



Young Israel of St. Louis

SHABBAT MARCH 17TH 2018 – FRIDAY MARCH 23RD - 2018

1 NISAN 5778 – 7 NISAN 5778

PARSHAT VAYIKRA

SHABBAT HACHODESH

ROSH CHODESH

ANNOUNCEMENT SPONSORS

Lenny & Chayaraizel Flaks to commemorate the yahrtzeit of Chayaraizel's father Nolan Gene Peskind.

Friday March 16th

Mincha/Ma'ariv/Candle Lighting.....6:51 pm

Saturday March 17th

Hashkama7:30 am

Chumash Shiur.....8:15 am

Shacharit9:00 am

Sof Zman Kri'at Shema.....10:10 am

Teen Minyan.....no teen minyan this week

Shabbat Youth Groups.....10:00 am

Pre-Mincha Shiur - note earlier time5:25 pm

Haggadah Insights

Mincha – note earlier time.....6:25 pm

Bnei Akiva 6:50 pm with parent pickup: 7:00 - 800 pm

Shabbat Ends.....7:52 pm

Hashkama Kiddush: Sponsored by Robert & Barbara Strashun to welcome Yoni back from Israel, and to commemorate the *yahrzeit* of Robert's father, Harold Strashun.

Kiddush: Sponsored by Keith & Karen Zeff, in honor of the Bat Mitzvah of their granddaughter, Ayelet Michal.

Seudah Shlishit: Family seudah shlishit with Bnei Akiva.

Weekday Shacharit

Sunday.....8:00 am

Monday, Thursday.....6:30 am

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday.....6:40 am

Mincha/Ma'ariv:.....6:55 pm

UPCOMING YAHRITZETS

1 Nisan Harold Strashun 5 Nisan Oscar Ruckel
2 Nisan Nolan Gene Peskind 6 Nisan Morris Susman
4 Nisan Celia Davis

THE ERUV – IS UP!

REFUAH SHELAIMAH

.....אליעזר חיים בן פריינדע
.....יהושע בן זהבה
.....ברוך בן חנה
.....ברוך בן מאשא
.....אלישע אדיר בן עליוה ורד
.....ישראל לייב בן סלאווא
.....אהרן יהודה בן חיה אדל
.....ראובן בן שרה רבקה
.....אברהם בן עליוה
.....יסמין לאה בת ידידיה
.....רונית בת רחל
.....רבקה שושנה בת מנוחה שינה
.....Frances בת שרה
.....מרים בת שרה
.....ז'נט חנה בת מרים
Tova Rhein.....טובה מאטל בת חנה אטל

MAZAL TOV TO...

Ayelet Zeff on her Bat Mitzvah. her parents **Benjamin & Nikki Zeff**, and grandparents, Keith & Karen Zeff of St. Louis, Stephanie Payne of Houston, Texas, and Robert Dawkins of Pensacola, Florida. We welcome all of the guests who have come to celebrate this *simcha* with us.

SHUL NEWS

TWO-PART SHIUR ON "PREPARING FOR PESACH": Rabbi Shulman will be giving Part 2 on Monday evening, March 19th, 7:30 – 8:30 pm: Food Products, and general Q&A. The Rabbi's Talmud class will not take place until after Pesach.

PRE-PESACH WOMEN/TEEN GIRL'S KUMZITZ:

Motzei Shabbat, March 24th at Young Israel, 8:30pm. RSVP to Kate at kfrie8@gmail.com. Bring a cushion to sit on, an instrument to play and 1 canned food item for Tomchei Shabbos. Suggested donation: \$5/person, \$10 family max.

YISTL ANNUAL DINNER: Our Shul dinner will take place on **Sunday May 6th, 2018** at **The Missouri History Museum**. Mazal Tov to our honorees **Max and Sabrina Gornish** and our Service Award recipient **Vicki Redler Chervitz**, for this well deserved recognition of their tireless work on behalf of our shul and community. A special thank you to this year's Dinner Chairs, **Max and Jerilyn Oppenheimer (and Maya and Owen)** and our Journal Chairs, **Roberta Gornish and Debby Schuman**. Journal advertisement blanks have been sent out. Please return them to the office at your earliest convenience and help us celebrate our inspiring honorees, while helping the financial well-being of our Shul.

SECURITY USHER PROGRAM: Thank you to this week's ushers, Debbie and David Friedman. We are still looking for volunteers. Please email Sandy dopeysc@aol.com.

SHABBAT HAGADOL DRASHA: Next week, March 24th at 5:30 pm – please note earlier time.

**From Bechorot to Bikurim
Maggid's Missing Message**

TREE OF LIFE: Thank you to all who have purchased leaves thus far. We are getting ready to install the next set of leaves soon. If you would like to buy a leaf, branch leaf or stone at this

time, please submit your order form to Jonty at jontyfelsher@gmail.com by Sunday, March 18th.

PESACH NEWS

HOSTING STUDENTS FOR PESACH: There are many Wash U students staying in St Louis for Pesach this year. If you are able to host students for Pesach *sedarim* or meals (or even home hospitality), please fill out this spreadsheet. Students will also be able to sign up to be hosted. Thanks! https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/17p06YH0XD1Kfg1Ye_wlFZXRKxhi3IE1qtY9YYYGqvYHw/edit?ts=5aa94dda#gid=0

SELLING CHOMETZ FORM: Please return your form to the Rabbi by Wednesday, March 28th. Extra forms are available in the Beit Midrash.

STORAGE BOXES: Please check your Shul box and Tallis bag for *chometz*.

MOAS CHITIM: The Rabbi Sholom Rivkin/Merle Hartstein Maos Chittim Fund of the Vaad Hoer distributes funds and other forms of financial assistance to hundreds of families throughout our community for Pesach. Please make checks payable to Maos Chitim and send to Vaad Hoer of St Louis, 4 Millstone Campus, 63141. Credit card accepted at www.stlmaoschitim.com.

PESACH GUIDE: The 2018 Passover Guide from the Vaad Hoer will be available soon.

SCHOOL NEWS

EHA 8TH GRADE: is hosting a fundraiser at Gokul this Sunday, March 18, from 5-8 p.m. Proceeds from each buffet purchased benefits their 8th grade class trip to Israel. Be sure to mention Epstein when you pay!

YESHIVAT KADIMAH CAR WASH FUND RAISER: Perfect for your Pesach cleaning. Purchase a voucher for an \$18 Full Service Car Wash at Waterway Carwash from YKHS at: www.yeshivatkadimah.org/carwash, or by calling the school at 314-942-3166. Purchase now through March 28th – no expiration date. It can also be used towards an upgrade to a premium level wash.

EHA FINE ARTS NIGHT: Tues, March 20th, 7:30 – 9:00pm, at Chabad on Delmar. \$20/person or \$30/2 people includes wine, sushi, desserts, music and the EHA student art exhibit. RSVP to pta@eha.org. Sponsors welcome. See flyer for details.

SHAIMOS COLLECTION: The Torah Prep 8th grade boys will be collecting Shaimos on the following Sundays: March 18, and March 25. Please drop off your Shaimos at Torah Prep Boys' School – 609 North and South Rd. between 12:30 and 2:00 p.m. Cost is \$5.00 per shopping bag, \$10 per medium box or large garbage bag, and \$15 per large box. For questions, please call the Boys' School office at 314-727-3335.

PRE-PESACH CHOMETZ MEALS: at MTI, 1809 Clarkson Road in Chesterfield, for the entire community on **Wednesday March 28th and Thursday March 29th**. Wednesday- 4:00-8:00 pm- Thursday- 4:00-7:00 pm - See flyer for dinner menus & prices. **RSVP by Sunday, March 25th** to Rabbi Josh Bregman at rabbibregman@missouritorah.org or call 314-363-5977. PLUS a tutorial by the co-sponsoring Vaad Hoer of St. Louis,

on how to properly check your romaine lettuce on Wednesday from 5:00-7:00 pm.

COMMUNITY NEWS

TZNIUS FASHION SWAP: Sunday 18th, 1-5 pm, the Tznius Fashion Swap with Bigdei Yisrael is having its annual used clothing collection, to present at the May 6th swap, & to ship to Israel's needy. Sort and label ladies', girls', men's and boys' clothes and label items in less than good condition separately. Bring to the Block Yeshiva High School building. (behind EHA) Stay to arrange your items or pay \$2 per bag to drop & run. To volunteer or for more info, contact: Pnina Nitsun at [314.721.7951](tel:314.721.7951) or Lisa Fishman at la2fish@aol.com.

CISF WORKSHOP: cisfstl.org. Call Leila at 314-503-7025.

TOMCHEI SHABBOS: Thank you to everyone who participated in our annual Tomchei Shabbos Food Drive. Your donations have helped tremendously! A HUGE thank to our drivers and helpers: Bryna Kandel, Judy Hellman, Rabbi Freund, Rabbi Rothstein, Dr. Hager, and the amazing Kadimah students.! A special thank you to Martha and Barry Ginsburg. If you did not receive a bag and would like to donate, please contact Jackie Oppenheimer at 997-6924.

WOMENS' TEHILLIM GROUP: Sundays, at Jan Adelman's house, 8032 Amherst, (314) 863-5438, at 9:15 am. If you cannot participate in person, please call. Tehillim hotline (names and updates): (314) 441-6460.

NCSY NEWS

- **Latte and Learning** - Wednesday night at Starbucks on Hanley and Wydown, 7:30 pm.
- **Parsha & Pizza** – Mon - EHA Middle school, Tues - high school girls, Wed - high school boys, @ the NCSY office.

TORAH MITZION KOLLEL NEWS

- **Mishnat Pinchas v'Sarah:** 5 minutes after Kiddush.
- **Mishmar learning:** Thursdays at Young Israel at 8:30 pm
- **Sunday mornings** – after minyan at YI - Misilat Yesharim.
- **"Lunch and Learns"** at YKHS - Mon. for boys, Thurs. for girls
- **Ralph and Annette Raskas BA:** snif: 6:00–6:50 pm.
- **MONDAY-TONE:** at EHA, Monday, March 19th, 5:30 – 7:30pm, at EHA, for 2nd – 4th grades. Games, dinner & bonfire. Cost: \$3.

SHUL OFFICE & CONTACT INFO

www.youngisrael-stl.org

Office Hours: Mon, Fri 9:30 AM – 2:30 PM, Tues, Wed, Thurs 11 AM – 4 PM

Judy Haber, info@youngisrael-stl.org, 314-727-1880,

Rabbi Shulman: shulman@milah.net, 314-725-6130 (home study),
314-313-3120 (cell)

President, Jonty Felsher: jontyfelsher@gmail.com 314-363-5544(cell)

Comments email: yistlcomments@gmail.com

Weekly sponsorship opportunities: Kiddush (\$200), Seudah Shlishit (\$136),

Hashkama (\$40), Teen Minyan (\$20), V'shinantem (\$54),

Announcements (\$36)

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