Section One: New and Changed Subject Headings and Genre/Form Terms

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The new subject headings listed here reflect the most recent information available at the time of publication. Headings in this issue’s list were selected from 2015 LCSH list numbers 7, 8, 9, and 10 (July 17, August 17, September 21, October 19).

New genre/form terms were selected from list numbers 10, 16, and 18 (October 19, September 14, and September 8, respectively). Note that this listing includes LC-PSD’s recently developed list of genre/form terms for religious works, approved on September 8, 2015.

The following conventions are used, as in previous lists:

Subject headings are in alphabetical order. Those without the instruction [May Subd Geog] are not to be further divided by place. The number in square brackets is the Library of Congress Control Number (LCCN) for that heading’s authority record (not the ARN/Authority Record Number).

All lines begin with their MARC tag. Most headings are followed by other MARC fields in the authority record (e.g., 450, 550), along with explanatory abbreviations:

UF = Used For
BT = Broader Term
RT = Related Term
SA = See Also

Relevant changes to free-floating subdivisions and genre/form terms, if any, are at the end of the list.

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Subject Headings

150 Catalogers [May Subd Geog] [sp 85020815 ]
450 UF Cataloging librarians ADD FIELD

150 Credit (Islamic law) [May Subd Geog] [sp2015001231]
550 BT Islamic law

150 Deluge (Islam) [sp2015001582]
450 UF Flood (Islam)

150 Feminist haggadot [sp2015000307]
550 BT Haggadot

150 Fiction--Muslim authors [May Subd Geog] [sp2015000923]
550 BT Muslim authors

150 Haggadot, Kibbutz CHANGE HEADING
150 Kibbutz haggadot [sp 85058257 ]
450 UF Haggadot, Kibbutz [Former heading]
550 BT Haggadot

150 Haggadot, Secular CHANGE HEADING
150 Secular haggadot [sp 85058258 ]
450 UF Haggadot, Secular [Former heading]
550 BT Haggadot

150 Honor killings--Religious aspects [sp2014000047]

150 Honor killings--Religious aspects--Buddhism, [Christianity, etc.] [sp2014000048]

150 Krishna (Hindu deity) CANCEL HEADING [sp 85073290 ]
682 This authority record has been deleted because the subject heading is covered by an identical name heading (DLC)no2015096049

150 Lutheran high schools [May Subd Geog] [sp2015001844]
550 BT High schools
550 BT Lutheran Church—Education

150 Religious pluralism in motion pictures [Not Subd Geog] [sp2015000685]
550 BT Motion pictures

150 Saint Nicholas’ Day [May Subd Geog] [sp 85116604 ]
550 RT Santa Claus DELETE FIELD

150 Santa Claus CANCEL HEADING [sp 85117361 ]
682 This authority record has been deleted because the subject heading is covered by an identical name heading (DLC)no2015039717

150 Solar eclipses--Religious aspects--Buddhism, [Christianity, etc.] [sp2015001575]
150 Undoer of Knots, Our Lady  [Not Subd Geog]  [sp2015001071]
  053 BT660.U64
  450 UF Desatadora de Nudos, María
  450 UF Desatadora dos Nós, Maria
  450 UF Desatanudos, María
  450 UF Desatanudos, Nuestra Señora
  450 UF Knotenlöserin, Maria
  450 UF María, la que Desata los Nudos
  450 UF María Desatadora de Nudos
  450 UF María Desatadora dos Nós
  450 UF María Desatanudos
  450 UF Maria Knotenlöserin
  450 UF Nossa Senhora Desatadora dos Nós
  450 UF Nuestra Señora Desatadanudos
  450 UF Our Lady, Undoer of Knots
  450 UF Our Lady, Untier of Knots
  450 UF Mary, Who Unties Knots
  450 UF Mary, Untier of Knots
  450 UF Mary, Undoer of Knots
  450 UF Untier of Knots, Our Lady
  550 BT Mary, Blessed Virgin, Saint--Devotion to

**Genre/Form Terms**

155 Apocryphal works  [gp2015026025]
  555 BT Religious materials
  680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for works that are excluded from the sacred canon of a religion, denomination, sect, etc., e.g., the apocryphal gospels; the Tripitaka apocryphal works.
  681 Example under Religious materials

155 Apologetic writings  [gp2015026027]
  555 BT Religious materials
  680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for works that explain a religion, denomination, sect, etc., and defend it from external criticism.

155 Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament (Music)  [gp2015026068]
  555 BT Event music
  555 BT Sacred music

155 Breviaries  [gp2015026078]
  455 UF Divine Office (Breviaries)
  455 UF Hours, Liturgy of the
  455 UF Liturgy of the Hours
  555 BT Liturgical books

155 Call documents  [gp2015026028]
  555 BT Records (Documents)
  555 BT Religious materials
  680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for official documents that outline the circumstances, mutual obligations, and terms of a minister's call to service.

155 Catechisms  [gp2015026029]
This heading is used as a genre/form heading for works that provide comprehensive instruction on doctrines and are often structured in question-and-answer form.

155 Chirographa (Personal correspondence) [gp2015026030]
455 UF Chirographi (Personal correspondence)
455 UF Chirographs (Personal correspondence)
455 UF Letters, Papal
455 UF Papal letters
555 BT Personal correspondence
555 BT Religious materials
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for the personal letters written by the Roman Catholic pope.

155 Christmas sermons [gp2015026084]
555 BT Sermons

155 Church covenants [gp2015026055]
455 UF Covenants, Church
555 BT Contracts
555 BT Religious materials
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for solemn agreements among members of a church to maintain its faith and discipline.

155 Church orders [gp2015026054]
555 BT Administrative regulations
555 BT Religious materials
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for regulations and directions on church governance that are decreed according to ecclesiastical or scriptural authority.

155 Creeds [gp2015026031]
455 UF Confessions of faith
455 UF Faith, Confessions of
555 BT Religious materials
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for concise authorized statements of religious doctrine within religions or denominations.

155 Devotional literature [gp2015026057]
455 UF Devotional exercises
455 UF Devotions
455 UF Forty hours’ devotions
455 UF Marian devotions
455 UF Spiritual exercises
555 BT Instructional and educational works
555 BT Religious materials
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for religious materials that are intended to be used as aids for private study, prayer, and reflection.

155 Funeral sermons [gp2015026085]
555 BT Sermons
155 Hagiographies [gp2015026032]
455 UF Hagiologies
555 BT Biographies
555 BT Religious materials
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for biographies of saints, religious figures, and deities that focus on their lives as exemplars of the faith. Calendars or lists of martyrs that may contain some biographical information are entered under Martyrologies.
681 Note under Martyrologies

155 Harmonies (Reference works) [gp2015026034]
555 BT Reference works
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for works that list parallel texts or passages for the purpose of showing agreement among them.

155 Ijāzah [gp2015026035]
555 BT Records (Documents)
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for the license of a Muslim scholar to teach one or more works, which may include a detailed record of the scholar’s intellectual lineage.

155 Koans [gp2015026036]
555 BT Religious materials
555 RT Meditations
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for paradoxes used in Zen Buddhism as instruments of meditation to encourage sudden intuitive enlightenment rather than dependence upon reason.

155 Lectionaries [gp2015026038]
455 UF Evangelaries
455 UF Evangelistaries
555 BT Pericopes
555 RT Sacred works
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for collections of passages from sacred works that are arranged according to the liturgical calendar and are intended to be read during public worship.

155 Litanies [gp2015026087]
555 BT Liturgical books
555 BT Prayers

155 Liturgical books [gp2015026039]
455 UF Agenda (Liturgical books)
455 UF Altar books
455 UF Benedictionals
455 UF Collects (Prayers)
455 UF Communion liturgies
455 UF Eucharist, Liturgy of the
455 UF Liturgies and rituals
455 UF Liturgy of the Eucharist
455 UF Liturgy of the Lord’s Supper
455 UF Lord’s Supper, Liturgy of the
455 UF Menologion
455 UF Offertories
455 UF Ordinals (Liturgical books)
455 UF Responses (Liturgies)
455 UF Rituals and liturgies
455 UF Sacramentaries
455 UF Service books (Liturgical books)
555 BT Handbooks and manuals
555 BT Religious materials
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for prescribed forms of religious worship and ritual.

155 Mandalas [gp2015026040]
555 BT Religious materials
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for geometric figures that represent the cosmos in Buddhism and Hinduism.

155 Martyrologies [gp2015026033]
555 BT Registers (Lists)
555 BT Religious materials
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for calendars or lists of martyrs that may contain some biographical information. Biographies of saints, religious figures, and deities that focus on their lives as exemplars of the faith are entered under Hagiographies.
681 Note under Hagiographies

155 Mashyakhah [gp2015026041]
455 UF Thabit
555 BT Registers (Lists)
555 BT Religious materials
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for listings of the names of the immediate teachers of Muslim scholars.

155 Masses [gp2014026926]
555 RT Organ masses ADD FIELD
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for musical settings of the Mass in its entirety or for the Mass ordinary. Chants of the Mass propers are entered under Propers (Music). DELETE FIELD
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for musical settings of the Mass in its entirety or for the Mass ordinary. Chants of the Mass propers are entered under Propers (Music). Collections of versets for the organ that replace parts of the Ordinary and Proper of the Mass and are played in alternations with the other portions are entered under Organ masses. ADD FIELD
681 Note under Propers (Music) DELETE FIELD
681 Note under Propers (Music); Organ masses ADD FIELD

155 Marsiyas [gp2014026426]
455 UF Marsiyahs
455 UF Marsiyehs
555 BT Elegies
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for Urdu elegies that generally honor the martyring of the Prophet Muhammad’s grandson Husayn and his kinsmen in the 7th century Battle of Karbala.

155 Meditations [gp2015026056]
555 BT Devotional literature
555 RT Koans
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for thoughts on spiritual truths intended for use in meditation.
| 155 | Missionary plays [gp2014026436] |
| 455 | UF Missionary drama |
| 555 | BT Religious drama |
| 680 | This heading is used as a genre/form heading for plays that promote the goals of religious missions. |

| 155 | Monastic constitutions [gp2015026042] |
| 455 | UF Customaries, Monastic |
| 455 | UF Monastic customs |
| 555 | BT Constitutions |
| 555 | BT Religious materials |
| 680 | This heading is used as a genre/form heading for documents that order the activities and behavior of the members of religious communities. |

| 155 | Monastic rules [gp2015026058] |
| 455 | UF Rules, Monastic |
| 555 | BT Administrative regulations |
| 555 | BT Religious materials |
| 680 | This heading is used as a genre/form heading for the codes of discipline and conduct prescribed by the founders of religious orders. |

| 155 | Morality plays [gp2014026442] |
| 455 | UF Morality drama |
| 555 | BT Allegories |
| 555 | BT Didactic drama |
| 555 | BT Religious drama |
| 680 | This heading is used as a genre/form heading for late medieval allegorical plays that teach moral lessons by depicting the battle between good and evil in the human soul. |

| 155 | Mystery and miracle plays [gp2014026446] |
| 455 | UF Bible-histories (Drama) |
| 455 | UF Miracle plays |
| 455 | UF Mysteries (Religious drama) |
| 455 | UF Mystery and miracle drama |
| 455 | UF Pageants (Mystery and miracle plays) |
| 455 | UF Rappresentazioni sacre |
| 455 | UF Sacre rappresentazioni |
| 555 | BT Religious drama |
| 680 | This heading is used as a genre/form heading for medieval religious plays that present biblical stories or stories of miracles performed by saints. |

| 155 | Myths [gp2015026043] |
| 455 | UF Mythologies |
| 555 | BT Folk literature |
| 555 | BT Religious materials |
| 680 | This heading is used as a genre/form heading for traditional stories that ostensibly explain natural phenomena, beliefs, or practices, and are frequently associated with religious rites and beliefs. |

| 155 | Organ masses [gp2015026077] |
| 455 | UF Instrumental masses |
| 555 | BT Art music |
| 555 | BT Sacred music |
| 555 | RT Masses |
This heading is used as a genre/form heading for collections of versets for the organ that replace parts of the Ordinary and Proper of the Mass and are played in alternation with the sung portions. Musical settings of the Mass in its entirety or for the Mass ordinary are entered under Masses.

Note under Masses

155 Papal blessings [gp2015026082]
455 UF Blessings, Papal
555 BT Papal documents

155 Papal documents [gp2015026044]
455 UF Briefs, Papal
455 UF Bulls, Papal
455 UF Bullariums
455 UF Decretals
455 UF Motu proprio
455 UF Papal rescripts
455 UF Rescripts, Papal
555 BT Records (Documents)
555 BT Religious materials

155 Papal encyclicals [gp2015026081]
455 UF Encyclicals, Papal
455 UF Letters, Papal
455 UF Papal letters
555 BT Papal documents
555 BT Pastoral letters and charges
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for formal pastoral letters written by the Roman Catholic pope for the entire Church.

155 Parashiyot ha-shavua [gp2015026046]
455 UF Torah portions, Weekly
455 UF Weekly Torah portions
555 BT Excerpts
555 BT Religious materials
555 RT Sacred works

155 Passion plays [gp2014026472]
555 BT Bible plays
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for plays that present the trial, suffering, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

155 Pastoral letters and charges [gp2015026047]
455 UF Pastoral charges and letters
555 BT Business correspondence
555 BT Religious materials
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for official letters by a bishop, pastor, moderator, or chairperson to the members of his or her diocese or congregation within some Christian traditions.

155 Pericopes [gp2015026037]
155 Pilgrimage guides [gp2015026048]
555 BT Guidebooks
555 BT Religious materials
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for works that describe the location, objects of veneration, and devotional practices related to one or more religious sites.

155 Prayers [gp2015026049]
455 UF Altar prayers
455 UF Bedtime prayers
455 UF Collects (Prayers)
455 UF Dead, Prayers for the
455 UF Grace before meals
455 UF Novenas
455 UF Pastoral prayers
455 UF Peace, Prayers for
455 UF Prayer books
455 UF Prayers for peace
455 UF Prayers for the dead
555 BT Religious materials

155 Prophecies [gp2015026059]
455 UF Omens
555 BT Informational works

155 Psalms [gp2015026079]
555 BT Religious poetry
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for sacred songs originally contained in the Book of Psalms. Collections of psalms arranged for devotional or liturgical use are entered under Psalters.
681 Note under Psalters

155 Psalters [gp2015026080]
555 BT Devotional literature
555 BT Liturgical books
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for collections of psalms arranged for devotional or liturgical use. Sacred songs originally contained in the Book of Psalms are entered under Psalms.
681 Note under Psalms

155 Purim plays [gp2014026494]
455 UF Purim drama
455 UF Purim Spiels
455 UF Purimspielen
455 UF Purimspiels
455 UF Purimshpiln
555 BT Bible plays
555 BT Folk drama
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for plays that depict Old Testament characters and are associated with the Jewish holiday of Purim.
155 Qur’an stories [gp2014026498]
   455 UF Koran stories
   455 UF Koranic stories
   455 UF Qur’anic stories
   455 UF Stories, Koran
   455 UF Stories, Koranic
   455 UF Stories, Qur’an
   555 BT Literature
   680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for paraphrases of Qur’anic texts in story form.

155 Religious comics [gp2014026500]
   555 BT Comics (Graphic works)

155 Religious fiction [gp2014026502]
   555 BT Fiction

155 Religious inventories [gp2015026050]
   455 UF Inventories, Religious
   555 BT Catalogs
   555 BT Religious materials
   680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for works that list and describe the permanent collections of books and/or objects belonging to a religious site or printing house.

155 Religious materials [gp2015026026]
   680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for collections of religious materials that are composed of multiple genres and/or forms to which more specific headings such as Apocryphal works cannot be applied.

155 Rosaries (Prayer books) [gp2015026083]
   555 BT Devotional literature
   555 BT Prayers

155 Sacred music [gp2014027062]
   555 BT Religious materials ADD FIELD

155 Sacred works [gp2015026045]
   455 UF Sacred books
   455 UF Sacred scriptures
   455 UF Scriptures
   555 BT Religious materials
   555 BT Parashiyot ha-shavua
   555 BT Pericopes
   680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for works that are considered sacred by a religion or denomination.

155 Sermons [gp2015026051]
   455 UF Homilies
   455 UF Postils
   555 BT Discursive works
   555 BT Religious materials
155 Service books (Music) [gp2014027085]
555 BT Religious materials ADD FIELD

155 Spirit writings [gp2015026052]
555 BT Discursive works
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for automatic writing said to have been produced under the influence of spirits.

155 Ta’ziyah [gp2014026567]
455 UF Passion plays, Shiite
455 UF Shiite passion plays
455 UF Ta’ziah
455 UF Ta’ziya
455 UF Ta’zich
455 UF Taziyeh
555 BT Religious drama
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for Shiite passion plays that reenact the martyrdom of the Prophet Muhammad’s grandson Husayn.

155 Thanksgiving Day sermons [gp2015026086]
555 BT Sermons

155 Tracts (Ephemera) [gp2015026053]
455 UF Leaflets (Tracts)
455 UF Pamphlets (Tracts)
555 BT Ephemera
555 BT Instructional and educational works
680 This heading is used as a genre/form heading for pamphlets, leaflets, etc., that contain religious exhortations, doctrinal discussions, or proselytizing appeals, and that are often issued by religious or political groups.