

# ***WHICH GROUP?***

## **LATER DAY SAINTS (MORMON)**



NAME OF ORIGINATOR: Joseph Smith in Massachusetts  
 DATE ESTABLISHED: 1831

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SALVATION:

ALL WILL BE SAVED:

SALVATION BY FAITH ONLY:

SECOND CHANCE FOR SALVATION AFTER DEATH:

BELIEVE THAT YOU CANNOT FALL FROM GRACE:

PREDESTINATION TO SALVATION:

CANNOT FALL FROM GRACE:

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BAPTISM:

BAPTISM NOT ESSENTIAL:

SPRINKLING OR POURING ACCEPTABLE:

BAPTISM OF INFANTS:

BAPTISM OF THE HOLY SPIRIT:

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ORGANIZATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS:

MAN'S NAME FOR CHURCH:

LOCAL CHURCH NOT UNDER CONTROL OF LOCAL ELDERS

CALLS HUMANS "FATHER" OR REVEREND:

INFALLIBILITY OF A COUNCIL OR A MEMBER:

CELIBACY OF PRIESTHOOD:

SPECIAL DRESS OF PRIESTHOOD:

PROBATION PERIOD FOR NEW MEMBERS:

VOTE TO ACCEPT NEW MEMBERS:

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DETERMINATION OF BELIEFS:

CONTEMPORARIES CAN UPDATE BIBLE:

USE OF A CHURCH CREED:

SUBJECT TO PART OF THE OLD LAW:

TRADITIONS OF THE CHURCH EQUAL TO BIBLE IN  
 DETERMINING WHAT IS CORRECT TO BELIEVE

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THE END

KINGDOM NOT ESTABLISHED

PREMILLENNIALISM

RAPTURE

THERE IS NO HELL

PURIFICATION IN PURGATORY

CHRIST NOT RESURRECTED

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<u>MISCELLANEOUS:</u>			
HOMOSEXUALITY IS ACCEPTABLE CONDUCT	_____	_____	_____
USE OF INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC	_____	_____	_____
WOMEN ADDRESSING MEN AT SERVICE	_____	_____	_____
DIVORCE AND REMARRIAGE WITHOUT ADULTERY	_____	_____	_____
PROPHECY DATE OF CHRIST'S RETURN	_____	_____	_____
MIRACULOUS GIFTS TODAY	_____	_____	_____
CELEBRATE RELIGIOUS HOLIDAYS	_____	_____	_____
WORSHIP OF DEPARTED SAINTS	_____	_____	_____
DENIAL THAT LIVING CHRISTIANS ARE SAINTS	_____	_____	_____
TEACH TO ABSTAIN FROM CERTAIN FOODS	_____	_____	_____
ABSOLUTION (FORGIVENESS OF SINS BY PRIEST)	_____	_____	_____
DO NOT TAKE COMMUNION ON THE FIRST DAY OF EACH WK.	<u>  </u> Y <u>  </u>	<u>  </u> A <u>  </u>	<u>  </u> 81 <u>  </u>
TRANSUBSTANTIATION (BREAD AND WINE BECOME LITERAL BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST)	_____	_____	_____
REQUIRE REGULAR CONFESSION TO ANOTHER PERSON	_____	_____	_____
PENANCE	_____	_____	_____

### REFERENCE BOOKS:

A. Churches of Today in the light of the Scriptures, L.G. Tomlinson

### NOTES:

1. Prophetied Christ would return in 1843, 1844, 1845, A, p. 76
2. Two laws given to Moses at Sinai, the ten commandments and another privately given to Moses relating only to ceremonial duties. A, p. 76
3. We are required to keep the Sabbath, A, p. 78
4. In 2019 the President of the Church of Christ of the Latter Day Saints received a "game changing divine revelation" that church members should no longer call themselves Mormons or use the shorthand "LDS". They should now be called "members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints" or the shorter version "Latter-day Saints".
5. Liquor, tobacco, tea, and coffee were prohibited in 1833. A clarification was made in 2012 when Presidential Candidate Mitt Romney was seen drinking a Diet Coke, that the church has no rule against caffeine itself (Houston Chronicle Aug 25, 2019, p. F2).