Brit Chadashah Reading

Matthew 8:1-17 CJB After Yeshua had come down from the hill, large crowds followed him. (2) Then a man afflicted with tzara`at came, kneeled down in front of him and said, "Sir, if you are willing, you can make me clean." (3) Yeshua reached out his hand, touched him and said, "I am willing! Be cleansed!" And at once he was cleansed from his tzara`at. (4) Then Yeshua said to him, "See that you tell no one; but as a testimony to the people, go and let the cohen examine you, and offer the sacrifice that Moshe commanded." (5) As Yeshua entered K'far-Nachum, a Roman army officer came up and pleaded for help. (6) "Sir, my orderly is lying at home paralyzed and suffering terribly!" (7) Yeshua said, "I will go and heal him." (8) But the officer answered, "Sir, I am unfit to have you come into my home. Rather, if you will only give the command, my orderly will recover. (9) For I too am a man under authority. I have soldiers under me, and I say to this one, 'Go!' and he goes; to another, 'Come!' and he comes; to my slave, 'Do this!' and he does it." (10) On hearing this Yeshua was amazed and said to the people following him, "Yes! I tell you, I have not found anyone in Isra'el with such trust! (11) Moreover, I tell you that many will come from the east and from the west to take their places at the feast in the Kingdom of Heaven with Avraham, Yitz'chak and Ya`akov. (12) But those born for the Kingdom will be thrown outside in the dark, where people will wail and grind their teeth!" (13) Then Yeshua said to the officer, "Go; let it be for you as you have trusted." And his orderly was healed at that very moment. (14) Yeshua went to Kefa's home and there saw Kefa's mother-in-law sick in bed with a fever. (15) He touched her hand, the fever left her, and she got up and began helping him. (16) When evening came, many people held in the power of demons were brought to him. He expelled the spirits with a word and healed all who were ill. (17) This was done to fulfill what had been spoken through the prophet Yesha`yahu, "He himself took our weaknesses and bore our diseases"

Matthew 21:1-17 CJB As they were approaching Yerushalayim, they came to Beit-Pagei on the Mount of Olives. Yeshua sent two talmidim (2) with these instructions: "Go into the village ahead of you, and you will immediately find a donkey tethered there with its colt. Untie them and bring them to me. (3) If anyone says anything to you, tell him, 'The Lord needs them'; and he will let them go at once." (4) This happened in order to fulfill what had been spoken through the prophet, (5) "Say to the daughter of Tziyon, 'Look! Your King is coming to you, riding humbly on a donkey, and on a colt, the offspring of a beast of burden!' (6) So the talmidim went and did as Yeshua had directed them. (7) They brought the donkey and the colt and put their robes on them, and Yeshua sat on them. (8) Crowds of people carpeted the road with their clothing, while others cut branches from trees and spread them on the road. (9) The crowds ahead of him and behind shouted, "Please! Deliver us!" [Greek Ôsanna (English "Hosanna") transliterates Hebrew Hosha na, which means "Please! Save [us]!"] to the Son of David; "Blessed is he who comes in the name of Adonai!" "You in the highest heaven! Please! Deliver us!" (10) When he entered Yerushalayim, the whole city was stirred. "Who is this?" they asked. (11) And the crowds answered, "This is Yeshua, the prophet from Natzeret in the Galil." (12) Yeshua entered the Temple grounds and drove out those who were doing business there, both the merchants and their customers. He upset the desks of the money-changers and knocked over the benches of those who were selling pigeons. (13) He said to them, "It has been written, 'My house will be called a house of prayer.' But you are making it into a den of robbers!" (14) Blind and lame people came up to him in the Temple, and he healed them. (15) But when the head cohanim and Torah-teachers saw the wonderful things he was doing, and the children crying out in the Temple, "Please deliver us!" to the Son of David, they were furious. (16) They said to him, "Do you hear what they're saying?" Yeshua replied, "Of course! Haven't you ever read, 'From the mouths of children and infants you have prepared praise for yourself'?" (17) With that, he left them and went outside the city to Beit-Anyah, where he spent the night.