Information for the Temple Studies Conference, Passion and Passover, March 30, 2015, at BYU's Hinckley Center, Provo, Utah.

Driving directions:

From the north, exit I-15 at Exit 269, University Parkway. Follow University Parkway to the east to BYU campus. The Stadium parking lot is just west of University Avenue.

From the south, exit I-15 at Exit 263 (University Avenue). Follow University Avenue north and turn on University Parkway to go to the Stadium parking.

Parking:

Recommended parking is at the Stadium or the visitor parking at the BYU Museum of Art. Both are free.

Stadium: Lot 48, immediately south of Lavell Edwards Stadium, under the scoreboard. This parking lot should have space available all during the day. A free SHUTTLE will be provided between this lot and the Hinckley Center before and after each session. If you don't see the shuttle, call Jennifer at 801-422-8658. If you prefer to walk, it is a ten minute walk to the Hinckley Center.

Visitor Parking at the BYU Museum of Art: On Campus Drive. Enter just east of the BYU administration building (ASB, Abraham Smoot Building). This lot usually fills up during the day but will likely have plenty of space at 9 am. It is a five minute walk to the Hinckley Center.

If you have a handicap hangtag or plate, you may park in any lot marked "A." The closest is across the street from the Hinckley Center. This is Lot 16 and is adjacent to the Jesse Knight Building (JKB). Use the regular spaces; do not use any specially marked places such as "Service Vehicle" parking. This lot fills up by 9:15 am, but if you arrive later in the day you may find a spot. The "A" lot and garage north of the Tanner building is also close by.

No one attending the conference should park in the few parking spots reserved for visitors to the Hinckley Center. See the attached map or go to map.byu.edu.

Lunch:

Food court restaurants are available at the Wilkinson Center. A nearby soup and sandwich deli is the Tanner Building Blue Line deli.

Or preorder a Kneaders box lunch on the registration site. This is a half-cafe turkey sandwich, green salad, brownie, grapes, and bottled water. Preorder by March 25. Lunches will be delivered to the Hinckley Center third floor room.

Schedule:

Registration is free. The event begins at 8:45. Please arrive between 8:15 and 8:40.

Jesus and Temple: Passion and Passover

- 8:45 Welcome, John W. Welch (Brigham Young University)
- 9:00 James H. Charlesworth (Princeton University), "Passion and Passover: Devotion and Worship in the Temple that Jesus Knew"
- 9:55-10:15 Panel Discussion and Audience Questions
- 10:15-10:30 Break
- 10:30-11:30 Dan Bahat (University of St. Michael's College, Toronto), "Experiencing the Temple at Passover"
- 11:30-12:00 Panel Responses and Audience Questions Lunch break
- 1:00-1:50 Gary Rendsburg (Rutgers University), "The Psalms as Hymns in the Jerusalem Temple—at Passover and throughout the Year"
- 1:50-2:00 Audience Ouestions
- 2:00-2:50 George Zervos (University of North Carolina, Wilmington), "New Light on an Early Jewish-Christian Temple Source"
- 2:50-3:00 Audience Questions
- 3:00-4:00 Concluding Comments by James H. Charlesworth, Panel Responses and Audience Questions

Recommended Reading:

All of the speakers have contributed to the book *Jesus and Temple: Textual and Archeological Explorations*, edited by James Charlesworth. We recommend reading the book before the conference in order to make the most of this opportunity to learn from these scholars. It is available on Amazon.