



# CANADIAN NEWS

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**“Also in the day of your gladness  
and in your appointed feasts ...  
they shall be as a reminder  
of you before your God.  
I am the LORD your God.”  
Numbers 10:10**

September 2021

Dear Jewish Missions Partner,

Shalom in Messiah’s mighty Name! It’s that time of year when we once again focus on the Feasts of the Lord as He ordained in Scripture (Leviticus 23).

### **Why Do We Do This as Believers in Jesus?**

We celebrate the Jewish Feasts of the Lord because the Lord gave them to Israel to observe in perpetuity. Those of us who are Jewish by blood celebrate them as a testimony of belonging to the Jewish community.

Also, we who acknowledge Yeshua as our Messiah celebrate them because we see how His life, ministry, death, resurrection and second coming are tied to these feasts.

For example, the **Feast of Trumpets** (also known as Rosh Hashanah or the Jewish New Year) is rich in symbolism from the past, but also points us to the future when the trumpet will sound to announce the return of Messiah (1 Thessalonians 4:16)!



The **Day of Atonement** (Yom Kippur) is a clear reminder of Yeshua’s sacrifice for our sins, carrying our guilt upon Himself just as the scapegoat did in the Old Testament. The prophet Zechariah also speaks of a day in the future when Israel “will look to Him whom they pierced” (Zechariah 12:10) and be redeemed as a nation.

The third feast to be celebrated this month is the **Feast of Tabernacles** (Sukkot). It’s a joyous celebration of God’s care for Israel for 40 years in the wilderness and is rich in meaning and traditions. And it, too, points to the future celebration when the nations will come to Jerusalem to be part of this great feast in the Messianic kingdom (Zechariah 14:16).

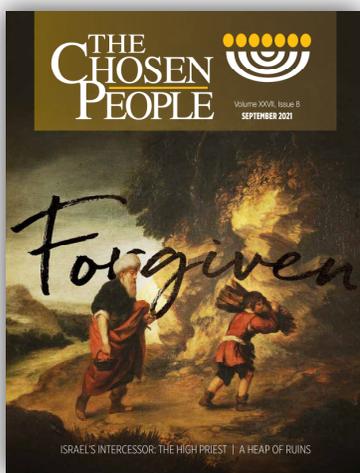
These are great reasons to celebrate the High Holy Days!

### **Meanwhile, Ministry Continues**

While we prepare for these celebrations, the ministry of our Mission continues on various fronts. Our **congregations in Toronto, Hamilton and Winnipeg** are ministering to the needs of their congregants, building up the faith of the believers and sharing the message of hope in Messiah Jesus with Jewish and non-Jewish seekers alike. Each missionary has managed to prepare sermons, counsel individuals and families, meet with leaders, and tend to administrative issues during this excruciating and unprecedented time of COVID-19. *Please continue to lift them up to the Heavenly Father in prayer.*

Our **online ministry** continues to expand. The number of viewers and followers of our social media platforms – Facebook, Twitter and Instagram – grows steadily from week to week. We are updating regularly the various posts, videos, blogs and other publications to create interest and start conversations that lead to spiritual topics. Live online

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with Jewish people across Canada and around the globe!**



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events are very popular among our supporters. Be sure to check our website or your email for announcements about these events and how you can participate.

With COVID-19 restrictions being lifted in many areas of Canada, **in-person preaching engagements**



are becoming more common again. Our missionaries and representatives are happy, ready and willing to visit your church to speak on topics related to Israel, the Feasts of the Lord, Jewish evangelism, the Jewish roots of our faith, and many other popular subjects. Feel free to contact our Church Ministries Department to book one of our speakers for your church! Write to us at [guestspeaker@chosenpeople.ca](mailto:guestspeaker@chosenpeople.ca) or call 1-888-442-5535.

### Keeping Praying ...

The situation in the Holy Land seems to change by the minute. Sometimes it has to do with the pandemic taking hold with a new variant and impacting the population. In some cases, the political environment is in turmoil with people trying to cope with changes in leadership and policies that affect their everyday lives. And then there is the constant threat of attacks from Israel's enemies like Hamas, and the shower of missiles that bring about panic, uncertainty and, sadly, human victims, including loss of life.

Our **Chosen People Ministries** representatives continue to serve faithfully under these difficult circumstances. *Some of them are experiencing COVID-19 personally or in their families, so please remember them in your prayers.*

Given the good response to vaccines and the low number of new cases of COVID-19, Israel again began to welcome foreign visitors in July. Unfortunately, new cases sprang up in various communities, resulting in a new lockdown. Israel's economy is suffering due to lack of international tourism. Our Canadian Tour group scheduled to go over a year ago is expecting to go in November this year. *Please pray that the country will reopen and, even with health protocols in place, this trip will finally take place.*

Thank you for faithfully supporting your Jewish Mission. Thank you for caring enough for Israel to pray for her salvation and safety. Thank you for sacrificially giving so that many Jewish people in Israel, in Canada and around the world will have an opportunity to hear about Jesus, the Jewish Messiah.

May the Lord bless you in the coming days!

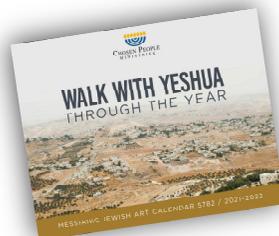
Until all Israel is saved,

Jorge Sedaca  
Executive Director



PS: Don't forget to order your copy of our Messianic Jewish Art Calendar for 2021/2022! Stay up to date on the Biblical festivals, weekly scripture readings and more with our Messianic calendar.

This year's calendar features beautiful photos of places in Israel where Yeshua ministered, along with descriptions of what He did in each place. It makes a great gift for a friend or buy one for yourself and put it on your wall to remind you to pray for God's chosen people throughout the year.



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