

We'd like to know more about you

If you are a newcomer to Beth Messiah, please take a few moments to complete this information. Then, separate this form at the fold and drop it in the Tzedaka (offering) box in the front of the sanctuary. No one will call on you, but we would like to send you our newsletter and inform you of future events at Beth Messiah Synagogue.

How did you find out about us?

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Name _____

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- I am a Jewish Believer
 I am a non-Jewish Believer
 I am: __Single __Single Parent
__Married __Divorced
 I would like information about:
__ How to establish a personal relationship with G-d
__ Available counseling
__ Bibles studies and other groups
__ Other _____

- I have special needs -- physically challenged, etc.?

Please use the backside of this form for your prayer requests and praise reports.

THE BETH MESSIAH STATEMENT OF FAITH *Why we believe Yeshua is the Messiah*

1. G-d alone is the source of a satisfying and worthwhile life. Psalm 16:11 Thou dost show me the path of life; in thy presence there is fullness of joy, in thy right hand are pleasures for evermore.

2. There is a barrier between G-d and us. Isaiah 59:1 Behold, the L-rd's hand is not shortened, that it cannot save, or his ear dull, that it cannot hear; 2 but your iniquities have made a separation between you and your G-d, and your sins have hid his face from you so that he does not hear.

3. Our good deeds won't remove the barrier. Isaiah 64:6 We have all become like one who is unclean, and all our righteous deeds are like a polluted garment. We all fade like a leaf, and our iniquities, like the wind, take us away.

4. G-d has provided atonement as a way of removing the barrier, and atonement requires blood. Leviticus 17:11 For the life of the flesh is in the blood; and I have given it for you upon the altar to make atonement for your souls; for it is the blood that makes atonement, by reason of the life.

5. Isaiah identifies the Messiah as the one who will be the ultimate sacrifice and thus end the Temple's Sacrificial system. Isaiah 53:4 Surely he has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed him stricken, smitten by G-d and afflicted. 5 But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that made us whole and with his stripes we are healed.

6. At least 48 specific prophecies further identify the Messiah, all of which have been fulfilled in Yeshua of Nazareth.

7. G-d has provided atonement via Yeshua to remove the barrier to Him. John 1:12 But to all who received him, believed in his name, he gave power to become children of G-d, even to those who believe in his name.

Shabbat Shalom and welcome to



BETH MESSIAH
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of Tidewater

Celebrating 32 years of ministry to the Hampton Roads area



Bethlehem, just south of Jerusalem, was the birthplace of Messiah Yeshua. Today, the city is almost entirely Arab.

Sivan 22-23, 5770 / June 4-5, 2010

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From the Rabbi



The Sidra for this week is entitled *Sh'lach l'Cha* (send for yourself!), and the scriptures are Numbers 13:1-15:41, Joshua 2:1-24 and Hebrews 3:7-4:1

Rebbe Menachem Mendel of Kotzk said, "The sin of the spies was not in their saying, 'we were in our own eyes as grasshoppers.' Their sin was in saying, 'and so we appeared in their eyes.' If you are engaged in a righteous cause why should you care how you appear to others!"

We should be reminded that we must see ourselves and our circumstances with God's eyes. to you.

Shalom Ooverecha, peace and blessing to you.

Upcoming Keshet Team Schedule:

Wohlers team, June 4-5

Seidel team, June 11-12

Turso team, June 18-19

Knight Team, June 25-26

Men's fellowship dinner

will be at the rabbi's house June 6, at 1:00 p.m. Map and directions are on the sanctuary back table.

Home Sweet Home!

The Pam Knight Keshet team invites you to join Jesse and Laura Kopp for a Havdalah service and dessert as they pray blessings on their new home.

Where: 1307 Summerset Court,
Chesapeake, VA 23320

When: June 12, 2010, AT 7:00 P.M.

What to bring: A lawn chair.

Please call Jesse at 719-2545 for further directions and any other questions.

A card and money basket will be available.

Be sure to visit our Judaica Gift Shop. **EVERYTHING is reduced!** We're open after the Wednesday evening Bible study, and after our weekend services.

Print Name _____

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PRAISE REPORTS

SPECIAL OCCASIONS
