

Recent Publications By and About Thomas Merton

We continue with this issue of *The Merton Seasonal* to feature a running bibliography of recently published works by and about Merton. Readers are invited to send items for inclusion in the bibliography to Dr. Paul M. Pearson, Director, Thomas Merton Center, Bellarmine University, 2001 Newburg Rd., Louisville, KY 40205; Phone (502) 272-8177; e-mail: pmpearson@bellarmine.edu.

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