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Guide to Basil, Saint,
Bishop of Caesarea, De
legendis gentilium libris.
Manuscript, circa 1480



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Descriptive Summary

Identifier	ICU.SPCL.MS45
Title	Basil, Saint, Bishop of Caesarea, De legendis gentilium libris. Manuscript (Ms 45)
Date	circa 1480
Size	1 volume; 25 x 18 cm
Repository	Special Collections Research Center University of Chicago Library 1100 East 57th Street Chicago, Illinois 60637 U.S.A.
Abstract	Also includes Vita Sancti Antonii Eremitae of St. Athanasius, Patriarch of Alexandria. Text in Ancient Greek. Codex Ms 45.

Information on Use

Access

The manuscript is open for research.

Citation

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Scope Note

An important work of Saint Basil (circa 329-379), who championed the validity of studying Pagan literature, bound with the Vita Sancti Antonii Eremitae of Saint Athanasius (also known as Athanasius the Apostolic), Patriarch of Alexandria (circa 293-373).

Vellum binding with leather thongs; modern restoration

Text in Greek.

71 leaves.

Related Resources

Browse finding aids by topic.

Subject Headings

- Basil, Saint, Bishop of Caesarea, approximately 329-379
- Anthony, of Egypt, Saint, approximately 250-355 or 356
- Greek literature -- History and criticism -- Early works to 1800
- Manuscripts, Greek

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