

Torah Light Reading Schedule

Jewish Year 5775 (2014/2015)

You can read Torah Light along with each weekly Torah portion (parsha) by following the schedule below. The Torah is traditionally read Monday, Thursday, and Shabbat (Saturday) each week. The dates listed are the last day the portion is read for that week (except for the “Concluding Reading”). As this year (5775) is not a leap year, several portions are combined. For more information about the Torah portions and the Jewish calendar, see Torah Light, pages 19–21.

Message	Page	Parsha	For week ending...
1: Foundations	25	Gen. 1:1-6:8	Oct 18/Tishri 24
2: Does the Bible Embarrass You?	29	Gen. 6:9-11:32	Oct 25/Heshvan 1
3: Journey to the Unknown	33	Gen. 12:1-17:27	Nov 1/Heshvan 8
4: Giving Up our Isaacs	37	Gen. 18:1-22:24	Nov 8/Heshvan 15
5: The Key to Answered Prayer	41	Gen. 23:1-25:18	Nov 15/Heshvan 22
6: God Answers Prayer	45	Gen. 25:19-28:9	Nov 22/Heshvan 29
7: The House of God	49	Gen. 28:10-32:3	Nov 29/Kislev 7
8: Don't Let Go	53	Gen. 32:4-36:43	Dec 6/Kislev 14
9: A Wonderful Plan	57	Gen. 37:1-40:23	Dec 13/Kislev 21
10: Waiting	61	Gen. 41:1-44:17	Dec 20/Kislev 28
11: Roots of Relational Difficulties	65	Gen. 44:18-47:27	Dec 27/Tevet 5
12: Expect the Unexpected	69	Gen. 47:28-50:26	Jan 3/Tevet 12
13: God Has Come Down	73	Ex. 1:1-6:1	Jan 10/Tevet 19
14: Hold On	77	Ex. 6:2-9:35	Jan 17/Tevet 26
15: Violence	81	Ex. 10:1-13:16	Jan 24/Shevat 4
16: God Knows Our Limitations	85	Ex. 13:17-17:16	Jan 31/Shevat 11
17: Don't Be Afraid! Fear God	87	Ex. 18:1-20:23	Feb 7/Shevat 18
18: True Freedom	91	Ex. 21:1-24:18	Feb 14/Shevat 25
19: Behind the Curtain	95	Ex. 25:1-27:19	Feb 21/Adar 2
20: Wisdom Is a Skill	99	Ex. 27:20-30:10	Feb 28/Adar 9
21: God Made You Creative	103	Ex. 30:11-34:35	March 7/Adar 16
22: Start Stopping & 23: The Manifest Presence of God	107 & 111	Ex. 35:1-38:20 Ex. 38:21-40:38	March 14/Adar 23
24: Speak Up!	115	Lev. 1:1-5:26	March 21/Nisan 1
25: Sacrifices—What Gives?	119	Lev. 6:1-8:36	March 28/Nisan 8
<i>Pesach (Passover)—regular weekly reading suspended</i>			April 4/Nisan 15
<i>Pesach (Passover)—regular weekly reading suspended</i>			April 11/Nisan 22
26: Pay Attention to Detail	123	Lev. 9:1-11:47	April 18/Nisan 29
27: Drastic Measures & 28: Restoration	127 & 131	Lev. 12:1-13:59 Lev. 14:1-15:33	April 25/Iyar 6

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29: The Feel of Clean & 30: Love Your Neighbor	135 & 139	Lev. 16:1-18:30 Lev. 19:1-20:27	May 2/Iyar 13
31: First Things First	143	Lev. 21:1-24:23	May 9/Iyar 20
32: Jubilee & 33: God Among Us	147 & 151	Lev. 25:1-26:2 Lev. 26:3-27:34	May 16/Iyar 27
34: Owned by God	155	Num. 1:1-4:20	May 23/Sivan 5
35: The Voice	159	Num. 4:21-7:89	May 30/Sivan 12
36: Unpredictable	163	Num. 8:1-12:16	June 6/Sivan 19
37: Faith Is Not Blind	167	Num. 13:1-15:41	June 13/Sivan 26
38: Do We Dare Dream?	171	Num. 16:1-18:32	June 20/Tammuz 3
39: Death Is Not a Friend	175	Num. 19:1-22:1	June 27/Tammuz 10
40: Leveraging Sexuality	179	Num. 22:2-25:9	July 4/Tammuz 17
41: Atonement	183	Num. 25:10-30:1	July 11/Tammuz 24
42: Responsibility & 43: Environmental Disaster	187 & 191	Num. 30:2-32:42 Num. 33:1-36:13	July 18/Av 2
44: Point of Reference	195	Deut. 1:1-3:22	July 25/Av 9
45: The Shema	199	Deut. 3:23-7:11	Aug 1/Av 16
46: God's Words	203	Deut. 7:12-11:25	Aug 8/Av 23
47: Progress	207	Deut. 11:26-16:17	Aug 15/Av 30
48: Brotherly Leaders	211	Deut. 16:18-21:9	Aug 22/Elul 7
49: Guardrails	215	Deut. 21:10-25:19	Aug 29/Elul 14
50: God of Promise	219	Deut. 26:1-29:8	Sept 5/Elul 21
51: The Secret Things	223	Deut. 29:9-30:20	Sept 12/Elul 28
52: Fighting Fat	227	Deut. 31:1-31:30	Sept 19/Tishri 6, 5776
53: God's Sovereignty	231	Deut. 32:1-32:52	Sept 26/Tishri 13, 5776
<i>Sukkot (Tabernacles)—regular weekly reading suspended</i>			Oct 3/Tishri 20, 5776
Concluding Reading: Blessed	235	Deut. 33:1-34:12	Oct 6/Tishri 23, 5776

Jewish Holidays Occurring During This Reading Cycle

Jewish days begin the previous evening at sunset. For durations, see a good Jewish calendar.

Rosh Hashanah (New Year) - September 25, 2014
Yom Kippur (Day of Atonement) - October 4, 2014
Sukkot (Tabernacles) - October 9, 2014
Hanukkah (Dedication) - December 17, 2014
Purim (Festival of Esther) - March 5, 2015
Pesach (Passover) - April 4, 2015
Shavuot (Weeks/Pentecost) - May 24, 2015
Rosh Hashanah (New Year, 5776) - September 14, 2015
Yom Kippur (Day of Atonement) - September 23, 2015
Sukkot (Tabernacles) - September 28, 2015

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