

December Newsletter

First Church of Christ, Scientist

1309 Guadalupe Street, Austin, Texas 78701



Monthly Calendar

Thursday, December 4th @ 7:15 pm
Monthly Board Meeting

Sunday, December 7th @ 12:15 - 4 pm
Prin Hymn Sing after church

Monday, December 8th @ 7:30 pm
Bible Study via Zoom

Thursday, December 25th
Christmas Day

Lecture at First Church New Braunfels

Please mark your calendar and invite your family, friends, and neighbors to this inspiring and healing talk. **First Church of Christ, Scientist, New Braunfels** is hosting a lecture on **Saturday, December 6th at 11:00 am.**

James Shepherd, CS, will speak on ***"Why Everyone is Needed."***

Child care and parking are available. *An open house to follow the lecture.*



The Principia Club of Austin invites you, your family, and friends to join us as we gather for an afternoon filled with holiday cheer including a **lunch & Sing at First Church, Austin on Sunday, December 7th from 12:15 - 4pm.** You are invited to bring a dessert to share. All are welcome!

Please see the flyer in the lobby for more details.



Following, The Principia Club is **hosting a virtual event on December 8th at 7:30 pm CT - Welcoming Christ This Christmas: Biblical Role Models Who Guide Us** with Madelon Maupin

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Sunday Service at 11 AM ~ Wednesday Testimony Meetings at Noon & 7:30 PM ~ In person and via Zoom

The Reading Room

7739 Northcross Drive, Austin, TX

The Reading Room will be **closed December 24th - January 1st.**

Story Time will be Dec. 4th @ 10:30 am of stories & fun for moms and little ones.

Our **Bible Study** is covering Ch.12-13 in the book **The Revelation of St. John The Divine..** Join us from **7:30- 8:30 pm on Dec. 8th.** See flyer or our website for access via zoom or by phone.

This holiday, give the **gifts that uplift!** Find them at the Reading Room!



GIVINGTUESDAY

There are several Christian Science organizations who are hoping for donations this season, and many have matching grants. Here are a few:

The Leaves

(CS Nursing facility in the Dallas area)

The State Institutional Committee of Texas

(see Clerk for details)

The Campership Fund

(Supports all 6 CS camps)

CedarS Camp

(CS summer camp in Missouri)

The Gentle Beam



Joy to the world, the Lord is come, / Let earth receive her King; / Let every heart prepare him room, / And heaven and nature sing.

Christian Science Hymnal, No. 417:1

The basis of Christmas is the rock, Christ Jesus; its fruits are inspiration and spiritual understanding of joy and rejoicing, — not because of tradition, usage, or corporeal pleasures, but because of fundamental and demonstrable truth, because of the heaven within us.

The First Church of Christ, Scientist, and Miscellany, Mary Baker Eddy, p. 260:17–21



At DiscoveryBound (DB) events you'll experience Christian Science in action! Our activities are inclusive, healing, inspiring, loving – and we can't forget – fun. Whether you attend events for families, teens, or adults, you'll be with like-minded individuals, so you can relax and be yourself.



On the Phone & Web

Can't come in person?

Attend our services via Zoom or phone at
346-248-7799
ID: 304-412-1309 # #

SUNDAY SERVICE: 11 AM
WEDNESDAY MEETINGS: NOON & 7:30 PM

Childcare is available at all of our services



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