

TRINITARIAN AND INCARNATIONAL

Drawing upon the thought of Athanasius, the spiritual lens of the Christian college community should employ a Biblical, Trinitarian, and Incarnational perspective in faith and practice. The basis for community itself is found in the existence, equal ultimacy, and mutual indwelling (*perichorisis*; Colossians 3:3) of God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit reflected in creation in humanity as the Triune God's image bearer. The task of Christian scholarship is to realize the glory and majesty of the Triune God reflected in His creation and to articulate how all things cohere in Him (Colossians 1:16-17). The College's integrative approach is established in the Incarnation of Christ and stresses the interrelationships between disciplines, their unity and diversity rooted in Christ and the Holy Trinity, and provides the approach for their study and practice.