

El Shaddai Ministries welcomes you to your Sabbath

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Behar/Bechukotai

“On the Mount/In His Statutes”

Leviticus 25:1-26:2

Jeremiah 32:6-27

Luke 4:14-22



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Service Hours:

First Service: 9:00 AM – 11:15 AM

Second Service: 11:45 AM – 2:00 PM

Children & Teen Classes

Second Service

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M-TH: 9:30AM-4PM PT

Friday: 9:30AM-2PM PT

TORAH PORTION

Leviticus 25:1,2 The LORD said to Moses **in Mount Sinai**, Speak to the children of Israel, and tell them, When you come into the land which I give you, then the land shall keep a Sabbath to the LORD.

Psalm 24:1 The earth is the LORD'S, and the fulness thereof, the world, and they that dwell therein.

Revelation 21:16,17 And the city lieth foursquare, and the length is as large as the breadth: And he measured the city with the reed, twelve thousand furlongs. The length and the breadth and the height of it are equal. And he measured the wall thereof, an hundred and forty and four cubits, according to the measure of a man, that is, of the angel.

Leviticus 25:3,4 Six years you shall sow your field, and six years you shall prune your vineyard, and gather in its fruits, but in the seventh year there shall be a Sabbath of solemn rest for the land, a Sabbath to the LORD. You shall not sow your field or prune your vineyard.

Leviticus 25:6,7 And the Sabbath of the land will give food for you and your man-servant and your woman-servant and those working for payment, and for those of another country who are living among you, And for your cattle and the beasts on the land, all the natural increase of the land will be for food.

Exodus 23:10,11 For six years put seed into your fields and get in the increase, But in the seventh year let the land have a rest and be unplanted, so that the poor may have food from it: and let the wildlife take the rest. Do the same with your vine-gardens and your olive-trees.

Leviticus 25:8,9 And **you shall count** seven sabbaths of years for yourself, seven times seven years, and the time of the seven sabbaths of years shall be to you forty-nine years. Then you shall sound the loud shofar on the tenth day of the seventh month. On **the**

Day of Atonement you shall sound the shofar throughout all your land.

Leviticus 25:10-13 And ye shall hallow the fiftieth year, and **proclaim liberty throughout the land unto all the inhabitants thereof**, it shall

be a **jubilee** unto you, and ye shall return every man unto his possession, and ye shall return every man unto his family. A jubilee shall that fiftieth year be unto you, ye shall not sow, neither reap that which groweth of itself in it, nor gather the grapes in it of the undressed vines. For it is a jubilee, it shall be holy unto you, ye shall eat the increase thereof out of the field. **In this year of jubilee ye shall return every man unto his possession.**

Leviticus 25:23 The land shall not be sold forever: For the land **is mine**, for you are strangers and **sojourners with me.**

Jeremiah 16:14-16 Therefore, behold, the days come, saith the LORD, that it shall no more be said, The LORD liveth, that brought up the children of Israel out of the land of Egypt, But, The LORD liveth, that brought up the children of Israel from the land of the north, and from all the lands whither he had driven them: and I will bring them again into their land that I gave unto their fathers. Behold, I will send for many fishers, saith the LORD, and they shall fish them, and after will I send for many hunters, and they shall hunt them from every mountain, and from every hill, and out of the holes of the rocks.

Jeremiah 34:12-16 The word of the LORD came to Jeremiah from the LORD: Thus says the LORD, the God of Israel: I myself made a covenant with your fathers when I brought them out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, saying, At the end of seven years each of you must set free the fellow Hebrew who has been sold to you and has served you six years, you must set him free from your service. But your fathers did not listen to me or incline their ears to me. You recently repented and did what was right in my eyes by **proclaiming liberty**, each to his neighbor, and you made a covenant before me in the house that is called by my name, but then

you turned around and profaned my name when each of you took back his male and female slaves, whom you had set free according to their desire, and you brought them into subjection to be your slaves.

1 Samuel 12:16-19 Now therefore, stand and see this great thing which the Lord will do before your eyes: Is today not the wheat harvest? I will call to the Lord, and He will send thunder and rain, that you may perceive and see that your wickedness is great, which you have done in the sight of the Lord, in asking a king for yourselves. So Samuel called to the Lord, and the Lord sent thunder and rain that day, and all the people greatly feared the Lord and Samuel. And all the people said to Samuel, Pray for your servants to the Lord your God, that we may not die, for we have added to all our sins the evil of asking a king for ourselves.

Leviticus 25:17-19 You shall not wrong one another, but you shall fear your God: For I am the LORD your God. Therefore you shall do my statutes, and keep my ordinances and do them, and you shall dwell in the land in safety. The land shall yield its fruit, and you shall eat your fill, and dwell therein in safety.

Leviticus 25:20,21 And if ye shall say, What shall we eat the seventh year? behold, we shall not sow, nor gather in our increase: Then I will command my blessing upon you in the sixth year, and it shall bring forth fruit **for three years**.

Exodus 23:10-12 And six years thou shalt sow thy land, and shalt gather in the fruits thereof: But the seventh year thou shalt let it rest and lie still, **that the poor of thy people may eat: And what they leave the beasts of the field shall eat.** In like manner thou shalt deal with thy vineyard, and with thy oliveyard. Six days thou shalt do thy work, and on the **seventh day thou shalt rest**.

Leviticus 25:25-28 If your brother becomes poor, and has to give up some of his land for money, his nearest relation may come and get back that which his brother has given up. And if he has no one to get it back for him, and later he himself gets wealth and has

enough money to get it back, Then let him take into account the years from the time when he gave it up and make up the loss for the rest of the years to him who took it, and so get back his property. But if he is not able to get it back for himself, then it will be kept by him who gave a price for it, **till the year of Jubilee, and in that year it will go back to its first owner and he will have his property again.**

Leviticus 25:35 If one of your brethren becomes poor, and falls into poverty among you, then you shall help him, like a stranger or a sojourner, that he may live with you.

Leviticus 25:39-41 And if **one of your brethren who dwells by you becomes poor**, and sells himself to you, you shall not compel him to serve as a slave. As a hired servant and a sojourner he shall be with you, and shall serve you until the Year of Jubilee. And then he shall depart from you he and his children with him and shall return to his own family. He shall return to the possession of his fathers.

Leviticus 25:47,48 Now if a sojourner or **stranger close to you becomes rich**, and one of your brethren who dwells by him becomes poor, and sells himself to the stranger or sojourner close to you, or to a member of the stranger's family, after he is sold he may be redeemed again. One of his brothers may redeem him.

Leviticus 25:54,55 And if he is not redeemed in these years, then **he shall be released in the Year of Jubilee he and his children with him. For the children of Israel are servants to Me**, they are My servants whom I brought out of the land of Egypt: I am the Lord your God.

Luke 4:16-21 And he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up. And as was his custom, he went to the **synagogue on the Sabbath day**, and he stood up to read. And the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written, The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me

to proclaim liberty to the captives and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty those who are oppressed, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor. And he rolled up the scroll and gave it back to the attendant and sat down. And the eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. And he began to say to them, Today this Scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing.

Bechukotai (In My Statutes)

Leviticus 26:3 If you walk in my statutes, and keep my commandments, and do them.

Leviticus 26:4 Then **I will give you rain in due season**, and the land shall yield her increase, and the **trees of the field shall yield their fruit**.

Leviticus 26:5b-8 And there will **be bread in full measure**, and you will be living in your land **safely**. **I will give peace in the land**, and you shall lie down, and none shall make you afraid. And **I will remove harmful beasts** from the land, and **the sword** shall not go through your land. You shall chase your enemies, and they shall fall before you by the sword. **Five of you shall chase a hundred, and a hundred of you shall chase ten thousand**, and your enemies shall fall before you by the sword.

Deuteronomy 28:1,2 And it shall come to pass, if thou shalt hearken diligently unto the voice of the LORD thy God, to **observe and to do** all his commandments which I command thee this day, that the LORD thy God will set thee on high above all nations of the earth: And all these blessings shall come on thee, **and overtake thee**, if thou shalt hearken unto the voice of the LORD thy God.

Deuteronomy 28:8-10 The LORD shall command the blessing upon thee in thy storehouses, and in all that thou settest thine hand unto, and he shall bless thee in the land which the LORD thy God giveth thee. The LORD shall establish thee a holy people unto himself, as he hath sworn unto thee, if thou shalt keep the commandments of the LORD thy God, and walk in his ways. And

all people of the earth shall see that thou art called by the name of the LORD, and they shall be afraid of thee.

Leviticus 26:11,12 And I set my tabernacle among you: And my soul shall not abhor you. And **I will walk among you**, and will be your God, and you shall be my people.

Deuteronomy 23:12-14 You shall have a place outside the camp, and you shall go out to it. And you shall have a **trowel with your tools, and when you sit down outside**, you shall dig a hole with it and turn back and cover up your excrement. Because **the LORD your God walks in the midst of your camp**, to deliver you and to give up your enemies before you, therefore your camp **must be holy**, so that he may not see anything indecent among you and turn away from you.

Leviticus 26:13 I am the LORD your God, which brought you forth out of the land of Egypt, that you should not be their slaves, **and I have broken the bands of your yoke**, and made you go upright.

Ezekiel 34:22-24 Therefore will I save my flock, and they shall no more be a prey, and I will judge between cattle and cattle. And I will set up one shepherd over them, and he shall feed them, even my servant David, he shall feed them, and he shall be their shepherd. And I the LORD will be their God, and my servant David a prince among them, I the LORD have spoken it.

Ezekiel 34:25-31 And I will make with them a covenant of peace, and will cause the **evil beasts to cease** out of the land: And they shall **dwelt safely** in the wilderness, and sleep in the woods. And I will make them and the places round about my hill a blessing, and I will cause the **shower to come down in his season**, there shall be **showers of blessing**. And the **tree of the field shall yield her fruit**, and the earth shall yield her increase, and they shall **be safe** in their land, and shall know that I am the LORD, when **I have broken the bands of their yoke**, and delivered them out of the hand of those that served themselves of them. **And they shall no more be a prey to the heathen, neither shall the beast of the land devour them, but they**

shall dwell safely, and none shall make them afraid. And I will raise up for them a plant of renown, and they shall be **no more consumed with hunger** in the land, neither bear the shame of the heathen anymore. Thus shall they know that I the LORD their God am with them, and that they, even the house of Israel, are my people, said the Lord GOD. And you my flock, **the flock of my pasture, are men**, and I am your God, said the Lord GOD.

Leviticus 26:14-19 But if you will not listen to me, and will **not do all these commandments**, And if you shall **despise my statutes**, or if your soul **abhor my judgments**, so that you will not do all my commandments, but that you **break my covenant**: I also will do this to you, **I will** even **appoint over you terror**, consumption, and the burning ague, that shall consume the eyes, and cause sorrow of heart: And you shall sow your seed in vain, for your enemies shall eat it. And **I will** set my face against you, and you shall be slain before your enemies: They that hate you shall reign over you, and you shall flee when no one pursues you. And if you will not yet for all this listen to me, then **I will punish you seven times more** for your sins. And **I will** break the pride of your power, and **I will** make your heaven as iron, and your earth as brass.

Leviticus 26:20,21 And your strength shall be spent in vain: For your land shall not yield her increase, neither shall the trees of the land yield their fruits. And if ye walk contrary unto me, and will not hearken unto me, **I will** bring **seven times** more plagues upon you according to your sins.

Leviticus 26:22-24 **I will** also send **wild beasts** among you, which shall rob you of your children, and destroy your cattle, and make you few in number, and your highways shall be desolate. And if ye will not be reformed by me by these things, but will walk contrary unto me, Then **will I** also walk contrary unto you, and will punish you yet **seven times for your sins**.

Leviticus 26:25 And **I will** bring a **sword** upon you, that shall avenge the quarrel of my covenant: And when ye are gathered together within your cities, **I will** send the pestilence among you,

and ye shall be delivered into the hand of the enemy.

Leviticus 26:26-28 And when **I have broken the staff of your bread**, ten women shall bake your bread in one oven, and they shall deliver you your bread again by weight: And ye shall eat, and not be satisfied. And if ye will not for all this hearken unto me, but walk contrary unto me, Then **I will** walk contrary unto you also in fury, and **I, even I, will chastise you seven times for your sins.**

Leviticus 26:29-31 And ye shall eat the flesh of your sons, and the flesh of your daughters shall ye eat. And **I will** destroy your high places, and cut down your images, and cast your carcases upon the carcases of your idols, and my soul shall abhor you. And **I will** make your cities waste, and bring your sanctuaries unto desolation, and **I will** not smell the savour of your sweet odors.

Jeremiah 19:8,9 And I will make this city desolate, and a hissing, every one that passeth thereby **shall be astonished** and hiss because of all the plagues thereof. And **I will cause them to eat the flesh of their sons and the flesh of their daughters, and they shall eat every one the flesh of his friend** in the siege and straitness, wherewith their enemies, and they that seek their lives, shall straiten them.

Deuteronomy 28:36,37 The LORD shall bring thee, and thy king which thou shalt set over thee, unto a nation which neither thou nor thy fathers have known, and there shalt thou serve other gods, wood and stone. And thou **shalt become an astonishment**, a proverb, and a byword, among all nations whither the LORD shall lead thee.

Leviticus 26:32-34 And **I will** bring the land into desolation: And your enemies which dwell therein shall be **astonished** at it. And **I will** scatter you among the heathen, and will draw out a sword after you: And your land shall be desolate, and your cities waste. Then **shall the land enjoy her sabbaths**, as long as it lieth desolate, and ye be in your enemies' land, even then shall **the land rest and enjoy her sabbaths.**

Leviticus 26:35-39 As long as it lieth desolate it shall rest, **because it did not rest in your sabbaths**, when ye dwelt upon it. And upon them that are left alive of you **I will** send a faintness into their hearts in the lands of their enemies, and the sound of a shaken leaf shall chase them, and they shall flee, as fleeing from a sword, and they shall fall when none pursueth. And they shall fall one upon another, as it were before a sword, when none pursueth: And ye shall have no power to stand before your enemies. And ye shall perish among the heathen, and the land of your enemies shall eat you up. And they that are left of you shall pine away in their iniquity in your enemies' lands, and also in the iniquities of their fathers shall they pine away with them.

2 Chronicles 36:20,21 And them that had escaped from the sword carried he away to Babylon, where they were servants to him and his sons until the reign of the kingdom of Persia: To fulfil the word of the LORD by the mouth of Jeremiah, **until the land had enjoyed her sabbaths**: For as long as she lay desolate she kept sabbath, to fulfil threescore and ten years.

Leviticus 26:40-42 **If they shall confess their iniquity**, and the iniquity of their fathers, with their trespass which they trespassed against me, and that also they have walked contrary to me, And that I also have walked contrary to them, and have brought them into the land of their enemies, if then their uncircumcised hearts be humbled, and they then accept of the punishment of their iniquity: **Then will I remember my covenant** with Jacob, and also **my covenant** with Isaac, and also **my covenant** with Abraham will I remember, and I will remember the land.

1 John 1:9 **If we confess our sins**, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Leviticus 26:44 And yet for all that, when they be in the land of their enemies, **I will not** cast them away, neither will I abhor them, to destroy them utterly, and to **break my covenant with them**: For I am the LORD their God.

Leviticus 26:45 But I will for their sakes remember the covenant of their ancestors, whom I brought forth out of the land of Egypt in the sight of the heathen, that I might be their God: I am the LORD.

Ezekiel 34:11,12 For thus saith the Lord GOD, Behold, I, even I, will both search my sheep, and seek them out. As a shepherd seeketh out his flock in the day that he is among his sheep that are scattered, so will I seek out my sheep, and will deliver them out of all places where they have been scattered in the cloudy and dark day.

Ezekiel 34:15,16 I will feed my flock, and I will cause them to lie down, saith the Lord GOD. I will seek that which was lost, and bring again that which was driven away, and will bind up that which was broken, and will strengthen that which was sick: But I will destroy the fat and the strong, I will feed them with judgment.

John 10:11-14 I am the good shepherd: The good shepherd giveth his life for the sheep. But he that is an hireling, and not the shepherd, whose own the sheep are not, seeth the wolf coming, and leaveth the sheep, and fleeth: And the wolf catcheth them, and scattereth the sheep. The hireling fleeth, because he is an hireling, and careth not for the sheep. I am the good shepherd, and know my sheep, and am known of mine.

John 10:16 And other sheep I have, which are not of this fold: Them also I must bring, and they shall hear my voice, and there shall be one-fold, and one shepherd.

<u>Announcements</u>	
Tuesday	Prayer Team meets for prayer and Worship 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM.
Thursday	Manna Time – Senior Torah Study 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM.
Saturday	Torah Club will be held after services at 2:30 PM.
Sunday, June 1 st	Come join us at Owen Beach Picnic Shelter for our Shavuot Picnic at 11:00 AM!! El Shaddai will provide the main dish and please feel free to bring a side dish to share!! We look forward to seeing you there!!
Genesis is Here!!	The book of Genesis has arrived and is available for sale in our bookstore and on our website at esm.us for \$39.95.
New 2025/2026 Calendar Has Arrived!	The New 2025/2026 Calendar Understanding the Biblical Times and Seasons is now available for \$12.00 each! Available in our Book store and on our website at esm.us.
New USB	Available now is our new Torah 2023/2024 USB which also includes Erev Shabbat, The Passover Haggadah, 2024/2025 Calendar Download, Spots, Wrinkles and Blemishes and more!! Purchase at esm.us for \$24.95.
Israel Trip	Join Pastor Mark on his Israel Tour scheduled for the October 19 th – 30 th , 2025. Sign up now at and view the itinerary at Yoshertours.com or our website at esm.us.
Saudi Arabia Trip	Join us for an amazing tour to Saudi Arabia, April 5 th – 14 th , 2026 to tour the altar of the golden calf, Mt. Moriah, the split stone and more!! Contact Giomi Emerson at giomi@esm.us or info@esm.us for more information and to be on the list at 253-862-8010 ext: 112.
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