

REGISTRATION FORM

Required Information

(Please Fill Out A Separate Form For Each Participant)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Telephone: _____

E-mail: _____

Tuition:

Cash, cheque, credit card, payable to Beth Shechinah.
(Please do not send cash in the mail.)

Register by Wednesday, June 23, 2021

Online payment must be made as a Bank E-transfer to
donations@bethshechinah.com

with an accompanying E-mail giving your name and
phone number and stating it's for the CMJI Yeshiva.
Zoom and Stream links will be E-mailed
Thursday, June 24 to confirmed registrants.

Select one of the following options:

1. Credit: **\$125.** includes the course, the course manual, plus 1 MP3 audio CD of all the sessions.
Optional: Thumb Drive \$10.
2. Audit: **\$80.** includes the course, the course manual, plus 1 MP3 audio CD of all the sessions.
Optional: Thumb Drive \$10.
3. Drop-in sessions: I will personally attend _____ sessions at **\$30.** per session, totalling \$_____
(course material is not included.)

Request to purchase the course manual and MP3 audio recording.

- I did not attend the course and my price for the course manual, plus 1 MP3 audio CD of all the sessions is \$90. each.

Credit Course Requirements:

1. Regular and timely participation according to CMJI academic institutional guidelines.
2. Attendance at all lectures, and completion of assigned readings and related writing assignments.

Course Grading System:

Completion of all reading assignments:	50% (One point per session)
Term paper	50% (25 points each)
TOTAL	100%

Course Materials provided:

The Course Workbook especially designed for this course contains the outlined structure for this 12 hour course.

The CMJI (Canadian Messianic Jewish Institute) is a pilot project of the CMJC (Council of Messianic Jewish Congregations) of Alberta. One of the greatest needs within the Messianic movement in Canada is to empower and equip the present and next generation of Messianic Believers for leadership. The vision of CMJI is to establish a reputable Messianic Yeshiva in Canada with the goal of offering high quality courses to the Messianic Community and to provide opportunity for Believers to be trained, equipped and qualified to give leadership in Messianic congregations



DATE AND TIMES:

Friday, June 25, 2021
7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Saturday, June 26, 2021
2 p.m. to 5 p.m.
6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Sunday, June 27, 2021
2 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.



COURSE LOCATION:

Beth Shechinah Messianic Congregation

2635 - 32 Street SW
Calgary, Alberta T3E 2R8

The course will be live streamed to
Edmonton, and Lethbridge and
other locations upon request.

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At the Beth Shechinah Reception Desk,
Tuesday to Thursday, 10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.
or mail in the completed registration form to:
CMJI

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Canadian Messianic Jewish Institute
Bereshit (Genesis)

**The Book of Beginnings
Learning to Walk in the
Power of the Patriarchs.**

June 25 to 27, 2021

Instructed by
Rabbi J. Michael Terrett,
Rabbi of B'nai Chayim in Edmonton

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Bnai Chayim, Edmonton, (for location call 780.452.1649)
Beit Tefillah Sameach, 334 13 ST. N. Lethbridge
To Live-Stream this course to your location call
Beth Shechinah at 403.256.3478 for more information
on how to register and connect.

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About the Instructor

Michael Terrett came to Canada from Zimbabwe in 1959. He grew up in a secular Jewish home and in his late teen until his early twenties he began practicing Buddhism. While at the University of Calgary he encountered a Christian group which challenged his confused approach to religion and after a series of encounters with G-d, he surrendered his heart to the Messiah. Michael went on to seminary and began ministry in 1982. While in Montreal he encountered the Messianic Movement and has been a leader in Messianic congregations since 1996. He is presently Rabbi of the B'nai Chayim congregation in Edmonton and continues to explore how to live as Messianic Jews and Gentiles in a spiritually darkening and morally conflicted world.

Rabbi Mike Terrett has been involved with the Messianic Movement for many years and is a dynamic Bible teacher and speaker. He has been in ministry for over forty years and he has also taught in an adjunct capacity for five different Bible colleges.

As well as being a long time volunteer with the Jewish National Fund of Canada (JNF), He continues to promote the Messianic Movement through such venues as Missionsfest, a variety of Christian schools and from the pulpit of any number of churches.

It is his burden that believers become strongly rooted in the teachings of the Bible and that they learn to be effective in their outreach, both in how they say what they say and in how they live what they believe.

Introduction:

Genesis is the foundation of the whole Bible. It takes us from the beginning of the cosmos until the death of Joseph. Chapters 1-11 are songs and dirges (mourning songs). There are two creation stories, each with a different emphasis. Chapters 3 and 4 deal with sin and murder and give us the chronology of the descendants of Cain (the daughters of men). Chapter 5 deals with the growth of humanity and lists 10 antediluvian (before the flood) patriarchs and their descendants (sons of G-d). Chapters 6-9 deal with universal flood and chapters 10 and 11 with the re-population and scattering of humanity. Next we are introduced to the lives and trials of the three patriarchs, Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. This is followed by the story of Joseph's rise to power and with Israel entering Egypt. The book ends with the death of both Jacob and Joseph. To fully understand the book you need to learn some things about ancient Middle Eastern customs. You also have to be aware of the Hebraic story telling mode (i.e., not always chronological). Finally, to avoid being led down the garden path of doctrinal errors, you have to be able to distinguish between a literal meaning and a literary meaning. Genesis is my favorite book in the Bible and I have been studying it regularly since I came to faith, 49 years ago. Over the years, I have consulted any number of commentaries and dictionaries, but I have always found that the Book itself is its own best commentary. It is a limited, selective history of both all of humanity and of the early years of the Jewish people. It says what it means and means what it says, both when it speaks literally and when it speaks literarily. As a convinced creationist and a student of ancient history, I relish the privilege of studying and teaching the oldest book in the world!

Course Outline:

The course outline follows the contents of the Book of Genesis. There are Five Sections and 34 headings.

Section One:

From the beginning to the Tower
(Chapters 1-11:9)

Section Two:

The Life of Father Abraham
(Chapters 11:10-24:67)

Section Three:

Jacob begins to build the nation
(Chapters 25:1-30:43)

Section Four:

the dubious homecoming
(Chapters 31:1-36:43)

Section Five:

Israel moves into Egypt
(Chapters 37:1-50:26)

Credit Assignment due by August 31, 2021

For those taking the course for credit, you will be expected to write a paper (10-20 pages) on one of the following topics:

- 1) The Two Creation Accounts.
- 2) The Flood.
- 3) The Tower of Babel.
- 4) The Covenant Blessing of Abraham.
- 5) The Binding of Isaac.
- 6) Jacob and Laban's sheep (\
- 7) Joseph's rise to power in Egypt.
- 8) Jacob's Final Blessings over his sons

Recommended Reading

Pre-read the Book of Genesis.



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