

The seven feasts of the Lord (Leviticus 23:2) continued to be important to Jesus Christ, the apostles and the New Testament Church. Their meanings summarize God's plan of salvation.



**Exodus** 12:1-14 **Leviticus** 23:5 **2 Chronicles** 35:1-19

Matthew 26:2, 17-19 Mark 14:12-16 Luke 2:41-42; 22:1, 7-20

John 2:13, 23; 6:4; 13:1-30

1 Corinthians 11:23-29

"Christ, our Passover, was sacrificed for us" (1 Corinthians 5:7).



## FEAST OF UNLEAVENED BREAD

**Exodus** 23:15 **Leviticus** 23:6-8

**Matthew 26:17** Mark 14:12 **Deuteronomy** 16:3-4,8 **Luke** 2:41-42; 22:1, 7 **Acts** 20:6 **1 Corinthians** 5:6-8 "Let us keep the feast, not with old leaven, nor with the leaven of malice and wickedness, but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth" (1 Corinthians 5:8).



## **PENTECOST** [FEAST OF WEEKS, HARVEST]

**Exodus** 23:16 **Leviticus** 23:15-22 **Deuteronomy** 16:9-10 Acts 2:1-21; 20:16 1 Corinthians 16:8 "You shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit . . . The Lord added to the church daily those who were being saved" (Acts 2:38, 47).



## **FEAST OF TRUMPETS**

**Leviticus** 23:23-25 Numbers 29:1 Nehemiah 8:1-3

Matthew 24:30-31 1 Thessalonians 4:16-17 **Revelation** 8:6 to 9:21: 11:15\*



**Leviticus** 16:15-22, 29-31; 23:26-32

**Acts** 27:9 **Hebrews** 9:7-28 "They will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven with power and great glory. And He will send His angels with a great sound of a trumpet, and they will gather together His elect" (Matthew 24:30-31).

> An angel "laid hold of the dragon, that serpent of old, who is the Devil and Satan, and bound him for a thousand years" (Revelation 20:2).

> > "They lived and reigned with Christ for a

thousand years" (Revelation 20:4).



## FEAST OF TABERNACLES [INGATHERING]

**Exodus** 23:16 **Leviticus** 23:33-43 **Nehemiah** 8:14-17

John 7:1-2, 8, 10, 14



Leviticus 23:36

Nehemiah 8:18

**Iohn** 7 to 9

"And I saw the dead, small and great, standing before God, and books were opened. And another book was opened, which is the Book of Life" (Revelation 20:12).

\*The Feast of Trumpets is not mentioned by name in the New Testament, but the meaning of the day-trumpets announcing Christ's second coming-is found in several New Testament passages.

Explore the feasts and related holy days of the Bible and their meaning in more detail in our online section "Plan of Salvation: How God's Festivals Reveal His Plan."

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