

NEWSLETTER



First Church of Christ, Scientist

Austin, Texas

March 2022

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

CALENDAR

- **MARCH BOARD MEETING**
Thursday, March 10 @ 7 pm
- **BIBLE STUDY – On-line via zoom**
Monday, March 14 from 7:30 – 8:30 pm via Zoom
- **CEDARS CAMP SHOW**
Sunday, March 27 after church – 12:30-3:30
Pizza lunch, video show & Pool Party
- **CHRISTIAN SCIENCE NURSING WORKSHOP**
Saturday, April 2 – 10:00-3:30 (lunch provided)
A one day seminar at First Church, Austin

OUR CHURCH SERVICES RETURN TO BOTH IN-PERSON AND ON-LINE

We are grateful to report that we can again attend our Services in person 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. Parking is available in the SXS garage north of our church 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 also being held in person. A Children's Room for small children is available during the Sunday services and Wednesday Evening meetings.

SUMMER CAMP FUND

This fund is open for contributions to help our Sunday School students attend a summer camp for Christian Scientists again this summer. This is our way of giving tangible support to our students for their continued growth in and application of Christian Science to their daily lives. As camp applications are now being sent out for the coming summer, we ask that you make your contributions over the next few months, so we'll know how we'll be able to support our kids.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE NURSING WORKSHOP

Saturday, April 2 - 10:00-3:30 (lunch provided)

The Leaves is hosting a workshop series from Le Verger called "The Spiritual Dimension of Care" for churches throughout Texas. Our church is hosting this one-day seminar workshop in Austin. It gives a deeper look into *The Manual* provision for the Christian Science nurse, and brings church members together to share thoughts, ideas, healings. Flyers are on table in the lobby. RSVP to theleaves.org/workshops

The Reading Room

7739 Northcross Drive #T, Austin 78757

512-472-8109 - readingroom@firstcsaustin.org

Open M-F & 2nd Saturday of the month 10 am -2 pm

STORY TIME! March 4th @ 10 am

Enjoy children's stories and songs with us!

SECOND SATURDAY LECTURES!

March 12th @ 1 pm

Join us in the Reading Room to see a Christian Science lecture on YouTube.

Visit the *free items table* in the church lobby to select books, etc. that were donated to the Reading Room. Take all you want!

Monthly Bible Study

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.

Monday, Mar. 14th 7:30 – 8:30 PM CST

Join the Zoom Meeting

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

Meeting ID: 931 1395 8416

This session is a recap of **Genesis Chapters 13-25** from Madelon Maupin's CD. No questions for this session.



This information is also available in our newsletter or on our website <https://firstchurchcsaustin.org>

Bible Study: Genesis Part II

Workbook
By Madelon Maupin, MTS

The study workbook for Genesis Part II can be purchased as a download or spiral at <https://bibleroads.com/shop>

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

CEDARS CAMP SHOW

Sunday, March 27 - right after church
Pizza lunch – Video Show – Pool Party!

Join the fun at Dennis and Jill McDaniel's house
10449 Jenny's Jump Dr. Austin 78733

For information call Ken Heroy 512-923-9533
RSVP: Becky@cedarscamps.org



The Gentle Beam

March Topic:

Thy love and truth are everywhere =

In Thee, O Spirit true and tender,
I find my life as God's own child;
Within Thy light of glorious splendor
I lose the earth-clouds drear and wild.

Within Thy love is safe abiding
From every thought that giveth fear;
Within Thy truth a perfect chiding,
Should I forget that Thou art near.

In Thee I have no pain or sorrow,
No anxious thought, no load of care.
Thou art the same today, tomorrow;
Thy love and truth are everywhere.

(Christian Science Hymnal, No. 154)

CLERK'S OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday 9:30a-1:30p
Wednesday 9:30a-1:30p
Sunday 10a-11a
Clerk's Phone Number - 425-442-9351

SILENT AUCTION

Members may bid on these items no longer being used by the Tech Committee: • HP laptop • Dell laptop • tape/CD/ radio stereo • Muzak sound mixer.

Contact Becky Carter with any questions. They may be viewed in the Clerk's Office during office hours, and before and after Sunday services. Call or email the Clerk to view during her office hours.

Submit a bid to the Clerk by Thursday, March 31. The high bidder will be notified. Payment is to be made to the Church.



FROM THE BOARD

- We have a new provider for our Broadcast phone line and hope to have it up and running sometime this month.
- The policy adopted at the April 8, 2021 Quarterly Meeting has been entered into our Standing Rules:
 - **C.6.2** The Board is granted the authority to change the rules for participation at in-person church services to reflect the changing guidance from local government officials.
- An offer to purchase our church property was withdrawn when the church was cited as being a possible Historical Landmark.
- There is a need for a Chairman for the Grounds Committee.

on the phone & web

Until we have a new provider to broadcast the Christian Science Bible Lesson and Sentinel Watch programs, here are some other numbers you can call for the same phone programming:

Dallas (214) 447-9675
Houston (713) 595-5210

In Spanish:

Ft. Worth 817-259-1647

- **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 ##
- **DAILY LIFT**
Two minute podcast about Christian Science healing
Dial 617-450-3430
- **FIRST CHURCH AUSTIN WEBSITE**
www.firstchurchcsaustin.org
Includes INTERNET RADIO – 4 audio programs
- **AUSTIN AREA WEBSITES**
www.ChristianScienceAustin.org
- **THE MOTHER CHURCH WEBSITES**
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www.jsh.christianscience.com
www.sentinel.christianscience.com
- **THE LEAVES**
www.TheLeaves.org
- **LECTURES**
<https://www.youtube.com/user/officialcslectures>