



**Phoenix Arizona Temple**  
DEDICATED 16 NOVEMBER 2014

# **JAMAICA 1ST WARD**

## **OF THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS**

---

**12 SEPTEMBER 2021**

---

---

**PLEASE NOTE**

**The Jamaica 1st Ward's usual Sunday meetings will not take place on 3 October because of general conference or on 10 October due to stake conference. Please see individual announcements for more details.**

---

---

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

---

**September building cleaning assignments**

Any ward member is invited to participate in any building cleaning session. We invite all members to participate in at least one throughout the month.

---

*Friday 17 September*                            7.00–8.30pm

*Saturday 25 September*                            9.00–10.30am

---

**Seminary kickoff****LYNBROOK BUILDING**

**TODAY • SUNDAY 12 SEPTEMBER • 6.00PM**

All youth in grades 9–12 and their families are welcome. Refreshments will be served.

---

**Ward youth council****CULTURAL HALL (4TH FLOOR)**

**SUNDAY 19 SEPTEMBER • 11.15AM–NOON**

The bishopric, the Young Women president, the Young Women class presidency, assistants in the priests quorum, and teachers and deacons quorum presidents should attend.

---

**Bishop's storehouse assignment****LITTLE NECK BUILDING**

**SATURDAY 25 SEPTEMBER • 9.30AM**

Volunteers from the Jamaica 1st Ward are needed to help fill food orders for families in need in the Lynbrook New York Stake. All food and other supplies are provided. May require moderate lifting. Volunteers should expect the process to take 1½–2 hours. Sign-up sheets will be circulated in second-hour meetings.

---

**Fast Sunday**

**SUNDAY 26 SEPTEMBER**

Due to general conference and stake conference on the first and second weekends in October (please see individual announcements for more details). Sacrament meeting this Sunday will be a fast and testimony meeting.

---

## October 2021 general conference

**CHURCHOFJESUSCHRIST.ORG**

2–3 OCTOBER 2021

General conference takes place twice a year, in April and October, and is an opportunity for us to hear from our worldwide church leaders, including the prophet, President Russell M. Nelson, members of the First Presidency and Quorum of the Twelve Apostles, and other general authorities and general officers of the church. Video streams of conference proceedings from church headquarters in Salt Lake City, Utah, are available live on the church's website, YouTube, and other means.

Saturday 2 October	Sunday 3 October
noon–2.00pm EDT	noon–2.00pm EDT
4.00–6.00pm EDT	4.00–6.00pm EDT
8.00–10.00pm EDT	

---

## Stake conference

9–10 OCTOBER 2021

Stake conference is the twice-yearly meeting of the Lynbrook New York Stake, which consists of congregations in eastern Queens and western Nassau County. Sessions will include:

### Saturday 9 October

**FLUSHING BUILDING (IN PERSON)**

*Stake priesthood leadership meeting* 4.00–5.30pm  
For the bishopric, ward clerk, ward executive secretary, elders quorum presidency and secretary, and Aaronic Priesthood quorum advisers

*Saturday evening (adult) session* 7.00–8.30pm  
For all members 18 and older

### Sunday 10 October

**THIS BUILDING (VIA VIDEO)**

*General session* 10.00am–noon  
For all members

---

## Fall blood drive

**CULTURAL HALL (4TH FLOOR)**

WEDNESDAY 3 NOVEMBER • 1.00–7.00PM

For more information and to sign up to donate, visit [jamaica1stward.org/blood-drive](http://jamaica1stward.org/blood-drive)

---

### TODAY'S SECOND-HOUR MEETINGS • 10.10–11.00AM

---

Elders quorum ..... Chapel (2nd floor)  
Relief Society ..... Relief Society room (1st floor)  
Aaronic Priesthood quorums ..... Room 303 (3rd floor)  
Young Women ..... Room 401 (4th floor)  
Primary ..... Primary room (5th floor)

12 AUGUST 2021

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

We find ourselves fighting a war against the ravages of COVID-19 and its variants, an unrelenting pandemic. We want to do all we can to limit the spread of these viruses. We know that protection from the diseases they cause can only be achieved by immunizing a very high percentage of the population.

To limit exposure to these viruses, we urge the use of face masks in public meetings whenever social distancing is not possible. To provide personal protection from such severe infections, we urge individuals to be vaccinated. Available vaccines have proven to be both safe and effective.

We can win this war if everyone will follow the wise and thoughtful recommendations of medical experts and government leaders. Please know of our sincere love and great concern for all of God's children.

The First Presidency

Russell M. Nelson  
Dallin H. Oaks  
Henry B. Eyring

---

**If you have not yet received the COVID-19 vaccine, we strongly encourage you to do so.**

To find a location to get the vaccine, go to

**vaccinefinder.nyc.gov**

## JAMAICA 1ST WARD

---

WARD CONFERENCE ♦ 12 SEPTEMBER 2021 ♦ 9.00AM

---

*Presiding*

PRESIDENT JOSE PEGUERO  
Lynbrook New York Stake

*Conducting*

BISHOP DUSTIN TYLER JOYCE

*Organist*

SISTER LORI PRIDGEN

*Chorister*

SISTER LARA BASAN

---

*Opening hymn*

GUIDE US, O THOU GREAT JEHOVAH  
#83

*Opening prayer*

BY INVITATION

*Ward & stake business*

*Sacrament hymn*

GOD LOVED US, SO HE SENT HIS SON  
#187

ADMINISTRATION OF THE SACRAMENT

*Speaker*

SISTER EVA BAXTER  
Stake Relief Society president

*Speaker*

BISHOP DUSTIN TYLER JOYCE

*Intermediate hymn*

A MIGHTY FORTRESS IS OUR GOD  
#68

*Speaker*

PRESIDENT JOSE PEGUERO

*Closing hymn*

LORD, DISMISS US WITH THY BLESSING  
#163

*Closing prayer*

BY INVITATION

---

### REMINDER

**Everyone 2 and older, regardless of vaccination status, should wear a mask over their nose and mouth and practice physical distancing while in our church building.**

---

## LESSON SCHEDULES

---

### Today • 12 September 2021

---

ELDERS QUORUM & RELIEF SOCIETY

#### **Our Personal Savior**

Elder Michael John U. Teh  
Of the Seventy

*April 2021 general conference  
Sunday morning session*

---

AARONIC PRIESTHOOD QUORUMS & YOUNG WOMEN

#### **How Can We Face Adversity with Faith?**

Doctrine and Covenants 98–101

---

COME, FOLLOW ME

#### **“Be Still and Know That I Am God”**

Doctrine and Covenants 98–101

---

### Next week • 19 September 2021

---

COME, FOLLOW ME

#### **“After Much Tribulation ... Cometh the Blessing”**

Doctrine and Covenants 102–105

---

---

## WARD DIRECTORY

---

To protect the privacy of ward members' contact information, the ward directory has been removed from this version. Please refer instead to the ward directory at [ChurchofJesusChrist.org](https://ChurchofJesusChrist.org).

---

#### *Full-time missionaries*

Elders Brady & Norman (English)	631.806.3686
Sisters Church & Starkey (English)	917.373.4446
Elders Roskelley & Triplett (Haitian Creole)	917.242.6446

---

#### *Manhattan New York Temple*

125 Columbus Avenue	917.441.8220
---------------------	--------------

---

Currently operating in phase 3:

All living and proxy ordinances by appointment

---

Ward website

**jamaica1stward.org**