



President Nelson Leads the Way

President Russell M. Nelson has counseled each of us to be more kind, Christlike, and spiritual as we minister to others, and he has set an example of what that means in the way he has ministered since the last general conference.

Shortly after the April 2018 general conference, President Nelson left on a tour that took him and his wife, Wendy, and Elder Jeffrey R. Holland of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles and his wife, Patricia, to England, Israel, Kenya, Zimbabwe, India, Thailand, China, and Hawaii, USA.

In subsequent travel, President Nelson met with members, missionaries, leaders, and friends of the Church in western, central, and eastern Canada; Seattle, Washington, USA; and the Dominican Republic—where he spoke at length in Spanish, the first time a Church President has given an extended discourse in a language other than English.

In meetings and at firesides, President Nelson taught about the correct name of the Church; sharing the gospel with others; cherishing the Book of Mormon; how living

the gospel makes life better; how Christ's way is the way of joy and happiness, now and in the eternities; prayer; making homes a sanctuary for children; using agency to overcome temptation and follow the Savior; caring for others; and preparing for and receiving the blessings that come from the temple.

President and Sister Nelson also spoke in a worldwide youth devotional on June 3, 2018, where President Nelson said that youth who enlist in the “Lord's battalion” and help gather Israel have the opportunity to be “part of something big, something grand, something majestic!” He encouraged youth to disengage from a constant reliance on social media, sacrifice some time to the Lord, do a thorough life assessment with the Lord, pray daily that all of God's children might receive the gospel, and be a light to the world. ■

For additional information about the ministry of President Russell M. Nelson, go to prophets.lds.org. Watch the entire youth broadcast at HopeofIsrael.lds.org.

Temple News

The Church plans to build 12 new temples, President Russell M. Nelson announced in his concluding remarks at general conference (see page 113). He also announced plans to renovate the Salt Lake Temple and other “pioneer-generation” temples, adding that details will be provided later.

Temples will be built in Mendoza, Argentina; Salvador, Brazil; Yuba City, California, USA; Phnom Penh, Cambodia; Praia, Cape Verde; Yigo, Guam; Puebla, Mexico; Auckland, New Zealand; Lagos, Nigeria; Davao, Philippines; San Juan, Puerto Rico; and Washington County, Utah, USA.

Four temples will soon be dedicated: the Concepción Chile Temple on October 28; the Barranquilla Colombia Temple on December 9; the Rome Italy Temple the week of March 10 to March 17, 2019; and the Kinshasa Democratic Republic of the Congo Temple on April 14, 2019.

And two temples were recently rededicated: the Houston Texas Temple was rededicated on April 22, 2018, and the Jordan River Utah Temple was rededicated on May 20, 2018. ■

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