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INFORMATION ABOUT THE MONTH OF MAY

The fifth (5th) month of the Gregorian calendar, May is named after the Roman goddess, MAIA. The worship of Mercury (to whom the planet is dedicated) was associated with the worship of the Roman goddess Maia who is identified as his mother by her association with the Greek goddess Maia – mother of Hermes. Both Mercury and Maia were honored in pagan festivals on May 15th the dedication day of the Temple of Mercury on the Aventine (built around 500 BC). The Romans believed that MERCURY was the god of merchandise and merchants, and is commonly identified with the Greek HERMES – the fleet-footed messenger of the gods.

Iyar is the second month on the Jewish calendar counting from Nissan. It is the period that starts on April 16, 2018 through May 14, 2018 in the Gregorian calendar. The name of this month, Iyar, spells an acronym for the phrase “I am the LORD your healer”.

Shortly after the Exodus, the thirsty Israelites reached a well of bitter water. Moses cast a tree into the water, and it miraculously became sweet. God then promised that if Israel followed His ways, “the diseases I have placed on Egypt I will not place upon you, for I am God your Healer (אני יי רפאך).” The acronym for this last phrase spells out the name of the month of Iyar (אייר), thus indicating that Iyar is a propitious time for healing

What does the unique nature of this month teach us about illness as well as healing? What role do we play in blocking or facilitating our own healing? Read more on the month of Iyar@ http://www.chabad.org/theJewishWoman/article_cdo/aid/2544447/jewish/A-Time-To-Heal.html



A refugee settlement in northern Uganda

Although Iyar does not contain many “special days,” every single day of the month is included in the Sefirat HaOmer counting—the mitzvah to count each of the 49 days between Passover and Shavuot. Sefirat HaOmer is a period of introspection and self-refinement, as we prepare ourselves to receive the Torah anew on Shavuot. Each day of Iyar represents another step in this spiritual journey toward Sinai.

The 14th day of Iyar is Pesach Sheni, “the second Passover.” This year it begins on the evening of Saturday, April 28, 2018 and ends on the evening of Sunday April 29, 2018. A year after the Exodus, God instructed the people of Israel to bring the Passover offering on the afternoon of the fourteenth of Nissan, and to eat it that evening, roasted over the fire, together with matzah and bitter herbs, as they had done the previous year just before they left Egypt.

“There were, however, certain persons who had become ritually impure through contact with a dead body, and could not, therefore, prepare the Passover offering on that day. They approached Moses and Aaron . . . and they said: ‘. . . Why should we be deprived, and not be able to present God’s offering in its time, amongst the children of Israel?’” (Numbers 9:6–7).

In response to their plea, God established the 14th of Iyar as a “Second Passover” (Pesach Sheni) for anyone who was unable to bring the offering on its appointed time in the previous month.

The day thus represents the “second chance” achieved by teshuvah, the power of repentance and “return.” In the words of Rabbi Yosef Yitzchak of Lubavitch, “The Second Passover means that it’s never a ‘lost case.’”

It is customary to mark this day by eating matzah, shmurah matzah if possible, and omitting Tachanun from the prayer services.

In the Torah it describes how God created this holiday at the request of those who, for reasons beyond their control, were unable to offer the paschal sacrifice in its proper time. One month later, they received a second chance. Pesach Sheni reminds us that it’s never too late. With sincere effort, yesterday’s missed opportunity can become today’s achievement.

Other special days in the month of Iyar are:

16 Iyar (May 1) The Manna

Manna, the “bread from heaven” which sustained the Children of Israel during their 40 years of wandering through the desert, began to fall on the 16th of Iyar of the year 2448 from creation—one month after the Exodus.

26 Iyar (May 11) - Six Day War

In the spring of 1967, the Arab capitals paraded their arms and openly spoke of overrunning the Land of Israel and casting its inhabitants into the sea. The international media was almost unanimous in its belief that the small Jewish state, outflanked and outgunned by its enemies, stood little chance of survival. It seemed that, for the second time in a generation, the world was going to stand by and allow the enemies of the Jewish people to slaughter them in the millions.

On Iyar 26 1967, (June 5, 1967), Israel launched preemptive strikes on its southern and northern frontiers. In just six days, the Jewish army defeated five Arab armies on three fronts and liberated territories of its promised homeland amounting to an area greater than its own size, including the Old City of Jerusalem and the Temple Mount.

The openly miraculous nature of Israel’s victory spawned a global awakening of the Jewish soul, fueling the already present and growing teshuvah movement of return to God and Jewish traditions. The Rebbe, Rabbi Menachem Mendel Schneerson, of righteous memory, called it a moment of biblical proportions, an “opportunity the likes of which has not been granted for thousands of years.” Many thousands of Jews flocked to put on tefillin and pray at the newly liberated Western Wall of the Temple Mount.

Intercessors it is time for serious prayers to possess the gates of the month of May. Decree and declare that you have apostolic authority and dominion in the regions where you live. Pray in line with Jeremiah 1:10. God has set you over the nations and kingdoms to root out, pull down, destroy, throw down satanic altars and to build and plant righteous altars.

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 (6th century BCE) is most likely Yahweh. The historical vocalization was lost because in Second Temple Judaism, during the 3rd to 2nd 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 12th century as Yehowah. The derived forms lehouah and Jehovah first appeared in the 16th 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 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.

The King James Version uses "JEHOVAH" 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 "Jesus" 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 Jehovah [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., Jehovah), 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 JEHOVAH printed in small capitals, to distinguish it from the rendering of the Hebrew Adonai and the Greek Kurios , which are also rendered Jehovah, 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: 1 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."

WHY ARE WE LOOKING AT THE BIBLICAL CALENDAR?

Our current Gregorian calendar is a solar calendar (it is based only on the length of a year as determined by the sun). The starting day of the year and the length of months are not based on any physical or Biblical principles but merely a happenstance of history.

The moon is given to mark Feasts—which are usually explained as a certain day of a certain month in the Bible: He appointed the moon for seasons [Hebrew moed means "festivals"]; The sun knows it's going down (Psalm 104:19, NKJV).

Blow the trumpet at the time of the New Moon, At the full moon, on our solemn feast day (Psalm 81:3, NKJV).

Genesis 1:14-16 also states that the sun and moon are the two great lights to indicate "festivals, days and years". The sun marks the days and years, but Festivals are in certain days of certain months—marked by the moon. The first day of a month ("new moon") was observed with a special meal in the Old Testament (1Sam 20:5, 2 Kings 4:23, Amos 8:5). That practice continued in the New Testament Col 2:16.

The practice will continue during the new heavens and new earth (Isa 66:23, Ezekiel 46:1,6). New moons were not the same as the annual Feast days in Leviticus 23—there is no specific command and explanation of how to keep them. But many verses say they were observed.

Most references to dates in the Bible are like those of Genesis 7:11: "In the six hundredth year of Noah's life, in the second month, the seventeenth day of the month..." The day and the month are numbered, but the year is given as a year of the persons' life, the year of a king's life, or the year from some big event.

Although months are generally referred to by number, there are two systems of naming them in the Bible. The first system uses Hebrew names, the second uses largely Babylonian names acquired when the Jews were in captivity in Babylon. The four Hebrew names are:

- Abib the first month (Ex 13:4, 23:15, 34:18, Deut. 16:1) • Zif the second month (1Kngs 6:1,37) • Ethanium the seventh month (1 Kings 8:2) • Bul the eighth month (1Kngs 6:38)

The original Hebrew names for the other months are apparently unknown. (From Biblical Calendar Basics, Third edition - April 2002).

As we seek to understand the times we will look at events that took place in each month as determined by the Biblical Calendar.

WHY DO WE INCLUDE A SECTION ON PRAYING THROUGH THE HEAVENS IN OUR GUIDE?

Believers are a royal priesthood unto Jehovah (1 Pet 2:9), we have also been made kings and priests unto our Jehovah (Rev 1:6; 5:10). The priest's lips should keep knowledge and the law should be sought at his mouth (Mal 2:7). Jehovah interprets our ignorance of various aspects of the kingdom as a rejection of knowledge with grievous consequences (Hos 4:6). Knowledge of the heavens and how to deal with them in every season is a very important aspect of the Kingdom of heaven.

In Primeval Astronomy, "The Gospel in the Stars," Joseph Augustus Seiss explains the purpose of the stars and their constellations in their original context. In a lecture entitled, "The Starry Worlds," first published in 1882, he attests: "Such wonderful creations of almighty power and wisdom were not without a purpose." Seiss explains that stars and groups of stars, constellations, were created to fill the galaxy – in a particular order for a very specific purpose. God created the stars (Gen. 1:16) and positioned them in their exact places in the universe (Ps. 8:3). Stars were, "for signs and for seasons, and for days and for years, in the expanse of the heavens to give light upon the earth." (Gen. 1:14, 15).

Stars were so important that God named them. "He determines the number of the stars and calls them each by name." (Ps. 147:4). The stars are a continual reminder that the Seed of the woman will ultimately triumph over the Serpent (Gen. 3:15). God's revelation is constantly told in the stars (Ps. 19) — which is a message of salvation — available to every generation who professes faith. (Romans 9-11, Joel, Isa.) The entire ancient world received the gospel prior to Christ ever being born— through the stars.

TEACHING – RESETTING TIME FROM THE COURTS OF HEAVEN

This is an excerpt from a teaching entitled: Resetting time from the Courts of Heaven by Apostle Robert Henderson – Author of the book Operating in the Courts of Heaven.

In the Courts of Heaven you are dealing with an adversary.

God wants us to learn how to reset time so that what the enemy has been successful in doing in disrupting the timing of God can be dealt with. If the enemy can disrupt the timing of God he can throw everything out of sync. He can throw things into chaos so that what was supposed to happen does not happen.



God wants to take you out of the grind and put you into the groove.

When the Devil messes with the timing of God we end up in the grind. We end up working real hard without seeing a lot produced.

When we can get back into the timing of God we end up in the groove where everything begins to flow together, where everything begins to converge. All of a sudden we see great fruitfulness with maybe even less effort. We see prosperity come because we are back in the timing of God. The timing of God has been reset in our lives.

Daniel 7:25-27 New International Version (NIV)

25 He will speak against the Most High and oppress his holy people and try to change the set times and the laws. The holy people will be delivered into his hands for a time, times and half a time.[a]

26 “But the court will sit, and his power will be taken away and completely destroyed forever. 27 Then the sovereignty, power and greatness of all the kingdoms under heaven will be handed over to the holy people of the Most High. His kingdom will be an everlasting kingdom, and all rulers will worship and obey him.’

Here the Lord is unveiling some of the tactics of the enemy.

This is talking about the antichrist spirit that is in the world. This is manifest through Islam. It is manifest through the liberal agenda. The ecclesia is pushing against that antichrist spirit. The antichrist spirit is operating in the world today and we feel its effect upon our lives. It wants to make the Christians be silent when they ought to be standing up to be heard. The antichrist spirit wants to intimidate us into silence. We see this in Psalm 2.

- 1) Why do the nations conspire[a] and the peoples plot in vain?
- 2) The kings of the earth rise up and the rulers band together against the Lord and against his anointed, saying,
- 3) “Let us break their chains and throw off their shackles.”

In verse two it says they rise up against the Lord, that is the antichrist spirit.

In Acts 4:25 when the Apostles came back from being interrogated by the Sanhedrin they prayed Psalm 2 in their prayer for boldness. They realized that the same spirit that crucified Jesus, the antichrist spirit, was coming after them and wanted to intimidate them and keep them in a corner.

The Devil does not care if we stay in our corner. If we stand up and say “We are here to expand the kingdom of God. We are here to see His rulership and effect in cities, states and nations.” Then the antichrist spirit comes after us.

In Daniel 7:25 it tells us that the antichrist spirit will “try to change the set times and the laws.” Times means appointed times. Laws mean kingly decrees. It says the intentions of the antichrist spirit is to alter the timing of God. The saints, because of the attacks are being worn out.

Proverbs 13:12 says:

¹²*Hope deferred makes the heart sick, but a longing fulfilled is a tree of life.*

When the enemy comes and changes time then something that was supposed to have happened does not happen. Now I am continuing to go on in time without the shift that should have occurred taking place. All of a sudden I am in a grind and no longer in a groove. What happens then is that hope deferred begins to set in because there was a disruption of the timing of God in our life.

Now Daniel 7:28 says:

²⁶*"But the court will sit, and his power will be taken away and completely destroyed forever"*

That is the Court of Heaven. The Court of Heaven is in the third heaven. It is in the throne room of God. In Daniel 7: 9&10 we see a description of the throne room of God.

Daniel 7:9-10 New International Version (NIV)

⁹*"As I looked,
"thrones were set in place,
and the Ancient of Days took his seat.
His clothing was as white as snow;
the hair of his head was white like wool.
His throne was flaming with fire,
and its wheels were all ablaze.
10 A river of fire was flowing,
coming out from before him.
Thousands upon thousands attended him;
ten thousand times ten thousand stood before him.
The court was seated,
and the books were opened.*

All that John described in Revelation 4&5 was the Court of Heaven that he was seeing into. The Bible says that we are seated with Him in heavenly places. (Ephesians 2:6)

Ephesians 2:6 New International Version (NIV)

⁶And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus,

Hebrews 12:22-24 New International Version (NIV) says:

²²But you have come to Mount Zion, to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem. You have come to thousands upon thousands of angels in joyful assembly, ²³to the church of the firstborn, whose names are written in heaven. You have come to God, the Judge of all, to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, ²⁴to Jesus the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel.

Mount Zion is a spiritual dimension of His presence and His glory, His authority and His judicial system.



Even though your feet are on the ground on earth, in the spirit you are where Jesus is according to Ephesians 6:2. You are seated with Him in heavenly places. Hebrews 12:22 tells us that we have come to Mount Zion. By being born again we have been positioned in the spirit realm and we need to learn to function where we have been positioned. God has seated us in the midst of all this spiritual activity in the Court of Heaven. Hebrews 12:22-24 is an expanded description of Ephesians 2:6. We are a part of the Court of Heaven.

Daniel 7:26 says:

²⁶ "But the court will sit, and his power will be taken away and completely destroyed forever."

The court means us and all the others mentioned in Hebrews 12:22-24. The court will take away his power. It is saying if we are going to deal with the intention of the Devil to disrupt timing we are going to have to step into the Court of Heaven. The thing that resets timing is court room activity.

We have to know how to go into the Court of Heaven and reset time so that things can come back into the order that God intended.

God wants to help us to reset time in our lives, in the lives of our cities, in the lives of our nations.

We have to go into the Court of Heaven as His ecclesia and reset the time.

The Devil wants to disrupt the timing of God so that he can postpone his own judgment. If he can slow things down then he goes free for longer.

The fullness of God's purpose is attached to the condition and the operation of the ecclesia. Jesus says He is waiting until his enemies are humbled and made a footstool under His feet. (Hebrews 10:13) He is waiting for us as His church to take what He did and to bring things into divine order.

Revelation 12:12 New International Version (NIV)

*¹² Therefore rejoice, you heavens
and you who dwell in them!
But woe to the earth and the sea,
because the devil has gone down to you!
He is filled with fury,
because he knows that his time is short."*

The reason Satan wants to disrupt timing is because he wants to prolong the time for his judgment. The time of his judgment will come when the ecclesia puts into place everything Jesus died for. The Devil understands that if he can keep the church disrupted in the timing of God he can delay his judgment for a prolonged time.

There are examples in the Scripture of where the Devil messed with timing.

In Genesis 15:13 God says to Abraham:



¹³Then the Lord said to him, “Know for certain that for four hundred years your descendants will be strangers in a country not their own and that they will be enslaved and mistreated there.

God tells Abraham that his descendants would be in Egypt for 400 years.

But in Exodus 12:40-41 it says:

⁴⁰Now the length of time the Israelite people lived in Egypt[a] was 430 years. ⁴¹At the end of the 430 years, to the very day, all the Lord’s divisions left Egypt.

Now this says they were in Egypt for 430 years. What happened? The enemy lengthened their captivity by 30 years. He messed with the timing.

If the enemy changes the timing of God for your life then something that was supposed to happen at a certain time in your life does not happen. This can cause your life to take a completely different path. The enemy, because of legal issues in the spirit realm, can keep you from getting what God wants you to get at a particular time. If you had received that thing sooner you may have had a greater influence and a longer influence than what you have been able to have. Has the enemy disrupted timing and kept you out of something that God intended you to have?

We have to repent for not understanding that the enemy was disrupting the timing and just accepting things as they were instead of challenging them in the spirit. The children of Israel were supposed to be out 30 years earlier than when they actually came out. Some how Satan was able to disrupt time.

Grace is always attached to timing. There was a grace that was supposed to come at a certain time and because Satan messed with the timing it did not come. When he disrupts time hope is deferred. Some people will just quit. Others will push through trying to some how or other get there. Others just go into a realm of existence. Because there has been an interruption in the timing of God.

Secondly Israel was in the wilderness 40 years longer than it was supposed to be there.

Numbers 14:33-36

³³Your children will be shepherds here for forty years, suffering for your unfaithfulness, until the last of your bodies lies in the wilderness. **34** For forty years—one year for each of the forty days you explored the land—you will suffer for your sins and know what it is like to have me against you.’ **35** I, the Lord, have spoken, and I will surely do these things to this whole wicked community, which has banded together against me. They will meet their end in this wilderness; here they will die.”

³⁶So the men Moses had sent to explore the land, who returned and made the whole community grumble against him by spreading a bad report about it—

The ten spies came back with an evil report. They explored the land for 40 days they received one year for each day. Ten in the number of government. The ten spies released a wrong testimony.

God rendered a verdict based on their testimony. Ten spies determined the destiny of a nation for 40 years. The ten spies prophesied the wrong thing.



We need to be very careful what we are prophesying. Because these men prophesied the wrong thing it caused the timing of God for a nation to be disrupted. When the ecclesia in a nation prophesies the wrong thing it will cause the timing of God for that nation to be disrupted.

We need to repent for all the times we prophesied the wrong word and all the times we believed the wrong word for our nation. If we can repent we will begin the process of resetting the timing of God for our nation.

There are cities and states that are out of God's timing because the church in them is releasing the wrong word. We are saying that God wants to judge when He actually wants to show mercy.

The enemy takes the word of the prophets wrongly prophesying judgement and builds a case against a city or nation in the Court of Heaven. This allows negative things to happen and disrupt the timing of God for that city or nation.

Thirdly, the restoration of the temple in Israel was postponed for at least 12 years.

Haggai 1:2-4

²This is what the Lord Almighty says: "These people say, 'The time has not yet come to rebuild the Lord's house.'"

³Then the word of the Lord came through the prophet Haggai: 4 "Is it a time for you yourselves to be living in your paneled houses, while this house remains a ruin?"

The people had come back with all the resources to build the Lord's house. They stopped building the house for at least 12 years. The enemy had disrupted the timing. We will look at Zechariah 5 for a clue as to what happened.

Zechariah 5:1-3 New International Version (NIV)

I looked again, and there before me was a flying scroll.

²He asked me, "What do you see?"

I answered, "I see a flying scroll, twenty cubits long and ten cubits wide.[a]"

³And he said to me, "This is the curse that is going out over the whole land; for according to what it says on one side, every thief will be banished, and according to what it says on the other, everyone who swears falsely will be banished.

On one side of the scroll is a judgement against thieves and on the other side is a judgement against perjurers (liars). What had happened was that a report had been sent back to King Artaxerxes (Ezra 4:6-16) that said that if the city was rebuilt the Jews would no longer pay taxes, fees and tolls.



This was a lie. As a result of this lie the king released a decree to stop the building. When this happened the Jews took the resources that had been sent back with them for the building of the temple and used the resources to build their houses. So they stole the resources of God. The judgement that came with the

flying scroll was the judgment against the liars who had sent the report and against the thieves who stole the resources to build their houses.

Those two sins had allowed the enemy a legal right to disrupt the timing of God.

If we are guilty of taking the resources that God may have given to us for His purposes then we should repent. If we have believed the lies and allowed that to stop us from building, we must repent. The enemy uses those two things in the Court of Heaven to disrupt timing.

Fourthly, in 1 Thessalonians 2:8 Paul says:

¹⁸For we wanted to come to you—certainly I, Paul, did, again and again—but Satan blocked our way.

Paul is saying Satan disrupted time. If it can happen to the Apostle Paul it can happen to you. The enemy uses this to disrupt God's purpose and to bring frustration to the people of God.

We need to go into the Court of Heaven and reset the time of God so we can get out of grind and into the groove.

HOW DO WE RESET TIME?

- 1) We have to go to the Court of Heaven.
(Daniel 7:25-26) It says his intention is to disrupt timing but the court shall be seated. You have to deal with the things that allowed the time to be messed up in the first place. We have talked about some of them. (Stealing the resources, believing the lies, speaking the wrong report.. and any other thing the Holy Spirit reveals).
- 2) We have to be willing to repent. (For example: Lord in anyway I have allowed the enemy to have a legal right to mess with the timing of God, I repent for myself, for my city for my nation. Lord we are asking you to be merciful and bring us back into the timing of God.)
- 3) We have to Repent. I bring myself into agreement with what the blood of the Lamb is speaking through repentance so that every case against me is dissolved. The blood of Jesus gives God the legal right to forgive me.
- 4) We should know we are instrumental. 2 Peter 3:10-12. It talks about the coming of the Lord. Verse 12 says "looking for and hastening the coming of the day of God." The word "hastening" means to speed up. God says the timing of the coming of the Lord is connected to the state of the Church not to a date on the calendar. God is saying He is commissioning us to speed up the coming of the Lord by becoming the ecclesia that is taking its authority and beginning to rule and reign and bringing every enemy under His feet. That is what we are here to do. The Bible says if the church would do that then we are going to hasten the day of the coming of the Lord. We can reset the timing of God.



Joel 2:25

*²⁵ "I will repay you for the years the locusts have eaten—
the great locust and the young locust,
the other locusts and the locust swarm—
my great army that I sent among you.*

God is saying "I am going to restore the years". That does not mean He is going to move us back from 2018 to 2010 and start all over again. He is talking about the productivity of the years. He is going to give you back what was lost. Instead of it taking 8 years to get 8 years of harvest He will give you 8 years of harvest in 2 years. He will speed things up so that what you missed, what you lost, is caught up.

If we can get the timing of God reset there can be great fruitfulness. God causes blessing and fruitfulness and prosperity to come. The years of productivity are restored. What we thought was lost forever can be restored in a very short time.

When the enemy disrupts time loss always occurs. God wants to reset the time in the Court of Heaven so that we can see the fruitfulness of God, the blessing of God.

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 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, they 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 THROUGH THE MONTH of May

PRAYING THRU THE MONTH

- Praise the LORD at the gates of a new month; receive it with thanksgiving and command the gates to be lifted up and every ancient door to be flung wide open for the King of glory to come in and for every GOD-ordained purpose to be made manifest for you and kingdom citizens to walk in. Proclaim Psa 24.7-10, Psa 65, 67, 118.
- Proclaim Ps 103 to bless the LORD and declare the Lordship of Jesus Christ over every gate of the month
- Cancel with the blood of Jesus Christ all previous dedications of the month to strange mythological gods. Re-dedicate and devote the month to its Owner the Creator of Heaven and earth. Col 2:14; Lev 27:28
- This is a season of various levels of harvest. Pray that as the earth releases a harvest of crops, kingdom citizens will receive a harvest from every spiritual seed that has been sown in previous seasons and is due for harvest in this month. Proclaim Psa 126 over every seed sown.
- Pray that the fruit that was assigned for the 3rd, 5th and 10th months from the tree of life to be released into your life, the Ecclesia, and your territory Rev 22:2.
- Pray that every level of healing required in your life, workplace and territory will be released from the leaves of the tree of life Rev 22.2

IS THIS THE MONTH OF YOUR BIRTH?

- Apart from your actual birthday, do you know which day of the week you were born? That is the day of your birth. The best thing you can do for yourself is to bless that day of your birth, fast and pray into that day on a weekly basis. You may do this for your loved ones. It is the best gift you can give to them:
- If you were born in this month, bless the day and month from the womb of creation and prophetically proclaim Isa 60 over your life.
- Celebrate that the LORD chose a specific day, hour and minute that you were manifested into creation to establish a particular portion of His purpose on earth as it is in heaven. Declare that you



will not die without fulfilling your purposes in this life. You will leave an indelible mark in this generation and in history. Phil 3.12

- Declare that day blessed. Declare that you will enjoy every fruit for this 3rd, 5th and 10th month assigned to you.
- Declare that this year you will be more of a blessing because you will deposit every good thing that was meant for this season and generation, and in return you will receive every good thing that life was meant to release to you for life and Godliness. You will not die before you receive every good thing the LORD ordained for you. 2 Pet 1.3-4
- Nullify and render powerless, anything that has been released into creation to withhold you from fulfilling your redemptive purpose at every significant stage of your existence. Rev 12.1-5
- Pray that your star will rise and shine ever brighter. Anything that has hitherto tried to cover your star will be swept away by the LORD's broom of destruction. Isa 14.23
- Speak into the foundations of your life and prophesy good things.
- Prophecy that you will live and not die prematurely in any area of your life. Your family will live, the work of your hand will live and grow from strength to strength Deut 33:6, Psa 27:L13, 118:17
- Prophecy and proclaim the blessing of Levi upon your life as a priest unto Jehovah (2 Pet 2:9, Deut 33:8-11)
- Prophecy and proclaim the blessing of Benjamin upon your life. Deut 33:12
- Prophecy the blessing of the wisdom of Issachar in every area of life. Wisdom to establish the work of your hands, your family, as you grow a year older 1Chron 12:32, Deut 33:18b-19, Pro 24:3-4
- Prophecy the blessing of Dan concerning your role as a leader. Prophecy over your inheritance that Jehovah will indeed ensure you leave an inheritance for your descendants. Deut 33:20-21, Psa 16:5-6.
- Prophecy the blessing of Joseph. Speak to the earth and declare that the earth will bring forth its best for you in this new year. Prophecy to the heavens to declare the glory of Jehovah over your life every day of this new year. Deut 33:13-17, Lev 26:4-5, Hos 2:21-22, Psalm 19:1-2, Isa 55:12
- Prophecy that you will grow in your spirit man into a matured son so you can receive your inheritance.
- Wherever you go in this new year, creation will experience release from frustration. Rom 8:19-20, Gal 4:1-2
- Praise Jehovah that your birthday marks the entry into another season of Jubilee. Thank Jehovah that immediately you were born, you cried out prophetically blowing your own jubilee cornet, and prophetically rejoiced in yourself. Ask Him to give you joy no matter your circumstance, to rejoice on this day.

FESTIVALS DURING THIS MONTH

MOTHERS' DAY 2018

Mother's Day is celebrated by most of the world on 2nd Sunday of May. This year it falls on the 13th of May 2018. Do you know any mothers? Pray for the mothers in your family, within the Ecclesia and any ladies who are prospective mothers or spiritual mothers as follows:

- This month put down a list of girls and women whom you will dedicate in prayer and prophetically pray for the birthing of true motherhood in them for families, communities and nations. Psa 144.12
- Pray for women using Genesis 24:60. The LORD has spoken concerning his uplifting of women in this season. Lydias, Esthers and Deborahs are on the rise in the areas of Business, Leadership and Education. Pray that not only will women arise, but there will be a rising of mothers in these three areas of business, leadership and education in an unprecedented manner.
- Pray that there will be a raising up of more mothers within the Ecclesia to nurture the world's youngest populations in Africa and other nations of the world
- Paul referred to himself as both a father and a mother. Pray that the LORD will reveal to you your nature as a mother. Every male and female can nurture this quality in their lives. Pray that the LORD will find mothers in every gate of society to disciple and mentor those who are to arise in these gates and fulfill the LORD's purposes.
- Pray for the emerging women leaders in key national positions in this season. Pray that the healing and succor that mothers bring will be made manifest in nations as mothers arise as Deborah's to bring deliverance and healing to these nations.
- Pray for other nations where women hold key positions in the judiciary, the legislature and the executive; that these women, some who have become hardened politicasters and forgotten their role as mothers, will be brought back to that place of being ultimate politician mothers to bring healing and comfort to their territories.

MAY DAY/INTERNATIONAL WORKERS' DAY

Tuesday, May 1, 2018 is May Day.

May Day as International Workers' Day, has its origins in the United States and stemmed from the pre-Christian holiday of Beltane, a celebration of rebirth and fertility.

In the late nineteenth century, the working class was in constant struggle to gain the 8-hour work day. Working conditions were severe and it was quite common to work 10 to 16 hour days in unsafe conditions. It wasn't until the late 1880's that organized labor was able to declare the 8-hour workday.

At its national convention in Chicago, held in 1884, the Federation of Organized Trades and Labor Unions (which later became the American Federation of Labor), proclaimed that "eight hours shall constitute a legal day's labor from and after May 1, 1886." On May 1, 1886, more than 300,000 workers in 13,000 businesses across the United

States walked off their jobs in the first May Day celebration in history. For most countries, Labor day is an annual holiday to celebrate the achievement of workers.

- May 1 is also the major occult holiday of Beltane. Beltane can be translated as "Baal fire," and many Wiccans acknowledge that this festival has origins which can be traced all the way back to the Baal worship of the ancient Middle East.
- The following quote comes directly from wiccazone.net (http://www.wiccazone.net/beltane_mayday.htm).
- Beltane is the second most important sabbath in the Witches' calendar after Samhain. Again, it is an intercalary day when the veil between the worlds of the living and the dead is thin. But whereas Samhain is a time for greeting and celebrating those who have gone before, Beltane is a time when more mischievous spirits may take advantage. For this reason the results of divinations performed at Beltane should always be approached cautiously, for the gods also enjoy a sense of humor! Similarly, be very careful of working Magic at this time, for the phrase 'Be careful what you wish for' is even more appropriate around Beltane. Many a Witch has found a wish being granted very literally and has received what they asked for as opposed to what they wanted.
- This is the festival of the fire God Bel. Bel has been worshipped under many names in all parts of the world for thousands of years; Bel, Beli, Balar, Balor, Belenus, Baal, and Belial. Traditionally, Beltane would be the night on which the old hearth fires were extinguished and the new were kindled from the Bel fire. These fires were placed on the top of hills and produced a chain of beacons which ran across the land. Cattle would be driven between the fires and people would leap over them to ensure fertility for the coming season. In Britain, the tradition of hilltop fires has seen something of a revival lately, although not necessarily associated with Beltane. Fire beacons were lit at the passing of Princess Diana and to mark the Millennium celebrations.
- Command the gates of the May Day to be lifted up unto the Lord and let the king of glory go in and take possession of the day and all the lined up activities so God will take possession and order the day the way He wants it. Ps 24:7-10
- God commanded the plants, animals and human beings to be fruitful and multiply when He created them in Genesis 1. Any ritual of any kind concerning their fruitfulness is a deception. Rather pray that more and more kingdom citizens will embrace the harvest Feast of Pentecost and other Feasts of the LORD to mark these important spiritual gates of seasons. Matt 10:27; Lk 12:3
- In the past, political parties and other pressure groups have pushed for matters concerning righteousness, justice and equity in the workplace in the nations. The Ecclesia is supposed to be the voice of morality in such matters. Yet we have left it to pressure groups to carry the LORD's mandate of righteousness and justice. Pray that in this season kingdom citizens will receive a renewed authoritative voice print to take affirmative action with regard to issues of righteousness and justice in the work place (Ps 45:6-7, Ps 89:14).

- The Queen of Sheba understood the purpose for a person occupying a seat of authority. Pray through the statement of purpose from 2 Chron 9.8 for every person occupying a seat of authority in the workplace; that this purpose shall be fulfilled; proclaim as follows: Praise be to the LORD my GOD, Who has delighted in (name the leader) and placed them on His throne as (leadership title) to rule for the LORD my GOD. Because of the love of my GOD for (name of department or organization) and His desire to uphold us forever, He has made (name the leader) leader over us, to maintain justice and righteousness.” Therefore if there is any way that the purpose for their position does not align with the LORD’s purpose, let there be a re-alignment in the area of (mention those areas that need adjustment) as the LORD would have it, so that His purposes may be fulfilled for every employee, every subordinate staff in the department or organization. In the name of Jesus Christ, Amen
- Pray that from this time forth, you will seek to labour to enter into the rest as you work and you shall never labor in vain Heb 4.11.

RAMADAN 2018

From 15 May to 14 June tentatively, the Ramadan season will commence. Kindly find on the GAPNET website (www.gapnetwork.org) the Prayer guide for the Ramadan season together with prayers to deal with terrorism in the nations especially through groups like Al Shabab, Boko Haram and ISIS among others. From time to time before the season begins, ensure you have manned the gates of that season and installed a heavenly angel so that its effects worldwide will be subdued, even quenched.

SHAVUOT (PENTECOST)

Shavuot (Pentecost) 2018 will begin in the evening of Saturday, May 19 and ends in the evening of Monday, May 21

You shall count for yourselves -- from the day after the Shabbat, from the day when you bring the Omer of the waving -- seven Shabbats, they shall be complete. Until the day after the seventh sabbath you shall count, fifty days... You shall convoke on this very day -- there shall be a holy convocation for yourselves -- you shall do no laborious work; it is an eternal decree in your dwelling places for your generations. -Leviticus 21:15-16, 21

Shavu'ot (Pentecost) the Festival of Weeks, is the second of the three major festivals with both historical and agricultural significance (the other two are Passover and Sukkot) Agriculturally, it commemorates the time when the first fruits were harvested and brought to the Temple, and is known as Hag ha-Bikkurim (the Festival of the First Fruits).

Historically, it celebrates the giving of the Torah at Mount Sinai, and is also known as Hag Matan Torateinu (the Festival of the Giving of Our Torah). We count each of the days from the second day of Passover to the day before Shavu'ot, 49 days or 7 full weeks, hence the name of the festival. The counting reminds us of the important connection between Passover and Shavu'ot:



Passover freed us physically from bondage, but the giving of the Torah on Shavu'ot redeemed us spiritually from our bondage to idolatry and immorality. It was during this Feast of Pentecost that the Holy Spirit came upon the disciples in the upper room in Acts 2.1-2.

- Praise Jesus Christ our KINSMAN REDEEMER who saved us out of bondage of sin and into eternal righteousness and life.
- This is a celebration of the coming of the Holy Spirit in Acts 2.1; Praise the LORD for the Holy Spirit, Who's coming, brought with Him potential for every deliverance, healing, and ability to operate in the power that Jesus Christ operated in. Rom 1.16, 1 Cor 1.24-25, 2.4-5, 2 Cor 6.7 Eph 1.17-23, 2.6-10
- Pray that in this season, kingdom citizens will recognize the importance of the Holy Spirit infilling us and enduing us with power as He did in Acts 2. It is only after the baptism of the holy Spirit that any kingdom citizen have potential to fully operate in the grace of salvation in its totality.
- Consciously ask the Holy Spirit to help you move to another level of fellowship and operation in inspirational gifts He has for you for this particular season. 1 Cor. 12.
- John 1.17 While the Torah's release to Israel was the commencement of the Old covenant of the law, the New covenant of grace was ushered in fully by the release of the Holy Spirit after Jesus Christ ascended. Ask the LORD for a revelation of how to operate in this new covenant, as many kingdom citizens continue to operate in a mixture of the law and the covenant of grace; and suffer frustration in their walk with the LORD. Rom 1.17, 3.20-22.

It is noteworthy that the holiday is called the time of the giving of the Torah, rather than the time of the receiving of the Torah. The Ecclesia is constantly in the process of receiving the Word of God in various forms. We receive it every day, but it was first given at this season. Thus it is the giving, not the receiving, that makes this holiday significant.

- Thank the LORD for the wonderful gift of His WORD. Unfortunately the Ecclesia does not take seriously the reading, studying, meditation and memorizing of this Word which is supposed to be our daily nourishment for life and godliness. Pray that God will stir up in you a zeal for the consumption of larger quantities of His word during this season. Job 23:12, Psalm 119:9,11,105, Psa 138:2, Jer 15:16,
- The Day of Pentecost commemorates the receiving of the Person of the Holy Spirit. The work of the Holy Spirit was to transform the letter of the Torah to become spirit and life so that it can in turn transform us to become sons of the LORD. Make this your daily proclamation for yourself and other kingdom citizens in your territory:
- I keep asking that the GOD of our LORD Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give us the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that we may know Him better. I pray that the eyes of our hearts may be enlightened in order that we may know the hope to which He has called us, the riches of His



glorious inheritance in His holy people, and His incomparably great power for us who believe. We want to comprehend and experience this mighty strength He exerted when He raised Christ from the dead and seated Him at His right hand in the heavenly realms, far above all rule and authority, power and dominion, and every name that is invoked, not only in the present age but also in the one to come. And GOD placed all things under His feet and appointed Him to be Head over everything for the Ecclesia, which is His body, the fullness of Him who fills everything in every way. And GOD raised us up with Christ and seated us with Him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus, in order that in the coming ages He might show the incomparable riches of His grace, expressed in His kindness to us in Christ Jesus. For it is by grace we have been saved, through faith—and this is not from ourselves, it is the gift of GOD— not by works, so that no one can boast. For we are GOD’s handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which GOD prepared in advance for us to do. Amen Eph 1.17-23, 2.6-10

- The Day of Pentecost set precedence for the pattern of the gospel of grace –unmerited unearned favor; it is a gospel where we receive all the benefits of the finished work of Jesus Christ on the Cross including redemption, eternal life, deliverance, healing, wealth, peace, joy, reconciliation with the Father, Adoption as joint-heirs with Jesus Christ, all things we require for life and godliness; a return to the original Edenic existence. Just as the Holy Spirit had to be RECEIVED so do all these virtues of the crucifixion come by receiving them by faith through grace – unmerited favor. On a daily basis, receive with thanks each of these virtues as you may require just the same way you received salvation and the baptism of the Holy Spirit
- It is customary to stay up the entire first night of Shavu'ot and study the Torah, then pray as early as possible in the morning. During this month, endeavor to wake up early and proclaim prophetically through the books of Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers and Deuteronomy. Isa 55.10-11

THE SEASON OF IYAR

The month of Iyar 5778 began on April 16, 2018 and ends on May 14, 2018.

EVENTS IN THE SEASON OF IYAR – (From the book, “Triumphing at the Gates of the Stars in Their Seasons” by Steve Ogan)

	Events in the Season of Nisan	Implications for prayer and Practical Action
1	The nation of Israel was proclaimed on the 5th of Iyar, that is, May 14, 1948.	Nations can be reborn under difficult and seemingly impossible conditions.
2	Germany unconditionally surrendered to the Allied Forces on 24th Iyar, that is May 7th, 1945.	The rulership of the coming Messiah can be activated to make rogue states to surrender. He makes wars to cease from the ends of the earth. Psalm 46:9.
3	The old city of Jerusalem was recaptured and unified on 28th Iyar in 1967.	Strategic cities and infrastructure taken by the enemy can be recaptured.

PRAYING FOR NATIONS

ISRAEL

On Thursday April 19, 2018 (4th of Iyar) Israel celebrated her 70th birthday. Israel's Independence Day is normally celebrated on the 5th of Iyar. However, it may be moved earlier or postponed if observance of the holiday (or Yom HaZikaron, which always precedes it) would conflict with the Shabbat. Praise the LORD

for the fulfillment of prophecy. This people group who had been scattered from the land for over two thousand years were gathered again and indeed a nation was born just as the LORD had prophesied through many prophets.

Jewish history tells that the State of Israel was proclaimed in 1948. The British mandate to govern the Holy Land would terminate on May 15, 1948. A United Nations resolution passed six months earlier endorsed the establishment of a Jewish state in the biblical homeland of the Jewish people. On the last day of the Mandate, in the afternoon of May 14, 1948 (the 5th of Iyar 5708) the state of Israel was proclaimed in Tel Aviv. The date Iyar 5 on the Jewish calendar is celebrated in Israel as the Israeli "Independence Day." This year it fell on Friday, April 20, 2018 but it was celebrated on Thursday, April 19, 2018. The celebrations continue in Israel.

As the nation celebrates her 70th year of Independence:

- Pray that as Israel enters her 70th year, many will come to a real spiritual independence from blindness to the Messiah.
- Pray that during this season when many of the people practicing Judaism count the omer there will be a visitation of the Holy Spirit among people of Jewish descent not only in Israel but in the Diasporas
- Pray that the Holy Spirit will continue to strengthen the Messianic believers among them in this 70th year of independence

KOREA

The leaders of North and South Korea have agreed to work to rid the peninsula of nuclear weapons. Kim Jong-Un has pledged a "new history" in relations with South Korea as he became the first North Korean leader to set foot in South Korea since the end of the Korean War in 1953.

Pray for peace and unity between North and South Korea.

CAMEROON

There is a political and security crisis facing this nation. The first President of the country, President Ahmadou Ahidjo, governed with a federal system for the first 12 years of his presidency. In 1972 this

system was abolished and a United Republic of Cameroon was established. In October of 2017 peaceful protests against marginalization by Southern Cameroonians wanting to secede from French-dominant Cameroon began. This has now taken a violent turn as separatists have staged guerrilla style attacks on security forces. The two Anglophone regions (North West and South West) have been under curfew for the last few months.

ECUADOR

Since January 2018, a transnational crime group has kidnapped and murdered Ecuadorian citizens in Esmeraldas province, in addition to carrying out bombings targeting the Ecuadorian military and law enforcement.

Please use these prayer points as you pray for the nations listed above:

- 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

National Days

- 1) Marshall Islands 1 May (Constitution Day 1979)
- 2) Poland 3rd May (Constitution Day from 1791)
- 3) The Netherlands 5th Day (Liberation day)
- 4) Alderney 9 May (Liberation Day, the end of the German Occupation of the Channel Islands during World War II 1945)
- 5) Guernsey and Dependencies 9th May (Liberation day, end of the German occupation of the Channel islands during world war 2 1945)
- 6) Herm 9th May (Liberation day, end of the German occupation of the Channel islands during world war 2 1945)
- 7) Jersey 9 May Liberation day, end of the German occupation of the Channel islands during world war 2 1945)
- 8) Sark 9th May Liberation day, end of the German occupation of the Channel islands during world war 2 1945)
- 9) Paraguay 14th May (Independence Day) declaration of independence from Spain in 1811.
- 10) Norway 17 May (Constitution Day), the signing of the Norwegian Constitution in Eidsvoll in 1814)



- 11) East Timor 20th May (Independence from Indonesia 2002)
 - 12) Yemen 22 May (North and South Yemen are unified to create the Republic of Yemen 1990)
 - 13) Bermuda 24 May (Originally Queen Victoria’s birthday; now "Bermuda Day" to celebrate the islands' heritage and culture)
 - 14) Eritrea 24th may (Eritrean rebels enter the capital Asmara in 1991; independence from Ethiopia in 1993)
 - 15) Argentina 25 May (May Revolution, the first junta (after the King's abdication), including the Viceroy, is dissolved and the "First Junta" is created)
 - 16) Jordan 25 May (Independence from the United Kingdom in 1946)
 - 17) Georgia 26th May (Day of the first republic, declaration of independence from Russia in 1918)
 - 18) Armenia 28 May (Republic Day, independence from the Transcaucasian Democratic Federative Republic 1918)
 - 19) Ethiopia 28th May (Down fall of the Derg Day, the Derg regime is defeated in 1991)
 - 20) Cameroon 20th May (Creation of a unitary state in 1972)
 - 21) Nigeria 29th May (Democracy Day, return of Democracy in 1999)
 - 22) Azerbaijan 28 May (Republic Day, independence from the Transcaucasian Democratic Federative Republic in 1918)
 - 23) Anguilla 30 May (Anguilla Day; the beginning of the Anguillian Revolution in 1967)
- Read Acts 17:26-28; Each of the above territories were ordained by the LORD so that men may seek Him. Pray that there shall be a dissatisfaction in each of these territories with the status quo in whatever other deity the inhabitants worship and they will desire to know the LORD.
 - Pray that there shall be peaceful gatherings and no harm on the days of their national observances.
 - Pray for the Ecclesia in each of these territories; that there shall be a desire to know the Holy Spirit and embrace Him fully in the operations and ministration within the body of Jesus Christ and amongst individual kingdom citizens.
 - Pray for the women in these nations that during this month when Mother’s day is observed, there shall arise a crop of mothers in these nations who will bring succor, healing where needed and influence the return to moral standards of family life.

National Elections

We encourage you to keep praying for a nation’s election for at least 2-3 years before the fact. That way, you pray without the frenzy of campaigns and the attendant pressures. Also Jehovah can begin to reveal the person whom He wants to raise in position of leadership.

Be like Mary who anointed Jesus for his death and burial way before the actual event. While everyone else was scrambling around to do their good deed after He had died, and missed the opportunity because He was risen, she could rest content that she had done her bit on time. Be like the five clever virgins who paid

the price of preparation before-hand, so that when the bride-groom did appear, they entered into their rest while the foolish virgins scrambled around trying to do a hasty last minute job.

Let us not be fire-fighters and crisis intercessors. Such an important matter as a nation or region, or constituency leadership should not be taken as lightly as it has been done in the past. Let this sacred new year commence a new beginning and new attitude toward matters of elections.

- 6 May:
 - [French Polynesia, Assembly \(2nd round\)](#)
 - [Lebanon, Parliament](#)^[7]
 - 9 May: [Malaysia, Parliament](#)
 - 12 May:
 - [East Timor, Parliament](#)
 - [Iraq, Parliament](#)
 - 17 May: [Burundi, Constitutional referendum](#)
 - 20 May: [Venezuela, President](#)
 - 24 May: [Barbados, Parliament](#)
 - 25 May: [Republic of Ireland, Constitutional referendum](#)
 - 27 May: [Colombia, President](#)
 - [Romania, Referendum](#)
- Thank the LORD for the opportunity to join Him in electing those who will share His throne in a position of governmental leadership. 1 Chron 29.23, 2 Chron 9.8, Heb 13.1
 - Bless every person in each of the above nations, who has stepped forward with the desire to oversee others; for this is one of the original mandates for mankind – to oversee; rule and reign with the LORD over all creation.
 - Pray that kingdom citizens will participate actively in the voting process both as voters and as candidates
 - Pray that Jehovah Shalom will overshadow each election activity and there shall be no record of violence or corruption in rigging.

PRAYING THRU THE HEAVENS

- Proclaim Psa 19.1-6; The heavens continue to declare the purposes of the LORD and accurately proclaim the times and seasons both spiritually and physically. It does kingdom citizens well to understand the heavens and their purposes over the affairs of men. For further information request for the publication on Understanding the Heavens.
- Proclaim Psa 121.5-6 over your life and kingdom citizens everywhere that the sun shall not smite you by day neither shall the moon smite you by night.
- Command the sun and moon to give forth their best for you in this season Deut 33.13-14, Hos 2.18-19

Lunar Movements

The Full moon will occur on 29th May 2018 @ 14:19 UTC. The magnetic pull of the moon on the earth is greatest at full moon; affecting the ebb tide (receding tidal movement away from the land) and the ebb flow of water in the bodies of all creatures resulting in unusual emotional and psychological sensitivity.

- Command the full moon to praise the LORD and do only His bidding in this season. Psa 19.1-2, 148:1-3
- Pray that in this season of instability of the waters of your body and of the land, the LORD will be the Stability of Your times and a wealth of salvation, wisdom and knowledge. Pray this for the Ecclesia Isa 33.5-6
- Pray that the LORD will pass through all the waters of your life, family, the Ecclesia and your territory, and drain it of all marine power influences that may take advantage of the gravitational pull of the full moon to bring adverse psychological sensitivity
- Pray that every prophetic word for this month that you had prophesied during the new moon last month will reach maturation during the full moon season, and as it wanes you will enjoy the fruitfulness of each prophecy that you spoke into your life, family, the Ecclesia and the territory at large.
- At full moon there is heightened demonic activity and his agents ensure their evil intents are at fullest. Pray that in this month, you are rooted and grounded in Jesus Christ. You shall think with the Word and not with the circumstances around you. (Eph 1:23, 3:17)

The **Last Quarter Moon** will occur on 7th May 2018 and **First Quarter Moon** will occur on 21st May 2018.

- Command the quarter moons to praise the LORD and do only His bidding in this season. They will mark the passage of time and season and reject every manipulation from the kingdom of darkness. Psa 104.19
- The quarter moon or the D shaped moon resembles a bow which the enemy uses to shoot arrows of wickedness at the ignorant. Pray that the LORD will smite the bows of the occult out of their left hands and cause their arrows to fall out of their right hands Eke 39:3
- Proclaim 2 Sam 22.15, Psa 45.5, and ask the LORD to arise and contend with every arrow of the enemy that is flying against you and kingdom citizens from the camp of every enemy of your GOD-ordained purposes
- Proclaim Psalm 91 over your life and territory in this season.

The **New moon** will occur on 15 May 2018 @ 11:47 UTC



- During this new moon command the heavens to praise the LORD.
- Proclaim Psa 81. In the OT the new moon was a time to gather properly and solemnly to offer worship and adoration at the gates of a new month. Use this day to praise the LORD and sing to Him, proclaim Psalms of praise to Him and let Him know how thankful you are to enter a new month.
- At the new moon, make prophetic proclamations, declarations and decrees concerning what you see happening to yourself, your family, your occupation, your ministry, the Ecclesia and your territory by the next new moon. These are prophetic seeds which will grow with the waxing moon, reach their fullness with the full moon and begin to manifest as the moon wanes into the end of an era.
- The new/crescent moon is sickle shaped. The enemy uses this to “harvest” the gains of the ignorant. As you pray and enforce Num 23:22-23 also pray that the Lord will be an enemy to the spirit of the “Midianites, children of the East and the Amalekites” who harvest with their sickles the gains of the ignorant and destroy whatever they cannot carry away or plunder.

Solar Events

From April 19, 2018 to May 20, 2018 the Sun continues to dwell in the star cluster of 141 stars in the constellation called **Taurus symbolized by the bull** (rushing forward). A charging Bull, immediately behind Aries, is rushing forward with energy and wrath. His lowered horns connect with both Orion and Auriga. Named: Coming, ruling; exultation, power, pre- eminence.

- Pray that these attributes of the LORD will be made manifest in your life, in the Ecclesia and in the territory as judgment sweeps through the land.

The stars signify: Leader, governor; wounded, slain; belonging to the judge; center, foundation; the abundance; vertex/turned on, rolled around; the centre; the congregated.

The star clusters include: Pleiades/Seven sisters; Succoth/booths; the congregation of the judge or ruler; the heap, accumulation.

The Rushing Bull is the risen Messiah, rushing with full authority and speed to judge, shepherd and govern. Messiah Jesus Christ is the foundation, the centre of the universe, coming judge of all the earth and He will bring His congregation with Him. Zech 9:16; Rev 14:4

- Command the star cluster Taurus to praise the LORD and reject and nullify every astrological prognostication influenced by the kingdom of darkness. Isa 47.12-15
- This star cluster portends judgment and righteous governance on the earth. Prophecy that the judgments of the LORD which are right will visit starting with kingdom citizens, then the leadership and



- trickle down to every part of society, so that the purposes of the LORD will begin to flow. Psalm 19:7-11, Isa 26:9
- Judgment has to do with the LORD dealing with anything whether in an individual or in a group or a system, which is hindering His purpose from being fulfilled. Are there any areas of your mindset, character, in your family, community or territory that need a doing away of hindrances so that purpose can be fulfilled? Present all of these areas before the LORD asking Him for righteous judgment to happen so that you fulfill purpose and besetting sins are done away with.
- Pray that this season will strengthen trust in the LORD the righteous Judge within the Ecclesia as He purges and gives a new beginning.
- Proclaim over governments in your territory Isa 9.6-7

The other smaller group of stars called decans that form part of Taurus describe the details of the stages of the coming Judgment and government.

ORION: Below the ecliptic, a victorious hunter stands with his left foot at the entrance of Eridanus, the river of judgment and upon the head of the enemy; His sword is the head and body of a lamb. In his right hand is His raised mighty club; in his left hand is the head and skin of a lion. His belt contains three bright stars.

- When the LORD rose from the dead He led captivity captive and gave gifts to the sons of men. Praise the LORD and join the heavens in declaring this glorious triumphant victory over the kingdom of darkness the dragon and all his surrogate spirits when Jesus Christ rose again Rom 16:20, 1 Cor 2:7-8 Col 2:14-15.
- Pray that kingdom citizens who continue to diligently make demands on the finished work of Jesus Christ over various bondages, oppression from the enemy, will experience breakthrough in those areas of deliverance and inner healing.
- Pray that the Great Commission will be pushed forward and that the Ecclesia will become more dynamic in taking the gospel with the changing culture and lifestyle in the territory so that the Light of Jesus Christ will begin to shine forth in the dimmest corners of the world.

PERSEUS (The Breaker – Jesus Christ the Redeemer) A man of war moves swiftly on winged feet to rescue captive Judah/Andromeda. It is named - He who fights and subdues.

Stars: Who helps; who carries away; who breaks. Stars in Medusa's head: Rosh Satan; the trodden under foot; the head of the adversary; the subdued; the evil spirit; rolling round

Like Orion, Perseus carries the evidence of his victory – the severed head of anti-messiah. Jesus Christ alone can break the chains that bind. Jesus Christ is the Man of War Who alone will redeem those in chains



and destroy the dragon and his surrogate spirits. He rules with an iron scepter and dashes to pieces all opposing rulership.

- Proclaim Psalm 2 over the territory
- Praise the LORD that the heavens continue to declare His total destruction and decapitation of the enemy even as He comes swiftly to rescue His people, judge the wicked and above all, the dragon and his surrogate spirits and install governance which will align to His purpose.
- Pray that every enemy resisting the LORD will suffer every one of the prophetic portents that the heavens declare in this season, including subjugation, severing of their authority and power, confusion and complete destruction in every gate of society.

ERIDANUS (The River of the Judge) This immense constellation issues from the foot of Orion and flows down out of sight. The sea monster Cetus is either trying to stop its flow or will be cast into it. Named: The River of the judge; the mouth of the river. It represents the river of wrath breaking forth for His enemies

- This is a season for chastisement of the LORD's enemies and those who continue to resist His purposes even when they are warned. Thank the LORD that indeed the heavens do declare all that He is and all that He has in Him –HE is the Judge and this is a time for justice to move. Pray that His purposes shall come to pass.
- Pray that as the river of the Judge flows over the nation, kingdom citizens will be purged of a rebellious spirit, so that when they have overcome, they too will bring deliverance to those who do not know the LORD.

AURIGA (The Shepherd) A seated shepherd holds a trembling she-goat with two newborn kids. Stars: A she-goat; band, chain of the goats; a flock of goats; wounded, slain; wounded in the foot; kids. Jesus Christ is the Great Shepherd raised from the dead, the Chief Shepherd in the day of His coming glory. (1 Peter 5:4) and it represents safety for the redeemed in the day of wrath.

- This is a season when there is a shaking in the areas of justice and righteousness in governments. Pray that the LORD will, in this season, move through each area of your territory, re-defining the government and justice system. Isa 33:22, Psalm 22:28, Psalm 103:19
- Proclaim Psa 23 over your life as the heavens declare
- Pray that the LORD will establish the following promises within your gate(s) in this month: Deuteronomy 33:13-17, Psalm 121, Deut 28:1-14, Rev 21:7

Program your prayers into the Sun, Moon, stars and the heavenly elements. Using the blood of Jesus Christ, program them into the Interplanetary Magnetic Field, which sends the heat and energy of the Sun

to all creation. As nothing is hid from the heat of the Sun (Ps 19:4-6), so nothing will hinder all that you have spoken to the heavens.

From May 20, to 20th June 2017, the sun in its ecliptic path passes through a cluster of 85 stars in the constellation called Gemini symbolized by the twins which speaks of Jesus Christ's two-fold nature, two-fold work and two fold coming.

The front twin carries a bow and arrow in his left hand and a lyre in his right hand. The rear twin holds a club or palm branch in his right hand. Named: The place of Him who comes; united, twinned.

Stars: Ruler, judge; who comes to labor or suffer; hurt, wounded, afflicted; set; treading under feet; the branch, spreading; the palm branch; the seed, branch.

- Command the star cluster Gemini to praise the LORD in this coming season.
- Thank Jesus Christ for the two-fold nature of devouring, roaring Lion and gentle slain humble Lamb; He devours the enemy but is humble and was willing to take our place as the sacrificial Lamb of the LORD slain for the salvation of the world.
- The lyre and arrow in the front twin signifies David's two-fold weapon i.e. Tehillah Praise – warfare through praise. In this month spend quality times of praise as the LORD arises to scatter the enemy and leads you into the place of dominion and kingdom authority in your family, place of occupation and in the territory.
- Thank the LORD that in this season the heavens declare His evangelizing spirit. People who seek for all kinds of permissive sexual encounters want to fill that void that only the LORD can fill. As the heavens declare, command that those ordinances that have to do with healing of inner wounds, salvation and judgment on sin will be reinforced in many parts of the earth.
- The rear twin is Ephraim bearing the palm branch of praise for Messiah Jesus Christ, reminiscent of his welcome into Jerusalem for the Passover when He died. (John 12:13). The heavens declare a welcoming of the triumphant King into the lives of His people. Pray that in this season as people hear the gospel in various areas of the world, they shall declare "blessed is He who comes in the name of the LORD" and many lives will be redeemed by the Lamb of Jehovah.

The other three smaller group of stars called decans that form part of Gemini describes the details of the stages of His reign:

Canis Minor/the small Dog – Jesus Christ the Redeemer: A small dog is situated near Gemini and below the ecliptic. Close to its heels is the forked tongue of the snake Hydra, approaching from behind. Older zodiacs depict a human figure (rather than a dog) with the head of a hawk and a tail. The hawk is the natural enemy of snakes. Named: Conquering, victorious.



Stars: Redeemer; the burdened, loaded, bearing for others; the Prince, chief of the left hand; ruler; who completes or perfects.

This constellation identifies Jesus Christ, Son of Man, in a heavenly intercessory role. The designation 'chief of the left hand' is complementary to his designation 'chief of the right hand' in Canis Major. Acts 5:31

- His yoke is easy his burden is light. In this season cast your cares on the LORD. When you take whatever challenge you are facing and you put it on Him, then it is He who bears its burden. You will not be tired, frustrated or wearied by that load any more for it is in His hands. What remains is for you to praise and worship Him as He sorts out your challenges. Ask the Holy Spirit to give you a full revelation of the scriptures in Psa 55:22, Phil 4:6-7 and 1 Pet 5:7 so you can apply them into your life on a moment to moment basis.
- Are there areas you feel inadequate or imperfect? The scriptures adjure us to be perfect. The heavens confirm this characteristic trait for all believes, because it is not in our strength that we become perfect. It is the LORD in our lives manifested that displays perfection according to heaven's standards. Prophecy that you are complete and perfect in Him who completes and perfects you. Matt 5:48, 1 Cor 14:20, Phil 3:15, Col 4:12, James 1:4
- Jesus Christ carries the burden to represent kingdom citizens before the throne of the LORD. He currently sits at the right hand of God as our Advocate and High Priest. Thank God that Jesus Christ is seated as our High Priest at the right hand of the Father and that He intercedes for us in every tough situation. Pray that this month kingdom citizens will know that they are not alone. He will never leave nor forsake us even as the heavens declare.

Canis Major/the large Dog – Jesus Christ the Conqueror: A large dog sits even further below the ecliptic, adjacent to Argo, the Ship. Older zodiacs depict a hawk or a wolf, rather than a dog. Sirius, the brightest star in the heavens is found in its mouth. Named: Coming quickly down; the Prince.

Stars: Sirius the prince, ruler; the bright, the shining; the glorious; who shall come; chief of the right hand; the Prince; the mighty; the leader, the chief.

- The heavens declare that there is a quick response in dispatching angelic assistance from the LORD in this season. Pray that Jehovah will hasten to answer the Jehovah ordained prayers of kingdom citizens which have hitherto been hindered by forces of darkness in the heavenly realm. Pray this for kingdom citizens in your territory Dan 10:12-
- The heavens declare that in this season Jesus Christ the conquering King, the victorious One over the Serpent and all his surrogate powers, is ruling in the heavens. In every battle you face in this season, understand that you are more than a conqueror in Him even as the heavens declare. You have already won the victory no matter what the circumstances around you may say. Pray this for kingdom citizens in your territory. Rev 19:11-16



- Pray against the spirit of intimidation, fear, timidity that attends kingdom citizens in seasons of warfare and testing. Break that power over your life and declare 2 Tim 1.6-7. Pray this for kingdom citizens in your territory.
- Pray that this season as the LORD our Redeemer moves among the nations seeking to save that which was lost through kingdom citizens, there will be a greater urgency in the hearts of His people with regard to His Second Coming and the Day of Jehovah. Lepus (the Hare or enemy) represents the enemy trodden under foot.
- Rejoice in the finished work of Jehovah. For He came and led captivity captive and made a public show of the enemy defeated. He released those imprisoned in darkness into glorious light. Is 63:3-4; Mal 4:3
- Proclaim Psa 110 and Rom 16.20 concerning every work of the enemy

PRAYER REQUESTS FROM GAPNET PARTNERS

We receive prayer requests from out GAPNET Partners every day. We will put the general categories from those requests here and ask you to remember to pray for them during the month. Thank you.

- Please pray for healing for those in the GAPNET family that are sick.
- Pray for those who are struggling with addictions.
- Pray for strong Christian families.
- Pray for our ministry partners for financial provision.
- Pray for Christian spouses for our children.
- Pray that the leaders of the nations would have a Damascus experience.
- Pray for our children who are disappointed with the Body of Christ and sees it as hypocritical. Pray that they will build a personal relationship with Jesus.
- Pray for the financial resources that we need to advance the work of the Kingdom in the nations.

PROPHECIES FOR 2018

The prophecies for 2018 will be posted on the h GAPNET website once they become available. Also refer to the website for the complete 2017 prophecies and those from previous years that continue to be fulfilled.



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