# Sabbath, New Moon, & Feast Days

A Biblical "day" begins and ends at sunset, rather than at midnight.

In Genesis 1:5 [KJV], the story of creation, it says,

"And the evening and the morning were the first day."

From this, we conclude that a day begins with evening, that is, sunset.

Sabbath, New Moon, & Feast Days

Begin the evening before the date specified and
end at nightfall of the date specified,
that is, at the time when it becomes dark outside, about an hour after sunset.

Leviticus 23:32b [KJV]

"...from even unto even, shall ye celebrate your sabbath."

New Moon = Rosh Chodesh

Light the New Moon Candle Sundown the night before:

1st of Sh'vat 5776	1st of Iyyar, 5776	1 <sup>st</sup> of Tishrei, 5777
Jan 11, 2016	May 9, 2016	October 3, 2016
1st of Adar 5776	1st of Sivan, 5776	1st of Cheshvan, 5777
Feb. 10, 2016	June 7, 2016	November 2, 2016
1st of Adar II 5776	1st of Tamuz, 5776	1st of Keslev, 5777
March 11, 2016	<b>July 7, 2016</b>	<b>December 1, 2016</b>
1st of Nisan 5776	1st of Av, 5776	1st of Tevet, 5777
<b>April 9, 2016</b>	August 5, 2016	<b>December 30, 2016</b>
	1st of Elul, 5776	
	September 4, 2016	

## **Levitical Feast Days**

Feast Days begin the evening *before* the date specified.

Leviticus 23:32b [KJV]

"...from even unto even, shall ye celebrate your sabbath."

## **Pesach**

15th - 21st of Nisan, 5776 April 23rd – 29th, 2016

The 1st & 7th days of Pesach are Sabbath Days Lev. 23:5-8 [кJV]

- 5 In the fourteenth day of the first month at even is the LORD's passover.
- 6 And on the fifteenth day of the same month is the feast of unleavened bread unto the LORD: seven days ye must eat unleavened bread.
- 7 In the first day ye shall have an holy convocation: ye shall do no servile work therein.
- 8 But ye shall offer an offering made by fire unto the LORD seven days: in the seventh day is an holy convocation: ye shall do no servile work therein.

#### **Future Dates:**

April 11 – April 17, 2017	15 <sup>th</sup> - 21 <sup>st</sup> of Nisan, 5777
March 31 – April 6, 2018	15 <sup>th</sup> - 21 <sup>st</sup> of Nisan, 5778
April 20 – April 26, 2019	15 <sup>th</sup> - 21 <sup>st</sup> of Nisan, 5779

## Shavu'ot

6<sup>th</sup> of Sivan, 5776 **June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2016** 

50 days counting from the 2<sup>nd</sup> Day of Pesach Lev 23:16 [KJV]
Shavuot is a Sabbath Day Lev 23:21 [KJV]

- 16 Even unto the morrow after the seventh sabbath shall ye number fifty days; and ye shall offer a new meat offering unto the LORD.
- 21 And ye shall proclaim on the selfsame day, that it may be an holy convocation unto you: ye shall do no servile work therein: it shall be a statute for ever in all your dwellings throughout your generations.

#### Future Dates:

May 31, 2017 6<sup>th</sup> of Sivan, 5777 May 20, 2018 6<sup>th</sup> of Sivan, 5778 June 9, 2019 6<sup>th</sup> of Sivan, 5779

## **Rosh Hashanah**

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> of Tishrei, 5777 October 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>, 2016

The 1st of Tishrei is a Sabbath Day Lev. 23:24 [клу]

24 Speak unto the children of Israel, saying, In the seventh month, in the first day of the month, shall ye have a sabbath, a memorial of blowing of trumpets, an holy convocation.

#### **Future Dates:**

 September 21 & 22, 2017
 1st & 2nd of Tishrei, 5778

 September 10 & 11, 2018
 1st & 2nd of Tishrei, 5779

 September 30 & October 1, 2019
 1st & 2nd of Tishrei, 5780

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## Yom Kippur

10<sup>th</sup> of Tishrei, 5777 **October 12<sup>th</sup>, 2016** *The 10<sup>th</sup> of Tishrei is a Sabbath Day* **Lev. 23:27** [кJv]

27 Also on the tenth day of this seventh month there shall be a day of atonement: it shall be an holy convocation unto you; and ye shall afflict your souls, and offer an offering made by fire unto the LORD.

### **Future Dates:**

September 30, 2017 10<sup>th</sup> of Tishrei, 5778 September 19, 2018 10<sup>th</sup> of Tishrei, 5779 October 9, 2019 10<sup>th</sup> of Tishrei, 5780

### Sukkot

15<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup> of Tishrei, 5777 October 17<sup>th</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup>. 2016

The 15<sup>th</sup> of Tishrei is a Sabbath Day Lev 23:34,35 [кју] Dwell in booths seven days. Lev. 23:42 [кју]

- 34 Speak unto the children of Israel, saying, The fifteenth day of this seventh month shall be the feast of tabernacles for seven days unto the LORD.
- 35 On the first day shall be an holy convocation: ye shall do no servile work therein.
- 42 Ye shall dwell in booths seven days; all that are Israelites born shall dwell in booths:

#### **Future Dates:**

October 5 -11, 2017 15<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup> of Tishrei, 5778 September 24 – 30, 2018 15<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup> of Tishrei, 5779 October 14 - 20, 2019 15<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup> of Tishrei, 5780

> 22<sup>nd</sup> of Tishrei, 5777 October 24<sup>th</sup>, 2016 is a Sabbath Day

The 22<sup>nd</sup> of Tishrei [8<sup>th</sup> day] is a Sabbath Day Lev. 23:39 [KJV]

39 Also in the fifteenth day of the seventh month, when ye have gathered in the fruit of the land, ye shall keep a feast unto the LORD seven days: on the first day shall be a sabbath, and on the eighth day shall be a sabbath.

#### **Future Dates:**

October 12, 2017 22<sup>nd</sup> of Tishrei, 5778
October 1, 2018 22<sup>nd</sup> of Tishrei, 5779
October 21, 2019 22<sup>nd</sup> of Tishrei, 5780