

# MONUMENT PARK STAKE RELIEF SOCIETY NEWSLETTER

RS Vision: We are Women Disciples of Jesus Christ

DEAR RS PRESIDENCIES,

During the Worldwide Relief Society Broadcast on March 17th, we heard truths from our Relief Society General presidency and our prophet. Many women and even our kind President McKean, who has a loving concern for the women in our stake, bore witness of those truths. It was a beautiful evening. At the stake center, you greeted sisters with familiar faces and a friendly smile as they arrived. Thank you for your extra service. We counted approximately 150 people in attendance. On the stake center Zoom, 70 sisters listened. Receiving inspiration to have her ward sisters go their own direction for the evening, Mei En, our youngest president, had a wonderfully successful evening. The SL6th Ward sisters met on Zoom, watched the broadcast in Mandarin, and bore testimony. Approximately 30 sisters attended and 2 of those sisters Zoomed in all the way from mainland China! In total, 250 women from our stake gathered together in one form or another to hear and stand up for truth. Thank you for your discipleship. Thank you for choosing to participate.

As many of you are aware, we are riding a wave of cultural change in the Church amidst the backdrop of demands from thousands of women who would like to see varying degrees of change for women in the Church. Each sister is precious to Jesus. All deserve to be treated with kindness, love, and warm welcome. What truths will you stand on? Trust God's plan. It is our humble prayer that our Relief Society sisters will follow the prophet and take his counsel to pray over their earnest desires, read the scriptures, and go to the temple. We testify that President Russell M. Nelson is the mouthpiece of our Savior, Jesus Christ. He speaks truth. His counsel is our life jacket of safety as we ride the wave, come what may.

Choose to believe that God has a plan for you. Pray. Study questions out for yourself. Double down on the doctrine of Christ. Recalibrate in the temple. Minister to the one. This is how women disciples of Jesus Christ stand on truth.

Oh, how we love you!

## CALENDAR EVENTS

**APRIL 2024**

**WELFARE ASSIGNMENTS**

**GARDENING AT THE  
JORDAN RIVER TEMPLE**

**SEE ATTACHMENT**

**APRIL 6-7**

**GENERAL CONFERENCE**

**APRIL 14**

**FAST SUNDAY**

**APRIL 25**

**STAKE RELIEF SOCIETY ACTIVITY**

**7:00PM**

**STAKE CENTER**

**LOOKING AHEAD:**

**THE NEIGHBORHOOD  
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS FAIR  
HAS BEEN CHANGED FROM  
NOV. 9 TO NOV. 16**

**JUNE 19**

**JAMIE FARRELL U OF U  
SEISMOLOGIST**

**STAKE RS ROOM**

**7:30PM**



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## WELFARE ASSIGNMENTS

Date:	Location:	Time:	# of Volunteers:	Ward:	Assignment:
Wednesday, April 24th	Jordan River Temple	9:00am - 12:00pm	2	Emigration Canyon	Gardening
Friday, April 26th	Jordan River Temple	9:00am - 12:00pm	2	Salt Lake 6th	Gardening

## FeedUtah FOOD DRIVE

Thank you to everyone who helped to generously support the FeedUtah Food Drive on March 16. Whether you gave food, time, or money your support made a difference! The Utah Food Bank received over \$143,000 from more than 2,828 donors throughout Utah. That is the collective power of one.

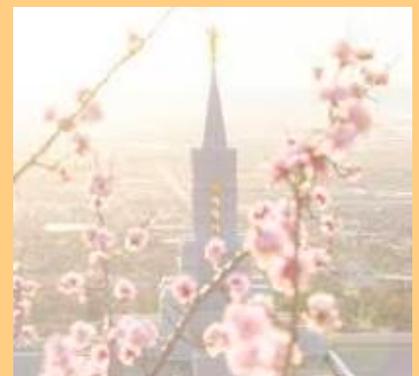


## HANDBOOK MOMENT

### GH 27.2.2 Deciding When to Receive the Endowment

Members may choose to receive their own endowment when they meet all of the following conditions:

- They are at least 18 years old.
- They have completed or are no longer attending high school, secondary school, or the equivalent.
- One full year has passed since their confirmations.
- They feel a desire to receive and honor sacred temple covenants throughout their lives.



## 182 YEARS OF RELIEF SOCIETY

"From that small group of 20 women assembled in Nauvoo in 1842, a global organization of nearly 8 million women has blossomed. . . The Relief Society was organized during the construction of the Nauvoo Temple, and in anticipation of the ordinances and covenants to be offered there. The sisters were engaged in physical preparations for the temple and were prepared spiritually to receive the blessings of the temple by the Prophet Joseph Smith.

Now, in this season of unprecedented temple building, the objective of the Relief Society remains the same: to prepare a people temporally and spiritually for the blessings of the house of the Lord. We want our Relief Society sisters to have access to all the blessings of a covenant relationship with God, including His priesthood power available to those who make covenants in the house of the Lord. No worldly organization can articulate a comparable, divinely appointed platform to that of the Relief Society."

Relief Society General President, Camille N. Johnson



Church Media Library Red Brick Store and Nauvoo Temple



## STAKE RELIEF SOCIETY ACTIVITY

On **Thursday, April 25, at 7:00 p.m.** there will be a **Stake Relief Society Education Night**. Join us in the MP Stake Center Cultural Hall with accomplished guest speaker **Andrea Thomas, EdD**.

President Russell M. Nelson told us that "Education is the difference between wishing you could help other people and being able to help them." As lifelong learners, we are never too young or old to make a difference. Whether you are pursuing formal education yourself, helping a family member apply to college, or wondering how to help the 1 in 7 Utah adults who are struggling with reading, this night is for you. If for no other reason, please come for sisterhood, fun, and refreshments.

**We look forward to seeing you!**

MP Stake Relief Society Sisters are invited to an evening of

# EDUCATION

**WITH GUEST SPEAKER**  
**ANDREA THOMAS, EdD**

MP Stake Education Mentor, Chief Experience Officer for the University of Utah, and Professor of Marketing at the David Eccles School of Business

COLLECTING USED CHURCH MAGAZINES

COLLECTING YARN OF ANY COLOR FOR PRISON INMATES WHO ARE LEARNING HOW TO KNIT

COLLECTING NEW AND GENTLY USED BOOKS FOR HOLY CROSS HOSPITAL PATIENTS TO READ WHILE THEY ARE HEALING. FOR PATIENTS 18+

April 25, 2024 • 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM  
MP Stake Center, Cultural Hall

"IN THE WORLD YE SHALL HAVE TRIBULATION: BUT BE OF GOOD CHEER; I HAVE OVERCOME THE WORLD"  
(JOHN 16:33).

"THE STING OF DEATH IS SWALLOWED UP IN CHRIST" (MOSIAH 16:8)



MARY AND THE RESURRECTED LORD, BY HARRY ANDERSON

# HAPPY EASTER!!