

**Small Group Guide: Shavuot - Ten Commandments,
Harvest and Renewal
Shavuot, May 23, 2026**

Discussion Questions

1. What was new or surprising to you about the connection between the giving of the Law at Sinai and the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost?
2. How does understanding the biblical context of Pentecost (Shavuot) deepen your appreciation for what happened in Acts 2?
3. The message mentioned similarities between Exodus 19 and Acts 2 (rushing wind, fire, many voices). Why do you think God used similar imagery at both events?
4. Read Jeremiah 31:31-34 and Ezekiel 36:26-27. How is the New Covenant different from the covenant made at Sinai? How is it similar?
5. The Holy Spirit helps us "walk in God's laws" and "keep His rulings." What does this look like practically in daily life?
6. The message referenced Romans 7:15—Paul's struggle to do what he knows is right. How do you relate to this tension? How does the Holy Spirit help us in this struggle?
7. Yeshua said, "Don't say, 'Four more months until harvest'—the fields are white and ready NOW" (John 4:35). What does this urgency mean for us today?

8. The message mentioned we're between the spring feasts (fulfilled) and fall feasts (yet to be fulfilled). How should this prophetic timeline affect how we live?

9. In Matthew 22:11-14, a guest was thrown out for not wearing proper wedding clothes. What does it mean to be "properly dressed" for the wedding banquet? How do we prepare?

10. The closing quote stated: "Shavuot reminds us that a covenant relationship is both a gift and a responsibility." What are the "gift" aspects? What are the "responsibility" aspects?

11. "Are we awake to receive what He is still giving?" How can we become more attentive to what God is doing and saying in our daily lives?

- Are you living with urgency about God's kingdom, or have you become complacent?

- Ask for greater sensitivity to the Spirit's leading in daily life

- Pray for those who don't yet know Yeshua—that they would respond to God's invitation