



Inspiration



From Third Church of Christ, Scientist, Dallas, Texas, USA

"In November of 2021, our Reading Room hosted a dog friendly "Community Gratitude Event" in the parking lot of our church. After many challenging months of dealing with the pandemic, we wanted to bring our neighbors and members together to give gratitude for the good going on in our lives. It was also an opportunity to thank our local first responders, several of whom were in attendance. The event was really the culmination of many months of getting to know our neighbors (and their dogs) at our Reading Room tent that has been open outside our church since October of 2020. We gave out gratitude bags containing a gratitude journal, a current *Monitor*, an invitation to our Thanksgiving service as well as the Thanksgiving lesson, and an invitation to our Christmas concert. There were also a number of fun activities including a Gratitude Wall. It was truly an outward expression of love to our community!"

If you would like to read articles from the periodicals about Reading Rooms, visit "[Reading Room resources](#)" page and scroll down the page to the "Inspiring articles from the Christian Science magazines" section.

We want to hear from you! How have members of your church and Reading Room staff been praying in support of the healing activity of your Reading Room? Please send your submissions to: opendoors@csps.com.

Annual Meeting 2022

You are warmly invited to the Annual Meeting of The Mother Church on June 6 at 1:00 p.m. (ET). Join us, either in person or online, as we explore the inspirational theme from the Christian Science textbook:

“One infinite God, good, unifies men and nations; constitutes the brotherhood of man; ends wars; fulfils the Scripture, “Love thy neighbor as thyself;” annihilates pagan and Christian idolatry, — whatever is wrong in social, civil, criminal, political, and religious codes; equalizes the sexes; annuls the curse on man, and leaves nothing that can sin, suffer, be punished or destroyed.”

— Mary Baker Eddy, *Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures*, p. 340, emphasis added

You may also join in two weekend events:

Saturday, June 4

Hymn Sing: 7:30 - 8:30 p.m. ET

Sunday, June 5

“Goodness reveals another scene”*: 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. ET

This event explores how "One infinite God, good" expands our individual healing practice and our collective Church experience to bless the whole human family.

For more information, please visit [ChristianScience.com/AnnualMeeting](https://christianscience.com/AnnualMeeting)

*Mary Baker Eddy, *Miscellaneous Writings*, p. 1

Reading Room Webinars

If you have a suggestion for a webinar topic, please send it to: opendoors@csps.com. We want to make sure that our webinar topics are of interest to you. All but one of the webinars presented in 2021 have come at your request.

In case you missed it: Reading Room webinar replays

[Introducing *People Making a Difference* podcast from *The Christian Science Monitor*](#)

[Proactive Community Connections](#)

[Window display – from prayer to finished display](#)

[Inspiration and activity in small Reading Rooms](#)

[A discussion about “exhibit” \(*Manual* Art. XXI Sect. 3\)](#)

[Introducing the new Reading Room Resources page](#)

[All about Bible Lesson translations](#)

[Innovation in Reading Room Activities during lockdown](#)

[Christ Healing in Reading Rooms](#)

A look beyond the news story: "Finding Resilience in Ukraine."

Editors, reporters, and staff of *The Christian Science Monitor* recently held a public online event, looking at the conflict between Russia and Ukraine through the *Monitor's* unique lens. See the event replay at csmmonitor.com/Ukraine –and feel free to share it with your staff, members, and visitors.

From the Mary Baker Eddy Library



The April episode of [Seekers and Scholars](#) is now available!

Episode 64: Bicknell Young—a Mormon and Christian Science story

Join us for a fascinating seeker story: the life of Bicknell Young, who grew up in a prominent Mormon family of the mid-1800s. He traveled a road from life among the first settlers of Salt Lake City to a career in service to The Mother Church in Boston. The Library's Executive Manager, Mike Hamilton, sits down with Kristine Haglund, a distinguished Mormon scholar, to discuss the relevance of Young's upbringing, including the connection to his uncle Brigham Young, leader of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints. How did this shape an artistic and spiritual journey that led him to embrace Christian Science? Our guests also discuss the significance of music in Mormon culture and explore how it contributed to Young's early singing career and marriage to the Italian composer and musician Elisa Mazzucato Young.

[Seekers and Scholars](#) is The Mary Baker Eddy Library's monthly podcast series. It features interviews with people who are exploring the many and diverse ways Mary Baker Eddy's ideas and lifework have influenced our world. Episodes are available on our [website](#), or you can subscribe through [Apple Podcasts](#), [Spotify](#), or wherever you normally get your podcasts.



As always, if you or your visitors have questions about Mary Baker Eddy or the history of the Christian Science movement, you can submit them to our researchers at research@mbelibrary.org or by using the [form on our website](#)

You can get the Library's monthly newsletter directly by subscribing [here](#).

The Research Room at The Mary Baker Eddy Library has reopened to the public by appointment only. If you're in Boston, you can come explore the extensive collection of original materials documenting Eddy's life and the church she founded—including letters, manuscripts, organizational records, photographs, artifacts, books, periodicals, and audiovisual materials. Appointments can be scheduled Monday through Thursday, 12:00 noon to 4:00 p.m. Research staff will be available while you're on-site. Find more information about visiting [here](#). No matter where you are, you can also always use our [online research services](#) and [contact us](#) with questions.

Read transcripts of one of our *Sentinel Watch* series

You've been asking for transcripts of our audio programs, and they are now available for our *Sentinel Watch* series, "Where is God When Bad Things Happen?". Help us pass on the news to your Reading Room staff and visitors and your church community. Access all four episodes [here](#).

P.S. Translations in French, German, Portuguese, and Spanish for both audio and transcripts are coming soon, too, for this podcast series. Stay tuned!

Share your ideas, inspiration, and questions on *Sentinel Watch* Want to get in on the conversation on our weekly *Sentinel Watch* podcast? You can now record your comments or questions, and send them to us. Sometimes our hosts will have questions for you; other times you might just feel inspired to share a thought or an experience with us. We listen to each and every message and may use yours in an upcoming *Sentinel Watch* program. Spread the news with your Reading Room staff and visitors + church community. Submit [here](#).

NEW PRODUCTS

NEW: Large Print Prose Works (date of first announcement 3/21/2022)

This hardcover book puts the writings you know and love in a larger font with wide margins for easy note taking. You can now order this book by clicking [here](#).

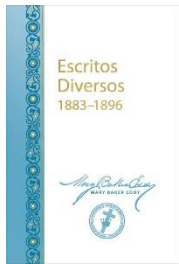
Name	Product Number	Reading Room Price	Suggested Retail Price
Large Print Prose Works	P125B34588EN	\$40.00(USD)	\$55.00(USD)

Metal Markers for French Reader's Edition of *Science and Health* (date of first announcement 3/21/2022)

New markers for the French *Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures* – Large Print Reader's Edition are available to order now with immediate shipping.

Name	Product Number	Reading Room Price	Suggested Retail Price
Metal Markers for French Reader's <i>Science and Health</i>	G600B50863EN	\$49.00(USD)	\$56.00(USD)

NEW: Portuguese Translation of *Miscellaneous Writings* (date of first announcement 2/17/2022)



We are delighted to announce the first-time translation into Portuguese of *Miscellaneous Writings 1883-1896* by Mary Baker Eddy is now available for purchase. Between 1883-1896, Mary Baker Eddy wrote many articles, letters, and poems to support and encourage the spiritual strengthening of the growing membership of the Christian Science church she founded. Many were first published in The Christian Science Journal. Mary Baker Eddy published them as this separate book, *Miscellaneous Writings*. She suspended all Christian Science teaching for one year, urging the study of this book in its place. Chapters include “Questions and Answers,” “One Cause and Effect,” and personal statements from individuals healed by reading *Science and Health*.

Name	Product Number	Reading Room Price	Suggested Retail Price
Escritos Diversos 1883—1896 // <i>Miscellaneous Writings 1883—1896</i> (Portuguese)	P125B34587PG	\$12.00(USD)	\$20.00(USD)

CURRENT PRODUCTS

Product Update: The *Christian Science Hymnal: Hymns 430–603*, musician's edition (date of first announcement 3/21/2022)

The *Christian Science Hymnal: Hymns 430-603*, musician's edition (G875B50806EN) is currently out of stock. We are working on reprinting this product, but, due to challenges currently facing the printing industry, we do not have an estimated delivery date at this time.

Product Update: *Stories of Healing: Jesus and his Followers* (Paperback) (date of first announcement 3/21/2022)

Due to challenges currently facing the printing industry, this product is severely delayed. We do not have a delivery estimate at this time.

Product Update: Cruden's Complete Concordance to the Old and New Testaments (date of first announcement 2/17/2022)

Effective immediately, the wholesale cost of this product has decreased from \$10.97 to \$10.00. The suggested retail price has increased from \$11.97 to \$14.97. The change in the retail price reflects the publisher's latest pricing updates.

Name	Product Number	Reading Room Price	Suggested Retail Price
<u>Cruden's Complete Concordance to the Old and New Testaments</u>	G925B60677EN	\$10.00(USD)	\$14.97(USD)

Product Update: Strong's Exhaustive Concordance of the Bible (date of first announcement 2/17/2022)

Effective immediately, the *Strong's Exhaustive Concordance of the Bible* will replace *The New Strong's Expanded Exhaustive Concordance of the Bible*. This new concordance is available at a lower price than the previous version.

Name	Product Number	Reading Room Price	Suggested Retail Price
<u>Strong's Exhaustive Concordance of the Bible</u>	G925B50861EN	\$14.50(USD)	\$19.97(USD)

Product Update: Discontinuation of The Complete Evangelical Parallel Bible (date of first announcement 2/17/2022)

The publisher and distributor of this product informed us that it is no longer in stock, and will not be reprinted. As a result, we have discontinued *The Complete Evangelical Parallel Bible*. We are currently exploring alternatives.

DISPLAY AND PROMOTIONAL RESOURCES

Display Resources

Approved Providers Program

Easy, affordable, and convenient! Approved Providers offer a wide range of services to help you with your window display needs.

- Have an idea for a Reading Room or Sunday School poster? An Approved Provider will work with you to create something special.
- Need a display and a vinyl banner for a Reading Room booth at an upcoming event? An Approved Provider is happy to help you!
- Want to easily print CSPS-produced promotional materials? An Approved Provider can ship them to you in just a few days!
- Interested in even more posters? Approved Providers sell a wide range of original posters on their websites.
- Want professional looking windows? An Approved Provider will work with you to create a unified window display.
- Need recommendations for poster and banner holders? An Approved Provider can help you with this too!

To contact an Approved Provider please see their information below.

[Convenient Posters](#)

[Lyn Drake of Inspired Designs](#)

[Christian Science Reading Room Displays \(Marguerite Becker\)](#) (Marguerite produces digital window displays only.)

[Melissa Johnson of MAJ Products](#) (Melissa is located in Melbourne, Australia)

To inquire about applying to become an Approved Provider, or if you have questions about this program, please email approvedprovider@csps.com

QUICK LINKS

Product List	Promotional Products List
Discontinued List	All Things Reading Room Forum
Image request form	Monitor Special Events Order Form
Instagram (christianscience.com)	Facebook (christianscience.com)

Customer Service

Customer service will be closed Monday April 18 in observance of Patriot's Day

- Visit the Reading Room Resource Center at <http://christianscience.com/readingrooms>.
- To inquire about ordering issues of *The Christian Science Monitor* for your event, please email sales@csps.com.

Product orders and questions; account and billing questions:

- **Email:** csrrcustserv@cdsfulfillment.com
- **Phone:** 1-800-877-8400 (US/CAN) or +1-515-362-7463 (outside US/CAN) Monday–Friday, 9:00 AM – 5:30 PM Eastern Time

Shop account & online order questions:

- **Email:** Shop@christianscience.com
- **Phone:** +1-617-450-2790, Monday–Friday, 9:00 AM – 4:15 PM Eastern Time (closed on Fridays in June–early September).

General questions:

- **Email:** OpenDoors@csps.com
- **Phone:** +1-617-450-3138, Monday–Friday, 9:00 AM – 4:15 PM Eastern Time (closed on Fridays in June–early September).

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