



## PRAYING THROUGH THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2016

The word October was derived from the Latin "Octo" meaning eight (8). October retained its name from the Latin origin when July and August, named after Julius and Augustus Caesar respectively, were inserted into the calendar that had originally been created by the Romans. It is now considered the tenth (10<sup>th</sup>) month in the now widely used Gregorian calendar. Consequently, it is the gateway into THE LAST QUARTER OF THE Gregorian calendar.

October 3, 2016 is the 1st of Tishrei, 5777. This is the seventh (7<sup>th</sup>) month of the Biblical Sacred calendar and the first (1<sup>st</sup>) month according to the Biblical civil calendar. (1 Kings 6:38; 1 Kings 12:32, 33).

The prophets promised that there would be a shaking of the earth in the last days, and that during the time of trouble the Name of the true GOD would become known throughout all the earth! There is power in the "Name above all names," for according to the prophet Joel, "Whosoever calls on the Name of the LORD shall be saved!"

*What is the Name of our God?*

According to Wikipedia "Jehovah is the Latinization of the Hebrew יהוה, one vocalization of the Tetragrammaton יהוה (YHWH), the proper name of the God of Israel in the Hebrew Bible.

The consensus among scholars is that the historical vocalization of the Tetragrammaton at the time of the redaction of the Torah (6<sup>th</sup> century BCE) is most likely Yahweh. The historical vocalization was lost because in Second Temple Judaism, during the 3<sup>rd</sup> to 2<sup>nd</sup> centuries BCE, the pronunciation of the Tetragrammaton came to be avoided, being substituted with Adonai ("my Jehovah"). The Hebrew vowel points of Adonai were added to the Tetragrammaton by the Masoretes, and the resulting form was transliterated around the 12<sup>th</sup> century as Yehowah. The derived forms lehouah and Jehovah first appeared in the 16<sup>th</sup> century.

"Jehovah" was popularized in the English-speaking world by William Tyndale and other pioneer English Protestant translations such as the Geneva Bible and the King James Version. It is still used in some translations, such as the New World Translation and Young's Literal Translation, but it does not appear in most mainstream English translations, as the terms "Jehovah" or "Jehovah": used instead, generally indicating that the corresponding Hebrew is Yahweh or YHWH."(From Wikipedia)

In the Bishop's Bible (1568), the word Jehovah occurs in Exodus 6:3 and Psalm 83:18. The Authorized King James Version (1611) renders Jehovah in Exodus 6:3, Psalm 83:18, Isaiah 12:2, Isaiah 26:4, and three times in compound place names at Genesis 22:14, Exodus 17:15 and Judges 6:24.

The Leningrad Codex is the oldest complete manuscript of the Hebrew Bible in Hebrew. It is dated 1008 CE. You can download it at [www.seforimonline.org/seforimdb/PDF/264.pdf](http://www.seforimonline.org/seforimdb/PDF/264.pdf)

This Hebrew manuscript contains 50 occurrences of the full spelling of the name Yehovah.

The Aleppo Codex is an ancient vocalized Hebrew manuscript. It is about 100 years older than the Leningrad Codex but it is not complete. This document contains the name Yehovah. When you look at Ezekiel 28:22 in the Aleppo Codex it says: "Thus says Adonai Yehovah.." I encourage you this month to read and study this document for yourself. There a website that will help you. It is [www.aleppocodex.org](http://www.aleppocodex.org)

The King James Version uses "LORD" to translate the divine name in most instances.

Jesus's Hebrew name "Yehoshua" (יהושע) means "Yehovah saves" and is derived from יהוה. This Hebrew name became "Yeshua" in Aramaic and "Ἰησοῦς" (Iesous) in Greek.

*What is the meaning of Yehovah (Jehovah)?*

According to Easton's Bible Dictionary "Jehovah - the special and significant name (not merely an appellative title such as Lord [Adonai]) by which God revealed himself to the ancient Hebrews ( Exodus 6:2 Exodus 6:3 ). This name, the Tetragrammaton of the Greeks, was held by the later Jews to be so sacred that it was never pronounced except by the high priest on the great Day of Atonement, when he entered into the most holy place. Whenever this name occurred in the sacred books they pronounced it, as they still do, "Adonai" (i.e., Lord), thus using another word in its stead. The Massorets gave to it the vowel-points appropriate to this word. This Jewish practice was founded on a false interpretation of Leviticus 24:16. The meaning of the word appears from Exodus 3:14 to be "the unchanging, eternal, self-existent God," the "I am that I am," a covenant-keeping God. (Compare Malachi 3:6; Hosea 12:5; Revelation 1:4 Revelation 1:8.)

The Hebrew name "Jehovah" is generally translated in the Authorized Version (and the Revised Version has not departed from this rule) by the word LORD printed in small capitals, to distinguish it from the rendering of the Hebrew Adonai and the Greek Kurios, which are also rendered Lord, but printed in the usual type. The Hebrew word is translated "Jehovah" only in Exodus 6:3; Psalms 83:18; Isaiah 12:2; 26:4..."

Let us look at some examples:

I Kings 18:24 says

Then you call on the name of your Elohim, and I will call on the name Yehovah, and the Elohim who answers by fire, He is Elohim.

Isaiah 60:19 says

No longer will you have the sun for light by day, nor for brightness will the moon give you light, but you will have Yehovah for an everlasting light, and your Elohim for your glory.

The ancient Israelites used the name as a blessing in daily life. Ruth 2:4 gives us an example. It says:

Now behold, Boaz came from Bethlehem and said to the reapers "May Yehovah be with you." And they answered him, "May Yehovah bless you."

## THE FALL FEASTS

This month of Tishrei is a month of festivals or feasts of Jehovah. There are 7 feasts in the Old Testament calendar (Lev 23). The second lot of feasts occur in the fall (autumn) during the month of Tishrei. This is a season of many ritual festivals. The Israelites made offerings to Jehovah every month in praise, and worship and normal burnt offerings. The 7th month marked the beginning of a new cycle of life. Therefore, they blew the silver trumpets to mark this new beginning during Feast of Trumpets [Rosh H'shanah]. It also marks the beginning of the Biblical new civil year calendar.

During the autumn/fall creation prepares for the coming winter season. Creatures like ants and other hibernators gather food in summer and autumn and store it up in preparation for winter rest and recuperation. It is a time of the late harvest for crops that mature during late summer. There is a drying up and dying off of leaves and plants that had blossomed and borne fruit during spring and summer months as they prepare for the starkness of winter.

*Rosh H'shanah begins at sundown on October 2 to sundown on October 3, 2016.*

Feast of Trumpets [Rosh H'shanah] is suggestive of a futuristic event; the second coming of the Messiah.

This was a time of rejoicing. Pray that Jehovah will fill kingdom citizens with His joy. Pray that Jehovah will clothe you with a garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness. Is 61:3, Neh 8:10

Read 2 Chron 5:12-13; 1 Pet 1:8; Ps 95:1-3; Zep 3:17 Pray that Jehovah should also be mighty in your midst and rejoice over all His people all over the world with joy and singing

The 10 days of awe that follow the Feast Of Trumpets are days of ever increasing praise and worship to Jehovah. They are days when you acknowledge more and more the awesomeness of Jehovah. It prepares people to see their sin for what it is before a Holy and Awesome Jehovah when they come to the day of Atonement. Take time to have days of worship and praise to Jehovah. Let it be a time to seek Him and ask Him to reveal to you His Almighty, His awesomeness, Who He is as opposed to whom you have made Him to be in comparison with the circumstances around you.

Read Joel 2 Pray that during these days Jehovah will reveal to you the reality of the Day of the LORD you will give account for your life before Jehovah either when He returns or when you die and depart from earth. Pray that the reality of that season will help you, and the Body of Christ at large, to change the way you pray, the way you are working and your focus, the seriousness to accomplish the Great Commission, and the way you relate to other people.

*Yom Kippur (Day of Atonement) - sundown October 11 to sundown October 12, 2016*

Day of Atonement [Yom Kippur] is a day which Jesus fulfilled by His final sacrifice on Calvary. Pray that in this season, the Ecclesia will recognize the need to reach the nations with the Great Commission to fulfill the purpose for which Jesus fulfilled this feast.

Pray that many Jewish people who observe religiously this season oblivious to the fact that Jesus has already fulfilled this feast on the Cross, will receive a visitation of the risen Jesus as they seek Him in their observances and ignorance.

The other part of the prophetic fulfillment of this day is an eschatological event when Jesus will be at-one with His bride. Pray that you and kingdom citizens in your territory will develop a desire and longing for the coming of Jesus and thus be prepared for our Bridegroom and we will not be like the 5 foolish virgins who were unprepared. Rev 22:17. Matt 25:1-13

*Sukk'ot (Feast of Tabernacles) - (first day) sundown October 16 to sundown October 17, 2016.*

*Sukk'ot (Feast of Tabernacles) - (eighth day) sundown October 23 to sundown October 24, 2016.*

The 7-day Feast of Tabernacles [Sukk'ot] will begin on 16th October 2016. Declare Psalm 90. Pray that the Jehovah will bring you to a fresh understanding of the role of the Holy Spirit as the One who constantly tabernacles with you.

Pray that you will be sensitive to the Holy Spirit and commune with Him more and more, you will build yourself up as you pray in the Holy Spirit. Pray this for the Ecclesia

The Feast of Tabernacles also depicts a futuristic event when Jesus will tabernacle with His Ecclesia forever. Pray that kingdom citizens will operate with view of this future event and to live lives that will find us worthy to tabernacle with Jehovah.

In this season of key Feasts of Jehovah, pray that many Jews worldwide, who are earnestly seeking for the Messiah, will find that Jesus is the fulfillment of every feast. Ask Jehovah to cause them to have encounters with Him, during the feast days, and that many will have the veil lifted off their face, to behold the Messiah Jesus for who He truly is - the awaited Messiah.

In many cultures, this is the season for the celebration of festivals and renewal of covenants with their deities; thus fortifying their altars as power bases. This 31<sup>st</sup> October to brings a pagan celebration of Halloween; the ungodly "new year" and the All Hallows mass respectively.

All these unGODly festivals are marked by offerings and sacrifices to their gods. It is a season of religious processions, music, dancing and theatrical exhibitions; a time of sporting activities, relaxation, joy, etc. Even

the dead and idle were not forgotten e.g. Cheung Yeung Festival for tomb-sweeping in Hong Kong and ancestral worship, in Japan known as Choyo. In various African cultures graves are also cleaned in this season to appease ancestors and for the participants to assure themselves that they too will be taken care of when they die.

## WHAT SHOULD WE BE DOING AS KINGDOM CITIZENS IN THE NATIONS?

Jesus instructed us in Matthew 28:19-20 (Hebrew Gospel of Matthew) to: "Go and teach them to carry out all things which I have commanded you forever."

This is what Paul did in Ephesus and in three years there was national transformation. Paul proclaimed the whole will of God Acts 20:27. As we pray for transformation in our nations what are we supposed to teach them? He said "to carry out all things that He had commanded". We must teach them what the Bible says about family, government, politics...about all the spheres of society. We are called to be a transforming influence in society. The Bible provides us with a frame of reference for life.

The Jubilee Centre has over the past 30 years researched extensively around promoting good and right relationships at personal, organizational and public policy levels, as a practical expression of the biblical vision of society. Visit them on the web at [www.jubilee-centre.org](http://www.jubilee-centre.org) for resources to help you to teach them. If we don't teach them how will they know what to do?

"Jesus is Lord" is one of the most radical realities of Christianity. It means that He is the Supreme Ruler over ALL.

Jesus was commissioned by God the Father to come to earth, destroy the works of the Devil, and restore that which was lost. Jesus OBEYED everything the Father told Him to do. When Jesus left the earth He gave His followers the same commission He had received from the Father - Go reconcile the human family to the Father, destroy the works of the Devil, and restore that which was lost. Proclaiming Jesus as Lord means we are to OBEY what He commands us to do. You are not saved to go to heaven: You are saved to bring heaven to the earth. Matthew 6:10 -- "Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven." ( From <http://www.the-covenant-kingdom.com> )

This month as you pray through this guide ask Jehovah to show you what He would have you do to bring heaven to the earth.

## PRAYING THRU THE MONTH

- As a gateway into the last quarter of the Gregorian calendar year, command the gates of the month to be lifted up to allow the King of glory to enter and take possession so He will take charge of the entire month and rule it the way He wants. That way, all their orchestrations for the month will be thwarted. (Ps 24:7-10)
- The final lap is usually the most tedious, but it is the one which the greatest strength is reserved for, in order to finish well. Pray for a manifestation of great strength to finish the year well in this final quarter.
- Read Matt 13:23 and Ask Jehovah to prepare you to become the kind of good ground that will receive His word, and bring forth a bumper harvest. Pray this for your family, Ecclesia and territory
- Pray that any surplus harvest which was meant to be your portion will come to you and any that was meant to be released as seed for future harvest will be released with joy from your hand.
- Read Prov 6:6-11 This is a month of preparing to go into hibernation. Just like the little ants, which gather all summer and autumn so that they can be prepared for the hibernation and Sabbath season of rest and recuperation, prepare to take up more times of communing with Jehovah as the year winds down to a close. Take prolonged seasons of reflection, word study, song ministration to Jehovah in this jubilee season.
- Read Matt 8:24-27 These are turbulent times morally, financially, politically, socially and even in weather patterns. No matter what turbulence there is in the world, the seasons of Jehovah continue unperturbed. Nature prepares to go into hibernation during this season while men fret and are tossed about. Resting has an inference of trusting. Pray that your trust in Jehovah will increase in this season and you will enter into His rest no matter the circumstances you are in. As you rest in Him, may the great storms bring about a great calm; pray for your family, Ecclesia and territory

- Read Psalm 32:6-7: Even as Noah's family was saved in the ark, ask Jehovah to create an ark for you, a hiding place while the world is drowning in human and natural disasters and refuses to receive Jehovah's prophetic directions
- Read Mark 4:14,16-17 Persecution comes for the sake of the word. Are you going thru a tough season? Could it be that every persecution the enemy has targeted you with, is to attempt to kill the incorruptible seed of the word of Jehovah concerning your life and circumstance? Could it be that there is enough of the word of Jehovah through prophetic words, through scriptural proclamations that have been planted in your life to attract the enemy's persecution? Is it time to rejoice or be despondent about your circumstance? If your situation has been one of great trial and challenge after challenge, then it informs you that there is something worth fighting for growing inside you. Once it bears fruit, once it manifests, it will be a limitless amount of seed to bless you and bless others. Ask Jehovah to open your eyes so you can see the truth against every lying physical circumstance that may cause you to unspeak the seed of His word in your life and circumstance.
- Read James 5:7-10, and Take time to revisit all the prophetic words, all the scripture proclamations you have had over the past season. Have you been believing Jehovah for healing? Have you been believing Him for provision or for promotion? Does the opposite seem to be true instead? Then the enemy is persecuting you for the sake of the word. It is by your words that you will either water and nurture the seed of the word planted in your life or by your words that you will uproot that seed, never to germinate. Which one will it be? Present yourself and each word before Jehovah and deliberately examine where the enemy has brought a counterfeit circumstance to rob you of the truth.
- Read Isa 40:8, Psa 103:20, Matt 5:18, 24:35 Remember that the enemy was defeated 2000 years ago. He has absolutely no power, no authority to do anything to you. The only power he has, the only authority he has is the one which you give him when you acknowledge his wily activities or listen to the circumstances that are contrary to Jehovah's promises in Scripture. The enemy does whatever it takes around you, to cause you to speak negatively to uproot the seed of words planted in your life. He has absolutely no authority in his words because he is a fallen angel and angels will only hearken to the voice of our words or the words of Jehovah because ONLY HUMAN BEINGS have the authority and power to uproot and undo the word of Jehovah which otherwise never fails to come to pass! Ask the Holy Spirit to remind you and bring a revelation of this truth in your life so you are always alert with regard to every word you speak.
- Read Psa 19:14 and 104:34; When we doubt the promises of Jehovah concerning our lives and begin to say things like "maybe it is not Jehovah's will to heal everyone", "Maybe this is a test He has "allowed", "Maybe He has "allowed" this suffering for a reason" "this is judgment of the Jehovah over X situation"; then we have allowed the physical persecution of the enemy, the circumstances around us to dictate our actions and speech and we impute a good, loving Jehovah with wickedness. By such speech which imputes the Jehovah with evil actions, we begin to uproot the word of life in us. All His wrath, His judgment was finished in Jesus on the Cross; that is why we are accepted in the beloved by UNMERITED favor. Would you look back and bring repentance for those areas where you let the temporal physical circumstances make you speak contrary to the truth of the word of Jehovah.

To counter every lying "reality" around you, speak the word of Jehovah against that circumstance; whether it is sickness, lack, failure, area of bondage. Proclaiming the truth of the word against the lie will water the seed of Jehovah's word in your life and bring fruit in due season. Proclaim healing scriptures against illness, proclaim scriptures of success against failure, proclaim scriptures of prosperity against lack and poverty. The Bible is full of words that water your situation into fruition. It is a deliberate choice whose report you will believe concerning your situation.

- Read Psa 141:2-3 Prov 18:20-21, Deut 30:19, Prov 5:8. Notice that when the word comes, you receive it joyfully but the enemy will ensure that which is beginning to take root is uprooted by your own utterances that counter the truth Ask Jehovah to send an angel to guard your tongue in this season so you will speak only that which will help the word in your life to grow, and you will remain silent when it is required of you. It means the season of whining and being "angry with Jehovah" and allowing yourself childish tantrums in the name of "being real" is over. You now know that it is by your own mouth you will have success or you will fail. Life and death is in the power of the tongue and those who love it will eat the fruit thereof. Choose life, speak life and reject speaking or even hearing anything contrary to it until fruition happens.
- Read Mark 4:26-29 Sometimes when there is inactivity, it does not necessarily mean that you have done something wrong, or that the enemy has triumphed in your life. It means that it's between the planting and harvest of the word- a time of sleeping; waiting without activity. Ask the Holy Spirit to give you patience, and a restful disposition as you wait for the seed of prophetic words to take root and germinate.

- How will you know what Jehovah is saying when you do not read, study, meditate on, or listen to Scriptures? Read Prov 15:23, Isa 50:4-5, Mal 2:7, 2 Tim 2:15 & 4:2, Luke 12:42-43, Heb 13:15: Today we listen to a lot of teaching of scriptures by men's interpretation; but we hardly give ourselves time to just read study meditate or even listen to the Scripture on its own. In this last quarter, and as we enter this new gates of seasons, the Jehovah declares that we must be serious with His Word. Only His word will renew our minds, and change the lenses thru which we look at all the shifting circumstances with His Word as our benchmark and plumb-line. Only then will we be able to receive all the blessing while the world around us conflagrates. Ask the Holy Spirit to put His word in your mouth so that you will always speak a word in season, you will read and meditate on the word, and out of your mouth will come forth life and hope as you determine to focus more on the word in this season.
- This is a good season to take time out, rest and do the Bible Marathon; reading the entire Bible or the entire New Testament over a number of days. You may make an email request for the Bible Marathon program so as to select which program you will take over a period in this season. (ref The Bible Marathon: Culled from Dealing with evil foundations @ the Gates and watches)

What are you experiencing in this season? Jesus already looked at every possible probability and already made a provision for it, calculated what it would cost to redeem it. Then He paid the price for it on the greatest Altar ever raised, Calvary. So there is nothing that we can ever experience, no sickness, no poverty, no condition that was not anticipated. When we turn our situations over to Him, He already has the solution. That is why He said we can ask and will receive, seek and we will find and knock and door will be opened. It was an open cheque for WHOSOEVER WILL.

- Everything that Jesus died for on the Cross is Jehovah's will for your life; health, strength, wealth, peace, joy, forgiveness of sins, breaking of bondages etc. Proclaim Isa 53, Gal 1:4, 2:20, Rom 8:32, 1 Cor 15:3, Rom 4:25, Tit 2:14, 1 Pet 2:24-25 and declare that each of those things He died for are the will of Jehovah for you and kingdom citizens everywhere.
- He gave us the power that raised Jesus from the dead inside of us and the power inside must be stirred up by faith and it will heal everything. No recession can happen to you when you trust that the Jehovah will supply your need. He is aware of any financial challenge and the Jehovah is already aware of it and made a way to escape and rest in Him. Instead of saying, 'Jehovah do something' if you rest in Jehovah you will rather say 'Jehovah You knew this would come so reveal to me the solution. Holy Spirit help me to access the solution and show me how to pray concerning it until it comes to manifestation.'
- When you watch a wrestling match with a tag-team i.e. teams of two wrestlers fighting against another team of two wrestlers; you will notice that only one of the team can enter into the ring at a time, to fight. When he becomes overwhelmed, in the heat of the fight, it is when he stretches out his hand so that his tag-team partner can step in and take over from him while he remains inactive and rests outside the ring. The only thing he can do is encourage the partner, praise him and cheer him on.
- Read Hab 3:17-19, Psa 68:1-4, Most kingdom citizens, when going through the heat of the fight and in overwhelming situations, that is when they increase their focus on the fight, rather than reach out to their eternal tag-team partner Jesus, to step into the ring and take over the fight while they step out and cheer Him on to victory. That is rather, the time to take off, switch off that phone, go somewhere and rest - literally.

When all is going haywire, and you choose to go and spend time in the presence of Jehovah, praising Him, worshipping Him and simply losing focus on all else but Him – not whining and complaining about the hard times; then your actions say that you trust Him to step into your ring and take over every situation. This is not an easy thing to do, but it is a very effective message of trust and faith in the Jehovah.

- Ask the Holy Spirit to remind you, in the heat of the battle, to step aside and let Jesus take over. Remember He won this battle 2000 years ago and He steps in to remind the enemy that It is already done!
- Read Exod 14:10-14 Are you are going through a very difficult season, plagued with exhaustion, loss of focus, loss of relationship, lack of joy or creativity. Could it be that Jehovah would have you find a time to simply step out of that particular ring and literally rest – be inactive in your mind, your spirit and your body. Taking LITERAL rest is a decision. It does not mean that pressure is not high or that you have time. You create time for rest. Only you can allow your tag-team partner Jesus, to step in and fight for you. If you have never thought to ask Jehovah to become your tag team partner, this is a good season to invite Him into your life.
- Read Col 3:3 Just like the animals that prepare to hibernate ask Jehovah to take you through a dying off of the old carnal nature , and an entering into rest in Him.

The number 1 denotes supremacy, the beginning – pray that in this season of beginnings; you will put Jehovah first in every aspect of your life and ministry.

Choose to trust in Jehovah in this season. Pray that kingdom citizens everywhere will be totally dependent on Jehovah. Ask Jehovah how He would have you operate in TRUST of Him in every aspect of your life. (Joh 14:26, Gen 2:1-3, Heb 3:7-4:6, 10) This has to do with trusting Jehovah. In this season ask Jehovah to reveal to you areas where you have operated by trusting the arm of flesh and repent of those areas where you have been limited by your income or lack thereof, your medical insurance or lack thereof, your occupation, your intellect and education, your connections etc.

The number 7 signifies Sabbath rest, the number of perfection, a complete cycle. As individuals, how do we in this seventh month, observe the Sabbath rest in our lives?

So there remains a Sabbath rest for the people of GOD. For the one who has entered His rest has himself also rested from his works, as God did from His.... Heb 4:9-10

The writer of Hebrews likens it to the Sabbath rest in Gen 2.1. It is not automatic because in v11 we are exhorted to labor to enter into that rest. What type of rest did Jehovah enter in? Jehovah was not exhausted and then decided to rest from creation. He rested i.e. He had done every single thing that would ever need to be done, made every provision and there couldn't possibly any other thing He needed to add to creation. It was perfected, complete, finished.

At the end of the 6th day that he created man and man entered into rest where everything was anticipated and created in advance of God creating him. Jehovah anticipated every need that mankind will ever have. He created oxygen for 7 billion people today when there were only 2 humans on earth. He has never had to create another atom or another cow.

He had already anticipated every need, ever catastrophe, every growth of population, every technological gadget that would ever be needed and made provision for it. He did not get shocked that mankind needed mobile phones and computers that He must create what was required for it. Man just has to harness it from the earth because it was already provided for. Jehovah gave us wisdom to turn them into parts that we ever need.

- The number 10 signifies the perfection of divine order. Is there any sense of disorder in your life, family or in your territory? Pray that during the coming month, the Holy Spirit Who brings order into any chaotic, formless or void situation will brood over your life, over as many kingdom citizens as are seeking His stability and in your territory
- Read Rev 22:2, and pray that the virtues of the fruit for the 1st, 7th and 10<sup>th</sup> month will be released in your life, the Ecclesia and your territory.
- Pray concerning any areas of healing that you require in your own life, in your family, among kingdom citizens and in your territory. Ask that Jehovah will release this coming month's portion of the leaves from the tree of life which are for the healing of the nations.

*Is this the month of your birth?*

- Is this the month of your birth? Pray that every virtue that the number 1,7 and 10 signify will be your portion. You will enjoy a second chance in an area where there seemed to be no such hope, you will enjoy a new beginning of blessing, favor and every jubilee virtue, and you will begin to find stability where there has been instability, you will experience divine order where there has been disorder and you will enter new levels of responsibility in your family life, work life and ministry.
- Pray that the day of your birth will be marked as blessed, full of life vigor and health.
- Pray that because of your birth, the earth will experience relief, destinies of people you encounter will be fulfilled, and every person and place you appear in will become better, because you were born.
- You may pray for yourself on the weekday of your birth, on a weekly basis that every one of the virtues of this month will be evidenced by all creation because you were born on that particular weekday.

## COUNTERFEIT FESTIVALS

### *Halloween/ All Soul's Day and Death Festivals*

October 31st – Halloween developed from ancient New Year festivals of the dead (the Celtic festival of Samhain). The Catholic Church in A.D. 800's established ALL Saints Day on November 1 so that people could continue a festival they had celebrated before becoming Kingdom citizens. The mass said on that day is called All Hallows Mass. The evening before became known as All Halloween.

In the western world and increasingly in urban areas in developing nations, children wear costumes on Halloween and go trick-or-treating. At Halloween parties, people enjoy such activities as fortune – telling, hearing stories about ghosts and witches and celebrating the festival of the dead which includes grave sweeping, channeling spirits of the dead and getting in touch with familiar spirits of dead loved ones. Unfortunately, kingdom citizens also involve themselves in these festivals without realizing that festivals are originally covenant renewal activities whether they are the Festivals of Jehovah or counterfeit festivals derived by men for demon –deities. In participating we renew covenants which we do not even understand the real significance of what we are renewing.

- Read Psa 118:24, Psa 19:1-2 Declare that October 31 is the day that Jehovah has made. It must declare His glory rather than obey the instructions from voices in the kingdom of darkness.
- Read Col 2:14-15, Heb 12:24; Blot out with the blood of Jesus, silence with the voice of His blood, every written or spoken ordinance that is contrary to kingdom citizens during those festivals;
- Proclaim Psa 29 and utter the voice of Jehovah over every incantation, curse, hex, ill-spoken word that invokes demon-deities. Proclaim Psa 118 and Gal 3.13-14 to nullify every counter- utterance over kingdom citizens during these seasons.
- You notice that for over a decade the media has become increasingly involved in producing occult productions like Harry Potter, Twilight Zone, Bewitched, Ghost whisperer even cartoons, toys and games. By watching such programs and movies, and playing such games, the enemy's motive is to ensure that masses are desensitized to gross wickedness, murder, diabolic behavior. Involving one-self in such demonic activity has become entertainment yet the effects are real and have opened doors for the kingdom of darkness to find entrance into homes through music, movies, games and the like. Ask Jehovah to renew your mind and the mind of all kingdom citizens to begin to see that WE ARE WHAT WE WATCH and to recognize the real danger lurking behind the wicked comedy, intrigue, horror and all other such media.
- Pray that Jehovah will raise kingdom citizens who will develop creative media which will be an alternative to what is being spewed out in the Education system, media, arts, sports and culture.
- Read Matt 28:19a; 1 Tim 2:7; 2 Tim 4:2-4 It is the responsibility of the Ecclesia to educate the world about the spiritual dangers involved in such festivals. Pray that Jehovah will reveal to you and to kingdom citizens in the education and media sector these truths.
- Declare John 5.21-26 & 11.25, that Jesus is the resurrection and the life in every area where men have deified the dead and death, thus carrying out various ceremonies like sweeping the graves, using Feng Shui interior decorating which was originally meant to draw powers from the grave into homes etc.

## PRAISE AND WORSHIP MARATHON

There are various praise and worship altars that Jehovah has instructed to be erected during this season. Please send us an email if you would like to join in either of these times of non-stop prayer, praise, worship and proclamation of the word:

1. There will be a 96 hours non-stop praise and worship event occurring from to 9th November to 13th November, 2016 at the LogosRhema Fellowship Center in Ghana and will be streamed live for those who would like to participate for segments of the events.
2. There will be a 168 hour nonstop thanksgiving, praise and worship and praying the Word event in South Africa by Global Harvest Ministries from October 24 to October 31, 2016 for which interested participants are invited to attend or slot times when they will take up an hour or more from their various nations. if you are interested kindly send an email requesting further information.

## GATES OF ECONOMY AND FINANCE

- Please pray through the guide on economy and finance (you will find it on our website) as we have entered that season where this battle for ownership of the earth has reached its peak. Pray that you will be found as one of those who will actively pray for and work in a way that will establish the purposes of the Kingdom and possess this gate for the kingdom by your prayer action, prophetic proclamations, the work of your hands, kingdom principles of economy – sowing into the kingdom, working with integrity and obedience to Jehovah's directions.

## PRAYING FOR THE NATIONS

*Please use these prayer points as you pray for the nations below*

- Pray for the victims- that Jehovah would comfort them, pray that family members will be reunited.
- Pray for healing and mercy - God is our comfort and strength Psalm 46:1, Psalm 57:1-2
- Pray for wisdom and safety for those responding to the people in need. Pray for the safety of the
- rescue workers.
- Pray for the Body of Christ in the nation. Pray that the Body of Christ will be a witness to God's
- compassion and care for all who suffer. God is inviting us to be His watchmen in prayer and find Him as our refuge in hard times.

### *Israel*

- On 6th October 1973 the Arab-Israeli war commenced. This year marks the 43rd anniversary of that war. Many who were affected by that war revive bitter memories of the war and stir up hatred for Israel. Pray that during this particular month, Jehovah will raise Arab and Jewish Kingdom citizens, who will begin to use these emotions to turn to Him and bring these people groups before Him.
- One out of every five people in Israel--including tens of thousands of Holocaust survivors are living in poverty. A fifth of the people are below the poverty line. Proclaim Psa 83, 122 and Isa 49 over Israel in this season.

### *Egypt*

The number of bodies recovered after a migrant boat capsized off the Egyptian coast on Wednesday has reached at least 162, as the search continues.

The boat was carrying between 450 and 600 migrants when it sank eight miles (12km) off the port city of Rosetta. It was transporting Egyptian, Syrian, Sudanese, Eritrean and Somali migrants. Authorities said at least 163 people have been rescued but survivors told the BBC that hundreds more may have drowned.

### *Syria*

Half of Syria's pre-war population of 22 million have been forced from their homes.

An estimated 6 million are in Syria, with more than 4 million others largely in neighbouring countries. Turkey is now home to 2.5 million Syrians – more than the pre-war population of Aleppo, Syria's largest city – and millions live in camps in Jordan, Lebanon and Iraq. Hundreds of thousands have made the perilous journey to Europe, contributing to the biggest movement of people through the continent since the second world war.

Syria's conflict is both a civil war and a proxy war, with Syrians divided by political and sectarian allegiances and backed by rival powers. It also includes a US-led fight against Islamic State, while Kurdish groups capture territory from Isis and rebel groups fleeing Russian bombs.

The government side includes the Syrian army and loyalist militia from the ruling Assad dynasty's Alawite sect. Iran and the Iran-backed Shia militia Hezbollah were early backers: Hezbollah has fought on the ground and

Iranian Revolutionary Guard officers led Shia militia fighters from Iraq and Afghanistan against the rebels. The deployment of the Russian air force from late 2015 dramatically turned the battle for Aleppo in the government's favour.

The rebel side's principal grouping includes the Free Syrian Army's brigades and factions, the conservative Islamist Ahrar al-Sham and the al-Qaida-aligned Nusra Front. Saudi Arabia, a regional rival of Iran, has backed the rebels with arms and training, as has Turkey and Qatar. A \$500m US programme to train moderate rebels was abandoned in October 2015.

Rebels gained control of much of north-east Syria in 2015 when a coalition called the Army of Conquest united the Nusra Front, al-Qaida's Syrian wing, with conservative Islamist factions. Russian intervention followed, shoring up the regime, and by early 2016 giving it much-needed momentum. A ceasefire was called in March 2016 as a pro-Assad offensive came close to encircling rebels in Aleppo and tens of thousands of refugees were pushed to the Turkish border. Attacks are still permitted against Nusra and Isis, who control much of the country's north and eastern desert. Kurdish paramilitaries have profited from both the US and Russian aerial campaigns, seizing large tracts of land from Isis and even encroaching on rebel-held territory around Aleppo.

The collapse of peacemaking, and Assad's decision to launch an all-out assault on the last big urban area still in rebel hands, appears to mark a turning point in a conflict that was stalemated for years. Assad and his allies seem more determined than ever to crush the nearly six-year-old rebellion by force.

## USA

On September 20-21, 2016 Riots started in Charlotte, North Carolina in response to the shooting of Keith Lamont Scott by officers. What started as a protest turned violent. Protesters were hijacking trucks, looting their contents then setting them on fire. Traffic on Interstate Highway 275 was stopped, forcing the occupants to drive while rioters sat on top of their vehicles. At the site of the shooting police vehicles were destroyed, and nearby the windows at the Omni Ritz Hotel were shattered. Looting occurred at a Walmart in northeastern Charlotte as well as a CVS pharmacy, a convenience store, and the Charlotte Hornets team store in Uptown Charlotte. After 12 officers were injured, the use of tear gas was approved to disperse the crowds. The National Guard and the North Carolina Highway Patrol were also called in.

The US Presidential elections will be held in November. Please continue to pray into these elections.

## NATIONAL DAYS

1. People's Republic of China 1 October (Proclamation of People's Republic of China in 1949)
2. Cyprus 1 October (Independence from United Kingdom in 1960)
3. Czech Republic 28 October (Independence from Austria Hungary in 1918)
4. Egypt 6 October (Arab-Israeli War 1973)
5. Equatorial Guinea, 12 October (Independence from Spain in 1968)
6. Fiji 10 October (Fiji Independence day from United Kingdom in 1970)
7. Germany 3 October (German Unity Day, unification of West Germany and East Germany in 1990)
8. Greece 28 October (Ohi Day rejection of Italian ultimatum in 1941)
9. Hungary, 23 October (The day of the Republic, 1956 Revolution memorial day)
10. India, 2 October (Birthday of Mahatma Gandhi, Founder of the Nation)
11. Iraq 3 (Independence from United Kingdom in 1932)
12. Kazakhstan Independence from the USSR in 1991)
13. Lesotho 4 October (Independence from the United Kingdom in 1966)
14. Nigeria 1 October (Independence from United Kingdom in 1960 (and republic 1963)
15. St Vincent and the Grenadines 27 October (independence day from United Kingdom in 1979)
16. Spain 12 October (Hispanic day Columbus discovery of America 1492)
17. Republic of China (commonly known as "Taiwan") double ten day (10 October (establishment of the republic (in China in 1911)
18. Turkey 29 October (Republic Day (Cumhuriyet Bayramı), republican constitution in 1923)
19. Turkmenistan 27 October (Declaration of independence from the Soviet Union in 1991)
20. Tuvalu 1 October (Independence from the United Kingdom in 1978)
21. Uganda 9 October (Independence from the United Kingdom in 1962, also republic)

## 22. Zambia 24 October (Declaration of independence from United Kingdom In 1964)

- Prophetically proclaim Psa 33.11-12, 144.15, Prov 14.34 over these 22 nations as they mark another national milestone. Pray that kingdom citizens in these nations will cause them to be blessed nations whose God is Jehovah.
- Pray for a more visible Ecclesia in each of these nations especially China and Russia and the Islamic nations where they have been suppressed. Pray that Jehovah will give wisdom for kingdom citizens to present themselves, their gospel through various media and creative ways of fulfilling the Great Commission in each of these nations.
- Pray that gatherings will be peaceful, and more kingdom citizens will use these national days to gather in prayers of dedication, repentance and renewal for their nations.

## NATIONAL ELECTIONS

- 2 October:
    - Cape Verde | President
    - Colombia | Peace agreement plebiscite
    - Hungary | Referendum
  - 7 October: Morocco | Parliament
  - 7–8 October: Czech Republic | Senate (1st Round)
  - 8 October: Georgia | Parliament
  - 9 October:
    - Haiti | President | Parliament and Senate
    - Lithuania | Parliament
  - 14–15 October: Czech Republic | Senate (2nd Round)
  - 15 October: Afghanistan | Parliament
  - 16 October: Montenegro | Parliament
  - 29 October: Iceland | Parliament
  - 30 October: Moldova | President
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- Pray for the above nations as they prepare for various elections. Pray that the shalom of Jehovah will rest upon them during this seasons when levels of tension may escalate.
  - Pray for kingdom citizens to actively participate in voting for leaders who will guide the nation in the direction of Jehovah.
  - Pray that Jehovah-fearing leaders will emerge in these nations at various levels of leadership to steer them toward the purposes of Jehovah in preparation for the end-time revival to come.
  - Pray that there shall be fairness and freedom in the election process in each territory

## PRAYING THRU THE HEAVENS

For further information concerning the importance of understanding the heavens and praying through the events in the heavens, download “Understanding the Heavens” from our website or make an email request. It is important to read and understand the purpose and power of this section of the guide so that you do not confuse this with demonic practices of astrology and its attendant negative sciences of the heavens.

### *Lunar Events*

Last Quarter moon will occur on 22nd October 2016 @ 19:14 UTC and First quarter moon will occur on 9th October 2016@ 04:33 UTC.

When the shape of the moon looks like a D or its mirror image (quarter moons), it is a bow. Marabouts and those who prognosticate using the quarter moon’s influences, shoot arrows of destruction at the righteous.

- Read Gen 1:14-17, Psa 104:19 Command the quarter moons to praise Jehovah. Command the heavens to only respond to the bidding of their Maker, and to do what He created them to do – give Him pleasure

and display His glory. To be great lights providing light. To be signs and to mark the times and seasons. They should not be engaged in any other activity, which is not permitted by Jehovah.

- Pray that as the moon waxes the things you have prophesied into the month will also grow toward their maturity and as the moon begins to wane the prophetic seed you planted in the new moon will begin to bear fruit during the final quarter of the month.
- Prophetically proclaim and pray through Isa 44:24-25 over every unGODly manipulator and practitioner of the firmamental heavens.
- Proclaim Psalm 64 over your life and kingdom citizens during each quarter moon.
- Proclaim Psalm 91 over your life and the Ecclesia. Prophesy that because of your presence in the territory, no arrow that flies nor pestilence that stalks nor destruction and sudden death that lay waste shall befall you or anything or person linked to you in any way.

This month the New Moon will occur on 1st October 2016 @ 00:11 UTC and on 30th October 2016 @ 17:38 UTC.

When the shape of the new moon is like a C or its mirror image it is a crescent; The occult use the crescent moon as sickles (e.g. Hecate's sickle), for harvesting the gains of the ignorant and for demonic strength and fortification through intense enchantments. Some of the religious leaders will chant one word or a phrase more than 1000 times to manipulate the heavens for their own unfair advantage.

- Read Psa 104:19, 136:7-9; At the new moon praise Jehovah for creating the moon for marking times and seasons. Every other manipulation be rendered powerless.
- Read Psalm 81; Praise Jehovah during this new moon and is a season of heightened intercession as you usher in the new month. Take time to gather as an individual or in your family and worship Him for the new month. Proclaim Psalm 24:7-10 over the gates of the new month as its marked by the new moon. Plant prophetic seeds of prayer by prophesying good things you want to see within the month concerning your life, family, the Ecclesia and your territory. These should be very specific and short term results you want to see by the end of this cycle of the moon this time next month.
- Hecate is a demon goddess of dark places often associated with familiar spirits, ghosts (djinn) and sorcery. Proclaim Isaiah 60:18-20 over every gate of your life, over kingdom citizens and your territory at large. Whatever does not praise Jehovah and bring redemption cannot be allowed in your life and territory during the new moon.
- Proclaim Rev 14:14-20 and ask Jesus to send His own harvester angels who are the true harvesters, to stop every counterfeit spirit that comes to reap the gains of the righteous and bring untimely death and destruction
- Read Psa 60:4-5, Song of Sol 2:4; Pray that Jehovah Nissi our Banner shall be a covering over the territory with His protective love in this season.

Full moon will occur on 16th October 2016 @04:23 UTC.

During the full moon the gravitational pull of the moon causes a destabilization of waters of the earth. There is ebbing and flowing of the tides at its maximum. The human body is more than 70% water and therefore it gets affected by the moons gravitational pull. That is why many dogs will howl during the full moon, there is heightened sexual immorality, mental illness and other adverse effects.

- Proclaim Psa 148:3 As the moon is fully manifest, command it to praise Jehovah.
- Read Psa 18:29-45, 144:1-During the full moon season, increase your times of prayer and seeking Jehovah. Ask for discernment to know 2 how to pray and also do battle where it is required as the enemy also uses this season to carry out a lot of occult practices.
- Declare the shalom of Jehovah over all the waters of your body, and that of Kingdom citizens everywhere. You will not be adversely affected by the moon in the full moon season.
- Read Psa 121:5-6 Declare that the full moon will not smite you by night nor shall its gravitational pull affect you and kingdom citizens adversely.
- Read Deut 33:13-14 At the full moon the prophetic seeds of prayer for the month reach their maturity. Command the full moon to begin to release with its waning, the answers to prophetic seeds of prayer you made during the new moon.
- Command the full moon to begin to release its best for you and for kingdom citizens in your territory.

## Solar Events

The Sun has its longest sojourn within a constellation when it enters Virgo. From 16<sup>th</sup> September, the sun entered Virgo and it will remain in Virgo until 30 October 2016 before it moves into the constellation Libra. As the entire month the sun will remain in Virgo, kindly use the prayer guide from September 2016 to continue praying through the heavens. If you have not received this guide, refer to our website or request it by email. The November prayer guide will carry the guides for praying concerning the solar events as the sun sojourns in Libra.

## PROPHECIES FOR 2016

For Prophecies for this year and the past years, please visit our website. Continue to pray through these prophecies and also read through those from previous years as many are undergoing fulfillment now.

## PROCLAIM OVER CREATION:

YOUR WORD IS A LAMP FOR MY FEET, A LIGHT ON MY PATH. I HAVE TAKEN AN OATH AND CONFIRMED IT THAT I WILL FOLLOW YOUR RIGHTEOUS LAWS. I HAVE SUFFERED MUCH; PRESERVE MY LIFE, Jehovah, ACCORDING TO YOUR WORD. ACCEPT, Jehovah, THE WILLING PRAISE OF MY MOUTH, AND TEACH ME YOUR LAWS. THOUGH I CONSTANTLY TAKE MY LIFE IN MY HANDS, I WILL NOT FORGET YOUR LAW. THE WICKED HAVE SET A SNARE FOR ME, BUT I HAVE NOT STRAYED FROM YOUR PRECEPTS. YOUR STATUTES ARE MY HERITAGE FOREVER; THEY ARE THE JOY OF MY HEART. MY HEART IS SET ON KEEPING YOUR DECREES TO THE VERY END PSA 119:105-112.

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