

Parashah 40 Balak

16th day of 4th Biblical month

17th day of Tammuz the 10th Jewish month of 5775

4th of July the 7th Gregorian month of 2015.



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TEHILLAH = Service of Praise

Welcome to Beit Gan-Eden (House [of] Paradise)! We are gathered here in the name of our righteous Messiah, Yeshua, to worship our Heavenly Father (Abba). Yeshua tells us. "Y'HoVaH is Spirit and worshipers must worship Him in spirit and in truth." Yochanan (John) 4:24. Shabbat Shalom,

TEFILLAH = Service of Prayer

All sing: "**Sh'ma Yisrael, Y'HoVaH Eloheinu, Y'HoVaH echad. (Deu 6:4)**
Baruch Shem kavod malchuto, le'olam va'ed!"

All say: "**Hear, O Isra'el, Y'HoVaH our Elohim, Y'HoVaH is one!**
Blessed be His Name. His glorious Kingdom is for ever and ever."

Leader: "**V'ahavta et Y'HoVah elohecha b'kol l'vav'cha u'v'kol nafsh'cha u'v'kol m'odecha."** All say: "**And you shall love Y'HoVaH your Elohim with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your might. (Deut 6:5)** And Yeshua said: "**Love your neighbour as yourself. All the Torah and the prophets are dependent on these two mitzvot."** (Mat 22:37-40)

Leader: "Yeshua HaMashiach hu Adonai".

And everyone says: "**Yeshua the Messiah, He is Lord. Amen."**

B'rachot haB'nai (Blessings for the Children)

Parents to their boys: "**May Y'HoVaH make you, (name/s) like Efrayim and M'nasheh (and personalise) Genesis 27: 27b-29.**

Parents to their girls: "**May Yah make you, (name) like Sarah, Rivkah, Rachel and Leah (and personalise) Num 6:24-26.**

All pray together: "**Heavenly Abba preserve these children for their fathers and mothers. May they be led into a life of obedience and faith through the Ketuvei HaShelichim. Blessed are You, Yah of Avraham, Yitz'chak and Ya'akov, who watches over these precious children of Your servants.**

We ask this in Yeshua's Name, Amein."

Prayer for Israel

TORAH = Service of The Word

Parashah 40 Balak

Torah: Numbers 22:2 - 25:9

Haftarah (Prophets): Mikhah (Micah) 5:6 - 6:8

Ketuvei HaShelichim:(Writing [of] the Apostles)

: 2 Kefa (2 Peter) 2:1-22; Y'hudah (Jude) 11;

Revelation 2:14-15

Drashah (message): M.Min. Tamar Yeomans

Hazak, hazak, v'nit'chazek! (Be strong, be strong, and let us be strengthened!)

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7 - 9pm at 1/69 Falconer St., Southport Qld 4215

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Children ages 6 (Prep) to 12 may attend with Mark Batakin and Rebekka Windle. Younger children may attend with a parent. Shabbat Shul begins, in the adjoining room, straight after “Blessing the Children”, which is prior to the Parashah readings. Shabbat Shul ends at the start of the “Yeshua Remembrance Service” at which time parents are expected to resume proactive responsibility for their children.

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Drashah (message): M.Min. Tamar Yeomans

Mikhah 6:8;

Amos 5:24;

Yochanan (John) 3:16-17

2Kefa (2Peter) 2:21-22

Your thoughts & questions:
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I.S. Threatens To Liquidate Hamas, Take Over Gaza

By: ICEJ News Wed, 01 Jul 2015

The Islamic State (IS) terror militia, which recently distributed flyers in Jerusalem threatening to massacre the city's Christians, issued another threat on Tuesday to liquidate the Islamist terror militia Hamas which rules the Gaza Strip and turn that territory into an IS fiefdom. "We will uproot the state of the Jews (Israel) and you and Fatah, and all of the secularists are nothing and you will be over-run by our creeping multitudes. The rule of sharia (Islamic law) will be implemented in Gaza, in spite of you," said a masked IS spokesman in a video message addressed to the "tyrants of Hamas". He added a threat to slaughter the Palestinians in Gaza just like the Palestinians in the Yarmouk refugee camp in Damascus were slaughtered.

Meanwhile, on Israel's northern front, worry continues over the possibility of spillover from the fighting in Syria and Lebanon between IS and its various opponents.

The U.N. Security Council issued a statement this week condemning the use of heavy weapons by the various factions battling on the Syrian part of the Golan Heights, saying that "military activities in the zone can escalate Syrian-Israeli tensions."

In the north of Syria, fierce fighting continued on Tuesday between IS and Kurdish forces, with control of neighborhoods and entire villages being traded by the two sides.

In related news, Kuwait's Interior Minister declared on Tuesday that his country was in a state of war with IS following a suicide attack against a Shi'ite mosque in the capital over the weekend with killed 27 people and wounded several more. He vowed to root out several other terror cells believed to be operating in the country. Also on Tuesday, an attack in Yemen claimed by IS killed 28 people.

IS is "in the process of supplanting AQAP, which is becoming just one of a number of forces in the Sunni tribal camp in southern Yemen", said Mathieu Guidere, Islamic studies professor at France's University of Toulouse.

Deadline For Iran Negotiations Dispensed With

ICEJ News Thu, 02 Jul 2015

Negotiations between US and Iranian officials began again in Vienna on Wednesday, despite tough talk by the leaders of both countries about compromises they are not prepared to make in regards to the Islamic Republic's renegade nuclear program. Additionally, both sides issued statements that the extension of the process until 7 July did not amount to a new "deadline" for a final agreement. "We have our own sense of deadline," US Secretary of State John Kerry said, "I would say as we look at the world today, with conflicts that we see and even these negotiations taking place here in Vienna, it is important for people to understand that things can change, that leadership can be effective and can make a difference. We have some very difficult issues, but we believe we are making progress and we are going to continue to work because of that."

Meanwhile, International Atomic Energy Agency Director-General Yukiya Amano travelled to Teheran on Thursday to meet with senior regime officials.



PA seeking another resolution condemning Israel

ICEJ News Thu, 02 Jul 2015

Members of Knesset usually bitterly opposed to almost anything Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu does or says joined him on Wednesday in lobbying what they called the “reasonable countries” of the world to reject an anti-Israel resolution expected to be voted on at the UN Human Relations Council on Thursday. The draft resolution, submitted by the Palestinian Authority, calls for the full implementation of recommendations in the UNHRC report on last summer’s Operation Protective Edge, which Israel and the US considered to be catastrophically one sided against Israel. In related news, reports indicate that there is a fierce internal battle going on within the PA, as senior leaders jockey for position in the race to eventually replace 80-year old President Mahmoud Abbas.

Fierce fighting kills several people in Lebanon

Heavy fighting broke out in the Lebanese coastal city of Saadiyat Wednesday between armed factions loyal to different Sunni and Shi’ite groups fighting in neighboring Syria. Additionally, Lebanese National Army troops reportedly killed five fighters trying to infiltrate into Lebanese territory from Syria near the flashpoint border town of Aarsal.

Female IDF Soldier Stabbed Near Rachel’s Tomb in Jerusalem

Breaking News Israel www.breakingisraelnews.com/44298

A female IDF soldier was severely wounded Monday morning in a terrorist stabbing attack near Rachel’s Tomb in Jerusalem.

The attack occurred at approximately 11 am at a security checkpoint between Jerusalem and the Palestinian city of Bethlehem.

The 20-year-old soldier was stabbed in the throat and neck by the female terrorist during a security check. She was treated on scene by Magen David Adom (MDA) paramedics who evacuated the soldier to Hadassah Medical Centre.

MDA told media that the soldier was conscious following the attack and sustained wounds in her upper body and neck.

The terrorist was apprehended and questioned by security forces. Upon searching her belongings, police said two more knives were found hidden in the terrorist’s bag.

Rachel’s Tomb is the burial site of the Biblical matriarch Rachel. The site has been a target of terror attacks since the Second Intifada in 2000. As a result, the burial compound is fortified and surrounded by high, thick cement walls and barbed wire.

IDF presence is a constant at Rachel’s Tomb.

Monday mornings attack comes only hours after an earlier incident in which a Border Police officer stopped a Palestinian teenager armed with an assault rifle from entering Israeli territory in Jerusalem.

The 15-year-old Palestinian hid the weapon under his clothing. He attempted to pass through an Israeli checkpoint near the Shuafat refugee camp located north of Jerusalem.



The officer was operating a metal detector at the time of the incident. He asked the teen to pass through the scanner a second time and, upon an indication of a hidden metallic object, uncovered the sub-machine gun.

The teenager was arrested and in for questioning by security forces. The IDF is on high alert this month due to the Muslim holiday of Ramadan in which spikes in violence occur throughout Israel.

Increasing Terror Threat in Jerusalem

ICEJ News

A 21-year old Palestinian man charged the Kalandia Crossing security checkpoint shouting "Allah Akbar" on Tuesday evening, ignoring requests to stop and warning shots before being shot in the stomach. He was treated at the scene by Magen David Adom paramedics before being transferred to Shaare Zedek Medical Center in Jerusalem in moderate-to-serious condition for treatment. It was the latest in an escalating series of attacks in and around Jerusalem which have taken place during the Moslem holy month of Ramadan, prompting Mayor Nir Barkat to announce on Tuesday that a new specialized urban police unit will be formed and deployed in the capital in the coming months.

ISIS in Jerusalem: Christians Threatened and a Temple Mount Takeover

BIN By Ahuva Balofsky June 29, 2015 www.breakingisraelnews.com/44270

The Islamic State (ISIS) has appeared in Jerusalem, with fliers attributed to the terror group being posted in the Holy City, reported Israeli media over the weekend. According to Israel's Channel 10, the fliers were posted as early as Thursday.

ISIS does not have an operational presence in Israel, but many Islamists support the terror group, with dozens of Arab citizens joining the fighting in Iraq and Syria. Earlier this month, rocket fire from Gaza into Israel was blamed on these supporters, allegedly attempting to stir up unrest between Israel and Hamas.

The leaflets threaten "revenge" against Jerusalem's Christians and were signed "ISIS Palestine". According to a report in Haaretz, fliers welcoming Ramadan were posted Saturday, reading: "We tell the heretic Christians, you must clear out immediately or we'll massacre you on Eid al-Fitr, marking the end of Ramadan, and one month is time enough to evacuate."

These were signed "Islamic State, Jerusalem Emirate," according to the paper. Haaretz noted they may have been a prank.

Meanwhile, reports have appeared on social media of the ISIS flag being flown atop the Temple Mount, the holiest site for Jews and a holy place for Muslims as well. Once home to the First and Second Temples, the Mount now hosts the al-Aqsa Mosque and the Dome of the Rock shrine.

Temple Mount activist Rabbi Yehuda Glick told Breaking Israel News, "The situation on the Temple Mount is very worrying. The situation in general among Muslim leadership where, for some reason, celebrations like Ramadan are immediately interpreted as a celebrations of violence and terror is something that is very sad, mostly on the Muslim side."



“Of course, in terms of the State of Israel, we think the government of Israel should implement order on the Temple Mount. The Temple Mount should not be a place for demonstrating, and definitely not ISIS. I do hope that the authorities and police make sure it doesn’t happen again.”

As early as November, ISIS spokesperson Mohammed al-Adnani expressed the group’s interest in Jerusalem. A videotaped statement from al-Adnani was quoted in the Jerusalem Post at the time, saying, “We want Kabul, Karachi, Riyadh, Tehran, Baghdad, Damascus, Jerusalem, and Cairo, Sana’a, Doha, Abu Dhabi, and Amman. The Muslims will return to power, to be the vanguard and lead in every place.”

IDF to okay bolstered Egyptian forces in Sinai after deadly attacks

Worthy News Briefs

As a part of the 1979 peace treaty signed by Israel and Egypt, each country must approve any additional military forces in the area on either side of the border.

The IDF has been closely following the deadly exchanges of fire that ensued between Egyptian forces and Islamist fighters near the Israel border, following the terrorists' assault on multiple Egyptian checkpoints. The rising death toll from the attacks was at 100 by Wednesday night.

Also on Wednesday evening, Egypt's general command for the armed forces said the army had killed at least 100 militants in North Sinai, after the attack on military checkpoints. The statement, which was aired on state television, said 17 soldiers, including four officers, were also killed. Thirteen soldiers were also wounded.

Earlier Wednesday, Israel closed the Niztana and Kerem Shalom border crossings following the attacks in Egypt's North Sinai in one of the biggest coordinated assaults yet in the insurgency-hit province.

Islamic State's Egypt affiliate, Sinai Province, claimed responsibility for the attacks against security forces in North Sinai. The group said it had attacked more than 15 security sites, and had carried out three suicide attacks.

Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu sent condolences to Egypt for the terrorist attacks that rocked that country on Wednesday.

“Terrorism is knocking on our borders,” he said. “Islamic State is not only across from the Golan Heights, it is also in Egypt, across from Rafah, in other words across from our borders,” he said. “And we are together with Egypt and many other states in the Middle East and the world in the struggle against extreme Islamic terrorism.”

Soldiers, policemen, civilians and militants were among the dead in the Sinai attacks. The assault - a significant escalation in violence in the Sinai Peninsula that lies between Israel, the Gaza Strip and the Suez Canal - was the second high-profile attack in Egypt this week. On Monday, a bomb killed the prosecutor-general in Cairo.

The insurgents, who have killed hundreds of policemen and soldiers, want to topple the Cairo government and have stepped up their campaign since 2013, when then-army chief Abdel Fattah al-Sisi removed President Mohamed Morsi of the Muslim Brotherhood after mass protests against his rule.

Sisi, who regards the Brotherhood as a threat to national security, has since overseen a harsh crackdown on Islamists. Security sources said the militants had planned to lay siege to the town of Sheikh Zuweid.



YESHUA REMEMBRANCE SERVICE

³¹ "Here, the days are coming," says Y'HoVaH, "when I will make a re-newed Covenant with the house of Isra'el and with the house of Y'udah. ³² It will not be like the covenant I made with their fathers on the day I took them by their hand and brought them out of the land of Egypt; because they, for their part violated My Covenant, even though I, for my part, was a husband to them," says Y'HoVaH. ³³ "For this is the Covenant I will make with the house of Israel after those days," says Y'HoVaH, "I will put My Torah within them and write it on their hearts; I will be their Elohim, and they will be My people. (Yirem'yahu [Jeremiah] 31:31-33)

Leader: "See! Elohim is my salvation; I am confident and unafraid; for Y'HoVaH Elohim is my strength and my song, and He has become my salvation!" (Isa 12:2)

Congregation: Then you will joyfully draw water from the springs of salvation. (Isa 12:3). Victory comes from Y'HoVaH; may Your blessing rest on Your people (Ps 3:8). Y'HoVaH Tzva'ot is with us, our fortress, the Elohim of Ya'akov. (Ps 46:7)

Leader: "Baruch ata Y'HoVaH, Eloheinu Melech Ha'olam, ha motze lechem m'in ha eretz." (divide challah)

Congregation: "Blessed are You Y'HoVaH our Elohim, King of the Universe who has brought forth bread from the earth. Y'HoVaH Tzva'ot, how happy is anyone who trusts in You! (Ps 84:12). Give victory Y'HoVaH! Let the King answer us the day we call. (Ps 20:9) I will take the cup of redemption and call upon the Name, Y'HoVaH. (Ps 116:13)

Leader: (with cup in right hand) "The cup of deliverance I raise and in the Name of Y'HoVaH, Yeshua HaMashiach, I call: Baruch atah Y'HoVaH, Eloheinu Melech, ha'olam, boray p'ri ha'gafen." (Replace cup with spices)

Congregation: Blessed are You, Y'HoVaH our Elohim, King of the universe, who creates the fruit of the vine.

Leader: Lifting spice container in right hand, says... "Baruch atah Y'HoVaH, Eloheinu Melech ha'olam, boray meenee besamim."

Congregation: Blessed are You, Y'HoVaH our Elohim, King of the universe, who creates the various spices.

Leader: As Avram gave to Malki-Tzedek according to B' resheet (Genesis) 14:18-20, let us all come and bring our offering; then take some Chullah; smell the spices; take your cup, return to your seats and wait, so we can partake together.

Leader: Pray in relation to what Yeshua has done in connection with the day's Torah portion. "Let us eat and drink together".

Malachi & Tamar: Aharonic Blessing (see Num 6:22-27). Our Abba and Elohim of our fathers, we thank you for the joy and rest of this Shabbat. May the coming week bring gladness & peace, health & achievement. Like the fragrance of the besamim,

we pray that the days ahead bring sweetness to our lives and the lives of our loved ones. May the peace, which we are enjoying linger till we gather for Shabbat next week. We ask this in Yeshua's name, Amein.

