



Greater Christ Temple APOSTOLIC CHURCH

2940 S. Anthony Blvd. Fort Wayne, IN 46806 Wednesday Evening Bible Study 6:00 PM

"End Times"

Part 08 – The Appointments of the LORD

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The Appointments of the LORD

Leviticus 23:1-2

1 And the LORD spoke to Moses, saying, **2** "Speak to the children of Israel, and say to them: 'The feasts of the LORD, which you shall proclaim *to be* holy convocations, these *are* My feasts.

Feasts = (Heb. "moedim") Appointments, a designated time, a specified time

Convocations = (Heb. "migra") A rehearsal, a public assembly

The LORD's time:

- 1) The "day" begins at sundown.
- 2) The month begins with the sighting of the first sliver of the new moon
- 3) The year begins with the first new moon when the barley is ripe in the field.

Leviticus 23:26-32

- **26** And the LORD spoke to Moses, saying: **27** "Also the tenth *day* of this seventh month shall be the Day of Atonement. It shall be a holy convocation for you; you shall afflict your souls, and offer an offering made by fire to the LORD. 28 And you shall do no work on that same day, for it is the Day of Atonement, to make atonement for you before the LORD your God. 29 For any person who is not afflicted in soul on that same day shall be cut off from his people. 30 And any person who does any work on that same day, that person I will destroy from among his people. **31** You shall do no manner of work; it shall be a statute forever throughout your generations in all your dwellings. **32** It *shall be* to you a sabbath of solemn rest, and you shall afflict your souls; on the ninth day of the month at evening, from evening to evening, you shall celebrate your sabbath."
- The two key points being that it is a special day of Sabbath (rest) and that God's people are to afflict their souls (judge yourselves strictly / fast /repent).

Leviticus 16:1-22

The Dragon

Revelation 12:3-4

3 And another sign appeared in heaven: behold, a great, fiery red dragon having seven heads and ten horns, and seven diadems on his heads. **4** His tail drew a third of the stars of heaven and threw them to the earth. And the dragon stood before the woman who was ready to give birth, to devour her Child as soon as it was born.

Looks similar to

The Beast From the sea

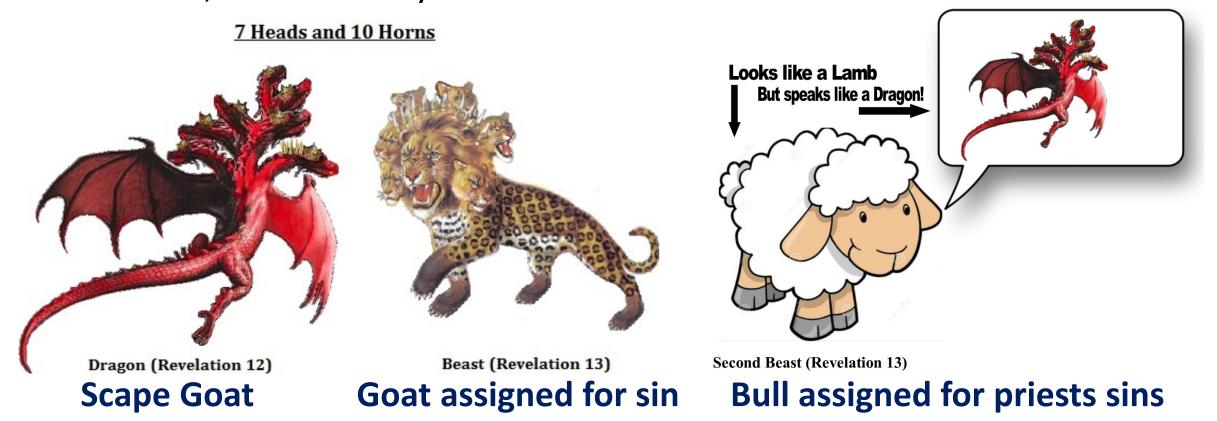
Revelation 13:1-2

1 Then I stood on the sand of the sea. And I saw a beast rising up out of the sea, having seven heads and ten horns, and on his horns ten crowns, and on his heads a blasphemous name. 2 Now the beast which I saw was like a leopard, his feet were like *the feet of* a bear, and his mouth like the mouth of a lion. The dragon gave him his power, his throne, and great authority.

The Beast from the earth

Revelation 13:11-12

11 Then I saw another beast coming up out of the earth, and he had two horns like a lamb and spoke like a dragon. 12 And he exercises all the authority of the first beast in his presence, and causes the earth and those who dwell in it to worship the first beast, whose deadly wound was healed.



(sent to wilderness) (Killed / blood sprinkled) (Killed / blood sprinkled)

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The Destiny of the Dragon and Beasts

Revelation 19:19-20:3

- 19 And I saw the beast, the kings of the earth, and their armies, gathered together to make war against Him who sat on the horse and against His army. 20 Then the beast was captured, and with him the false prophet who worked signs in his presence, by which he deceived those who received the mark of the beast and those who worshiped his image. These two were cast alive into the lake of fire burning with brimstone. 21 And the rest were killed with the sword which proceeded from the mouth of Him who sat on the horse. And all the birds were filled with their flesh.
- **20:1** Then I saw an angel coming down from heaven, having the key to the bottomless pit and a great chain in his hand. **2** He laid hold of the dragon, that serpent of old, who is the Devil and Satan, and bound him for a thousand years; **3** and he cast him into the bottomless pit, and shut him up, and set a seal on him, so that he should deceive the nations no more till the thousand years were finished. But after these things he must be released for a little while.

 The layout of these end-time events according to the appointments of YHWH shows us that:

 The saints are raptured (gathered together, harvested) on the Day of Trumpets, a day and hour that no man knows, but within a specific time frame.

The first ten days of Tishri (the seventh month of the Hebrew calendar) are the Days of Awe, the time frame given to men for repentance. During these ten days there will be three Sabbath (rest) days (The Day of Trumpet, the weekly Sabbath, and The Day of Atonement). This leaves seven days wherein the bowls of God's wrath are poured out on mankind, yet they refuse to repent (Revelation 16:9-11) Sat. Sun. Mon. Tues. Wed.

High / Weekly Sabbath (Day of Trumpets) 1st Bowl of Wrath

2nd Bowl of Wrath

3rd Bowl of Wrath (Festering sores) (Sea turned to blood) (Rivers and springs turned to blood)

4th Bowl of Wrath (Scorching Sun)

5th Bowl of Wrath (Darkness)

Thurs. Fri. Sat. Sun. Mon.

6th Bowl of Wrath (Euphrates dried up)

Weekly Sabbath

7th Bowl of Wrath (Huge earthquake

High Sabbath

and huge hail stones) (Day of Atonement)

 On the Day of Atonement, Jesus, our High Priest, will fulfill the High Priests duties of sacrifice as He returns to destroy His enemies and receive His royal coronation (official installation as King). These priestly duties include:

• The sacrifice for the priesthood: The False Prophet/Beast from the earth, who looks like a lamb (Jesus) but speaks like a dragon (satan) {Luke 6:45}, is cast alive into the Lake of Fire.

• The sacrifice for the people: The "Anti-Christ"/Beast from the sea, who resembles and receives his power from the dragon, is cast alive into the Lake of Fire.

• The scapegoat is sent away: The dragon/satan is chained and thrown into the bottomless pit for a thousand years.

These events lead up to the Feast of Tabernacles!