

Imagine

an education at Faith Christian Academy



Imagine Classical



Imagine a classroom where your child engages in the Great Conversation.

Imagine teachers who honor their students as image bearers.

Imagine a school whose highest aim is pointing students to Christ.

Imagine a community where teaching is a partnership.

Imagine an educational philosophy where learning begins and ends in wonder.

“...whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things.” (Philippians 4:8)

Imagine Virtue

Thousands of years ago, an ancient culture developed a philosophy of education that equipped students to wrestle with the ideas that make good men who live good lives and build good societies. This philosophy was perfected in the Middle Ages and was the educational standard for over 2,000 years.

Over time, classical philosophy was buried beneath the weight of modern methods. Society lost sight of truth, beauty, and goodness. A passion for self, grades, and career replaced a passion for learning. It has only been in recent years that interest in classical education has been revived.

Faith Christian Academy was founded in 2003 on this enduring approach. We are intentional in cultivating students who love God with all their heart, soul, mind, and strength.

Our texts are chosen from the greatest, most influential works of Western civilization. Our students are equipped to think, write, and speak eloquently in order to live a life of virtue in the likeness of Christ. Partnership with parents is real and active. It is for these reasons that we distinguish ourselves as being Christian, classical, and collaborative.





Imagine THE DIFFERENCE



The Child

MODERN EDUCATION

...adheres to the belief that the worth of a child is yet to be seen in their contribution, wealth, or status.

The Aim

...prepares the child to participate in the marketplace through vocational exploration.

...poses the question, "What will you be when you grow up?"

On Behavior

...devises new ways to appease a child's emotions.

...makes continual adjustments to meet the child's interests with ease.

On Method

...teaches students to answer questions from carefully scripted textbooks in order to pass tests.

...chooses subject matter based on usefulness and trends of the day.

...asks, "How will I use this?"

CLASSICAL EDUCATION

...believes that children are gifts from the Lord, His image bearers, whose worth is found in simply being.

...cultivates students who honor the True, the Good, and the Beautiful for the glory of God.

...poses the question, "Who will you be when you grow up?"

...appeals to the heart and conscience.

...seeks to bring the child "up" in wisdom and conduct.

...engages students in the Great Conversation using timeless, living books to build moral imagination.

...integrates subjects to encourage connections between all that is learned and all that is lived.

...asks, "How will this shape me?"

The Child

The Aim

On Behavior

On Method





Imagine classrooms where integrated coursework and rigor produce joy, where students engage in Socratic dialogue and have the benefit of guided home study two days a week.

Imagine science as exploration and discovery that has as its aim wonder, appreciation, and stewardship of God's creation.



Imagine mathematics understood as a language spoken by God, discernible and delightful to man.

Imagine your child perceiving the world as God's theater of divine wonder and beauty, a grand cosmic artwork on display – His character revealed through the arts.



Imagine play and competition where integrity, responsibility, sportsmanship, and servant leadership are foundational in recess, physical education, and team sports.

Imagine a Christ-centered community striving to provide opportunities to practice virtue.





2nd grade Immigration Day



4th grade Medieval Feast



5th grade Colonial Day

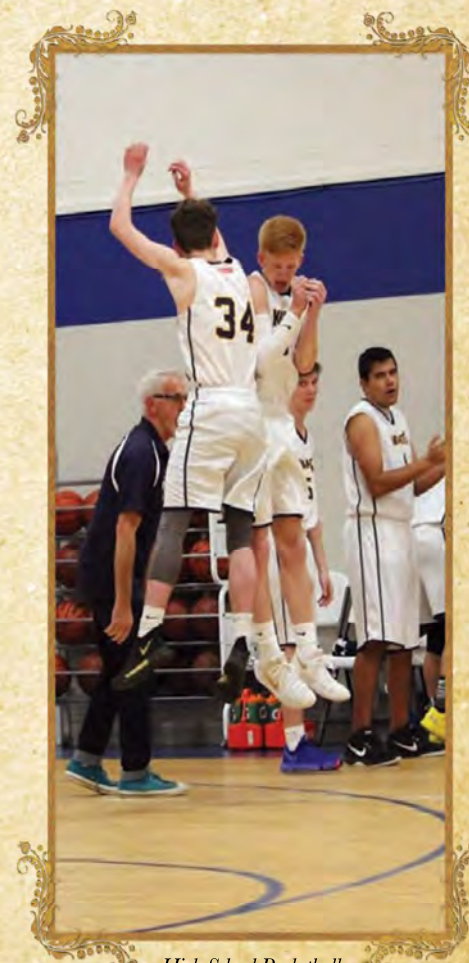
Imagine FESTIVITY



10th grade at the Renaissance Festival



High School Protocol



High School Basketball

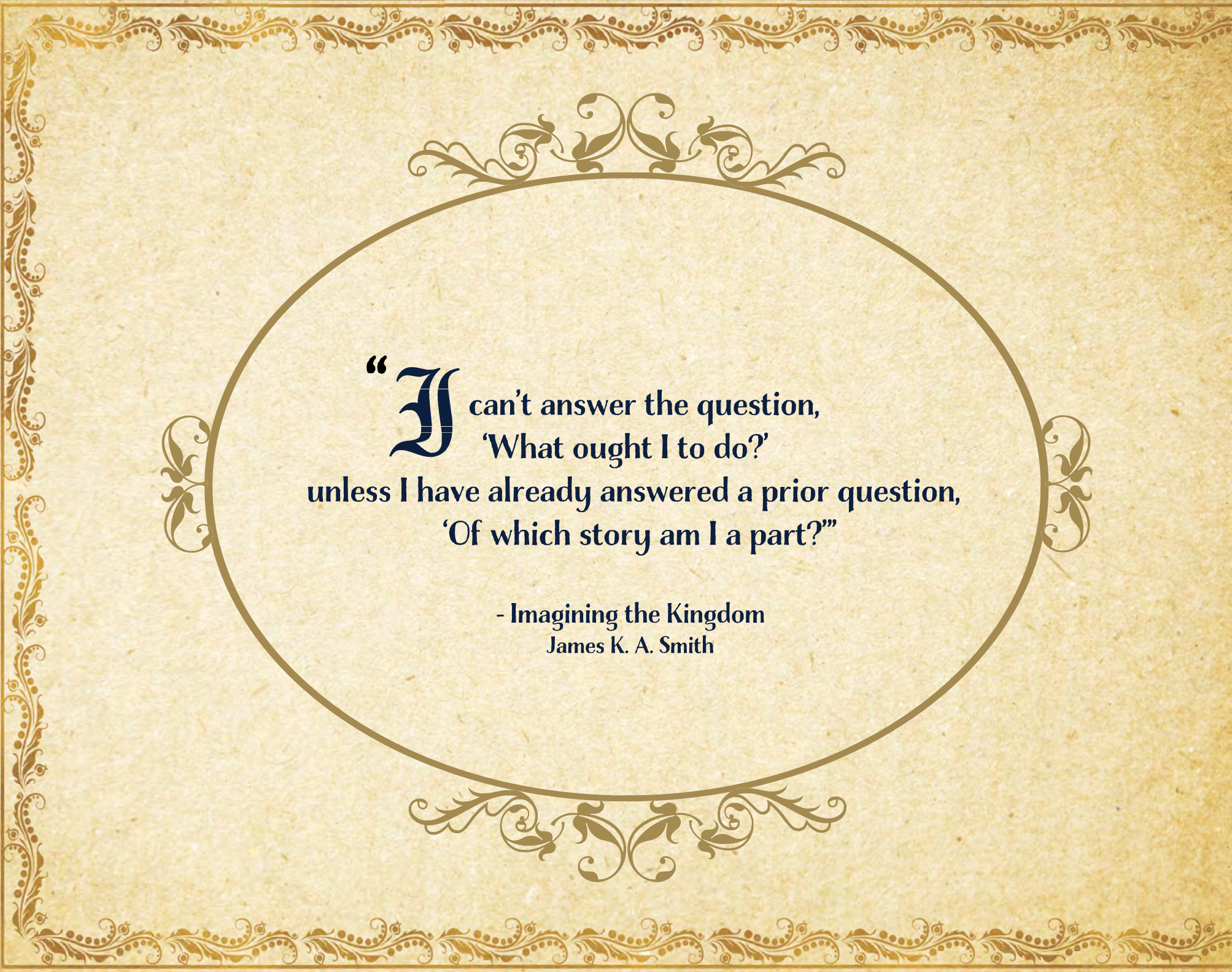
Imagine SUCCESS

Imagine your child emerging from Faith Christian Academy with the opportunity to be what they want to be and assured that they are who they were meant to be.

Imagine WORTH


Imagine giving your child this education. Everything you've imagined is within reach at Faith Christian Academy...





**“I can’t answer the question,
‘What ought I to do?’
unless I have already answered a prior question,
‘Of which story am I a part?’”**

**- Imagining the Kingdom
James K. A. Smith**



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Make this your child's story.
Contact Faith Christian Academy today to apply
or schedule a visit.

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Our Mission

Faith Christian Academy's mission is to provide
a Christian, classical, and collaborative education
for the glory of God.

Our Vision

An education in Truth, Beauty, and Goodness.



ASSOCIATION OF
CLASSICAL CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS