CHAPEL SPEAKERS

The following Chapel speakers, who represent various backgrounds and perspectives, address our school community throughout the year on topics ranging from DEI themes to community service and activism. In addition to those on this list of outside speakers, many of EA's own faculty and staff members also addressed diversity-related themes.

2016

- Rachel Chung '08
- Bishop Daniel Guitierrez
- Nelly Jimenez-Arevalo, executive director of ACLAMO
- Lauren Bobson: '16, first female veteran to speak for Veteran's Day Chapel
- The Joybells, *The Melmark School*

2017

- Nellie Jimenez-Arevalo, executive director of ACLAMO
- Fr. John Daniels, spoke about the Jim Crow South
- Bruce Whetstone spoke about experiencing the world through the lens of other cultures
- Esther Daudi and Jacqueline Nelson, students from SEGA School in Tanzania
- The Joybells, *The Melmark School*
- The Reverend Deirdre Whitfield, Priest-in-charge, St. Mary's Church in Chester
- Nyles Fort, spoke about equity and justice

2018

- Todd Cipperman, spoke about Yom Kippur
- Fr. Matt Dayton-Welch, Rector at St. Alban's Church
- The Community Players, The Melmark School
- Interfaith Chapel, Students shared significance of differing faith traditions

2019

- The Rev Charles Howard, chaplain at Penn
- Kyle Bryant, spoke about living with Ataxia
- Mike Dahl, executive director of Broad Street Ministry
- Cecily Craighill David '87
- Mr. Won Shin '85, spoke about overcoming obstacles as a paraplegic
- David Casey '19, First African American veteran to speak for Veteran's Day Chapel
- The Rev. Darren Green, lead pastor of vision & teaching, Christ Centered Church
- Nelly Jimenez-Arevalo, executive director of ACLAMO
- Fr. Matt Dayton-Welch, rector at St. Alban's Church
- Sister Cathy Nerney, spoke about the journey of religious life
- Michael Solomanov, restauranteur and executive chef spoke about overcoming personal obstacles with addiction
- Abdellah Abdul-Qawi, executive director of Muslim Serve