

Sabbath & Holy Day Readings

The Holiday & Weekly “Portions” from the Torah, the Prophets and the Apostolic Writings

Name	Date	Torah	Haftarah	Apostolic Writings
<i>Shavuot</i> “Weeks”	6 Sivan 5776 June 12, 2016	Exo 19:1-20:23 Num 28:26-31	Eze 1:1-28; 3:12	Acts 2:1-47
<i>Tzom Tammuz</i> ¹ “Fast of Tammuz”	18 Tammuz 5776 ² July 24, 2016	Exodus 32:11- 34:10	2Ki 25:22-26	Rev 19:11-21

Numbers—(B’Midbar) בְּמִדְבָּר

<i>B’Midbar</i> “In the wilderness”	5 Sivan 5776 June 11, 2016	Num 1:1-4:20	Hosea 2:1-22	1Cor 12:1-27 Rev 7:4-9
<i>Naso</i> “Take”	12 Sivan 5776 June 18, 2016	Num 4:21-7:89	Jud 13:2-25	Acts 21:17-32
<i>Baha’alotecha</i> “When you set up”	19 Sivan 5776 June 25, 2016	Num 8:1-12:16	Zech 2:14-4:7	1Tim 5:17-19 1Pet 5:1-5
<i>Shelach Lecha</i> “Stand on you own behalf”	26 Sivan 5776 July 2, 2016	Num 13:1-15:41	Josh 2:1-24	Heb 3:1-19
<i>Korach</i> “Korah”	3 Tammuz 5776 July 9, 2016	Num 16:1-18:32	1Sam 11:14-12:22	Acts 5:1-11 Jude 1-25
<i>Chukat</i> “Statutes”	10 Tammuz 5776 July 16, 2016	Num 19:1-22:1	Judg 11:1-33	John 3:1-21
<i>Balak</i> “Balak”	17 Tammuz 5776 July 23, 2016	Num 22:2-25:9	Mic 5:6-6:8	2Pet 2:1-22
<i>Pinchas</i> “Phineas”	24 Tammuz 5776 July 30, 2016	Num 25:10-30:1	1Ki 18:46-19:21	John 2:13-22
<i>Mattot/Massei</i> “Tribes” “Stages (in the Journey)”	2 Av 5776 August 6, 2016	Num 30:2-32:42	Jer 2:4-28; 3:4 (A) ^{3,4} Jer 2:4-28; 4:1-2 (S) ^{3,5}	Mat 5:33-37

¹ The fast “of the fourth” (Zech 8:19), it commemorates the breaching of the walls of Jerusalem by Nebuchadnezzar.

² The fast falls on 17 Tammuz unless it falls on a Sabbath—then it is delayed by one day.

³ The reading when Mattot and Massei coincide after 17 Tammuz—it is the “Second Haftarah of Admonition”

⁴ (A) Ashkenazi custom.

⁵ (S) Sephardi custom.

Torah, Haftarah verse numbering based on the Tenach (Hebrew Bible).

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