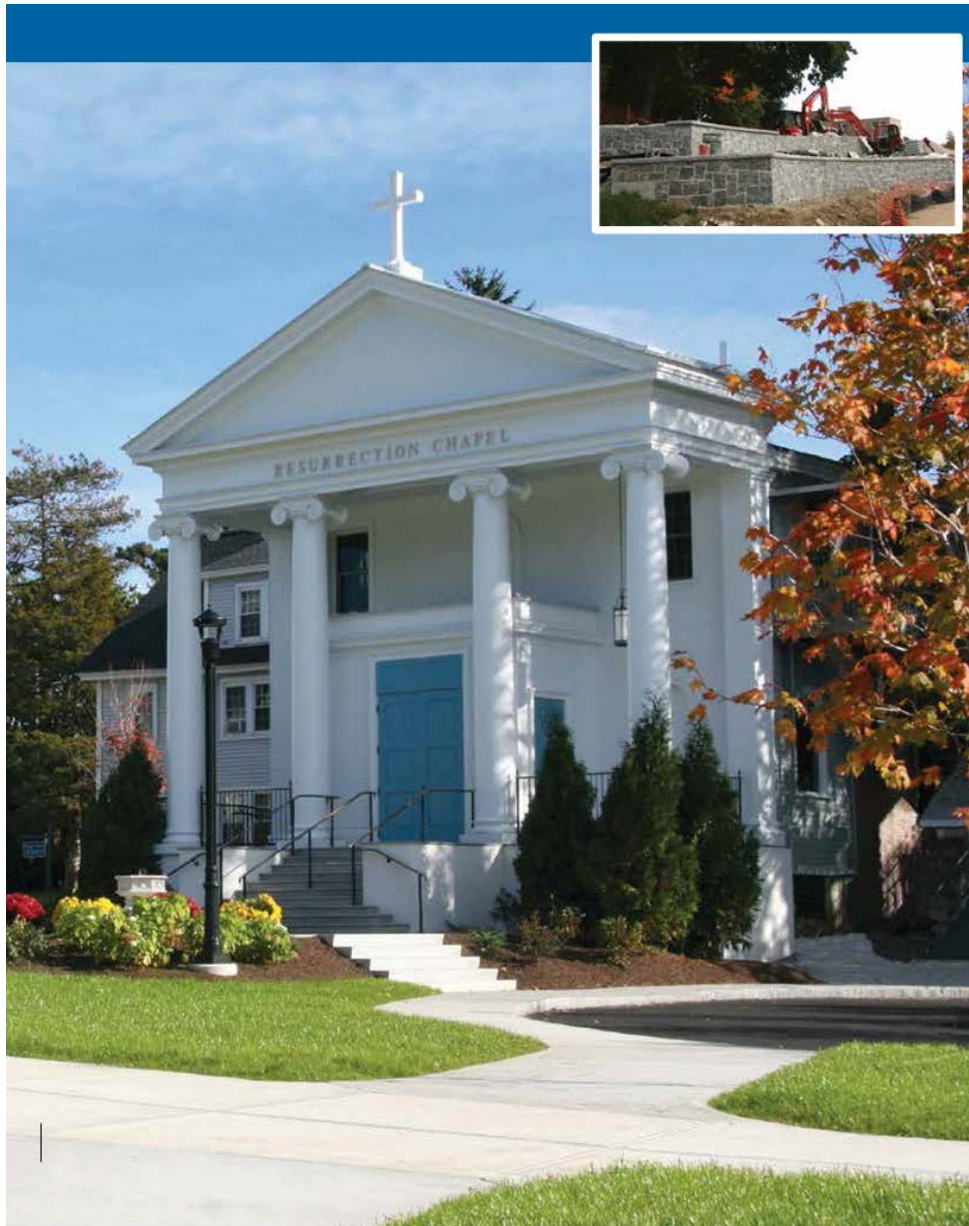


## GATEWAYS TO FAITH AND COMMUNITY

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The Gateway Projects transform the Rivier campus



*The University's sacred spaces were enhanced with the renovation of Resurrection Chapel and creation of the Chapel Plaza and Quad. The construction of the granite gates at campus entrances on both ends of South Main Street will be completed in December.*

Alumni visiting Rivier for reunion weekend in September enjoyed the opportunity to see the University's transformed campus. From the completion of the Resurrection Chapel renovation and the creation of the Chapel Plaza and Quad to the construction of the granite signage at campus entrances, the Gateway Projects have transformed the Rivier campus during the past year.

Exterior site work continues this fall with a focus on the masonry to construct the granite gateways on both ends of South Main Street. Composed of native New Hampshire granite, the impressive gateways are slated for a December completion.

Improvements to the exterior of Madeleine Hall, the University's Admissions Welcome Center, are in progress and will also be completed in December. A new, easy to navigate entrance and parking at the front of the building will enhance the presence of this historic building and improve the first-time visitor experience.

Construction of the Heritage Plaza will continue during the fall and will be completed in the spring of 2015 and will include the installation of a bronze sculpture of Blessed Anne Marie Rivier during the summer. The Heritage Plaza will provide a focal point on the Rivier campus reflecting the University's Catholic heritage and opening access to the Campus Quad.

The renovation of the Sunken Garden will be completed in the spring and will transform the space into a welcoming, reflective environment for the entire campus community.

The Rivier College arch, previously located on the outer edge of campus along Daniel Webster Highway, was prominently relocated to the entrance of the Sunken Garden, preserving this recognizable architectural element of the Rivier campus.

Alumni and friends of Rivier can support the Gateway Projects by personalizing a brick paver to be placed in the walkway of the Heritage Plaza. Bricks are available through December 1 and will be installed in the spring with the completion of the Plaza. ■

**View the gateway Projects photo gallery online at [www.rivier.edu/gateway](http://www.rivier.edu/gateway)**