

Come Follow Me - Doctrine & Covenants 2025
Week 21: May 18-24 ~ Doctrine & Covenants 49-50

Sunday/FHE - song: The Lord Is My Light

Read the intro for this week in the CFM manual. Read Doctrine & Covenants 49:2. How much do you get out of a movie if you only see one part of it? How well do you see the picture a puzzle makes if you are missing many of the pieces? How do these concepts relate to what Heavenly Father is saying in that verse? [if we really want a testimony of the Gospel we need to learn all of it and continue to seek revelation even] Read Doctrine & Covenants 50:24. How does this verse relate to what we've been discussing? [we must continue to seek light/wisdom and as we do our light/knowledge will grow]. Consider what you're doing to receive more light from the Lord.

Monday - Read the first two paragraphs of the section "Jesus Christ wants me to embrace the truths of His gospel" in the CFM manual. Read Doctrine & Covenants 49 and discuss the questions you read about as you go. (You can read more about Leman Copley [HERE](#). Our family will not be studying the section this year, but it is a great resource to better understand the context around what was happening)

Tuesday - In an effort to undermine Heavenly Father's plan, Satan seeks to create confusion about marriage. The Lord, on the other hand, has made it clear where He stands on the matter. Read Doctrine & Covenants 49:15-17. Why is marriage so important to God's plan? Dallin H. Oaks once said, "Fundamental to us is God's revelation that exaltation can be attained only through faithfulness to the covenants of an eternal marriage between a man and a woman." (Oaks, "Divine Love in the Father's Plan"). Watch "[Renaissance of Marriage](#)" and discuss.

Wednesday - Read Doctrine & Covenants 50:1-12. What do we learn from those verses that helps us understand how to recognize true manifestations of the Holy Ghost? How has the Savior helped you know the difference between truth and error? (Discussion pulled from the section "The Lord's teachings can protect me from Satan's deceptions" in the CFM manual)

Thursday - Read Doctrine & Covenants 50:13-24 "...directly related to the word edify is the word edifice, which is a building that is particularly impressive, splendid, or beautiful...what a wonderful metaphor! When someone is edified, it is as if a spiritual temple, an edifice, is being constructed in the person's heart. This is why edification is the end goal of all our teaching and preaching...This is why we are called to teach

and preach the gospel" (Lund, "In Tune"; Thomas R. Valletta, "The Doctrine & Covenants Study Guide: Start to Finish")

Friday - Read Doctrine & Covenants 50:40-46. How does a shepherd feel about His sheep? How is the Savior like a shepherd to us?



Gentle Shepherd, by Yongsung Kim

Bonus Talks/Reading: "The Family: A Proclamation to the World"

Elder Ulisses Soares, "In Partnership with the Lord"

David A. Bednar, "Marriage is Essential to His Eternal Plan"