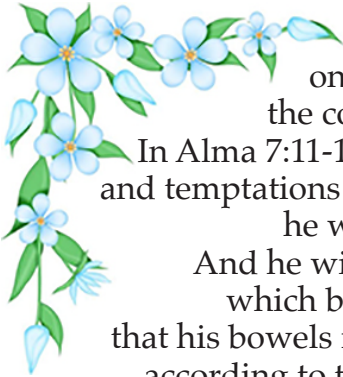




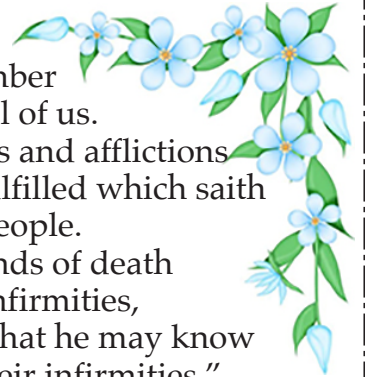
Indian Ridge Ward



March 2024 – Compassion



As we celebrate Easter this month and reflect on the sacrifice of our Savior, may each of us remember the compassion and love Jesus Christ has shown for all of us.



In Alma 7:11-12 we read, “And he shall go forth, suffering pains and afflictions and temptations of every kind; and this that the word might be fulfilled which saith he will take him the pains and the sicknesses of his people.

And he will take upon him death, that he may loose the bands of death which bind his people; and he will take upon him their infirmities, that his bowels may be filled with mercy, according to the flesh, that he may know according to the flesh how to succor his people according to their infirmities.”

Heavenly Father and Jesus Christ know each of us personally. They understand us and love us unconditionally. Through Heavenly Father’s Plan, we each can partake of Jesus Christ’s love and compassion and receive eternal blessings. He has made it possible for all to return to live with Him someday. “For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.” (John 3:16) Through covenants we make, repentance, obedience, temple attendance, and service towards others, we can show the love and appreciation we have for Jesus Christ and Heavenly Father.

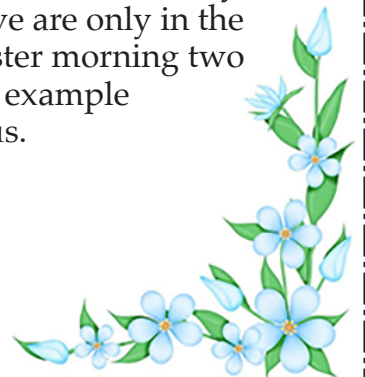
President Thomas S. Monson taught what Heavenly Father has provided for his children on this earth and for those that have passed on, “In His compassion and according to His divine plan, holy temples bring to our Father’s children the peace which surpasses understanding. Heavenly Father’s compassionate concern for His children here on earth and for those who have gone beyond mortality merits our gratitude. Thanks be to our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ for His life, for His gospel, for His example, and for His blessed Atonement.” We have the opportunity to not only help ourselves, but we can also help those that have passed on. May each of partake of the peace Heavenly Father has for us by attending the temple regularly.

This Easter season, take time to show compassion towards each other. Focus on the good of others and lift those around us as we look for opportunities to show compassion to those that are in need emotionally, spiritually and physically. Remember, “And behold, I tell you these things that ye may learn wisdom; that ye may learn that when ye are in the service of your fellow beings ye are only in the service of your God.” Jesus Christ conquered death that first Easter morning two thousand years ago. He lives. May each of us follow His example and show compassion towards all those around us.



The Indian Ridge Ward Bishopric

General Conference Talk – Compassion –
President Thomas S. Monson – April 2001



Elders Quorum

Announcements

EQ Basketball: Every Tuesday at 9 pm at the Stake Center - Come and invite your friends!

Sandy Utah East Stake Blood Drive: Friday, April 5th 1-7 pm Stake Center

Ward Temple Night Info

Friday March 15, 2024
8:00pm (Arrive by 7:30 pm)
Draper Utah Temple
Proxy Sealings



“Spending more time in the temple builds faith. And your service and worship in the temple will help you to think celestial. The temple is a place of revelation. There you are shown how to progress toward a celestial life. There you are drawn closer to the Savior and given greater access to His power. There you are guided in solving the problems in your life, even your most perplexing problems.”

Elder’s Lesson Schedule

3/10 - Divine Parenting Lessons, Valeri V. Cordon

3/24 - Abide the Day in Christ, Amy A. Wright

Spiritual Thought



I was recently reminded that last year we were all invited by the First Presidency to make sure our celebration of Easter includes the reverence and respect the Lord deserves. In last year’s April General Conference, Elder Renlund gave a talk titled, “The Greatest Easter Story Ever Told”. In his talk, he quoted New Testament scholar N. T. Wright who said: “We should be taking steps to celebrate Easter in creative new ways: in art, literature, children’s games, poetry, music, dance, festivals, bells, special concerts. ... This is our greatest festival. Take Christmas away, and in biblical terms you lose two chapters at the front of Matthew and Luke, nothing else. Take Easter away, and you don’t have a New Testament; you don’t have a Christianity.”

If you haven’t done so already, I invite each of you to consider ways you can improve your Easter celebration. It is truly a celebration of the most important event to ever happen on this earth - the Atonement and Resurrection of Jesus Christ. I know that He lives. He is our friend. Let us remember Him this Easter season.

In the name of Jesus Christ, amen.

Tyler Thornton (2nd Counselor EQ Presidency)

Relief Society

Sisters, it was wonderful to have you all join us for our Relief Society lesson about Ministering Like the Saviour. How grateful we are for your love and service to one another!

Did you know that the church has now made it possible for each member household to have a free copy of one of the church magazines?

Here is how to receive your free magazine:

- **How to Subscribe to the Print Magazines**

Visit MagazineSubscriptions.ChurchofJesusChrist.org.

- Sign in using a Church account. (If you need a Church account, sign up for one at no cost at account.ChurchofJesusChrist.org.)
- Click the Subscribe button next to your magazine or magazines of choice.
 - Fill in your mailing address and language preference.

The first issue will arrive in about two months.

- **How to Sign Up for a Monthly Email Reminder**

If you prefer to read the Church magazines digitally, you can sign up to receive an email notification when a new issue is available on the Church website and in the Gospel Library app.

- Visit MagazineSubscriptions.ChurchofJesusChrist.org.
 - Sign in with your Church account.
- Select the digital magazines under “Email for Online Magazines.”

Did you also know that the Liahona began publishing a ministering principle each month to strengthen women, men, young women, and young men in their ministering efforts?

They start in the June 2018 issue and go all the way to March of 2021.

Lessons like “[Five Things Good Listeners Do](#),” and how to “[Reach out in Compassion](#).” An index page will keep a running list of the [monthly Ministering Principles](#) in the Ensign and Liahona.

How blessed we are to have so many resources that allow us to receive guidance and direction in our lives and callings. May the Lord bless you through this coming month.

Love, The Relief Society Presidency:
Nicole, Shawna, Belinda, Shannon

Self Reliance

Finding Strength in the Lord



EMOTIONAL RESILIENCE
and
PERSONAL FINANCE



Courses Include

Personal Finance

Becoming a Wise and Faithful Steward

Managing Financial Crises

Emotional Resilience

Building Emotional Strength in the Lord

Moving Forward with Faith

Begins Sunday

March 3, 2024 5:00pm

Stake Center

Relief Society Room

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Kathie Hagen

(801) 598-3719

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Young Men

Wednesday, March 6 - Individual Quorum Activities - TBD

Tuesday, March 12 - Combined Young Men Activity - 7 p.m.

Tuesday, March 19 - Combined YM/YW Activity - Chopped

Sunday, March 24 - Stake Youth Fireside - 4 p.m. at the Stake Center

Tuesday, March 26 - Combined Young Men Activity - 7 p.m.

Tuesday, April 2 - Individual Quorum Activities - TBD

Tuesday, April 9 - Combined Young Men Activity - 7 p.m.

Registration for FSY is underway. For more information, please reach out to a member of the bishopric or visit <https://www.churchofjesuschrist.org/youth/childrenandyouth/fsy/about?lang=eng>

young women

ACTIVITIES:

Mar 5: You up for the challenge?!

As you may have seen or heard challenges are a fun way to experience something fun and/or tasty! We've put together a taste test challenge for the girls (don't worry there won't be anything nasty!)

Mar 12: Feeling Lucky?! Sneaky Leprechauns!

Sun, Mar 17: Scripture Brunch at Jenn Johnson's House, Following Church (about 12:45 pm)

Mar 19: Combined YM/YW - Chopped

Sun, Mar 24: Stake Youth Fireside @ Stake Center 4:00 pm

All Youth Choir - will be singing "Gethsemane"
All youth interested are welcome! Practices will be Sunday's Mar 10, 17 & 24th at 3:00 pm

Mar 26: More info coming - watch for details

LESSONS:

Mar 10: 2 Nephi 20-25

Mar 24: 2 Nephi 31-33

Mar 31: Easter
(sacrament only)

BIRTHDAYS:

Mar 29: Susan Milne

We are  to have such amazing Young Women!

Primary

We would like to thank all those who helped substitute in Primary on February 25 so the women could attend Relief Society.

Free subscriptions to The Friend magazine are available through the Church's website.

Activity Day Girls meet the 1st and 3rd Thursdays from 4-5 p.m.
Activity Day Boys meet the 2nd and 4th from 4:30-5:30 p.m.

"But lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal." Matthew 6:20

Love, The Primary Presidency



Sandy Utah East Stake

Adult Gospel Learning Workshop

January to March 2024

Monday at 7:00 p.m. for "Empty Nesters"

Thursday at 7:00 p.m. for All Adults

Stake Center Relief Society Room

Ron Schwendiman - Teacher

FOUR WEEK COURSE

Church Online and App Resources - Tools for Individuals and Families

How to use your Gospel Library Resources and "Tools" on your devices

March 4 and 7

March 11 and 14

March 18 and 22

March 25 and 28

Gospel Library Basics

Gospel Library Uses and Tools

Member and Calling Tools

Media Tools

Questions:
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Stake Sunday School
801.598.1510



To allow for greater access to the words of the living prophets, **printed copies of Church magazines are now available at no cost in our area.** These magazines include the Liahona, For the Strength of Youth, and Friend.

Members can use their Church account to choose their preferred subscription(s) on a yearly basis at MagazineSubscriptions.ChurchofJesusChrist.org.

Digital access to the magazines continues to be available on the Gospel Library app and Gospel Library online. Members can sign up to be notified by email when the digital magazines are published.

Important dates regarding the elections:

March 5th	Presidential Primary Election
June 4th	By-mail ballots mailed to voters
June 11-21	Early in-person voting – Government Center
June 14th	Last day to register to voter for the Regular Primary Election
June 14th	Last day to request a by-mail ballot
June 18-21	Early in-person voting – satellite locations
June 24th	Ballot postmark deadline
June 25th	Regular Primary Election
Oct 15th	General Election by-mail ballots mailed to voters
Oct 22-Nov 1	General Election in-person voting - Government Center
Oct 25th	General Election last day to register for the general election
Oct 29-Nov 1	General Election early in-person voting – satellite locations
Oct 29th	General Election Last day to request a by-mail ballot
Nov 4th	General Election ballot postmark deadline
Nov 5th	Regular General Election



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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Japan Fukuoka Mission

Erika Weight

Soon to receive her mission call

Happy Birthday!

March 2024

- 2 Janet Ballard
- Derek Brimley
- 3 Peri Eby
- 6 Emmett Fullmer
- 7 Shauna Francom
- Beckett Johnson
- Alona Macgregor
- Ginny Moon
- 8 Natasha Hess
- 9 Wade Mauer
- 13 Alison Brimley
- Susan Nicholson
- 14 Susan Johnson
- 16 Scottie Austin
- Charlene Farr
- 18 Joseph Arlt
- Amourette Bradley
- Richard Rawlings
- 19 Taylor Eby
- Sherri Wang
- 20 McKenzie Jewkes
- 21 Mac Bludworth
- Lance Jewkes
- 22 Becky Beseeso
- Beka Coleman
- Rebecca McLain
- 23 Kristy Jones
- 26 Ariel Martin
- 27 PJ Valora
- 28 Lon Cook
- 29 Susan Milne
- 31 Sarah Green
- Elaine Peterson
- Steven Rex
- Sylvia Smallwood



April 2024

- 1 Isabelle Hauber
- David Jones
- 3 Dresden Curtis
- Doug Jensen
- 5 Gail Atkinson
- Henry Edmonds
- Taylee Johnson
- Thatcher Olson

