

Hanukkah Readings & Prayers

Day 1. God's Light shown through Abel, Seth & their Faithfulness

A. Readings: John 1:1-4; Genesis 4:1-10,25-26; Genesis 5:24

B. Prayer: *"Blessed are You, O Lord, God of heaven and earth, Who through Your Son created us in Your image, and allowed us to be called by Your Holy Name, Amen."*

Day 2. God's Light shown through Noah & his Faithfulness

A. Reading: Genesis 6:1-10; Heb. 11:7, 2 Pet. 2:5

B. Prayer: *"Blessed are You O Lord, God of heaven and earth, Who spared our father, Noah, and his family when Your judged all the earth with the great flood."*

Day 3. God's Light shown through Abraham & His Faithfulness

A. Reading: Genesis 12:1-9; Genesis 13:14-18; Heb. 11:8-19

B. Prayer: *"Blessed are You, O Lord, God of heaven and earth, Who called our father Abraham, and gave him Your everlasting covenant."*

Day 4. God's Light shown through David & His Faithfulness

A. Reading: 1 Chronicles 17:1-15; 2 Chronicles 6:3-11; Acts 2:25-36

B. Prayer: *"Blessed are You, O Lord, God of heaven and earth, Who promised David a Son to build your Temple & to reign over the House of Israel forever."*

Day 5. God's Light shown through Jesus' & the Apostles' Faithfulness

A. Reading: Matt. 4:12-17; John 8:12; John 9:4-5; Matt. 5:13-16

B. Prayer: *"Blessed are You, O Lord, God of heaven and earth, Who sent Light through Your Son and His Apostles, who have brought to us the Good News of the Kingdom."*

Day 6. God's Light shown through the Translation and Printing of His Word

A. Reading: Isa. 52:6-11; Revelation 22:10-21

B. Prayer: *"Blessed are You, O Lord, God of heaven and earth, Who preserved Your word, and caused it to be published among all nations and languages."*

Day 7. God's Light Reigns in Person & shown to all Nations

A. Reading: Isaiah 35:1-10 & Revelation 20:4-6

B. Prayer: *"Blessed are You, O Lord, God of heaven and earth, Who prepares us to be kings and priests in the Kingdom of Your Son."*

Day 8. God's Light encompasses the whole Earth for all Eternity

A. Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:22-28 & Revelation 20:7-10

B. Prayer: *"Blessed are You, O Lord, God of heaven and earth, Who shall judge the world in justice, destroy the wicked, and abolish death forever."*