

PALMYRA NEW YORK STAKE
STAKE CONFERENCE
GENERAL SESSION

SUNDAY, MAY 19, 2024
10:00 A.M. TO 12:00 P.M.

PALMYRA NEW YORK STAKE CENTER



"The temple *is* the gateway to the greatest blessings God has in store for each of us, for the temple is the only place on earth where we may receive *all* of the blessings promised to Abraham."

Russell M. Nelson

SUNDAY GENERAL SESSION

Presiding:..... Elder Allen D. Haynie
Area President North America Northeast Area

Conducting:President Robert R. Mayo
Palmyra Stake Presidency 2nd Counselor

Chorister:.....Jessica Vance - *Palmyra Ward*

Organist: Jessica Pierson - *Mendon Ward*

Welcome:.....President Robert R. Mayo
Palmyra Stake Presidency 2nd Counselor

Opening Hymn:#89, "*The Lord is My Light*"

Invocation:.....Suzette Campnell - *Boughton Hill Ward*

Stake Business: President Robert R. Mayo
Palmyra Stake Presidency 2nd Counselor

Musical Number: "*I Feel My Savior's Love*" - Stake Primary Choir

Speaker President Edmund S. Nabrotzky
Palmyra Stake President

Speaker Grace Bylund - *Mendon Ward*

SpeakerJacques Figaro - *Penn Yan Branch*

Speaker Rosemary Christensen - *Whitney Ward*

Speaker President Thomas B. McCoy and Sister Lani Jo McCoy
New York and Pennsylvania Historic Sites Mission

Intermediate Hymn:.....#6, "*Redeemer of Israel*"

Speaker President Evan Gentry and Sister Sandi Gentry
New York Syracuse Mission

Speaker Elder Allen D. Haynie and Sister Deborah Haynie
Area President North America Northeast Area

Closing Hymn: # 258, "*O, Thou Rock of Our Salvation*"

Benediction:Emily Underwood - *Canandaigua Ward*

OPENING HYMN:

#89, THE LORD IS MY LIGHT

The Lord is my light; then why should I
fear?
By day and by night his presence is near.
He is my salvation from sorrow and sin;
This blessed assurance the Spirit doth
bring.

[Chorus]

The Lord is my light;
He is my joy and my song.
By day and by night
He leads, he leads me along.

The Lord is my light; tho clouds may arise,
Faith, stronger than sight, looks up thru
the skies
Where Jesus forever in glory doth reign.
Then how can I ever in darkness remain?

The Lord is my light; the Lord is my
strength.
I know in his might I'll conquer at length.
My weakness in mercy he covers with
pow'r,
And, walking by faith, I am blest ev'ry
hour.

The Lord is my light, my all and in all.
There is in his sight no darkness at all.
He is my Redeemer, my Savior, and King.
With Saints and with angels his praises I'll
sing.

Text: James Nicolson, 1828-1876.

Music: John R. Sweney, 1837-1899

Psalm 27:1

Isaiah 12:2

INTERMEDIATE HYMN:

#6, REDEEMER OF ISRAEL

Redeemer of Israel,
Our only delight,
On whom for a blessing we call,
Our shadow by day
And our pillar by night,
Our King, our Deliv'rer, our all!

We know he is coming
To gather his sheep
And lead them to Zion in love,
For why in the valley
Of death should they weep
Or in the lone wilderness rove?

How long we have wandered
As strangers in sin
And cried in the desert for thee!
Our foes have rejoiced
When our sorrows they've seen,
But Israel will shortly be free.

As children of Zion,
Good tidings for us.
The tokens already appear.
Fear not, and be just,
For the kingdom is ours.
The hour of redemption is near.

Text: William W. Phelps, 1792-1872;
adapted from Joseph Swain, 1761-1796

Music: Freeman Lewis, 1780-1859

Exodus 13:21-22

1 Nephi 22:12

CLOSING HYMN:

#258, O THOU ROCK OF OUR SALVATION

O thou Rock of our salvation,
Jesus, Savior of the world,
In our poor and lowly station
We thy banner have unfurled.

[Chorus]

Gather round the standard bearer;
Gather round in strength of youth.
Ev'ry day the prospect's fairer
While we're battling for the truth

We a war 'gainst sin are waging;
We're contending for the right.
Ev'ry day the battle's raging;
Help us, Lord, to win the fight.

Onward, onward, we'll be singing
As we're marching firm and true,
Each succeeding battle ringing,
Earnest of what we can do.

When for all that we've contended,
When the fight of faith we've won,
When the strife and battle's ended,
And our labor here is done,

[Chorus]

Then, O Rock of our salvation,
Jesus, Savior of the world,
Take us from our lowly station;
Let our flag with thee be furled.

Text: Joseph L. Townsend, 1849-1942

Music: William Clayson, 1840-1887

Helaman 5:12

Psalm 62:1-2

Missionaries Called and Serving from the Palmyra, NY Stake

Name	Ward	Mission	Start Date
Elder Jared Bjorling	Canandaigua	England Leeds	7-Aug-23
Elder Marc Schaefer	Canandaigua	Philippines Baguio	21-Nov-22
Elder Lehi Weed	Canandaigua	Colorado Denver South	19-Jun-23
Elder Holden Dorr	Lyons	Czech/Slovak	23-Jan-23
Elder Thomas Gaver	Lyons	California Newport Beach	14-Nov-22
Sister Ella Gaver	Lyons	Florida Ft Lauderdale	13-Mar-23
Elder Joseph Rouland (May)	Lyons	Washington Spokane	4-Jul-22
Sister Emma Garry	Mendon	Mozambique Maputo	9-Jan-23
Sister Rachel Newcomb	Mendon	Hawaii Laie	4-Mar-24
Elder Joseph Leyva	Palmyra	Arizona Flagstaff	21-Nov-22
Elder Dylan Vance	Palmyra	Peru Chiclayo	16-Oct-23
Sister Lydia Campbell	Whitney	Brazil Ribeirão Preto	12 Feb 24
Elder Phillip Henderson	Whitney	Panamá Panamá City	21-Nov-22
Elder Isaac McBeth	Whitney	Utah Orem North Service Area	7-Nov-22
Elder Kaelen Ruder	Whitney	Germany Berlin	6-Jun-22
Sister Rachel Sorensen	Whitney	Washington Kennewick	29-May-23

Senior Missionaries

Name	Ward	Mission	Start Date
Elder & Sister Whitcomb	Boughton Hill	Bishops Storehouse	1-Jan-24
Elder & Sister Nichols	Canandaigua	Bishops Storehouse Assistants	2-Apr-24
Sister Jones	Fayette	Seneca Lake Camp	5-Jun-24
Elder & Sister Cook	Mendon	NY Syracuse Service Mission Leaders	10-Dec-18
Elder Hansen	Palmyra	Family Search Service Missionary	17-Jun-23
Elder & Sister Harmer	Palmyra	Seneca Lake Camp	2-Apr-24
Sister Leyva	Palmyra	Washington Yakima	27-Jun-23
Elder Reynolds & Sister Diaz-Reynolds	Palmyra	New York Syracuse	2-Apr-24

Missionaries Called and Preparing to Serve

Name	Ward	Mission	Start Date
Grace Woodworth	Boughton Hill	Brazil Santa Maria	16-Sep-24
Ava Hawkins	Boughton Hill	California Sacramento	23-Sep-24
Landon Ruder	Whitney	Argentina Resistencia	5-Aug-24
Elizabeth Yoder	Canandaigua	Portugal Lisbon	8-Jul-24
Jude York	Canandaigua	Guatemala Quetzaltenango	22-Jul-24
Diane Cary	Whitney	New York Syracuse	17-Jun-24
Deb Stuetz	Whitney	Santiago Chile North	16-Sep-24

We express love and appreciation for all those serving missions from our stake, but also to those serving in our stake as temple, site, camp, specialist and proselytizing missionaries.

Thank you for your consecrated and inspiring service to us.

Note that we also acknowledge and appreciate that several of our members have stepped forward to serve in the military to protect our country. Our grateful prayers are with you.