# Ward Mission Plan 2025: Love, Share, Invite

## **Vision Statement**

This plan, inspired by D&C 90:24, aims to inspire ward members to minister with <u>love</u>, actively <u>share</u> their faith, and <u>invite</u> others to experience the joy of the gospel. Engaging in missionary work both here and on the other side of the veil, will unify our ward family.

# **Objective**

"Search diligently, pray always, and be believing and all things shall work together for your good" (D&C 90:24). Encourage members to seek spiritual learning and growth through love, shared experiences, and inviting others to partake in the gospel.

### Goals

- Achieve 1 convert baptism by the end of 2025.
- Reactivate 3 families within the year.
- Strengthen the youth desire to prepare for serving a mission.
- Complete 1,000 temple ordinances, reinforcing our connection to ancestors through temple work.

# **Action Plan**

#### 1. Love

- Service Projects: Organize neighborhood or community service initiatives to demonstrate Christlike love, such as food drives and neighborhood clean-ups.
- Fellowship Activities: Host social events, including game nights and potlucks, to strengthen relationships among active and less active members.

#### 2. Share

- Monthly Testimony Meetings: Encourage members to share personal testimonies
  of how missionary work has brought them closer to the Savior. Members sharing
  their conversion stories is another way to strengthen the unity of the ward.
- Less Active and Non-members: Share our homes by inviting less active and non-members over for dinner. "When we are on the Lord's errand, we are entitled to the Lord's help." Gordon B. Hinckley

#### 3. Invite

- Ward Activities: Use activities on Ward Calendar such as the Primary Program, Trunk or Treat, Ward Christmas Party, Ward Campout, Priesthood Campout, Camp Tracy, EQ shooting activity, and Youth Activities as missionary opportunities
- Less Active Families: Invite 3 families to come back to regular church attendance. "The Lord wants us to bring souls unto Him. ... Be a light for those around you." – Russell M. Nelson

# 4. Support Youth in Temple and Mission preparation

- Mission Preparation Classes: Encourage attendance to Mission Prep Classes taught by Tom Larsen.
- Temple Preparation Classes: Encourage attendance to Temple Preparation classes.
- Mission Fireside at Shields Home: Invite 3 to 4 return missionaries to share testimony, experiences, and invite the youth to choose to serve missions.
- Mission Encouragement Activities: Invite the Young Men to knock doors with the missionaries, as well as join them in teaching appointments.

# 5. Temple Ordinances

- Temple Visits: Plan regular trips to the temple for members to perform baptisms for the dead, working toward the goal of 250 baptisms and 750 additional ordinances throughout the year.
- Develop a tracking system and record the progress towards 1,000 temple ordinances as we love and serve our ancestors.

#### **Evaluation and Feedback**

- Weekly Ward Mission Huddles right after the block
- Organize and record notes in the Ward Mission Slides