



WILLOW CANYON FIRST WARD

MAY 2007

SCRIPTURE STUDY

BISHOPRIC MESSAGE

My Father used to say to me "somebody who doesn't read is no better off than somebody who can't read." Sometimes we can spend too much time doing things that matter very little. Satan encourages us to spend hours on end watching television or videos, playing video games night in and night out, surfing the Internet, or devoting huge blocks of time to sports, games, or other recreational activities. Activities are good for us but not to the detriment of substituting for our daily dose of "Scripture Study" that each of us needs so desperately in our lives.

Scripture study is a way for God to reveal things to each of us that are personal and helpful. The scriptures are one of the ways God speaks to us — about our needs, our situation, and our life. Since our needs change over a lifetime, God has different things to tell us at different times.

We can go to the scriptures for doctrine, for instruction or for questions. We can ask "What would God have me do? Or What would He have me feel?" We can find new ideas and thoughts, and receive inspiration and instruction and answers to our questions.

Elder Henry B. Eyring said: "The Book of Mormon is another testament of Jesus Christ, and we learn about Him in its pages. We know that it has great power. It has the power to change lives. It has the power to convert. If you read it with an open heart, you will know that it is the word of God and that it is true".

Here are some practical suggestions from Elder M. Russell Ballard that will help you derive greater power from your study of the scriptures.

- If possible, set a consistent time and place to study when you can be alone and undisturbed.
- Always have a marking pencil ready as you study. Make notations in the margins. Write cross-references. Make the scriptures your by marking them.
- Commit yourself to study for a set amount of time rather than to just read a chapter or a certain number of pages.
- Study topically as well as chronologically. Both approaches have merit, but we need to go to the Topical Guide of the index from time to time and read all that the Lord has said on repentance, faith or some other principle.
- Take time to ponder, reflect, meditate, and pray about what you read. Ask yourselves questions such as "What can I learn from this passage that will help me come unto Christ and be more like Him?"

Let us then go to the Lord in prayer, pleading for help or answers, and those answers will come as we open the scriptures and begin to study them.

Love your Bishopric

TEMPLE SQUARE HOSPITALITY CORPORATION

Temple Square Hospitality Corp is looking for people to work for Temple Square Hospitality Corporation, at either the Lion House of the Joseph Smith Memorial Building.

We are looking for part time people. We offer flexible schedules, from 8 to 32 hours per week (no Sundays and a great place to work.) We have availability at both locations for day or evening work for the following positions.

Cooks / Prep Cooks / Banquet Servers / Bakers/ Baker Helpers/

Nauvoo and Lion House Pantry line Servers / Cashiers/ Greeters/ Banquet Set-up Personnel / Wedding Hostesses and Stewards

Previous experience is not required

We are skilled at training people with hospitality traits."

The applicant may enter my name and telephone number on the application in the space marked "Referred by" if they choose. It is non necessary.

Applicants can apply on line at [/tchc.applicants.com/searchjobs.php](http://tchc.applicants.com/searchjobs.php) or in person between 9am and 4pm at the Human Resources Office on the 9th floor of the Joseph Smith Mem. Bldg. Phone 801-539-3113 for further information

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GOSPEL DOCTRINE

CLASS

May 6 John 7—8

May 13 John 9—10

May 20 Mark 10;17-30
12; 41-44: Luke 12:13-21: 14: 16

May 27 Luke 15; 17

June 3 Luke 18;1-8, 35-43; 19;1-10 John 11

MUSIC

All through April the songs and talks were about Jesus and His atonement for us.

It was sweet to reflect on this all month. As we begin the new month of May, we will be singing many songs about the

scriptures. Scriptures are such an important part of our lives and we are so thankful for them. The words of many hymns are taken from the scriptures. Try to notice if there are scriptures passages or scripture themes as you sing the hymns this month. Sing with all your hearts because we make beautiful promises to the Lord through singing.

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FOOD STORAGE

" Every Needful Thing"

Are you having a difficult time getting to the cannery? Are the scheduled cannery days inconvenient for you? Does your busy life make it impossible to add one more thing?

The Young Men in our ward would like to lend a helping hand. All you have to do is fill out the order form and attach your money. The YM do the work and like magic, your food storage will be delivered to your door.

* Please give your order form and money to Gina Messerly before May 17th. Any questions? Call Gina 572-3581

Our day at the Dry Pack Cannery is Thursday May 17th 5:00-9:00pm

Item	Cost/ can	# of cans	Total
Apple slices 1.3 lbs	5.19		
Beans Black 5.5 lbs	4.26		
Beans Pinto 5.0 lbs	3.30		
Beans White 5.3 lbs	3.39		
Carrots 2.8 lbs	7.06		
Cocoa Mix Hot 5.8 lbs	6.29		
Flour White 4.8 lbs	1.90		
Fruit Drink Mix 6.1 lbs	7.06		
Macaroni 3.4 lbs	2.84		
Milk Non-fat Dry 4.1 lbs	6.59		
Oats Quick 2.7 lbs	1.84		
Oats Regular 2.7 lbs	1.84		
Onions Dry 2.8 lbs	6.83		
Potato Pearls 3.0 lbs	4.74		
Pudding Chocolate 6.0 lbs	9.90		
Pudding Vanilla 6.4 lbs	9.79		
Refried Beans 2.4 lbs	3.87		
Rice White 5.7 lbs	2.89		
Spaghetti 4.3 lbs	3.35		
Sugar granulated 6.1 lbs	3.79		
Wheat Hard Red 5.8 lbs	2.06		
Wheat Hard White 5.8 lbs	2.00		
Total			

The FUN RUN is coming up on June 9th and we have a new LOGO designed by Eddy Sagebin. It is amazing. The shirts will be DriFit shirts and will be about \$20.00 and will need to be ordered and prepaid by May 30th. The tee shirts from last year may be purchased at a discounted price of \$4.00 from Stefan Wells anytime.

Registration will be Friday, June 8th from 6 to 7pm at the church or Saturday, June 9th from 6 to 7am prior to the Run. There will be gatorade and water and bananas and oranges for participants and there will be numbers for everyone. If you just want to walk a lap or more you are welcome also. Many thanks to Stefan Wells, the Fredericksons and the activity committee, the Nydeggers and the timing committee and anyone else who is helping with this fun activity.

WARD TEMPLE DAY

Go to the temple anytime during the day of May 11, Friday.

There is no organized plan. During the day is less busy. We have need of some names to be done so contact Kila Lackey. She has the names from several families in the ward.

I am still gathering eye glasses for a grandson for an Eagle Scout project. If you have any you no longer need, call me and I will come and pick them up. Thanks. Marilyn

Fathers & Sons outing on May 18 & 19 at Willow Park in Lehi. The camp site is reserved so you can come in the early afternoon or after work, whenever you can get there. Bring your own dinner and sleeping arrangements and breakfast will be provided by the ward at the pavilion. Fathers bring your sons, (married and single) and grandsons and enjoy a great time.

RELIEF SOCIETY

The Relief Society Presidency want to thank all who have participated in activities in the month of April. We had some fun LUNCH BUNCH luncheons. We hope you will look forward to May lunches. They will be announced later. Thank you to Marilyn Crapo for her lesson in April on Personal Testimony. We will have Malory Ricks Wedding this month, May 16th. Susan Milne will collect for a Ward gift.

It would be fun to have neighborhood street parties this summer. If you haven't been contacted yet call a neighbor and plan one soon. We are doing "Getting To Know You" information again. If you have not received a form please contact a member of the Presidency and fill it out and hand it back Sunday May 6th or sometime soon. We would like to get to know everyone better.

ENRICHMENT FOR MAY

LUNCH BUNCH

Vicki Davis is heading the 11:30 lunch - check poster by R.S. room for place & date. Sharon Allen is heading the 1:30 lunch- check poster by R.S. room for place & date

We need volunteers to head the lunch bunch for June. Feel free to volunteer.

LUNCH AT THE PARK- May 17th, 12:00 noon

This is for Mother/daughter/son, and Grandma/Granddaughter/Grandson. Meet at Buttercup Park for a picnic lunch and story. You bring the sandwiches and we'll provide the chips and a drink. We'll decorate sacks to hold our lunch and hear stories on the grass while we eat them (our lunch, not the sacks). Then anyone who wants to stay and play can do so. A short, but fun time for the little ones not in school. We will need to know if you're coming so we know how many to plan for. Tell someone on the committee or be sure to sign the paper on the clipboard.

WEIGHT AND STRENGTH TRAINING- May 23rd - time-TBA

Do you sometimes feel like the mind is willing but the body is weak? or How can two cans of soup make me stronger? Come and learn how. Susan Milne's sister is coming to teach us.

BOOK CLUB-

The book most people wanted to read first is #1 Detective Agency by Alexander McCall Smith. The book review will be held in June so you have almost two months to get the book read. (Costco has had the book- we aren't sure if they still do.) If you have already read the book and would be willing to share your copy, please let us know. All you grown-up Nancy Drew fans, now's your chance.

FYI- Ryan Shupe is coming to the amphitheater June 8th. Tickets go on sale May 14th. Many in the ward have said they would like to go, so get your tickets and we'll all meet at the amphitheater and hang-out together that night.

PRIMARY

The Primary theme for the month of May is *My faith in Jesus Christ grows when I learn about the Restoration of the gospel. The scripture for the month is taken from Isaiah 29 verse 14; "Therefore, behold, I will proceed to do a marvelous work among this people, even a marvelous work and a wonder." We will be learning a new song about Joseph Smith — "An Angel Came to Joseph Smith" (Children's song book page 86). Listening to the CD the children got for Valentine's Day is a great way for them to learn this and other Primary songs. Parents are encouraged to put this CD in their vehicles and let the children listen often to the songs we are learning. This month we will concentrate on learning the fifth Article of Faith. By the end of the year the children will have all 13 of them memorized. Parents can help by having the children recite the Articles of faith at Family Home Evening.*

Thank you do Drew and Stefanie Kimball for the good work they did as teachers in the Primary. We will miss them and wish them well with their internship. We welcome Elizabeth Rawlings as a new teacher in the Primary. She will be teaching the CTR 8 class that was taught by the Kimballs.

Sarah Jones turned 12 and is entering the Young Women's program. Congratulations Sarah!

Mark your calendar for Saturday June 9th. This will be the date for the annual "Schools out Party" for Primary children and their parents. It will be a parade and picnic. Children should meet at 10:30am with their bikes, wagons or scooters in East Point Circle (the Farr's Circle) to decorate. Supplies for decorating will be provided by the Primary. The parade will then proceed to Nydeggers for games and lunch. If you have families with Primary-aged children in your neighborhood, please invite them to participate. It was great fun last year and we are looking forward to having a great time this year.

EMPTY NESTERS

Will meet on MAY 14TH at 7pm at the Susan and Gary Johnson home. Come Join us! They are studying Church History.

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Utah Valley Mental Health is in great need of used clothing: size Infant to 6 years, Bedding and towels. If you have anything to donate contact Connie Baker. 572-0518

The Sandy Deseret Industries is looking for individuals who want to become more skilled in the job field. Church members and friends of other faiths are invited to participate in the various training programs offered at the store. Please see your Bishop or contact Rich Laudie at 255-8399

Young Women

The young women had A secret Grandmother Tea recently and honored Some of the grandmothers In the ward. The grannies All wore hats and Yvonne Even wore the Jantzen Sweaters she wore in High school. (How would That be) The girls treated the Grandmothers with Little gifts for two months Previous to the Tea.



If you know these three people you are Very lucky

MISSIONARIES

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CONGRATULATIONS TO Addison Day. He took 1st place in both Greco-Roman and Freestyle Wrestling for his age and weight in the Utah USAW State Championship. And also congratulations to Joey Day who took 4th place in Greco-Roman and 3rd place in Freestyle Wrestling for his age and weight in the Utah USAW State Championships. Good for you Addison and Joey. Keep up the good work.

MAY BIRTHDAYS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 1 Jeffery Beal
- 2 Ron Hansen
- 3 Russ Messerly- Terri Williams
- 4 Rick Morris-Steve Riep Derek Bawden
- 5 Tom Nunley-Kaylin Nydegger-David Smith-Stefan Wells
- 6 Jennifer Mitchell
- 8 Dorothy Schmidt

- 8 Gordon Day
- 9 Jane Johnson
- 12 Tammie Dusoe
- 13 Janis Kershaw
- 15 Garnet Anderson-John Davis
- 19 Rachel Bierman
- 20 Audrey Haight
- 22 Jim Wagstaff
- 23 Robert Reynolds

- 24 Della Horrocks-Tarin Flinders
- 25 Sharon Allen
- 26 Taylor James-Beverly Esmeyer
- 27 Diane Clark
- 28 Todd Lloyd-Nathan Nielsen-Vance Rawlings

- 29 Ray Bierman
- 30 Mary Bye-Evah McMullin
- 31 Marvus Kunder
- JUNE**
- 1 Allison Lloyd
- 2 Bob Schildmeyer-Eva Stevens

Please send items to be put in the News-letter to marihm@toplinepromotions.com by June 26th. I appreciate everyone for their information each month.

979-9590 Stephen

May 2007

Scripture Study

Monday		Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5 Stake Baptism
6 Fast Sunday	7 FHE	8 6PM Sandy Vegetable Project Assignment	9	10 7pm Rel. Soc. Transition Activity (Buttercup 7:30pm Scouting Round Table 17th E Bldg SIBA	11 Ward temple day. Any session. See Kila for names that need to be done.	12 Aaronic Priesthood and Scouting Broadcast 6pm. YM/YW regional Dance - Lone Peak Stk Cntr 11570 Wasatch Blvd.
13 MOTHERS DAY	14 FHE	15	16 Malory Ricks wedding	17 5:PM Dry Pack Canning SIBA	18 Fathers and sons outing today and tomorrow at Willow Park in Lehi. See article in newsletter	19 SANDY PRIDE DAY
20 7:30 AM Mission Prep. Class 7:30am 4:30pm High Priest Group Leaders Roundtable	21 FHE	22	23	24 6PM Sandy Vegetable Project assignment SIBA	25	26
27	28 FHE MEMORIAL DAY	29	30 7:30PM Mission Prep. Stk. Night (Priests)	31 SIBA	SIBA = Stake interviews by appointment 576-2991	