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***O Israel, trust in the LORD! He is their help and their shield."***

**Psalm 115:9**

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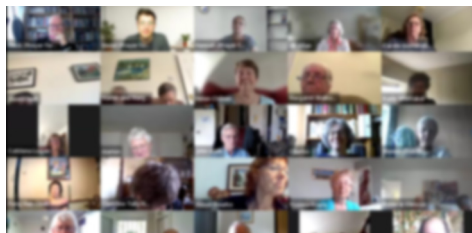
## A YEAR OF **WAR** AND **PRAYER**

*"For though we live in the world, we do not wage war as the world does. The weapons we fight with are not the weapons of the world. On the contrary, they have divine power to demolish strongholds. We demolish arguments and every pretension that sets itself up against the knowledge of God, and we take captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ" 2 Corinthians 10:3-5.*

It is quite an astounding reality that we are a full year on from that fateful day in Southern Israel on 7th October. It will be remembered as the most historic and horrific episode in the State of Israel's existence. The shadow of the holocaust has visibly surfaced during this long, heartbreaking ordeal, while the global resistance against Israel, it's people and the Zionist cause has been unprecedented. And we, who have steadfastly prayed, have endured so many lies and biased reporting which we have shared with you through the PFI prayer bulletin as well as a copious amount of online content.

Our Monday prayer gatherings have reminded us of your diligence in prayer, your fellowship with us in the ministry, and your devotion to the God of Israel. The many guests from Israel and the UK have also witnessed your love for them in those precious minutes in the prayer

breakout rooms. They have shared their encouragement with us. These online gatherings have made such a difference to them all, and they will continue as the Lord leads. Despite our many times of despair and crushed spirits, we are held together by Him who is Risen and on His Throne. It is from Him that we gain our strength through the Spirit of God which counsels and aids us.



Meeting together on Zoom

*"I've attended two so far. I have found everything to be excellent: the time keeping, the concise introduction, the guest speakers giving really valuable information not available elsewhere, the breakout groups which give a chance to meet others and pray with them, the uplifting music/praise items, it's brilliant"*

At this poignant time, I have asked the team at PFI to each share a specific prayer for you, our prayer partners. May these prayers bless and encourage you all as we march together, treading the narrow way for His Glory, and the salvation of Israel.

## David

*"Lord, the October 7th attacks reminded me of Your call to "bear each other's burdens" and to move as one body. I lift up our faithful prayer partners who have carried the burdens of those in Israel and stood diligently as watchmen on the walls for them. Bless them, Lord, for their steadfastness. Comfort them in their own challenges and fill them with Your peace and love. May their dedication to praying for Israel continue to be a powerful blessing to all. Thank You, Lord for their unwavering commitment to stand with us in prayer. Amen."*

## Hannah

*"Lord, we thank you for our Prayer Partners. We thank you for unity that we have in you and can pray together for the nation of Israel. As we remember the catastrophic events that happened a year ago on October 7th, we lift up the nation of Israel to you today. In Psalm 121:6, we are told to 'Pray for the peace of Jerusalem' and Lord we earnestly petition this to you now. Thank you, Heavenly Father for your Spirit of Truth that dwells in all those who love you. Psalm 34:1-3 Praise the Lord!"*

## Elly

*Dear Brothers & Sisters, as you lift up holy hands for the needs of Israel, may you know the presence of Yeshua and the encouragement of the Holy Spirit. Whether you intercede alone or in fellowship, I pray that you will know the joy of this calling to support God's chosen people. 'Therefore, we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us,' Hebrews 12:1 NKJV.*

## Kaleb

*"The pain in Israel and Gaza reflects our world's brokenness. Yet, Jesus Christ, the spotless Lamb who bore our sins, fully understands unjust suffering. As you intercede, may you be strengthened by Him who knows the depth of pain you lift up. 'Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.' Lord, sustain our prayer partners as they bear the burdens of Israel and Gaza. Strengthen their hearts, renew their spirits, and grant them Your peace. May their prayers be a source of comfort and healing for those in pain."*

## Phil

*"I thank you Lord for the prayers, generosity and continued support of all the PFI Prayer Partners; They have shown such unwavering loyalty to Israel over the past 12 challenging months. In the spirit of Palm 122 v 6: I pray that all those who pray for the peace of The Land will be blessed by you."*

## Paul

*"Dear Lord. We give you thanks for our prayer partners. After a year of war, I know that at times, some may feel the strain of standing in the gap for your people in Israel. Please refresh where needed and strengthen us together in one body. They are precious to us all at PFI, and we ask that you bless them abundantly, that they know the joy of your divine presence. May they be filled with your Holy Spirit, so that in your power they remain steadfast. We will continue to honour you Lord, as we walk in the light - for the Glory of your holy name." Amen. 1 John 1:7."*

Maranatha!





# PRAYER OVERVIEW FOR ISRAEL

Please pray into the general prayer needs for the Holy land.



## HOSTAGES

Pray for the freedom and wellbeing of the Hostages



## ENEMIES

Pray for the enemies of Israel



## UK CHURCH

Pray for the Church in the UK to understand the importance of Israel



## RESOURCES

Pray for those in Israel to have the needed resources to survive



## JERUSALEM

Pray for the peace of Jerusalem



## ALIYAH

Pray for Jewish people to make Aliyah to Israel

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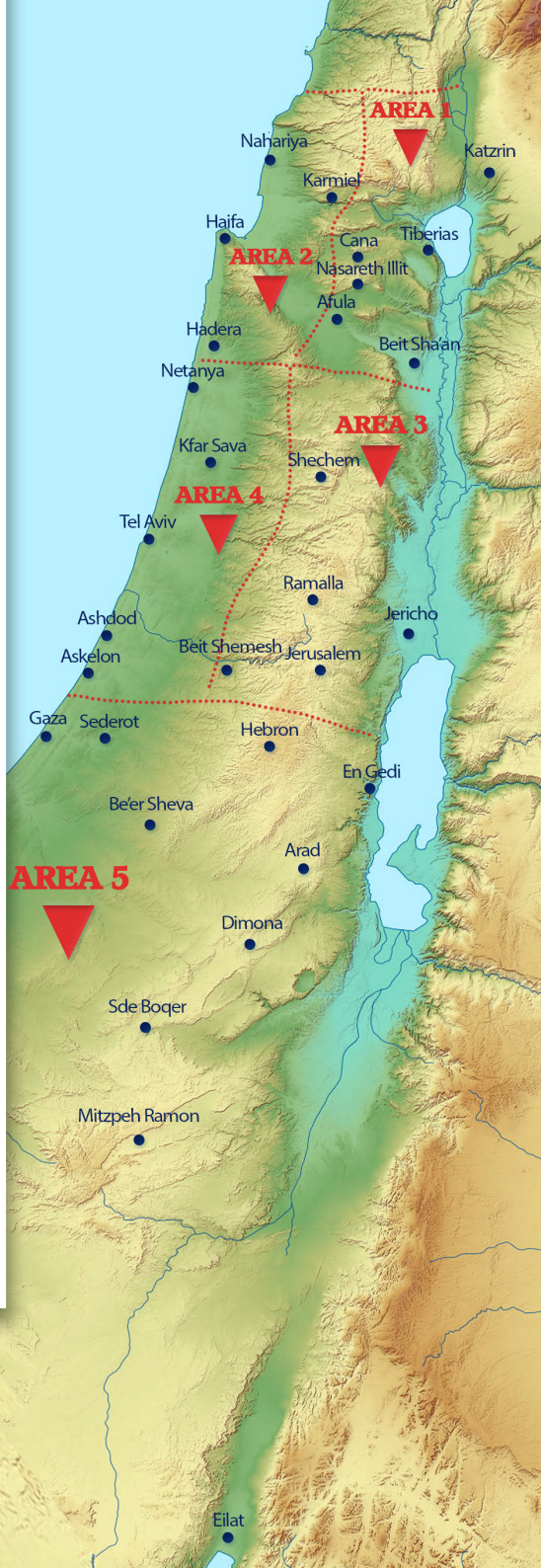
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# PRAISE AND PRAYER

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Please note - the online Prayer Bulletin saves PFI money!

\*Prayer updates pertaining to the attacks on Israel may be out of date by the time this bulletin is printed.

## AREA 1



*Morning Star Fellowship*

*Led by Claude & Michelle Ezagouri*

*Support code: 4150 - Area 1 - North & East*

*Support code: 4151 - Claude & Michelle Ezagouri*

08.09.2024

### **We are thankful to the Lord for:**

We praise the Lord for His grace over our people and our land. It cannot be taken for granted in these present times.

We thank Him for the re-opening of the Yardenit baptismal site, even though tourism is almost non-existent in Israel. We were able to baptise some of our youth there.

### **Prayer Requests:**

- We now have a discipleship course that helps people grow in the Lord and in the fruit of the Spirit. One of the main goals is not the accumulation of biblical knowledge but rather a drastic change in our human character so that we might be as close as possible to fulfilling God's desire: "Be holy as I am holy."

- We also have a counselling ministry for people struggling with past traumas and sins. Please pray that believers will be clean and fit for the Lord's work in His house.

- We kindly ask you to pray for perfect relationships within the fellowship.

- Fellowship is important, as it works on our capacity to love and help our brothers and sisters, especially in these trying times in Israel. Please pray that the anger and dissensions seen in Israeli society right now will not penetrate the Body of Messiah. Our goal is to make our congregation a house of peace, mutual help, and stewardship.

- We've had very anointed meetings lately. Please pray for an outpouring of the Holy Spirit in our midst through the combination of worship and the Word of God. More and more believers thirst for His presence, but we also believe that worship has the power to keep the enemy away and bring God's protection upon His people.

### **Our Perception of Current Events:**

We could easily be tempted to react in anger against our enemies, as some Jewish circles have done, quoting passages from the Old Testament where God calls Israel to exterminate its enemies, including men, women, and children. We even heard a prominent rabbi calling on Israel to do to the enemy what our forefathers did to the people of Shechem after Dina was raped (Genesis 34:25-29).

However, we need to maintain high standards during these challenging times and not use the same weapons of hatred as our enemies. Although God gives us the right to defend ourselves and even to

attack the enemy when needed, we must keep fighting with high moral standards, as the IDF has endeavoured to do in this present war. Hatred, whether within our nation or toward our enemies, would lead us to lose God's help in this war. Just a few days ago, we held a well-attended joint meeting of praise and intercession with Jewish and Arab believers in Haifa, and we truly felt that this was in God's heart for this hour.

During these challenging times, let us pray that Yeshua's words will remain before our eyes (Matthew 7:12 and Matthew 5:43-45). As hard as this may seem, nothing is impossible for Him to do in and through us so that *"we may be sons of our Father in heaven."* Let us pray: *"Free me from the trap that is set for me, for You are my refuge."* (Ps 31:4). We are very thankful for your prayers and support.

Every blessing in Yeshua,  
Claude & Michelle Ezagouri  
Morning Star Fellowship - Tiberias.



**Ted and Linda Walker**  
**Supporting congregations in Israel**  
Support code: 4160 - Area 1 - North & East

20.09.2024

Dear PFI,  
Linda & I are privileged to channel funding from PFI UK to the widows and orphans from the just war that the nation of Israel is challenged with from Iran, Iraq, Hamas, Hezbollah and the Houthis in Yemen.

We also are joyful about leading our Bible Study of the Gospel of John at our local congregation, Shaar HaEmek. By

the guidance of the Holy Spirit we were able to freely distribute over 300 Bibles in Hebrew, Russian and Arabic. We are so thankful to the Israel Bible Society for making them available.

- Please pray that our ongoing outreach work among many here in the Land is fruitful.
- Please continue to pray for the salvation of Israel.

Love in YESHUA, Ted & Linda.

## AREA 2



**Beit Eliyahu Congregation**  
**Led by Shmuel Aweida**

Support code: 4275 - Area 2 - North & West

06.09.2024

A lot has happened since we last wrote. We are so grateful for your continued prayers for us here in Israel as the war in Gaza continues, the threats from Lebanon and Iran intensify, and tensions increase in Judea and Samaria. Here in Haifa, we have experienced the war mostly through the service of reserve soldiers who have been called away. While our concern for our husbands, sons, daughters, and loved ones is palpable, we haven't experienced the bombings from rockets and UAVs that are being launched against other targets here in the North.

### Our Congregation

We continue to meet in two services on Shabbat, and the Lord continues to add to our number. We are thankful for the new families who have moved to Haifa and joined our congregation, but most grateful for those whom the Lord has



called to Himself, who had no previous knowledge of Him. In December and June, a total of six individuals gave public witness to their new faith through baptism. Each of their stories is different, with some returning to the Lord from believing families and others coming to Him from secular, atheist Jewish backgrounds. All demonstrate the power and faithfulness of the Lord in calling them to Himself. Please pray for them as we seek to train and equip those new to our fellowship. Many in our congregation are the first (and only) members of their families (so far) to come to faith in Yeshua, including two of those recently baptised. Please pray for them as they desire to witness to their lost families and see their loved ones come to faith.

### **Beit Sefer Shabbat and Youth Group**

September 1st marks the beginning of the new school year in Israel. Despite the ongoing war, the school year began almost normally for us here in Haifa. We celebrate the graduation of our children from 6th grade and their move from Shabbat School to 7th grade, marking their induction into our Youth Group. This year, we will have 55 children, ranging from 3 years old to 6th grade, and an additional large number of babies and toddlers. Our Youth Group (grades 7-12) will have 45 members and meets on Friday afternoons.

### **Soldiers**

It has not been easy for our Soldiers' group to meet, especially during the first six months of the war. Up to 45 individuals from our congregation have served at various times throughout Operation Iron Swords. Several meetings have been possible after our Shabbat worship services, where we provided a

meal, time to study the Word, prayer, and encouragement. Our priority has been to stay in regular contact with them where they serve and to keep abreast of their needs. This is now the second-longest open war that Israel has fought in its history-over eleven months! We've been active as a congregation in addressing needs arising due to the war. Early in the conflict, it became apparent that both our congregation and the IDF were unprepared for the prolonged challenges we faced. But within the first six months, we reached out to numerous military units, inquiring about their immediate needs.

Thanks to support from abroad, we were able to purchase and deliver essential equipment directly to those on the front lines. A year ago, Simon, an elder at Beit Eliyahu, met Michal, a single Israeli mother, on a flight. Their conversation about faith led to an exchange of contact information. When the conflict began, she reached out, concerned for her brother and nephew, who were heading to Gaza. Her brother, Avraham, leads the 'Nahal' medical unit. We equipped his unit with needed medical supplies and gear, showcasing the power of faith and community.

We encountered the 'Nahal' medical unit at Bror Chail Kibbutz, just hours before their deployment to Gaza City. In July, Michal and her daughter joined Simon's family for the weekend and attended our Shabbat worship service. Please pray for her and her brother Avraham as they navigate their journey from Jewish Orthodoxy to secular beliefs, hoping they will discover the truth about the God of Israel and our Lord Yeshua. Whether through open conversations or silent

prayers, our goal is to demonstrate the boundless love and care that extends from abroad to the people of Israel.

Although some are more receptive than others, we persist in spreading hope.

We are grateful to have supported other Messianic congregations, particularly those near the Lebanese border. We've partnered with the congregation in Kiryat Shmona, a city close to the conflict zone. Despite evacuation orders, they chose to stay, providing meals and support to the soldiers stationed there. The contributions we've received have been instrumental in enabling them to provide for those in need.

### **Community Day**

In April, we gathered as a congregation for a 'Community Day.' Since we meet in two worship services, we've tried to schedule a 'Community Day' in a location where we can all gather for fellowship, food, worship, and teaching to avoid evolving into two distinct congregations. During our 'Community Day' in April, we heard testimonies from the war and were able to express our gratitude to those who serve in the IDF by presenting them with meaningful gifts.



Enjoying a day together as a Congregation

### **How Can You Pray for Us?**

- Please pray for those who attended our conference, this was a time for new members to connect well with others in the congregation. We hope that all were refreshed and blessed through our time together.
- Pray for our leadership as we plan for this upcoming year, that we would understand the needs of the congregation and know how to meet them to build up disciples of Yeshua.
- Pray for those newly baptised to grow in their relationship with the Lord, that they would be effective witnesses to their family and friends, and that those with whom they share their faith will respond positively to the message.
- Continue to pray that the Lord will enlighten our people so they will discern that tradition, religion, economic and military strength will not bring peace. Pray that their eyes will be opened to believe in the only One who can bring true peace.
- Pray for our national leadership to have wisdom in the decisions they must make, for the hostages and their families as they endure suffering and face the possibility of death and bereavement, and for our soldiers and their families, that they will be protected in this war.

We are grateful for your prayers for us. Thank you so much for standing with us in faithful intercession!

With gratitude and blessings,  
Shmuel Aweida and the Beit Eliyahu  
Congregation.

## AREA 3

**BE'AD CHAIM Pro Life Organisation**  
**Led by Sandy Shoshani**  
Support code: 4703 - Area 3 - Central & East



16.09.2024

As you know, Israel continues to face immense pressure. It has sadly become quite routine for missiles to target our country daily, so much so that it almost feels 'normal'. While swimming in the Sea of Galilee, there were missile attacks (coming from Hezbollah), and lifeguards called for everyone to get out of the water and off the beach, with people flocking to the bomb shelter. This is not normal! This morning at 6:30, as children in central Israel were getting ready for school, missile alerts sounded because a long-distance missile had been fired from Yemen. This is not normal! We pray that this trouble will cause our people to turn with all their hearts to the Lord, to seek His face, and to find His love. Suffering is never wasted, and God will use even the most difficult circumstances to draw us closer to His bosom.

*"They are hard pressed. 'Then they cried out to the Lord in their trouble.' Why did they not do so before? Because people do not begin to pray to God as long as they have any hope. But when all hope is gone, then comes the first real, living, agonising cry to heaven; and no sooner is that heard than God answers it."*  
(Spurgeon).

### **Prayer for Israel:**

Thank you for praying that the Lord's Army of Heavenly Hosts will continue to cover and protect Israel's borders. Let's continue to pray for those who need healing among our team:

One-year-old David's father wrote: *"Pray for God to fight for David. He has an all-time low immune system as well as very low haemoglobin. We have some sickness going around, so we are asking for David to have protection! He has three big treatments left, which will probably take about three months."*

- Thanks for praying for volunteer 'S', who is undergoing chemo, and for Or, the 18-year-old son of mother S, who is in critical condition.
- We lift up all the traumatised Israelis who have been bereaved or have injured family members. Many are suffering from PTSD after serving in the army. Our people need your prayers.
- We held a special retreat for all of our staff at a hotel with meals, a pool, and a spa. We pray for refreshing, unity, and blessings for all. May God use this time to refill and encourage the entire team. We are very grateful to the sponsors of this event, who understood the need for this time of relaxation together.
- We are looking at ways to increase our social media presence so that every woman in a crisis pregnancy will be able to find our help rather than choosing abortion. Thanks for praying for wisdom as to how to reach the most women in crisis.
- We continue to pray about increasing our work in Eilat and Tel Aviv with new distribution spaces. May God direct our steps and guide us as we desire to serve needy mothers.

Thank you for your prayers,  
Sandy Shoshani.



## AREA 4

**Kehilat Hamaayan Fellowship**  
**Led by Tony & Orna Sperandeo**

Support code: 4440 - Area 4 - Central & West



14.09.2024

In these very sad and heartbreaking circumstances of war, hopelessness, and loss of life engulfing our nation, we are greatly encouraged by the verses of Psalm 8, especially verse 2:

*"Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory in the heavens. Through the praise of children and infants you have established a stronghold against your enemies, to silence the foe and the avenger."*

The strength that our God in heaven has established on this earth is through the children and babies. The giving of life silences His enemies. In Hebrew, the word used is 'lehashbit,' which means to bring our enemies to a complete stop. Through our children, God is expressing His character and witnessing to the whole world that life is more powerful than death, and the victory of the Kingdom of God will be revealed through the testimonies of children and babies. Our Lord has conquered death, and we can all partake of Eternal Life. Satan hates the children.

He knows that to enter the Kingdom of Heaven, we must become like them. Satan is working to destroy the 'imago Dei' (the image of God in our entire being) by stealing their innocence and exposing them to the tree of evil, staining them with fear, guilt, shame, rejection, self-hatred, and bitterness.

## Summer Camp



Sharing time together at the summer camp

Being in the midst of war is extremely difficult physically, mentally, and emotionally, especially for our children. Even hours before our summer camp was scheduled to start, Israel was engaged in a pre-emptive strike against Hezbollah, resulting in many lives being saved, as well as our airport closing and many businesses operating with a reduced staff. But through prayer, God prevailed! Instead of cancelling, the families started coming, parents dropping off their kids for our camp that would eventually change their lives forever.

We were 130 people in total. Satan tried to close our camp, but God gave us the best camp ever! It was such a joy and encouragement to see them all drinking from the Water of Life through the worship, teachings, testimonies, sports activities, games, bird watching, and wood carving.

The theme this year was from **Revelation**

**1:8:** *"Who was and Who is and is to come."* We built a time machine and 'invited' characters from the Bible to come speak to us, both from the past and the future. Through these skits and other daily activities, many children and young adults received a revelation from the Lord and shared with us how God touched them deeply. Please pray for them, for a complete work of God in their hearts that began during this camp.

### **Remembering God's Word Project**

*"The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart"* (Romans 10:8b).

As this new school year begins, our congregation starts a new project as well. Our challenge is for our children and families to study and memorize 100 scriptures. Our teachers, parents, and the entire community are encouraged to learn the Word of God by heart. How exciting it will be as we all grow in sowing and planting God's Word in our hearts, ready to be used *"in season and out of season."*

### **Prayer Requests**

- For the Son of Righteousness with healing in His wings to heal us all from shock and trauma, and to comfort our hearts from the mourning we are all experiencing.

- For our government to stand united, caring for all the people of Israel affected by the war, and to put politics second to the needs of the people.

- For protection for our soldiers, who are away for a long time, in extreme harm's way, and for their wives, children, and families.

- For God to rescue our hostages (both dead and alive) quickly, and to deal with our enemies.

- For wisdom for our leadership staff and elders to direct our congregation in these days.

- For more teachers and helpers for our children's Shabbat school.

- For protection for our children, who have just started a new school year, from deceptive and demonic influences that they are exposed to daily.

- For the parents to instruct their children to live godly lives. Many of our families have only one believing parent; pray for the salvation of the fathers.

- For the war between Russia and Ukraine, which is still dear to our hearts, as some of our members from both Russia and Ukraine have close family members involved. Please pray for our brothers and sisters here who are dealing with two wars at once, for the safety of their relatives, and for finances to restore their damaged homes.

Thank you for your prayers and support.  
Hamaayan Team.

## AREA 5

**City of Life Ministry**  
**Led by Michael & Dina Beener**  
Support code: 4523 - Area 5 - South



02.09.2024

On October 7, during the fierce attack, a group of armed terrorists stormed the city of Sderot, indiscriminately shooting at anyone in their path. They arrived at a bus stop on the main avenue, where a group of elderly people eagerly awaited the bus that would take them on a special trip to a spa at the Dead Sea. However, the terrorists had other plans. Upon seeing the elderly, they did not hesitate to shoot and kill them in cold blood. Their blood-covered bodies remained on the sidewalk for three days until they could finally be removed.

In honour of the memory of these murdered elders, we have organised a trip with a new group of elderly people, who would spend a relaxing day at a spa in the Dead Sea. This is the trip that couldn't happen, a symbolic act to show that this city is not a city of death, but of life, and that our love is greater than their hate. Early on Shabbat morning, the bus was already there, waiting for the elderly. It was an emotional moment, as the images of that tragic day came to mind while the elders arrived.



Taking a trip to the dead sea

But this time, the atmosphere was different; it truly felt like a victory. One

of the elderly passengers, while boarding the bus, shared their feelings: *"The last few months have been very difficult. I want to recover as soon as possible, return to normal life, and enjoy it. This trip to the Dead Sea helps us a lot right now,"* they said with evident emotion.

Another passenger added: *"We live in a constant state of stress, and people need to rest. We need these trips to regain strength, calm our nervous system, and when we return to our hometown, we can continue with our lives."* During the journey, the elderly passengers enjoyed the trip, sharing smiles and moments of joy. The scenes of them relaxing at the spa, eating, and laughing were a clear testimony to the resilience of the human spirit. However, one of the most emotional moments of the day came when an elderly person in the group dedicated a few words to those who are no longer with us: *"We dedicate this day to those who wanted to be here but, unfortunately, couldn't make it. We will never forget them. Today, as we swim and smile, we also smile for them,"* they said.

At the end of the day, after returning to the city, the elderly, visibly tired but satisfied, rested peacefully on the bus. The day had been a success, and the message was clear: we remember the victims, but we also emphasize that despite the suffering, we remain united, we move forward, and we trust that the God of Israel will never abandon us. This day was not just an excursion; it was a declaration of life and hope in the face of hate.

Michael Beener.





**Nachalat Yeshua Congregation**  
**Led by Howard and Randi Bass**

Support code: 4520 - Area 5 - South

Support code: 4521 - Beersheva Needy Families

Support code: 4522 - Howard and Randi Bass

04.09.2024

Thank God for Yeshua/Jesus!

How hard it is to imagine life without Him, and the faith, hope, and love that our Father's love and faithfulness give and sustain! In a world that is re-imagining everything - including Creation and the Creator - only death without meaning is offered. But the sure and unchanging prophetic Word of God is a light that shines in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star arises in our hearts (2 Peter 1:19).

As you are all aware, the conscience-less execution by Hamas terrorists of six young men and women in the tunnel just before a possible rescue by the IDF has deeply affected the nation. Of course, world powers speak out of both sides of their mouths about 'what now,' pressuring Israel and her PM to 'do more' rather than demanding that Hamas - recognised as a terrorist organisation - be put down and held accountable for war crimes. If Israeli soldiers had deliberately murdered Hamas prisoners or hostages, you can be sure they would immediately be called war criminals. God recognizes 'killing' in war, but not 'murder.'

The spiritual dynamic of this war is clear when the "whole world" is turning not only against the chosen nation of Israel (though still "Jacob" for now) but also against Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu. Criticism is also coming from within the fragmented Jewish people

and leadership. The PM has much to answer for regarding his political manoeuvrings and handling of the war and negotiations.

What I know is that I would not want to be in his situation, faced with the persistent moral dilemma of decisively winning against a determined enemy while trying to bring home kidnapped and captive hostages. We must be resolute in our faith and trust in the sovereign wisdom and righteousness of God, not giving in to our emotions every time something bad happens to us or to our nation.

We need the Lord's compassion, but we also need to let Him do what He has to do. It may not always please us at the time, but if we give in to the devil's evil out of misguided 'love for our enemy' or a temporary 'saving of our life,' we will never be able to stand when the day of evil comes. May the Holy Spirit fill us with the power of God to overcome this present evil world by faith. Yeshua overcame the world, and so can we, in Him. All we can do is pray for our Father's will to be done in this awful situation, which has no human solution by God's design!

If there were a human solution, there would be no need for the Lord to return to restore YHVH God's Kingdom to Israel, the nations, and the entire universe. The enemy of enemies is Satan, and Death is his domain. This is not a flesh-and-blood war that mankind can overcome by its own will and means; it is a spiritual and cosmic war that only the Living God can win. He demonstrated His victorious power through the crucifixion and resurrection of His Son in Jerusalem,

Israel, 1,994 years ago. Though Yeshua is now hidden from a world that does not want Him to rule over them, the revelation of Jesus Christ/Yeshua the Messiah will be seen by all when He returns from Heaven in great power and glory. Even so, come, Lord Jesus! One thing I learn from history is that we rarely learn from history. We keep repeating the mistakes of the past. Christians have not done much better in their calling and election by the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob than the Jewish people have done. We have all been sufficiently disobedient to our God and Savior that He must have mercy on all of us.

Israel is being 'thrown under the bus,' just as we threw Yeshua outside His vineyard and insisted that He be crucified. This was, and is, part of God's sovereign love, plan, righteousness, and wisdom, so that salvation can come to 'whomsoever' will repent and believe the good news. Some Christianised nations and people think that *"it is good for one country and people to be sacrificed rather than the whole Western world be destroyed."* This was a false assumption by the Jewish leadership in Yeshua's day (though it was necessary for God's purpose and the Scriptures to be fulfilled), and Rome did destroy the Jewish nation and land. But Islam is the beast that is exceedingly dreadful and unlike any of the previous beasts. Everyone, including all the nations, is terrified by this beast.

It revives with a vengeance, making war against Jews, Christians, and all lukewarm Muslims. Jews, Christians, and the Western world are witnesses to the one true God, whom the devil and his

beast kingdom hate with an unrelenting passion. The same spirit that satanically insisted on the Messiah's crucifixion is the same spirit at work today to destroy the very people whom the Father calls His firstborn son—the heir to collectively be His priestly nation in the coming Kingdom (Exodus 4:21-23).

If my understanding of the times is correct, the outcome of this war will lead to a powerful yet false peace, making way for the 2,300 daily sacrifices (1,650 days) to begin. What result from this war, the aftermath, and perhaps even the outcome of the U.S. elections in November will make this possible? I don't know. But regardless of whether my sense is right or wrong, I know that Yeshua rules and will do all the Father's will regarding the Jewish people and Jerusalem *"to finish the transgression, to make an end of sins, to make reconciliation for iniquity, to bring in everlasting righteousness, to seal up vision and prophecy, and to anoint the Most Holy"* (Daniel 9:24).

I recently gave a teaching to the congregation (Yeshua's Inheritance/ Nachalat Yeshua) about the unchanging Word of God. It was posted by All Israel News, and one of the comments required me to provide a longer response. So, I wrote a second article to address the specific questions raised. <https://allisrael.com/blog/some-new-covenant-changes-from-sinai>.

Thank you for taking an active interest in us, in Nachalat Yeshua, in Israel, and in the Body of Christ/Messiah in Israel (which includes believers among Jews, Arabs, and others).



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We are reminded that the peace offered by the world is far from the peace our hearts long for. True peace cannot be achieved through treaties or agreements that ignore the root causes of hatred and violence, which stem from human sin and greed. As Israel approaches one year of war on all fronts, there seems to be no clear resolution in sight. The remaining hostages have yet to be released, adding to the weight of suffering that the nation endures.

The prophet Isaiah declares, "*There is no peace for the wicked*" **Isaiah 48:22**. It is a stark reminder of the reality of sin that permeates this world. It is only through God's grace and the indwelling Holy Spirit that we have the strength to persevere in faith, standing against the deception of the enemy (James 3:13-18). Many of you may recall the children's book series Goosebumps - a world where the cause of fear was always lurking, ready to strike again.

This parallels the state of our world today, where evil persists, lurking just beneath the surface. People resist the idea of a world without evil because it is all they know. Yet, as believers, we know through Scripture that God's eternal kingdom will be one of perfect love, free from sin, suffering, and death (1 Corinthians 2). God's plan of redemption, as revealed through His appointed times (mo'edim), centers on Israel and ultimately the salvation of all who believe in Messiah Yeshua. This plan unfolds in the redemptive cycles of Israel's feasts -the blowing of trumpets, the Day of Atonement, and the Feast of Tabernacles -all pointing to the return of Yeshua to establish God's eternal kingdom.

As Israel faces political and military division, and the public wrestles with the ongoing management of war, let us pray for God's will to prevail. His purposes are perfect, and we trust that through it all, He is working out His redemptive plan for Israel and the nations.

### **Personal Reflections:**

This weekend marks the beginning of the Fall season, which holds great significance for us. On September 21, 1981, Randi and I first arrived in Israel, marking the start of our journey in this land. Since then, we have witnessed God's faithfulness over the years, from our early days in Netanya with the congregation at Beit Asaph, to our current life in Beer Sheva.

As we approach the upcoming holy days - Memorial of Blowing of Trumpets, Day of Atonement, and Feast of Tabernacles - we reflect on God's redemptive timeline for His people. Let us remain steadfast in prayer, trusting in His ultimate victory and the fulfillment of His promises in Yeshua.

Our vision is for as many people as possible under our authority and influence to be ready for and have part in the First Resurrection. (Rev 20:4-6).

Our mission is to be Yeshua's witnesses to bring more people into His kingdom; we are God's sons and daughters to grow to full maturity in preparation for our Bridegroom's return. (Mt 28:18-20).

Blessings in Yeshua's name,  
Howard and Randi.

15.09.2024

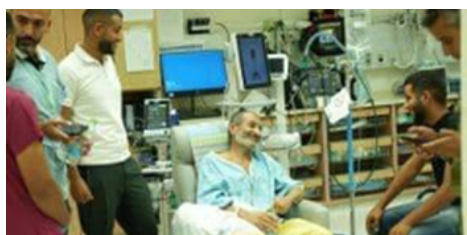
## **Bedouin Hostage Farhan al-Qadi is Home Free.**

The whole of Israel erupted with joy when the news broke that a Bedouin hostage named Farhan al-Qadi was home and free! The 52- year-old man was rescued in a heroic operation of the IDF and the Israeli Security Agency (ISA).



Family members run to meet Farhan

Emotional footage of his family members running through the hospital grounds to see him have flooded the internet, as well as the moving moment that he held his little baby in his arms again after almost ten months in captivity in Gaza. Qaid Farhan al-Qadi, who is father to eleven children, was kidnapped from the Bedouin town of Rahat in southern Israel, along with over 200 other Israeli hostages on October 7th.



Farhan, surrounded by loved ones in hospital.

He survived 326 days in Hamas captivity before he was rescued by the IDF and ISA. Mercifully he is in a stable medical condition and is being taken care of at the Soroka hospital in Be'er Sheva, surrounded by overjoyed friends and family.

## **Israel is not just for Jews**

The army and Security Agency worked together on the operation to free Farhan al-Qadi, and brought him back to Beersheva hospital near Rahat, and it's worth remembering that there are Jewish and Arab hostages, Jewish and Arab soldiers and agents, and that there are Jewish and Arab medical staff all involved in this wonderful story. It seems Hamas are claiming it was a "mistake" that they captured a Muslim, but as it is now being pointed out, it wasn't a mistake to keep him in captivity for ten months, or to fire on his rescuers. The truth is that Hamas are fighting all of Israel, Jew, Arab, Muslims, Christians and Druze.

Former Mayor of Rahat, Abu Madighem, told Kan TV1 Farhan al-Qadi felt the fact that he was a Muslim did not give him any special treatment. Abu Madighem said, *"They treated him as an Israeli in every respect,"* and that the whole time he was held hostage, *"he barely saw the sun."* Apparently he had been kept with another Jewish hostage who had died beside him. *"This story is breaking his heart. He has many [terrible] memories,"* Abu Madighem shared. *"But ultimately, he is talking about being saved, rescued."*

The current Mayor Talal al-Kerawi went to visit al-Qadi at Soroka, and said, *"We're all happy; everyone in Israel is glad Farhan is home,"* adding, *"He spent*

*a lot of time underground, but he is starting to see the light and the sun, and that gives him hope.”* Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu also called him up, and Farhan al-Qadi said *“Ahalan sahalan ya Bibi!”* which means, *“Greetings Bibi!”* before calling him Abu Yair, *“Father of Yair”*, (his oldest son) in Arabic.

The Bedouin people have a blood pact with the Jewish people that existed from before 1948, while the Jews were resisting the British Mandate that refused them entry even during the Holocaust. The events hitting the Bedouin today and the horrors inflicted on Israel by Hamas have only strengthened that pact.

## EDITORIAL

You've probably seen the devastating news that six more of our hostages have been murdered, and all of Israel is heartbroken. Yet with so much bad news in this war, we've been grateful to some good news—first the remarkable deliverance from the attack planned last Sunday, and now another hostage is free.

Farhan al-Qadi is a Bedouin Israeli, and a Muslim, but he has been treated as despicably as everyone else who was taken captive on October 7 last year. It's a good reminder to us and to the world that Israel is a mixed community of people, not an apartheid state. We are committed to reaching all of Israel with the good news of Jesus, whatever their background. We invite you to join us in prayer for the salvation of all of Israel, and also for our enemies.

Dr. Erez Soref, President, One for Israel.



## AREA 7

**Reggie & Audrey Ebenezer**  
**Canaan Peace Mission - Sri Lanka**

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### Praise and Prayer Requests

Praise God! Though we've faced more funerals this past month, the Lord has preserved us by His grace and mercy. Praying has been very traumatic and physically exhausting, yet we were strengthened by God's Word through a dear sister who shared Amos 7. The Lord, standing on a wall built with a plumbline, had a plumbline in His hand! What was once straight may have tilted. This is a call for Israel and all nations to stop, check, and realign our lives according to the plumbline of the Word of God!

**1.** During August and September, many Satanic festivals take place, intensifying the spiritual battles. We minister daily to many fighting cancers and other crises, witnessing many victories. Praise God!

**2.** Deepak Ebenezer (Reggie's brother Matthew's son) is back home and recovering. Please continue to pray for his voice and memory restoration. Also, uphold his wife, Leighann (a nurse), and their children, Ben, Eva, and Mary, praying for their home to be a place of God's healing.

**3.** Pray for the Sri Lankan Government. Postal voting occurred from September 4-6. Thirty-eight candidates are contesting, making more promises in self-promoting meetings. May God's will be done!



**4.** Bruce, who turned 50 on July 24th, was invited to serve as General Secretary of the YMCA, Fort. After a 3-year gap, he is restoring daily worship, gym facilities, rooms, discipline, and indoor games. Please pray for wisdom as he continues this important work.

**5.** Pray for Dilki, paralysed after a fever at age 6. Now 30, her face shines with Jesus' love. Though non-verbal, she communicates with the help of her mother and brother, prays for people, and shares tracts with her disabled hand. Recently, she received an adjustable bed with wheels, allowing her to sit more upright.

**6.** Pray that churches and nations understand God's Word regarding His end-time plan for His chosen people, Israel. May those who are blinded to this truth repent and turn to love, pray, and bless Jerusalem, so their nations may also be blessed (Ps. 122:5-6). To God be the Glory!

Thank you so much for your love, concern, and prayers,  
Reggie, Audrey, and Andrew.



**EZRA UK**  
*International Director Pat Frame*

11.09.2024

**France:**

Praise God for an extraordinary month in France during August! Ezra was able to assist 111 Olim (immigrants) to make Aliyah. This is our highest number ever from France, far exceeding the 45 who left in July. Although we expected a slowdown in September due to the new

school year starting, we are still receiving numerous requests for help. Please continue to pray for our team in France and for the resources needed to support these efforts.

**Ukraine:**

Please keep our Ukraine team in your prayers, both for their safety and for wisdom as they navigate extremely difficult conditions. The frontline of the war is moving ever closer to our base in Dnipro, where we have three families working. We are considering the need to evacuate them soon. Pray for discernment on the timing of any evacuation and where to relocate them safely.

**Azerbaijan:**

Though Azerbaijan is a Muslim country, it has maintained good relations with Israel and is home to an ancient Jewish community known as the Mountain Jews. In the past, Olim from Azerbaijan often reported that they had never experienced antisemitism. However, there is now a circulating recording where an individual is calling for the death of Israelis in Azerbaijan and seeking the addresses of Jews. Please pray for the safety of the Jewish community in Azerbaijan and for wisdom for the local authorities.

Thanks and blessings,  
Pat Frame, Director, Ezra International.



**These are some responses about our signed letter (with other ministries) of rebuttal of the Archbishop of Canterbury's recent criticism about Israel.**

**Anonymous:**

*"Hello Paul, thank you for your message. On a personal note, I have found the last 10 months quite lonely as a Christian who supports Israel, so, I will be signing up as a prayer partner at PFI. Thank you again for reaching out, you are the 3rd person to do so, and I am so heartened by people's responses. God Bless 'S'"*

**Yakov Dolinsky (Pastor of Nazaret Illit Fellowship):**

*"Dear Paul and all our prayer partners, shalom! Thank you for standing with Israel in such a crucial time as this. We appreciate your support and efforts to get across a message of truth. May the eyes of those church leaders who are biased or prejudiced towards Israel be open, so they see the reality."*

**Tricia Miller (CEO of CAMERA's Partnership with Christians & Jews):**

*"Thank you so much, Paul! Well done!! This is an encouragement."*

**Christine Sakakibara:**

*"God bless these brave souls."*

**Victor Kalisher (Bible Society in Israel):**

*"Thank you Paul for sharing this. It is very encouraging. I pray that these forces will realize that they actually fight against God Himself and against His truth."*

**Sergei Babaskin (Pastor, Spring of Joy):**

*"Shalom Paul. Thank you for sharing this article with me. Thank you for standing with Israel and us in this difficult time, in prayer and action. We are blessed to have you as a friend. Many blessings."*

**Yossi Ovadia (Elder, Karmiel Fellowship):**

*"Thank you. It is encouraging to know that our brothers and sisters are standing with us in this difficult time."*

**Ted & Linda Walker:**

*"Thanks Paul - good job!"*

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We released two videos on YouTube denouncing the Archbishop's actions, which have gained considerable traction, with over 22,000 views and more than 400 comments. These videos were produced alongside our co-signing of the letter addressed to the Archbishop, urging him to adhere to biblical teachings. The public's response has been overwhelmingly supportive, with the majority of the comments agreeing with our stance. Many viewers expressed their shared desire for the Archbishop to simply obey the Bible and follow its teachings in his leadership.

We continue to pray for the Archbishop and for the Church in the UK as a whole. It is our hope that this conversation will lead to positive change, rooted in a return to biblical faithfulness.

Please join us in prayer for both the Archbishop and the Church, that God's will may be done.

**Watch on our Youtube Channel!**

[www.youtube.com/@prayerforIsrael](http://www.youtube.com/@prayerforIsrael)



# THE SECRET OF ISRAELI WARRIORS: FROM BIBLICAL TO MODERN BATTLES

Hananya Naftali

**W**hen you think of Israel, you might imagine a small, besieged nation surrounded by hostile neighbours, constantly fighting for its very survival. But if you dig deeper, you'll find something extraordinary. From the biblical battlefields of Jericho to the desperate last stand at Masada, and through to the modern-day heroics of the Israeli Defence Forces (IDF), the Israeli soldier has always been more than just a fighter.

## **Jericho: The Power of Faith in Battle**

The story of Jericho isn't just a Sunday school tale; it's a blueprint for the courage that has fuelled Israeli warriors for millennia. When the Israelites first set foot in the Promised Land, they faced the formidable city of Jericho—a fortress with walls so massive that they seemed invincible. But Joshua, the leader of the Israelites, didn't rely on sheer military force to bring those walls down. Instead, he relied on faith.

Following a divine command as recorded in the book of Joshua in chapter 6, Joshua led his people in a seemingly bizarre military strategy. For six days, the Israelite army marched around the city in silence, with only the sound of trumpets filling the air. On the seventh day, they circled the city seven times, and when the horns blew one final time, the soldiers let out a collective shout. Miraculously, the walls of Jericho collapsed, and the Israelites charged

in, securing a victory that seemed impossible by human standards. This wasn't just a victory of swords and spears; it was a triumph of faith and unity. The soldiers of Israel didn't win because they had superior weapons or numbers; they won because they believed. This faith-fuelled courage is what has driven every Israeli soldier since - an unshakable belief in their cause, in their right to the land, and in their divine mandate to defend it. Jericho set the stage for a legacy of courage that would define Jewish warriors for generations to come.

Later, the Israelite King David, himself a soldier and a leader of armies, faced the giant Goliath, representing the Philistines—one of Israel's most persistent foes. Armed with nothing but a sling and a few stones, David struck down Goliath, showing the world that courage and faith could topple even the mightiest of enemies. The spirit of the Israeli soldier was born in these stories, defined by a combination of faith and the readiness to stand up against overwhelming odds.



Drone footage of Masada ©Pixabay



For two years, the Zealots held out atop the isolated plateau of Masada, surrounded by steep cliffs and a barren desert. The Romans, unable to storm the fortress, built an enormous ramp to breach the walls. As the inevitable breach approached, the leader of the Zealots, Elazar ben Yair, faced a horrifying decision: surrender and face slavery, torture, and humiliation, or choose death on their own terms.

In a display of defiance, the Zealots chose the latter. They took their own lives, denying the Romans the victory they sought. When the Romans finally entered Masada, they found only silence - a silence that spoke volumes about the indomitable spirit of those who would rather die free than live in chains. Masada is more than just a tragic story - it's a testament to the Jewish people's refusal to be conquered, to be broken. This act of ultimate sacrifice has become a symbol of the Israeli Defence Forces: the courage to stand firm, even in the face of certain death, and the unyielding commitment to freedom that has driven Jewish warriors for millennia. Today, when new Israeli recruits take an oath to defend Israel, and end by saying *"Masada shall not fall again."*

### **The Israeli Defence Forces: Modern Warriors with Ancient Resolve**

The spirit that brought down the walls of Jericho and defied the Romans at Masada lives on in the Israeli Defence Forces (IDF) today. Since the birth of the modern State of Israel in 1948, the IDF has been the shield and sword of the Jewish people, defending their right to exist in a world that has often been hostile to their very presence.



Tanks of the 14th Brigade advancing on the Red Axis.  
Location - Sinai (Wikimedia)

Consider the Six-Day War in 1967, when Israel, facing the threat of annihilation from surrounding Arab nations, launched a pre-emptive strike that changed the course of history. In just six days, the IDF defeated its enemies and secured not just the survival of Israel, but its place as a formidable power in the region. This victory, like those of ancient times, was not just about military prowess - it was about the unyielding spirit of a people who knew they were fighting for their very existence. The reunification of Jerusalem under Jewish control for the first time in nearly 2,000 years was seen by many as a fulfilment of biblical prophecy. The soldiers who took part in this war were not just fighters - they were the guardians of a promise, warriors in a battle that had been ongoing for millennia.

But the IDF is not just known for its military victories; it's also recognized for its humanity, even in the most challenging circumstances. During the Israel-Hamas 2023 war, Israel was forced to defend itself against Hamas terrorists that invaded the country on October 7 and defend against a rain of rockets targeting Israeli civilians. Despite the difficult and dangerous conditions, the



IDF went to extraordinary lengths to minimize civilian casualties. Soldiers risked their own lives to warn Gaza's civilians - dropping leaflets, making phone calls, and even sending "roof-knock" warnings before striking terrorist targets. This moral code, which places a high value on human life even in the heat of battle, is what sets the IDF apart. It reflects the deep-rooted belief that, while the Israeli soldiers are warriors, they are also a protector of life.



Combat soldiers from the Paratrooper's 890 Battalion participated in an overnight ground exercise concluding with a special ceremony, 2021 (Israel Defence Forces).

### **Heroes of the IDF: Carrying the Legacy Forward**

The stories of modern Israeli soldiers like Yoni Netanyahu and Roi Klein are not just tales of military heroism—they are modern continuations of the ancient legacy of courage and sacrifice. Yoni Netanyahu, who led the daring raid on Entebbe to rescue hostages from Ugandan terrorists, gave his life to save others, embodying the same selfless spirit that led the Zealots to choose death over slavery at Masada. Roi Klein, who sacrificed himself to save his comrades by jumping on a grenade during the Second Lebanon War, is a modern-day example of the bravery that brought down Jericho's walls.

These soldiers didn't just fight for a country; they fought for a people, for a way of life, and for a future where Israel could exist in peace. Their courage, like that of the warriors at Jericho and Masada, is rooted in a deep belief that their cause is just, that their struggle is righteous, and that their sacrifices are necessary for the survival of the Jewish people.

From the miraculous victory at Jericho to the tragic defiance at Masada, and through every battle fought by the IDF, the spirit of the Israeli soldier remains unbroken. This spirit, passed down through generations, continues to drive the men and women of the IDF as they protect their homeland against all odds.

The enemies of Israel should take note: the spirit that brought down the walls of Jericho and defied the might of Rome at Masada is the same spirit that stands guard over Israel today. It is a spirit that cannot be defeated, a resolve that will not be broken. This is the spirit of the Israeli soldier—a spirit that ensures Israel will endure, now and forever.

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# THE BBC BREACHED EDITORIAL GUIDELINES

The BBC breached its own editorial guidelines more than **1,500** times during the height of the Israel-Hamas war, according to a damning report. The study revealed a *“deeply worrying pattern of bias”* against Israel, analysing four months of the BBC’s output across television, radio, online news, podcasts, and social media.

Led by British lawyer Trevor Asserson, the research found that Israel was associated with genocide 14 times more frequently than Hamas in the BBC’s coverage of the conflict. On Saturday, Danny Cohen, a former BBC executive, criticized the broadcaster for an *“institutional crisis”* and called for an independent inquiry into its coverage. The Campaign Against Antisemitism and the National Jewish Assembly joined calls for a review, while Lord Austin, a former Labour minister, accused the BBC of *“high-handed arrogance”* for dismissing questions about its impartiality.

The Asserson report covered the BBC’s output from October 7, 2023 - the day Hamas carried out a massacre in southern Israel, killing about 1,200 people and taking 251 hostages. Using AI to analyze nine million words of BBC content, the report identified 1,553 breaches of editorial guidelines related to impartiality, accuracy, and public interest.

It revealed a pattern of bias and multiple breaches of the BBC’s own standards. The report found that the BBC repeatedly downplayed Hamas terrorism while portraying Israel as aggressive. It claimed some BBC journalists showed sympathy for Hamas and celebrated its acts of terror. Notably, BBC Arabic contributor Mayssaa Abdul Khalek was accused of calling for *“death to Israel”* and defending a journalist’s pro-Hitler tweet. Marie-Jose Al Azzi, a Lebanese reporter, reportedly labeled Israel a *“terrorist apartheid state”* in a deleted post. Jeremy Bowen, the BBC’s international editor, was accused of excusing Hamas’s terrorist activities and comparing Israel to Putin’s Russia.

Lyse Doucet, the BBC’s chief international correspondent, was cited for allegedly downplaying the October 7 attacks. The report particularly criticized the BBC Arabic channel for its biased treatment of the Israel-Hamas conflict, identifying 11 cases where reporters with known support for terrorism were not disclosed as such.

Researchers assessed the portrayal of war crimes, noting that while Hamas members publicized acts constituting war crimes, the BBC associated Israel with war crimes four times more than Hamas (127 versus 30) and with genocide 14 times more (283 versus 19). The report also highlighted that Israel



was accused of committing war crimes by South Africa during this period. Despite previous criticism, the BBC's description of Hamas as a "*proscribed terrorist organisation*" was used only 409 out of 12,459 times (3.2 percent). The BBC said it would "*carefully consider*" the report, submitted to its director general, Tim Davie, and chairman, Samir Shah. A spokesperson expressed concerns about the report's methodology and questioned the use of AI for analysing impartiality.

Lord Austin of Dudley, a former Labour minister, stated that the BBC's coverage fails to meet impartiality standards. Laurence Julius, vice-chairman of the National Jewish Assembly, called for an independent review, accusing the BBC of nurturing an anti-Israel narrative. Gideon Falter, chief executive of the Campaign Against Antisemitism, criticized the BBC's persistent bias and called for a transparent public inquiry.

Russell Langer of the Jewish Leadership Council noted that the BBC's refusal to label Hamas as a proscribed terrorist group continues to offend many in the Jewish community. He emphasized that the BBC can no longer ignore evidence of its failure to cover the conflict impartially. Trevor Asserson, who runs Israel's largest international law firm, Asserson Law Offices, is a long-standing campaigner against BBC bias. His previous research led to the Balen Inquiry, though its findings were never published. Asserson is launching a new organization, Campaign for Media Standards, to scrutinize media bias.

The BBC spokesman rejected claims of bias and celebrated acts of terror, questioning the report's reliance on AI and its interpretation of editorial guidelines. He stated that the BBC is required to achieve due impartiality and believes its correspondents are meeting this standard despite the conflict's complexity. The BBC will consider the report and respond to the authors after a detailed review.

Watch our video on this topic on our Youtube channel!





# Prayer Points

*An overview of prayer requests highlighted  
in this Bulletin*

## AREA 1

### **Morning Star Fellowship**

*We also have a counselling ministry for people struggling with past traumas and sins. Please pray that believers will be clean and fit for the Lord's work in His house.*

### **Ted and Linda Walker**

*That our ongoing outreach work among many here in the Land is fruitful.*

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*For the salvation of Israel.*

## AREA 4

### **Kehilat Hamaayan Fellowship**

*For protection for our soldiers, who are away for a long time, in extreme harm's way, and for their wives, children, and families.*

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*For wisdom for our leadership staff and elders to direct our congregation in these days.*

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*For the parents to instruct their children to live godly lives. Many of our families have only one believing parent; pray for the salvation of the fathers.*

## AREA 5

### **Nachalat Yeshua Congregation**

*May the Holy Spirit fill us with the power of God to overcome this present evil world by faith. Yeshua overcame the world, and so can we, in Him.*

## AREA 2

### **Beit Eliyahu Congregation**

*For our leadership as we plan for this upcoming year, that we would understand the needs of the congregation and know how to meet them to build up disciples of Yeshua.*

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*For those newly baptised to grow in their relationship with the Lord, that they would be effective witnesses to their family and friends.*

## AREA 5

### **City of Life Ministry**

*For the elderly - "We live in a constant state of stress, and people need to rest."*

## AREA 6

### **One for Israel**

*Give thanks for the unity displayed in the rescue mission, with Jews, Arabs, and people from various backgrounds working together. Pray for continued unity and peace among the different communities in Israel, that they may work together for the common good despite the challenges they face.*

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*For Farhan's healing - physically, emotionally, and spiritually - after such a traumatic experience.*

## AREA 3

### **BE'AD CHAIM Pro Life Org**

*We lift up all the traumatised Israelis who have been bereaved or have injured family members. Many are suffering from PTSD after serving in the army. Our people need your prayers.*

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*We continue to pray about increasing our work in Eilat and Tel Aviv with new distribution spaces. May God direct our steps and guide us as we desire to serve needy mothers.*

## AREA 7

### **Canaan Peace Mission**

*Pray that churches and nations understand God's Word regarding His end-time plan for His chosen people, Israel.*

### **EZRA UK**

*For our Ukraine team, both for their safety and for wisdom as they navigate extremely difficult conditions.*

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*Praise God for an extraordinary month in France during August! Ezra was able to assist 111 Olim (immigrants) to make Aliyah.*

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*For the safety of the Jewish community in Azerbaijan and for wisdom for the local authorities.*



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Producing our monthly prayer bulletin incurs significant expenses. While we recognize the vital role it plays in guiding our community's prayers, the costs associated with creating and distributing the bulletin place a substantial financial burden on Prayer for Israel (PFI). If you feel moved to support this important work, please consider helping us offset these costs.

**£1.13**

Cost per bulletin  
(incl delivery)

**£4254**

Total cost per month

**4800**

Bulletin quantity

For just **£20** a year, you can sponsor the production and distribution of our prayer bulletin for an entire year. This small contribution ensures that this vital spiritual resource continues to reach and inspire individuals across our community, guiding them in their prayers and strengthening their faith.

\*Total cost includes bulletins sent to the same address

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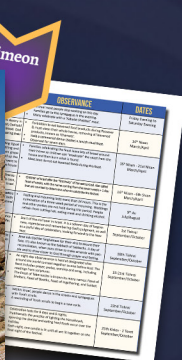
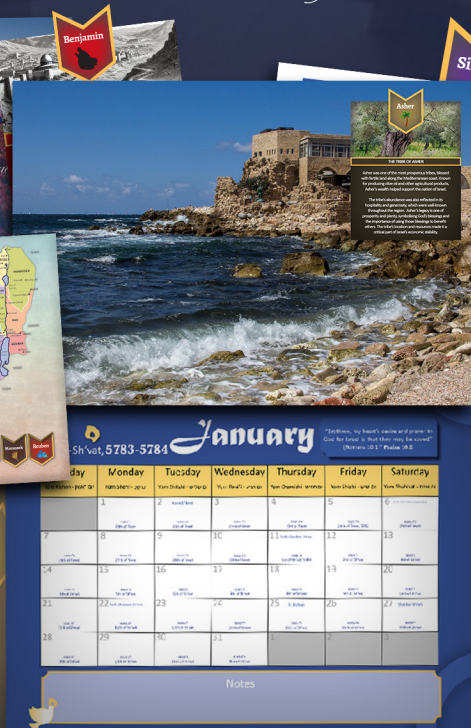


# Prayer for Israel

## 2025 Calendar

### *Photos from Israel*

### 2025 CALENDAR!



## FEATURING

- Gregorian 12 month calendar
- Photos from Israel
- 12 Tribes of Israel focus
- Hebrew holidays, dates, & Feasts of the Lord

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# OCTOBER 7TH DAY OF PRAYER AND FASTING



ZOOM, MONDAY 6PM BST

Join us for a prayer meeting as we, as an organisation, will be praying & fasting for Israel. We encourage everyone to join in solidarity.

Join via the link below

**[BIT.LY/PFI-GATHERINGS](https://bit.ly/pfi-gatherings)**

\*Zoom details will be sent via email if you regularly receive our newsletters.

Prayer for Israel was established to:

Preach the Gospel of the Messiah by all means

Foster Godly prayer events

Provide Biblical teaching events

Produce, publish and distribute Christian material

Provide support and relieve need, hardship and distress in Israel and elsewhere

The work has now continued for over 50 years.