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.

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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:

1 st of Sh'vat 5786 Jan 19th, 2026	1st of Sivan, 5786 May 17th, 2026	1 st of Tishrei, 5787 September 12th, 2026
1st of Adar 5786	1st of Tamuz, 5786	1st of Cheshvan, 5787
February 18th, 2026	June 16th, 2026	October 12th, 2026
1st of Nisan 5786	1st of Av, 5786	1st of Keslev, 5787
March 19th, 2026	July 15th, 2026	November 1th, 2026
1st of Iyyar, 5786	1st of Elul, 5786	1st of Tivet, 5787
April 18th, 2026	August 14th, 2026	December 1th, 2026

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, 5786 April 2nd- 8th, 2026

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 22nd - April 28th, 2027

15th - 21st of Nisan, 5787

Shavu'ot

6th of Sivan, 5786 May 22nd, 2026

50 days counting from the 2nd Day of Pesach Lev 23:16 [κ_Jν] Shavuot is a Sabbath Day Lev 23:21 [κ_Jν]

- 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:

June 11th, 2027

6th of Sivan, 5787

Rosh Hashanah

1st & 2nd of Tishrei, 5787

September 12th & 13th, 2026

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

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:

Yom Kippur

10th of Tishrei, 5787 **September 21**st, **2026** *The 10th 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:

Sukkot

15th - 21st of Tishrei, 5787 **September 26th - October 2nd, 2026**The 15th 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 16th - 22nd, 2027

15th - 21st of Tishrei, 5788

22nd of Tishrei, 5787 October 3rd, 2026 is a Sabbath Day

The 22nd of Tishrei [8th day] is a Sabbath Day Lev. 23:39 [кJV]

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 23rd, 2027

22nd of Tishrei, 5788