



Sanatorium for the Soul
The Abbey Library of St. Gall
down through the centuries

Summer exposition

Abbey Library of St. Gall

14 March until 12 November 2017
in the Baroque Hall

The Abbey Library of St. Gall can look back on fourteen centuries of history. It is one of the oldest libraries in the world. The exhibition *Sanatorium for the Soul* follows the development of this fascinating institution from its very beginning in the 7th century until the present day.

Permanent exhibitions in the Lapidarium

- The cultural history of the Abbey of St. Gall
- Architectural sculpture from the former abbey and its church, from 830 onwards

Opening hours

Monday to Sunday, 10 am – 5 pm
Closed 13 – 28 November 2017

Admission prices

CHF 12.00|10.00|9.00|7.00

Audioguide to the Abbey Library and Abbey Precinct of St. Gall

CHF 5.00 E|G|F|I

Public guided tours

daily at 2 pm, in German
June and September 11 am and 2 pm
July and August 11 am, 2 pm and 3 pm
Bookings for guided tours (including cathedral) and information tours@stibi.ch, Phone +41 71 227 34 16

Exhibition catalogue

available from the shop or via our website

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www.stiftsbibliothek.ch
www.stiftsbezirk-sg.ch
www.st.gallen-bodensee.ch

Title illustration:

St. Gall teaches the Holy Script and Christian thought to the deacon John in his cell.
Grisaille painting in the Baroque Hall of the Abbey Library of St. Gall, bookcase EE.

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