

Torah Cycle 2018-19

Parshah: Vayakhel

(Exodus 35:1 – 38:20)

Outline of *Vayakhel*

- Ch. 35** – The Sabbath
Preparations for Construction
- Ch. 36** – Work Begins:
 - The Curtains & Covers
 - The Planks
- Ch. 37** – - The Furnishings
- Ch. 38a** - The Altar, Laver & Courtyard

Exodus 35:1

Then Moses **assembled** all the congregation of the sons of Israel, and said to them, “These are the things that Adonai has commanded you to do...”

ויקהל

קהל = εκκλησια
(kahal) (ekkleisia)

Exodus 34:29

It came about when Moses was coming down from Mount Sinai (and the two tablets of the testimony were in Moses' hand as he was coming down from the mountain), that Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because of his speaking with Him.



- Written by God
- Carved
- Broken
- Followed by Judgment
- Delivered w/out Glory
- 5th Descent

**Yeshua's
1st Advent**



- Written by God
- Carved by Moses
- Endured
- Followed by Faith/
Rest/Tabernacle
- Delivered w/Glory
- 7th Descent

**Yeshua's
2nd Advent**

**Q: Why are all the details of the
Tabernacle repeated?**

**A: The 1st recitation = INSTRUCTIONS.
The 2nd recitation = OBEDIENCE.**

**Q: What is omitted from the second
description of the Tabernacle?**

A: The reason for each item.

Exodus 35:7

...and rams' skins dyed red, and *tachash* skins, and acacia wood...

Q: What are *tachash* (תַּחַשׁ) skins?

Exodus 29:45

“I will dwell among the sons of Israel and will be their God.”

Exodus 25:8

“Let them construct a *mikdash* for Me, that I may dwell among them.”

1 Corinthians 3:16-17

Do you not know that you are a temple of God and *that* the spirit of God dwells in you? If any man destroys the temple of God, God will destroy him, for the temple of God is holy, and that is what you are.

1 Corinthians 6:19

Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the holy spirit that is in you, which you have from God, and that you are not your own?

Ezekiel 16:10

“I also clothed you with embroidered cloth and put sandals of *tachash* skin on your feet, and I wrapped you with fine linen and covered you with silk.”

2 Corinthians 6:16

Or what agreement has the temple of God with idols? For we are the temple of the living God; just as God said, “I WILL DWELL **IN** THEM AND WALK **IN** THEM; AND I WILL BE THEIR GOD, AND THEY SHALL BE MY PEOPLE.”

Isaiah 66:1-2

Thus says Adonai, “Heaven is My throne and the earth is My footstool. Where then is a house you could build for Me? And where is a place that I may rest? For My hand made all these things, thus all these things came into being,” declares Adonai. “But to this one I will look, to him who is humble and contrite of spirit, and who trembles at My word.”