

MISSION AND COMMITMENT

Purpose Statement

FCS CHALLENGES STUDENTS TO LEARN, LEAD AND SERVE IN ORDER TO EXPLORE GOD'S DIVINE CALLING IN THEIR LIVES. FCS GUIDES STUDENTS ON THEIR SPIRITUAL JOURNEYS BY PROVIDING EXCELLENT INSTRUCTION, PRACTICE, AND MODELING IN THE AREAS OF SPIRITUAL LIFE, ACADEMICS, FINE ARTS, ATHLETICS, AND LEADERSHIP.

Commitment

In accordance with the teachings of the Word of God, this institution is committed to the following fundamental principles: 1) The instruction and education of children in the school as well as the home must conform to the Word of God. 2) The school, as an institution, properly depends on and proceeds from the home, rather than the church or state.

School Verse

And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.
Colossians 3:17

Vision

Producing leaders grounded in the unchanging truth of Jesus Christ in an ever changing world.

STATEMENT OF FAITH

Because the Bible does play such an important role in the life of FCS, our position on the Bible and its teachings is of paramount importance. Being non-denominational does not mean we do not believe or teach anything specific. It does mean that denominational differences will not be emphasized at FCS.

1. We believe the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments are verbally inspired by God and inerrant in the original writings, and that they are the supreme and final authority in faith and practice.
2. We believe in one God, eternally existing in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
3. We believe that Jesus Christ was begotten by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, and is true God and true man.
4. We believe that man was created in the image of God; that he sinned, and thereby incurred not only physical death, but also that spiritual death which is separation from God; and that all human beings are born with a sinful nature and manifest themselves as sinners in thought, word and deed.
5. We believe that the Lord Jesus Christ died for the sins of all men, according to the Scriptures, as a representative and substitutionary sacrifice; and that all men who believe in Him are justified on the ground of His shed blood.
6. We believe that all who receive by faith the Lord Jesus Christ are born again of the Holy Spirit and thereby become children of God.
7. We believe that as God's children, we are saved to share our faith as well as to live lives of holiness.
8. We believe in the resurrection of the crucified body of our Lord, in His ascension into heaven, and in His present life there for us as High Priest and Advocate.
9. We believe in that blessed hope, the personal and imminent return of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ
10. We believe in the bodily resurrection of the just and the unjust, the everlasting blessedness of the saved, and the everlasting punishment of the lost.
11. We believe that God created marriage in the beginning, as a blessing for both man and woman, before any sin or rebellion entered the world, and that he created marriage to be between one man and one woman, who enter into a covenant relationship, complement one another, serve one another, and sanctify one another for as long as they both shall live. Accordingly, we do not accept cohabitation of unmarried couples and any attempt to redefine marriage as a union between people of the same sex, as between more than one man and one woman. We believe that the homosexual lifestyle and alternative gender identities are contrary to the Bible (*Gen 1:27-28; 2:15-24; Lev 18:22; Lev 20:13a; Matt 19:4-6; Rom 1:26-27; 1 Cor 7:14*).

ADMISSION POLICY

Our course of study is designed to meet the needs of students who are average or above average in ability and achievement. Although the school is able to help some students who have mild learning difficulties, we are not at this time able to provide programs for students who require unique or specialized educational accommodation.

Faith Christian School admits students of any race, color, national or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities accorded to students at the school. All students, regardless of race, color, national or ethnic origin must meet minimum qualifications to be admitted. These standards are designed to identify students who:

1. Have at least one parent who has a testimony of personal faith in Jesus Christ as Savior and consistently attends a local Bible believing church.
2. Have parents and students who support and exemplify a lifestyle in accordance with the school's Statement of Faith, Mission and Commitment, and agree to the Statement of Cooperation and Financial Commitment.
3. Demonstrate average or above average aptitude and/or achievement.
4. Are socially and emotionally well adjusted.
5. Are amenable to correction and instruction.
6. Desire to attend Faith Christian School.
7. Are motivated to learn.
8. For students entering grades 9 – 12, can give a testimony of their faith in Christ as personal Savior and Lord and are receptive to the Christian perspective in education.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____