## CONGREGATION FAITHFUL STEWARDSHIP

-Your Word is a lamp to my feet & a light for my path," Ps 119:105

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Proclaiming Yeshua as LORD in the whole counsel of God

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Our desire at CFS is to be faithful to whole counsel of G-d: to understand the Scriptures and to walk as Messiah walked.

We encourage you to read the Parasha readings and select a verse or verses to memorize.

## Parasha Reading:

Parasha is a portion of Scripture.

It is believed that during the time of the Prophet Ezra, the Torah was divided into weekly readings. There are 54 weekly readings plus special holy day readings. They have continued until today. During synagogue services, Yeshua and the apostles participated in the weekly readings. By Simchat Torah\* (in English: Re-

By Simchat Torah\* (in English: Rejoicing in the Torah), the Torah reading cycle is concluded; the cycle begins again the following Shabbat.

\*at conclusion of Sukkot in the fall

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- <sup>1</sup> According to the Biblical calendar, Iyar is the 2nd month, & Sivan is the 3rd.
- $^2$  5773: Hebrew year. (It is believed that God created the earth 5773 years ago.)

ſ	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Shabbat
	Shavuot (Feast of Weeks or Pentecost) 50 days after Passover Also on the day of the first fruits, when you present a new grain offering to the Lord in your Feast of Weeks, you shall have a holy convocation; you shall do no laborious work."	Counting the Omer  (Lev 23:15-16)  Omer/sheaf is a unit of measure  Everyday from Bikurim or First Fruits (the 2nd day after erev Passover) through the day before Shavuot, an omer of barley is counted (called Counting the	Omer). Daily the omer sacrifice was taken to the Temple.  These days of Counting the Omer serve as a reminder of the connection between the delivery from slavery at Passover to the giving of Torah at Shavuot.	1 21 Iyar/ Omer 36	(note: this Shabbat→ has two Parashas: 32 & 33) 22 lyar/ Omer 37	3 Michael's bday!  32 B'har readings: → Lev 25:1-26:2 Jer 32:6-27 Luke 4:16-21; 1Cor 7:21-24; Gal 6:7-10  23 Iyar/ Omer 38	6:30 CFS 4  Norman Krinsky  -32 B'har (On the mount)  33 B'chukkotai (In my statutes)  Lev 26:3-27:34  Jer 16:19-17:14  Jn 14:5-21, 15:10-12  24 lyar/Omer 39
	THE CALL TO PRAYER PRAYER CHANGES THINGSI	Be committed to prayer — watch God change people, circumstances, you!!!	7	Yom Yerushalayim  Jerusalem Day  Celebration of the 1967 reunification of Jerusalem & Israel control of the Western  Wall (& the Old City)	9	10 6:30 EP4MCF* MTG *Emergency Preparedness 4 the Modern Christian Family RSVP: Jim 297-3989	6:30 CFS 11  Bonnie Soukup  34B'midbar (In the wilderness)  Num 1:1-4:20  Hos 2:1(1:10)-2:22(20)  Lu 2:1-7; 1Cor 12:12-31
L	25 Iyar/Omer 40	26 lyar/Omer 41	27 Iyar/Omer 42	28 lyyar/Omer 43	29 Iyar/Omer 44	1 Sivan/Omer 45	2 Sivan/Omer 46
	12	13	14 Erev Shavuot 6:30 Dr. Denis Otero — dinner & service	Shavuot Feast of Weeks/ Pentecost Numbers 28:26-31	16	17	6:30 CFS 18  Jim Robeson  35 Naso (Make an accounting)  Num 4:21-7:89  Judges 13:2-25  Jn 7:53-8:11; Acts 21:171John
L	3 Sivan/Omer 47	4 Sivan/Omer 48	5 Sivan/Omer 49	6 Sivan	7 Sivan	8 Sivan	24 Iyar/Omer 39
	19	20	21	22	23	24	6:30 CFS 25  Norman George  36B'ha'alotkha (In your making go up)  Num 8:1-12:16  Zech 2:14-4:7  Jn 19:31-37; Heb 3:1-6
L	10 Sivan	11 Sivan	12 Sivan	13 Sivan	14 Sivan	15 Sivan	16 Sivan
	26	27	28	29	30	31	6:30 CFS 1  Lori Robeson  37 Shlach I'kha (Send for yourself)  Nu 13:1-15:41  Joshua 2:1-24  Heb 3:7-19
	17 Sivan	18 Sivan	19 Sivan	20 Sivan	21 Sivan	22 Sivan	23 Sivan

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