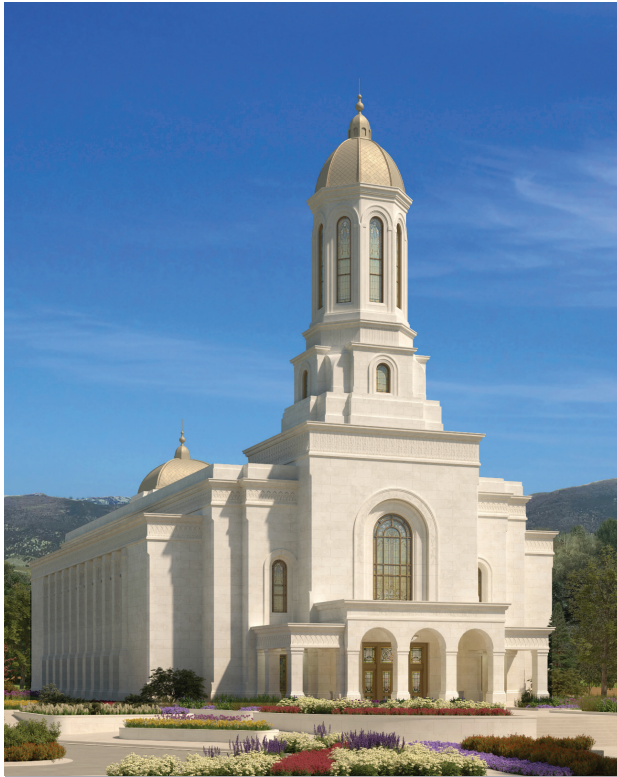


Ephraim Utah Temple Facts



Location: 200 North 400 East
Ephraim, Utah 84627

Announced: May 1, 2021

Groundbreaking: Aug. 27, 2022

Public Open House: Sept. 2-19, 2026
(excluding Sundays)

Dedication: Oct. 11, 2026

Property Size: 9.16 acres

Building Size: 41,680 square feet

Building Height: 156.67 feet
(including the spire)

Architects: Method Studio

Interior Design: Method Studio

Contractor: Westland Construction

The Ephraim Utah Temple was announced in May 2021 and will be the 27th temple dedicated in Utah and the second in Sanpete County, standing less than 10 miles north of the historic Manti Utah Temple. The temple rises in a valley settled in the mid-1800s largely by Scandinavian pioneers, and its design honors that heritage alongside the area's agricultural legacy. Wheat motifs recall the historic Ephraim Relief Society Granary, once known as the "granary of Utah," while oxeye daisy and forget-me-not blossoms — flowers long cherished in Scandinavia — reflect the cultural roots of Ephraim's early settlers. A color palette of golden yellows and varied shades of blue carries these motifs throughout the temple.

EXTERIOR FEATURES

The temple is constructed on a reinforced concrete foundation with a structural steel frame. Rising 156.67 feet from the ground to the top of the spire, it stands as a new landmark in the Sanpete Valley. The property extends over 9.16 acres, enclosed by a precast concrete and aluminum fence.

INTERIOR FEATURES

FLOORING: A custom broadloom carpet in a gold-beige tone, patterned with floral and wheat motifs, is used throughout the temple. It was designed by Method Studio and produced by Bentley Mills of City of Industry, California. In the sealing rooms and at the center of the celestial room, Half Moon Studios of Midvale, Utah, carved a custom floral pattern with wheat motifs into the white broadloom carpet surrounding the altars. Scandinavian-style area rugs feature flower and wheat motifs in predominant blues, greens and golds; they were designed by Method Studio and Draper Design Studio of Salt Lake City, Utah, and produced by Rugs International of Cartersville, Georgia.

STONE: The temple's primary stones are Botticino Classico and BS Beige in warm tones of beige, cream and gold, accented with Emperador Light, Costa Esmeralda, Sodalite, New Giallo Reale and Afyon stones quarried in Italy, Turkey, Bolivia and Brazil. The green, blue and gold accents echo the temple's palette of golden wheat tones and

Scandinavian blues. The interior stone was fabricated by Campolonghi of Italy and installed by Cleveland Marble of Cleveland, Ohio.

LIGHTING: Decorative light fixtures combine crystal, brass, cast metal and faux alabaster elements. Chandeliers by Schonbek feature the company’s exclusive Radiance crystal, prized for its optical purity, while CIANA Lighting’s fixtures are trimmed with AsFour crystal handcrafted in Cairo, Egypt. These fixtures illuminate the temple’s sacred spaces, creating an elegant atmosphere. The temple’s lighting was fabricated by Schonbek of Plattsburgh, New York; CIANA Lighting of Cedar Hills, Utah; and Hudson Valley Lighting of Wappingers Falls, New York.

MILLWORK: Quarter-cut sapele, used in both solid wood and veneer form, appears throughout the temple’s interior, with wheat and flower motifs incorporated into the millwork. Crown Custom Millwork of Phoenix, Arizona, fabricated and installed the millwork, including the crown and decorative moldings designed by Method Studio. Barrel-vaulted ceilings in the sealing rooms, celestial room and chapel were installed by Pete King Corp. of American Fork, Utah.

ART GLASS: The art glass was designed by Method Studio in collaboration with Holdman Studios of Lehi, Utah, which also fabricated the glass. Found in every exterior window and in select interior doors, the glass features shades of white, orange, yellow, green, blue and pink in patterns that follow the wheat and flower motifs woven throughout the temple’s interior and exterior design.

DOORS AND HARDWARE: The temple’s interior and exterior doors are crafted from sapele wood, fabricated and installed by Crown Custom Millwork of Phoenix, Arizona, with additional interior doors provided by Beacon Commercial Door & Lock of Salt Lake City, Utah. The door hardware features a wheat and daisy blossom motif with a stipple-textured finish and fluted handles. It was fabricated by Rocky Mountain Hardware and installed by Beacon Commercial Door & Lock.

BAPTISMAL FONT: The baptismal font railings and surround combine etched and tempered glass, bronze railings and a stained wood cap, with the temple’s floral and wheat motifs repeated in the glass and balusters. They were fabricated and installed by Sheet Metal Specialties of West Valley City, Utah.

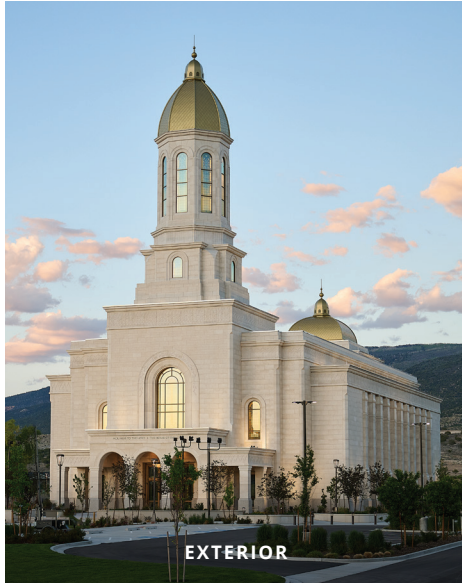
DECORATIVE PAINT: Decorative paint along the temple’s ceilings displays motifs of wheat and Scandinavian flowers. The decorative painting was done by David Horne of Cottonwood Heights, Utah, and the general painting was completed by John Petersen Painting of Orem, Utah.

ORIGINAL ARTWORK: The temple’s original artwork celebrates the landscapes and heritage of the Sanpete Valley. “Peace and Plenty” by Brad Aldridge and “A Fair View” by Michael Workman — both artists who live and work in the valley — capture its pastoral beauty, while “Buttermilk Falls” by Linda Curley Christensen depicts a waterfall the artist discovered in nearby Manti Canyon. “Adam and Eve” by Walter Rane completes the temple’s collection.



EPHRAIM UTAH TEMPLE

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EXTERIOR



FRONT DOORS DETAIL



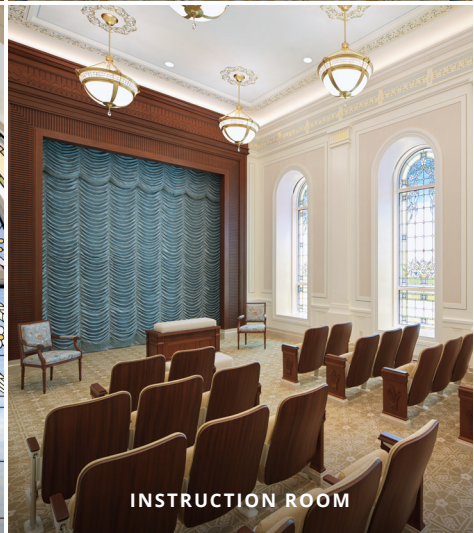
ENTRY



BAPTISTRY



STAINED GLASS DETAIL



INSTRUCTION ROOM



SEALING ROOM



CELESTIAL ROOM



BRIDE'S ROOM



ELDER TAYLOR G. GODOY

General Authority Seventy



Church Service: Elder Taylor G. Godoy was sustained as a General Authority Seventy of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints on April 1, 2017. At the time of his call, he had been serving as a member of the Fourth Quorum of the Seventy in the South America Northwest Area. He served at Church headquarters

in Salt Lake City and as the Central America Area President. He is currently serving in the South America Northwest Area Presidency.

Elder Godoy has served in numerous Church callings, including full-time missionary in the Perú Lima Mission, bishop, high councilor, stake president, area public affairs director, Area Seventy, and president of the Nevada Reno Mission from 2018 to 2020.

Professional Life: Elder Godoy received a bachelor’s degree in dentistry from the Catholic University of Santa Maria in 1993 and a master’s degree in administration from the PoliTechnical University of Madrid in 2006. He worked as a dentist in a private practice and later with Church Seminaries and Institutes as an institute coordinator, teacher, director, and country director. Most recently, he was the South America Northwest Seminaries and Institutes Area director.

Personal Life: Taylor Guillermo Godoy Atanacio was born in Lima, Peru, on July 10, 1968. He married Carol Tatiana Pacheco Agostinelli in May 1994. They are the parents of two children.



ELDER JOHN A. MCCUNE

General Authority Seventy



Church Service: Elder John A. McCune was sustained as a General Authority Seventy of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints on April 6, 2019. At the time of his call, he had been serving as an Area Seventy and a member of the Fifth Quorum of the Seventy in the

Utah South Area. He is currently serving in the Utah Area Presidency.

Elder McCune has served in a number of Church callings, including full-time missionary in the Japan Fukuoka Mission, elders quorum president, counselor in a ward Young Men presidency, counselor in a branch presidency, counselor in a bishopric, bishop, stake president and president of the Utah Provo Mission.

Professional Life: Elder McCune received a Bachelor of Science degree in finance from Brigham Young University. In 1992 he received a Master of Business Administration in finance from the University of California, Los Angeles. He worked as a senior vice president and managing director for Capitol Investment Advisors from 1997 to 2012, at which time he was called to serve as a mission president.

Personal Life: John Allen McCune was born in Santa Cruz, California, on June 20, 1963. He married Debbra Ellen Kingsbury in 1984. They are the parents of four children.



ELDER K. BRETT NATTRESS

General Authority Seventy



Church Service: Elder K. Brett Nattress was sustained as a General Authority Seventy of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints on April 2, 2016. At the time

of his call, he had been serving as president of the Arizona Gilbert Mission. Elder Nattress currently serves at Church headquarters. He previously served for five years in the Pacific Area Presidency.

Elder Nattress has served in numerous Church callings, including full-time missionary in the California Sacramento Mission, ward Young Men president, bishop, stake Young Men president, stake president, Area Seventy and mission president.

Professional Life: Elder Nattress attended Brigham Young University and received a Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Utah in 1990. He was employed in health-care administration as cofounder and president of Advanced Health Care Corporation.

Personal Life: Kevin Brett Nattress was born in Pocatello, Idaho, on March 4, 1965. He married Shawna Lee Adamson in April 1987. They are the parents of seven children.



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385 TEMPLES: DEDICATED, UNDER CONSTRUCTION, AND ANNOUNCED

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