

How We Determine When The New Month Begins

At House Of Israel and Arthur Bailey Ministries International, we observe the ReNewed Moon sightings in Israel. We rely on two concrete positive sightings of the ReNewed Moon that are visible with the naked eye in the land of Israel.

There are typically 29 days in the Biblical month and the maximum number of days for any month is 30 days. If the ReNewed Moon is sighted in Israel on the 29th or the 30th day, the new month begins for us that day at sunset. Eastern Time is 7 hours after the time in Israel. If the ReNewed Moon is not sighted with the naked eye on the 30th day, by default, the 1st day of the new month is declared that evening at sunset.

Below are the reasons why House Of Israel and Arthur Bailey Ministries International determines each new month by the sighting of the ReNewed Moon in the Land of Israel.

Reason 1: The Temple in Jerusalem was the place where YeHoVaH placed His name

During Temple times, Jerusalem was the place that all sacrifices were made at their appointed times on the appointed days. Jerusalem was the designated place to determine the new month and the appropriate dates for the Feasts Days.

Reason 2: The Torah went out to the world from Zion/Jerusalem

Isaiah 2:3 And many people shall go and say, Come ye, and let us go up to the mountain of **YeHoVaH**, to the house of the Elohim of Jacob; and he will teach us of his ways, and we will walk in his paths: for out of Zion shall go forth the law, and the word of **YeHoVaH** from Jerusalem.

Reason 3: The promised Holy Spirit was given from Jerusalem

Acts 1:4 And, being assembled together with them, commanded them that they should not depart from Jerusalem, but wait for the promise of the Father, which, saith he, ye have heard of me.

Reason 4: The Gospel of the Kingdom was sent forth from Jerusalem

Acts 1:8 But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.

Reason 5: Yeshua will return in Jerusalem

Acts 1:11 Which also said, Ye men of Galilee, why stand ye gazing up into heaven? This same Yeshua, which is taken up from you into heaven, shall so come in like manner as ye have seen him go into heaven.

Reason 6: Yeshua will reign from Jerusalem

Isaiah 66:22-23 For as the new heavens and the new earth, which I will make, shall remain before me, saith **YeHoVaH**, so shall your seed and your name remain. And it shall come to pass, that from one new moon to another, and from one sabbath to another, shall all flesh come to worship before me, saith **YeHoVaH**.

Reason 7: All flesh will be required to go up to Jerusalem to worship in the new earth

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Finally, when people sight the Renewed Moon in their own locale, the Feast Days are not synchronized; they fall on different days.