Pinchas, Haftarah, July 8, 2023

Jeremiah 1:1-2:3

(1) The words of Jeremiah son of Hilkiah, one of the priests at Anathoth in the territory of Benjamin. (2) The word of GOD came to him in the days of King Josiah son of Amon of Judah, in the thirteenth year of his reign, (3) and throughout the days of King Jehoiakim son of Josiah of Judah, and until the end of the eleventh year of King Zedekiah son of Josiah of Judah, when Jerusalem went into exile in the fifth month. (4) The word of GOD came to me: (5) Before I created you in the womb, I selected you; Before you were born, I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet concerning the nations. (6) I replied: Ah, my Sovereign GOD! I don't know how to speak, For I am still a boy. (7) And GOD

ירמיהו א':א'-ב':ג'

(א) דָּבָרֵי יִרְמָיֵהוּ בֵּן־חָלְקִיָּהוּ מוַ־הַכְּהַנִים אֲשֵׁר בַּעֲנָתוֹת בְּאֵרֵץ בּנִיָמֵן: (ב) אֲשֶׁר הָיֶה דְבַר־יהוה אַלָּיו בִּימֵי יאִשִׁיָּהוּ בֶּן־אָמְוֹן מֵלֵךְ יָהוּדָה בִּשִׁלשׁ־עֵשָׂרֶה שַׁנָה לְמַלְכָוֹ: (ג) וַיִּהִי בִּימֵׂי יִהוֹיָקֵים בַּן־יֹאשׁיָּהוֹ מֵלֶךְ יְהוּלְה עַד־תֹּם עַשָּׁתֵּי עַשָּׂרֵה שַׁנָּה לְצִּדְקַיָּהוּ בן־יאשיַהוּ מֵלֵך יְהוּדָה עַד־גּלְוֹת יִרוּשָׁלֵם בַּחָדֵשׁ הַחֲמִישֵׁי: {פּ} (ד) וַיָהֶי דְבַר־יהוה אֱלֵי לֵאמְר: (ה) בָּטֶׁרֶם (אצורך) [אֵצַּרְדָּ] בַבּטֶׁלְ יַדַעִּהִידְּ וּבְטֵרֵם הַצֵּא מֵרֵחם הָקְדַשְׁתֻידְ נָבֵיא לַגּוֹיֵם נִתְתִידְ: (ו) וַאֹמַר אַהָה אדני יהוה הִגָּה לְא־יָדַעְתִּי דַּבֵּר כִּי־נַעַר אָנְכִי: {ס} (ז) וַיָּאמֶר יהוה אֵלָי אַל־תּאמֶר

said to me: Do not say, "I am still a boy," But go wherever I send you And speak whatever I command you. (8) Have no fear of them, For I am with you to deliver you declares GOD. (9) GOD reached out and touched my mouth, and GOD said to me: Herewith I put My words into your mouth. (10) See, I appoint you this day Over nations and kingdoms: To uproot and to pull down, To destroy and to overthrow, To build and to plant. (11) The word of GOD came to me: What do you see, Jeremiah? I replied: I see a branch of an almond tree. (12) GOD said to me: You have seen right, For I am watchful to bring My word to pass. (13) And the word of GOD came to me a second time: What do you see? I replied: I see a steaming pot, Tipped away from the north. (14) And GOD said to me: From the north shall disaster break loose Upon all the inhabitants of the

ַנַעַר אָנָכִי פָּי עַל־כָּל־אֵשֵׁר אֱשִׁלָחַף הַלֶּךְ וָאֵת כָּל־אֵשׁר אַצַּוּךְ תִּדַבֵּר: (ח) אַל־תִּירָא מִפּנִיהָם בְּי־אִתִּךּ אַנֵי לְהַצִּלֶךְ נְאָם־יהוה: (ט) וַיִּשְׁלַח יהוה אַת־יָלוֹ וַיַּגִע עַל־פֶּי וַיָּאֹמֶר יהוה אֶלֵי הָנֵה נַתַתִּי דְבַרֵי בִּפִידְ: (י) רָאֶה הִפְקַדְתֵּיךּ | הַיִּוֹם הַוֹּה עַל־הַגּוֹיִם וְעַל־הַמַּמְלַבוֹת לְנְתִוֹשׁ וְלְנָתְוֹץ וּלְהַאֲבֶיד וְלַהַרָוֹס לְבִנְוֹת וְלְנְטְוֹעֵ: {פּ} (יא) וַיִהֵי דְבַר־יהוה אָלֵי לֵאמֹר מַה־אַתַּה רֹאֵה יִרְמְיָהוּ וָאֹמֶר מַקַל שַׁקַד אֲנֵי רֹאֵה: (יב) וַיָּאמֶר יהוה אֱלֵי הֵיטֵבְתַּ לְרָאָוֹת [ס] פִּי־שֹׁקֵד אֲנֵי עַל־דִּבָרֵי לַעֲשׂתְוֹ: (יג) וַיִּהָי דְבַר־יהוה וּ אֱלֵי שׁנֵית לָאמֹר מָה אָתַה רֹאָה וַאֹמַר סִיר נָפֹּוּחַ אֵנֵי רֹאֵה וּפָנֵיו מִפָּנֵי צָפִוֹנָה: (יד) וַיָּאמֶר יהוה אֱלֵי מִצְפוֹן תִּפַּתַח ַהַרַעָּה עֵל כַּל־יִשְׁבֵי הַאֲרֵץ: (טו) כֵּי ן הִנְנֵי לְּבֵא לְבֵל־מִשְׁפְּחֲוֹת מַמְלְכִוֹת צַפִּוֹנָה נָאָם־יהוה וּבַאוּ

land! (15) For I am summoning all the peoples Of the kingdoms of the north —declares GOD. They shall come, and shall each set up a throne Before the gates of Jerusalem, Against its walls round about, And against all the towns of Judah. (16) And I will argue My case against them For all their wickedness: They have forsaken Me And sacrificed to other gods And worshiped the works of their hands. (17) So you, gird up your loins, Arise and speak to them All that I command you. Do not break down before them, Lest I break you before them. (18) I make you this day A fortified city, And an iron pillar, And bronze walls Against the whole land— Against Judah's kings and officers, And against its priests and citizens. (19) They will attack you, But they shall not overcome you; For I am with you—declares GOD —to save you. (1) The word of GOD came to me, saying, (2) Go

וַנָתָנוּ אִישׁ כִּסָאוֹ פֵּתַח | שַׁעַרֵי יִרוּשָׁלַם וְעַל כָּל־חוֹמֹתֵיהָ סָבִּיב וְעַל כָּל־עָרֵי יִהוּדֵה: (טז) וְדְבַּרְתִּי מִשָּׁפַטִי אוֹתַם עֵל כַּל־רַעַתָם אֲשֵׁר עַזַבֹוּנִי וַיִּקְטָרוּ לֵאלהֵים אָחֶרִים וַיָּשְׁתַּחַוּוּ לְמַעֲשֵׁי יִדִיהֵם: (יז) וָאַתַּה תָאָזָר מַתְנֵידְ וְקַמְתַּ וִדְבַּרְתַּ אֲלֵיהֶם אָת כַּל־אַשֵׁר אַנֹכֵי אַצַוַּךַ אַל־תַחַת מִפּנִיהֶם פֵּן־אַחִתִּךְּ לִפְנִיהֵם: (יח) וַאַנִי הָנֵה נִתַתִּיךּ הַיּוֹם לְעִיר מִבְצַׁר וּלְעַמִּוּד בַּרְזֵל וּלְחֹמִוֹת נִחְשֵׁת עַל־כַּל־הַאָּרֵץ לְמַלְכֵי יְהוּדָה לְשַׂבִּיהַ לְכֹהַנֵיהַ וּלְעֵם הַאַבֵץ: (יט) וְנָלְחֲמְוּ אֵלֵיךּ וְלֹא־יְוּכִלוּ לֵדְ בּי־אִתְּךְ אֲנֵי נְאָם־יהוה לְהַצִּילֵך: (פּ) וַיִהֶי דְבַר־יהוה אֱלֵי לֵאמָר: (ב) הָלֹדְ וָקַרָּאתָּ בִאָזְנֵי יָרוּשֵׁלָם לָאמר כֹה אַמֵר יהוה זַכַרָתִּי לַךְּ חֶסֶד נִעוּרַיִּךְ אַהָבַת פָלוּלֹתָיִדְ לֵכָתַּדְ אֲחֲרַיֹּ בַּמִּדְבָּׁר בָּאָרֶץ לָא זְרוּעֵה: (ג) לָדֶשׁ יִשְׂרָאֵל

proclaim to Jerusalem: Thus said GOD: I accounted to your favor The devotion of your youth, Your love as a bride— How you followed Me in the wilderness, In a land not sown. (3) Israel was holy to GOD, The first fruits of God's harvest. All who ate of it were held guilty; Disaster befell them —declares GOD.

לֵיהוה רֵאשִׁית תְּבוּאָתֶה כְּל־אֹכְלֵיו יֶאְשֶׁמוּ רָעֶה תָּבְא אֲלֵיהֶם נְאָם־יהוה: {פּ}