

*El Shaddai Ministries welcomes
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Shoftim

“Judges”

Deuteronomy 16:18-21:9

Isaiah 51:12-52:12

John 14:9-20



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Service Hours:

Service: 10:00 AM – 12:15 pm

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TORAH

Matthew 13:24,25 He put another parable before them, saying, The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a man who sowed good seed in His field, but while his men were sleeping, *his enemy* came and sowed weeds among the wheat and went away.

Matthew 13:29,30 But he said, Nay, lest while ye gather up the tares, ye root up also the wheat with them. Let both grow together until the harvest: And **in the time of harvest** I will say to the reapers, **Gather ye together first the tares**, and bind them in bundles **to burn them**: But **gather the wheat into my barn**.

John 12:23,24 And Yeshua answered them, **The hour has come** for the Son of Man to be glorified. Truly, truly, I say to you, unless **a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains alone, but if it dies, it bears much fruit.**

John 15:5,6 I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever **abides in me and I in him**, he it is that **bears much fruit**, for apart from me you can do nothing. If anyone does not abide in me he is thrown away like a branch and withers, and **the branches are gathered, thrown into the fire, and burned**.

John 15:8-10 Herein is my Father glorified, that *ye bear much fruit*, so shall ye be my disciples. As the Father hath loved me, so have I loved you: Continue ye in my love. **If ye keep my commandments**, ye shall abide in my love, even as I have kept my Father's commandments, and abide in his love.

Matthew 13:36-38 Then Yeshua sent the multitude away and went into the house: And his disciples came unto him, saying, Declare unto us the parable of the tares of the field. He answered and said unto them, He that soweth the **good seed** is the **Son of man**, **The field is the world**, the good seed are the children of the kingdom; but **the tares** are the children of the wicked one.

1 John 2:18,19 Children, it is the last hour, and as you have heard that antichrist is coming, **so now many antichrists have come.** Therefore, we know that it is the last hour. **They went out from us, but they were not of us,** for if they had been of us, they would have continued with us.

Matthew 7:19-24 Every tree that **bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire.** Wherefore by their fruits ye shall know them. Not everyone that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven, but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven. Many will say to me in that day, Lord, Lord, **have we not prophesied in thy name? And in thy name have cast out devils? And in thy name done many wonderful works?** And then will I profess unto them, I never knew you: depart from me, ye that **work iniquity.** Therefore **whosoever heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them,** I will liken him unto a wise man, which built his house upon a rock.

Deuteronomy 18:20 But the prophet, **which shall presume to speak a word in my name, which I have not commanded him to speak,** or that shall speak in the name of other gods, even that prophet shall die.

Song of Songs 7:11,12 Come, my beloved, **let us go out into the fields** and lodge in the villages, let us go out early to the vineyards and see whether the vines have budded, whether the grape blossoms have opened and the pomegranates are in bloom. There I will give you my love.

Deuteronomy 16:18 **Judges** and **officers** shall **you make you? In all your gates,** which the LORD your God gives you, throughout your tribes: And they shall judge the people with **just judgment.**

Genesis 18:25b: Shall not the Judge of all the earth do right?

Deuteronomy 32:36a For **the LORD shall judge his people,**

Acts 10:40-42 God raised him up the third day, and gave him to be revealed, not to all the people, but to witnesses who were chosen before by God, to us, who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to proclaim to the people and to testify that this is he who is appointed by God as the Judge of the living and the dead.

2 Timothy 4:8 From now on there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: And not to me only, but to all them also **that love his appearing.**

Deuteronomy 16:19 You shall not wrest judgment, you shall not respect persons, neither take a gift: **For a gift does blind the eyes of the wise**, and pervert the words of the righteous.

1 Samuel 8:1 And it came to pass, when Samuel was old, that he made his sons judges over Israel.

1 Samuel 8:3-5 And his sons walked not in his ways, but turned aside after lucre, and **took bribes**, and perverted judgment. Then all the elders of Israel gathered themselves together, and came to Samuel to Ramah, And said to him, Behold, you are old, and your sons walk not in your ways: Now make us a king to judge us like all the nations.

(JPS) **Deuteronomy 16:20** Justice, justice, shalt thou follow, that thou mayest live and inherit the land which the LORD thy God giveth thee.

(YLT) **Deuteronomy 16:20** Righteousness--righteousness thou dost pursue, so that thou livest, and hast possessed the land which Jehovah thy God is giving to thee.

Deuteronomy 12:3 You shall tear down their altars and dash in pieces their pillars and burn their Asherim with fire. You shall chop down the **carved images of their gods and destroy their name out of that place.**

Deuteronomy 16:21,22 Thou shalt not plant thee an Asherah of any kind of tree **beside the altar of the LORD** thy God, which thou shalt make thee. Neither shalt thou set thee up a pillar, which the LORD thy God hates.

Deuteronomy 17:2-5 If there is found among you, within any of your towns that the Lord your God is giving you, a man or woman who does what is evil in the sight of the Lord your God, in transgressing his covenant, and has gone and served other gods and worshiped them, or the sun or the moon or any of the host of heaven, which I have forbidden, and it is told you and you hear of it, then you shall inquire diligently, and if it is true and certain that such an abomination has been done in Israel, then you shall bring out to your gates that man or woman who has done this evil thing, and you shall stone that man or woman to death with stones.

2 Kings 23:4-7 And the king (Josiah) commanded Hilkiah the high priest and the priests of the second order and the keepers of the threshold **to bring out of the temple of the Lord** all the vessels made for Baal, for Asherah, and for all the host of heaven. He burned them outside Jerusalem in the fields of the Kidron and carried their ashes to Bethel. And he **deposed the priests** whom the kings of Judah had ordained to make offerings in the high places at the cities of Judah and around Jerusalem, those also who burned incense to Baal, to the sun and the moon and the constellations and all the host of the heavens. And he **brought out the Asherah from the house of the Lord**, outside Jerusalem, to the brook Kidron, and burned it at the brook Kidron and beat it to dust and cast the dust of it upon the graves of the common people. And he broke down the houses of the male cult prostitutes who were in the house of the Lord, where the women wove hangings **for the Asherah**.

2 Kings 23:13,14 And the king defiled the high places that were east of Jerusalem, **to the south of the mount of corruption, which Solomon the king of Israel had built for Ashtoreth** the abomination of the Sidonians, and for **Chemosh the abomination of Moab, and for Milcom the abomination of the Ammonites**.

And he broke in pieces **the pillars and cut down the Asherim** and filled their places with the bones of men.

Deuteronomy 17:16,17 Only he (the King) shall not multiply horses to himself, **nor cause the people to Return to Egypt, to the end that he may multiply horses;** because the LORD has said to you, You shall not go back that way again. **Neither shall he multiply wives to himself, that his heart not turn away: Neither shall he greatly multiply to himself silver and gold.**

1 Kings 10:28,29 And Solomon had horses brought out of Egypt, and linen yarn: The king's merchants received the linen yarn at a price. And a chariot came up and went out of Egypt for six hundred shekels of silver, and an horse for an hundred and fifty: **And so for all the kings of the Hittites, and for the kings of Syria, did they bring them out by their means.**

Deuteronomy 17:18,19 It shall be, when he sits on the throne of his kingdom, that **he shall write him a copy of this law in a book**, out of that which is before the priests the Levites: And it shall be with him, and he shall read therein all the days of his life, that he may learn to fear the LORD his God, to keep all the words of this law and these statutes, to do them.

Deuteronomy 18:10-12a There shall not be found among you anyone that maketh his son or his daughter to pass through the fire, or that uses divination, or an observer of times, or an enchanter, or a witch, Or a charmer, or a consulter with familiar spirits, or a wizard, or a necromancer. For all that do these things are an abomination unto the LORD.

Deuteronomy 19:16-21a If a malicious witness arises to accuse a person of wrongdoing, then both parties to the dispute shall appear before the LORD, before the priests and the judges who are in office in those days. The judges shall inquire diligently, and if the witness is a false witness and has accused his brother falsely, then you shall do to him as he had meant to do to his brother. So you shall purge the evil from your midst. And the rest shall hear and fear and shall

never again commit any such evil among you. Your eye shall not pity.

Deuteronomy 20:1-4 When you go out to war against your enemies and see horses and chariots and an army larger than your own, **you shall not be afraid of them**, for the LORD your God is with you, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt. And when you draw near to the battle, **the priest shall come forward and speak** to the people and shall say to them, Hear, O Israel, today you are drawing near for battle against your enemies: Let not your heart faint. Do not fear or panic or be in dread of them, for the LORD your God is he who goes with you to fight for you against your enemies, to give you the victory.

Deuteronomy 21:1,2 If in the land that the LORD your God is giving you to possess someone is found slain, lying in the open country, and it is not known who killed him, then your elders and your judges shall come out, and they shall measure the distance to the surrounding cities.

TIME

Ecclesiastes 3:1,2a To **everything** there is a season, and **a time to every purpose** under the heaven: A time to be born, and a time to die.

John 1:4,5 In him was life, and the life was the light of men. And the **light shineth in darkness**, and the darkness **comprehended** it not.

1 John 1:5 This then is the message which we have heard of him, and declare unto you, that **God is light**, and in him is **no darkness** at all.

John 8:12 **I am the light** of the world: He that follows me shall not walk in **darkness**, but shall have the **light of life**.

Proverbs 6:23 For the commandment is a lamp; and **the Torah is light.**

Genesis 1:2 In the beginning God created **the heaven and the earth.** And the earth was without form, and void, and darkness was upon the face of the deep.

God יהוה is a God of TIME - encrypted
PRESENT – הוה hoveh / PAST – היה hayah / FUTURE – יהיה yihiye

God says to Moses: אהיה אשר אהיה I will be!
יהי yehi exist אור Ohr light – MEN OR AH Or-ient
Imperative Tense

Isaiah 1:2 Hear, O heavens, and give ear, O earth: For the LORD hath spoken, I have nourished and brought up children, and they have rebelled against me.

Isaiah 1:4 Ah sinful nation, a people laden with iniquity, a seed of evildoers, children that are corrupters: They have forsaken the LORD.

Isaiah 1:14 Your new moons and your appointed feasts my soul hates: They are a trouble unto me, I am weary to bear them.

Isaiah 35:8 And a Highway shall be there, and a Way, and it shall be called: The Way of Holiness.

John 7:30 Then they sought to take him: But no man laid hands on him, because **his hour was not yet come.**

John 8:20 These words Yeshua spoke in the treasury, as he taught in the temple: And no man laid hands on him, for **his hour was not yet come.**

John 12:23 And Yeshua answered them, saying, **The hour is come,** that the Son of man should be glorified.

Luke 19:12 He said therefore, A certain nobleman went into a far country **to receive for himself a kingdom**, and to return.

Luke 18:17 Verily I say unto you, Whosoever shall not **receive the kingdom of God** as a little child shall in no wise enter therein.

Matthew 25:34 Then shall the King say unto them on his right hand, Come, ye blessed of my Father, **inherit the kingdom** prepared for you from the foundation of the world.

Philippians 2:5-7 Have **this mind** among yourselves, **which is yours in Messiah Yeshua**, who, though he was in the form of God, did not count **equality with God a thing to be grasped**, but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men.

Leviticus 19:23-25 And when ye shall come into the land and shall have planted all manner of trees for food, then ye shall count the fruit thereof as uncircumcised: Three years shall it be as uncircumcised unto you: It shall not be eaten of. But in the fourth year all the fruit thereof shall be holy to praise the LORD withal. And in the fifth year shall ye eat of the fruit thereof, that it may yield unto you the increase thereof: I am the LORD your God.

Revelation 22:14 Blessed are they that **do his commandments**, that they may have right **to the tree of life**, and may enter in through the gates into the city.

Proverbs 8:10 Receive my instruction, and not silver, and **knowledge** rather than choice gold.

Proverbs 19:2 Also, **the soul without knowledge, is not good.**

Proverbs 21:11 And when the wise is instructed, he **receives** knowledge.

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Psalm 1:3 And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season, his leaf also shall not wither.

Genesis 2:7 And the LORD God formed man of the dust of the ground and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life, and man became a living soul.

Genesis 2:9 And out of the ground made the LORD God to grow every tree that is pleasant to the sight, and good for food, the tree of life also in the midst of the garden.

Deuteronomy 22:9 You shall not sow your vineyard with two kinds of seed, lest the fulness of the seed which you have sown be forfeited together with the increase of the vineyard.

Leviticus 19:19 You shall not sow your field with mixed seed.

Matthew 7:18 It is NOT POSSIBLE for a good tree to give bad fruit, and a bad tree will not give good fruit.

Matthew 12:33 Make the tree good, and its fruit good, or make the tree bad, and its fruit bad, for by its fruit you will get KNOWLEDGE of the tree.

Announcements

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 AM.
Saturday	Torah Club meets upstairs at ESM from 12:30 PM 2:30 PM.

September 11th Friday	Come celebrate Rosh Hashanah, Feast of Trumpets, with El Shaddai Ministries! We are hosting it September 11th at Federal Way Performing Arts Center, 31510 Pete Von Reichbauer Way S, Federal Way, WA. Starting time to be determined. We are so excited to be with You and look forward to having you with us!!	
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