Teaching at Church Should Follow Christ's Example

"

e are trying to follow in the Savior's footsteps of teaching," said the new Sunday School general president, Tad R. Callister, following general conference.

That means asking inspired questions that help people to become converted, he said. The goal is "to help them to understand and feel the Spirit of the gospel in their lives."

He said that he is impressed with *Come, Follow Me*, the online curriculum for youth that includes the latest talks from general conference as well as Church-produced media. Participation has replaced lectures, he said, and "there is a definite shift from just teaching a lesson to trying to customize it to

the needs of the students in the class."

He added that *Come, Follow Me* helps to bring about conversion and not just pass on information. "I think we're going to raise up a generation of youth that are the finest teachers in the world, the finest parents in the world," he said, "because they're now getting this experience as youth and not having to wait until [they are] adults . . . to find out how effective teaching and understanding can be."

Jesus Christ is the Master Teacher, Brother Callister said, and our teaching at church should bring people to Christ. Emphasizing the need to teach doctrine clearly and concisely, he said that "anytime that we try to emulate the Savior, we're on good ground." ■



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Millions of listeners and viewers worldwide enjoy the Mormon Channel, which is broadcast in English and Spanish 24 hours a day, seven days a week, from Temple Square in Salt Lake City, Utah, USA.

This official media channel for the Church was launched five years ago. Many Latterday Saints enjoy sharing its content with fellow members and others. Content is commercial free and includes three talk-and-music radio streams and short Mormon Messages videos.

Find Mormon Channel at mormonchannel.org and also on YouTube, iTunes, Roku, Tumblr, Facebook, and Twitter. Free mobile applications for iOS and Android users are also available.

Teachings for Our Time

From May 2014 through October 2014, Melchizedek Priesthood and Relief Society lessons on fourth Sundays should be prepared from one or more talks given in the April 2014 general conference. In October 2014, talks may be selected from either the April 2014 or the October 2014 general conference. Stake and district presidents should choose which talks will be used in their areas, or they may delegate this responsibility to bishops and branch presidents.

Those attending fourth-Sunday lessons are encouraged to study the selected talks beforehand. Conference talks are available in many languages at conference.lds.org. ■