

Ahavath Messiah Ministries

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Did you know?

Israel's population has reached 9.9 million as of her 76th Independence Day in 2024!

Ahavath Messiah translated from Hebrew means Love Messiah. Our purpose is to take the love of Messiah to Jewish people so they may come to faith in the Messiah of Israel. Equally important is the need to encourage other believers in the churches to embrace their witness of Messiah to Jewish People.

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Dear Praying Friends,

Normally because of Christmas, Christmas programs, and New Year's, I take the last 2 weeks of the year off. It has always been a great time to spend with family during the holidays. My travel schedule picks up after the 1st of the year without slowing down until we take time for a family vacation. 2025 did not start out that way due to 3 weeks of cancellations in January. I had not preached anywhere until the 1st Sunday of February. I was home for 8 full weeks which has not happened in the 28 years we have been in Jewish ministry. Even during Covid I was only home 6 weeks.

The time at home was very helpful. This time at home, I put myself in the shop. First to my hearing doctor who made an adjustment to my hearing aids and now I can actually hear again. Then I went to my eye doctor, dentist and finally to my doctor. I felt horrible all the time and had difficulty sleeping. I had no energy and lacked physical strength. My lower back pain had become almost unmanageable making walking difficult. At my annual physical in November my new doctor found my kidney number was very low and I was in 3rd stage kidney disease. My glucose was very high and my iron numbers were also low. An MRI on my lower back confirmed I have arthritis. My back pain was so bad that every night before bed I would take 600-900 mg of ibuprofen just so I could get out of bed the next day. She told me to stop the ibuprofen as it was drying up my kidney and put me on gabapentin and a prescription for an iron pill. I had a follow up visit in January and I am happy to say that my kidney, glucose and iron numbers all came back within normal range. I am sleeping much better and my lower back pain is gone! What a difference! I gave my back a test-drive this past Sunday and I was able to preach without using a stool for the first time in many years. What a huge blessing! I hated being out of the pulpit so long but am thrilled to have had the time to see these issues corrected.

I am still keeping an eye on the cease fire in Israel and praying Israel will put an end to Hamas and get things back to normal. It looks to be day to day so please keep Israel in your prayers! Since the war is not completely behind us, I have pushed the dates for this year's tour to 2026. The new dates are April 27-May 7, 2026. I am cautiously optimistic that things will be settled long before this and we will be able to enjoy a wonderful time in Israel. If you are interested in joining us next year, please go our website where you will find more information along with a registration page allowing you to reserve your space and pay your deposit.

Michele and I remain grateful for your faithful prayer and financial support. We never lose sight of the fact that apart from you our ministry could not be possible. Please never forget it is by your mercy they shall obtain mercy! Romans 11:30-31

In Messiah. Dr. Al Reichman