

El Shaddai Ministries welcomes you to your Sabbath

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Nitzavim

“Standing”

Deuteronomy 29:10-31:30

Isaiah 61-63

John 12:41-50



Pastor Mark Biltz

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

Exodus 7:7 And Moses was **fourscore years old**, and Aaron fourscore and three years old, when they spoke unto Pharaoh.

Deuteronomy 1:3 And it came to pass in the **fortieth year, in the eleventh month, on the first day of the month**, that Moses spoke unto the children of Israel, according unto all that the LORD had given him in commandment unto them.

Deuteronomy 31:1,2 **And Moses went** and spoke these words to all Israel. And he said to them, **I am an hundred and twenty years old this day**.

Deuteronomy 34:7 And Moses was an **hundred and twenty years old when he died**: His eye was not dim, nor his natural force abated. And the children of Israel wept for Moses in the plains of Moab **thirty days**: So the days of weeping and mourning for Moses were ended.

Joshua 1:10,11 Then Joshua commanded the officers of the people, saying, Pass through the host, and command the people, saying, Prepare you victuals, for within **three days ye shall pass over this Jordan**, to go in to possess the land, which the LORD your God giveth you to possess it.

Joshua 4:19 And the people came up out of Jordan on the **tenth day of the first month**, and encamped in Gilgal, in the east border of Jericho.

Deuteronomy 29:10-15 **You stand today**, all of you, before the LORD your God, your captains of your tribes, your elders, and your officers, all the men of Israel, your little ones, your wives, and your **stranger** that is in your camp, from the cutter of your wood to the drawer of your water, so that **you should enter into covenant** with the LORD your God, and into His oath, which the LORD your God makes you **today**, that He may establish you **today** for a people to Himself, and that He may be a God to you, as He has said to you, and as He has

sworn to your fathers, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob. Nor do I make this covenant and this oath with you only, but with him who stands here with us *today* before the LORD our God, and also with him that is not here with us *today*.

Deuteronomy 29:19 And it come to pass, when he heareth the words of this curse, that he bless himself in his heart, saying, I shall have peace, though I walk in the imagination of mine heart, to add drunkenness to thirst.

Deuteronomy 29:20,21 The LORD will not spare him, but then the anger of the LORD and his jealousy shall smoke against that man, and all the curses that are written in this book shall lie upon him, and the LORD shall blot out his name from under heaven. And the LORD shall separate him unto evil out of all the tribes of Israel, according to all the curses of the covenant that are written in this book of the law.

Deuteronomy 29:24-28 Even all nations shall say, Wherefore hath the LORD done thus unto this land? What meaneth the heat of this great anger? Then men shall say, Because they have forsaken the covenant of the LORD God of their fathers, which he made with them when he brought them forth out of the land of Egypt: For they went and served other gods, and worshipped them, gods whom they knew not, and whom he had not given unto them: And the anger of the LORD was kindled against this land, to bring upon it all the curses that are written in this book: And the LORD rooted them out of their land in anger, and in wrath, and in great indignation, and cast them into another land, as it is this day.

Deuteronomy 29:29 The secret things belong unto the LORD our God: But those things which are revealed belong unto us and to our children forever, that we may **do all the words of this law.**

Deuteronomy 30:1 And it shall be when all these things have come on you, the blessing and the curse which I have set before you, and when you shall call them to mind לִבְּכֶם among all the nations where the LORD your God has driven you.

Deuteronomy 30:2 And shall return שׁוּב to the LORD your God and shall obey His voice according to all that I command you today, you and your sons, with all your heart, and with all your soul.

Deuteronomy 30:3,4 Then the LORD your God will turn שׁוּב your captivity. And He will have compassion on you, and will return שׁוּב and gather you from all the nations where the LORD your God has scattered you. If you are driven out into the outermost parts of the heavens, the LORD your God will gather you from there, and He will bring you from there.

Deuteronomy 30:5 And the LORD your God will bring you into the land which your fathers possessed, and you shall possess it. And He will do you good, and multiply you above your fathers.

Deuteronomy 30:6 And the LORD your God **will circumcise your heart and the heart** of your seed, to love the LORD your God with **all your heart and with all your soul**, so that you may live.

Deuteronomy 30:7-10 And the LORD your God will **put all these curses on your foes and enemies who persecuted you.** And you shall again obey the voice of the LORD and keep all his commandments that I command you today. The LORD your God will make you abundantly prosperous in all the work of your hand, in the fruit of your womb and in the fruit of your cattle and in the fruit of your ground. For the LORD will again take delight in prospering you, as he took delight in your fathers, when you obey the voice of the LORD your God, to keep his commandments and his statutes that are written in this Book of the Law, when **you turn to the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul.**

Deuteronomy 30:11-16 For this commandment that I command you today is not too hard for you, neither is it far off. It is not in heaven, that you should say, Who will ascend to heaven for us and bring it to us, that we may hear it and do it? Neither is it beyond the sea, that you should say, Who will go over the sea for us and bring it to us, that we may hear it and do it? But the word is very near you. It is in your mouth and in your heart, so that you can do it. See, I have

set before you today life and good, death and evil. If you obey the commandments of the LORD your God that I command you today, by loving the LORD your God, by walking in his ways, and by keeping his commandments and his statutes and his rules, then you shall live and multiply, and the LORD your God will bless you in the land that you are entering to take possession of it.

Deuteronomy 30:19,20 I call heaven and earth to witness against you today, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and curse. Therefore choose life, that you and your offspring may live, loving the LORD your God, obeying his voice and holding fast to him, for he is your life and length of days, that you may dwell in the land that the LORD swore to your fathers, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, to give them.

Deuteronomy 31:6-8 Be strong and of good courage, fear not, nor be affrighted at them, for the LORD thy God, He it is that doth go with thee, He will not fail thee, nor forsake thee. And Moses called unto Joshua, and said unto him in the sight of all Israel: **Be strong and of good courage**, for thou shalt go with this people into the land which the LORD hath sworn unto their fathers to give them, and thou shalt cause them to inherit it. And the LORD, He it is that doth go before thee, He will be with thee, He will not fail thee, neither forsake thee, fear not, neither be dismayed.

Deuteronomy 31:10-12 And Moses commanded them, saying, At **the end of every seven years**, in the solemnity of **the year of release**, in **the feast of tabernacles**, When all Israel is come to appear before the LORD your God in the place which he shall choose, you shall read this law before all Israel in their hearing. Gather the people together, men and women, and children, **and your stranger** that is within your gates, that they may hear, and that they may learn, and fear the LORD your God, and **to do all the words of this law**.

Deuteronomy 31:17-19 Then my anger shall be kindled against them in that day, and I will forsake them, and I will hide my face from them, and they shall be devoured, and many evils and troubles shall come on them, so that they will say in that day, Haven't these evils come on us

because our God is not among us? I will surely hide my face in that day for all the evil which they shall have worked, in that they are turned to other gods. Now therefore write this song for yourselves, and teach it to the children of Israel: put it in their mouths, that this song may be a witness for me against the children of Israel.

Deuteronomy 31:20-23 For when **I have brought them into the land** flowing with milk and honey, which I swore to give to their fathers, and they have eaten and are full and grown fat, they will turn to other gods and serve them, and despise me and break my covenant. And when *many evils and troubles have come upon them*, this song shall confront them as a witness (for it will live unforgotten in the mouths of their offspring). For I know what they are inclined to do even today, before I have brought them into the land that I swore to give. So Moses wrote this song the same day and taught it to the people of Israel. And he gave Joshua the son of Nun a charge, and said: Be strong and of good courage, for thou shalt bring the children of Israel into the land which I swore unto them; and I will be with thee.

Deuteronomy 31:28-30 Gather to me all the elders of your tribes, and your officers, that I may speak these words in their ears, and call heaven and earth to record against them. **For I know that after my death** you will utterly corrupt yourselves, and turn aside from the way which I have commanded you; and evil will befall you in the latter days, because you will do evil in the sight of the LORD, to provoke him to anger through the work of your hands. And **Moses spoke in the ears of all the congregation of Israel the words of this song, until they were ended.**

Isaiah 61:4,5 And they shall build the old wastes, they shall raise up the former desolations, and they shall repair the waste cities, the desolations of many generations. And strangers shall stand and feed your flocks, and the sons of the alien shall be your plowmen and your vinedressers.

Isaiah 61:8,9 For I the Lord love judgment, I hate robbery for burnt offering, and I will direct their work in truth, and I will make an everlasting covenant with them. And **their seed shall be known**

among the Gentiles, and their offspring among the people: All that see them shall acknowledge them, that **they are the seed** which the Lord hath blessed.

Isaiah 62:10-12 Go through, Go through the gates! Prepare the way for the people, Build up, Build up the highway! Take out the stones, Lift up a banner for the peoples! Indeed the LORD has proclaimed to the end of the world: Say to the daughter of Zion, Surely your **salvation(Yeshua) is coming**, Behold, His reward is with Him, And His work before Him. And they shall call them The Holy People, The Redeemed of the LORD, And you shall be called Sought Out, A City Not Forsaken.

Revelation 22:12 And, behold, I come quickly and my reward is with me, to give every man according as his work shall be. I am the Aleph and the Tav, the beginning and the end, the first and the last.

**THE GREAT TRANSITION
FROM GOD AS THEIR KING TO A HUMAN KING
I / II SAMUEL – 80 years**

Judges 3:7,8a And **the children of Israel did evil** in the sight of the LORD, and forgot the LORD their God, and served Baalim and the groves. Therefore, **the anger of the LORD was hot against Israel, and he sold them.**

Judges 3:9 And **when the children of Israel cried unto the LORD**, the **LORD raised up a deliverer** to the children of Israel, who delivered them.

Judges 21:25 In those days **there was no king in Israel**, every man did that which was right in his own eyes.

Deuteronomy 33:1-5 And this is the blessing, wherewith Moses the man of God blessed the children of Israel before his death. And he said, The LORD came from Sinai and rose up from Seir unto them; he shined forth from mount Paran, and he came with ten thousands of saints: From his right hand went a fiery law for them. Yea, he loved

the people, all his saints are in thy hand: And they sat down at thy feet, everyone shall receive of thy words. Moses commanded us a law, even the inheritance of the congregation of Jacob. And he was **King in Jeshurun**, when the heads of the people and the tribes of Israel were gathered together.

Genesis 49:24,25 But his bow remained in strength, And the arms of his hands were made strong By the hands of the Mighty God of Jacob (From there is the **Shepherd, the Stone of Israel**), By the God of your father who will help you, And by the Almighty who will bless you.

Deuteronomy 33:26,27 There is none like unto **the God of Jeshurun**, who rides upon the heaven in thy help, and in his excellency on the sky. The eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms.

Deuteronomy 32:15-17a But **Jeshurun** waxed fat, and kicked: Thou art waxen fat, thou art grown thick, thou art covered with fatness, **then he forsook God** which made him and lightly esteemed the Rock of his salvation. They provoked him to jealousy with strange gods, with abominations provoked they him to anger. They sacrificed unto devils, not to God.

Jeremiah 3:14 Turn, O backsliding children, saith the LORD, **for I am married unto you.**

1 Samuel 1:1,2 Now there was a certain man of Ramathaim-zophim, of the hill-country of Ephraim, and his name was Elkanah, the son of Jeroham, the son of Elihu, the son of Tohu, the son of Zuph, an Ephraimite. And he had two wives: The name of the one was Hannah, and the name of the other Peninnah, and Peninnah had children, **but Hannah had no children.**

1 Samuel 1:3a And this man went up out of his city from year to year to worship and to sacrifice unto the LORD of hosts in Shiloh.

1 Samuel 1:6,7 And her rival vexed her sore, to make her fret, because the LORD had shut up her womb. And as he did so year by year, when

she went up to the house of the LORD, so she vexed her; therefore, she wept and would not eat.

1 Samuel 1:11,13 Then she made a vow and said, O LORD of hosts, if You will indeed look on the affliction of Your maidservant and remember me, and not forget Your maidservant, but will give Your maidservant a male child, then I will give him to the LORD all the days of his life, and no razor shall come upon his head. And it happened, as she continued praying before the LORD, that Eli watched her mouth. Now Hannah spoke in her heart; only her lips moved, but her voice was not heard. Therefore, Eli thought she was drunk.

1 Samuel 1:15-17 But Hannah answered and said, No, my lord, I am a woman of sorrowful spirit. I have drunk neither wine nor intoxicating drink, but have poured out my soul before the LORD. Do not consider your maidservant a wicked woman, for out of the abundance of my complaint and grief I have spoken until now. Then Eli answered and said, Go in peace, and the God of Israel grant your petition which you have asked of Him.

1 Samuel 1:20-22 So it came to pass in the process of time that Hannah conceived and bore a son, and called his name Samuel, saying, Because I have asked for him from the LORD. Now the man Elkanah and all his house went up to offer to the LORD the yearly sacrifice and his vow. But Hannah did not go up, for she said to her husband, Not until the child is weaned, then I will take him, that he may appear before the LORD and remain there forever.

1 Samuel 2:12-14 Now the sons of Eli were corrupt, they did not know the LORD. And the **priests' custom** with the people was that when any man offered a sacrifice, the priest's servant would come with a three-pronged fleshhook in his hand while the meat was boiling. Then he would thrust it into the pan, or kettle, or caldron, or pot, and the priest would take for himself all that the fleshhook brought up. So they did in Shiloh to all the Israelites who came there.

1 Samuel 2:15,16 Also, before they burned the fat, the priest's servant would come and say to the man who sacrificed, Give meat for roasting to the priest, for he will not take boiled meat from you, but raw. And if the man said to him, They should really burn the fat first, then you may take as much as your heart desires, he would then answer him, No, but you must give it now, and if not, I will take it by force.

Leviticus 3:16,17 And the priest shall burn them on the altar as food, an offering made by fire for a sweet aroma, **all the fat is the LORD's**. This shall be a perpetual statute throughout your generations in all your dwellings: **You shall eat neither fat nor blood**.

Leviticus 7:25 For **whoever eats the fat** of the animal of which men offer an offering made by fire to the LORD, the person who eats it **shall be cut off** from his people.

1 Samuel 2:17 Therefore **the sin of the young men was very great** before the LORD, for men abhorred the offering of the LORD.

1 Samuel 2:18 But Samuel ministered before the LORD, even as a child, wearing a linen ephod. Moreover his mother used to make him a little robe, and bring it to him year by year when she came up with her husband to offer the yearly sacrifice.

1 Samuel 2:21 And the LORD visited Hannah, so that she conceived and bore three sons and two daughters. Meanwhile the child Samuel grew before the LORD.

1 Samuel 2:22 Now Eli was very old, and he heard everything his sons did to all Israel, and how they lay with the women who assembled at the door of the tabernacle of meeting. So he said to them, Why do you do such things? For I hear of your evil dealings from all the people. No, my sons! For it is not a good report that I hear. You make the LORD's people transgress.

1 Samuel 2:25a If one man sins against another, God will judge him. But if a man sins against the LORD, who will intercede for him?

1 Samuel 2:27-28a Then a man of God came to Eli and said to him, Thus says the LORD: Did I not clearly reveal Myself to the house of your father when they were in Egypt in Pharaoh's house? Did I not choose him out of all the tribes of Israel to be My priest, to offer upon My altar, to burn incense, and to wear an ephod before Me?

1 Samuel 2:29 Why do you kick at My sacrifice and My offering which I have commanded in My dwelling place, and honor your sons more than Me, to make yourselves fat with the best of all the offerings of Israel My people?

1 Samuel 2:34,35 Now this shall be a sign to you that will come upon your two sons, on Hophni and Phinehas: In one day they shall die, both of them. Then I will raise up for Myself a faithful priest who shall do according to what is in My heart and in My mind. I will build him a sure house, and he shall walk before My anointed forever.

1 Samuel 3:1 And the child Samuel ministered unto the LORD before Eli. And the word of the LORD was precious in those days, there was no frequent vision.

Proverbs 29:18 Where there is no vision, the people cast off restraint, but he that keeps the Torah, happy is he.

Lamentations 2:9 Her gates are sunk into the ground, He hath destroyed and broken her bars, her king and her princes are among the nations, instruction is no more, yea, her prophets find no vision from the LORD.

1 Samuel 3:3-5 And the light of God was still burning, while Samuel was sleeping in the **Temple of the Lord where the ark of God was**, The voice of the Lord said Samuel's name, and he said, Here am I. And running to Eli he said, Here am I, for you said my name. And Eli said, I did not say your name, go to your rest again. So he went back to his bed.

1 Samuel 3:11-13 And the Lord said to Samuel, See, I will do a thing in Israel at which the ears of everyone hearing of it will be burning. In

that day I will do to Eli everything which I have said about his family, from first to last. And you are to say to him that I will send punishment on his family for ever, for the sin which he had knowledge of, because his sons have been cursing God and he had no control over them.

1 Samuel 3:18-21 Then Samuel gave him an account of everything, keeping nothing back. And he said, It is the Lord, let him do what seems good to him. And Samuel became older, and the Lord was with him and let not one of his words be without effect. And it was clear to all Israel from Dan to Beer-sheba that Samuel had been made a prophet of the Lord. And the LORD appeared again in Shiloh, for the LORD revealed Himself to Samuel in Shiloh by the Word of the LORD.

1 Samuel 4:1 And the word of Samuel came to all Israel.

1 Samuel 4:3 And when the people were come into the camp, the elders of Israel said: Wherefore hath **the LORD smitten us** to-day before the Philistines? Let us fetch the ark of the covenant of the LORD out of Shiloh unto us, that He may come among us, and save us out of the hand of our enemies.

1 Samuel 4:5,6 And when the ark of the covenant of the LORD came into the camp, all Israel shouted with a great shout, so that the earth rang. And when the Philistines heard the noise of the shout, they said: 'What meaneth the noise of this great shout in the camp of the Hebrews?' And they knew that the ark of the LORD was come into the camp.

1 Samuel 4:10 And the Philistines fought, and Israel was smitten, and they fled every man to his tent, and there was a very great slaughter, for there fell of Israel **thirty thousand footmen**.

1 Samuel 4:15-18 Eli was **ninety-eight years old**, and his eyes were so dim that he could not see. Then the man said to Eli, I am he who came from the battle. And I fled today from the battle line. And he said, What happened, my son? So the messenger answered and said, Israel has fled before the Philistines, and there has been a great

slaughter among the people. Also your two sons, **Hophni and Phinehas, are dead; and the ark of God has been captured.** Then it happened, when he made mention of the ark of God, that Eli fell off the seat backward by the side of the gate, and **his neck was broken and he died, for the man was old and heavy. And he had judged Israel forty years.**

1 Samuel 4:19-21a Now his daughter-in-law, Phinehas' wife, was with child, due to be delivered, and when she heard the news that the ark of God was captured, and that her father-in-law and her husband were dead, she bowed herself and gave birth, for her labor pains came upon her. And about the time of her death the women who stood by her said to her, Do not fear, for you have borne a son. But she did not answer, nor did she regard it. Then she named the child **Ichabod**, saying, The glory is departed from Israel: because the ark of God was taken, and because of her father in law and her husband. And she said, The glory is departed from Israel: For the ark of God is, and because the ark is taken, and because of her father in law and her husband. And she said, The glory is departed from Israel: for the ark of God is taken.

Announcements

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	Hayesod Class from 2:30 – 3:30.
Sunday, September 21	Celebrate El Shaddai's 25 th Anniversary at the Church Office at 12:00 PM – 3:00 PM. El Shaddai will provide the main dish and anyone who would like to bring a side and/or desserts to share are welcome.
Monday, September 22, 2025	Come Celebrate Rosh Hashanah Service with us at the Performing Arts Center, 31510 Pete Von Reichbauer Way, Federal Way, WA 98003 at 7:00 PM!! We look Forward to celebrating with you!!

Wednesday, October 1	Join us for our Yom Kippur service at El Shaddai Ministries at 7:00 PM. We look forward to seeing you here!!	
Monday, October 6	Come join us to celebrate Sukkot at El Shaddai Ministries, Monday at 7:00 PM! What a blessing to be together for His Holiday! We look forward to having you with us!!	
Gospel Book is Here!!	The Gospel Book has arrived and is available for \$49.95 in our Bookstore and on line at esm.us !.	
New 2025/2026 Calendar!	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 .	
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. Sinai, 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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