

Congregation Notes Torah Portion Yitro - Jethro -"The Importance of One" Exodus 18:1-20:23; Isaiah 6:1-7:6; Matthew 19:16-26 February 3, 2024 - Shevat 24, 5784

\*Exodus 13:8 And you shall tell your son on that day saying: It is because of this that HASHEM acted on my behalf when I left Egypt.

**\*Exodus 17:10** Joshua did as Moses said to him and fought with Amalek; Moses, Aaron and Hur ascended to the top of the hill.

\*Mark 10:27 – Jesus looked at them and said, With man, it is impossible, but not with God, for <u>all things are possible with God</u>.

\*John 14:1 - Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in Me.

**\*Exodus 17:12** The hands of Moses became heavy, so they took a stone and put in under him and he sat on it, and Aaron and Hur supported his hand on this side one and on that side, and it was that his hands were out-stretched in faithful prayer until the setting of the sun.

\*Psalm 73:26 My flesh and my heart may fail, <u>but God is the strength of my heart and</u> <u>my portion forever</u>.

\*Nehemiah 8:10 Do not grieve, for the joy of the Lord is your strength.

\*Psalm 46:5 God is within her, she will not fall; God will help her at break of day.

**\*Exodus 17:14-16** HASHEM said to Moses, Write this as a remembrance in the Book and repeat it in the ears of Joshua; for I shall surely erase the memory of Amalek from under the heavens. Moses built an altar and he called its name <u>HASHEM is My Miracle</u>; and he said, For there is a hand on the throne (ceis) of God (yah). There is <u>a war for HASHEM</u> against Amalek from generation to generation.

**\*Exodus 3:1** Now Moses was tending the <u>flock of Jethro</u> his father-in-law, the priest of Midian.

\*Exodus 18:1 And Jethro, the priest of Midian, the father-in- law of Moses <u>heard</u> <u>everything that God did to Moses and to Israel</u>, <u>His people</u>, that HASHEM had taken Israel out from Egypt<mark>.</mark>

**\*Exodus 18:2-4** Then Jethro, Moses' father-in-law, took Zipporah, Moses' wife, after he had sent her back, with her two sons, of whom the name of one *was* Gershom (for he said, "<u>I have been a stranger in a foreign land</u>") and the name of the other *was* Eliezer (for *he said*, "<u>The God of my father was my help, and delivered me</u> from the sword of <u>Pharaoh</u>");

\*Isaiah 43:25 Anochi! (I even I am) He who blots out your לְּשֶׁעֶיד transgressions for My own sake and your sins וְתַּשֹׁאהֶיד I will not remember.

\*Exodus 18:9-11 And Jethro rejoiced for all the goodness which the LORD had done to Israel, whom he had delivered out of the hand of the Egyptians. And <u>Jethro said</u>, <u>Blessed be the LORD</u>, who hath delivered you out of the hand of the Egyptians, and out of the hand of Pharaoh, who hath delivered the people from under the hand of the Egyptians. <u>Now I know that the LORD is greater than all gods</u>: for in the thing wherein they dealt proudly <u>He was above them</u>.

\*Philippians 2:5-8 Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus, who, being in the form of God, did not consider it robbery to be equal with God, but <u>made Himself of no</u> <u>reputation, taking the form of a bondservant, and coming in the likeness of men</u>. And being found in appearance as a man, <u>He humbled Himself and became obedient to the</u> <u>point of death, even the death of the cross</u>.

\*2 Corinthians 5:16–17 So if anyone is in Christ, he is a <u>new creation</u>: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new!

**\*Isaiah 43:18-19** Do not remember the former things, or consider the things of old. I am about to do a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert.

\*2 Corinthians 5:16–17 So if anyone is in Christ, he is a <u>new creation</u>: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new!

\*Colossians 2:10 I am complete in Him Who is the head over all rule and .

\*Ephesians 2:5 I am alive with Christ.

\*I John 5:18 I am born of God, and the evil one does not touch me.

\*Ephesians 1:4 I am holy and without blame before Him in love.

\*I Corinthians 2:16 I have the mind of Christ

\*Philippians 4:7 I have the peace of God that surpasses all understanding.

\*I John 4:4 The Spirit of God, who is greater than the enemy in the world, lives in me.

**\*Ephesians 1:17-18** I have received <u>the Spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge</u> <u>of Jesus</u>, the eyes of my heart enlightened, so that I know the hope of having life in Christ.

\*Mark 16:17-18 I have received the power of the Holy Spirit and He can do miraculous things through me. <u>I have authority and power over the enemy in this world.</u>

\*Colossians 3:9-10 I am renewed in the knowledge of God and no longer want to live in my old ways or nature before I accepted Christ.

**\*Luke 6:36 I am merciful**, I do not judge others, and **I forgive quickly**. As I do this by God's grace, He blesses my life.

**\*Philippians 4:13 God supplies all of my needs** according to His riches. **I can do whatever I need to do in life through Christ Jesus who gives me strength**.

**\*Ephesians 2:10 I am God's workmanship**, created in Christ to do good works that He has prepared for me to do.

\*2 Corinthians 5:17 I am a new creation in Christ.

**\*Romans 6:11** In Christ, **I am dead to sin**—my relationship to it is broken—**and alive to God**—living in unbroken fellowship with Him.

\*James 1:22 As I hear God's Word, I do what it says and I am blessed in my actions,....

**\*2 Peter 1:3-4 I have everything I need to live a godly life** and am equipped to live in His divine nature.

**\*2 Corinthians 5:20 I am an ambassador for Christ.** I am part of a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a purchased.

**\*2 Corinthians 5:21 I am the righteousness of God**—I have right standing with Him—in Jesus Christ.

\*1 Corinthians 6:19 My body is a temple of the Holy Spirit; I belong to Him.

**\*Deuteronomy 28:13 I am the head and not the tail**, and I only go up and not down in life as I trust and obey God.

\*Matthew 5:14 I am the light of the world.

**\*Romans 8:33** I am chosen by God, forgiven and justified through Christ. I have a compassionate heart, kindness, humility, meekness and patience.

\*Ephesians 6:16 In all circumstances I live by faith in God and extinguish all the flaming darts (attacks) of the enemy.

\*Exodus 18:10 And Jethro said, <u>Blessed be the LORD</u>, who has delivered you out of the hand of the Egyptians and out of the hand of Pharaoh, and who has delivered the people from under the hand of the Egyptians.

\*Genesis 9:26 Blessed be to the Lord, the God of Shem.

\*Genesis 24:27 Blessed be the Lord, the God of my master.

\*Exodus 19:2-3a After they set out from Rephidim, they entered the Desert of Sinai, and <u>Israel camped</u> there in the desert in front of the mountain. <u>Then Moses went up to</u> <u>God</u>, <u>and the LORD called to him from the mountain and said</u>,

\*Exodus 19:3b-6 This is what you are to say to the descendants of Jacob and what you are to tell the people of Israel: You yourselves have seen what I did to Egypt, and how I carried you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself. Now if you obey me fully and keep my covenant, then out of all nations you will be my treasured possession. For the entire earth is mine, you will be for me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation. These are the words you are to speak to the Israelites.

\*Exodus 19:7-8 So Moses came and called for the elders of the people, and laid before them all these words which the Lord commanded him. <u>Then all the people answered</u> <u>together and said</u>, <u>All that the Lord has spoken we will do</u>. So Moses brought back the words of the people to the Lord.

\*Exodus 19:9 And the LORD said to Moses, "Behold, I come to you in the thick cloud, that the people may hear when I speak with you, and believe you forever."

\*Exodus 19:10 HASHEM said to Moses, Go to the people and sanctify them; today and tomorrow and they shall wash their clothing.

**\*Psalm 51:5** Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity, And in sin my mother conceived me. \*Ephesians 4:17,22-24 This I say, therefore, and testify in the Lord, that you should <u>no</u> <u>longer walk as the rest of the Gentiles walk, in the futility of their mind</u>; that you <u>put</u> <u>off</u>, <u>concerning your former conduct</u>, the old man which grows corrupt according to the <u>deceitful lusts</u>, and <u>be renewed</u> in the spirit of your mind, and that you <u>put on the new</u> <u>man which was created according to God</u>, in true righteousness and holiness.

\*Exodus 20:1-2 <u>God spoke all these statements saying, I am HASHEM</u>, your God, who has taken you out of the land of Egypt, from the house of slavery. \*Exodus 20:3 You shall have no other gods before Me.

\*Exodus 20:4-5a You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the you shall not bow down to them nor serve them. For I, the Lord your God, am a jealous God,.....

\*Exodus 20:7 You shall not take the Name of HASHEM, your God, in vain.

\*Exodus 20:8 <u>Remember the day of the Shabbat</u> to sanctify it. Six days you shall labor and you shall do all your work; but the Seventh Day is the Shabbat to HASHEM your God; you may not do any work.

\*Exodus 20:5 Honor your father and your mother, so that your days in the land that HASHEM, your God gives you will be lengthened.

\*Exodus 20:13 You shall not kill;

\*Exodus 20:13 ....you shall not steal

\*Exodus 20:13 - ... you shall not commit adultery

\*Exodus 20:13...you shall not bear\* false witness against your fellow ...

\*Exodus 20:14 <u>You shall not covet</u>.....

\*Isaiah 54:5 For <u>your Maker is your husband</u>; the LORD of hosts is his name; and <u>your</u> <u>Redeemer the Holy One of Israel</u>; The <u>God of the whole earth shall He be called</u>.