Rev. Lindsey Krinks, MTS’13

In 2010, Lindsey Krinks was a divinity student by day; by night, an advocate for the homeless community, many of whom had been displaced when Nashville’s 1,000-year flood wiped out Tent City along the Cumberland River. Her promise not to abandon them led to her co-founding the interfaith homeless outreach nonprofit Open Table Nashville.

Krinks is one of the many Divinity School alumni/ae who are living out the school’s commitment to help create a more just and humane society through modes of ministry. Her own theological journey began with a timely opportunity. “Finding out that I had been accepted as a Brandon Scholar was truly a blessing. Graduating without the burden of student debt allows me to answer my calling to lift up those at the margins.”

People like YOU made Lindsey’s life-changing work possible! She was able to attend Vanderbilt Divinity School because of a donor-funded scholarship.

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— Emilie M. Townes, Dean and E. Rhodes and Leona B. Carpenter Chair, Vanderbilt Divinity School

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