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Public Safety and Parking Services, or at designated locations throughout campus during the first week of the fall semester.

Visitors to the University of St. Thomas St. Paul campus may park in the Morrison Hall ramp, the parking meters, or in Lot T with a south campus visitor permit.

Resident students are required to enter a permit lottery in order to be eligible to purchase a parking permit. Lottery forms for the following fall are included in the Residence Life contract mailed out in the Summer.

In order to purchase a parking permit, a UST identification card is required. Resident students are required to provide an accurate license plate number of the car. Persons purchasing a parking permit will receive a parking map indicating the lots available for the type of permit purchased, and a book or Web address of rules and regulations regarding parking.



## Chapels

### Chapel of St. Thomas Aquinas

The present Chapel of St. Thomas Aquinas was built in 1917. E.L. Masqueray, who also designed the St. Paul Cathedral and the Basilica of St. Mary, Minneapolis, was the architect. The university's chapel is an excellent example of the classicized mode of design that emanated from the Ecole des Beaux Arts during the early years of the twentieth century.

The luminous stained glass, designed by Chester Leighton of Minneapolis, and the paintings containing sacred and secular details by Joseph Capecci and Carl Olson, were installed in the 1940s. The chapel was renovated in 1987.

In 1987, a three-manual 56-rank mechanical action pipe organ, designed and built by Gabriel Kney of London, Ontario, was installed.

### St. Mary's Chapel

St. Mary's Chapel of The Saint Paul Seminary was begun in 1901 and consecrated in 1905. Designed by Minnesota architect Clarence H. Johnston in the basilica style, it blends Romanesque and Byzantine architecture. Artist Bancel LaFarge of New Haven, Connecticut, completed the installation of the stained glass and murals in the 1930s.

The chapel was renovated in 1973, and more extensively in 1988. This project was undertaken with the assistance of liturgical consultant Frank Kacmarcik. A new sanctuary area was created in the north end of the chapel allowing the apse area to become the environment of the baptismal font and new access to the chapel.

In the spring of 2000 a two-manual, 27-rank mechanical action pipe organ designed by Noack Organ Company of Georgetown, Massachusetts, was installed.

### St. John Vianney Chapel

The university seminary chapel was redesigned in 1998 by the Rev. Peter Christensen, the rector at that time. The theme of the chapel is "The Tree of Life." The chapel, an adjoining Eucharistic chapel, and an adjacent prayer room, replicating a medieval monastic cloister, are open for anyone wishing to use them. The seminary has become a focal point for contemporary religious art, including the iconic triptych in the foyer and the mosaic behind the altar.

A small one-manual Van Daalen organ was moved to the chapel in 2000.

### Florance Chapel

The Florance Chapel is the lower chapel in the Chapel of St. Thomas Aquinas. An award-winning design in its renovation, it incorporates modern furnishings in the prairie school style of Frank Lloyd Wright along with some of the oldest sacred sculptural artwork owned by the university.

### St. Thomas More Chapel

Located in the School of Law on the Minneapolis campus, the two-story St. Thomas More Chapel features colored art-glass windows, seating for more than 100 and a striking bronze crucifix. A meditation room overlooking the chapel on the second floor provides a quiet respite and a place for reflection.

## **University Libraries**

The University of St. Thomas libraries contain more than 465,000 book volumes, 2,295 print periodical subscriptions, 5300 videos, and access to over 28,000 electronic journals. In addition, the libraries provide students and faculty with access to nearly 150 electronic databases. The O'Shaughnessy-Frey and Keffer Libraries integrate technology, electronic resources, and print resources together with user support from librarians and technical staff in their "Information Commons" making them favorite campus locations for research and studying.

### **O'Shaughnessy-Frey Library**

The O'Shaughnessy-Frey Library Center is the principal library on the main campus, housing (in addition to the general and reference collections) the university Archives and Special Collections Department. The latter contains the Celtic Collection, one of the most outstanding collections of its type in this country, and a notable collection of Hilaire Belloc and G.K. Chesterton. The development of the Information Commons with the addition of 125 public access computers has made the OSF Library a favorite campus location for research and studying.

### **Charles J. Keffer Library**

The Charles J. Keffer Library, located in Opus Hall on the Minneapolis campus, is the library for the School of Education, graduate programs in the College of Business, and the Graduate School of Professional Psychology. The Keffer Library is the principle library serving the special needs of the graduate student population of the University of St. Thomas

### **Archbishop Ireland Memorial Library**

The Archbishop Ireland Memorial Library, located on the south campus, is the graduate theological library which primarily serves The Saint Paul Seminary School of Divinity. The Ireland Library collection is highly regarded by theological scholars.

### **CLIC/MINITEX**

Relationships with two local library networks benefit UST users by providing access to the collections of regional libraries. Cooperating Libraries in Consortium (CLIC) allows students to obtain books and periodical articles from other Twin Cities private academic libraries (Augsburg College, Bethel College, Concordia College, Hamline University, Hamline Law School, Macalester College, Northwestern College, the College of St. Catherine, as well as the University of St. Thomas.) Interlibrary loans for materials not owned by the university are available within the CLIC institutions.

Another cooperative venture, MINITEX (Minnesota Interlibrary Telecommunications Exchange) links the university with more than 200 libraries throughout Minnesota, Wisconsin, and North and South Dakota, including the University of Minnesota.

Interlibrary loan is available and makes possible the borrowing of materials from libraries around the nation and the world.

### **Library Services**

The library staff offers a wide range of services to support coursework and research. Reference librarians pro-

vide individual help as well as classroom instruction in the use of library materials. Group study rooms are available throughout the libraries.

Website: [www.stthomas.edu/libraries](http://www.stthomas.edu/libraries).

## **Computing Resources**

There are a wide variety of computing resources available for student use at the University. There are general-purpose labs, which any student can use for coursework or personal use. The Information Commons in O'Shaughnessy-Frey Library on the St Paul Campus and the Charles J. Keffer Library on the Minneapolis Campus house the largest general purpose computing facilities on each campus. The Information Commons brings together support for research, writing, information literacy, and computer application support to assist students in developing papers, presentations, and projects. The Information Commons provide both PC and Macintosh computers, printers, scanners and access to the UST wireless network.

There are also specialized departmental labs which are reserved for students who are enrolled in classes or working on course specific assignments. In addition, there are a number of Residence Hall labs that are open to St. Thomas students who live in the Residence Halls.

The University also provides a wireless network. The wireless network is available in the following locations.

In St Paul: OSF Library, MHC in the Grill, Scooters, Commuter Center, Campus Square, Student Dining, Koch Commons, Ireland Library, OSS Fourth Floor, 2nd floor commons, and LL, OWS - 2nd floor, Binz Refectory in the Student Dining Room, the Brady Educational Center and all of the Residence Halls

The wireless network is also accessible outdoors on the St Paul campus in the following areas (Note: weather conditions may affect access to the wireless network outdoors):

- Foley Theatre (between Murray-Herrick & Foley), Sabo Plaza (South Campus outside of O'Shaughnessy Science Hall and Owens Science Hall), the Lower Quad (O'Shaughnessy Hall across to O'Shaughnessy-Frey Library), and the Upper Quad (outside of the Residence Halls)
- In Minneapolis: Charles J. Keffer Library, the Law School and the Schulze School of Entrepreneurship

## **The Luann Dummer Center for Women**

The Luann Dummer Center for Women was established in 1993 by a special bequest from the estate of Dr. Luann Dummer, longtime member of the Department of English and founding director of the Women's Studies Program at the university.

The center aims to foster the intellectual, spiritual and personal development of women. The center serves as a meeting place for women to share their expertise and experience and provides opportunities for students to interact with women role models. Although the center is dedicated especially to women, it is committed to the service of the entire campus community within the context of its mission.

The center sponsors a number of grants to support students, faculty and staff. These include a scholarship for a Women's Studies major, research grants for under-

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graduate and graduate students, professional development grants for staff and faculty, a curriculum development grant, and a leadership award to undergraduate students for participation in programs that will enhance their leadership skills, especially in programs which are directed toward public service.

### **Science Facilities**

The Frey Science and Engineering Center, comprising the O'Shaughnessy Science Hall and the Owens Science Hall, houses the classrooms, instructional and research labs, and faculty/staff offices for the departments of biology, chemistry, engineering, geology, mathematics, Center for Applied Mathematics, physics, and quantitative methods and computer science. It also houses special support facilities such as an attached greenhouse and one-third of the university's computer terminals.

### **Theater and Auditoriums**

Productions by the UST/CSC Joint Department of Theater are presented in Foley Theater.

The O'Shaughnessy Educational Center (OEC) auditorium has 330 seats on the main level and 292 seats in the balcony level and hosts a number of guest lectures, teleconferences, and student assemblies.

The auditorium in the John R. Roach Center (room 126 JRC) has 194 seats and contains state-of-the-art technology. It is used for course lectures, meetings, conferences and is the site for many student activities including film viewings.

The Baumgaertner Auditorium in Brady Educational Center (BEC), located on the south campus, has 348 seats and is used for musical performances and community events. Musical concerts are also presented in the St. Thomas Aquinas Chapel.

The 3M Auditorium, located in Owens Hall of the Frey Science and Engineering Center, has 143 seats, is technologically advanced, and hosts a number of course lectures, teleconferences, and community events.

The Thornton Auditorium, located in the 1000 LaSalle Building at the Minneapolis campus, serves as the site for a number of lectures and presentations.

### **Athletic Facilities**

The athletic facilities at the university provide for student participation in a variety of varsity, intramural and recreational sports.

The 30,000-square-foot Coughlan Field House contains a running track, five volleyball courts, one collegiate-size and four intramural-size basketball courts, four tennis courts and six racquetball courts.

The adjacent Schoenecker Arena accommodates varsity basketball and volleyball and various recreational sports.

Weight-training and aerobic-training facilities are housed in O'Shaughnessy Hall in addition to a pool, a squash court, a multi-purpose gymnasium, and an athletic medicine training room. An aerobic-training fitness center is located in the Koch Commons.

Outdoor facilities include a 5,000-seat stadium for football and track. The track is an eight-lane poured polyurethane surface.

A 200-seat baseball field is located on the north field.

Additional recreational facilities are located on the

south campus. McCarthy Gymnasium has a gymnasium, pool, and four racquetball courts. Six tennis courts, soccer and softball fields provide additional outdoor facilities.

A telephone hotline, 651-962-5926, is provided to keep students informed of the availability of recreational facilities on a day-to-day basis.

### **University Bookstores**

The St. Paul campus Bookstore is located in the Murray-Herrick Campus Center. The store sells new and used textbooks, school and office supplies, computers and computer supplies, insignia clothing and gifts, candy, class rings, cards, gifts and magazines.

The Minneapolis campus Bookstore, located in Terence Murphy Hall, sells textbooks for classes taught on that campus and most off-campus graduate classes. It also carries all of the same items mentioned above.

Call each store for hours of service: 651-962-6850 (St. Paul), 651-962-4340 (Minneapolis)

The bookstores maintain a web site at [stthomas.edu/bookstore](http://stthomas.edu/bookstore) where you can order textbooks and merchandise online. Hours and phone numbers are listed for each store.

