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## PREFACE

The period with which the present volume deals, the first year following six years of world war, was so replete with events and activities of vital moment to Jews, especially those of the European continent and Palestine, that the Editors found it necessary to devote more space than in any preceding volume to the Review of the Year. It was necessary, also, to include special sections. One of these deals with the problems presented to the world by the most unfortunate surviving victims of Nazi fury,—the so-called displaced Jews. Another special section deals with the efforts of Great Britain and the United States, at the suggestion of President Harry S. Truman, to find solutions for these problems, chiefly the transfer of 100,000 victims to Palestine. In addition, the unusual length of the chapter on international events attests to the large number of other subjects on the agenda of international discussion or action which concerned or affected the situation of Jews.

A few facts regarding the contributors to the Review of the Year deserve mention here. In respect of chapters on the United States section, progress was made in effectuating the policy of securing more and more the cooperation of national agencies which, because of concern with a particular field of community endeavor, are in position to speak with authority regarding events and trends in those fields. In line with this policy, the Synagogue Council was invited to contribute the chapter on Religious Activities; the National Community Relations Advisory Council, the article on Combatting Anti-Semitism; and the American Zionist Emergency Council, the chapter on Zionist and Pro-Palestine Activities.

Progress was made, also, in efforts to secure articles on Jewish life in other countries from competent local observers. In addition to the articles on the British Commonwealth, Canada, and the Union of South Africa, contributed as in past years by such observers, the article on Palestine comes this year from a member of the Yishuv in the person of Miss Lotta Levensohn, whose article on the late Henrietta Szold, in the preceding volume, was so favorably

received. In this connection, the Editors desire to express their sense of loss in the death of Dr. Abraham Revusky, who contributed the article on Palestine annually since 1941.

In the preceding volume, we presented an article which gave the results until then of efforts to compile the record of the participation of American Jews in the armed forces of our country in World War II. In the present volume, we present a similar article dealing with the participation of the Jews of Great Britain and Palestine in the same struggle. It is our earnest hope that we may be able to include articles on the war record of the Jews of Canada, the Union of South Africa, Australia, and New Zealand in Volume 49.

The other two special articles, aside from the biographical sketches, deal with normal, peacetime subjects. The article on the Jews of Canada is a statistical analysis of the results of the Canadian census of 1941. The fact that in Canada the decennial census classifies the population by religion and ethnic origin makes available statistics, both absolute and relative, regarding the composition of the Jewish population of the country which would otherwise not be available without a great deal of unofficial effort.

The third special article, that on Yeshiva University, commemorates the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Rabbi Isaac Elchanan Theological Seminary, around which, in less than twenty years, have grown the component parts of a university, the first Jewish institution of its kind. It was only during the past year that the Board of Regents of the University of the State of New York conferred upon the Yeshiva the status of a university.

In addition to these three articles, this volume includes biographical sketches of our outstanding community leaders who died during the past year—Irving Lehman, who in a distinguished career on the bench in New York State attained the highest post in the judiciary, Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals, a position formerly graced by another esteemed Jew, Benjamin Nathan Cardozo; George Z. Medalie, a leading member of the bar of New York State whose lamentable death came only a few months after he had been appointed a justice of the same court; Harry A. Hollzer, who after successful service on the bench of California, was honored by appointment as a judge of the United States District Court; finally, Felix

N. Gerson, who held a high position in the field of American Jewish journalism, was a competent translator and served in an advisory capacity to the Jewish Publication Society for many years.

Because of the pressure on the limited space, it was necessary in this volume to omit the greater part of the calendar material and the Index to preceding volumes heretofore published regularly. It was decided, also, to publish directories of National Jewish Organizations and of Jewish Periodicals in the United States and Canada in alternate issues of the Year Book, making room for the publication of the Directory of Jewish Federations, Welfare Funds, and Community Councils in the present and in every other issue to follow.

At a critical stage in the preparation of the present volume, the Editors were fortunate in being able to have the expert assistance of Mr. Morris Fine, formerly Assistant Editor, who had been absent for three years during which he served in the armed forces. As Associate Editor, Mr. Fine expedited the submission of manuscripts, edited them, served as liaison with the publishers, and performed all the many varied duties involved in putting a volume of this kind through the press. The Editors extend to Mr. Fine the heartfelt expression of their grateful appreciation of his conscientious and devoted aid.

They desire to thank, also, the contributors of the special articles and of the various sections of the Review of the Year all of whom cooperated wholeheartedly in every way. Thanks are due, also, to Mrs. Rose G. Stein for her painstaking and conscientious work in preparing the Supplements to the Review,—work which involved the reading of a great volume of source material and the judicious selection of the comparatively small number of items eligible for inclusion. Miss Iva Cohen, assistant librarian of the American Jewish Committee, again prepared the very interesting and useful American Jewish Bibliography, a virtually complete list of the books and important pamphlets of Jewish interest, in English, which appeared in the United States during the year. The Editors thank Miss Cohen for her competent handling of a difficult assignment.

Thanks are due, also, to the following persons who rendered valuable assistance in the preparation of various sections of this volume: Mr. Hyman Sandow, of the staff of the National Refugee Service; Miss Leah Hanf, of the

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Finally, the Editors wish again to express their grateful appreciation of the cooperation of Mr. Maurice Jacobs, executive vice-president of the Jewish Publication Society of America, who this year, the eleventh of his connection with the Society, again worked closely and most sympathetically with the Editors in the production of the present volume.

As this issue is about to go to press, there are indications that the crucial problems for Jews which have followed in the wake of the most destructive war in history are approaching at least partial solution. Along with our brethren everywhere, we pray that the coming year will see substantial improvement in the wretched plight of a large section of the remnant of European Jewry, and a wise and humane settlement of the difficult and complex problem of bringing about a resumption of the work of establishing in Palestine a national home for the Jewish people.

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# CALENDARS

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The Jewish year consists of 12 months, each month having 29 or 30 days. An intercalated year has 13 months, an additional month, called Adar Sheni (second Adar), being added between Adar and Nisan. Nisan, Sivan, Ab, Tishri, Shebat, and the first Adar (in the intercalated year) always have 30 days; Iyar, Tammuz, Elul, Tebet, Adar (in a simple year, or Adar Sheni in an intercalated year) always have 29 days each. Heshvan and Kislev sometimes both have 30 days, when the year is called "perfect" (*Shelemah*, indicated by letter  $\psi$ ), sometimes both have 29 days each, when the year is called "defective" (*Haserah*, indicated by letter  $\pi$ ), and sometimes Heshvan has 29 days and Kislev 30 days, when the year is called "regular" (*ke-Sidrah*, indicated by the letter  $\kappa$ ). Whenever the month has 30 days, the 30th day of the month is the first New Moon day of the following month, which has two New Moon days. When the month has only 29 days, the following month has only one New Moon day. In order to simplify the tables of the Calendar for Fifty Years, only one New Moon day is indicated, the one which is the first of the month. Thus when there are two New Moon days, the second alone is given.

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is called 707 (תש"ז) according to the short system (לפ"ק). It is a regular Common Year of 12 months, 51 Sabbaths, 354 days, beginning on Thursday, the fifth day of the week, and having the first day of Passover on Saturday, the seventh day of the week; therefore, its sign is ה, i. e. ה for fifth, כ for regular (כסדרה) and ז for the seventh. It is the seventh year of the 301st lunar cycle of 19 years, and the twenty-fifth year of the 204th solar cycle of 28 years, since Creation, according to the traditional Jewish reckoning.

ABRIDGED JEWISH CALENDARS FOR 5707-5708 (1946-48)

Holiday	5707 (1946-47)	5708 (1947-48)
<b>First Day New Year</b> . . . . .	Thur. 1946, Sept. 26	Mon. 1947, Sept. 15
<b>Second Day New Year</b> . . . . .	Fri. Sept. 27	Tues. Sept. 16
Fast of Gedaliah . . . . .	Sun. Sept. 29	Wed. Sept. 17
<b>Day of Atonement</b> . . . . .	Sat. Oct. 5	Wed. Sept. 24
<b>First Day Tabernacles</b> . . . . .	Thur. Oct. 10	Mon. Sept. 29
<b>Second Day Tabernacles</b> . . . . .	Fri. Oct. 11	Tues. Sept. 30
Hoshana Rabba . . . . .	Wed. Oct. 16	Sun. Oct. 5
<b>Eighth Day of Feast</b> . . . . .	Thur. Oct. 17	Mon. Oct. 6
<b>Rejoicing of the Law</b> . . . . .	Fri. Oct. 18	Tues. Oct. 7
New Moon Heshvan, 1st day . . . . .	Fri. Oct. 25	Tues. Oct. 14
New Moon Heshvan, 2nd day . . . . .	Sat. Oct. 26	Wed. Oct. 15
New Moon Kislev, 1st day . . . . .	Sun. Nov. 24	Thur. Nov. 13
New Moon Kislev, 2nd day . . . . .	—	Fri. Nov. 14
First Day Hanukkah . . . . .	Wed. Dec. 18	Mon. Dec. 8
New Moon Tebet, 1st day . . . . .	Mon. Dec. 23	Sat. Dec. 13
New Moon Tebet, 2nd day . . . . .	Tues. Dec. 24	Sun. Dec. 14
Fast of Tebet . . . . .	Thur. 1947, Jan. 2	Tues. Dec. 23
New Moon Shebat . . . . .	Wed. Jan. 22	Mon. 1948, Jan. 12
New Year for Trees . . . . .	Wed. Feb. 5	Mon. Jan. 26
New Moon Adar, 1st day . . . . .	Thur. Feb. 20	Tues. Feb. 10
New Moon Adar, 2nd day . . . . .	Fri. Feb. 21	Wed. Feb. 11
New Moon Adar Sheni, 1st day . . . . .	—	Thur. Mar. 11
New Moon Adar Sheni, 2nd day . . . . .	—	Fri. Mar. 12
Fast of Esther . . . . .	Wed. Mar. 5	Wed. Mar. 24
Purim . . . . .	Thur. Mar. 6	Thur. Mar. 25
Shushan Purim . . . . .	Fri. Mar. 7	Fri. Mar. 26
New Moon Nisan . . . . .	Sat. Mar. 22	Sat. Apr. 10
<b>First Day Passover</b> . . . . .	Sat. Apr. 5	Sat. Apr. 24
<b>Second Day Passover</b> . . . . .	Sun. Apr. 6	Sun. Apr. 25
<b>Seventh Day Passover</b> . . . . .	Fri. Apr. 11	Fri. Apr. 30
<b>Eighth Day Passover</b> . . . . .	Sat. Apr. 12	Sat. May 1
New Moon Iyar, 1st day . . . . .	Sun. Apr. 20	Sun. May 9
New Moon Iyar, 2nd day . . . . .	Mon. Apr. 21	Mon. May 10
Thirty-third Day of the Omer . . . . .	Thur. May 8	Thur. May 27
New Moon Sivan . . . . .	Tues. May 20	Tues. June 8
<b>First Day Feast of Weeks</b> . . . . .	Sun. May 25	Sun. June 13
<b>Second Day Feast of Weeks</b> . . . . .	Mon. May 26	Mon. June 14
New Moon Tammuz, 1st day . . . . .	Wed. June 18	Wed. July 7
New Moon Tammuz, 2nd day . . . . .	Thur. June 19	Thur. July 8
Fast of Tammuz . . . . .	Sat. July 5*	Sat. July 24*
New Moon Ab . . . . .	Fri. July 18	Fri. Aug. 6
Fast of Ab . . . . .	Sat. July 26*	Sat. Aug. 14*
New Moon Elul, 1st day . . . . .	Sat. Aug. 16	Sat. Sept. 4
New Moon Elul, 2nd day . . . . .	Sun. Aug. 17	Sun. Sept. 5
Eve of New Year . . . . .	Sun. Sept. 14	Sun. Oct. 3

\*Fast observed on following day.

Civil Month	Day of the Week	Jewish Month	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	PROPHETICAL PORTIONS הפטרות
Sept. 26	Th	Tisri 1	New Year א' דראש השנה	{Gen. 21 Num. 29:1-6	I Sam. 1:1-2:10 Jer. 31:2-20
27	F	2	New Year ב' דראש השנה	{Gen. 22 Num. 29:1-6	Hos. 14:2-10; Joel 2:15-27
28	S	3	האינו, שבת שובה	Deut. 32	{Seph. Hos. 14:3-10; Micah 7:18-20
29	S	4	צום גדליה (נרחה) Fast of Gedaliah	Ex. 32:11-14; 34:1-10	{Is. 55:6-56:8 Seph. none
30	M	5			
Oct. 1	T	6			
2	W	7			
3	Th	8			
4	F	9			
5	S	10	יום כפור Day of Atonement	{Lev. 16 Num. 29:7-11 Afternoon: Lev. 18	{Is. 57:14-58:14 Afternoon: Jonah Seph. add: Micah 7:18-20
6	S	11			
7	M	12			
8	T	13			
9	W	14			
10	Th	15	א' דסכות Tabernacles	{Lev. 22:26-23:44 Num. 29:12-16	Zech. 14
11	F	16	ב' דסכות Tabernacles	{Lev. 22:26-23:44 Num. 29:12-16	I Kings 8:12-21
12	S	17		{Ex. 33:12-34:26 Num. 29:17-25	Ezek. 38:18-39:16
13	S	18		{Num. 29:20-28 Seph. 29:20-25	
14	M	19	חול המועד	{Num. 29:23-31 Seph. 29:23-28	
15	T	20		{Num. 29:26-34 Seph. 29:26-31	
16	W	21	הושענא רבא	{Num. 29:26-34 Seph. 29:29-34	
17	Th	22	שמני עצרה	{Deut. 15:19-16:17 Num. 29:35-30:1	{I Kings 8:54-66 or 9:1 Josh. 1
18	F	23	*Eighth Day of Feast שמחת תורה	{Deut. 33:1-34:12 Gen. 1:1-2:3	{Seph. 1:1-9 Is. 42:5-43:10
19	S	24	Rejoicing of the Law בראשית, (מב' הח')	{Num. 29:35-30:1 Gen. 1:1-6:8	{Seph. 42:5-21; 61:10; 62:5
20	S	25			
21	M	26			
22	T	27			
23	W	28			
24	Th	29			
25	F	30	א' דראש חרש New Moon	Num. 28:1-15	

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Oct. 26	S	Heshv. 1	New Moon ב' דראש חרש	{Gen. 6:9-11:32 Num. 28:9-15	Is. 66
27	S	2			
28	M	3			
29	T	4			
30	W	5			
31	Th	6			
Nov 1	F	7			
2	S	8	לך לך	Gen. 12:1-17:27	Is. 40:27-41:16
3	S	9			
4	M	10			
5	T	11			
6	W	12			
7	Th	13			
8	F	14			
9	S	15	וידא	Gen. 18:1-22:24	{II Kings 4:1-37 Seph. 4:1-23
10	S	16			
11	M	17			
12	T	18			
13	W	19			
14	Th	20			
15	F	21			
16	S	22	חיי שרה	Gen. 23:1-25:18	I Kings 1:1-31
17	S	23			
18	M	24			
19	T	25			
20	W	26			
21	Th	27	יום כפור קטן (מוקדם)		
22	F	28			
23	S	29	תולדת (מב' הח')	Gen. 25:19-28:9	I Sam. 20:18-42

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Nov.		Kislev			
24	S	1	New Moon ראש חודש	Num. 28:1-15	
25	M	2			
26	T	3			
27	W	4			
28	Th	5			
29	F	6			Hos. 12:13-14:10 or 11:7-12:12 or 11:7-14:10
30	S	7	ויצא	Gen. 28:10-32:3	Seph. 11:7-12:12
Dec.					
1	S	8			
2	M	9			
3	T	10			
4	W	11			
5	Th	12			
6	F	13			Hos. 12:13-14:10 or 11:7-12:12 or Obadiah 1:1-21
7	S	14	וישלח	Gen. 32:4-36:43	Seph. Obad. 1:1-21
8	S	15			
9	M	16			
10	T	17			
11	W	18			
12	Th	19			
13	F	20			
14	S	21	וישב	Gen. 37:1-40:23	Amos 2:6-3:8
15	S	22			
16	M	23			
17	T	24			
18	W	25	{ Hanukkah, חנוכה { Feast of Dedication	{ Num. 7:1-17 { Seph. 6:22-7:17 { Num. 7:18-29 { Seph. 7:18-23 { Num. 7:24-35 { Seph. 7:24-29 { Gen. 41:1-44:17 { Num. 7:30-35	
19	Th	26			
20	F	27			
21	S	28	מקץ ומב' הח'ז		Zech. 2:14-4:7
22	S	29		{ Num. 7:36-47 { Seph. 7:36-41	
23	M	30	New Moon א' דראש חודש	Num. 28:1-15; 7:42-47	

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Dec.		Tebet			
24	T	1	New Moon כ' דראש חדש	Num. 28:1-15; 7:48-53	
25	W	2	Last Day of Hanukkah	Num. 7:54-8:4	
26	Th	3			
27	F	4			
28	S	5	ויגש	Gen. 44:18-47:27	Ezek. 37:15-28
29	S	6			
30	M	7			
31	T	8			
Jan. 1947					
1	W	9		Ex. 32:11-14; 34:1-10	{Is. 55:6-56:8 {Seph. none
2	Th	10	צום עשרה בטבת Fast of Tebet		
3	F	11			
4	S	12	ויחי	Gen. 47:28-50:26	1 Kings 2:1-12
5	S	13			
6	M	14			
7	T	15			
8	W	16			
9	Th	17			
10	F	18			
11	S	19	שמח	Ex. 1:1-6:1	{Is. 27:6-28:13; 29:22, 29 {Seph. Jer. 1:1-2:3
12	S	20			
13	M	21			
14	T	22			
15	W	23			
16	Th	24			
17	F	25			
18	S	26	וארא, (מב' הח')	Ex. 6:2-9:35	Ezek. 28:25-29:21
19	S	27			
20	M	28			
21	T	29	יום כפור קטן		

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Jan. 22	W	Shebat 1	New Moon ראש חודש	Num. 28:1-15	
23	Th	2			
24	F	3			
25	S	4	בא	Ex. 10:1-13:16	Jer. 46:13-28
26	S	5			
27	M	6			
28	T	7			
29	W	8			
30	Th	9			
31	F	10			
Feb. 1	S	11	בשלה, (שבח שירה)	Ex. 13:17-17:16	{Judges 4:4-5 31 {Seph. 3:1-31
2	S	12			
3	M	13			
4	T	14			
5	W	15	{ ר"ה לאילנות {New Year for Trees		
6	Th	16			
7	F	17			
8	S	18	יחרו	Ex. 18:1-20:26	{Is. 6:1-7:6; 9:5, 6 {Seph. 6:1-13
9	S	19			
10	M	20			
11	T	21			
12	W	22			
13	Th	23			
14	F	24			
15	S	25	משפטים, (מב' הח') פ' שקלים	Ex. 21:1-24:18; 30:11-16	{II Kings 12:1-17 {Seph. 11:17-12:17
16	S	26			
17	M	27			
18	T	28			
19	W	29	יום כפור קטן		
20	Th	30	New Moon ראש חודש	Num. 28:1-15	

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Feb. 21	F	Adar 1	New Moon כ' דראש חדש	Num. 28:1-15	
22	S	2	תרומה	Ex. 25:1-27:19	I Kings 5:26-6:13
23	S	3			
24	M	4			
25	T	5			
26	W	6			
27	Th	7			
28	F	8			
Mar 1	S	9	מצוה פ' זכור	Ex. 27:20-30:10	{ I Sam. 15:2-34 { Seph. 15:1-34
2	S	10			
3	M	11			
4	T	12			
5	W	13	צום אסתר Fast of Esther	Ex. 32:11-14; 34:1-10	{ Is. 55:6-56:8 { Seph. none
6	Th	14	פורים Purim, Feast of Esther	Ex. 17:8-16	
7	F	15	שושן פורים Shushan Purim		
8	S	16	כי תשא	Ex. 30:11-34:35	{ I Kings 18:1 { (or 20)-39 { Seph. 18:20-39
9	S	17			
10	M	18			
11	T	19			
12	W	20			
13	Th	21			
14	F	22	ויקהל, פקודי, ומב' הח'	{ Ex. 35:1-40:38 { Num. 19	{ Ezek. 36:16-38 { Seph. 36:16-36
15	S	23	פ' פרה		
16	S	24			
17	M	25			
18	T	26			
19	W	27			
20	Th	28	יום כפור קטן (מוקדם)		
21	F	29			

\*The Book of Esther is read, both in the evening and in the morning.

Civil Month	Day of the Week	Jewish Month	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	PROPHETICAL PORTIONS הפטרות
Mar. 22	S	Nisan 1	New Moon ויקרא, ראש חודש, פ' החדש	{Lev. 1:1-5:26 Ex. 12:1-20	{Ezek. 45:16-46:18 Seph. 45:18-46:15
23	S	2			
24	M	3			
25	T	4			
26	W	5			
27	Th	6			
28	F	7			{Mal. 3:4-24 or II Kings 7:3-20
29	S	8	צו, שבת הגדול	Lev. 6:1-8:36	Seph. Mal. 3:4-24
30	S	9			
31	M	10			
April 1	T	11			
2	W	12			
3	Th	13			
4	F	14	תענית בכורים Fast of First-Born	{Ex. 12:21-51 Num. 28:16-25	{Josh. 3:5-7; 5:2-6:1; 27 Seph. 5:2-6:1; 27
5	S	15	Passover א' דפסח	{Lev. 22:26-23:44 Num. 28:16-25 Ex. 13:1-16 Num. 28:19-25 Ex. 22:24-23:19 Num. 28:19-25 Ex. 34:1-26 Num. 28:19-25 Num. 9:1-14 Num. 28:19-25	II Kings 23:1 (or 4)- 9: 21-25
6	S	16	Passover ב' דפסח	{Ex. 13:17-15:26 Num. 28:19-25 Deut. 15:19-16:17 Num. 28:19-25	II Sam. 22
7	M	17	חול המועד		
8	T	18			
9	W	19			
10	Th	20			
11	F	21	Passover ז' דפסח		
12	S	22	Passover ח' דפסח		Is. 10:32-12:6
13	S	23			
14	M	24			
15	T	25			
16	W				
17	Th	27			
18	F	28			
19	S	29	שמיני, (מב' הח')	Lev. 9:1-11:47	I Sam. 20:18-42
20	S	30	New Moon א' דראש חודש	Num. 28:1-15	

\*The Song of Songs is read.

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April		Iyar			
21	M	1	New Moon ב' דראש חדש	Num. 28:1-15	
22	T	2			
23	W	3			
24	Th	4			
25	F	5			
26	S	6	חזריע, מצרע	Lev. 12:1-15:23	II Kings 7:3-20
27	S	7			
28	M	8			
29	T	9			
30	W	10			
May					
1	Th	11			
2	F	12			{ Amos 9:7-15 or Ezek. 22:1-19 (or 16)
3	S	13	אחרי מות, קדשים	Lev. 16:1-20:27	{ Seph. Ezek. 20:2 (or 1)-20
4	S	14	פסח שני		
5	M	15			
6	T	16			
7	W	17			
8	Th	18	33d Day of Omer ל'ג בעמר		
9	F	19			
10	S	20	אמר	Lev. 21:1-24:23	Ezek. 44:15-31
11	S	21			
12	M	22			
13	T	23			
14	W	24			
15	Th	25			
16	F	26			
17	S	27	בהר, בחקתי, (מב' הח'ז)	Lev. 25:1-27:34	Jer. 16:19-17:14
18	S	28			
19	M	29	יום כפור קט		

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May		Sivan			
20	T	1	New Moon ראש חודש	Num. 28:1-15	
21	W	2			
22	Th	3			
23	F	4			
24	S	5	במדבר	Num. 1:1-4:20	Hos. 2:1-22
25	S	6	א' דשבועות Feast of Weeks	{ Ex. 19:1-20:23 { Num. 28:26-31	Ezek. 1:1-28; 3:12
26	M	7	ב' דשבועות Feast of Weeks*	{ Deut. 15:28-16:17 { Num. 28:26-31	{ Hab. 3:1-10 { Seph. 2:20-3:19
27	T	8	אסרו חג		
28	W	9			
29	Th	10			
30	F	11			
31	S	12	נשא	Num. 4:21-7:89	Judges 13:2-25
June					
1	S	13			
2	M	14			
3	T	15			
4	W	16			
5	Th	17			
6	F	18			
7	S	19	בהעלהך	Num. 8:1-12:16	Zech. 2:14-4:7
8	S	20			
9	M	21			
10	T	22			
11	W	23			
12	Th	24			
13	F	25			
14	S	26	שלח לך, (מב' הח')	Num. 13:1-15:41	Josh. 2
15	S	27			
16	M	28			
17	T	29	יום כפור קטן א' דראש חודש	Num. 28:1-15	
18	W	30	New Moon		

\*The Book of Ruth is read.

Civil Month	Day of the Week	Jewish Month	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	PROPHETICAL PORTIONS הפטרות
June 19	Th	Tam. 1	New Moon ב' דראש חדש	Num. 28:1-15	
20	F	2			
21	S	3	קרח	Num. 16:1-18:32	I Sam. 11:14-12:22
22	S	4			
23	M	5			
24	T	6			
25	W	7			
26	Th	8			
27	F	9			
28	S	10	חקת	Num. 19:1-22:1	Judges 11:1-33
29	S	11			
30	M	12			
July 1	T	13			
2	W	14			
3	Th	15			
4	F	16			
5	S	17	בלק	Num. 22:2-25:9	Micah 5:6-6:8
6	S	18	צום שבעה עשר בתמוז (Fest of Tammuz [נרחה])	Ex. 32:11-14; 34:1-10	[Is. 55:6-56:8 Seph. none
7	M	19			
8	T	20			
9	W	21			
10	Th	22			
11	F	23			
12	S	24	פינחס, (נמב' הח')	Num. 25:10-30:1	Jer. 1:1-2:8
13	S	25			
14	M	26			
15	T	27			
16	W	28			
17	Th	29	יום כפור קטן		

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July 18	F	Ab 1	New Moon ראש חדש	Num. 28:1-15	
19	S	2	מטות, מסעי	Num. 30:2-36:13	{ Jer. 2:4-28; 3:4 Seph. 2:4-28; 4:1, 2
20	S	3			
21	M	4			
22	T	5			
23	W	6			
24	Th	7			
25	F	8			
26	S	9	דברים, שבת חזון	Deut. 1:1-3:22	Is. 1:1-27
27	S	10	צום חשעה באב (נדרהו) Fast of Ab*	{ Deut. 4:25-40 Afternoon: Ex. 32:11-14; 34:1-10	{ Morning: Jer. 8:13-9:23 Afternoon: Is. 55:6-56:8 Seph. Hos. 14:2-11; Micah 7:18-20
28	M	11			
29	T	12			
30	W	13			
31	Th	14			
Aug. 1	F	15			
2	S	16	ואחחנן, שבת נחמו	Deut. 3:23-7:11	Is. 40:1-26
3	S	17			
4	M	18			
5	T	19			
6	W	20			
7	Th	21			
8	F	22			
9	S	23	עקב, ומב' הח'!	Deut. 7:12-11:25	Is. 49:14-51:3
10	S	24			
11	M	25			
12	T	26			
13	W	27			
14	Th	28	יום כפור קטן (חי קדם)		
15	F	29			
16	S	30	ראה, א' דראש חדש New Moon	{ Deut. 11:26-16:17 Num. 28:9-15	Is. 66

\*The Book of Lamentations is read.

Civil Month	Day of the Week	Jewish Month	SABBATHS, FESTIVALS, FASTS	PENTATEUCHAL PORTIONS פרשיות	PROPHETICAL PORTIONS הפטרות
Aug. 17	S	Elul 1	ב' דראש חרש New Moon*	Num. 28:1-15	
18	M	2			
19	T	3			
20	W	4			
21	Th	5			
22	F	6			
23	S	7	שפטים	Deut. 16:18-21:9	Is. 51:12-52:12
24	S	8			
25	M	9			
26	T	10			
27	W	11			
28	Th	12			
29	F	13			
30	S	14	כי חצא	Deut. 21:10-25:19	Is. 54:1-10
31 Sept.	S	15			
1	M	16			
2	T	17			
3	W	18			
4	Th	19			
5	F	20			
6	S	21	כי תבוא	Deut. 26:1-29:8	Is. 60
7	S	22	משכימים לסליחות Selihot*		
8	M	23			
9	T	24			
10	W	25			
11	Th	26			
12	F	27			
13	S	28	נצבים	Deut. 29:9-30:20	Is. 61:10-63:9
14	S	29	ערב ר"ה		

\*The Sephardim say Selihot during the whole month of Elul.