



# NEWS BRIEFS

REMNANT CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS  
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**May  
2021**

## General Conference Schedule – “Walking in the Way of God” – June 16-20, 2021.

Themes: Thursday- “The Realization of Our Brokenness Leads to Dependence Upon Christ”;

Friday- “The Path of the Iron Rod”;

Saturday- “Jesus Christ, the Staff of Life”; Sunday- “The Old Path Leads to the Kingdom.”

### Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup>-

5:00 PM-7:00 p.m.	Registration
7:00- 8:30	Music Service
8:30	Youth Fellowship

### Thursday 17<sup>th</sup>-

9:00 AM- 10:15 a.m.	Prayer Service- (Patriarchs Presiding)
9:30- 11:30	Registration
10:30- 11:00	Conference opening Ceremony; Flag Ceremony, Call to Order of the Assembly.
11:10- 11:40	Presentation: The Scriptural/Church’s Perspective on the Family Structure (Terry Patience)
Noon - Lunch	
1:15- 2:15 p.m.	First Presidency videos
2:30- 3:15	Women’s Council Presentations (subject for the entire membership)
3:30- 4:00	Presentation Building a Valiant Testimony (by the Quorum of 12)
7:00- 8:30	Evening Worship: Bishopric Richard Paris speaker
8:45	Youth Fellowship

### Friday 18<sup>th</sup>

9:00 AM- 10:15 a.m.	Prayer Service (Patriarchs Presiding)
9:30- 11:30	Registration
10:30- 11:45	Quorum and Membership sessions, Document presentation, Quorum Business
Noon- 1:00 p.m.	
1:15- 3:00	Opening Business Session: Greetings, Minutes, Reports, Budget
3:00- 4:00	Presentation- The Church’s Perspective on Eternity and Life After Death (Matthew Goodrich)
7:00- 8:30	Evening Worship Mike Hogan Presiding and Gary Argotsinger is Speaking
8:45	Youth Fellowship

### Saturday 19<sup>th</sup>

9:00AM- 10:15 a.m.	Prayer Service (Patriarchs)
10:30- 11:00	Presentation: The Church in Africa- Friday Mbaoma & Ralph Damon.
11:15- 11:45	The new Remnant D&C, (David Van Fleet)
Noon- Lunch p.m.	Youth Presidential Lunch
1:15- 3:00pm	Closing Business Session, Conference Dates, Final business, General Church Budget, Document.
3:30- 4:30	Women’s Reception
7:00- 8:30	Sending Forth Service: Rodney Walsh presiding, Joshua Terry speaker.
8:45	Youth Fellowship

### Sunday

9:00- 10:15am	Presidential Address, Terry Patience, speaker
10:30- 11:30	Communion Service, Joshua Turner, speaker

REMNANT CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS  
PROPOSED GENERAL CHURCH OPERATION BUDGET 2021

The following proposed budget for calendar year 2021 is respectfully submitted for final review and authorization by the June 2021 General Conference. An extensive process of gathering information and reviewing various proposals has been carried out by the Budget Committee.

Undertaking such a task is first based on a careful analysis of previous income and expenditures by the Presiding Bishopric and then projecting income for the coming year. The Budget Committee then reviews formal requests submitted by the various Quorums, Orders and Department heads. Those requests are made based upon proposed programs and goals for the coming years. They are then compiled into the proposed budget and submitted to the Board of Appropriations for review and approval prior to submission to General Conference. As directed by the General Conference of April 2009, the additional step was completed by submitting Family Allowances to the Standing High Counsel for their advice and counsel. We are now pleased to submit the results of many review sessions and adjustment processes.

This budget was prepared with our eye single to the Glory of God. It is our belief that God is a God of abundance, as we become a willing and obedient people fully Consecrated to his will in our lives, the Church will indeed grow and multiply living in God's abundant life.

Respectfully submitted,

2021 Budget Committee – Terry Patience President, David VanFleet First Presidency, Michael Hogan First Presidency, W. Kevin Romer Presiding Bishopric, 2020 Board of Appropriations – First Presidency, Quorum of Twelve, Order of Bishops, President of High Priests Quorum and President of the Seventy.

<b>INCOME</b>	<b>Proposed 2021</b>	Postage/Mailing Expense	\$ 1,000
Offering	\$ 10,000	Copies/Printing Expense	\$ 5,000
Hastening Times	\$ 500	Telecommunications Expense	\$ 2,000
Tithing	\$ 280,000	Travel Expense	\$ 1,000
Total Contributions Income	\$ 290,500	Miscellaneous Expense	\$ 2,000
		<i>Total - First Presidency</i>	\$ 15,300
Miscellaneous Income		<b>MISSIONARY</b>	
Inventory sales	\$ 5,000	Missionary- in- Training	\$ 1,000
Interest Income	\$ 600		
Total Miscellaneous Income	\$ 5,600	Quorum of Twelve	
Total Income- General Church	\$ 296,100	Travel Expense	\$ 15,000
		Office Supplies Expense	\$ 450
Building Use Cost Share		Postage/Mailing Expense	\$ 900
Facility Use – Gathering Place	\$ 5,000	Copying/Printing Expense	\$ 950
Facility Use – Hdqtrs Bldg Income	\$ 500	Telecommunications Expense	\$ 1,200
Center Congregation Income	\$ 13,000	Registration Fees Misc	\$ 2,000
Lunch Partners Income	\$ 16,000	Missionary Outreach	\$ 1,250
First Congregation Income	\$ 34,000	Total- Quorum of Twelve	\$ 21,750
Total Income – Facilities	\$ 68,500	The Seventy	
		Postage/Mailing/Office Supplies	\$ 500
<b>TOTAL INCOME-</b>		Missionary Materials Expense	\$ 200
<b>GENERAL CHURCH &amp; FACILITIES</b>	<b>\$ 364,600</b>	Travel Expense	\$ 5,700
<b>EXPENSES</b>	<b>Proposed 2021</b>	Telecommunications Expense	\$ 0
<b>CHURCH STAFFING</b>		Missionary Outreach	\$ 500
Total-Salary and Benefits	\$ 92,000	Total- The Seventy	\$ 6,900
		Total- Quorum of Twelve & Seventy	\$ 28,650
<b>FIRST PRESIDENCY</b>		Total- Missionary	\$ 29,650
Computer software, supplies	\$ 2,200		
Office Supplies Expense	\$ 2,000		
Periodicals, Dues, Etc. Expense	\$ 100		

**QUORUMS AND ORDERS**

Aaronic Ministries Expense	\$	500
Melchisedec Ministries Expense	\$	500
High Priests Quorum Expense	\$	245
Order of Patriarchs Expense	\$	200
Total- Quorums and Orders	\$	1,445

**PRESIDING BISHOPRIC**

Bank Service Charge Expense	\$	4,000
Copies/Printing/Expense	\$	3,000
Corporate Fees/Registrations Exp	\$	200
Office Supplies Expense	\$	500
Postage/Mailing Expense	\$	2,000
Stewardship Materials Expense	\$	100
Telecomm./International Expense	\$	1,200
Technical Support Expense	\$	0
Travel Expense	\$	1,500
Miscellaneous Expense	\$	0
Total- Presiding Bishopric Exp	\$	12,500

**DEPARTMENTS- DIVISIONS**

History Expense	\$	100
Library Expense	\$	400
Music Department Expense	\$	200
Education Board Expense	\$	350
Women's Ministry Expense	\$	400
Youth Activities/FISH Expense	\$	200
Youth Activities/Hand. & Warr.	\$	200
Total- Departments & Divisions	\$	1,850

**MEDIA- PUBLIC RELATIONS**

Communications Expense	\$	0
Media- Website Expense	\$	1,500
Advertising Expense	\$	0
Media- Copy/Printing Expense	\$	3,000
Media- AV Equipment Expense	\$	0
Media- Equipment Expense	\$	0
Media- Miscellaneous Expense	\$	900
Media-Software Expense	\$	0
Total- Media	\$	5,400

**Publications**

Publications- Postage/Mailing	\$	900
Pub-Product Costs Expense	\$	6,000
Inland Marine/Bus/Auto Expense	\$	3,400
Workers Comp. & Crime Ins. Exp	\$	650
Other General Church Expense	\$	11,000
Child/Youth Protection Exp	\$	100
Blackgum Campgrounds Ins. Exp.	\$	1,000
Total- Insurance Services	\$	16,150
Legal Services	\$	0
Accounting and Audit	\$	2,000
Total-Other General Church Expenses	\$	18,150

Pub-Miscellaneous Expense	\$	50
Total- Publication	\$	6,950

**Hastening Times**

Office Supplies Expense	\$	350
Postage/Mailing Expense	\$	1,700
Copy/Printing Expense	\$	9,000
Graphic Arts/Misc. Expense	\$	400
Total- Hastening Times	\$	11,450

**News Briefs**

Office Supplies Expense	\$	100
Postage/Mailing Expense	\$	700
Copy/Printing Expense	\$	0
Total- News Briefs	\$	800

Total-Media-Public Relations	\$	24,600
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**OTHER GENERAL CHURCH EXPENSES****GENERAL CHURCH PROPERTIES & FACILITIES****Headquarters Building**

Building Supplies Expense	\$	300
Maintenance/Repair Expense	\$	3,000
Visitors Center Expense	\$	0
Utilities Expense	\$	45,000
Insurance Expense	\$	19,000
Internet/WiFi Expense	\$	7,000
Miscellaneous Expense	\$	200
Total- Properties-Headquarters Building		74,500

**Gathering Place**

Maintenance & Repair Expense	\$	14,000
Maint. & Repair Equipment Expense		1,600
Insurance Expense	\$	16,000
Building Supplies Expense	\$	1,500
Printing/Copies Expense	\$	0
Internet/WiFi/Action Alarm Expense		4,100
Utilities Expense	\$	38,000
Total-Gathering Place Expenses	\$	75,200

Total-Properties & Facilities Expense		149,700
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**TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES** \$ **345,195**

**NET INCOME OR LOSS** \$ **19,405**

# 2021 CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM

**Conference Dates and Registration:** Conference dates are Wednesday, June 16<sup>th</sup> (evening only), through Sunday June 20<sup>th</sup> (morning only). Registration will be open Wednesday, 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm, and 9:45 am – 11:30 am Thursday – Saturday.

**Registration Fee:** \$20.00 per household if paid before June 9<sup>th</sup>, \$25.00 if paid thereafter. For a single person the fee is \$10 before June 9<sup>th</sup> and \$15 after. Check, cash, debit and credit card payments will be accepted through any of the advance registration methods and on-site at the Conference Center. (children over 18 and living separately need to fill out a separate form)

To Register: Call 816-461-7215, or email to [twoods@theremnantchurch.com](mailto:twoods@theremnantchurch.com), or mail to:  
 The Remnant Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Conference Registration  
 700 West Lexington Ave, Independence, MO 64050

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Member? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Attending Spouse \_\_\_\_\_ Member? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Home Branch \_\_\_\_\_ Priesthood Office \_\_\_\_\_

Attending Children Names and Ages \_\_\_\_\_  
 (children cont.) \_\_\_\_\_

**Catered Lunches:** Lunches will be available in the Fellowship Hall of the Worship Center Thursday, Friday, and Saturday for \$12.00 per person, per meal. Please purchase meals in advance to ensure an accurate count for the caterers. Additional meals may not be available during conference.

**Conference Center Housing:** Housing will be available at the Conference Center for **\$8 per night, per person**, or **\$25 per night, per family**. Rooms are large with several bunk beds. Unless you are staying as a family unit, you will be assigned to a room according to gender. To reserve housing at the Conference Center you must call Remnant Church Headquarters, 816-461-7215, by Monday, May 31<sup>st</sup>. You will receive your housing assignment when you arrive at conference.

REGISTRATION SUMMARY: Registration Fee (see above) Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Lunches:** at \$12.00 per person, per meal (please indicate how many each day):

Thurs \_\_\_\_\_ Fri \_\_\_\_\_ Sat \_\_\_\_\_ .....Lunch Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Housing:** \_\_\_\_\_ Family at \$25 per night or \_\_\_\_\_ Individuals at \$8 per night per person

Thurs \_\_\_\_\_ Fri \_\_\_\_\_ Sat \_\_\_\_\_ .....Housing Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

(Please make checks payable to Remnant Church) *Grand Total:* \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Credit/Debit Card Information:**

Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount to Charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration (mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code \_\_\_\_\_