**Conference Resource Library**

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Did you know you or any attendee of your congregation can visit our library at **2517 N. Main Street, North Newton, KS**?

You can also contact the library via email or phone to request materials be sent to you! **I mail books to any congregation or individual in the Conference!**

**(316) 283-6300** or **crlib@mennowdc.org**.

Check out the **Box of Books** Program!

* 25 books checked out to your congregation for 2 months
* Expand your church library collection or support a sermon series
* Introduce new topics
* Stretch your budget
* Generate interest in your church library
* Receiving church pays postage both ways ($9-11 per box) if boxes aren’t picked up in Newton, KS

**2018 Statistics**

* Year-end total of **12,572**  resources available (books, DVDs, and more!)
* **705**  items added to the collection
* **5,960** searches done on our online card catalog (<http://mennowdc.org/library/>)
* **349** searches performed from the mobile app
* **Most popular search online** is “DVD” followed by: Peace, Snakes, Cats, Christmas, Forgiveness, 1940, Biography
* The **oldest book was published in 1888** (*History of the Mennonites; historically and biographically arranged from the time of the reformation; more particularly from the time of their emigration to America. Containing sketches of the oldest meeting houses and prominent ministers. Also, their Confession of faith, adopted at Dortrecht, in 1632* by Daniel K. Cassel)
* **142** items published in 2018
* **24%** of the collection is less than 10 years old

**There are 117 Spanish-language titles in our Texas Branch, geared toward leaders. Contact Sandra Montes-Martinez for more information about the Texas Branch.**

We are here to serve you! If you are a pastor, lay leader, teacher, parent, or someone seeking personal enrichment, we have a resource for you.