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## Murray in a Hurry FY21

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Murray Library

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# MURRAY IN A HURRY

## Who is your personal librarian?

Librarians make research (and your life) easier. Just ask us!

Look for this button on the library webpages:

Chat with a librarian 



**Beth Transue**

Librarian for:  
Nursing,  
Health, Nutrition,  
Exercise Science,  
Biological Sciences,  
Chemistry/BioChem,  
Modern Languages



**Liz Kielley**

Librarian for:  
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SOAN,  
Music,  
Psychology,  
Social Work,  
Communication,  
Theater & Dance



**Michael Rice**

Librarian for:  
Politics,  
Business,  
Art & Design,  
Biblical & Religious  
Studies,  
Philosophy,  
CIS, & MPS



**Sarah Myers**

Librarian for:  
History,  
English,  
Education,  
Engineering,  
& Undeclared  
students

## Welcome! We've missed you!

Murray Library is here for you - physically and digitally! We have:

250+ Open seats for study

239,748 Books

145 Databases

11,147 Scores

600,000+ E-books

100,000+ Streaming Videos



## Mosaic

Mosaic is an online showcase of works created by students & educators at Messiah University. This website can be used by anyone with internet access. It's been accessed in 163 countries!

[Mosaic.Messiah.edu](http://Mosaic.Messiah.edu)

## GRAMMAR TIME

**All ready** - "completely prepared." *I was all ready for the final exam.*

**Already** - "previously" or "before." *I already completed the exam.*

*"Never lose an opportunity of seeing anything beautiful, for beauty is God's handwriting." -Charles Kingsley. Find more at PR4840 .A2*



# MURRAY IN A HURRY



## Weekly trivia contest!

Easy as 1-2-3!

1. Follow Murray Library on social media
2. A new trivia question is revealed each Monday
3. Submit your answer to the box at the Library's Circulation Desk before 5PM on Fridays



### Fantastic Prizes

- Free Cafe Diem drink for 1 winner each week
- All weekly entries entered for an end-of-semester Messiah U awesome swag giveaway!



## Follow Murray Library



@MUMurrayLibrary



FB.me/MUMurrayLibrary



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## Check out our Displays

Library Entry:

*Are your Cells You? Henrietta Lacks and Medical Ethics*



Great Reads Shelves:

Ebooks celebrating the women's vote centennial

Trophy Cases:

*Remember When...Messiah University: Then & Now*



## Let's chat!

Chat with a librarian 

Library help is just a click away.

## GRAMMAR TIME



**Eminent** - famous, respected. *Ernest Boyer was an eminent educational pioneer who attended Messiah Academy (later Messiah University).*

**Imminent** - something that's about to happen. *As the tornado approached, there was an imminent danger to the safety of residents.*

*"Nothing that's worthwhile is ever easy." - Message in a Bottle by Nicholas Sparks. Find it at PS3569.P363 M47*

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## Library Scavenger Hunt

September 25 through October 2

- Stop by Kimberly Steiner's Interlibrary Loan Office (Library 114), Any time Monday-Thursday from 8:30 AM to 4 PM; Friday til 1 PM.
- Get a list of tasks. Search and find on your own time.
- Explore Murray Library and discover all the best spots.
- Submit your answers and be eligible for fantastic prizes!



## CrafTea To-Go



Friday, September 25  
Free Craft + Tea + Treat

**When:** 9/25; starting at 8:30 AM  
**Where:** Visit the Circulation Desk  
**What:** Pick up all the supplies needed for one complete project

Create a beautiful folded heart from a recycled book. Instructions included.



## Weekly Trivia



- Look for our weekly trivia question!
- Submit your answer to the box inside the Library's entrance area before 5PM on Fridays
- Free Cafe Diem drink for 1 winner each week



## Save yourself time!



Easily manage all your sources for free with Zotero. Or enter a doi or URL to cite them with ZBib.org



## GRAMMAR TIME



**Conscience** - sense of right and wrong

- *The student's conscience kept him from breaking the rules.*

**Conscious** - awake or aware

- *He didn't seem to be conscious, so she checked his pulse.*

*"If you are stone, be magnetic; if a plant, be sensitive; but if you are human be love." – Victor Hugo, Les Misérables Find it: PQ2286 .A39*

# MURRAY IN A HURRY



## COVID Chronicles @ Messiah

You are a part of history! Submit a self-recorded video (5 min. or less) to Mosaic, Messiah's institutional repository. Create a video response to: **"What would you like people in the future to know about what life is like during this pandemic?"** All entries submitted by Oct. 11 will be included in a drawing for a \$25 Amazon gift card.



Contact: [Mosaic@messiah.edu](mailto:Mosaic@messiah.edu)

### **Know before your Vote**

Check out our foyer display that includes political and historical books and films about elections. Take note of the historic quotes!



### Register to Vote



Visit our table inside the entry:

Wednesday, October 7 & 14  
11:30 AM to 12:30 PM

**How do your political beliefs align with issues & candidates?**

[ISideWith.com](http://ISideWith.com)



### CrafTea To-Go

Friday, October 16  
Free Craft + Tea + Treat



**When:** 10/16; starting at 8:30 AM

**Where:** Visit the Circulation Desk

**What:** Pick up all the supplies needed for one complete project

Create a chic beaded bracelet using recycled book pages.

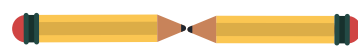


Instructions included.

Makes a great gift!



### GRAMMAR TIME



**Precede** - to come before, in time or position

*Brainstorming precedes the rough draft of good papers.*

**Proceed** - to go forward; to take the next step

*He proceeded to pass back the graded exams.*

### Be a winner

Try our weekly trivia question found in the Library's entrance area



*"I'm so glad I live in a world where there are Octobers."*  
- L.M. Montgomery, *Anne of Green Gables* Find it: Juv Fic M787 Ag

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## Open Access Week



Open Access (OA) refers to quality content like textbooks, ebooks, and journal articles that are freely available online.

Cost barriers or usage restrictions, often keep information behind expensive paywalls. Open Access publishing can be a powerful tool to ensure inclusive and equitable access to information.

[Mosaic.messiah.edu](https://Mosaic.messiah.edu) is an open access repository.

## Database Spotlight

### Adam Matthew Primary Sources

Search millions of pages of primary sources spanning the 15th – 21st centuries in 88 unique collections from archives around the world. Access handwritten and printed documents with ease!



Find it under: Articles/Databases and Subject Guides under **"Adam Matthew Collection."**

## GRAMMAR TIME

**Peek** is taking a quick look at something  
-- *like a sneak peek of a new film.*

**Peak** is a sharp point -- *like the peak of a mountain.*

**Pique** provokes or instigates -- *like pique your interest.*

## VotesPA.com

Check your voter registration status and polling location for November 3



*"No spring nor summer beauty hath such grace as I have seen in one autumnal face." – John Donne, The Autumnal Find it: PR2245.A5 P38*

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See the [Library Homepage](#) for details.



## B-I-N-G-O Comes to Murray

Get excited for Gift Card Bingo!  
There will be 175 open seats.



**Friday, November 13**  
Doors open 7 PM  
Games begin 7:15 PM

10 Rounds of Traditional Bingo  
Prizes for each round

All bingo supplies and treat bags  
will be individually packaged for a  
safe and fun time!

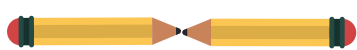
## Poster Exhibit

WWII ended 75 years ago.  
Executive Order 9066  
changed the lives of many  
Japanese-Americans for a  
lifetime. View the library's poster  
exhibit on Internment Camps.  
Printed by Messiah Press.

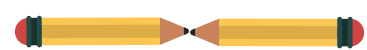


## Becoming U

Check out the unique life paths of  
some of Messiah's graduates.  
Lower level bulletin board near the  
Archives & elevator.



## GRAMMAR TIME



**Allusion** - an indirect reference to something; a hint  
“He’s not explicitly mentioning *The Bible*, but he is alluding to it.”

**Illusion** - deception; a false notion; a misconception  
“David Copperfield's show is not magic; it's an illusion.”

“...for love casts out fear, and gratitude can conquer pride.”  
-Louisa May Alcott in *Little Women Find it*: PS1016 .S56

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## Reminders from the Circulation Desk

Return all library materials and interlibrary loan items before departing campus. Avoid fines!



Try out our 600,000+ ebooks or 100,000+ streaming videos while you're away from campus. Access with the a few easy clicks!

Leave librarian a message



We're still here for you. Ask us!

## Get CrafTea and Create!

Grab your Free CrafTea-To-Go kit.

**What:** Get supplies to make a woven paper snowflake, a sweet treat, and a bag of tea.



**When:** Friday, November 20, all day while supplies last

**Where:** Ask at the Circulation Desk

**Cost:** Free!



## Stress Relief Kits



We hear you! It's been an unusual & stressful semester. Look for a cart of goodies located near the library entrance on November 17-20 & 23-24. While supplies last. **Free De-stress Kits!** Enjoy some fun goodies to make you smile.



## Congrats, Jenna!

The library bids farewell and best wishes to graduating senior and circulation student assistant Jenna Landis, psychology!

Last chance for weekly trivia! Submit your answers!



## THE FIRST THANKSGIVING



About 90 Wampanoag People joined about 50 colonists for three days of entertainment and feasting at Plymouth Plantation (Massachusetts). The celebration occurred sometime between September 21 & November 9, 1621 (399 years ago!). They ate seasonal wildfowl, corn, and venison.

Cultivate the habit of being grateful for every good thing that comes to you, and to give thanks continuously. – Ralph Waldo Emerson



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## And the award goes to...

It's book award season! The American Library Association named this year's children's book awards, including the Newbery and Caldecott, on January 25. Visit the lobby display which features different types of book awards and find the winners, past and present, on the library shelves.



Library DVDs circulate for 1 week. Check them out!

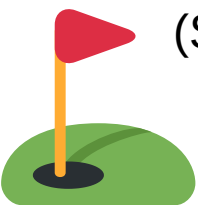
## Mark your calendars!



Murray Library is excited to announce upcoming events for the semester. Details coming soon!

February 12: CraF Tea-to-go:  Paper Rose

March 5: Mini Golf in the Stacks (Sign-up will be required)

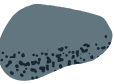


All events are free!



## Geology Rocks!



The Oakes Museum has come to Murray Library! In the display cases near the Office of Academic Accessibility, view a kaleidoscopic array of minerals, quartz, & geodes. Enjoy the beauty of God's creation!



## Library supports your success

92% of Messiah undergraduates  surveyed (n=117) in Fall '20  believe that the library is essential or significant to student success.

## WORDS THAT ARE THEIR OWN OPPOSITES

**Off** means "deactivated," as in *to turn off*, but also "activated," as in the *alarm went off*.

**Out** can mean "visible" or "invisible."

For example, "*The full moon was out when the lights went out.*"

**Left** can mean either "departed" or "remaining."

*If the gentlemen left the party, then who's left in the ballroom?*

**CONTRONYMS**

"What good is the warmth of summer, without the cold of winter to give it sweetness." — John Steinbeck, *Travels with Charley: In Search of America*. Find it! E169 .S82

# MURRAY IN A HURRY

## **Database Spotlight: HeinOnline**

Search and browse through legal history and government documents including works from legal history scholars. The entire Congressional Record, Federal Register, and Code of Federal Regulations, with complete coverage back to 1754, is searchable and updated daily. Go to **Articles/Databases and Subject Guides** on the library homepage to get started.




 **Sit and Relax** 


Even with social distancing, the library has 250+ places to study! Check out the theme rooms, the cafe area, & the super quiet seating near the DVDs & periodicals.

## **Spelling Mistakes**

**February** is one of the most misspelled words in the English language.

## **Engle Collection of Children's Book Illustration**

Take a stroll around the library to view original pieces of artwork from children's books. The illustrations reflect a variety of media, styles, and subjects, including works by notable illustrators from the USA & abroad. 

**Mini Golf in the Stacks** 

Friday, March 5, 6:30 -10:30 PM  
**Tee times will be required.**

The Library, Fitness Center, & many campus partners will create interactive holes to play. Free!

## **Trivia about Murray Library**

- The original library collection in 1914 had ~400 books.
- Today, it has 239,930 books plus 600,000+ ebooks.
- Murray Library is named for its architect, William Lynch Murray.
- The university's first online catalog was launched in 1990.
- On March 2, 1977, classes were cancelled to allow students to help the library move 80,000 books to new shelves.

*"Love is like the wind, you can't see it but you can feel it."  
- Nicholas Sparks, A Walk to Remember*

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## **Database Spotlight: Digital Theatre+**

Search, browse, and stream plays, musical, dance, opera, and other theatrical productions. Shakespeare's plays from the Globe Theater are amazing to watch! Also check out more recent productions like Sonheim's *Into the Woods* and other classics. Go to **Articles/Databases and Subject Guides** on the library homepage to get streaming.



## **CrafTea and Create!**



Get supplies to make a spring pinwheel, a sweet treat, and tea.


**When:** Friday, March 12, all day while supplies last

**Where:** Ask at the Circulation Desk **Cost:** Free!



## **Grammar 101**

The Oxford (or serial) comma is the final comma in a list of 3 or more things. MLA, APA, and Chicago Styles encourage its use, while AP Style does not.

**Example:** Please bring a pencil, eraser , and notebook.



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## **Interlibrary Loan for You**

This is a FREE service. If Murray Library doesn't have it, we likely can get it from another library.  

Request articles, books, book chapters, films, scores, and more!



## **HUMAN LIBRARY : a safe space for dialogue**

The Human Library will be held online on Wednesday, March 24 by Murray Library and the Office of Diversity Affairs. The Human Library is designed to enable conversations that can challenge stereotypes and prejudices through dialogue. Sessions available are 10-11 AM, 3-4 PM, and 7-8 PM, with a special session at noon with featured book Gloria Igihozo (Biochemistry '19).

Sign-up to be a reader: **Coming soon!**



*If March comes in like a lion, it will go out like a lamb.*

# MURRAY IN A HURRY

## Library Student Research Grant

Calling all rising seniors (Class of 2022)! Will you be working on a senior honors project or senior capstone project? You're eligible to apply for a \$750 grant to help complete your research.

Sponsored by Friends of Murray Library.

See the library homepage for application details!

**Deadline:** Friday April 9, 2021



## **Grammar 101**

**Farther:** used when talking about physical distance

*How much farther until we reach our destination?*

**Further:** used for more abstract situations

*The professor said, "If you have any further questions, you can ask me."*



### **Check this out!**



View the glazed stoneware ceramics in the display cases near the Office of Academic Accessibility. Thank you to the artists: Jordan Parnell, Emma Ward, & Ally Austen!

### **---> Cite it right <---**

Go to "Citing Sources" on the library homepage to access the official citation styles for:

- APA, 7th edition
- MLA, 8th edition
- Chicago, 17th edition



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**Sign-up to be a reader: [libguides.messiah.edu/HumanLibrary](http://libguides.messiah.edu/HumanLibrary)**

*"So many things are possible just as long as you don't know they're impossible."  
-The Phantom Tollbooth by Norton Juster. Find it: Juvenile Fiction J96 Ph*

# MURRAY IN A HURRY

## National Library Week, April 4-10

We're celebrating with some fun facts about Murray Library.

- The library's first online catalog was launched in 1990.
- In 1991, the library added Internet access (just text, no graphics). Google didn't exist until 1998.
- In 1997, the library launched its first databases that included the full text of journal articles.
- The original campus library was only open 45 minutes per week. In 2021, the library is open 81.5 hours.

#MyLibraryIs



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## CrafTea-to-go

Up-cycle a used book with bookfolding! Make a beautiful cross in heart or butterfly design with simple folds. Kits come with supplies, a cookie, and tea. **Free, while supplies last. Friday, April 9 at the Circulation Desk**



## Check this out!



Artists books are a work of art in book form. View beautiful pieces celebrating National Poetry Month in the glass cases near the entrance.



## On Display



Check out the photo exhibit sponsored by Earthkeepers, Sustainability, and the Oakes Museum. Find award-winning photos of wildlife and nature throughout the main level.



*"The sun just touched the morning; / The morning, happy thing, / Supposed that he had come to dwell, / And life would be all spring." -Emily Dickinson*

# MURRAY IN A HURRY

## ***Bon Voyage 2021 Graduates***

The library says farewell to five student workers who will graduate this spring. Congratulations! We celebrate:

- Heather Nase
- Joel Pace
- Rachel Rochet
- Grace Tee
- Michaela Walker

Thanks for all you've done for Murray Library!



*celebrate*



## ***EXAM GRAM- EXTENDED LIBRARY HOURS***



The library will be open late!

**Until 1 AM** on Sunday, May 2 & Monday, May 3

**Until Midnight** on Tuesday, May 4



Look for fun and de-stressing activities throughout the library, including coloring pages, origami, and free, late-night snacks. You can do this!

Have a happy summer break!



## ***DESTRESS WITH CHAIR YOGA***



Join us in the area near Cafe Diem for 30 minute sessions of chair yoga!

Stretch, rest, & reset.



Sunday, May 2 @ 9 PM

Monday, May 3 @ 7 PM

Tuesday, May 4 @ 3 PM

## ***Please Return***



All library physical materials **need** to be returned before leaving campus. This includes interlibrary loan books, too!



## ***Take a Closer Look***



Creative and unique books from Professor Forsythe's Paper Processes course are on display in the glass cases near the Office of Academic Accessibility.

*"Keep your face always towards the sunshine and shadows will fall behind you." –Walt Whitman*