#### **Announcements**

- I. We hope you all enjoyed the feast of Hanukah, commemorating the rededication of the Second Temple at the time of the Maccabean Revolt of the 2nd century BCE.
- 2. We will be adding a peer review section to our meetings beginning the first Sabbath of January. The announcement will be covered in detail on the website.
- 3. If you have specific questions you would like answered or subjects that you would like to see studied, please email us with that information using the contact page on the website.

#### Meeting Times: 4:00 PM 1st & 3rd Sabbaths

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# **Upcoming Torah Portions**

Dec. 18: Genesis 47:28 — 50:26

Jan. 1: Exodus 6:2 — 9:35

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# **House of David Fellowship**

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"Looking at the Scriptures through the Eyes of a First Century Jew"

# What Yeshua said about his Purpose

Matthew 5:17 Do not suppose that I have any intention of doing away with the Torah or the Prophets. My purpose is rather to place them on a firmer footing by interpreting them correctly in terms of God's ultimate will as He originally intended for His commandments to be obeyed.

The Law of God, also known as the Torah, emanates from the abiding goodness of God's nature and thus stands forever, God being unchangeable. When we observe the Torah, it is a reflection of His Divine Nature resident within us.

#### 10th month, 11th day — December 18th, 2010

Visit our website to join our contact list, download archived messages, listen to our on-line radio broadcast on the Sabbaths, see a list of Torah commandments broken down by category, acquire more in depth study material, see our vision, ministry needs, and view our Statement of Faith (We Believe).

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# Today's Torah Genesis 47:28 — 50:26

These are not questions, per se, but items to be discussed at the meeting.

- 1. The burial of Jacob.
- 2. Blessings of the sons, especially Judah as regards the Messiah.
- 3. Numerology surrounding the blessings.

# **Peer Review: Fulfilling Scripture**

**1 Thessalonians 5:21** Test everything! Grasp a hold of that which is determined to be true.

**Proverb 18:17** The first to present his case seems right, until another comes forward and examines him.

**Peer Review** is a process that journals and white papers use to ensure the information that is published represents the best scholarship currently available.

What should happen is that when a journal or white paper is ready to be published, the editors should send it out to other scholars to get their opinion on the quality of the scholarship, its relevance to the field, its appropriateness for publication, an evaluation of its sources, etc. Unfortunately, for the Hebrew Roots world, this seldom happens.

We, at the House of David Fellowship, will attempt to help fill this void. Our first assignment will be due January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2011. We will publish the results on our Blog for public consumption and debate. I expect to officially publish both the Website, the Facebook Ministry page and the Blog before then.

### Frequently Used Terms

יהוה Yahweh, our Heavenly Fathers only Name.

ארֹנָי Hebrew: Adonai, means lord, master. Sarah called Abraham "lord" in Genesis 18:12

What About Scripture: Mark 7:18-19 — Follow-up

18 And he said to them, Are you also (the disciples) so lacking in understanding? Do you not understand that whatever goes into a man from outside (such as what he eats) cannot morally defile him whether or not he performs the man made tradition of ritual hand washing?

19 Why? Because food does not go into his heart, but into his stomach, from there, it travels into his intestines, and is then purged from the body.

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# **Donations**

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If you'd like to give us a check, please make it out to Baruch Ministries. There is a Donation Box in the room during the service.