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PRESIDENT BOYD K. PACKER
Acting President of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

Members have had the Holy Ghost conferred upon them after their baptism. The Holy Ghost will teach and comfort them. They are then prepared to receive guidance, direction, and correction…This principle sets the Church on a different course from all other Christian churches in the world.

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MARY N. COOK
Second Counselor in the Young Women General Presidency

Seeking the help of the Lord daily through prayer will bring great blessings to your family. Ask yourself: "Who in my family could benefit from my personal prayers?"

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ELDER DIETER F. UCHTDORF
Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

Wherever you live on this earth and whatever your life's situation may be, I testify to you that the gospel of Jesus Christ has the divine power to lift you to great heights from what appears at times to be an unbearable burden or weakness.

ELDER M. RUSSELL BALLARD
Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

Now is the time for all of us to reach out and tell others who we are. Prepare some simple facts…and help those who are curious to know a little about the Church and then to want to know more about the Restoration of the gospel.

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ELDER JOSEPH B. WIRTHLIN
Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

Love is the beginning, the middle, and the end of the pathway of discipleship. It comforts, counsels, cures, and consoles. It leads us through valleys of darkness and through the veil of death. In the end love leads us to the glory and grandeur of eternal life.

ELDER JEFFREY R. HOLLAND
Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

We declare it is self-evident from the scriptures that the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost are separate persons, three divine beings, noting such unequivocal illustrations as the Savior's great Intercessory Prayer just mentioned, His baptism at the hands of John, the experience on the Mount of Transfiguration, and the martyrdom of Stephen.

ELDER RUSSELL M. NELSON
Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

The Bible and the Book of Mormon are both witnesses of Jesus Christ. They teach that He is the Son of God, that He lived an exemplary life, that He atoned for all mankind, that He died upon the cross and rose again as the resurrected Lord. They teach that He is the Savior of the world.

PRESIDENT HENRY B. EYRING
Second Counselor in the First Presidency

Find ways to recognize and remember God's kindness. It will build your testimonies…You will be blessed as you remember what the Lord has done…The key to the remembering that brings and maintains testimony is receiving the Holy Ghost as a companion. It is the Holy Ghost who helps us see what God has done for us.

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ELDER QUENTIN L. COOK
Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

It is our faith in Jesus Christ that sustains us at the crossroads of life's journey. It is the first principle of the gospel. Without it we will spin our wheels at the intersection, spending our precious time but getting nowhere.

JULIE B. BECK
Relief Society General President

Latter-day Saint women should be the very best in the world at upholding, nurturing, and protecting families. I have every confidence that our women will do this and will come to be known as mothers who "knew."

ELDER DAVID A. BEDNAR
Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

Let me suggest that hands are made clean through the process of putting off the natural man and by overcoming sin and the evil influences in our lives through the Savior's Atonement. Hearts are purified as we receive His strengthening power to do good and become better.

PRESIDENT GORDON B. HINCKLEY

This is only the beginning. This work will continue to grow and prosper and move across the earth…This work is unique and wonderful…The work in which we are engaged is the most important work on the earth.

ELDER ROBERT D. HALES
Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

Personal revelation is the way Heavenly Father helps us know Him and His Son, learn and live the gospel, endure to the end in righteousness, and qualify for eternal life—to return back into Their presence.

ELDER RICHARD G. SCOTT
Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

Since truth is the only meaningful foundation upon which we can make wise decisions, how then can one establish what is really true? The best way of finding truth is simply to go to the origin of all truth and ask or respond to inspiration.

ELDER DALLIN H. OAKS
Of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles

We have to forego some good things in order to choose others that are better or best because they develop faith in the Lord Jesus Christ and strengthen our families.

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