



Dana Ward Newsletter



BISHOPRIC MESSAGE

August 2016

My Brothers and Sisters,

I have been reflecting upon the Mutual Theme for 2016 which is, "Press Forward with a Steadfastness in Christ". In 2 Nephi 31:20 we read, "Wherefore, ye must press forward with a steadfastness in Christ, having a perfect brightness of home, and a love of all men. Wherefore, if ye shall press forward, feasting upon the word of Christ, and endure to the end, behold, thus saith the Father: Ye shall have eternal life."

When we are completely focused upon the words and teachings of our Savior Jesus Christ, we become "steadfast" in him. Only then comes the perfect brightness of hope. And when we have that hope, we receive the pure love of Christ within us. Then when we have the words of Christ and the gospel of redemption engraved upon our hearts, seeking after every good thing, even though our trials may be such that we cannot bear. If we endure it well, and endure even unto the end, having not been moved from our faith and testimony. Then shall our reward be eternal, even unto eternal life.

This is my hope and prayer for each one of us. That we will bear one another's burdens. That we will love one another as our Father in Heaven loves each of us. I love each one of you my Brothers and Sisters of the Dana Ward. Let us all press forward with a steadfastness in Christ.

Bishop Schnepf



Bishopric

Bishop -	Kevin Schnepf	480-890-8934
1st Counselor -	Patrick Rogers	480-695-7616
2nd Counselor -	Olen Reynolds	480-202-5128
Exec. Secretary -	Stephen Noble	602-715-4686
Ward Clerk -	Conley Martin	480-313-7194

Mesa South Stake Presidency

President -	Ray Johnson
1st Counselor -	Rondal Jones
2nd Counselor -	Douglas Millett
Exec. Secretary -	Jeremy Arnett
Stake Clerk -	Richard Hale

Dana Ward Schedule

<u>2016 Schedule</u>
<u>Sacrament Meeting</u>
9:00am - 10:10am
<u>Sunday School</u>
10:20am - 11:00am
<u>Primary</u>
10:20am - 12:00pm
<u>RS- Priesthood-YW</u>
11:10am - 12:00pm



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Write a letter to:
Jeff Hoepfner
 AZ Department of Corrections
 ADC# 78465
 Eyman Complex
 Meadows 10-A-18-L
 PO Box 3300
 Florence, AZ 85132-3300



Full-Time Missionaries



Elder Campbell
 Elder Evans
 480-212-2744

249795846@mormon.org



**School Starts
 August 10th**

Sunday Lesson Curriculum

Sunday School - New Testament

Youth Sunday School - Come Follow Me

Youth 3rd Hour - Come Follow Me

HP, Elder's & RS - Pres. Howard W. Hunter

August 2016 Priesthood & RS Lesson Schedule

Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4
Pres.	Lesson	Lesson	TBD
Choice	#14	#15	



PV2 Chris Martinez
 CMR 415 Box 6795
 APO AE 09114



Recruit, Merkley, Ethan E.
 1st Bn Alpha Co Platoon 1001
 39001 Midway Ave
 MCRD San Diego, CA 92140-3077



Dana Ward S.T.O.M.P.

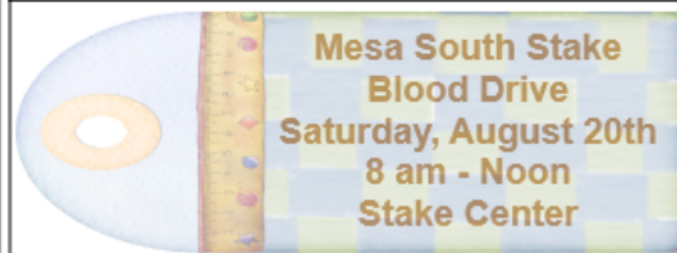
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2		17 - 19	9	41 - 43
3		20 - 22	10	44 - 45
4		1 - 3	11	46 - 48
5		4 - 6	12	49 - 50
6		7 - 9	13	51 - 52
7		10 - 15	14	53 - 55
8		16 - 21	15	56 - 57
9		22 - 25	16	58 - 60
10		26 - 28	17	61 - 63
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2016

Mesa South Stake
 General Priesthood Session
 Sunday, August 14th
 7:00 PM
 Stake Center



Congratulations to **Zack O'Bryant** on being ordained to the office of Priest by his father on July 10th.



SS - Gospel Principles Lessons

- 7 Chapter 29: The Lord's Law of Health
- 14 Chapter 30: Charity
- 21 Chapter 31: Honesty
- 28 Chapter 32: Tithes and Offerings

SS - Gospel Doctrine Lessons

- 7 Lesson 29: Give Ear to My Words
- 14 Lesson 30: The Great Plan of Happiness
- 21 Lesson 31: Firm in the Faith of Christ
- 28 Lesson 32: They Did Obey-Every Word of Command with Exactness



PRIMARY

Primary Presidency

President **Laura Carpenter**
 1st Coun. **April Noble**
 2nd Coun. **Ashley Morillo**
 Secretary **Jessica Bear**
 Asst. Sec. **Denean Beals**



Welcome to the Ward



We welcome the following individuals and families to the Dana Ward. We look forward to getting to know you.

Alton Strickland	Talon & Candra Beach
Sofia Hines	Benjamin & Melissa Nelson
Richard Arias	Jesse & Sheryl Aros

2016 Theme: **I KNOW THE SCRIPTURES ARE TRUE**

August: My Body Is a Temple of God

Week 1: My body is a temple.

Week 2: Dressing modestly shows respect for Heavenly Father and myself.

Week 3: Living the Word of Wisdom shows respect for my body.

Week 4: Reading, watching, and listening to wholesome things keeps my mind clean.

My Baptism

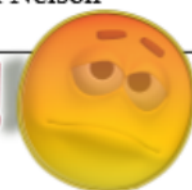


Congratulations to **Raidyn Morillo** on her baptisms on July 9th. She was baptized by her father, **Gadian Morillo**.

Congratulations to **Gideon Filhart** on his baptism on July 24th. He was baptized by his father **Wes Filhart**.

Congratulations to **Linda Wilson** on her recent baptism. We are so happy for you and welcome you to the Dana Ward.

Goodbye!



The following individuals and families have moved or are moving from our ward. We are so sad to see them go and wish them well in the next adventures of their lives.

Edith Mosley	Vance Christensen
Brandon & Paige Eyring	Jeff & Chelsi Knudsen
Daniel Perez	Anna Knudsen
Wes & Mary Filhart and Family	Mike & Mari Ashby and Family

NEW CALLINGS

Jesse & Sheryl Aros	Sunday School Teachers
Aaron Martinez	Sunday School Teacher
TJ Pond	Sunday School Teacher
Isaac Nelson	Asst. Priest Quorum Advisor
Shaun Brown	Gospel Doctrine Teacher
Rod Boone	Ward Missionary
Jarom & April Hogue	Nursery Leaders
Tima Hird	Primary Teacher

Young Women's Presidency

President **Wendy Tonga**
 1st Coun. **Julie Eyring**
 2nd Coun. **Tori Golding**
 Secretary **Cris Rogers**

Laurel Presidency

President **Payzlee Hird**
 1st Coun. **Nora Martinez**
 2nd Coun. **Kelly Eyring**
 Secretary **Denim Metcalf**

Mia Maid Presidency

President **Rylee Hird**
 1st Coun. **Samantha Montgomery**
 2nd Coun. **Savannah Soto**
 Secretary **Elizabeth Crandell**

Beehive Presidency

President **Eden Carter**
 1st Coun. **Jocelyn Gardiner**
 2nd Coun. **Daija Hanks**
 Secretary **Mercedes Martinz**



Young Men's Presidency

President **Kyle Hassell**
 1st Coun. **Tyler Benson**
 2nd Coun. **Kerwin Blau**
 Secretary **Tate Brinton**

Priests Quorum Presidency

President **Bishop Schnepf**
 1st Asst. **Spencer Nichols**
 2nd Asst. **Donovan Blau**
 Secretary **Nathan Martinez**

Teachers Quorum Presidency

President **Nathen Wood**
 1st Coun. **Porter Reynolds**
 2nd Coun. **Parker Hird**
 Secretary **Colin Merkley**

Deacons Quorum Presidency

President **Noah Nichols**
 1st Coun. **Carson Carpenter**
 2nd Coun. **Parker Hird**
 Secretary **Garrett Lans**

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Missionary Mail

Elder Kimball Rogers

New Zealand Hamilton Mission

June 2016-June 2018

Elder Kimball James Rogers
Utah Ogden Mission
4380 South Orchard Ave.
South Ogden, UT 84403
kimball.rogers@myldsmail.net

Update: Elder Rogers will
be leaving for New Zealand
on August 22nd.



7/18

To the people that say that everyone in Utah is a Mormon you are very very wrong. Since my first day here I have talked to more non members than members. I am fine with that though because that just means I have a lot of good work a head of me! My companions name is Elder Draper is he is so great! He has been out for 21 months and this will be his last area. He and I are in the Hooper area. It is a lot of farmland, it reminds me a lot of Queen Creek for you arizona people. We cover a whole stake of seven wards. The most amazing part of all these wards is how missionary minded they all are! They all love missionary work and the Ward Mission leaders call us almost every night with appointments that they have set up for us! It is amazing how dedicated they are to pushing forward the Lords work.

The food is so so so much better out here! The other night we had dinner with Brother Robinson and he cooked us steak. It was without a doubt the best stake I ever had (sorry dad it was better than yours) He is a hunter and he said next time we come to eat he is going to cook us some Elk!

We also have a car! Really lucked out with that one! Our area is pretty large though so we are lucky enough to be blessed with a car, and its 2016 Nissan Rouge! We drive the same car as President Jaggi does!

President Jaggi and his wife are so amazing. You can just feel their love from a mile away. President Jaggi always has a smile on his face, which at first was a little unnerving, but when you get to know him you realize it is because he has so much love in his heart. I can truly say that he is a man called of God that serves God with all his heart, might, mind, and strength. The crazy part is that he is only 42! So all his kids are at home still with them. Our first night here they took us out to eat at Chuck-O-Rama, needless to say they spoil us. All in all it has been an amazing week and I am so looking forward to this one and to seeing what the Lord has in store for me. I love you all so much! I hope you have a great week! Ofa Lahi Atu Elder Rogers

7/25 I have always heard in my life that time flies when you are having fun. While this is true, I would like to alter that statement a little bit. Time truly flies when you are having fun doing the Lords work. Not as catchy I know, but it is so true.

This week has been a crazy one! We have been doing loads and loads of service around the Hooper stake. Since knocking on doors is not effective this is our best tool. Guess what? ITS WORKING! For the first two weeks we just did service for members but this week we are doing service for a few non members. One guy said that he felt inclined to pay us so we told him that as long as he let us share our message then we are even. And he said YES!! The Lord truly does soften the hearts of those that are ready to receive the gospel. We had some super fun activities earlier this week with some of the youth in some of the wards. We called them pancake nights. It started out with us just eating pancakes, then we play a few games, then we share a short but powerful spiritual message. It was so great and so much fun! I love it here in Ogden! Sorry that I have to keep this one short, but P-Day is almost over and still have a lot of work to get done! Love you guys! Hope you have a great week! Stay strong and trust in Christ! Elder Rogers

8/1 Guys you will never guess what finally came??? MY VISA!!!!!! I am finally going to New Zealand!! I have to wait for the end of the transfer, but on the 22nd of August I will be shipping out! I will send you guys a longer email later today but I just wanted you all to know!! I love you all so much!! Elder Rogers