

Graduates Look Back—and Ahead!

Who knows MLC better than a graduating senior? These grads have been immersed in Knight life for four (or five!) years. We asked them to look back at how MLC has shaped them . . . and then tell us how they're feeling about the next step—receiving an assignment on Call Day or heading to the seminary. We couldn't include all they said, but here's a sampling.



Kate Mensching, Elementary Ed (*LPS / St. Luke-Watertown WI, left*) I cannot believe Call Day is almost here! How cool is it that God has each of our futures planned out already for us? I don't have to apply anywhere, and I don't have to go on the job hunt. Instead, I find peace in knowing that wherever God plants me is where I'll serve him best. I couldn't be more excited!



Eli Crass, Preseminary Studies (*LPS / Divine Grace-Lake Orion MI, right*) What I'm most grateful for is the incredible professors. These men and women truly are answers to our synod's prayers. Not only are they incredibly knowledgeable, but they're always ready to listen, always willing to help, and deeply committed to students' academic, emotional, and spiritual growth. To say they influenced me would be an understatement. They shaped my entire experience.



Kassi Aguilar, Early Childhood Ed (*Cal Luth / Cross of Glory-Peoria AZ, left*) MLC has truly been a second home. I've grown to love the town of New Ulm and its people, the opportunity to make lifelong friendships, and especially the privilege of hearing God's Word in daily chapel and classes. MLC is truly a place where I never felt alone, and that can't be said about all colleges.



Corey Tipton, Preseminary Studies (*WISCO / St. Lucas-Milwaukee, right*) I love MLC for all of the wonderful opportunities it's given me—from learning three new languages to playing intramurals. I'm just so grateful for MLC allowing me to stay focused on my academics and also to mature as a human being.



Colin Krueger, Secondary Physics & Secondary Music Ed (*FVL / Riverview-Appleton WI, left*) I adored singing at every opportunity, whether it be in choir, musicals, voice recitals, or chapel ensembles. MLC's dedication to praising the Lord through song is one of my favorite parts of being here! But my absolute favorite thing about MLC is the people. MLC is filled with the kindest, most talented, God-fearing people I've ever met, and I truly would not be the same person I am today without the incredible professors and friends I've met here.



Natalie Luebke, Elementary Ed (*KML / Trinity-West Bend WI, right*) I am ecstatic for Call Day. This is the day I've always thought was far away, and now I'm three weeks away from finding out the congregation and students I'll be serving. I'm confident the Lord is going to place me exactly where he needs me. I look forward to using the gifts and skills he's blessed me with to benefit him and his kingdom.

