

NEWSLETTER



First Church of Christ, Scientist

Austin, Texas

May 2022

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

CALENDAR

- **READING ROOM STORY TIME**
Friday, May 6 @ 10 am
- **BIBLE STUDY** – On-line via zoom
Monday, May 9 from 7:30 – 8:30 pm
- **MAY BOARD MEETING**
Thurs, May 12 @ 7 pm

REPORT - SPRING CLEAN UP DAY!

A large group joined us for the Spring Clean Up Day on Saturday, April 23 to lend a hand to beautify our church. They spread compost in grass areas; composted and mulched the exterior beds. Weeded! Cut down the two dead palm trees in the atrium as well as cut back the banana trees and ferns. They did cleaning and small repairs throughout the building including a sprinkler head repair. All were rewarded with sandwich lunch and cookies for a job well done!



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
Closed Monday, May 30th for Memorial Day

Pick out something special for Mother's Day at the Reading Room.♥ Books of poetry, music CDs, biographies of a wonderful woman, Mary Baker Eddy, and more!



STORY TIME!

Join us for songs & stories
Friday, May 6th @ 10 AM

Enjoy a lecture on YouTube in the Reading Room on Saturday, May 14th @ 1 PM.

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, May 9th 7:30 – 8:30 PM CDT

Join the Zoom Meeting

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

Meeting ID: 931 1395 8416

This session covers
Genesis Chapter 27.

The study workbook can be purchased as a download or spiral at

<https://bibleroads.com/shop>

This information is also available on our website

<https://firstchurchcsaustin.org>



Bible Study: Genesis Part II

- Workbook -
By Madelon Maupin, MTS

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

SUMMER CAMP FUND

Eight Sunday School students received help from our church to attend Summer Camps for Christian Scientists this summer!

Thank you for supporting our young people!



The Gentle Beam

May Topic:

The loveliness of Love is all around =

From sense to Soul my pathway lies before me,
From mist and shadow into Truth's clear day;
The dawn of all things real is breaking o'er me,
My heart is singing: I have found the way.

I reach Mind's open door, and at its portal
I know that where I stand is holy ground;
I feel the calm and joy of things immortal,
The loveliness of Love is all around.

The way leads upward and its goal draws nearer,
Thought soars enraptured, fetterless and free;
The vision infinite to me grows clearer,
I touch the fringes of eternity.

(Christian Science Hymnal, No. 64)

LECTURE FRUITAGE

Our April 19th lecture, "The Quest to Experience God" by Giulia Nesi Tetreau, was well attended both in-person and online. The Lecture Committee has heard feedback from at least three attendees who were not very familiar with Christian Science that they found the lecture insightful, and it generated good questions for follow-up.

The lecture video is available for viewing on our website and Facebook page until May 18th.

CLERK'S OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday & Wednesday 10 am-2 pm
Sunday 10-11 am
Clerk's Phone Number - 425-442-9351

FROM THE BOARD

Be sure to mark your calendar for the June 6th **Annual Meeting of The Mother Church**. Attend in person at The Mother Church, live on-line, or join us to view in our auditorium at noon.

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

All are welcome to attend 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.

Sunday School classes are also held in person. A Children's Room for small children is available during the Sunday Services and Wednesday Evening Meetings.

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 ##
- **THE WEEKLY BIBLE LESSON & SENTINEL WATCH:**
214 447-9675
Programs In Spanish:
817-259-1647
- **DAILY LIFT**
Two minute podcast about Christian Science healing
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- **FIRST CHURCH AUSTIN WEBSITE**
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