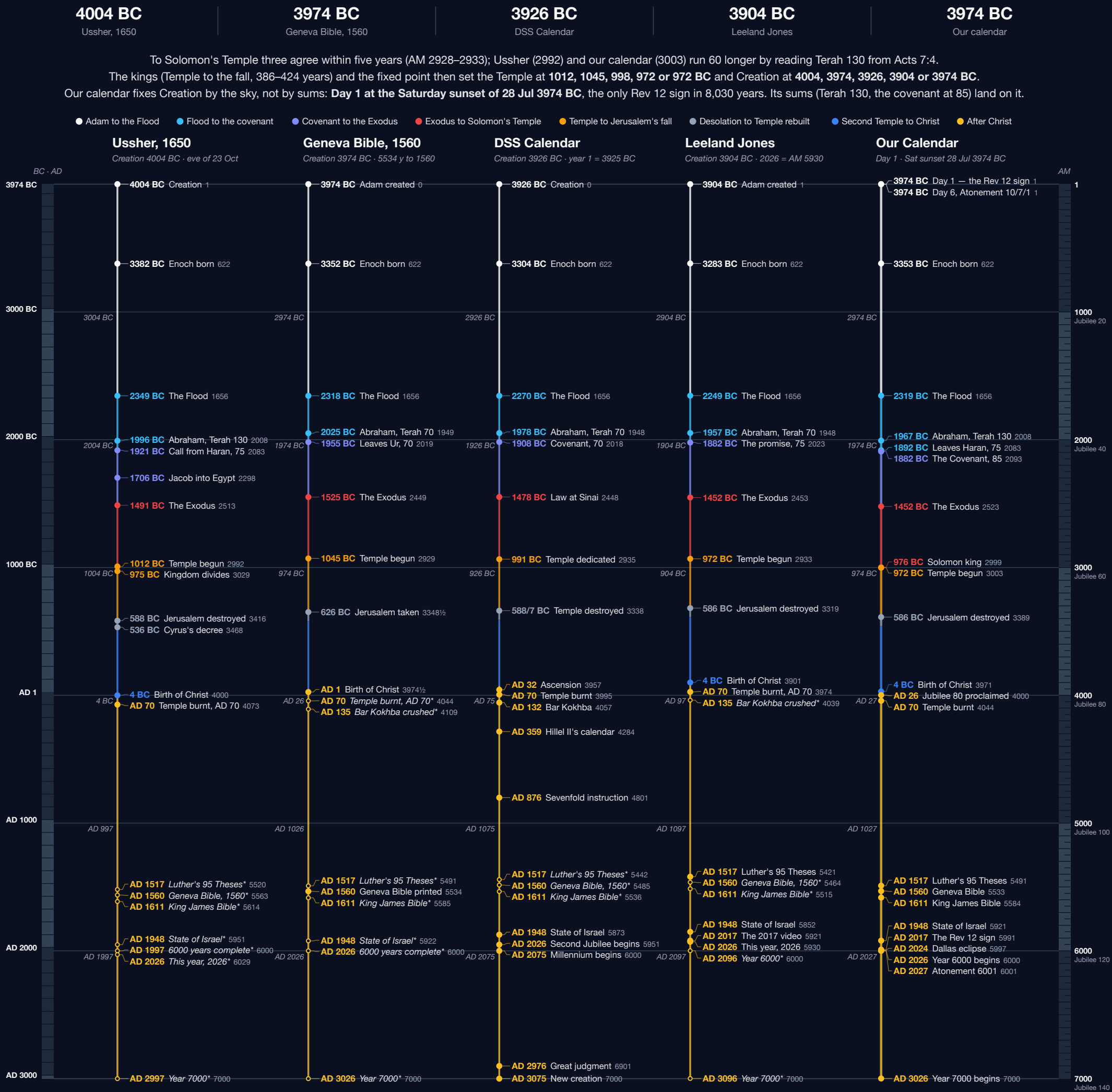


Chronologies Compared

Ussher, the Geneva Bible, the DSS Calendar, Leeland Jones and our calendar, each on its own years from Adam



Side by Side

	Ussher 1650	Geneva 1560	DSS Calendar	Leeland Jones	Our calendar
Creation	1 · 4004 BC	0 · 3974 BC	0 · 3926 BC	1 · 3904 BC	Day 1 · 28 Jul 3974 BC
The Flood	1656 · 2349 BC	1656 · 2318 BC	1656 · 2270 BC	1656 · 2249 BC	1656 · 2319 BC
Abraham born	2008 · 1996 BC	1949 · 2025 BC	1948 · 1978 BC	1948 · 1957 BC	2008 · 1967 BC
Call / covenant	2083 · 1921 BC	2019 · 1955 BC	2018 · 1908 BC	2023 · 1882 BC	2093 · 1882 BC
The Exodus	2513 · 1491 BC	2449 · 1525 BC	2448 · 1478 BC	2453 · 1452 BC	2523 · 1452 BC
Solomon king	2989 · 1015 BC	2925 · 1049 BC *	2924 · 1002 BC †	2929 · 976 BC	2999 · 976 BC
Temple begun	2992 · 1012 BC	2929 · 1045 BC	2928 · 998 BC †	2933 · 972 BC	3003 · 972 BC
Jerusalem falls	3416 · 588 BC	3348½ · 626 BC	3338 · 588/7 BC	3319 · 586 BC	3389 · 586 BC
Birth of Christ	4000 · 4 BC	3974½ · AD 1	not stated	3901 · 4 BC	3971 · 4 BC
Temple burnt, AD 70	4073	4044 *	3995	3974	4044
State of Israel, 1948	5951 *	5922 *	5873	5852	5921
This year, 2026	6029 *	6000 *	5951 *	5930	5999 → 6000 on 16 Sep
Year 6000 is	AD 1997 *	AD 2026 *	AD 2075	AD 2096 *	16 Sep 2026 – 14 Sep 2027
Where the sums differ					
Flood – Abraham born	352 · Terah 130	293 · Terah 70	292 · Terah 70	292 · Terah 70	352 · Terah 130
The 430 years begin	the call, 75	leaving Ur, 70	covenant, 70	the promise, 75	covenant, 85
Temple – the fall	424 · long kings	419½ · long kings	410 · long kings †	386 · Ezekiel's 390	386 · Ezekiel's 390
Fixed point	Jerusalem 588 BC	none · sum to AD 1	Temple 588/7 BC	Jerusalem 586 BC	Jerusalem 586 BC
Adam – AD 1	4004	3974½	3926	3905	3975
AM · date. * Its arithmetic applied, not in the source. † Implied: 2448 + 480 (the site gives the dedication, 2935); Solomon four years before.					
Shaded: the three main differences. Each row in the colour of its age. Our years run Trumpets to Trumpets (1/17); its AD dates are its own year labels.					
Our Bible dates are our timeline's (research/our-timeline). Geneva's Solomon is four years before its Temple.					

Where They Differ

- Terah 70 or 130.** Gen. 11:26 names Abram first of three sons at Terah's 70; Acts 7:4 has Abram leave Haran after Terah died at 205 (Gen. 11:32), aged 75 (Gen. 12:4) — born at Terah's 130. Ussher and our calendar read 130; the Geneva compiler, the DSS site and Jones read 70. Sixty years, the largest single difference.
- Where the 430 begin.** All five run Exod. 12:40's 430 years to the Exodus from a promise to Abram (Gal. 3:17), not from Jacob's descent: Geneva from his leaving Ur and the DSS site from the covenant, both at 70 (Seder Olam); Ussher from the call and Jones from the promise, at 75; ours from the covenant of Gen. 15:18, placed at 85 by Gen. 16:3's ten years in the land. Up to 15 years. The 2017 chart had 215 + 400; Jones's own texts give 430.
- Short or long kings.** Exodus to the Temple is 480 in all five (Ussher 479, the 480th year). Temple to Jerusalem's fall divides them. Judah's reigns summed raw, with no co-regencies, give the long kings: Ussher 424 (with interregna), Geneva 419½, Seder Olam 410 (the DSS site). Ezekiel's 390 (Ezek. 4:5) from Solomon's accession gives 386: Jones and ours. Thiele's Assyrian-dated reigns give 380, which our review of the 2017 chart applied and Jones does not. Up to 44 years.
- The fixed point.** Four tie the sums to Jerusalem's fall: Ussher 588 BC (Ptolemy's canon; Cyrus 536 BC for Jeremiah's 70 from 606; Christ 4 BC, hence his round AM 4000), the DSS site 588/7 BC (Seder Olam), Jones and ours 586 BC (Nebuchadnezzar's 19th year). Geneva has none: it sums forward from Adam to Christ, so its Jerusalem falls in 626 BC, forty years early.
- How they add up.** Against our 3975 years to AD 1 — Ussher +29; kings +38, fixed point +2, the call –10, 479th –1 (his autumn years make it 4004). Geneva –½: Terah –59, Ur –15, kings +33½, no fixed point +40 — the same year by cancellation. DSS –49: Terah –60, covenant –15, kings +24, fixed point +2. Jones –70: Terah –60, promise –10. Hence Creation 4004, 3974, 3926, 3904 and 3974 BC.