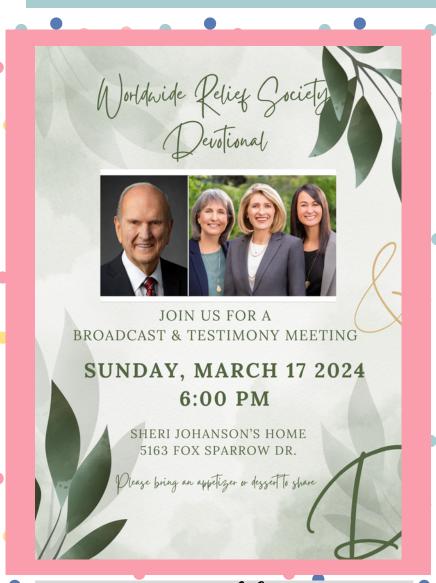
PINERY RS MARCH

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Birthdays

Tiffany Spencer 2

Doris Hokanson 7

Bobbi Chambers 12

Nadezda Porras 12

Nancy Malm 21

Hanni Deters 24

Sharon Searle 24

RS Presidency Message

"In a hundred small ways, all of you wear the mantle of charity. Life is perfect for none of us. Rather than being judgmental and critical of each other, may we have the pure love of Christ for our fellow travelers in this journey through life. May we recognize that each one is doing her best to deal with the challenges which come her way, and may we strive to do our best to help out.

"Charity has been defined as 'the highest, noblest, strongest kind of love,' the 'pure love of Christ ...; and whoso is found possessed of it at the last day, it shall be well with (her).'

"'Charity never faileth.' May this longenduring Relief Society motto, this timeless truth, guide you in everything you do. May it permeate your very souls and find expression in all your thoughts and actions."

This comes from the book, "Daughters in My Kingdom: The History and work of Relief Society", Ch 6, "A Worldwide Circle of Sisterhood."

You may remember I have referred to OUR circle of Sisterhood in our Pinery RS. I am truly grateful for each and every one of you and that we are all figuratively hand in hand in this Circle of Sisterhood together, developing our mantle of charity for the sisters around us.

Ministering Thought:

As we extend our hands and hearts toward others in Christlike love, something wonderful happens to us. Our own spirits become healed, more refined, and stronger. We become happier, more peaceful, and more receptive to the whisperings of the Holy Spirit. - Elder Uchtdorf

RS LESSONS

MARCH 10-

"GOD KNOWS AND LOVES YOU" ALAN T. PHILLIPS TAUGHT BY BROOKE JAMES

MARCH 24-

"JESUS CHRIST IS THE TREASURE"

DALE G. RENLUND

TAUGHT BY BRANDIE MUNSEY

ANNOUNCEMENTS

UPCOMING MULTIPLE SUNDAY INFO:
WORLDWIDE RS CONFERENCE- MARCH 17TH (SEE ABOVE INFO)
EASTER- MARCH 31ST- SACRAMENT MTG ONLY
GENERAL CONFERENCE- APRIL 6&7
FAST SUNDAY- APRIL 14TH
PINERY WARD CONFERENCE- APRIL 21ST

PINERY SISTERS BOOK CLUB-MARCH 26 (SEE INFO BELOW)
PICKLE BALL-FRIDAY @ 7:30AM IN CHURCH GYM

First Presidency Easter Message

THIS EASTER SEASON, WE INVITE YOU TO PONDER THE SAVIOR'S ATONING SACRIFICE AND GLORIOUS RESURRECTION, WHICH BLESS ALL OF US.

THROUGH OUR REDEEMER, JESUS CHRIST, WE RECEIVE THIS MESSAGE OF HOPE: "IN THE WORLD YE SHALL HAVE TRIBULATION: BUT BE OF GOOD CHEER; I HAVE OVERCOME THE WORLD" (JOHN 16:33). THE SAVIOR PROMISES THAT AS WE KEEP HIS COMMANDMENTS AND ORDINANCES, WE WILL HAVE "PEACE IN THIS WORLD, AND ETERNAL LIFE IN THE WORLD TO COME" (DOCTRINE AND COVENANTS 59:23).

WE TESTIFY THAT JESUS CHRIST LIVES! "HE IS RISEN" (MATTHEW 28:6). BECAUSE OF HIM, WE CAN BE GUIDED AND STRENGTHENED AS WE BEAR THE BURDENS WE FACE IN MORTALITY. THROUGH OUR FAITH IN THE SAVIOR'S ATONING SACRIFICE, THE BONDS OF SIN CANNOT HOLD US AND THE TRIALS THAT WE EXPERIENCE IN LIFE WILL HAVE NO LASTING POWER OVER US. "THE STING OF DEATH IS SWALLOWED UP IN CHRIST" (MOSIAH 16:8).

RUSSEL M. NELSON
DALLIN H. OAKS
HENRY B. EYRING
THE FIRST PRESIDENCY

