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9:00 a.m.—noon



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6:30 p.m.	<b>Keynote Address: <i>The Power of the New Testament in the Latter Days</i></b> Elder Kim B. Clark, Emeritus General Authority Seventy, former Commissioner of the Church Educational System, NAC Professor of Management, BYU Marriott School of Business		
Time	JSB Auditorium	206 MARB	207 MARB
7:30 p.m.	<i>"Let Me Take Another Wife": Israelite, Jewish, and Latter-day Saint Polygamy in Historical and Literary Perspective</i> <b>Avram R. Shannon and Joshua M. Sears</b> Ancient Scripture, BYU	<i>"He Is Not Ashamed to Call Them Brethren": Family Structure in Hebrews 2:10–18 and Jesus Christ's Fraternal Role in Atoning for Humanity</i> <b>Matthew L. Bowen</b> Religious Education, BYU—Hawaii	<i>Family, Society, and the Eternities in 1 Peter</i> <b>Kevin Tolley</b> Seminaries and Institutes
8:30 p.m.	<i>Communal Settings for Meals in the New Testament</i> <b>Gaye Strathearn</b> Associate Dean, BYU Religious Education	<i>"Our Father Who Art in Heaven": The Family of God and the Purpose of Prayer</i> <b>Kimberly Matheson</b> Laura F. Willes Research Fellow, Maxwell Institute	

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9:00 a.m.	<i>Become as Little Children: Participating in the Household of God</i> <b>Byran B. Korth and Andrew C. Reed</b> Church History & Doctrine, BYU	<i>The Inclusion of Sexual Minorities in the Family of God</i> <b>Mark D. Ellison</b> Ancient Scripture, BYU	<i>Families as Discipleship: New Testament Teachings about Family</i> <b>Jared W. Ludlow</b> Publications Director, Religious Studies Center, BYU
10:00 a.m.	<i>The Family of God in the Gospel of John</i> <b>Eric D. Huntsman</b> Ancient Scripture, BYU Jerusalem Center	<i>The Slave Girls, My Sisters</i> <b>Lauren Ellison</b> Student, Master of Theological Studies Iliff School of Theology	<i>Recognizing and Understanding Slavery in the New Testament</i> <b>Andy Mickelson</b> Independent Scholar
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11:00 a.m.	<b>Endnote Address: <i>"No More Strangers or Foreigners, but Fellowcitizens"</i></b> Camille Fronk Olson, Professor Emeritus at Brigham Young University and former chair of the Department of Ancient Scripture		