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Behar/Bechukotai

“On the Mount”

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

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

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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.

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.**

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.

Deuteronomy 31:10 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 thy God in the place which he shall choose, thou shall read this law before all Israel in their hearing.

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

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 olive yard. **Six days** thou shalt do thy work, and on the **seventh day** thou shalt rest.

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 an 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 26:14-19 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: 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 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 carcasses upon the carcasses 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.

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 26:35,36 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.

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.

JEREMIAH

King Jehoiakim – 26, 25, 45, 35, 36

Jeremiah 18:23 But you, Lord, have knowledge of all the designs which they have made against my life, let not their evil-doing be covered or their sin be washed away from before your eyes: But let it be a cause of falling before you: So do to them in the time of your wrath.

2 Kings 23:34 Then Pharaoh Necho made Eliakim the son of Josiah king in place of his father Josiah, and changed his name to Jehoiakim. And Pharaoh took Jehoahaz and went to Egypt, and he died there.

2 Kings 23:35,36 So Jehoiakim gave the silver and gold to Pharaoh, but he taxed the land to give money according to the command of Pharaoh, he exacted the silver and gold from the people of the land, from everyone according to his assessment, to give it to Pharaoh Necho. Jehoiakim was twenty-five years old when he became king, and he reigned eleven years in Jerusalem.

2 Kings 24:1,2 In his days Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon came up, and Jehoiakim became his vassal for three years. Then he turned and rebelled against him. And the LORD sent against him raiding bands of Chaldeans, bands of Syrians, bands of Moabites, and bands of the people of Ammon, He sent them against Judah to destroy it, according to the word of the LORD which He had spoken by His servants the prophets.

Jeremiah 26:1-3 In the beginning of the reign of Jehoiakim the son of Josiah, king of Judah, this word came from the LORD, saying, Thus says the LORD: Stand in the court of the LORD's house, and speak to all the cities of Judah, which come to worship in the LORD's house, all the words that I command you to speak to them. Do not diminish a word. Perhaps everyone will listen and turn from his evil way, that I may relent concerning the calamity which I purpose to bring on them because of the evil of their doings.

Jeremiah 26:4-6 And you shall say to them, Thus says the LORD: If you will not listen to Me, to walk in My law which I have set before

you, to heed the words of My servants the prophets whom I sent to you, both rising up early and sending them (but you have not heeded), then I will make this house like Shiloh, and will make this city a curse to all the nations of the earth.

Jeremiah 26:7,8 So the priests and the prophets and all the people heard Jeremiah speaking these words in the house of the LORD. Now it happened, when Jeremiah had made an end of speaking all that the LORD had commanded him to speak to all the people, that the priests and the prophets and all the people seized him, saying, You will surely die!

Jeremiah 26:9 Why have you prophesied in the name of the LORD, saying, This house shall be like Shiloh, and this city shall be desolate, without an inhabitant? And all the people were gathered against Jeremiah in the house of the LORD.

Jeremiah 26:10,11 When the princes of Judah heard these things, they came up from the king's house to the house of the LORD and sat down in the entry of the New Gate of the LORD's house. And the priests and the prophets spoke to the princes and all the people, saying, This man deserves to die! For he has prophesied against this city, as you have heard with your ears.

Jeremiah 26:12-15 Then Jeremiah spoke to all the princes and all the people, saying: The LORD sent me to prophesy against this house and against this city with all the words that you have heard. Now therefore, amend your ways and your doings, and obey the voice of the LORD your God, then the LORD will relent concerning the doom that He has pronounced against you. As for me, here I am, in your hand, do with me as seems good and proper to you. But know for certain that if you put me to death, you will surely bring innocent blood on yourselves, on this city, and on its inhabitants, for truly the LORD has sent me to you to speak all these words in your hearing.

Jeremiah 26:16-18 So the princes and all the people said to the priests and the prophets, This man does not deserve to die. For he has spoken to us in the name of the LORD our God. Then certain of the elders of

the land rose up and spoke to all the assembly of the people saying: Micah of Moresheth prophesied in the days of Hezekiah king of Judah, and spoke to all the people of Judah, saying, Thus says the LORD of hosts: Zion shall be plowed like a field, Jerusalem shall become heaps of ruins, And the mountain of the temple like the bare hills of the forest.

Jeremiah 26:19 Did Hezekiah king of Judah and all Judah ever put him to death? Did he not fear the LORD and seek the LORD's favor? And the LORD relented concerning the doom which He had pronounced against them. But we are doing great evil against ourselves.

Jeremiah 26:21 Now there was also a man who prophesied in the name of the LORD, Urijah the son of Shemaiah of Kirjath Jearim, who prophesied against this city and against this land according to all the words of Jeremiah. And when Jehoiakim the king, with all his mighty men and all the princes, heard his words, the king sought to put him to death, but when Urijah heard it, he was afraid and fled, and went to Egypt.

Jeremiah 26:22,23 Then Jehoiakim the king sent men to Egypt: Elnathan the son of Achbor, and other men who went with him to Egypt. And they brought Urijah from Egypt and brought him to Jehoiakim the king, who killed him with the sword and cast his dead body into the graves of the common people.

Jeremiah 26:24 Nevertheless the hand of Ahikam the son of Shaphan was with Jeremiah, so that they should not give him into the hand of the people to put him to death.

Jeremiah 25:1-3 The word that came to Jeremiah concerning all the people of Judah, in the fourth year of Jehoiakim the son of Josiah, king of Judah (which was the first year of Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon), which Jeremiah the prophet spoke to all the people of Judah and to all the inhabitants of Jerusalem, saying: From the thirteenth year of Josiah the son of Amon, king of Judah, even to this day, this is the twenty-third year in which the word of the LORD has come to me, and I have spoken to you, rising early and speaking, but you have not listened.

Jeremiah 25:4-7 And the LORD has sent to you all His servants the prophets, rising early and sending them, but you have not listened nor inclined your ear to hear. They said, Repent now everyone of his evil way and his evil doings, and dwell in the land that the LORD has given to you and your fathers forever and ever. Do not go after other gods to serve them and worship them, and do not provoke Me to anger with the works of your hands, and I will not harm you. Yet you have not listened to Me, says the LORD, that you might provoke Me to anger with the works of your hands to your own hurt.

Jeremiah 25:8,9 Therefore thus says the LORD of hosts: Because you have not heard My words, behold, I will send and take all the families of the north, says the LORD, and Nebuchadnezzar the king of Babylon, My servant, and will bring them against this land, against its inhabitants, and against these nations all around, and will utterly destroy them, and make them an astonishment, a hissing, and perpetual desolations.

Deuteronomy 28:36,37 The LORD will bring you and the king whom you set over you to a nation which neither you nor your fathers have known, and there you shall serve other gods, wood and stone. And you shall become an astonishment, a proverb, and a byword among all nations where the LORD will drive you.

Jeremiah 25:11 And this whole land shall be a desolation and an astonishment, and these nations shall **serve the king of Babylon seventy years.**

Jeremiah 25:12,13 ‘Then it will come to pass, when seventy years are completed, that I will punish the king of Babylon and that nation, the land of the Chaldeans, for their iniquity, says the LORD, and I will make it a perpetual desolation. So I will bring on that land all My words which I have pronounced against it, all that is written in this book, which Jeremiah has prophesied concerning all the nations.

Jeremiah 25:15-18 For thus says the LORD God of Israel to me: **Take this wine cup of fury from My hand**, and cause all the nations, to whom I send you, to drink it. And they will drink and stagger and go mad because of the sword that I will send among them. Then I took the

cup from the LORD's hand, and made all the nations drink, to whom the LORD had sent me: Jerusalem and the cities of Judah, its kings and its princes, to make them a desolation, an astonishment, a hissing, and a curse, as it is this day.

Revelation 14:8-10a And another angel followed, saying, Babylon is fallen, is fallen, that great city, because she has made all nations drink of the wine of the wrath of her fornication. Then a third angel followed them, saying with a loud voice, If anyone worships the beast and his image, and receives his mark on his forehead or on his hand, he himself shall also **drink of the wine of the wrath of God, which is poured out full strength into the cup of His indignation.**

Revelation 16:19 Now the great city was divided into three parts, and the cities of the nations fell. And great Babylon was remembered before God, to give her **the cup of the wine of the fierceness of His wrath.**

Revelation 17:1,2 Then one of the seven angels who had the seven bowls came and talked with me, saying to me, Come, I will show you the judgment of the great harlot who sits on many waters, with whom the kings of the earth committed fornication, and the inhabitants of the earth were made drunk with the wine of her fornication.

Revelation 18:3 For all the nations have drunk of the wine of the wrath of her fornication, the kings of the earth have committed fornication with her, and the merchants of the earth have become rich through the abundance of her luxury.

Jeremiah 25:26-29 All the kings of the north, far and near, one with another, and all the kingdoms of the world which are on the face of the earth. Also the king of Sheshach shall drink after them. Therefore you shall say to them, Thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel: Drink, be drunk, and vomit! Fall and rise no more, because of the sword which I will send among you. And it shall be, if they refuse to take the cup from your hand to drink, then you shall say to them, Thus says the LORD of hosts: You shall certainly drink! For behold, I begin to bring calamity on the city which is called by My name, and should you be utterly unpunished? You shall not be unpunished, for I will call for a

sword on all the inhabitants of the earth, says the LORD of hosts.

Jeremiah 25:30-32 Therefore prophesy against them all these words, and say to them: The LORD will roar from on high, And utter His voice from His holy habitation, He will roar mightily against His fold. He will give a shout, as those who tread the grapes, Against all the inhabitants of the earth. A noise will come to the ends of the earth, For the LORD has a controversy with the nations, He will plead His case with all flesh. He will give those who are wicked to the sword, says the LORD. Thus says the LORD of hosts: Behold, disaster shall go forth From nation to nation, And a great whirlwind shall be raised up From the farthest parts of the earth.

Jeremiah 25:33 And at that day the slain of the LORD shall be from one end of the earth even to the other end of the earth. They shall not be lamented, or gathered, or buried; they shall become refuse on the ground.

Jeremiah 45:1-5 The word that Jeremiah the prophet spoke to Baruch the son of Neriah, when he had written these words in a book at the instruction of Jeremiah, in the fourth year of Jehoiakim the son of Josiah, king of Judah, saying, Thus says the LORD, the God of Israel, to you, O Baruch: You said, Woe is me now! For the LORD has added grief to my sorrow. I fainted in my sighing, and I find no rest. Thus you shall say to him, Thus says the LORD: Behold, what I have built I will break down, and what I have planted I will pluck up, that is, this whole land. And do you seek great things for yourself? Do not seek them, for behold, I will bring adversity on all flesh, says the LORD. But I will give your life to you as a prize in all places, wherever you go.

Jeremiah 35:1,2 The word which came to Jeremiah from the LORD in the days of Jehoiakim the son of Josiah, king of Judah, saying, Go to the **house of the Rechabites**, speak to them, and bring them into the house of the LORD, into one of the chambers, and give them wine to drink.

Jeremiah 35:5-10 Then I set before the sons of the house of the Rechabites bowls full of wine, and cups, and I said to them, Drink wine. But they said, We will drink no wine, for Jonadab the son of Rechab,

our father, commanded us, saying, You shall drink no wine, you nor your sons, forever. You shall not build a house, sow seed, plant a vineyard, nor have any of these, but all your days you shall dwell in tents, that you may live many days in the land where you are sojourners. Thus, we have obeyed the voice of Jonadab the son of Rechab, our father, in all that he charged us, to drink no wine all our days, we, our wives, our sons, or our daughters, nor to build ourselves houses to dwell in, nor do we have vineyard, field, or seed. But we have dwelt in tents and have obeyed and done according to all that Jonadab our father commanded us.

Jeremiah 35:11 But it came to pass, when Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon came up into the land, that we said, Come, let us go to Jerusalem for fear of the army of the Chaldeans and for fear of the army of the Syrians. So, we dwell at Jerusalem.

2 Kings 10:11 So Jehu slew all that remained of the house of Ahab in Jezreel, and all his great men, and his kinsfolks, and his priests, until he left him none remaining.

2 Kings 10:15,16 And when he was departed thence, he lighted on **Jehonadab the son of Rechab** coming to meet him: and he saluted him, and said to him, Is thine heart right, as my heart is with thy heart? And Jehonadab answered, It is. If it be, give me thine hand. And he gave him his hand, and he took him up to him into the chariot. And he said, Come with me, and see my zeal for the LORD. So they made him ride in his chariot.

Judges 1:16 And the **children of the Kenite, Moses' father in law**, went up out of the city of palm trees with the children of Judah into the wilderness of Judah, which lieth in the south of Arad, and they went and dwelt among the people.

1 Chronicles 2:55 And **the families of the scribes** which dwelt at Jabez, the Tirathites, the Shimeathites, and Suchathites. These are the **Kenites that came of Hemath, the father of the house of Rechab.**

Jeremiah 35:12-14 Then came the word of the LORD to Jeremiah, saying, Thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel: Go and tell the men of Judah and the inhabitants of Jerusalem, Will you not receive instruction to obey My words? says the LORD. The words of Jonadab the son of Rechab, which he commanded his sons, not to drink wine, are performed, for to this day, they drink none and obey their father's commandment. But although I have spoken to you, rising early and speaking, you did not obey Me.

Jeremiah 35:15 I have also sent to you all My servants the prophets, rising up early and sending them, saying, Turn now everyone from his evil way, amend your doings, and do not go after other gods to serve the, then you will dwell in the land which I have given you and your fathers. But you have not inclined your ear, nor obeyed Me.

Jeremiah 35:18,19 And Jeremiah said to the house of the Rechabites, Thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel: Because you have obeyed the commandment of Jonadab your father, and kept all his precepts and done according to all that he commanded you, therefore thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel: Jonadab the son of Rechab shall not lack a man to stand before Me forever.

Announcements

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| Tuesday | Prayer Team meets for prayer and Worship 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM |
| Thursday | Manna Time is held at El Shaddai Ministries from 10:00 am – 11:30. |
| Saturday | Torah Club meets upstairs in the Studio area from 2:30 - 4:30. |
| May 10 th | Happy Mother's Day in honor of all our Mom's!! |
| May 10 th , Sunday | Join us for Zoom Teachings with Chaim Eisen, the next two Sundays from 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM PST as Chaim teaches on "How to connect with God in these times". Send a request email to info@esm.us for the Zoom link. Giomi will send out the Zoom link to all requests on Sunday Morning. We look forward to having you with us! |
| May 23 rd , Saturday | Beginning this Saturday our Service time will begin at 10:00 A.M as we will be holding one service on Saturday morning. |

