## **Upcoming Events & Announcements**

**Prayer Counting Omer:** Shavuot is June 11th this year. Leading up to it, we pray for 50 days as a congregation, beginning April 24th. Please pick up your prayer points from the welcome table to join us during this time of prayer.

Shavuot celebration: Tuesday June 11th 7pm: This year, we will have a time of prayer highlighting the specific groups presented in Joel 2:28, praying for our children, sons and daughters, young men, and old. Vertical Church of Waukegan worship ministry will lead us in worship. Come for a night of seeking the Lord for an outpouring of His Spirit. We are asking that you will bring shareable desserts containing bread, cheese and nuts for our after service celebration in the gym.



Feed my starving children: In conjunction with Shavuot, we partner to pack meals for kids around the world. This year we are inviting you and your family to join us in packing meals on Thursday June 6 from 7-9pm at the Libertyville location. This event is Free.

**MJAA Messiah Conference: June 30-July 6 2024** a week long messianic conference with teachings from Rabbi's and leaders from Israel and USA. If you are interested, please visit https://mjaa.org/messiah2024/ for registration and more information.

**Binah Center:** We are excited to share that our late Binah Spring classes have begun. If you want to join a new class or growth group, please see the Binah Table after service to sign up and see all our classes.



**Tefillah Prayer Initiative:** We invite you to join our Adat Tefillah Prayer Initiative (Prayer in Hebrew) and encourage you to pray for Adat and its ministries.

Save the Date: Adat 90th Anniversary/ Family Picnic will be happening on July 21, 2024 at Sunset Woods Park in Highland.

**Membership:** If you are interested in becoming a member and want to know more about who we are, please sign up for Membership classes. There will be 3 consecutive classes June 15 th, 22nd and 29 th, at 1pm. You can grab lunch and then meet for class in the Hospitality room.







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# **SELF-JUSTIFIED**

Rabbi Jacob Rosenberg

What is an identity of self-justified, and how does it affect our lives and the lives of others?

## **Sermon Questions**

#### Read Romans 2:1-6; 2 Sam 12:1-14

- Compare "no excuse" here with chapter 1, specifically vs 20.
- Compare to Yeshua's word in Matthew 7:1
- Is God right to pass judgment? On others? On ourselves?
- · How does the example of David help us understand?
- What does stubbornness and unrepentant heart actually do?

#### Read Romans 2:7-11

What qualities lead to life and which ones lead to wrath?

#### Read Romans 2:12-16; James 1:22-25

• How does one become justified? Is it really by works?

#### Read Romans 2:17-20

• How does Paul define self-righteousness?

### Read Romans 2:21-29; Duet 30:5-6; Lev 26:40-45

- What happens to the gospel if God is blasphemed by believers?
- What does it mean to be circumcised of the heart?

#### **Nation of Focus: Albania**

- Pray for spiritual maturity in Christians who come from a long history of communism, atheism, or Islam.
- Pray for Christians to seize opportunities available through religious freedom by ministering to Muslims.
- Pray for more workers to train nationals to effectively proclaim the Gospel to their country.

https://prayercast.com/prayer-topic/afghanistan/

#### **Our Mission**

To Be and Make Disciples of Yeshua the Messiah

### **Our Values**

Love God Love People Pursue Excellence Eager to Grow

#### **Our Distinctions**

To the Jewish people First And Also the Nations The Biblical Calendar The Bible as One-Story

### **Israel and Hamas War**

- Hostages are released
- The war against Hamas is successful.
- Pray for the peace of Jerusalem (Psalm 122:6-7)

# **Todays Readings**

#### **Torah Portion**

Bechukotai "in My statutes" Leviticus 26:3-27:34

#### **Our Readings**

Leviticus 26:13-16 Jeremiah 17:1-8 John 14:15-21

### **Tithes and Offerings**

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