Teachings of President Russell M. Nelson



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Course overview:

The Teachings of President Russell M. Nelson is a study of the principles and doctrines of the restored gospel as taught by President Russell M. Nelson, from his General Conference and other addresses.

Course Objectives & learning Outcomes:

- Deepen your conversion to Jesus Christ and His restored Gospel through following the Living Prophet.
- Increase your desire and effort to live principles and doctrine of the gospel and become more like Heavenly Father and Jesus Christ.

Institute & Transfer Credit (Optional):

If you are interested in getting institute credit toward graduation or for transfer to a Church university, you must do the following.

- Attend 75% or more classes.
- Read 75% or more of the assigned readings.
- Complete an Elevate Learning Experience (Complete one of the following)
 - Study Journal: Utilize a study journal throughout the semester to document "God's dealings" with you. This can include notes on each lesson, your thoughts and experience with the readings, and revelation you receive.
 - Personal Learning Project: Plan and complete a project that focuses on doctrines and principles from the course, evidence of your learning and application, and a summary of how your faith in Jesus Christ has increased. This can be done through any medium.

Course Material: President Nelson's conference talks found on the LDS library app.

SPRING 2025 CLASS SCHEDULE and READINGS:

Date	Lesson Title	Reading
sprin1/6	Welcome to Institute & Pres Nelson	
1/8	The Heart of a Prophet Sustaining the Prophets	<u>The Heart of a Prophet (churchofjesuschrist.org)</u> <u>Sustaining the Prophets (Churchofjesuschrist.org)</u>
1/13	General Conference April 2018 Liahona October 2022	Revelation for the Church, Revelation for Our Lives (churchofjesuschrist.org) Grow into the Principle of Revelation (Churchofjesuschrist.org)
1/15	General Conference April 2018	Ministering with the Power and Authority of God (churchofjesuschrist.org) Let Us All Press On (churchofjesuschrist.org)
1/22	General Conference October 2018	<u>Opening Remarks (churchofjesuschrist.org)</u> <u>Sisters' Participation in the Gathering of Israel (churchofjesuschrist.org)</u>

4/16	TBD	
4/14	General Conference October 2023	Think Celestial! (churchofjesuschrist.org
4/9	General Conference April 2023	<u>The Answer Is Always Jesus Christ (churchofjesuschrist.org</u>
4/7	General Conference Review	
4/2	General Conference April 2023.	Peacemakers Needed (churchofjesuschrist.org
3/31	General Conference October 2022	Overcome the World and Find Rest (churchofjesuschrist.org) Focus on the Temple (churchofjesuschrist.org)
3/26	General Conference October 2022	What Is True? (churchofjesuschrist.org)
		Now Is the Time (churchofjesuschrist.org)
3/24	General Conference April 2022	The Power of Spiritual Momentum (churchofiesuschrist.org)
3/19	General Conference April 2022	Preaching the Gospel of Peace (churchofjesuschrist.org)
3/17	General Conference October 2021	<u>The Temple and Your Spiritual Foundation (churchofjesuschrist.org)</u> <u>Make Time for the Lord (churchofjesuschrist.org)</u>
3/12	General Conference October 2021 Ensign November 2016	Pure Truth, Pure Doctrine, and Pure Revelation (churchofjesuschrist.org) Joy and Spiritual Survival (Churchofjesuschrist.org)
3/10	General Conference April 2021	Christ Is Risen; Faith in Him Will Move Mountains (churchofjesuschrist.org)
3/7	SPRING BREAK – NO CLASS	
3/5	SPRING BREAK – NO CLASS	
2/26	General Conference October 2020	Let God Prevail (churchofjesuschrist.org) <u>A New Normal (churchofjesuschrist.org)</u>
2/24	General Conference October 2020	<u>Moving Forward (churchofjesuschrist.org)</u> <u>Embrace the Future with Faith (churchofjesuschrist.org)</u>
		<u>Go Forward in Faith (churchofjesuschrist.org)</u>
2/19	General Conference April 2020	Hear Him (churchofjesuschrist.org)
2/12	General Conference April 2020	<u>Opening Message (churchofjesuschrist.org)</u> <u>Opening the Heavens for Help (churchofjesuschrist.org)</u>
2/10	General Conference October 2019	The Second Great Commandment (churchofjesuschrist.org) Closing Remarks (churchofjesuschrist.org)
2/5	General Conference October 2019 Liahona October 2022	<u>Spiritual Treasures (churchofjesuschrist.org)</u> <u>The Everlasting Covenant</u>
2/3	Worldwide Devotional June 2018	Hope of Israel
1/29	General Conference October 2018 General Conference April 2019	<u>We Can Do Better and Be Better (churchofjesuschrist.org)</u> <u>Becoming Exemplary Latter-day Saints (churchofjesuschrist.org)</u>
1/27	General Conference October 2018 General Conference April 2019	<u>The Correct Name of the Church (churchofjesuschrist.org)</u> <u>"Come, Follow Me" (churchofjesuschrist.org)</u>