by listening to Christ as he speaks to you in the scriptures. I am pleased to know that reflection on spiritual and religious values is part of your desire to live fully this time of your lives."

He continued, "Enjoy the privileges of your youth: the right to be dynamic, creative and spontaneous; the right to be full of hope and joy; the opportunity to explore the marvelous world of science and knowledge; and above all the chance to give of yourself to others in generous and joyful service."

Campus Honored for Landscape Design

The Boston Society of Landscape Architects recently announced recipients of their 2005 Annual Awards Program, recognizing excellence in landscape architecture. Emmanuel's quad, designed by Carol R. Johnson Associates, Inc., was awarded a merit award under the category of institutional design.

Judges commented that the landscape design makes efficient use of the existing campus space and successfully combines the architecture of other buildings of the campus with the new design. They indicated positive differences between the previous landscape and the current design.

The BSLA is the local chapter of the America Society of Landscape Architects, a national professional organization founded in 1899.

Psychology Club Hosts Author

The Psychology Club hosted a lecture with award-winning psychology writer Annie Murphy Paul on March 31st in the Janet M. Daley Library Lecture Hall. Paul spoke on her book, The Cult of Personality, about the history and misuse of personality tests.

Paul's book discusses the relation between the background of the personality tests and the industries and government agencies who use them. She is a former senior editor at Psychology Today and writes a monthly column for Shape magazine. Her articles have also appeared in other popular publications.

BSU and HUELLAS Host Alumni Event

Members of the Black Student Union (BSU) and Helping Unite Latinos to Lead and Achieve Success (HUELLAS) welcomed alumni to campus on April 17th for their annual gathering.

Wireless Network Debuts Across Campus

The Information Technology department recently announced the activation of the Emmanuel College Wireless Network. All students, faculty and staff with active First Class accounts will be able to access the Internet on their laptops at several campus locations. The laptops must contain a wireless networking card.

The Wireless Network is currently available at the following campus locations: Jean Yawkey Center – Maureen Murphy Wiltens Atrium, dining hall and second floor lounge Cardinal Cushing Library – Main Reading Room (first floor) and second floor reading room St. Joseph Hall – First floor lounge St. Ann Hall – First floor lounge Julie Hall – Hynes Square Lorenzo Hall – First floor lounge Instructions for connecting to the Wireless Network are available at the IT Helpdesk. Contact the Helpdesk by e-mail at helpdesk@emmanuel.edu or by phone at 735-9966.
Emmanuel Co-Sponsors “Pathways to Healthcare”

The Colleges of the Fenway and Longwood Medical Area hospitals recently co-sponsored “Pathways to Healthcare,” an informational event for students to learn about opportunities in the healthcare and medical fields. The event was held on April 5th at Children’s Hospital and was co-sponsored by Emmanuel with Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Children’s Hospital, Boston, Dana Farber Cancer Institute, Harvard Medical School, Massachusetts General Hospital, Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Simmons College and Wheelock College.

Professionals in fields such as child development, radiology, pharmacy and scientific research were available to discuss career opportunities with students. Panel discussions were held for non-science careers in health care and nursing careers. Students also participated in tours of Longwood hospitals and research labs.

Hehir Speaks at Annual Lecture

Emmanuel College welcomed Reverend J. Bryan Hehir, president of Catholic Charities for the Archdiocese of Boston, as the speaker at this year’s Sr. Marie Augusta Neal SND Lecture. The lecture took place on Tuesday, March 29th, in the Janet M. Daley Library Lecture Hall. Hehir spoke on “Catholic Social Teaching and American Social Policy.”

Hehir is the Parker Gilbert Montgomery Professor of the Practice of Religion and Public Life at the Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University and was formerly the head of the Harvard Divinity School and an Emmanuel College faculty member.

This annual lecture honors Sister Marie Augusta Neal, SND, a graduate of Emmanuel and former faculty member for 37 years, who was widely known for numerous publications on social justice and change, and women in the church.

New Staff

Nadia Georgieva joins the Emmanuel staff as the new Human Resources Representative. She holds a bachelor's degree in applied linguistics from South-West University in Bulgaria and an associate’s degree from North Central Michigan College.

Kristin Lampros is a new Enrollment Counselor for Graduate and Professional Programs. Previously, she was Director of Student Activities at Pine Manor College and Interim Assistant Director of Transfer Admissions and Articulation at Salem State College. A graduate of Emmanuel, she holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in psychology and also earned a Master of Education in Administration of Higher Education from Suffolk University.

Fern MacKinnon is the new Associate Registrar. MacKinnon comes to Emmanuel from Lesley University, where she held the position of records coordinator for the registrar. She holds a bachelor's degree in education from the University of Massachusetts Amherst.

Students Listed in Who’s Who

The 2005 edition of Who’s Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges will include the names of 16 students from Emmanuel College who have been selected as national outstanding campus leaders.

Students have been honored in the annual directory since it was first published in 1934. Students named this year from Emmanuel College are:

Zuleika Andrade
Amy Bozak
Geoffrey Brewerton
Casey Cartwright
Catherine DesRoche
Kelly Dunn
Alexis Edwards
Lorena Escoto
Dr. Raymond Devittere

“Memory Stream” at Immig Gallery Exhibit

“Memory Stream,” on display at the Lillian Immig Art Gallery, features artwork by local artists using digital photography. David Davidson, Gary Duehr, Theresa Monaco, Professor Emeritus of Art at Emmanuel College, and Gustavo Soto-Rosa combine digital photography processes and issues of memory.

Davidson works in a variety of media, most recently in Polaroid processes and issues of memory. As a frequent traveler, he often relates geography to time and memory in his work. Duehr, a photographer, shows three works on vinyl in this exhibit that raise issues surrounding surveillance and security. Monaco draws from her Italian-American family background to create an exhibit of prints created from 35 mm photos, digital files, video and film.

“Memory Streams” is on display from April 6th to May 21st. The gallery is located on the second floor of the Cardinal Cushing Library and is open Monday through Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Emmanuel hosted its 16th Annual International Hospitality Night on March 31st, celebrating the variety of cultures represented at the College. An international buffet was served in the Maureen Murphy Wilkens Atrium, where poster displays from 15 countries were available for viewing. Displays for tsunami relief and a world landmark map were also presented.

Students offered international performances in the Marian Hall Dining Room. Jennilee De Hoyos '06 served as the master of ceremonies.

The night's performers

Marie-Ange Ahui (Cote d'Ivoire) and Anna Karoleen Lam (Philippines)

Associate Director of International Admissions Tracey Reza and Yupseng Ing (Burma)

Sister Mary T. Kelleher, SND represents Ireland

Yariela Vinuet de Brandao (Panama) and Kathleen Malkiewicz (Poland)

Garisbel Santamaria (Columbia), Petya and Vera Kehayova (Bulgaria) and Jessica Leon (Ecuador)

Stacey-Ann Vassell-Johnson (Jamaica)

Yogini Ragunathan, Ada Kokoshi, Tuyen Nguyen and Hoa Nguyen
Sophomore Pinning Ceremony

The Sophomore Pinning Ceremony, held on March 19th in the Auditorium, marked the Class of 2007's official declaration of majors. Members of the class were given Emmanuel College pins, presented to them by the chairs of each academic department. Father Stephen Boyle, Co-Director of Campus Ministry, delivered the invocation, followed by remarks to the class by President Sister Janet Eisner, SND. Louise Cash, Professor of Music and Speech Communications/Theater Arts, served as guest speaker. Carolyn Caveny, Senior Associate Dean of Academic Advising, and Dean of Students Joe Onorietti led the sophomores in the candle lighting portion of the program.

Sophomores light candles during the ceremony.

Class President Michael Valanzola with Professor Louise Cash, who served as the event's guest speaker.

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Emmanuel students and staff traveled 2,700 miles to Phoenix, AZ for spring break to volunteer with area service organizations. Alternative Spring Break, an annual week-long service project, took place from March 5th through the 10th this year. The Emmanuel group served at the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, where they helped to prepare and serve meals for the homeless and working poor, and sorted donated clothing and household items. Other service sites were St. Matthew's School, where Emmanuel students were housed during the week, and Maggie's Place, a home for expectant young mothers.

Student participants included: Zuleika Andrade, Jessica Arruda, Erin Birmingham, Joseph Boyle, Nora Byron, Kelly Clark, Cat DeRoche, Christian Gomez, Renee Hackett, Stephanie Kelley, Daniel Lourenco, Alex Markarian, Lori-Anne McCarthy, James McKay, Caitlin Munville, Christopher Mulvey, Margaret Reid, Jarrod Rondeau, Sai Souyavong, Stephanie Towle, Shannon Trask, Kimberly Vanick, Ali Weller, Meredith Wilmer and Michael Zakarian.

Emmanuel staff participating were: Father Steve Boyle, Sister Peggy Cummins, SND, Michael Dolan, Susan Kelly and Sister Marie McDonald, SND.

Spring Break Tradition Continues

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No, No, Nanette! Delights Crowds

With three sold out performances, the Emmanuel College Theatre Guild’s April production of the musical *No, No, Nanette!* is the most widely-attended show ever at the College.

In other ECTG news, Michael Buckley ’06 has been named the winner of the Michael Buckley O’Neill Institute Region One Theater Critics’ Award from the American College Theater Festival. This is award is given specifically for writing about theater, and it is based on materials Buckley wrote and submitted while attending the January Regional Festival in Providence. For this achievement, he will receive an all-expense paid trip to the Kennedy Center in Washington, DC to participate in an intensive week of writing and theater criticism courses with top national names.

Library Enhances Resources

The Cardinal Cushing Library has dramatically increased the number of resources offered since 2002, both on-campus and online. New book purchases have increased 150% and the book collection has grown to more than 99,000 volumes. Library services are also increasing based on growth in the College’s enrollment: reference questions answered have increased 89.5%; database searches are up 70%; and library instruction classes have increased 18%.

The library’s web site was redesigned last summer to better organize subscription databases and Internet resources. Significant full-text online databases have also been added to facilitate research: Elsevier’s Science Direct, which includes medical and physical science collections as well as nursing and psychology journals; four Arts and Sciences collections in JSTOR; and most recently Project MUSE, ERIHPC’s Academic Search Premier, a multidisciplinary database that indexes more than 8000 titles, has also been upgraded.

The library staff is excited that Interlibrary Loan activity increased dramatically last year. There were nearly five times more requests for Emmanuel materials from other libraries than Emmanuel students requested from others.

Please visit the library web site at www1.emmanuel.edu/library.

College’s Inaugural Multicultural Weekend a Success

Emmanuel launched its first-ever Multicultural Experience Weekend on April 1st with 24 students accepted into the Class of 2009 coming to campus to observe classes, meet with current students, staff and administrators, and discuss multicultural offerings at the College. Dean for Enrollment Sandra Robbins, Assistant Director of Admissions and Coordinator of Multicultural Students Roystone Martinez, Associate Director of International Admissions Tracey Reza and Associate Director of Student Activities and Multicultural Programs Damita Davis were on-hand to greet students and begin the day’s events.

After day-time classes, meetings with student financial services, and a Multicultural Programs panel, students joined administrators for a catered dinner. Current Emmanuel students then met and served as hosts for the accepted students.

The evening portion of the program began with a conversation with Board of Trustees member, Emmanuel alumna and Boston College Assistant Vice President of Student Affairs Dr. Sheilah Shaw Horton ’81. She spoke of what separates Emmanuel from its competitors and of the strength and vitality provided by an Emmanuel degree.

The evening continued with several activities, including a men’s volleyball game and the musical *No, No Nanette!* and concluded with programming sponsored by the Black Student Union and H.U.E.L.L.A.S.

Roystone Martinez said, “I am elated that the Emmanuel community embraced and welcomed these future leaders who will bring an enriching and dynamic perspective to our institution.”
The women's team also had some strong performances by several athletes. Freshman Ashley School record in the long jump with his 2nd place finish (20'10.75). The men's 4 x 400 meter relay team, consisting of Allen and Rene, along with Carlos Escobar and Matt Hickey also broke the school record with a time of 3:39.90. Both relay teams and Allen's individual performance qualified the athletes for the New England Division III Championships. Thurnauer also competed in the javelin throw and set a new school record on his second attempt with his 118.6" throw.

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The squad triumphed over neighborhood rival Wentworth on March 24th in four games. The Saints took the first game, 30-23, and won the final two, 30-22 and 30-17, to secure the win. Mazur recorded a program-record 34 kills, along with 34 kills, 17 digs and 4 blocks. Bowman had 9 kills and made 5 blocks. Bemis had a team-high 18 digs, while senior setter Brian Forsman dished out 39 assists in the win. Holmes accumulated a career-high 14 digs in the match.

On March 21st, Lasell College fell to Emmanuel in three games. The game scores were: 30-17, 30-18, and 30-14. McNeil led the way for Emmanuel with 15 kills in 20 attacks. Forsman had a team-high 24 assists in the win.

The men's and women's track & field teams started off their outdoor season in record-breaking fashion at the Tufts University Hillside Relays on April 9th. The 4 x 100 meter relay team of Michael Thurnauer, Serginho Rene, Casey Vallor and Rob Allen finished fourth overall, breaking the school record. Rob Allen came back an hour later to establish a new school record in the long jump with his 2nd place finish (20'10.75). The men's 4 x 400 meter relay team, consisting of Allen and Rene, along with Carlos Escobar and Matt Hickey also broke the school record with a time of 3:39.90. Both relay teams and Allen's individual performance qualified the athletes for the New England Division III Championships. Thurnauer also competed in the javelin throw and set a new school record with their time of 4:57.56.

Emmanuel softball team defeated Daniel Webster College in both games of a conference double-header on April 15th. The Saints took the first game, 10-9, and won the second, 16-0. Senior center fielder Venus Corriveau led the Saints with six hits in eight at-bats, with three RBIs. Sophomore catcher Christine Sampson totaled five hits in eight at-bats, with five RBIs. Junior outfielder Katherine Palmer-Thompson knocked in six runs in three hits, while freshman third baseman Jen Walsh added 5 hits and 4 RBIs. Sophomore pitcher Jess Arruda earned the win in the first game, facing 32 batters in seven innings. Arruda struck out six batters, walked two, and gave up eight hits. In game two, sophomore pitcher Lisa Donehey threw a five-inning shut-out, striking out seven of 18 batters and giving up only two hits. The Saints are currently 9-18 overall and 8-8 in the GNAC. The team split Great Northeast Athletic Conference double-headers on April 9th and 10th. Emmanuel blanked Southern Vermont in the first game on April 9th, 17-0, but fell to the Mountaineers in the second game, 11-10. On April 10th, Emmanuel faced Johnson & Wales in their second double-header of the weekend. The Saints took an early 3-0 lead in the top of the second inning after a two-run single by senior second baseman Erin Woodbury. An RBI ground-out by senior left-fielder Katey Wentworth gave Emmanuel a 4-2 advantage in the top of the sixth. The Wildcats responded with 3 runs in the bottom of the sixth to give them the 5-4 victory over the Saints. In the nightcap, the Saints set the pace with an early lead behind an RBI single by Palmer-Thompson. Four runs in the top of the seventh inning, including a 2-run single by Palmer-Thompson, gave Emmanuel the 6-0 win. Arruda recorded her first collegiate shut-out, facing 29 batters in the 7 innings.

On April 5th, the team fell to Salem State College, 14-3. Freshman designated hitter Elise Zablowski went two for three, scored a run, and added an RBI. Walsh (third base) had two hits in three at-bats. Donehey faced 33 batters, striking out two and giving up two earned runs in six innings. Arruda closed out the game for the Saints, facing nine batters in the seventh inning. The team swept Rivier College in a GNAC double-header on April 1st in Nashua, NH. In the opening game, donehey notched her first collegiate win, as the Saints defeated Rivier, 9-6. Donehey struck out 12, while allowing three earned runs. Corriveau stole three bases and scored three runs for the Saints. Palmer-Thompson had three RBIs, while Arruda reached the base four times, scored twice, and knocked in one run. In the second game, Arruda recorded her first collegiate win, in the 8-5 decision, striking out five and walking two batters. Palmer-Thompson went three for four, with three RBIs and junior shortstop Meg Paszko also scored twice for the Saints.

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Schedule of Events

Friday, May 13th

BACCALAUREATE LITURGY AND ACADEMIC AWARDS
6:00 p.m.

The Baccalaureate Liturgy and Academic Awards Ceremony will be held under the tent on the College Campus. The class of 2005 will meet in the Gym at 5:35 p.m., wearing academic dress (caps, gowns and black shoes). Academic hoods are not worn at Baccalaureate Liturgy. Academic Awards will be presented following the Liturgy.

Individual academic awards for outstanding GPAs will be presented at the end of the Liturgy. Students who will be receiving an academic award will be notified in advance.

GRADUATE RECEPTION
(immediately following the Baccalaureate Liturgy and Award Ceremony)

A reception for the graduates and their guests will be held in the Maureen Murphy Wilkens Atrium in the Jean Yawkey Center on the College campus immediately following the Baccalaureate Liturgy and Awards.

Saturday, May 14th

COMMENCEMENT EXCERCISES
11:00 a.m.

Commencement Day Exercises will be held under the tent on the College Campus. Graduates will assemble in the Gym at 9:45 a.m. wearing academic attire. The line will form alphabetically by degree and Marshals will direct. Baccalaureate candidates will wear hoods. Master's candidates must carry their hoods.

After the degrees have been conferred, Ali Weller '05 and Kathleen Kinneen, of Graduate and Professional Programs, will lead the graduates in the turning of the tassel.

An outdoor reception will immediately follow Commencement exercises for graduates and their guests on the main quad.

Important Information

CAP AND GOWNS
Academic dress for all graduates can be purchased through the Emmanuel College Bookstore from April 11th through May 14, 2005. The price list for academic dress is available through the Bookstore. Hours of operation for the Bookstore during Commencement week will be:

- Wednesday, May 11: 9 - 7 p.m.
- Thursday, May 12: 9 - 6 p.m.
- Friday, May 13: 9 - 7 p.m.
- Saturday, May 14: 8 - 2 p.m.

Please call Robin Doran at 617.264.7697 if you have any questions or concerns.

Members of the faculty and college administrators who have not yet rented caps, gowns, or hoods for Baccalaureate and Commencement exercises should contact the bookstore.

TICKETS
Each graduate will receive five (5) formal invitations and three (3) tickets for seating under the tent. Each ticket admits one person. Seating under the tent will be limited, however, if needed; graduates may request one additional ticket in the Academic Dean's Office. Invitation packets are available in the Academic Dean's office in the Administration Building, Room 209 (or in the GPP Office).

COMMENCEMENT VIDEOS AND PHOTOGRAPHS
If you wish to order a VHS or DVD copy of Commencement, please send a check payable to Emmanuel College for $15.00 to the attention of Molly Honan in the Government, Community and Public Relations Office. Please indicate whether you wish to order VHS or DVD and include the address to which you would like the item sent. If you have any questions please contact Molly Honan at 617.735.9876.

A photographer will take pictures of each graduate. Information about purchasing photographs will be sent to your home address in the coming weeks from the Vice President of Student Affairs Office. If you have further questions please contact Noreen Hegarty at 617.735.9722.

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PARKING
There will be limited parking for the Baccalaureate Liturgy and Commencement Exercises on campus on a first-come-first-serve basis. If you require handicapped parking, a limited number of accessible spaces are available on campus. Please contact the Emmanuel College Campus Security Office at the telephone number listed above for assistance. Because of the limited availability of handicapped parking spaces on campus, you may be asked to drop off your party and park at one of several locations near the College.

Graduate Checklist
1. Verify academic status with academic advisor. All transfer credits must be received prior to April 20th.
2. Confirm financial status with Office of Student Financial Services.
3. Students with Federal or State Student Loans must have an exit interview with the Office of Student Financial Services.
4. If you are not attending Commencement, please complete a Commencement Absence Form and return to the Registrar's Office.
5. Return all library books to the Library.
6. Purchase caps, gowns, and hoods from the Emmanuel College Bookstore.

If you have any other questions pertaining to Commencement activities, please contact Terry Wilcox in the Academic Affairs Office at 617-735-9945.