Since 2007, FAITH has awarded scholarships to the finalists of the St. John Chrysostom Oratorical Festival. This year, FAITH awarded 18 scholarships to the festival’s top speakers. This annual festival gives students a local and national platform to write and speak about the impact their faith has in their lives and contemporary culture.

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Alexander Shah, Metropolis of Keller
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I am humbled by this generous award from FAITH. On behalf of myself and my family, thank you.”

Dean Anagnostopoulos
Metropolis of San Francisco