

*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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I am a Jewish Believer

I am a non-Jewish Believer

I am: \_\_Single \_\_Single Parent

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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



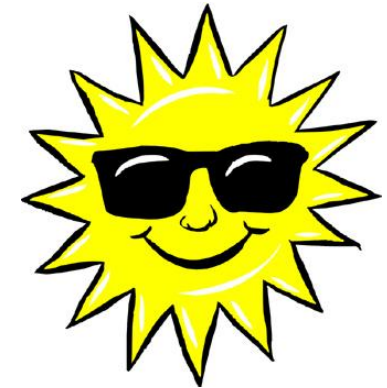
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*Happy  
Father's  
Day*

*Have a  
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blessed  
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Tammuz 6-7 / June 18-19

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## From the Rabbi



The readings for this week are called *Chukat (laws of)*, and the Scriptures are Numbers 19:1-22:1, Judges 11:1-33 and John 3:10 -21.

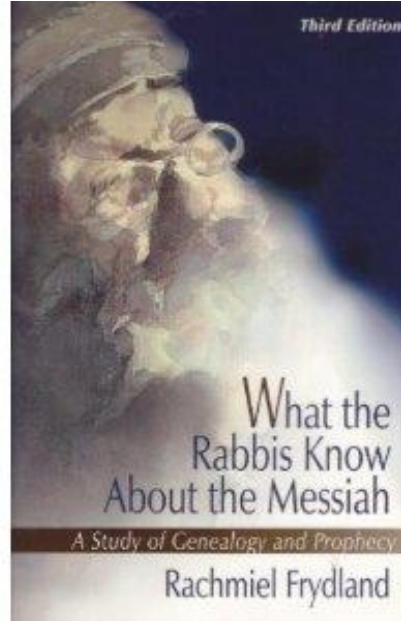
Within the New Covenant readings lies the famous John 3:16 -- *For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.*

This week our children are graduating Shabbat School classes and will give us a special presentation. Our children must carry on the wonderful mission of telling people that God loves the world and wishes to redeem each person from a Godless eternity. They are learning in Shabbat School that we must first receive Yeshua as our atonement and then grow into Godly creatures with the instruction of the Torah and anointing of the Ruach. What a blessing to see them grow. Do likewise.

Shalom Ooverecha, peace and blessing to you.

### Upcoming Keshar Team Schedule:

- Turso team, June 18-19
- Knight team, June 25-26
- Hutton team, July 2-3
- Luberus team, July 9-10



Coming in July, a seminar on **WHAT THE RABBIS KNOW ABOUT THE MESSIAH** More information to follow.

*Congratulations and mazel tov to our graduating Shabbat school students, and "thank you" to the teachers and helpers who prepared them for this day*



Be sure to visit our Judaica Gift Shop. **EVERYTHING is reduced!**

*"The eyes do not see as well as the heart."  
--- Jewish saying*

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### PRAYER REQUESTS

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### PRAISE REPORTS

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### SPECIAL OCCASIONS

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