

MONUMENT PARK STAKE RELIEF SOCIETY NEWSLETTER

RS Vision: We are Women Disciples of Jesus Christ

DEAR SISTERS,

As you box the tinsel, take the elf off the shelf, and try to exercise away a few extra Christmas truffles (yum), what will be your New Year's Resolutions? Daily efforts at the gym yield positive results. Similarly, daily immersion in holy habits will yield eternal results.

In 2024, let us as Women Disciples of Jesus Christ, commit anew to exercising our spiritual muscles each day.

Please consider this counsel from Bonnie H. Cordon, "There is power in making these holy habits less of a checklist and more of a witness. The process will be gradual but will



grow with daily, active participation and purposeful experiences with Christ. As we consistently act on His teaching, we gain a testimony of Him; we build a relationship with Him and our Heavenly Father. We begin to become like Them. The adversary creates so much noise that it can be difficult to hear the Lord's voice. . . We want to create muscle memory of discipleship and testimony that will bring into focus our reliance on our Savior each day."

Cherished Sisters, we can do this!

Love,

Lisa, Allison, Amy, Jill & Florence

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CALENDAR EVENTS

JAN 2024

WELFARE ASSIGNMENTS AT ST. VINCENT DE PAUL AND DESERET MANUFACTURING-- SEE ATTACHMENT

JAN 7

PRESIDENTS' ROUNDTABLE
 3:30PM
 ON ZOOM

JAN 21

WARD CONFERENCES EC AND CV

JAN 25

MP STAKE RS DISCUSSION SERIES
 STAKE RS ROOM AND ZOOM
 IOAM

JAN 28

WARD CONFERENCES IH AND SM

PRESIDENTS' ROUNDTABLE

Sunday, Jan. 7 at 3:30PM
 Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/8625356223?pwd=aWpZZG1jVCtHdmU1NjBVL0ZKdG9uUT09&omn=82076491350>

Meeting ID: 862 535 6223
 Passcode: 1FphLw

January Stake Welfare Assignments

Salt Lake Monument Park Stake Welfare Assignments - 2024							
Operation	DoW	Date	Start Time	End Time	Volunteer	Ward Assigned	Description
St Vincent de Paul	Monday	8-Jan	15:00	17:00	6	Crestview	
St Vincent de Paul	Tuesday	9-Jan	15:00	17:00	6	Emigration Canyon	
St Vincent de Paul	Wednesday	10-Jan	15:00	17:00	6	Monument Park	
St Vincent de Paul	Thursday	11-Jan	15:00	17:00	6	Princeton	
St Vincent de Paul	Friday	12-Jan	15:00	17:00	6	St. Mary's	
Deseret Manufacturing	Monday	22-Jan	12:00	15:15	4	Indian Hills	Assembly-Bedding
Deseret Manufacturing	Tuesday	23-Jan	12:00	15:15	4	Wasatch Hills	Assembly-Bedding
Deseret Manufacturing	Wednesday	24-Jan	12:00	15:15	4	Salt Lake 6th	Assembly-Bedding
Deseret Manufacturing	Thursday	25-Jan	12:00	15:15	4	Crestview	Assembly-Bedding
Deseret Manufacturing	Friday	26-Jan	12:00	15:15	4	Emigration Canyon	Assembly-Bedding

WOMEN OF FAITH

Florence Thatcher from the Wasatch Hills Ward has been called as an assistant secretary in our stake RS presidency. **Welcome Florence!**

The Emigration Canyon Relief Society Presidency was released. President **Wendy Wadsworth**, counselors **Lynette Jacobsen** and **Mimi Stewart**, secretaries **Marilyn Stevens** and **Mae Mecham**, **thank you for your loving service!**

President **Lia Peterson**, counselors **Jennifer Hawkes** and **Karin Allen** along with secretary **Jenn Lambert**, **we extend a hearty welcome!**

NEW APOSTLE PATRICK KEARON with his wife JENNIFER CAROLE HULME



WARD CONFERENCE SCHEDULES

Theme: "Knowest thou the condescension of God?" 1 Nephi 11:16

We would like to invite the ward presidents and counselors to go on member visits with Lisa, Allison, and Amy the Tuesday or Thursday prior to your ward conferences.

Sunday	9:30 Ward	12:00 Ward
January 21	EC	CV
January 28	IH	SM
February 11	WH	SL6
February 25	MP	PR

As you read the Book of Mormon this year, how will you intentionally create your personal, focused study of Jesus Christ? Our Stake Presidency recently sent out an email with this suggestion: "Perhaps you could obtain a paperback Book of Mormon and highlight every reference to Him or of His attributes that you would like to develop more fully."

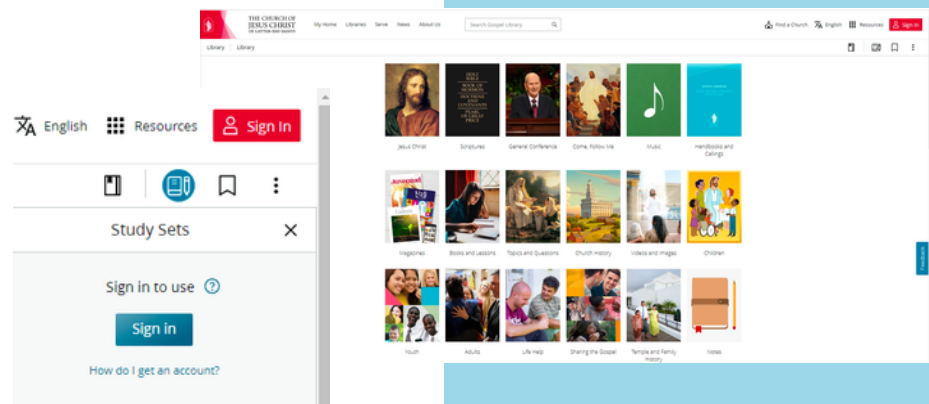
As a Relief Society Presidency, we would also like to direct your attention to a feature called "Study Sets" available in the Gospel Library found on ChurchofJesusChrist.org. (Study Sets are not available on the mobile Gospel Library app yet.):



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<https://www.churchofjesuschrist.org/tools/help/understanding-study-sets?lang=eng>

This will allow you to begin your study with a fresh set of online scriptures if you don't want to use a paper copy. Open the church website, click on Libraries, then click on Gospel Library. The Study Set Menu is to the left of the Bookmark icon in the upper-right corner as shown in the pictures below.



WINTER DISCUSSION SERIES

[Winter 2024 RS Discussion Series Zoom Link](#)

Meeting ID: 987 4315 7846

Passcode: 952526

This is the link to the Discussion Series Study Guide

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1bnrWqj4JLPEq-U1yR6_kUb57OwwReuyya277NWuUec/edit?usp=sharing

Monument Park Stake Relief Society 2023-2024 Discussion Series
Women Disciples of Jesus Christ Discussing

WHAT DO I DO WITH MY LIFE NOW?

COME, LIGHT YOUR LAMP WITH US



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Let's bask in the Savior's light and share the warmth of our sisterhood.

PLEASE JOIN US EVERY THURSDAY, @ 10:00AM

JAN 25 - FEB 29

JOIN US IN PERSON IN THE MP STAKE RELIEF SOCIETY ROOM OR VIRTUALLY ON ZOOM

DISCUSSIONS LED BY JANE BODNAR, JANE ROGERS & MERIKAYE MOORE

To access the study outline and Zoom link, please use this QR Code



JAN 25
THE BOOK OF MORMON: OUR SURVIVAL GUIDE FOR BETTER DAYS

FEB 1
QUEENS IN OUR MIDST: MODERN, COVENANT KEEPING WOMEN

FEB 8
GROWING BY DEGREES: IMPROVING OUR EDUCATION

FEB 15
"WITH GREAT POWER COMES GREAT RESPONSIBILITY": OUR NATURE AS WOMEN

FEB 22
PRAYERFUL DECISION MAKING

FEB 29
PROPHETS CAN SEE AROUND CORNERS

HANDBOOK MOMENT

GH 19.2 Music in the Home

"Through His prophets, the Lord has encouraged individuals and families to use uplifting music in their daily lives. Singing and listening to sacred music can invite a spirit of beauty and peace. It can also increase love and unity among family members. The hymns can help individuals gain courage and withstand temptation."

JUST FOR FUN

We can stream uplifting Christian music from this Church app 24/7.

<https://www.churchofjesuschrist.org/media/radio/music-stream?lang=eng>

EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS TIP

The Be Ready Buzz
39 Prioritized Evacuation Grab List

https://youtu.be/t9jp6Sf_AsQ?si=J-V_zEnnBCuj_bB6

THE FAYETTE BRANCH BLANKET DRIVE

Thank you! Thank you! Compassionately, sisters in our stake have risen to the challenge again this year, and generously donated 144 blankets to the Fayette Branch. As disciples of Jesus Christ, women unite time and again to "succor those that stand in need of [their] succor. . ." and "administer of [their] substance unto him [and her] that standeth in need." The leaders from the Fayette Branch have asked us to please thank you one and all for your charitable kindness.

