For my recently completed Church History I (THE 510) course, I chose to complete my research paper and presentation on Thomas Aquinas, the author of the famous *Summa Theologia*. To read various books on Aquinas, I drove to the Lanier Theological Library in northwest Houston and spent a long day there. The library catalog, which is available on the website, lists 345 entries for “Aquinas,” so I narrowed my list considerably before I arrived. I was struck by the enormity of scholarship available. All that is needed is the desire to learn and time.

The Lanier library does not allow books to be checked out. However, this policy assures that any resource needed will be on the shelf. The Oxford-stylized library building is a quiet and pleasant location to ponder your subject matter. A recent *Houston Chronicle* article reported the Lanier library has collected more than 100,000 volumes. One of those is a book I could not find and the library kindly responded by purchasing it.

I have also attended several evening lectures hosted by Lanier and sat in the Stone Chapel, a replica of a 500 A.D. Byzantine chapel. Hopefully the lecture series can begin again at the end of the summer. Mark Lanier is to be honored for his vision and generosity in providing us with this valuable theological resource.

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