

# RMLetter

Your news about the Library

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## Two exhibits to start the new year



### Fall 2017 Hours

Monday-Thursday:  
8:30a-10:00p

Friday: 8:30a-4:30p

Saturday: 9:30a-4:30p

Sunday: 1p-10p

### Important Links:

[Library Homepage](#)

[Online Catalog](#)

[LibGuides](#)

[RML YouTube](#)

[Course Reserves](#)

Every semester, the RML staff goes through their archival materials, aiming to find some hidden treasures from the seminary's past to place in themed displays—and this time, we have two.

-Located in the Main Stacks room of the library is the *Remembering Cardinal John Patrick Foley: Priest, Friend, Communicator (1935-2011)* exhibit. Marking the double anniversary of

Cardinal Foley's life—the 10th of him becoming a Cardinal, and the 55th of his priesthood ordination—this exhibit contains items including correspondence, photos and newspaper clippings regarding Cardinal Foley and his impact on the Catholic world.

-In the hallway of Vianney, you can find *A Library's Special Collection: Devotional Books*, a selection of some of our rarest

devotional books. Like all of our special collections, the Devotional Collection contains specialized books published before the 1970s, and this particular exhibit showcases a number of more interesting books from the collection, including meditations and prayer books.

If you have any questions about these exhibits, don't hesitate to ask a librarian!

## Note from the Librarian's Desk (written by Chelsea Post)

It seems like only yesterday that I was contemplating which beach I would go to for vacation, the summertime sun seemingly here to stay—and now, here we are, leaves already beginning to shift color and me firing up my car's heated seats on my way to work.

Of course, change is not so bad. If the library's theme last year was *interaction*, this year it

is *innovation*. We have big plans to increase the digital footprint of the library on campus, and we hope that you, the seminarians, will make good use of our newest forays into the electronic world.

We have large ambitions for our ebook collection, determined to purchase more ebooks for students to check out through our catalog. This also include digital media,

particularly the seminary's subscription to FORMED, an online streaming service full of Catholic films, study sessions and spiritual exercises that can be accessed with a code that the RML staff can provide.

Stay tuned for all the details regarding these changes, but don't panic: we are still the same RML, ready to serve.

### Calendar of Events:

Rite of Candidacy (SDF)	<b>Sept. 9</b>
Ministry of Lector (SDF and Theology)	<b>Sept. 16</b>
Cassock Day for Theology	<b>Sept. 25</b>
Vianney Cup Tournament	<b>Sept. 30</b>
Saint Charles Golf Classic	<b>Oct. 2</b>

## The faces of the Library: Meet the Staff

Despite the advent of digitally-run libraries, our library is nothing without the people who run it. Here are the friendly faces you'll be seeing during your time in RML.



**Name:** James Humble  
**Title:** Library Director  
**Email:** jhumble@scs.edu

**What does he do?** As director, Mr. Humble is the head of the library, making the big decisions on how the library should be run.



**Name:** Chelsea Post  
**Title:** Digital Services Librarian  
**Email:** cpost@scs.edu

**What does she do?** The day-to-day operations of the library are Miss Post's specialty—as well as this newsletter!



**Name:** Juan De Jesus  
**Title:** Interlibrary Loan Librarian  
**Email:** jdejesus@scs.edu

**What does he do?** Mr. De Jesus is not only the Interlibrary Loan librarian—meaning that he sends the requests to other libraries for their books—but he's also the "night guy."



**Name:** Cait Kokolus  
**Title:** VP for Info Services & Assessment, Interim Director of Archives  
**Email:** ckokolus@scs.edu

**What does she do?** In addition to working on assessment for the entire seminary, Ms. Kokolus is the one you hand your IT and Copyright forms to.

## Current Schedule for RML Workshops

This is just a handful of the workshops available for registration; check the flyers posted around campus for the full list!



Tues. Sept. 12

Using LibGuides for Research

For this session, we will show you how to use the LibGuides—online research guides—prepared by RML staff for your assignments across many subjects.

Level: Beginner to Advanced



Wed. Sept. 13

Choosing Web Sources Wisely

The RML staff can help students navigate around unreliable sources while surfing the Web by showing them how to distinguish authoritative sources from an overwhelming results list.

Level: Beginner to Advanced

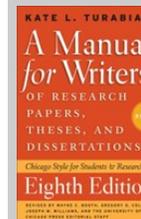


Fri. Sept. 15

Search Strategies for the Catalog & Databases

Designed for students new to research at the Seminary, this workshop will give them basic instruction on how to search the library's catalog and databases.

Level: Beginner



Mon. Sept. 18

Introduction to Turabian Style

In this workshop, students will learn what elements to include in their citations for various sources, including footnotes.

Level: Beginner to Advanced

## Feeling a little lost? Use this map!

Map of Ryan Memorial Library

