

Indian Ridge Ward

April 2019 – Jesus Christ

To help us remember the Savior this month as we talk about Him and celebrate Easter, here are a few quotes from our most recent general conference.

“What then is the Atonement of Jesus Christ? In one sense, it is a series of divine events that commenced in the Garden of Gethsemane, continued on the cross, and culminated with the Savior’s Resurrection from the tomb. It was motivated by an incomprehensible love for each of us. It required a being who was sinless; who had infinite power over the elements -- even death; who possessed a boundless capacity to suffer the consequences of all our sins and ailments; and who, in fact, descended beneath it all. This was the mission of Jesus Christ -- this was His Atonement.” -- Tad R. Callister

“I bear testimony that you cannot sink farther than the light and sweeping intelligence of Jesus Christ can reach. I bear testimony that as long as there is one spark of the will to repent and to reach, he is there. He did not just descend to your condition; he descended below it, ‘that He might be in all and through all things, the light of truth.’” -- Tad R. Callister quoting Truman G. Madsen

“In summary, the Savior’s Atonement gives us life for death, ‘beauty for ashes,’ healing for hurt, and perfection for weakness. It is heaven’s antidote to the obstacles and struggles of this world.” -- Tad R. Callister

“When tragedies overtake us, when life hurts so much we can’t breathe, when we’ve taken a beating like the man on the road to Jericho and been left for dead, Jesus comes along and pours oil into our wounds, lifts us tenderly up, takes us to an inn, looks after us. To those of us in grief, He says, ‘I will ... ease the burdens which are put upon your shoulders, that even you cannot feel them upon your backs, ... that ye may know of a surety that I, the Lord God, do visit my people in their afflictions.’ Christ heals wounds.” -- Sharon L. Eubank

“What is the key to reconnecting to the power of Jesus Christ when we are flickering? President Russell M. Nelson said it very simply: ‘The key is to make and keep sacred covenants. ... It is not a complicated way.’ Make Christ the center of your life.” -- Sharon L. Eubank

“Your testimony of Jesus Christ is your personal fortress, the security for your soul.” -- Ronald A. Rasband

“I bear witness that Jesus Christ is the Great Deliverer, and in His name, I promise that as you turn to Him with real intent and full purpose of heart, He will deliver you from everything that threatens to diminish or destroy your life or joy. That deliverance may take longer than you would like -- perhaps a lifetime or longer. So, to give you comfort, courage, and hope, to sustain and strengthen you to that day of ultimate deliverance, I commend to you and testify of the immediate goodness of God.” -- Kyle S. McKay

“We bear testimony, as His duly ordained Apostles -- that Jesus is the Living Christ, the immortal Son of God. He is the great King Immanuel, who stands today on the right hand of His Father. He is the light, the life, and the hope of the world. His way is the path that leads to happiness in this life and eternal life in the world to come. God be thanked for the matchless gift of His divine Son.” -- The Living Christ, The Testimony of the Apostles The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

-Your Bishopric

**“Your life is your responsibility.
Your choices will ultimately make
the difference for you.”**

—Elder D. Todd Christofferson

Relief Society

We want to thank our entire ward for being so helpful and supportive of the Mont Bishop family. Many hours of service were happily given in preparing food, cleaning the building and setting up the tables and chairs. We will greatly miss Mont and know he and Yvonne are having a great reunion!

This past month we had the assignment to provide the Alta Ridge Care Center with a Relief Society meeting. The sisters love it when we come because not only do we give spiritual lessons and music but also we bring love for them.

We want to thank Shannon Bludworth for being our RS committee leader. Also released are Crystal Weight and Bobbie Thorne, they are amazing and we appreciated all their time and talents.

We welcome Carrie Burnett as a new committee member. She was super fun as our emcee at the RS Birthday Party!!

In March we had our Ward Conference and thank our Stake Relief Society leaders for coming and sharing their knowledge of Come Follow Me. We loved to hear what they said and we had a great discussion with everyone.

Also we want to welcome Alison and Derek Brimley, Jared and Clarissa Rigby, and Jeremy and Jaimie Dake to our ward. We will enjoy getting to know them.

Relief Society temple day is April 18th. The usual routine. Meet at the ward to carpool at 10:30 a.m. We will be doing the 11:20 a.m. session at Jordan River.

Schedule for April Lessons

April 14 Be Not Troubled - Elder Ronald A. Rasband - Kathleen Harris

April 28 Sisters' Participation in the Gathering of Israel – Lynn Jensen

Thank you for all the ministering you are doing!

Love from Susan, Chyrrel, Natalie and Marilyn

Young Men

DEACONS, TEACHERS, & PRIESTS

Tuesday, April 9th
Pickleball

Thursday, April 18th
Combined Activity
Special Needs Mutual

Tuesday, April 23rd
To Be Determined

Tuesday, April 30th
To Be Determined

Our Young Men are valiant brethren
in the Priesthood!

Young Women

Tuesday, April 14th
Brighton Beehive Camp
registration due

Thursday, April 18th
Combined Activity
Special Needs Mutual
Meet at the church at 6 p.m.
to carpool to the special needs
building.
The activity will be from 6:45 - 8:30.

Tuesday, April 23rd
Swimming at Dimple Dell
Recreation Center

Tuesday, April 30th
Class Activities

A message from our Stake Relief Society

JustServe has an exciting opportunity to partner with the Salt Lake Bees AAA baseball team with "**JustServe Night at the Bees**" on **Saturday, April 27**. A service project has been arranged and **volunteers of all ages** throughout the Salt Lake valley are encouraged to participate, Saturday morning between **9:00 a.m. and Noon** at Centennial Park, 5500 West 3100 South, in West Valley City. All who come and assist with planting trees, cleaning out ball-dugouts and fields, will be given a JustServe **T-Shirt** and provided **free admission to the Bees game** that evening at 6:30 p.m. at the Smith's Ball Park, 1300 South and West Temple in Salt Lake City. To volunteer, register on the JustServe.org website (recommend Google Chrome browser); you can find the project by searching zip code 84120, with instructions how to sign up.

This will be a fun and meaningful activity for all ages --
invite your friends and neighbors regardless of religious affiliation.

Primary

Yearly Theme:
New Testament



April Scripture:
Matthew 16:24-27

"Then said Jesus unto his disciples, if any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow me. For whosoever will save his life shall lose it, and whosoever will lose his life for my sake shall find it. For what is a man profited, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul? Or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul? For the Son of man shall come in the glory of his Father with his angles; and then he shall reward every man according to his works."

What are some things we can do to help build our testimonies? How can we become closer to our Heavenly Father?

We would like to thank Brother Plumb for his service and welcome Lars Johnson.

Mark your calendars for the upcoming Primary Activity, which is a Puppet Show, on Saturday, May 18th in the Primary Room at 10 a.m.

If you are looking for songs to sing in your home, we would love you to practice "Faith," "I Feel My Savior's Love," "Jesus Has Risen."

The Primary Presidency



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For Family History help please contact any of the Temple and Family History Consultants. We would be willing to come to your home or have you at ours to help you learn how to find your ancestors, and do the sacred temple work for them.

They are waiting for your efforts to help them progress.

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Elder Reef Goo



Elder John Bretschneider

"We are all in this together. With fellow ward members and missionaries, we plan and pray and help one another. Please keep the full-time missionaries in your thoughts and prayers. Trust them with your family and friends. The Lord trusts them and has called them to teach and bless those who seek Him."
-Elder Neil L. Anderson

Happy Birthday!

April 2019

- 1 Jim Hanson
- Isabelle Hauber
- David Jones
- 3 Dresden Curtis
- Doug Jensen
- 4 Vivienne Taylor
- 5 Taylee Johnson
- 8 Kristen Austin
- 9 Weslie Austin
- Brian Olsen
- 12 Theodore Sump
- 13 Tim Pickett
- 14 Bill Allen
- 15 Matthew Miles
- 18 Logan Curtis
- Craig Maxwell
- Ronee Scott
- 19 Steven Edmonds
- 22 David Glauser
- 23 Nina Hauber
- 24 Bryton Mirci
- 26 Brian Hone
- 27 Sallie Schmitt
- Jana Tucker
- 28 Debra Bierman
- Alyssa Johnson
- Eric Schmidt
- 29 Virginia Timmons



May 2019

- 1 Chad Austin
- 2 Ron Hansen
- Joshua Zitzelsberger
- 3 Russ Messerly
- Terri Williams
- 4 Rick Morris
- Steven Riep



Easter is Coming! Lift up your voice and sing!

Join with the Ward Choir every Sunday
right after the block meetings in the Chapel
(or RS Room if the Chapel is booked)
Every age and skill level welcomed

**“As we keep our testimonies simple
and focused on the gospel of Christ,
He will provide a spiritual renewal as we
share our testimonies with one another.”**

—Elder M. Russell Ballard