

LATE SUMMER AND FALL FEASTS

Gus to learn about what these days mean. He also gave us the feasts to enjoy with our families.

THE FEAST OF TRUMPETS AND DAY OF ATONEMENT

The Feast of Trumpets is one of God's **festivals**. Each festival shows us a picture of something that has already happened or will happen soon. The Feast of Trumpets shows us the time when Jesus Christ will come back to the earth. The very loud sound of a trumpet will tell the whole world that this is happening.

The Day of Atonement shows a time to come when people will be at one with God. Satan will no longer be able to cause people to think about doing wrong.

Since Satan is **spirit** and can't die, he will be chained in a **prison** for 1,000 years. This will happen when Jesus Christ returns to the earth. With Satan not around, Christ can begin to make all things good again.

God tells us to **fast** on the Day of Atonement. This means we are not to eat or drink anything.

Parents: Read this lesson to your child and explain the **boldface** words. Explain that a trumpet is often used to announce that something important is going to happen. For example, trumpets were used as a sound of alarm for war in the Bible. Also explain that by fasting we can draw closer to God. This helps picture the time when Satan will be put away and all mankind will be close to God.

THE FEAST OF TABERNACLES AND LAST GREAT DAY

The Feast of **Tabernacles** is another one of God's festivals. It shows the time when Jesus Christ will be King over all the earth. This time is called the **Millennium**, because it will last 1,000 years. Satan will not be around then, so everyone will be obeying God.

During the Millennium you and your friends in Church will have a chance to be **leaders** of the earth under Christ. During this time, those who are blind will see, the deaf will hear and those who are **crippled** will walk and run.

The animals during the Millennium will all be tame and gentle. Lions will no longer kill other animals for food. They will eat straw like cows. Children will be able to play with lion cubs. Even snakes will not be harmful.

God tells us to keep the Feast of Tabernacles today by going away from our homes to a place where God's Feast is held and by living in a motel or hotel, or camping in a tent. God makes sure we will be able to have enough money to go by telling us to save our second **tithe**. Every time we earn money, **one tenth** should be saved for second tithe to spend at the Feast of Tabernacles.

The Last Great Day is the last of God's festivals. It falls on the day right after the last day of the Feast of Tabernacles. This Holy Day shows a time when all those people who died never knowing God's truth will be made alive so they can learn and live God's way.

Parents: Explain that the word "tabernacles" means booths or temporary dwellings, which motels are. Explain that the Millennium hasn't come yet and it would be very dangerous to play with lions or snakes today. Explain further the law of tithing. Explain that your child's grandparents or other relatives who died not in God's Church will be made alive again during the time pictured by the Last Great Day.



Feast of Trumpets



Day of Atonement



Feast of Tabernacles



Have you saved for the offering?



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Can you help the children find the way to their chairs?

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