

May 28, 2023

Commencement 2023 Greeting from His Grace, Bishop LUKE of Syracuse Abbot, Holy Trinity Monastery and Rector, Holy Trinity Seminary

Your Eminence esteemed guests, graduates, students, brothers and sisters,

I want to greet to you from Brisbane Australia where our parish is celebrating its 100th anniversary and our 75th. I have met with many of our former students who recall with fond memories their time in Jordanville.

You have gained much valuable experience in prayer, the virtues especially humility and patience interpersonal relationships and knowledge. This is of course only the beginning of the path you must continue to develop for the rest of your lives in working out your own salvation in service to the Church. All of you have become dear to us and we hope that you will always consider this your home. Please come to us for advice and support in the future as you have while you struggled here. Be assured I am with you today in spirit and prayer. May God's mercy rest upon you always!

With love in our Savior,

+ Bishop Luke