

Invitations TO ACT

Look for invitations given in conference talks that can help you improve, like these:

President Monson: “May we care for our bodies and our minds by observing the principles set forth in the Word of Wisdom.”

“We need to work and learn, search and pray, repent and improve. We need to know God’s laws and live them. We need to receive His saving ordinances.”

President Eyring: “The Lord is preparing the Aaronic Priesthood holder to become an elder serving with faith, power, and gratitude in that glorious Melchizedek Priesthood.”

“Live and worship on [the] Sabbath day to demonstrate your gratitude and to strengthen yourself and others.”

President Uchtdorf: “In our search for enduring faith, . . . let us remember the Lord’s promise: ‘Knock, and it shall be opened unto you’ [Matthew 7:7]. . . . Seek God with all your heart.”

“Let us in word and in deed share with our fellowmen the amazing and awe-inspiring message of God’s plan of happiness.”

“I would like to ask you to consider two questions: First: ‘What can I learn from Alma?’ Second: ‘How am I like Amulek?’ [See Alma 8–16.]”



“Our Father’s plan for our happiness and our salvation is shared by our missionaries throughout the world. Not all who hear this divine message accept and embrace it. However, men and women everywhere . . . recognize its truths, and they plant their feet on the path that will lead them safely home. Their lives are forever changed.

“Essential to the plan is our Savior, Jesus Christ. Without His atoning sacrifice, all would be lost. It is not enough, however, merely to believe in Him and His mission. We need to work and learn, search and pray, repent and improve. We need to know God’s laws and live them. We need to receive His saving ordinances. Only by so doing will we obtain true, eternal happiness.

“We are blessed to have the truth. We have a mandate to share the truth. Let us live the truth, that we might merit all that the Father has for us. He does nothing save it be for our benefit.”

President Thomas S. Monson,
October 2016 general conference



“For Latter-day Saints, the Sabbath is . . . a day . . . of gratitude and love [see D&C 59:5, 7–8]. . . .

“You might well be wondering what you could do to live and worship on this Sabbath day to demonstrate your gratitude. . . .

“You could begin today with a private and family prayer of thanks for all God has done for you. You could pray to know what the Lord would have you do to serve Him and others. Particularly, you could pray to have the Holy Ghost tell you of someone who is lonely or in need to whom the Lord would have you go.

“I can promise you your prayers will be answered, and as you act on the answers you will receive, you will find joy in the Sabbath, and your heart will overflow with thankfulness.”

President Henry B. Eyring, First Counselor in the First Presidency, October 2016 general conference



“Though we may not understand why certain things happen or why certain prayers go unanswered, we can know that in the end everything will

make sense. . . .

“All will be made right. All will be well.

“We can be certain that answers will come, and we may be confident that we will not only be content with the answers but we will also be overwhelmed by the grace, mercy, generosity, and love of our Heavenly Father for us, His children. . . .

“Until then, we walk by whatever faith we have, seeking always to increase our faith. Sometimes this is not an easy quest. Those who are impatient, uncommitted, or careless may find faith to be elusive. Those who are easily discouraged or distracted may hardly experience it. Faith comes to the humble, the diligent, the enduring.

“It comes to those who pay the price of faithfulness.”

President Dieter F. Uchtdorf, Second Counselor in the First Presidency, October 2016 general conference