

WORLD BRIEFS

Japanese Triple Available Online

A Japanese edition of the triple combination, combining into one volume the Book of Mormon, Doctrine and Covenants, and Pearl of Great Price, is now available online at scriptures.lds.org/jpn. An audio recording is also available at the same site and will be available on CD soon. The scriptures site includes footnotes, maps, and photographs and allows readers to mark the scriptures and perform key word searches. The scriptures site now includes 19 languages.

Church Now Casting for New Testament Project

In an effort to attract participants from around the world for the LDS Motion Picture Studio's New Testament film project, the Church has created a Web site, casting.lds.org, where interested members of the Church may apply to participate as actors or extras in all Church film and video productions, including the New Testament project. Filming will begin in spring 2011 in Salt Lake City, Utah, USA, and will continue through the summer.

Youth Resource Guides Help Teachers

New resource guides supplement the Aaronic Priesthood and Young Women lesson manuals,

Aaronic Priesthood Manual 3 and *Young Women Manual 3*, for 2011. The guides provide teachers with recent general conference references, discussion questions, additional scripture references, and activity ideas that tie into and refresh the existing lessons, making them more relevant to issues youth face today. The guides are available in 27 languages at Church distribution centers or online at resourceguides.lds.org.

New DVDs Available for Study of D&C

A new set of four DVDs assists in the study of the Doctrine and Covenants and Church history. The set contains interactive charts, quotations from latter-day prophets and apostles, paintings, and learning activities. It features videos such as *Legacy*, *Mountain of the Lord*, and *Joseph Smith: The Prophet of the Restoration*, which has been showing in the Joseph Smith Memorial Building since December 2005. *Doctrine and Covenants and Church History Visual Resources DVDs* is available in English, Portuguese, and Spanish. Order online at store.lds.org or by calling 1-800-537-5971. Check with local distribution centers for availability. ■

FAMILY HOME EVENING IDEAS

This issue contains articles and activities that could be used for family home evening. The following are a few examples.

"Learning to Hear and Understand the Spirit," p. 24; and "The Spider and the Still, Small Voice," p. 68:

These articles teach us about the importance of acting on promptings of the Spirit. Before reading one of the articles out loud, invite family members to listen for ways they can recognize the Spirit.



After reading the article, you might tell about a time you felt the Holy Ghost and invite family members to do the same.

"Parables of the Lost and Found," p. 32: To teach family members the importance of seeking out those who are spiritually lost, you could play a game of hide-and-seek. After the game, read one or two stories from this article and share what you learned about seeking out those who are lost. You might want to identify neighbors or friends you can fellowship. Then discuss ways you can invite them to come back to church.

"The Gospel Is for Everyone," p. 54: This article teaches that "there is no ideal profile for a potential member of the Church." To teach this concept, consider switching labels on canned food or putting sugar in a salt shaker. Invite family members to choose a can of food to eat from or to taste the "salt." Read Elder Godoy's article. As a family, think of those with whom you could share the gospel.

"We'll Carry You!" p. 62: As a family you could read this article and discuss when family members have helped others or received service. Then think of ways to serve. You could carry out your plan as a future family home evening activity. ■