

# Welcome to the JKM Library: Using our Tools and Resources

The logo for the JKM Library is displayed within a solid blue rectangular box. The text "JKM | Library" is written in white. "JKM" is in a stylized, handwritten-style font, while the vertical bar and "Library" are in a clean, sans-serif font.

JKM | Library

An Introduction for the Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago

Spring Orientation: Wednesday, January 28, 2026

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# Your seminary is served by multiple systems:

- **The JKM Library**

- Your primary library
- Paid for and run by McCormick and LSTC
- A proud member of the I-Share network

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- **Our Partners in I-Share**

- 94 academic libraries throughout Illinois
- Including CTU's Bechtold Library on the 5<sup>th</sup> floor
- Supported by CARLI at the University of Illinois



- **The University of Chicago Libraries**

- Long-time partners with the Hyde Park seminaries
- Expanded services contract for McCormick and LSTC since 2024



# What does this mean?

- **The JKM Library**

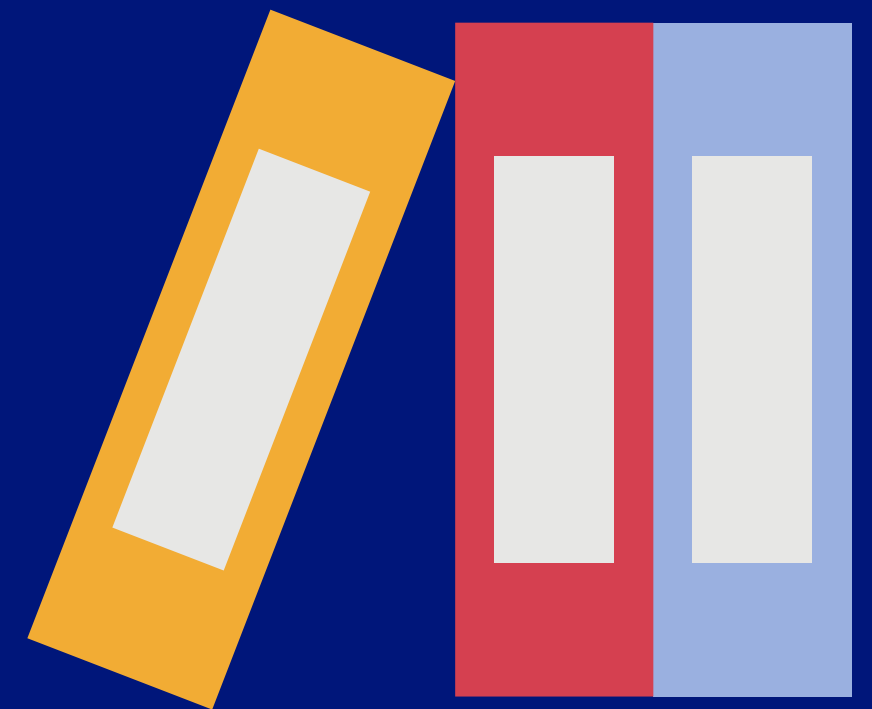
- 34,000 physical books and over 600,000 e-books
- Databases, online academic journals, and other subscriptions

- **I-Share Libraries**

- 15 million titles, over 38 million physical items (books and more!)
- Requestable from JKM's catalog just like our books

- **The University of Chicago Libraries**

- Over 2 million physical items (including 135,000 from JKM)
- Paging service (request to Regenstein circulation desk)
- “Scan and Deliver” service for PDFs of articles, chapters



# Physical Books (and more!)

- **JKM and I-Share**

- Requested items delivered to campus twice a week
- Pick up and return on the 4<sup>th</sup> floor by the elevators (LSTC)

## Electronic Resources

- **The JKM Library**

- We are your only licensed provider
- Accessible from our website and online catalog
- Everything uses your OpenAthens login

- **Any other library (including UChicago)**

- Guest access in-person only
- Use their computers or wifi network



**WIFI NETWORKS  
MATTER!**

**CTU\_Main = guest at  
Bechtold Library**

# Accessing the JKM Library

- **Online Access through OpenAthens**

- Uses your seminary email address and a password
- Search our catalog, request books, access databases, find articles
- We deliver to campus, and ship books to I-Share libraries



## Visiting a Partner Library in-person

- **I-Share Libraries (map)**

- Contact JKM to make sure you're properly registered with us
- Show seminary ID at partner library, get added as a JKM patron

- **ACTS Libraries (list)**

- mostly in I-Share now; show seminary ID as a JKM patron
- ACTS card needed for Garrett, Loyola, American Islamic College



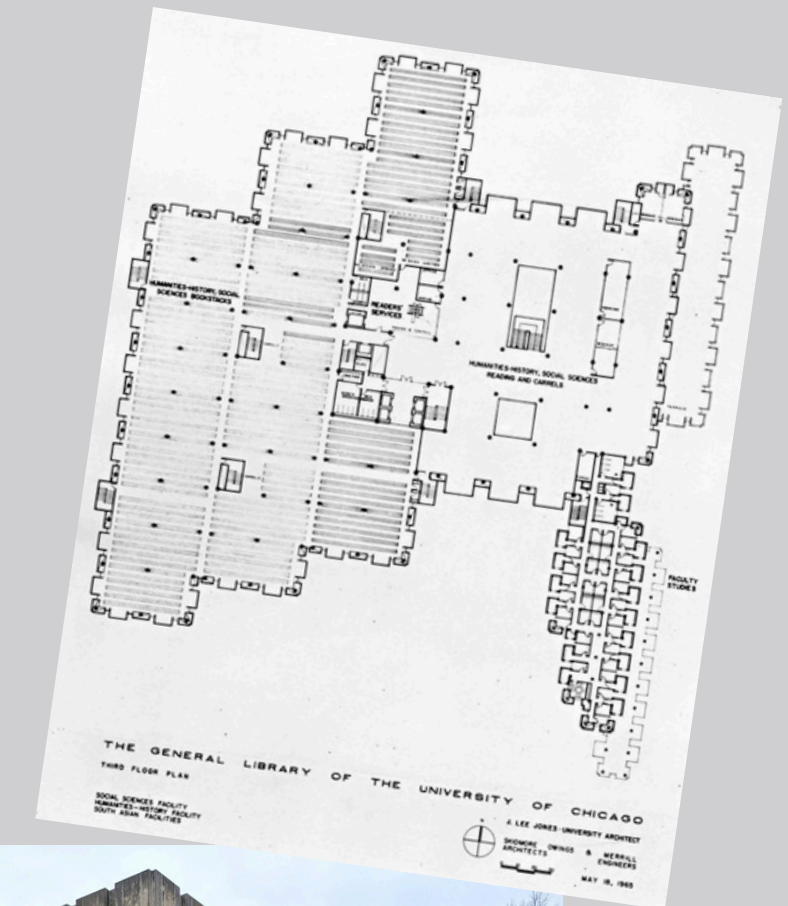


# Using your UChicago Privileges



**UChicago  
Library**

- **Sign up for your CNetID online**
  - Need student ID number (like LSTC1234567) and date of birth
  - Create an alias and password (your CNetID login)
  - Set up email forwarding and 2-factor authentication
- **Get a Campus Card at the ID and Privileges Office**
  - Bring a valid state ID (like a drivers license)
  - The IPO staff will look you up as an LSTC member
  - If they don't find you, contact LSTC IT (ITHelp@lstc.edu)
- **Visit the Regenstein Library in-person**
  - The Campus Card taps to open the entry gates
  - Most religion materials are on 4<sup>th</sup> floor
  - Study areas on each floor with “stacks” in the back



# To Whom Shall We Go?

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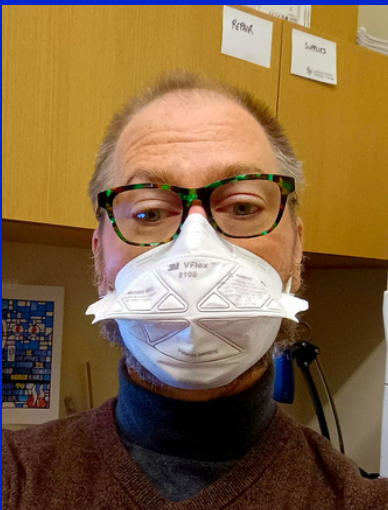
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Interim Director  
JKM Library  
(on leave)



**Matthew Frost**

Library Services  
Coordinator  
(Acting Director)



**Sara Mercurio**

Circulation and  
Interlibrary Loan  
Specialist



**UChicago  
Library**

**PARTNER**

**Dr. Anne Knafl**

Bibliographer for Religion  
Philosophy & Jewish Studies



**Paul Bechtold  
Library**

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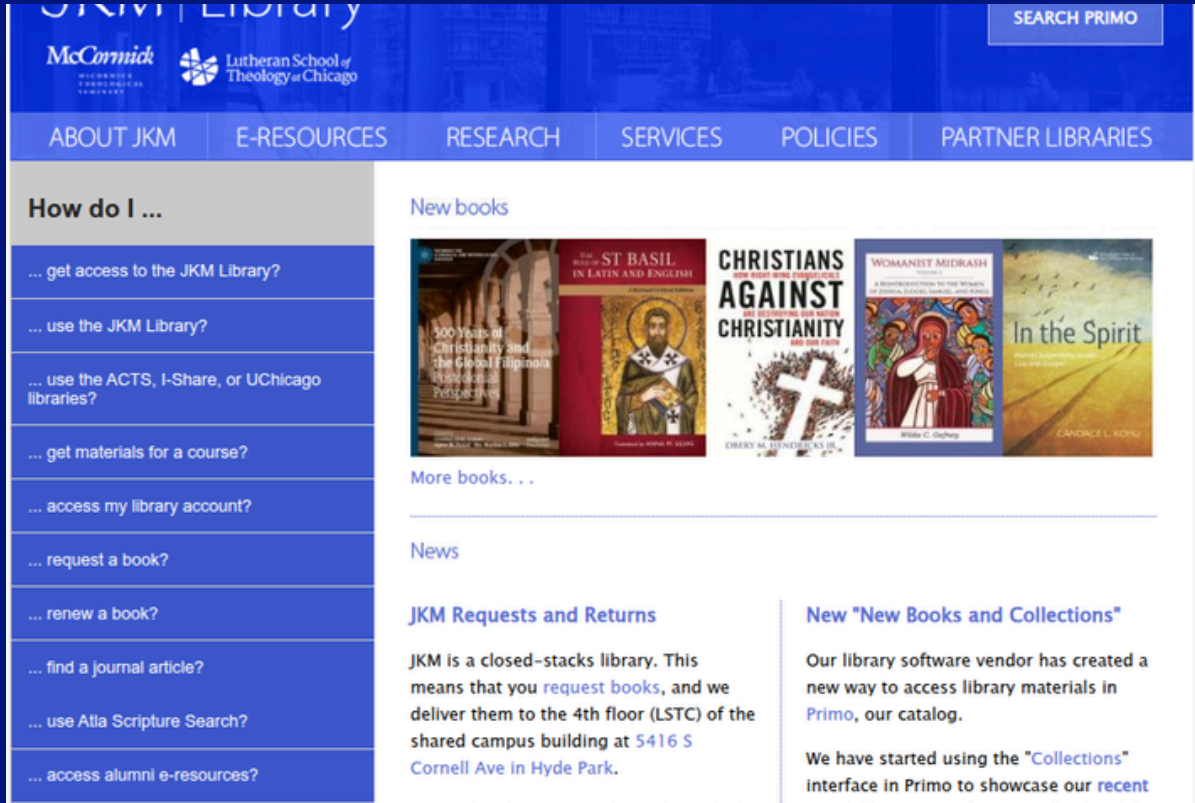
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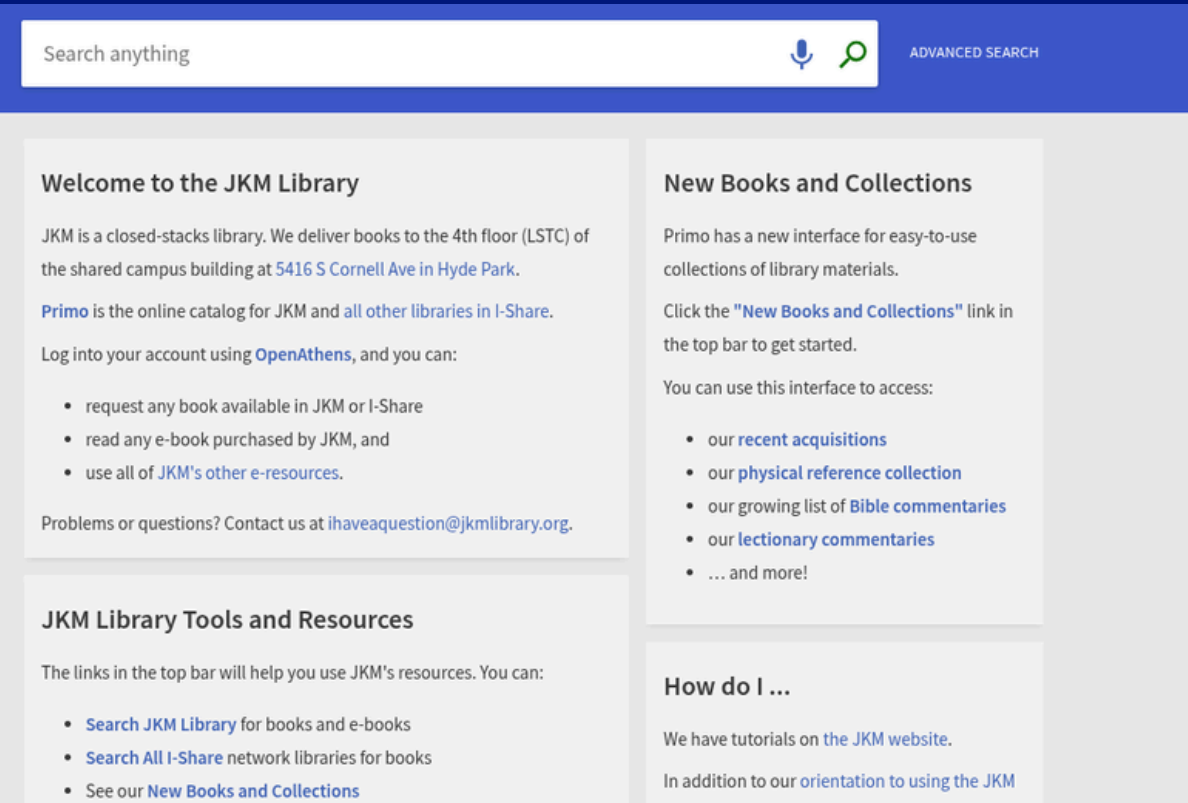


# JKM Library Tools and Resources

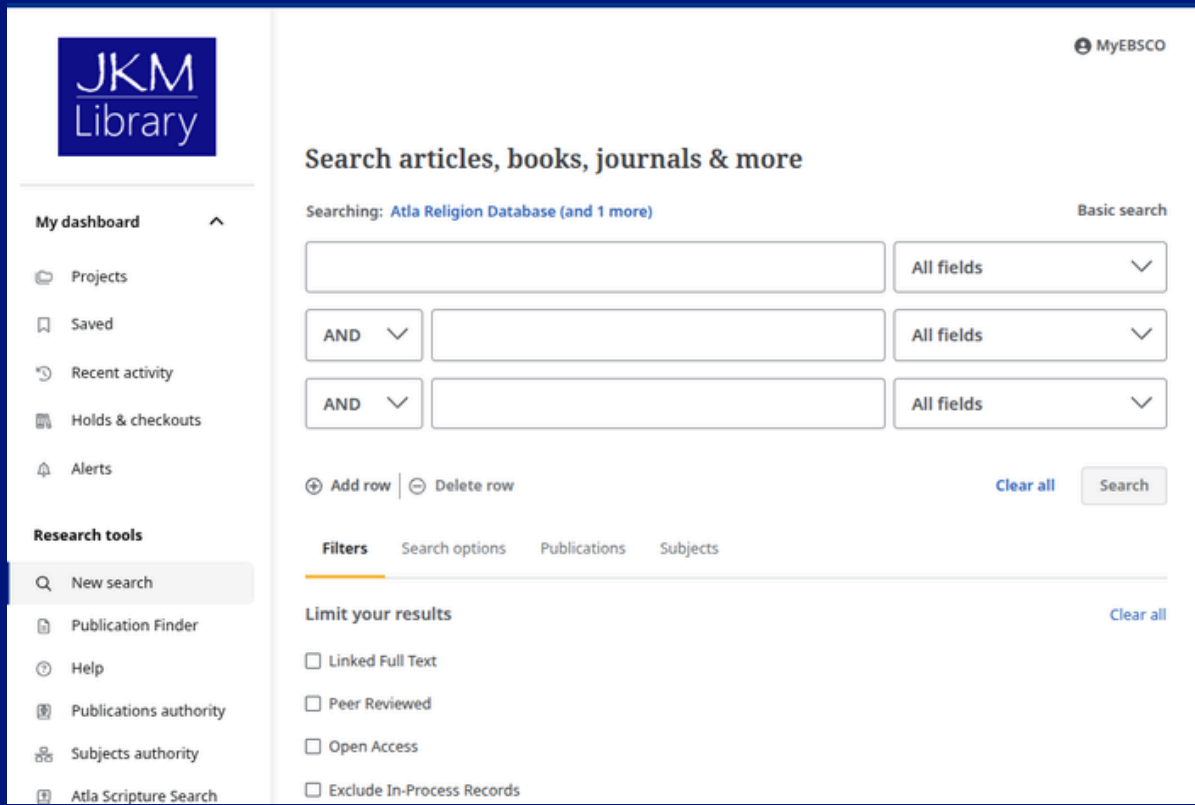
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Our Catalog  
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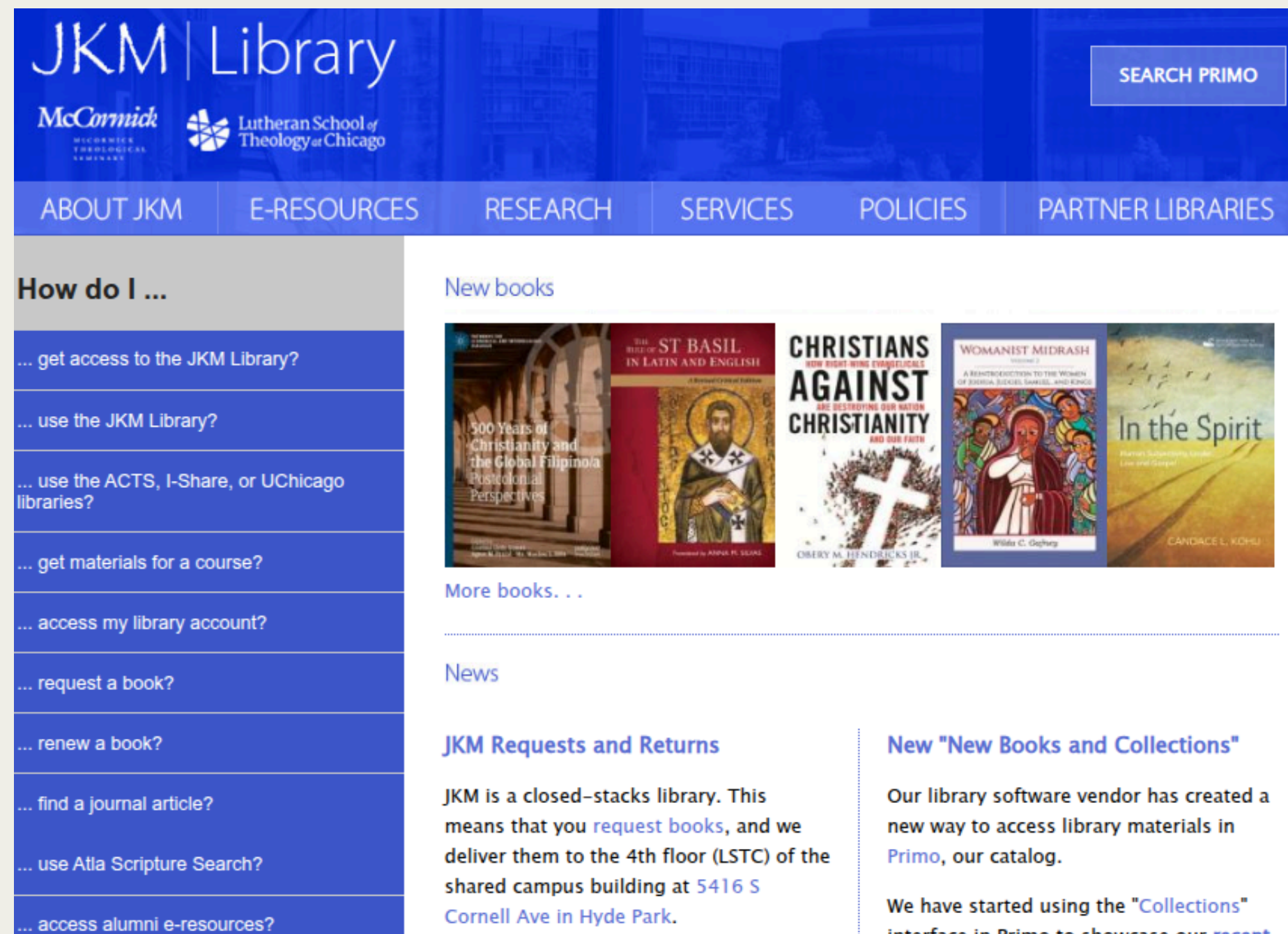
Article Search  
[JSTOR Database](http://JSTOR Database)





# Our Website: [jkmlibrary.org](http://jkmlibrary.org)

Your first stop for library questions and links to library services!



The screenshot shows the JKM Library website. The header features the JKM Library logo, the McCormick Theological Seminary logo, and the Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago logo. A search bar labeled "SEARCH PRIMO" is in the top right. Below the header is a navigation menu with links: ABOUT JKM, E-RESOURCES, RESEARCH, SERVICES, POLICIES, and PARTNER LIBRARIES. The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column, titled "How do I ...", contains a list of links: "... get access to the JKM Library?", "... use the JKM Library?", "... use the ACTS, I-Share, or UChicago libraries?", "... get materials for a course?", "... access my library account?", "... request a book?", "... renew a book?", "... find a journal article?", "... use Atla Scripture Search?", and "... access alumni e-resources?". The right column, titled "New books", displays a row of five book covers: "500 Years of Christianity and the Global Filipino/a Postcolonial Perspectives", "ST BASIL IN LATIN AND ENGLISH", "CHRISTIANS AGAINST NEW RIGHT-WING EVANGELICALS ARE DESTROYING OUR NATION AND OUR FAITH", "WOMANIST MIDRASH", and "In the Spirit". Below the book covers is a link "More books. . .". Further down, there are sections for "News", "JKM Requests and Returns" (explaining the closed-stacks library and delivery location), and "New 'New Books and Collections'" (describing the Primo catalog interface).

## Academic E-Resources

The JKM Library maintains a growing selection of electronic resources to support your research activities. All paid subscription resources here are accessible with [your OpenAthens login](#). (Resources for alumni are located [here](#).) We have also curated links to free online resources by subject area, which are accessible to anyone.

This page has links for JKM's **seminary coursework and research** resources. Scroll down to find articles, e-books, online reference works, and more!

Check out our [Supplementary E-Resources](#) page to read a book or magazine for fun, keep up with the news, help your children with their school work, pick up a hobby, and find out all sorts of things you want or need to know!

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# Our Catalog: Primo

## Where to go to find any books physical or electronic

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Log into my JKM/I-Share account

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- use all of [JKM's other e-resources](#).

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The links in the top bar will help you use JKM's resources. You can:

- [Search JKM Library](#) for books and e-books
- [Search All I-Share](#) network libraries for books
- See our [New Books and Collections](#)
- [Find Articles](#) using our many EBSCO databases
- [Find Articles](#) using our JSTOR database

### New Books and Collections

Primo has a new interface for easy-to-use collections of library materials.

Click the "[New Books and Collections](#)" link in the top bar to get started.

You can use this interface to access:

- our [recent acquisitions](#)
- our [physical reference collection](#)
- our growing list of [Bible commentaries](#)
- our [lectionary commentaries](#)
- ... and more!

### How do I ...

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### SEARCH JKM LIBRARY

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### FIND ARTICLES (EBSCO)

Search all of JKM's EBSCO databases for articles (and some e-books)

### FIND ARTICLES (JSTOR)

Search for articles in the JSTOR database

### E-JOURNALS AT JKM

Find electronic journals using EBSCO's Publication Finder

### ATLA SCRIPTURE SEARCH

Find articles about passages of scripture using the Atla Religion Database with AtlaSerials PLUS

### SEE ALL E-RESOURCES

Go to JKM Library's E-Resources page

### FIND AN I-SHARE LIBRARY

Find another I-Share library near you using a map of Illinois

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### SEARCH THE UCHICAGO CATALOG

Search for resources in the University of Chicago Libraries (including books formerly owned by JKM)

### BROWSE SEARCH

Browse by author, title, subject, and more

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# Our Databases: EBSCO

Article search plus many e-books  
for religion and other fields

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Search articles, books, journals & more

Searching: [Atla Religion Database \(and 1 more\)](#)

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Limit your results

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☐ Linked Full Text

☐ Peer Reviewed

☐ Open Access

☐ Exclude In-Process Records

## JKM EBSCO Simple Search

(Also try [JSTOR](#), search [Primo](#) for more ebooks, use our other [e-resources](#), and check out our [guide](#) to finding journal articles.)



☐ Full text

☐ Peer reviewed

Advanced search

## Select databases to search

At least one database must be selected. Selecting all databases for search may result in slow response time.

- ☒ Select all
- ☒ Atla Religion Database with AtlaSerials PLUS

☒ Biography Reference Source eBook Subscription

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☒ History Reference Source

☒ Atla Religion Database

☒ History Reference Source eBook Subscription

☒ Academic Search Complete

☒ Literary Reference Source

☒ Academic Search Elite

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# Our Databases: JSTOR

A smaller but important selection of full-text articles for research

Access provided by JKM Library | Lutheran School of Theology & McCormick Theological Seminary

JSTOR

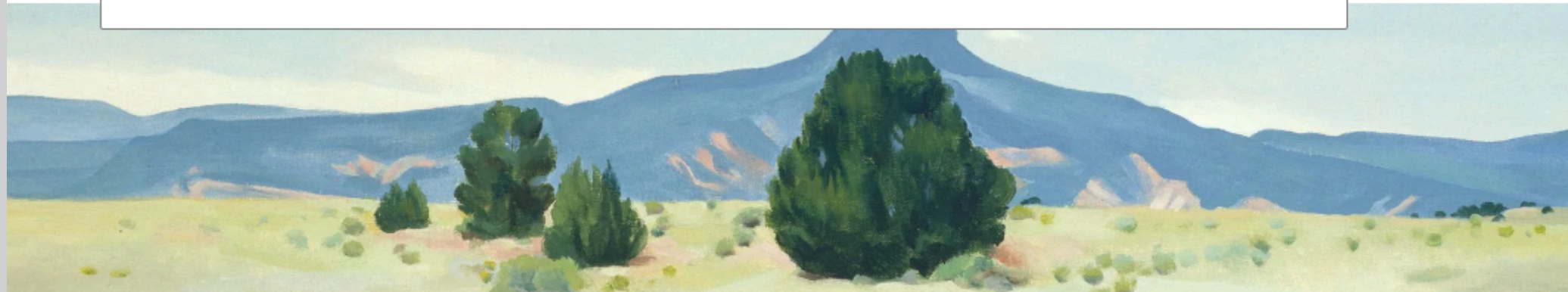
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Cheryl J. Sanders, Cheryl Townsend Gilkes

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