



# NEWSLETTER

**First Church of Christ, Scientist**

**Austin, Texas**

**July 2021**

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Sunday Service at 11 am • Wednesday Testimony Meetings at Noon and 7:30 pm – In-person and via Zoom

## CALENDAR

- **JULY BOARD MEETING**  
Tuesday, July 6 @ 7 pm
- **JULY SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING**  
Thursday, July 8 @ 7:30 pm via Zoom
- **BIBLE STUDY – On-line via zoom**  
Monday, July 12 @ 7:30 – 8:30 pm via Zoom

### OUR CHURCH SERVICES ARE BOTH IN-PERSON AND ON-LINE

Services are on Sundays at 11:00 am and Wednesdays at 12:00 pm and 7:30 pm, either in person or remotely via Zoom or phone.

*Dial 346-248-7799, ID: 304-412-1309 # #*

See our website for direct access to the Zoom meeting. SXSU now allows us to park in their garage for our Wednesday noon meeting as well as Sunday services. Please bring your ticket to the Clerk for validation. A flyer in the foyer explains their parking procedure.

Sunday School classes are being held in person and remotely. Contact the Clerk for information.

A Children's Room for small children is available during the services.

## Breaking news FREEDOM IS OURS NOW

You are welcome to a replay of this lecture, which can be found on our website at <https://firstchurchcsaustin.org/> and on Youtube at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4loee0ZX5tU&t=1712s> Both will be available until August 1, 2021.

### A talk on Christian Science



**Patricia Woodard, CS**  
Christian Science practitioner  
Member of the Christian Science Board of Lectureship

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First Church of Christ, Scientist  
Austin, TX

## The Reading Room

*In the church - 1309 Guadalupe 78701  
512-472-8109 - [readingroom@firstcsaustin.org](mailto:readingroom@firstcsaustin.org)  
Open M-F 10-2 - Closed July 5<sup>th</sup> for the holiday*

**Join us for the next Bible Study on July 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm via Zoom.** We are diving into Chapter 8 of the Book of Mark. Check our website for access and for the workbook questions from Bible Roads by Bible scholar Madelin Maupin.

### Monthly Bible Study

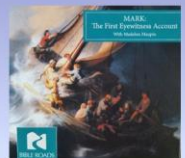
*A free Bible Study featuring Bible Roads CDs*

**Monday, July 12th, 7:30 – 8:30 PM CDT**

**Join Zoom Meeting**

**<https://zoom.us/j/93113958416>**

**Meeting ID: 931 1395 8416**



The second Monday of each month we will enjoy digging deeper into books of the Bible that will give us insights that can be applied in our daily experience.

This session covers Mark Chapter 8. See the newsletter or our website for a link to the workbook questions.

Offered by: Christian Science Reading Room  
Austin, TX 512-472-8109

Did you miss seeing **the Annual Meeting of The Mother Church** which was shown in the Reading Room on June 7<sup>th</sup>? You can enjoy the replay on **ChristianScience.com** and click **Watch the Replay** under 'Annual Meeting'.

**NEW - Editions of the children's books in Spanish, *La historia de Jesus* (The Story of Jesus) and *El arca de Noe'* (Noah and the Ark) are now available in the Reading Room.**

**Special pricing of \$8.00/each on Science and Health.** This is a book we want to share! Members, just say **'Give Away Price'** when buying copies for sharing.

Don't miss the church business meeting on **July 8<sup>th</sup>!** See the **presentation and vote on the new location for the Reading Room.**



## The Gentle Beam

July Topic:

*With sacred courage go =*

Ye messengers of Christ,  
His sovereign voice obey;  
Arise, and follow where he leads,  
And peace attend your way.

The Master whom you serve  
Will needful strength bestow;  
Depending on his promised aid,  
With sacred courage go.

In vain shall evil strive,  
And hell in vain oppose;  
The cause is God's and will prevail,  
In spite of all His foes.

Christian Science Hymnal, No. 396

### CLERK'S OFFICE HOURS:

Sunday, Tuesday and Wednesday  
11 am – 2 pm

Clerk's Phone Number - 512-917-7282 (mobile)

### Free Dell laptop - over 15 years old

Suitable for browsing the Internet. Available to any member - see the Clerk if interested.



## FROM THE BOARD

**JULY SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING**  
**Thursday, July 8 at 7:30 pm via Zoom.**

**Members** - be on the lookout in your emails for the **Reports to be read before the meeting**, as they will not be read at the meeting.

Last Call to submit your Preference Sheet for the 2021-2022 committee year.

Members are needed for the Lecture, Technology, Teller and Usher Committees.

After much prayer and discussion, the Board decided to lift the Covid-19 protocols we have had in place for our services and Sunday School. Those who wish to continue to wear masks are welcome to do so. Our Sunday services and Wednesday testimony meetings will continue to be broadcast via Zoom.

## on the phone & web

- **OUR SUNDAY SERVICE AT 11 AM and WEDNESDAY NOON & 7:30 pm MEETINGS**  
*In-person and via Zoom or phone at 346-248-7799, ID: 304-412-1309 ##*
- **Dial 512-703-8010** • **AVAILABLE ANYTIME, ANYWHERE**
- **SENTINEL WATCH** • *Press 2*
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- **THE LEAVES**  
[www.TheLeaves.org](http://www.TheLeaves.org)
- **LECTURES**  
<https://www.youtube.com/user/officialcslectures>

In Memoriam  
Barbara Houston  
and  
former member,  
Olive Lambert