

## PRAYER 3/7/2026

- Please pray for healing for Becky W.
- Please pray for victory for the US and Israel in their war against the regime that has funded terrorism worldwide. May G-d bring a swift victory.
- We continue to ask for the L-rd's protection and provision for all involved in the Ukraine and Russia conflict, especially for the loved ones of those in our mishpachah who are involved or have family in harm's way. Please pray for the end of this war.

### PRAY FOR OUR ACTIVE-DUTY MILITARY FAMILY:

Steve Derman – CYT Mishpachah  
Emily & Wally – Daughter and son-in-law of Floyd and Lynda Zimms  
Alissa – Niece of Mary Setteducato  
Andrea – Daughter of Mary Schmitt  
Samuel – Son of Ed and Stephanie Gonzalez

### MARCH BIRTHDAYS

3/1 – Mateo Florian; 3/4 – Steve Derman; 3/10 – Bob DeLong; 3/13 – Linda Hart;  
3/18 – Becky Witte; 3/19 – Aaron Johnson; 3/27 – Joy Urbach

### YESHUAT TSION HELPS SUPPORT THE FOLLOWING MINISTRIES:

1. *The Belarus Ministry, in Eastern Europe - serving a very poor and elderly Jewish population*
2. *Avi & Hannah Tekle - Tents of Mercy/Ohalei Rachamim, Haifa*
3. *Bill & Diana Bjoraker - Bill & Diana Bjoraker Ministries to Jewish People*
4. *Kat Patterson with Chosen People Ministries – Outreach to Israelis in New Zealand*
5. *Rabbi Kirk and Carla Gliebe – Devar Emet Messianic Jewish Outreach (DEMJO)*
6. *Mordechai Wiseman – Israel Firstfruits, Israel Center for Economic Advancement*
7. *Sally Klein O'Connor (Improbable People Ministries)*

### **THE PUSHKAH (OFFERING BOX)**

Offerings may be placed in the *pushkah*. Checks may be mailed to the CYT office or placed in the exterior mailbox. There are electronic payment options on our website <https://yeshuattzion.org/give> (PayPal, Visa, Debit). You can also donate via Zelle us: [cytzelle@yeshuattzion.org](mailto:cytzelle@yeshuattzion.org)



# YESHUAT TSION

A MESSIANIC SYNAGOGUE

*Shabbat Shalom!*

### **ALL SHABBAT SERVICES ARE ON YOUTUBE:**

Shabbat live-streams: <https://www.youtube.com/@YeshuatTzion/streams>

Previously recorded Shabbat messages: <https://www.youtube.com/c/YeshuatTzion/videos>

### **CYT LEADERSHIP:**

Rabbi David Katz, Jessica Katz, Joy Urbach, James Grant, Linda Grant, Michael Lang, Floyd Zimms, Lynda Zimms

### **CYT MINISTRIES:**

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# CONGREGATION YESHUAT TSION

March 7, 2026

18 Adar, 5786

## כי תשא Ki Tisa

### READINGS:

Torah: Exodus 30:11-34:35

Haftarah:Ezekiel 36:16-38

Brit Chadashah (New Testament): 2 Corinthians 3:1-18

### ORDER OF SERVICE

Opening Prayer

Praise and Worship in Music

Torah Service

Scripture: .....Colossians 1:1-8

Message: "The 'Soil' of Trust and Love".....Rabbi David Katz

Aaronic Blessing

At Congregation Yeshuat TSION, our purpose is:

- YESHUA CENTERED WORSHIP in the Jewish context.
- TO ESTABLISH A NURTURING COMMUNITY OF FAITH - A congregational family where each person is encouraged to grow into maturity in the L-rd and serve according to his or her spiritual gifts.
- TO RAISE AND MENTOR THE NEXT GENERATION of young people to follow Yeshua and to care deeply for G-d's restoration of Israel.
- TO REACH OUT TO ALL PEOPLE WITH THE GOOD NEWS OF YESHUA, with special emphasis on the unaffiliated JEWISH COMMUNITY of greater Denver.
- TO REACH OUT TO FELLOW BELIEVERS, equipping them to sensitively share Yeshua with their Jewish friends.

# TORAH TIDBITS

## Spiritual Infidelity

This portion contains one of the most dramatic scenes in the entire Scriptures—the episode of the golden calf. Use a little imagination and watch this drama. Two "actors" stand out here—Israel and the L-rd. Let's begin with Israel (32:1).

The people of Israel were encamped by Mount Sinai. They had received the Torah from the L-rd and had continued to receive instructions from Moses (actually from the L-rd). Now, Moses was gone for forty whole days. Everyone was beginning to wonder if this was the end of an era—Moses as the spokesman for the L-rd. What should they do? Well, Aaron was still there, and maybe he could give them a more convenient god. The rest is history. . .

How does the L-rd respond to Israel's sin? Most of us can just see His fury—He wants to wipe Israel out and make a new Chosen People from Moses' children (32:10). This seems to be a typical example of the G-d of wrath that has to be placated. But, if this is all we see in this scene, we are missing the real drama here. The L-rd is not so much an angry G-d as He is a "jilted lover."

The people of Israel had entered into a spiritual marriage relationship with the L-rd and now, they have forgotten all about their vows. If you look closely, you'll see that the L-rd is very discouraged with the people of Israel—will they ever learn? They are just like an ox that doesn't seem to respond to its master's commands. What's even more shocking is that the L-rd says to Moses: "Go [deal with]...your people that you brought out of Egypt" (32:7). The L-rd wants nothing to do with Israel. There is a great deal of pain here, if you can see it.

We in many ways are just like Israel. As long as we are in strong contact with the L-rd, we stand strong spiritually. We have every reason to—G-d is demonstrating that He is alive. But, then we go through "dry spells," times when the miracles are not there; when we can barely hear G-d's voice, then, other gods are awfully attractive. Spiritual infidelity is a hair away.

How do we respond—stay faithful to our vows to the L-rd, or yield to the pull of the moment? "Tenderly, earnestly the L-rd is calling. . ."