

2023 temple leadership assignments

The following new temple presidents and matrons have been called to serve by the First Presidency. Unless otherwise noted, they will begin their service in September.

ASIA AREA

Bangkok Thailand*
Wisit Khanakham and Sumamaan Khanakham

ASIA NORTH AREA

Okinawa Japan*
Hiroshi Kinjo and Takako Asato Kinjo

BRAZIL AREA

Brasília Brazil*
Raimundo Pinho and Beatriz Pinho

CARIBBEAN AREA

Port-au-Prince Haiti
Hubermann Bien Aimé and Maggy Bien Aimé

CENTRAL AMERICA AREA

San Salvador El Salvador
Emigdio T. Santos Jiminez and Maria O. Chavez de Santos

EUROPE CENTRAL AREA

Bern Switzerland
Franz R. Gaag and Faviola D. Gaag

EUROPE NORTH AREA

Helsinki Finland
Pekka Holopainen and Tarja Holopainen

Praia Cape Verde
Adriano F. Lopes and Tereinha C. Lopes

Preston England
Ian D. McKie and Julie C. McKie

MEXICO AREA

Puebla Mexico*
Francisco J. Bravo Moises and Luz Ma. G. Dávila de Bravo

Veracruz Mexico**
Juan Yáñez Velásquez and Mirna M. de Yáñez

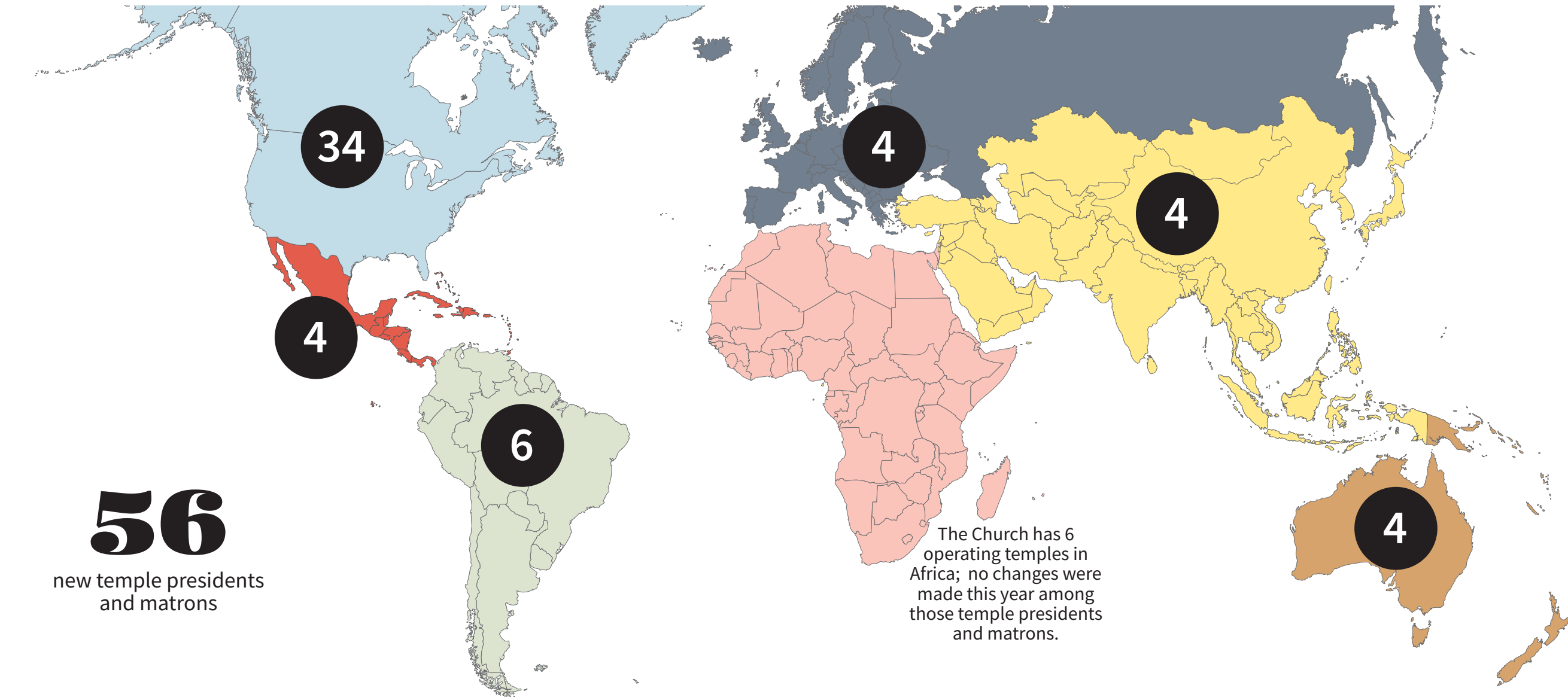
NORTH AMERICA CENTRAL AREA

Bismarck North Dakota
Guy Schiessl and Karen Schiessl

Casper Wyoming*
Millard L. Smathers and Jo Rae Smathers

Edmonton Alberta
Ron Peterson and Sherry Peterson

Meridian Idaho
Bruce E. Hobbs and Julia D. Hobbs



NORTH AMERICA NORTHEAST AREA

Detroit Michigan
Brent R. Jensen and Carolyn Jensen

Pittsburgh Pennsylvania*
J. Martin Jindra and Elizabeth Louise Jindra

Toronto Ontario
Tyrone Wong and Phoebe Wong

NORTH AMERICA SOUTHEAST AREA

Bentonville Arkansas*
Scott B. Clark and Sandra G. Clark

Columbia South Carolina

Fort Lauderdale Florida
J Vaun McArthur and Jackie McArthur

Louisville Kentucky
Michael A. Gillenwater and Sandy Gillenwater

Memphis Tennessee
Steven Ball and Donna J. Ball

Raleigh North Carolina

NORTH AMERICA SOUTHWEST AREA

Lubbock Texas
Thomas H. Ashdown and Barbara E. Ashdown

McAllen Texas*

Oklahoma City Oklahoma
Carlos Villarreal and Myrna Villarreal

Phoenix Arizona
Jeffrey F. Bellows and Marion L. Bellows

San Antonio Texas
Paul D. Sorensen and Julie Sorensen

Snowflake Arizona

Tucson Arizona

Tucson Arizona
Richard Q. Miller and Linda L. Miller

Tucson Arizona
Karl B Kern and Martha Kern

NORTH AMERICA WEST AREA

Los Angeles California
Richard L. Wirthlin and Joni J. Wirthlin

Moses Lake Washington*
Paul W. Bergeson and Debra Bergeson

Newport Beach California
Larry D Boberg and Jeanne Boberg

Vancouver British Columbia**

PACIFIC AREA

Adelaide Australia
Michael W. McIlwaine and Caroline I. McIlwaine

Apia Samoa
Uele Va'aulu and Lolini Va'aulu

Hamilton New Zealand
Lindsay T. Dil and Tina Dil

Suva Fiji**
Meli U. Lesuma and Irene L. Lesuma

PHILIPPINES AREA

Cebu City Philippines
Ciriaco G. Alfornon and Mamerta P. Alfornon

Urdaneta Philippines*
Roberto B. Yu and Ofelia Yu

SOUTH AMERICA NORTHWEST AREA

Arequipa Peru**
Jorge Garnica Pereyra and Gloria Bravo de Garnica

Bogotá Colombia
Christian Pico Castro and Victoria E. Navas de Pico

Caracas Venezuela
Abrahan E. Quero Pernaletto and Alirica Oroño de Quero

Guayaquil Ecuador
Fernando E. Calderón Gallegos and Adriana de Calderón

Lima Peru Los Olivos*
José Alfonso Li and Maritza Li Bustamante

UTAH AREA

Cedar City Utah
John W. Yardley and Pamela R. Yardley

Layton Utah*
Jay R. Bangerter and Kathleen Bangerter

Logan Utah
Jeffrey R Burbank and Kimberli Ann Burbank

Mount Timpanogos Utah
Blaine L. Butler and Lynn Butler

Ogden Utah
Kent J. Arrington and Michele Arrington

Orem Utah*
Kenneth L. Sorber and Kristy Sorber

Provo City Center**
Curtis Hoehne and Joanne Hoehne

Red Cliffs Utah*
J. Kevin Ence and Debbie Ence

Taylorville Utah*
Kenneth L. DuVall and Mary C. DuVall

Vernal Utah
Keith B. Caldwell and Rahmena Caldwell

***Service begins when temple is dedicated**
****Leaders already began service**

Note: The Church has 315 temples — dedicated, under construction or announced. Temple presidents and matrons typically serve three years. The newly called leaders listed on this page comprise the class of 2023.