

### **~JOSEPH 11 (23)**

**(Jo'seph) [shortened form of Josiphiah meaning, May Yah Add Increase, Yah Has Added or Increased]**

- One put up along with Matthias as a candidate for the office of oversight vacated by the unfaithful Judas Iscariot. **Joseph**, also called Barsabbas, perhaps a family name or merely an additional name, and surnamed Justus, was a witness of the work, miracles, and resurrection of Jesus Christ.
- However, Matthias, not **Joseph**, was chosen by lot to replace Judas Iscariot before Pentecost of **33 C.E.** and came to be reckoned along with the eleven apostles.
- Now during these days Peter rose up in the midst of the brothers and said the crowd of persons was all together about one hundred and twenty. (**Acts of Apostles 1:15**)
- Now while the day of the festival of Pentecost was in progress they were all together at the same place. (**Acts of Apostles 2:1**)