Benediction

As your classes and grading are now complete, may you strive toward excellence in all you do.  
As the speeches conclude, may your voices rise up to pronounce justice and peace in the world.  
As the fanfares cease, may you sing of joy, even in the dark and lonely places.  
As the applause quiets, may you celebrate and lift up those around you.  
As you graduate today, may your achievements grow and cause growth in your communities.  
And may we all know of the overwhelming blessings of the One who created all things.

*- The Rev. Jay Moyers*