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BIBLE CALENDAR

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NISAN - ABIB (AVIV)

Esther 3:7, Ex 13:4, Deut 16:1

י״א FIRST MONTH

MARCH 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Feast OF LOTS (Purim) Esther 9:21 ADAR 14	2 SHUSHAN PURIM Half Shekel Temple Tax 30 th day before Wave-Sheaf ADAR 15	3 ADAR 16
4 ADAR 17	5 ADAR 18	6 ADAR 19	7 ADAR 20	8 ADAR 21	9 ADAR 22	10 Moses ordained Aaron and his four sons Lv 8:1-30. ADAR 23
11 ADAR 24	12 Jeremiah 52: 31 597—560 B.C ADAR 25	13 Laban the Syrian Father of Leah & Rachel Gn 25:20 ADAR 26	14 560 B.C 2 Kings 25:27 Zech 16:7 Hanani the seer ADAR 27	15 ADAR 28	16 ADAR 29	17 BIBLICAL FESTAL NEW YEAR Birth of Levi. King Ahaz 2 Ch 29:17, Ezr 7:9, 10:17, Ex 12:3 NISAN 1
18 NISAN 2	19 NISAN 3	20 NISAN 4	21 NISAN 5	22 Spies went to Jericho- Joshua 2:1 NISAN 6	23 Ezekiel 30:20 NISAN 7	24 NISAN 8
25 NISAN 9	26 Ezekiel 40:1 Prophetess Huldah 621 BC 2 Kings 22:14, Ex 12:3 Passover Lamb Taken NISAN 10	27 NISAN 11	28 NISAN 12	29 Removal of leaven. Ex 12: 15. Eve NISAN 13	30 PASSOVER (Leyl-ha-Pesah) Lv 23:5 Lamb slain Ex 12:6 NISAN 14	31 FEAST OF UNLEAVENE D BREAD (Pesah) (Hag ha-Massoth) Lv 23:6 NISAN 15

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Esther 3:7, Ex 13:4, Deut 16:1		P.O.B. 568, Jerusalem, Israel			I Kings 6:1	
FIRST MONTH		אִיר			SECOND MONTH	
יֹסֵי		APRIL 2018				
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sabbath
1 Wave-Sheaf of FIRSTFRUITS ('Omer Reshith) (Yom Haneph) Intermediate day 1 (Hol-ha-mo'ed A) Lv 23:1, 1 Cor 15:20	2 Intermediate day 2 (Hol-ha-mo'ed B) Noah's Ark rested on Mount Ararat Gn 8:4	3 Intermediate day 3 (Hol-ha-mo'ed G)	4 Intermediate day 4 (Hol-ha-mo'ed D)	5 Intermediate day 5 (Hol-ha-mo'ed H) The Tree of Life- Gn 2:9	6 Seventh Day Israelites Crossed the Reed Sea- Ex 14:22	7 Isseru Hag Siege of Jericho Joshua 6:1-15
NISAN 16	NISAN 17	NISAN 18	NISAN 19	NISAN 20	NISAN 21	NISAN 22
8 NISAN 23	9 Dn 10: 4-21 NISAN 24	10 Marah - 1 st Halt- Ex 15:23 NISAN 25	11 Joshua son of Nun NISAN 26	12 NISAN 27	13 Jericho wall fell Joshua 6:15 NISAN 28	14 NISAN 29
15 NISAN 30	16 Prophet Jeremiah 627 - 587 B.C. IYYAR 1	17 Elim - 2 nd Halt- Ex 15:27 Solomon's Temple 2 Ch 3:2 IYYAR 2	18 IYYAR 3	19 IYYAR 4	20 State of Israel Independence Day (Yom ha-'Asma-uth) 5708 – 5775. Hananiah, Azariah, Mishael Dn 1: 6, 11 IYYAR 5	21 Job the Just IYYAR 6
22 IYYAR 7	23 The Seven Maccabee Brothers and their Mother 2 Mac 7:1-42 IYYAR 8	24 Prophet Isaiah 760-670 B.C. IYYAR 9	25 Ark taken by the Philistines 1 Sm 5:1 Death of Eli and 2 sons 1 Sm 4:11 Mid-pentecost IYYAR 10	26 Birth of Amram, father of Moses and Aaron Nb 26:58 IYYAR 11	27 IYYAR 12	28 IYYAR 13
29 Second Passover (Pesah Sheni) Nb 9:11 2 Ch 30:1-27 IYYAR 14	30 3 rd Halt at Sin - Ex 16:1 IYYAR 15	16 NISAN — Lv 23:10-11 “Speak unto the children of Israel, and say unto them, When ye be come into the land which I give unto you, and shall reap the harvest thereof, then ye shall bring a sheaf of the firstfruits of your harvest unto the priest: And he shall wave the sheaf before the LORD, to be accepted for you: on the morrow after the sabbath the priest shall wave it.” 17 NISAN Gn 8:4 “And the ark rested in the seventh month, on the seventeenth day of the month, upon the mountains of Ararat.”— Note: for more information concerning the seventh month see the note in the month of Tishri.				

2 IYYAR — Ex 15:27 “And they came to Elim, where [were] twelve wells of water, and threescore and ten palm trees: and they encamped there by the waters.”*Note: For details concerning the numbering of the months in Genesis, see the note in the month of Tishri.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sabbath
18 IYYAR “LAG” ba'Omer means the 33 rd . day of 50 days. Bar Kochba (false messiah) died 135 A.D. 1 SIWAN — Ex 19:1 “In the third month, when the children of Israel were gone forth out of the land of Egypt, the same day came they [into] the wilderness of Sinai.”		1 First Manna Fell (According to Rashi) Ex 16:15 IYYAR 16	2 IYYAR 17	3 Lag ba-‘Omer Bar Kochba's victory over the Romans IYYAR 18	4 IYYAR 19	5 High Priest Eli 1 Sm 1:3 Sinai to Paran Forty year sojourn IYYAR 20
6 IYYAR 21	7 4th Halt Rephidim Ex 17:1 King Melkisedek IYYAR 22	8 The Rock- Ex 17:6 Simon Maccabee’s victory 167 B.C Ima 13:51 IYYAR 23	9 IYYAR 24	10 40 th 'Omer IYYAR 25	11 IYYAR 26	12 Jerusalem Day IYYAR 27
13 Prophet Samuel 1018 B.C. 1 Sm 1:20 Unification of Jerusalem (Wed June 7 1967) IYYAR 28	14 IYYAR 29	15 Translation of Enoch: Gn 5:24 Covenant of the Pieces: Gn 15:1-21 Ex 19:1 & Ez 31:1 SIWAN 1	16 SIWAN 2	17 Birth of Aaron Ex 6:20 SIWAN 3	18 SIWAN 4	19 Pentecost Eve SIWAN 5
20 Feast of Weeks PENTECOST (Shavu'oth)-50th day King David SIWAN 6	21 Prophet Hosea Birth and Death of King David Rt 4:22 1Kg 2:10 SIWAN 7	22 SIWAN 8	23 SIWAN 9	24 SIWAN 10	25 SIWAN 11	26 Falasha Harvest SIWAN 12
27 Laban overtook Jacob in Gilead- Gn 31:25 SIWAN 13	28 Prophet Elisha 860 B.C SIWAN 14	29 Birth of Isaac Gn 21:2, Birth of Judah Gn 29:35, Zadokite feast of wheat first fruits (Bikkurim). SIWAN 15	30 Naomi & Ruth left Moab for Bethlehem Ruth 1:19 SIWAN 16	31 Prophet Amos 770– 750 B.C SIWAN 17	1 SIWAN — Ez 31:1 “And it came to pass in the eleventh year, in the third [month], in the first [day] of the month, [that] the word of the LORD came unto me, saying,” 15 SIWAN — Gn 17:1-17 God appeared to Abram and changed his name to Abraham.	

JUNE 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sabbath
5 TAMMUZ — Ez 1:1 “... the heavens were opened, and I saw visions of God.”					1	2
9 TAMMUZ — 2K 25:3 “And on the ninth [day] of the [fourth] month the word of the Lord came unto me saying, Son of man, I have made thee a watchman unto the house of Israel ...”					SIWAN 18	SIWAN 19
3 SIWAN 20	4 SIWAN 21	5 SIWAN 22	6 Decree of King Ahasuerus Est 8:9 SIWAN 23	7 SIWAN 24	8 SIWAN 25	9 SIWAN 26
10 Spies left for Canaan Nb 13:1-20 SIWAN 27	11 SIWAN 28	12 The spies explored Canaan 40 days Nb 13:21-33 SIWAN 29	13 SIWAN 30	14 Mountain tops were seen Gn 8:5 Joseph son of Jacob Gn 30:24 TAMMUZ 1	15 Holy Ark of the Covenant Ex 25:10 TAMMUZ 2	16 Sun stood still Jos10:12 TAMMUZ 3
17 TAMMUZ 4	18 Ezekiel 1:1 TAMMUZ 5	19 Birth of Enoch Gn 5:18 TAMMUZ 6	20 TAMMUZ 7	21 TAMMUZ 8	22 (588) 587 B. C. Jr 39:2, 52:6 2 K 25:3 TAMMUZ 9	23 TAMMUZ 10
24 TAMMUZ 11	25 Ezekiel 3:16 TAMMUZ 12	26 Angel Gabriel TAMMUZ 13	27 TAMMUZ 14	28 Hur and Miriam TAMMUZ 15	29 TAMMUZ 16	30 Tablets broken. Golden calf Ex 32:11 TAMMUZ 17

JULY 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sabbath
1 Moses ascended Mt. Sinai for the second time Ex 34:4 TAMMUZ 18	2 TAMMUZ 19	3 Prophet Elijah 860 B.C. 1 K 17:1 TAMMUZ 20	4 TAMMUZ 21	5 Jacob at Bethel Gn 28:11-22 TAMMUZ 22	6 Elkanah & Hannah 1 Sm 2:1 Prophet Ezekiel 597 B.C. TAMMUZ 23	7 TAMMUZ 24
8 50th day since eve of Shavuoth TAMMUZ 25	9 TAMMUZ 26	10 TAMMUZ 27	11 TAMMUZ 28	12 TAMMUZ 29	13 On Mount Hor Death of Aaron Nb 20:22-29 Nb 33:38, 3Ezra 7:9 AV 1	14 Rabban Gamliel AV 2
15 New Wine Festival Dt 11: 14 AV 3	16 Birth of Isaachar Gn 30:18 AV 4	17 AV 5	18 AV 6	19 2 Kings 25:8-17 AV 7	20 AV 8	21 Destruction of the Temple (Tish'ah be-Av) (588) 587 B.C., & 70 A.D. Jr 39:2 AV 9
22 Noah sent raven & dove: Gn 8:6-9 Ez 20:1 - 591 B.C. Jr 52:12-(588) 587B.C. AV 10	23 AV 11	24 AV 12	25 AV 13	26 Festival of Wood for the Altar. AV 14	27 Maidens' Vineyard Festival AV 15	28 AV 16
29 Dove sent again, returned with olive leaf. Gn 8:10-11 AV 17	30 AV 18	31 AV 19	1 AV — Nb 33:38 “And Aaron the priest went up into mount Hor at the commandment of the LORD, and died there, in the fortieth year after the children of Israel were come out of the land of Egypt, in the first [day] of the fifth month.”			

AV — 2K 25:8-9 “And in the fifth month, on the seventh [day] of the month, which [is] the nineteenth year of king Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon, came Nebuzar-adan, captain of the guard, a servant of the king of Babylon, unto Jerusalem: And he burnt the house of the LORD, and the king's house, and all the houses of Jerusalem, and every great [man's] house burnt he with fire.”

AUGUST 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sabbath
24 AV — Gn 8:12 “And he stayed yet other seven days; and sent forth the dove; which returned not again unto him any more.”			1	2	3	4
			AV 20	AV 21	AV 22	AV 23
5 Dove sent last time Gn 8:12	6 7 weeks until Tabernacles	7 Angel Raphael	8	9 King Hezekiah 724-695 B.C. 2K 16:20	10 Moses ascended Sinai the 3rd time - Ex 34:1-4	11 40 days until Atonement
AV 24	AV 25	AV 26	AV 27	AV 28	AV 29	AV 30
12 New Year for Flocks Haggai 1:1-520 B.C.	13 Priests Eleazar & Phinehas Ex 6:25	14	15	16 40 days until Tabernacles Ez 8:1 592 B.C.	17	18
ELUL 1	ELUL 2	ELUL 3	ELUL 4	ELUL 5	ELUL 6	ELUL 7
19	20 Birth of Dan Gn 30:6	21	22	23	24	25
ELUL 8	ELUL 9	ELUL 10	ELUL 11	ELUL 12	ELUL 13	ELUL 14
26 Sarah conceived Isaac: Gn 21:1 3rd 50th day	27 Four weeks until Tabernacles	28	29	30	31	
ELUL 15	ELUL 16	ELUL 17	ELUL 18	ELUL 19	ELUL 20	

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sabbath
*Years are reckoned or computed from 1 Tishri, the Day of Trumpets, and every seven years the Fallow or Sabbatical year. After every 7th Sabbatical year the jubilee was to begin on the Day of Atonement. Certain sages reckoned the 7th Sabbatical Year as the Jubilee Year.						1 Prophet Jonah 780-750 B.C. ELUL 21
2 New Oil Festival Dt 11:14 ELUL 22	3 [Temple Scroll Calendar] New Wood Offering ELUL 23	4 Haggai 1:15 520 B.C. Rabbanite Eve of creation ELUL 24	5 Creation Day- Gn 1:1 Nehemiah 6:15 445 B.C. Wall restored by Nehemiah ELUL 25	6 2 nd Day of Creation Dividing Firmament- Gn 1:7 Judge Gideon ELUL 26	7 3 rd Day of Creation Land, Seas, Plants Gn 1:11 ELUL 27	8 4 th Day of Creation Sun, Moon, Stars- Gn 1:14 Baruch - 587 B.C. Jr 36:4 ELUL 28
9 5 th Day of Creation Marine Creatures, Fowl - Gn 1:20 Rosh Ha-Shanah Eve ELUL 29	10 5779 CIVIL NEW YEAR (Rosh Ha- Shanah) Day of Trumpets - Nb 29:1 Birth of Abraham 6 th Day of Creation - Land Creatures, Man - Gn 1:2 TISHRI 1	11 Diaspora 2 nd Day (Rosh Ha-Shanah) 7 th Day: The First Sanctified Sabbath: Gn 2:2 Nb 8:13 TISHRI 2	12 Governor Gedaliah was slain - Jr 41:2 (588) 587 B.C. TISHRI 3	13 TISHRI 4	14 Birth of Naphtali Gn 30:8 TISHRI 5	15 TISHRI 6
16 Birth of Leah's twins Zebulun & Dinah Gn 30:20 TISHRI 7	17 The Creation of Eve Gn 2:21-23 TISHRI 8	18 Eve of Yom Kippur TISHRI 9	19 DAY OF ATONEMENT T (Yom Kippur) Lv 16: 29, 23:27 TISHRI 10	20 TISHRI 11	21 TISHRI 12	22 TISHRI 13
23 Eve of Tabernacles TISHRI 14	24 FEAST OF TABERNACLES (Sukkoth) Ingathering Birth of Jacob TISHRI 15	25 Intermediate day 1 Hol ha-mo'ed A TISHRI 16	26 Intermediate day 2 Hol ha-mo'ed B Prophet Hosea 760-700 B.C. TISHRI 17	27 Intermediate day 3 Hol ha-mo'ed G TISHRI 18	28 Intermediate day 4 Hol ha-mo'ed D Prophet Joel 760 B.C. TISHRI 19	29 Intermediate Sabbath (Shabbath-ha- mo'ed) TISHRI 20
30 Seventh Day Hosha'na Rabbah Haggai 2:1-520 B.C. TISHRI 21						

OCTOBER 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sabbath
	1 Solemn Assembly Shemini 'Asèrèth Simhath Torah Prayer for Rain Feast of Conclusion Lv 23:36 TISHRI 22	2 DIASPORA Rejoicing in THE LAW (Simhath Torah) Isseru Hag 2 Chr 7:10 TISHRI 23	3 Nehemiah 9:1- 444 B.C. TISHRI 24	4 TISHRI 25	5 TISHRI 26	6 TISHRI 27
7 TISHRI 28	8 Simon the Just High Priest 220-195 B.C. TISHRI 29	9 TISHRI 30	10 MARHESHWAN 1	11 MARHESHWAN 2	12 MARHESHWAN 3	13 MARHESHWAN 4
14 MARHESHWAN 5	15 MARHESHWAN 6	16 MARHESHWAN 7	17 Michael Gabriel Raphael Uriel (Archangels) MARHESHWAN 8	18 MARHESHWAN 9	19 Adam placed in Eden Noah entered the ark Gn 7:1-9. Birth of Gad Gn 30: 11 MARHESHWAN 10	20 Benjamin's Birth Death of Rachel Gn 35:18 MARHESHWAN 11
21 Ahijah of Shiloh 1 Kings 11:29 MARHESHWAN12	22 MARHESHWAN13	23 30th day after Tabernacles Eve MARHESHWAN14	24 High Priest Mattityahu 166 B.C. Bathel Ik 12:33 MARHESHWAN15	25 MARHESHWAN16	26 Adam's Fall Genesis 3:1 Deluge began Genesis 7:10-11 MARHESHWAN17	27 MARHESHWAN18
28 Prophet Obadiah 860? 585? B.C. MARHESHWAN19	29 MARHESHWAN20	30 MARHESHWAN21	31 MARHESHWAN22	17 MARHESHWAN — Gn 7:11 "In the six hundredth year of Noah's life, in the second month, the seventeenth day of the month, the same day were all the fountains of the great deep broken up, and the windows of heaven were opened."		

NOVEMBER 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sabbath
23 MARHESHWAN — Is 61:1-2 “The Spirit of the Lord God is upon me; because the Lord hath anointed me to preach good tidings unto the meek . . .” 17 KISLEW — Dn 3:25 “He answered and said, Lo, I see four men loose, walking in the midst of the fire, and they have no hurt; and the form of the fourth is like the Son of God.” NOTE: For details concerning the numbering of the months in Genesis see the month of Tishri.				1 Isaiah 61:1-2 MARHESHWAN23	2 The Four Living Beings: Ez 1:4-15 40th day after Tabernacles (Sukkoth) Eve. MARHESHWAN24	3 MARHESHWAN25
4 MARHESHWAN26	5 Noah left the ark Genesis 8:14-19 Falasha sigd celebration. MARHESHWAN27	6 Angel Michael MARHESHWAN28	7 MARHESHWAN29	8 MARHESHWAN30	9 Noah's Altar Gn 8:20 Prophet Nahum 620-587 B.C. KISLEW 1	10 Prophet Habakkuk 600 B.C. KISLEW 2
11 Prophet Zephaniah 625-587 B.C. KISLEW 3	12 Zc 7:1 - 518 B.C XII Minor Prophets KISLEW 4	13 KISLEW 5	14 KISLEW 6	15 KISLEW 7	16 KISLEW 8	17 KISLEW 9
18 KISLEW 10	19 Jacob crossed Jabbok and was met by Esau Gn 32:22-33:17 KISLEW 11	20 Gideon - The 5 th Judge: Jg 6:34 KISLEW 12	21 KISLEW 13	22 Birth of Reuben Gn 29:32 KISLEW 14	23 1 Mac 1: 54 167 B.C KISLEW 15	24 Prophet Haggai 520 B.C. KISLEW 16
25 Daniel & the Three Youths Hananiah Mishael Azariah: Dn 1:6 606 B.C. KISLEW 17	26 KISLEW 18	27 KISLEW 19	28 Eza 10:9 KISLEW 20	29 KISLEW 21	30 KISLEW 22	

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NINTH MONTH

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TENTH MONTH

DECEMBER 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sabbath
10 TEVETH — Jr 39:1 "In the ninth year of Zedekiah king of Judah, in the tenth month, came Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon and all his army against Jerusalem, and they besieged it."						1 KISLEW 23
2 Kindling of the first lamp or candle at dusk. Hag 2:20 KISLEW 24	3 DEDICATION (Hanukkah) 1st Day In Hebron: Patriarch Jacob & King David: 164 B.C. Remembered in Hebron Imac 1:59 167 B.C 50th day KISLEW 25	4 2nd Day KISLEW 26	5 3rd Day Eve placed in Eden- Gn 2:22 40th Deluge Day- Gn 7:12 KISLEW 27	6 4th Day KISLEW 28	7 5th Day KISLEW 29	8 6th Day KISLEW 30
9 7th Day Death of Abraham Ezra 10:16 TEVETH 1	10 DEDICATION (Hanukkah) 8th Day TEVETH 2	11 Prophet Malachi 445 B.C. TEVETH 3	12 TEVETH 4	13 Prophet Micah 740-690 B.C. Ezra 33:21 TEVETH 5	14 TEVETH 6	15 TEVETH 7
16 TEVETH 8	17 Ez 24:1 Prophet Shemaiah 1 Kings 12:22 Ezra & Nehemiah 445 B.C. TEVETH 9	18 FAST OF TEVETH Siege of Jerusalem (588) 587 B.C. Jr 39:1-2 Ez 24:1 [2 K 25:1 - (598) 597 B.C.] TEVETH 10	19 TEVETH 11	20 Ezekiel 29:1 588 B.C. TEVETH 12	21 TEVETH 13	22 TEVETH 14
23 TEVETH 15	24 TEVETH 16	25 TEVETH 17	26 TEVETH 18	27 TEVETH 19	28 TEVETH 20	29 Birth of Simeon Gn29:33. (Lev—Nisan 1) TEVETH 21
30 TEVETH 22	31 TEVETH 23	12 TEVETH — Ez 29:1-2 "In the tenth year, in the tenth month, in the twelfth day of the month, the word of the Lord came unto me, saying, Son of man set thy face against Pharaoh king of Egypt, and prophesy against him, and against all Egypt:"				

JANUARY 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sabbath
		1	2	3	4	5
		TEVETH 24	TEVETH 25	TEVETH 26	TEVETH 27	TEVETH 28
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
TEVETH 29	New Year for Fruit Trees (Shammal) SHEVAT 1	Birth of Asher Gn 30:13 SHEVAT 2	Azariah Ben Oded 2 Ch 15: 1-2 SHEVAT 3	SHEVAT 4	SHEVAT 5	SHEVAT 6
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
SHEVAT 7	Prophet Zechariah 520 B.C. SHEVAT 8	SHEVAT 9	SHEVAT 10	SHEVAT 11	SHEVAT 12	SHEVAT 13
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
SHEVAT 14	New Year for Trees (Hillel) SHEVAT 15	SHEVAT 16	SHEVAT 17	SHEVAT 18	SHEVAT 19	SHEVAT 20
27	28	29	30	31	3 SHEVAT — 2Ch 15:1-2 “And the Spirit of God came upon Azariah the son of Oded: And he went out to meet Asa, and said unto him, Hear ye me, Asa, and all Judah and Benjamin; The LORD [is] with you, while ye be with him; and if ye seek him, he will be found of you; but if ye forsake him, he will forsake you.”	
SHEVAT 21	SHEVAT 22	SHEVAT 23	SHEVAT 24	SHEVAT 25		

FEBRUARY 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sabbath
					1	2
					SHEVAT 26	SHEVAT 27
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
SHEVAT 28	SHEVAT 29	SHEVAT 30	I ADAR 1	I ADAR 2	I ADAR 3	I ADAR 4
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
I ADAR 5	I ADAR 6	I ADAR 7	I ADAR 8	I ADAR 9	I ADAR 10	I ADAR 11
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
I ADAR 12	I ADAR 13	I ADAR 14	I ADAR 15	I ADAR 16	I ADAR 17	I ADAR 18
24	25	26	27	28		
I ADAR 19	I ADAR 20	I ADAR 21	I ADAR 22	I ADAR 23		

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					1 I ADAR 24	2 I ADAR 25
3 I ADAR 26	4 I ADAR 27	5 I ADAR 28	6 I ADAR 29	7 I ADAR 30	8 Plagues in Egypt Began (in a leap year: II Adar 1) Ex 7:3 Ex 7:20 Ex 30:13 Ez 32:1 II ADAR 1	9 II ADAR 2
10 Ezra 6:15. 40 days before Nisan 14 (In a leap year II Adar 3) II ADAR 3	11 II ADAR 4	12 In a leap year: 40 th day before Wave-Sheaf II ADAR 5	13 II ADAR 6	14 Birth of Moses in Egypt and his death on Mount Nebo Dt 34:7 II ADAR 7	15 II ADAR 8	16 II ADAR 9
17 II ADAR 10	18 II ADAR 11	19 High Priest Phinehas II ADAR 12	20 Fast of Esther Eve of Purim II ADAR 13	21 Feast OF LOTS (Purim) Esther 9:21 II ADAR 14	22 SHUSHAN PURIM Half Shekel Temple Tax 30 th day before Wave-Sheaf. Ex 30: 13, Ez 32: 17 II ADAR 15	23 II ADAR 16
24 II ADAR 17	25 II ADAR 18	26 II ADAR 19	27 II ADAR 20	28 II ADAR 21	29 II ADAR 22	30 Moses ordained Aaron and his four sons Lv 8:1-30 II ADAR 23
31 II ADAR 24	March was the first month in the old Roman Calendar.					

APRIL 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sabbath
	1 Jeremiah 52:31 597-560 B.C. II ADAR 25	2 Laban the Syrian Father of Leah & Rachel Gn 25:20 II ADAR 26	3 560 B.C. 2 Kings 25:27 2 Ch 16:7 Hanani the Seer II ADAR 27	4 II ADAR 28	5 II ADAR 29	6 BIBLICAL FESTAL NEW YEAR Birth of Levi. King Ahaz 2 Ch 29:17, Ezr 7:9, 10:17 NISAN 1
7 NISAN 2	8 NISAN 3	9 NISAN 4	10 NISAN 4	11 Spies went to Jericho- Joshua 2:1 Spies went to Jericho- Joshua 2:1 NISAN 6	12 Ezekiel 30:20 NISAN 7	13 NISAN 8
14 NISAN 9	15 Ezekiel 40:1 Prophetess Huldah 621 BC 2 Kings 22:14 Passover Lamb Taken Ex 12:3 NISAN 10	16 NISAN 11	17 NISAN 12	18 Removal of leaven Ex 12:15 Eve NISAN 13	19 PASSOVER (Leyl-ha-Pesah) Lv 23:5, Nb 28:16 Lamb slain Ex 2:6 NISAN 14	20 FEAST OF UNLEAVEN ED BREAD (Pesah) (Hag ha-Massoth) Lv 23:6 NISAN 15
21 Wave-Sheaf of FIRSTFRUITS (Omer Reshith) (Yom Ha neph) Intermediate day 1 (Hol-ha-mo'ed A) Lv 23:11, 1 Co 15:20 NISAN 16	22 Intermediate day 2 (Hol-ha-mo'ed B) Noah's Ark rested on Mount Ararat- Gn 8:4 NISAN 17	23 Intermediate day 3 (Hol-ha-mo'ed G) NISAN 18	24 Intermediate day 4 (Hol-ha-mo'ed D) NISAN 19	25 Intermediate day 5 (Hol-ha-mo'ed H) The Tree of Life- Gn 2:9 NISAN 20	26 Seventh Day Israelites Crossed the Reed Sea- Ex 14:22 NISAN 21	27 Isseru Hag Siege of Jericho Joshua 6:1-15 NISAN 22
28 NISAN 23	29 Dn 10:4-21 NISAN 24	30 Marah - 1 st Halt- Ex 15:23 NISAN 25	16 NISAN — Lv 23:10-11 “Speak unto the children of Israel, and say unto them, When ye be come into the land which I give unto you, and shall reap the harvest thereof, then ye shall bring a sheaf of the firstfruits of your harvest unto the priest: And he shall wave the sheaf before the LORD, to be accepted for you: on the morrow after the sabbath the priest shall wave it.”			

FEASTS AND HOLY DAYS OF ISRAEL

PASSOVER (Pesah) — In memory of the deliverance of the Children of Israel from slavery in Egypt. (Dt 16:1-8). Passover is commemorated on the 14th of Nisan (Ex. 12:2, 13:4), and is combined with the Feast of Unleavened Bread on 15 Nisan. During the seven days of Nisan 15-21, nothing with leaven is eaten. Whenever it was impossible to keep Passover at the appointed time on 14 Nisan, it was observed a month later as Second Passover, on 14 Iyyar.

For Christians, Passover is sacred because of the crucifixion and atoning death of God's Messiah on 14 Nisan, when on the cross He expiated the sin of our father Adam, and restored us to God's favour, and likewise atoned for our own sins and guilt. Before His trial and crucifixion, in the same night in which Iscariot betrayed Him, He instituted the ordained apostolic ministry together with the New Covenant Oblation which is the holy sacrament of the Lord's Supper, offered in memory of Him until His second coming at the end of this age. The account is related in the books of the Gospel (Lk 22, Mt 26, 1C 11:23-29, Jn 13). The time for commemorating the Lord's Supper is after sunset of Nisan 13, when Nisan 14 commences. Since Biblical times the day has always been reckoned from sunset to sunset, and not from midnight as in the manner of the Romans, nor from sunrise in the manner of the Egyptians.

FEAST OF WEEKS (Shavu'oth) — PENTECOST — The Festival of the First Fruits, Lv 23:16-21, Dt 16:9-10. It is customary to adorn the synagogues with green plants and flowers. In the synagogue service, the Book of Ruth is chanted with the reading of the Ten Commandments and the account of Mount Sinai.

For Christians, the Feast of Weeks has special significance because it was on this festival (in Greek-'pentekoste hemera' means fiftieth day), that the Holy Spirit of the Eternal Father, was sent by the risen and ascended Saviour, and descended upon the apostles assembled with the Lord's Mother and other disciples. And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like of fire, and it sat upon each of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance. Ac 2:1-41.

DAY OF TRUMPET-SOUNDING (Yom Teru'ah) CIVIL NEW YEAR (Rosh ha-Shanah) — Lv 23:24-25 Speak unto the children of Israel, saying, In the seventh month, in the first [day] of the month, shall ye have a sabbath, a memorial of blowing of trumpets, an holy convocation. Ye shall do no servile work [therein]: but ye shall offer an offering made by fire unto the LORD. Nb 29:1 And in the seventh month, on the first [day] of the month, ye shall have an holy convocation; ye shall do no servile work: it is a day of blowing the trumpets unto you. Encyclopaedia Judaica vol. 12, column 1061: The first of Tishri is the New Year for the civil calendar, including the counting of the reigns of foreign kings, for the Sabbatical and Jubilee years (ploughing and planting being forbidden from that date), and for the year of planting fruit and vegetables.

DAY OF ATONEMENT (Yom Kippur) — In the Bible this is a day which God commanded the Hebrew People to observe with a total fast, during which day the High Priest offered prescribed sacrifices for the expiation of sin and guilt (Lv16:29, 23:27; Nb 29:7-11). Since there has been no Temple following its destruction, in the summer of 70 A.D., it remains impossible for Jews to obey this commandment unless the Mosaic Tabernacle is found, or the Third Temple is built, and the priesthood is restored. This day of Atonement on Tishri 10 remains for Jews the most sacred occasion in the entire year, on which they attend the services in synagogues. All adults fast for 24 hours without any food or drink, unless sick or on medication. Boys under 13 and girls under 12 are exempt.

TABERNACLES (Sukkoth) The Festival of Ingathering — Farmers assembled in the autumn, to thank God, after gathering in all their grapes, olives and produce of their fields. This seven-day solemnity commemorates the sojourning of the Israelites during forty years in the wilderness, dwelling in booths or huts, called "sukkoth" in Hebrew. The fragile nature of such temporary dwellings made the Israelites perceive their utter dependence on God. The eighth day on Tishri 22, is a separate celebration and one of Solemn Assembly, called Shemini 'Asereth (Ex 23:16, Lv 23:41-43, Dt 16:13-15). Tabernacles begins on the 15th day of Tishri. During the festival of Tabernacles in Israel to-day, it is customary for every household to erect a booth, "sukkah", having at least three walls, with the roof made of leaves and branches, and in which both the family and guests take their meals. There are also those who sleep in the booth.

REJOICING IN THE LAW (Simhath Torah) — In the evening concluding 21 Tishri, the celebration of Rejoicing in the Law, Simhath Torah, begins. In Israel this is

the 22nd day of Tishri, the very day of "Shemini 'Asereth", (Lv 23:36). In the countries of the diaspora this celebration is held on the following day, 23 Tishri. Jews dance with the sacred scrolls of the Law on the eve of Simhath Torah. On this day the annual cycle of the synagogue reading of the Torah is completed and a new cycle begins with Genesis. On Simhath Torah eve, and the following morning, all the scrolls are taken from the synagogue ark (which is a cabinet), and are carried around in procession, in the synagogue, while the congregation sings songs of praise.

DEDICATION (Hanukkah) The Feast of Lights — According to tradition, this festival was begun in the days of the Hasmonaeen Priest Judah Maccabee and his followers in 164 B.C. after the successful rebellion against Antiochus Epiphanes of the Seleucid Grecian Empire. At dusk during the eight days of this festival, one additional light is lit for each day, until on the eighth day eight lamps are burning. This is said to commemorate the miracle of the oil which took place after the Maccabees recovered the Temple from the Greeks. It was discovered that the Greeks had defiled all the oil reserved for the seven lamps of the Temple candelabrum, called Menorah, except for one cruse, which contained only sufficient oil for the candelabrum to remain kindled for one day. However, a miracle occurred, and the oil lasted eight days, until new supplies could be obtained. In remembrance of God's miraculous intervention, the festival of Hanukkah was instituted. It begins on the 25th of Kislev (Chisleu). The first lamp, or candle, is lit on the eve, at dusk on 24 Kislev.

LOTS (Purim) — This feast was instituted under Persian rule of Xerxes I (Ahasuerus) 486-465 B.C., in the days of Mordecai and Queen Esther, to celebrate the deliverance of the Jews from Haman's plot to kill them. Esther chapter 9. The Book of Esther is chanted in synagogues on Purim. A special meal is eaten in the afternoon, traditionally including beans and peas as a reminder of the pulse Daniel and his three companions ate in the King's palace. In Israel on this day Jewish children dress in various costumes as Queen Esther, Haman, etc. Purim is celebrated on Adar 14 except in walled cities, such as Jerusalem, where it is celebrated on 15 Adar. This is because the Jews in the walled city of Shushan, in Elam, celebrated their deliverance on 15 Adar. In leap years, when there are thirteen months with a second month of Adar, Purim is then celebrated in the month of Second Adar.

The Biblical Festal Year begins in the spring because it was in this season that God delivered the Hebrews from slavery in Egypt, and when there is new life with trees and flowers coming into bloom. - The Lord spake unto Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt saying, This month shall be unto you the beginning of months: It shall be the first month of the year to you. Ex 12:1-2. Ex 13:4, Est 3:7. It falls during the second half of March and the first half of April.

This calendar gives the international Roman months and days, together with the Hebrew months and days. It also lists the Jewish and Biblical holy days with important Israelite commemorations: patriarchs, prophets, several pious kings of Israel and other righteous Hebrews whose lives were dedicated to God. All Sabbaths, the first days of the Hebrew months, and Jewish and Biblical holy days are printed in red. The calendar begins with March and ends with April of the next year. This follows the ancient Biblical (liturgical) year, which begins with the First Month, as it is called in Holy Scripture, but was called Abib in Hebrew by the pagan Canaanites, and Nisan in the Akkadian language of the Babylonians and Assyrians. Conservative groups of Israelites refused to use either the Canaanite or Babylonian names of the months, but maintained the ordinal numbers from 'First' to 'Twelfth'. Abib, Ziw, Ethanim, and Bul are the names used by the pagans of Canaan.

The Jewish calendar is lunisolar; that is, the months are reckoned according to the moon, and the year of twelve or thirteen months, according to the sun. To balance the lunar months which have either 29 or 30 days each, totalling 354 days in a purely lunar year, with the solar year of 365 or 366 days, in seven out of the 19 years of the lunar cycle, an extra month — Adar II - is added. The Jewish civil calendar begins the year in the autumn with the Seventh Month, Tishri (Ethanim), due to the agricultural year of ploughing and planting, whereas the Biblical sacred or liturgical year commences in the spring with Nisan. In the Roman calendar, which one uses to-day, the New Year formerly began with March, when September was the seventh month. Later the Christian New Year began on 25 March according to the European reckoning, until the late 1700's when it was put back to the Roman New Year of 1 January. The counting of years follows various eras, according to the reckoning of years of history recorded in the book of Genesis. This is the basis for the Jewish year of Creation which rabbis say was in 3761 B.C., with God's creation of Adam in the month of Tishri which means 'beginning'. When one counts the total number of years recorded in the Bible from Adam until the destruction of the Second Temple in 70 A.D., one notices that the Rabbanite reckoning of 3761, is 246 years less than the actual total. By restoring the 246 years which have been omitted, the years of Biblically recorded history ought therefore