

MONUMENT PARK STAKE RELIEF SOCIETY NEWSLETTER

RS VISION: WE ARE WOMEN DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST

DEAR RS PRESIDENCIES,

THIS MONTH AS WE FOCUS ON THANKSGIVING IN "ALL THINGS" (D&C 59:7), I HAVE BEEN THINKING OF THE FOLLOWING TWO QUESTIONS THAT THE GENERAL RELIEF SOCIETY PRESIDENT BONNIE D. PARKIN ASKED:

1. HOW DO YOU FEEL WHEN SOMEONE EXPRESSES GRATITUDE TO YOU?
2. HOW DO YOU FEEL WHEN YOU EXPRESS GRATITUDE TO OTHERS?



AS I HAVE PONDERED THESE QUESTIONS IT BRINGS ME BACK TO THE FIRST TIME I MADE A CONSCIOUS EFFORT TO EXPRESS GRATITUDE TO MY SAVIOR IN PRAYER.

MY OLDER SISTER AND I WERE ON A ROAD TRIP AND WE REALIZED WE WERE LOW ON GAS AND MAY NOT MAKE IT TO THE NEXT GAS STATION. WE WERE ABLE TO ARRIVE AT THE GAS STATION WITHOUT ANY HICCUPS. THE MOMENT WE PULLED INTO THE GAS STATION MY SISTER SAID, "WE SHOULD SAY A PRAYER OF GRATITUDE." THIS WAS THE FIRST TIME I REMEMBER EXPRESSING GRATITUDE TO MY SAVIOR. AFTER THAT PRAYER I FELT LOVED.

PRESIDENT BONNIE D. PARKIN SAID, "WHEN WE EXPRESS GRATITUDE TO OTHERS, WE AND OTHERS ARE ABLE TO FEEL THE LOVE OF OUR SAVIOR AND BE MORE IN TUNE WITH THE SPIRIT."

AS WE REFLECT, REMEMBER AND EXPRESS OUR GRATITUDE OUR RELATIONSHIP WILL STRENGTHEN WITH THE SAVIOR AND THOSE AROUND US. EXPRESSING GRATITUDE IS ONE WAY TO SHOW OUR LOVE TO THE SAVIOR."

MUCH LOVE,
ALLISON SINE
1ST COUNSELOR STAKE RS PRESIDENCY

CALENDAR EVENTS

NOVEMBER 2024

NO WELFARE ASSIGNMENTS

NOV. 2024

UNIV. 2ND BRANCH SUPPORT
ST MARY'S WARD

NOV. 2-3

STAKE CONFERENCE

NOV. 3

WORLDWIDE DEVOTIONAL FOR YA
WITH THE BEDNARS. 6 PM, ONLINE
BROADCAST

NOV. 7

STAKE LEADERSHIP TRAINING FOR
RS, YW, PRIMARY, AND SS
MP STAKE CENTER RS ROOM, 7 PM

NOV. 10

FAST SUNDAY

NOV. 16

COMMUNITY EMERGENCY
PREPARATION FAIR, 9AM TO NOON,
MP STAKE CENTER

NOV. 16

YSA TEMPLE NIGHT

LOOKING AHEAD

DEC. 8

FIRST PRESIDENCY CHRISTMAS
DEVOTIONAL

DEC 22

CHRISTMAS SUNDAY
SACRAMENT MEETING
"INVITATION SUNDAY"

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MP STAKE CONFERENCE SCHEDULE NOVEMBER 2-3



THE THEME FOR THIS STAKE CONFERENCE IS:

"BEHOLD I AM JESUS CHRIST, WHOM THE PROPHETS TESTIFIED SHALL COME INTO THE WORLD."
(3 NEPHI 11:10)

FROM THE STAKE PRESIDENCY: "THIS CONFERENCE WILL FOCUS ENTIRELY ON JESUS CHRIST IN THE BOOK OF MORMON. WE FOUND STUDYING AND PREPARING FOR THIS STAKE CONFERENCE TO BE A WONDERFUL EXPERIENCE AND HOPE YOU WILL JOIN US IN WORSHIPING JESUS CHRIST THROUGH WORD AND MUSIC. WE ARE SO GRATEFUL TO THOSE WHO WILL PARTICIPATE. IF YOU ARE ON TRACK TO FINISH THE BOOK OF MORMON BY NOVEMBER 2, THANK YOU. IF YOU HAVEN'T HAD THE TIME TO MAKE THAT WORK, WE ASK YOU TO PRAYERFULLY READ 3 NEPHI CHAPTERS 11 THROUGH 28, WHICH ARE THE CHAPTERS DESCRIBING THE LORD'S VISIT TO THE PEOPLE IN THE AMERICAS. WE HOPE YOU WILL FEEL THE LORD'S SPIRIT IN DOING SO."

JUST FOR FUN

**A TIME TO LAUGH/
FLECKS OF GOLD/
BY PATRICK KEARON**



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CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2:

**LEADERSHIP SESSION AT
4 TO 5:30 PM**

INVITEES: WARD BISHOPRICS; STAKE AND WARD CLERKS AND EXECUTIVE SECRETARIES; STAKE HIGH COUNCIL; STAKE AND WARD RELIEF SOCIETY, YOUNG MEN, YOUNG WOMEN, PRIMARY, AND SUNDAY SCHOOL PRESIDENCIES AND SECRETARIES; ELDERS QUORUM PRESIDENCIES AND SECRETARIES; AARONIC PRIESTHOOD QUORUM ADVISERS; WARD MISSION LEADERS; AND WARD TEMPLE AND FAMILY HISTORY LEADERS.

**ADULT SESSION AT
7 TO 8:30 PM**

INVITEES: ADULTS 18 AND OLDER

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3:

**YOUTH SESSION AT 8 TO 9
AM**

**GENERAL SESSION AT 10
AM TO NOON**



STAKE RS DISCUSSION SERIES

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING THE FALL 2024 DISCUSSION SERIES. WE HOPE THAT MAKING AND KEEPING OUR TEMPLE COVENANTS WILL BE FOREMOST IN OUR MINDS AND HEARTS. THE SAVIOR IS AT THE CENTER OF THESE COVENANTS.



THE DISCUSSION SERIES WILL RESUME WITH A NEW THEME ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 23, 2025.



OCTOBER 2024 GENERAL CONFERENCE

LIVE UP TO YOUR PRIVILEGES BY EMILY BELLE FREEMAN

PRESIDENT FREEMAN ASKED WOMEN TO "LEARN HOW PRIESTHOOD ORDINANCES AND COVENANT PROMISES WILL ALLOW GOD'S POWER TO FLOW INTO YOUR LIFE." WE HAVE BEEN LEARNING ABOUT THIS IN OUR DISCUSSION SERIES!

YOU MIGHT ALSO CONSIDER WATCHING THIS VIDEO TO CONTINUE YOUR JOURNEY OF LEARNING TO UNDERSTAND HOW WOMEN CAN ACCESS GOD'S PRIESTHOOD POWER:

BARBARA MORGAN GARDNER'S 5 MINUTE FIRESIDE: WOMEN AND PRIESTHOOD POWER:

[HTTPS://YOUTU.BE/I8FW6HRLDBQSI=AOFZQLFY0QLSVG5U](https://youtu.be/I8FW6HRLDBQSI=AOFZQLFY0QLSVG5U)

WOMEN OF FAITH

LESLIE SMOOT, INDIAN HILLS RELIEF SOCIETY PRESIDENT, HAS BEEN RELEASED. SHE IS GOING ON A MISSION WITH HER HUSBAND TO COSTA RICA. THANK YOU FOR YOUR INCREDIBLE SERVICE, LESLIE! WE WILL BE PRAYING FOR YOU ON YOUR MISSION!

FORMER COUNSELOR, **HEIDI MONSON**, AFTER THREE YEARS OF SERVICE, HAS BEEN CALLED AS THE NEW INDIAN HILLS RELIEF SOCIETY PRESIDENT. WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR HEIDI'S ENDURING SERVICE! NOT ONE WHIT BEHIND HER ARE COUNSELORS **MINDI RICH AND SUSAN PINEGAR**. SECRETARIES **MAKI LERWILL AND TRISTA STERNER** ARE STAYING TO FORTIFY THE TEAM.



Salt Lake Monument Park Stake

LEADERSHIP

TRAINING

Theme: The Church of Joy

NOVEMBER 7

7-8 PM

Stake Center Relief Society Room

SUNDAY SCHOOL

RELIEF SOCIETY

YOUNG WOMEN

& PRIMARY

PRESIDENCIES

& SECRETARIES

WORLDWIDE DEVOTIONAL FOR YOUNG ADULTS WITH ELDER AND SISTER BEDNAR



PLEASE ENCOURAGE YOUNG ADULTS TO PREPARE FOR THIS BROADCAST BY WATCHING "THINGS AS THEY REALLY ARE."

ELDER BENDAR SAID, "FIFTEEN YEARS AGO, I GAVE A SPEECH AT A GLOBAL GATHERING FOR YOUNG ADULTS TITLED, 'THE WAY THINGS REALLY ARE.' I TALKED ABOUT THE BLESSINGS AND CHALLENGES OF DIGITAL DEVICES IN OUR LIVES. AND A LOT HAS CHANGED IN THE DIGITAL WORLD SINCE THEN.

ON SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3, I WILL SHARE A TALK TITLED 'THE WAY THINGS REALLY ARE 2.0' IN ANOTHER DEVOTIONAL.

I INVITE YOU TO PREPARE FOR THIS MEETING BY READING MY ORIGINAL MESSAGE AND PREPARING YOUR HEART AND MIND FOR THE HOLY SPIRIT TO TEACH YOU HOW TO DISCERN TRUTH FROM ERROR."

CLICK ON THE LINK BELOW TO READ HIS TALK:

[HTTPS://NEWSROOM.CHURCHOFJESUSCHRIST.ORG/EVENT/WORLDWIDE-DEVOTIONAL-11-2024](https://newsroom.churchofjesuschrist.org/event/worldwide-devotional-11-2024)





THE FIRE DEPARTMENT WILL BRING THEIR FIRE ENGINE

COMMUNITY EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS FAIR

SAT, NOV. 16, 2024
9 AM TO NOON



PLEASE JOIN US

LEARN VALUABLE INFORMATION AND SKILLS THAT WILL HELP YOU BE BETTER PREPARED FOR ANY UNFORSEEN EMERGENCY.

EXHIBITS

- FINANCIAL READINESS
- SALT LAKE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT CPR TRAINING AND CERT INFORMATION
- 96 HOUR KITS
- BE READY UTAH EARTHQUAKE PRESENTATION
- WATER STORAGE
- LIGHT, HEAT, AND ENERGY SOURCES
- FIRST AID
- EMERGENCY COOKING
- SANITATION AND PERSONAL HYGIENE
- FOOD STORAGE
- EMERGENCY COMMUNICATION
- POLICE DEPARTMENT

1320 SOUTH WASATCH DRIVE

HANDBOOK MOMENT**GH 3.6 THE PRIESTHOOD AND THE HOME**

"ALL CHURCH MEMBERS WHO KEEP THEIR COVENANTS--WOMEN, MEN, AND CHILDREN--ARE BLESSED WITH GOD'S PRIESTHOOD POWER IN THEIR HOMES TO STRENGTHEN THEMSELVES AND THEIR FAMILIES (SEE 3.5). THIS POWER WILL ASSIST MEMBERS IN DOING GOD'S WORK OF SALVATION AND EXALTATION IN THEIR PERSONAL LIVES AND FAMILIES (SEE 2.2).



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



Elementary School Tutoring

MY HOMETOWN - SALT LAKE CITY WESTSIDE



Tutors needed now for 200 1st-3rd graders at
Franklin Elementary School (1115 W 300 South)

- Most students are minorities from refugee or immigrant families
- 82% come from economically disadvantaged homes
- 88% are reading below grade level

**YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE
TUTORING ONE-ON-ONE
EVEN JUST 1 HOUR A WEEK**



- No special skills, training, or supplies needed
- Done under the direction of school administrators & teachers using their methods and materials
- Make a life-long difference for young children, helping them learn basic, necessary skills

*To learn more or sign up contact:
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TUTORING
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**TEMPLE WORKERS NEEDED IN
THE JORDAN RIVER TEMPLE
CONTACT YOUR BISHOP**

