

## INFO ABOUT CFS

We are a Messianic congregation of *believers, Jews and Gentiles, from all walks of life who testify that Yeshua is LORD. We desire to conduct ourselves as our LORD and His apostles did. Our objective is not to 'become or act Jewish' but to walk in obedience & holiness according to God's Word.*

**Become part of the Call To Prayer team:**



*"When Moses' hands grew tired ... Aaron and Hur held his hands up -- one on one side, one on the other -- so that his hands remained steady till sunset." Ex 17:12. NIV.*

Let us lift each other's arms up in prayer!

## EXPLANATION OF LITURGY & TORAH SERVICE

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  - <sup>3</sup> Love your neighbor as yourself, Mk 12:30-31; Lev 19:18; Dt 6:5-9.
  - <sup>4</sup> The purpose of the Torah Service is to reverence God's Holy Word.
  - <sup>5</sup> Holding up the Scroll allows everyone the opportunity to see what was just read.
  - <sup>6</sup> As YHVH told Joshua: "Be strong and of good courage" Joshua 1:6.
- \*We have chosen to say His Name, the tetragrammaton יהוה, as Yahveh in accordance with many scholars who say either Yahveh or Yahweh.

## Notes



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# AN APPEAL TO HEAVEN



Congregation  
**Faithful Stewardship**  
**Yeshua is LORD!**

## SHABBAT SERVICE

**10:30am**

**PARASHA READING (Weekly Torah Portion):**

**<sup>17</sup>Yitro (Jethro)**

**Torah:** Ex 18:1-20:23\* (\*EB: Ex 18:1-20:26)

**Haftarah:** Isaiah 6:1-7:6, 9:5-6

**AS:** (Apostolic Scriptures) Mt 5:21-30, 15:1-11, 19:16-30;  
Mk 7:5-15, 10:17-31

**Torah Service:** Eric Reterstorf

Torah Reading: Ariel Bittrich

Torah Drash: Lori Robeson

Haftarah Drash: CJ Corbett

**MESSAGE:** Norman George: "Strangers, Sojourners, Gentiles"

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*Yitro* is the 17<sup>th</sup> in the annual cycle of Torah readings. It has 4,022 Hebrew letters, 1,105 Hebrew words, 75 verses, & can occupy about 138 lines in a Torah Scroll. It is read in January or February. Parts are read at Shavuot.

(Because each Scroll is the exact same, we know that no letters have been added nor subtracted.)

----- THEME VERSE -----

**Psalm 119:105:** “Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, And light unto my path.”

נֶר-לְרַגְלִי דְבַרְךָ יְאֹר לְנִתְיָבְתִי:

*Nehr-leh-rahg-lee, deh-vah-reh-chah veh-ohr leen-tee-vah-tee.*

----- SERVICE -----

*Shofar Blowing* -- Pastor, Elders, & Gabbai

*Welcome* – Don Cole

<sup>1</sup>*Shema Liturgy* – Don Cole (*Shema* on next page of bulletin.)

o <sup>2</sup> Shema (Deut 6:4; Mk 12:29)

o <sup>3</sup> V'ahavta (Deut 6:5-9; Lev 19:18; Mk 12:30-31)

*Blessing Over Children* -- Don Cole

*Torah Accessory Collection* -- Norman George

*Teaching video* -- Norman George

*Announcements & Prayer* -- Les'a Cole

o Continuing our prayer for the US

o An Appeal to Heaven!!!

o Pray for Israel

*Worship* -- Norman George

*Message* – Norman George: “Strangers, Sojourners, Gentiles

*Worship* -- Norman George

<sup>4</sup>*Torah Service* -- Gabbai Eric Reterstorf

o Torah Scroll Reading – Ariel Bittrich

o <sup>5</sup>V'Zot HaTorah -- Gabbai Eric Reterstorf

o Torah Drash (commentary) – Lori Robeson

o Haftarah Drash (commentary) – CJ Corbett

o Congratulations to Torah Service Participants -- Gabbai

*Worship* -- Norman George

*Closing Prayer & Aaronic Blessing* -- Don Cole

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WEEKLY

Shabbat: 9:00am – Prayer for our country

Tuesday 5:30pm – Biblical Hebrew #103 -zoom

Wednesday 4:00pm – Biblical Hebrew #102 -zoom

5:30pm – Biblical Hebrew #101-live, face-2-face

UPCOMING DATES

02/06/2021 Torah accessory collection & staff meeting

02/26/2021 5:00pm Purim celebration

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SPRING FESTIVALS

03/27/2021 5:00pm – Passover seder (Saturday evening)

03/28/2021 5:00pm – Hag HaMatzot (Sunday evening)

03/29/2021 5:45 pm – 1<sup>st</sup> Fruits (Monday evening)

04/03/2021 5:00pm – 7<sup>th</sup> Day Hag HaMatzot (Saturday evening)

Shema (Confession of a believer's faith)

שְׁמַע יִשְׂרָאֵל יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵינוּ  
יְהוָה אֶחָד:

Shema Yisra'el YHVH\* Ehlohaynu  
YHVH echad!

בְּרוּךְ שֵׁם כְבוֹד מְלְכוּתוֹ לְעוֹלָם  
וָעַד

(chant the line in undertone) Baruch shem  
kavod malchuto layohlam va-ed

וַיַּהֲבַטָּ אֶת יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵיהֶּ בְּכֹל  
לְבָבָהּ וּבְכֹל נַפְשָׁהּ וּבְכֹל מְאֹדָהּ:  
(repeat above line twice)

Vayahavta et YHVH\* elohhaycha  
baychol lay-va-veh-cha uvchol  
nafshaycha uvchol mayoday-cha. (repeat  
twice)

וַיַּהֲבַטָּ לְרַעְיָהּ כַּמוֹד: אָמֵן

Ve-ahavta lere-acha kamocho. Amen

Hear, O Israel, YHVH\* Our God, YHVH is One.

Blessed be His glorious Name Whose kingdom is forever and ever!

And you shall love YHVH your God with all your heart & with all your soul and with all your might.

And these words that I command you today shall be in your heart.

And you shall teach them diligently to your children, and you shall speak of them when you sit at home, and when you walk along the way, and when you lie down and when you rise up.

And you shall bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be for frontlets between your eyes.

And you shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates. (Dt 6:4-9, ESV)

And you shall love your neighbor as yourself. Amen (Lev 19:18b, ESV)