Accession Number: SC2004-12

Collection Name (Title): Fitzgerald, Rev. Joseph D., S.J., Papers

Dates of Material: 1920s – 1960s

Size of Collection: 4 Boxes

Arrangement: 

Restrictions: 

Related Material: 

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Biography/History: 
Joseph D. Fitzgerald was born on March 9, 1889. He graduated from Boston College High School in 1918 and entered the Society of Jesus in September, 1918. Rev. Fitzgerald was ordained on June 16, 1931. He taught at Boston College from 1932 to 1937, served as dean of studies at Holy Cross from 1939 – 1948 and was prefect of studies for the New England Province of the Society of Jesus from 1948 – 1951. In 1951 he was named rector of the Jesuit community at Fairfield University. In 1958 he returned to his work as province prefect of studies, and from 1962 – 1968 was the superior at St. Andrew Bobola House in Boston. He returned to Holy Cross in 1968 and died on September 23, 1974.

Scope and Content Note: 
This Collection includes personal papers, correspondence, homilies, retreat notes and family photographs.

Box and Folder List: 
Box 1: Personal Papers and Correspondence
   Folder 1: Correspondence, 1949- 1969
   Folder 2: Correspondence as Inspector of Loyola, Los Angeles, University of San Francisco, Seattle University, Gonzaga University
   Folder 3: Certificates and Diplomas
Folder 4: School and Reunion Records
Folder 5: Passport
Folder 6: Jubilee Day Records, 1968
Folder 7: Family Records
Folder 8: Teaching Materials, Exam, and Syllabi
Folder 9: Jesuit Community, Meetings and Discussion, 1967

Box 2: Retreat Material
   Folders 1-10: Notes, Reading Lists, Prayers, etc.

Box 3: Homilies
   Folder 1: Homilies, 1921-1951
   Folder 2: Homilies, 1952-1970
   Folder 3 & 4: Undated Homilies

Box 4: Photographs & Misc. Items
   Folder 1: Family Portraits
   Folder 2: Family Photos
   Folder 3: Miscellaneous Photos
   Folder 4: Rosary, St. Ignatius Medal, Unidentified Medal