



Inspiration



First Church of Christ, Scientist, Brunswick, Maine, United States had a special visitor to their Reading Room.

They shared:

A passerby took this photo of our Reading Room window last week and stopped by the Reading Room the next day when we were open to share it with the staff person. In conversation she said she's been a subscriber to the Christian Science Monitor for years and loves it.

It is still a mystery to us as to how a chicken found her way to our Reading Room on Maine St. in downtown Brunswick, Maine, but we're glad she enjoyed the passages marked in the window!

To read inspirational articles 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.

EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIES

Reading Room webinars

Thank you to all who attended our 2022 Reading Room webinar offerings. We look forward to welcoming you back for more in 2023.

[In case you missed it: Reading Room webinar replays](#)

Zoom chats with Reading Room Ambassador Jan Sappenfield

Zoom Chats have moved from the West Coast to England! New Chats in the US will start early in the new year. If you're already on the list to be included, you'll hear from me soon to set dates. If you'd like to be added to the list, please email me at sappenfieldj@csps.com

From the Mary Baker Eddy Library: *Seekers and Scholars*

A podcast series from The Mary Baker Eddy Library, *Seekers and Scholars* bridges the worlds of spiritual quest and scholarly inquiry. Each month we talk with experts in various fields, to learn about the many ways that Mary Baker Eddy's life, ideas, and legacy have impacted the world. [Visit mbelibrary.org/podcasts](https://mbelibrary.org/podcasts).

Recent episodes include:

- Broadway's best—spiritual quest, Antoinette Perry, and the Tony Awards
- Mary Baker Eddy, corresponding across family divides
- The history of Communion in Christian Science church service
- Marcella Craft, opera star, the origins of Christian Science church soloing

NEW PRODUCTS

Find uplifting gifts that bring boundless blessings this holiday season.

The 2022 Christmas offerings from The Christian Science Publishing Society bring new and familiar products that are perfect for gifting.

Gift subscriptions make a perfect gift to enjoy all year long:

- [*The Christian Science Monitor*](#)
- [*The Christian Science Journal, Christian Science Sentinel, The Herald of Christian Science*](#)
- [JSH-Online](#)
- [*Christian Science Quarterly Bible Lessons*](#)
- [Concord: A Christian Science Study Resource](#)

Feel free to direct customers to [Christianscience.com/gifts](https://christianscience.com/gifts) for up-to-date information about subscriptions and gifts for the season.

The December issue of *The Christian Science Journal* will include a copy of the 2022 Christmas catalog. A PDF version of both the Reading Room Christmas flyer and the Christmas catalog can be found in the [Reading Room Promotion Materials Dropbox](#)

If case you missed last month's 'Holiday 2022' Reading Room webinar, you can access a replay at christianscience.com/additional-resources/reading-room-librarian-resources/webinar-schedule-and-replays.

Happy gifting!

A gift that gives a spiritual perspective

Looking for a gift that brings inspiration year-round? JSH has special holiday discounts that you can share with your Reading Room visitors and customers.

For an online, all-access experience, there are [3, 6, or 12-month gift subscriptions to JSH-Online](#).

Know someone who prefers print? A print subscription to either the [Journal](#) or the [Sentinel](#) for just \$83/year each might be a great idea. (christianscience.com/gifts)

Bring holiday spirit to your Reading Room! Find posters, postcards, fliers, and more in the [Reading Room Dropbox folder](#). You can also check out the Christian Science [Facebook](#) (@worldwidechristianscience) and [Instagram](#) (@christiansciencedotcom) accounts for upcoming holiday posts to share on your Reading Room's social media.

New kids video—Jonah!

Find stories, songs, and poems that bring the Bible to life and share Christian Science in relatable and visually-engaging ways in all of our kids videos—including our newest one on Jonah.

Here are a few ideas about how you can share these videos:

- Highlight in your branch’s Sunday or Wednesday announcements
- Email to Sunday School teachers
- Email to parents and adults in your branch congregation
- Feature in your Reading Room window displays and bulletins
- Host a watch party in the Reading Room with Sunday School students after a service

Find it at: cssentinel.com/just-for-kids. Enjoy!

CURRENT PRODUCTS

Sentinel Watch series explores a spiritual approach to mental health

Five episodes by 20-somethings discuss healing approaches to depression, suicide, social media pressures, self-harm, and more. Feel free to share this new, free series with your Reading Room visitors and customers at jsh.christianscience.com/mental-health.

[Find a poster](#) to promote this series in the Dropbox.

An opportunity for students—Get JSH-Online for only \$5/month

Did you know that JSH-Online offers a student discount for those attending high school, college, or university? **Save over 80%** each month with our **\$5/month student subscription**.

Students can:

- Read reports of healing written by and for kids and teens
- Listen to podcasts, articles, and testimonies
- Get access to the complete JSH collection of archive issues
- Explore and listen to biographies about Mary Baker Eddy

Look for promotional materials in the [Reading Room Dropbox](#) folder. You can also share [this post](#) on your Facebook pages, if you're interested.

Product Update: Books back in stock

We're pleased to let you know that these books are back in stock.

Name	Product number	Reading Room price	Suggested Retail price
The Christian Science Hymnal: Hymns 430–603, musician’s edition	G875B50806EN	\$27.00(USD)	\$32.00(USD)
We Knew Mary Baker Eddy, volume 1	G750B50699EN	\$26.00(USD)	\$34.99(USD)

Product Delays (updated announcement 11/15/2022)

Due to challenges currently facing the printing industry, the following product is currently out of stock and severely delayed. Please look for updates in future newsletters.

- Holy Bible: King James Version, paperback (G800B50522EN)

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

<u>Product List</u>	<u>Reading Room Dropbox of Promotional Materials</u>
<u>Discontinued List</u>	<u>All Things Reading Room Forum</u>
<u>Image request form</u>	<u>Monitor Special Events Order Form</u>
<u>Instagram</u> (christianscience.com)	<u>Facebook</u> (christianscience.com)

Customer Service

December 22-23 in observance of Christmas and January 2 in observance of New Years.

- 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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