

**College of the Holy Cross
Archives and Special Collections
Collection Inventory**

Accession Number: **SC2004-01**

Collection Name (Title): **Rev. Raymond F. X. Cahill, S.J., Papers**

Dates of Material: **1920s – 1990s**

Size of Collection: **1 Box**

Arrangement:

Restrictions:

Related Material:

Preferred Citation:

Processed on:

Biography/History:

Raymond Cahill was born on August 8, 1909 in Worcester, MA. Cahill attended Holy Cross College from 1925-1927 and entered the Society of Jesus on September 7, 1927. He studied at Shadowbrook and at Weston College and from 1934-1935 taught economics at Boston College. He received an MA in Economics at Catholic University and taught economics at Boston College until 1941. He was ordained on June 17, 1939. Rev. Cahill taught economics at Holy Cross from 1942-1975. He wrote *The Quiet Crusader*, a biography of Jack Barry, the Holy Cross baseball coach and a close personal friend. He died on January 30, 1983 at the age of 73.

Scope and Content Note:

Folder 1 contains undated photographs. Folder 2 includes awards and personal effects dating from 1929. Folders 3 and 4 have both handwritten and typewritten correspondence, much of which is in another language. Folder 5 contains undated sermons. Folder 6 contains a handwritten journal with newspaper clippings called “anthology.” It is dated from 1929 and holds names, prayers, and pictures in it. Folder 7 has an undated, handwritten composition book. Folders 7 through 10, contain handwritten retreat materials. The remaining folders contain Fr. Cahill’s undated written pages, homilies, and notes.

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Box and Folder List:

- Folder 1: Photographs, undated
- Folder 2: Personal Items, Biographical Info
- Folder 3: Correspondence 1926-1956
- Folder 4: Correspondence 1960-1982
- Folder 5: Sermons-Undated
- Folder 6: Book entitled "Anthology"
- Folder 7: Spiritual Notes Record Book
- Folder 8: Retreat Week 1
- Folder 9: Retreat Week 2
- Folder 10: Retreat Week 3
- Folder 11: Retreat Week 4
- Folder 12: Novena of Grace
- Folder 13: Miscellaneous talks and homilies
- Folder 14: Retreat Notes
- Folder 15: Diploma and tape recordings