



Young Israel of St. Louis

SHABBAT MARCH 21ST 2015 – FRIDAY MARCH 27TH 2015

1 NISAN 5775 – 7 NISAN 5775

PARSHAT VAYIKRA - SHABBAT HACHODESH - ROSH CHODESH NISAN

ANNOUNCEMENT SPONSORS

Larry & Roberta Gornish, who are thrilled to wish Mazal Tov to their kids, Max, Sabrina and granddaughter Hannah, as new owners of their very first house and on becoming part of the Laval-Chartres neighborhood!

Friday March 20th

Candle Lighting 6:55 pm
Mincha/Maariv 6:55 pm

Saturday March 21st

Hashkama 7:30 am
Chumash Shiur 8:15 am
Shacharit 9:00 am
Sof Zman Kri'at Shema 10:06 am
Pre-Mincha Shiur *no shiur this week*
Bnei Akiva 5:45 – 6:55 pm
Mincha 6:45 pm
Shabbat Ends 7:56 pm

Hashkama Kiddush: Sponsored by Dr. Robert & Barbara Strashun to commemorate the *yahrtzeit* of Robert's father,

Harold Strashun, and in honor of Robert completing his 3rd *Siyum HaShas*.

Kiddush: Sponsored by the family of the amazing and talented Ilana Oberlander in honor of her Bat Mitzvah celebration.

Seudah Shlishit: Sponsors are invited.

Weekday Shacharit

Sunday 8:00 am
Monday, Thursday 6:30 am
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 6:40 am

Mincha/Maariv – Sunday will be upstairs in the Shul 7:00 pm

**The Eruv has been repaired
THE ERUV IS – UP!**

REFUAH SHELAIMAH

Yehoshua Sommer..... יהושע בן זהבה
Ronald Bolker..... ישראל לייב בן סלאווא
Howie Rothman..... חיים יחיאל בן מלכה
..... בנימין זעליג בן סלאווא
..... ראובן בן שרה רבקה
..... שמעון יוסף בן צביה
..... דורון דניאל בן יפה
..... אליעזר חיים בן פריידע
..... ישעיה בן רוחמה
..... פנחס לייב בן מלכה
..... חיים וועלול בן שרה
..... צביה בת בריינה
..... רחל לאה בת ייטיל
..... הילה בת פייגא חנה
..... חיה הדסה זהבה בת לאה רייזא
..... לאה בת חיה
..... בתיה בת Jane Carol
..... חיה פייגל בת אלטא דינה
..... עליזה ברכה בת דאבי קיילע
..... רחל בת חנה
Ziva Adler..... זיוה תקווה בת לובה ברכה
Rachel Adler..... רחל בת אסתר
Mariam Weisel..... מרים בת שרה

MAZAL TOV

Mazal Tov to **Ilana Oberlander** on her Bat Mitzvah. Mazal Tov to her parents, **Mike & Sima Oberlander**, and her grandparents, Dr. Mark & Bunny Oberlander, and **Bobby & Chelle Medow**. We welcome all of the guests who have come from Chicago, Cincinnati, Reno, Silver Spring, and Vermont to share in the *simcha*.

Mazal Tov to **David & Sharon Pollack** and Robert & Cathy Beebe on the engagement of their son, **Noah Pollack**, to Adina Brizel of NY.

Mazal Tov to **Yale & Gail Miller** on the birth of their first great-grandchild, a boy, born to Yaakov Dovid & Frumi Miller of Lakewood. Mazal Tov to grandparents, Nisson Dov & Tamar Miller.

SHUL NEWS

NEW CHAIRS: We are thrilled to announce that the shul will be getting new chairs this summer. The new chairs have been donated to Young Israel by Aaron Fredman, his children and grandchildren in loving memory of Ruth Fredman whose grace and elegance were reflected in all she did for Young Israel, her shul, and the Jewish Community.

THANK YOU: Thank you to Joe & Izzy Yazdi who are the ushers this Shabbat for the youth groups.

PRE-PESACH WORKSHOP: Sunday, March 22nd, 7:30 – 9:00 pm.

RABBI'S CLASSES: Starting Tuesday, March 24, all of the Rabbi's classes are on hiatus until after Pesach.

SHABBAT HAGADOL DRASHA: will be March 28th at 5:30 pm.

PLEASE OFFER TO HOST STUDENTS FOR PESACH: Evan Kominsky, a local student, has contacted Young Israel to facilitate the hosting of local university students with us. Simply click on this [online](#) list and add your name and contact info for the meals that you are able to host students. You may

also contact Evan at 216-312-3740 or via his email address ekom12@gmail.com for more information or to sign up.

WOMEN'S DIVISION

PRE-PESACH TAKE-OUT MEAL: Let us cook for you on Tuesday, March 31st. Complete fried chicken dinner - \$25.00, or one pound of chicken strips - \$13.95/lb. **Pre-paid orders are due by Friday, March 27th.** Please send checks made out to the Young Israel Women's Division to the Young Israel office. Pick up will be March 31st at Young Israel, 5:00 – 6:00 pm.

SCHOOL NEWS

PRE-PESACH FALAFEL DINNER: sponsored by FHA (Friends of the Hebrew Academy) & KFC (Kadimah Family Committee), Sunday, March 29th, at EHA (enter at the ECE doors). Featuring delicious Israeli cuisine by Chef Elchanan Batat. Two seatings: 5:00 pm and 6:15 pm, \$10/person. Reserve and pay at www.YeshivatKadimah.org or email FHA@eha.org. Please include how many dinners you want and which seating time you prefer. **Order deadline is Thursday, March 26th.**

PESACH NEWS

SHAIMOS COLLECTION: Drop off is on Sunday, March 29th, at the St Louis Kollel, 12:30 – 3:30 pm, and at TICK, 9:00 – 11:00 am. Cost: \$5/shopping bag, \$10/medium box or white kitchen size bag, \$15/large box or large black garbage bag. Proceeds benefit Blockbooster PTO. For more info, contact: Chesterfield: scott.a.andrew@juno.com or (314) 878-2238, U City (314) 872-8701 or (314) 941-2880. Email: byhs2@juno.com

SELLING CHOMETZ: The form to sell you chometz has been emailed and is available in the Beit Midrash. Please return it to the Rabbi by Wednesday, April 1st.

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

MOAS CHITIM: The Rabbi Sholom Rivkin/Merle Harstein 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 Moas Chitim and send to Vaad Hoer of St Louis, 4 Millstone Campus, 63141.

PESACH GUIDE: The 2015 Passover Guide from the Vaad Hoer is available on the Vaad's website www.ovkosher.org.

VAAD TIMES: The community kashering of utensils (הגעלת כלים) will be in the Vaad parking lot, 4 Millstone Campus Drive, on Sunday, March 29th, 9 am – 5 pm and on Monday, March 30th, 9 am – 5 pm. **Kelim Mikvah** is now available for use (entrance by combination), call 314-569-2770 for details.

COMMUNITY NEWS

SHIUR: St. Louis Kollel presents a pre-Pesach shiur with Rabbi Yitzchak Kowalsky entitled, "Acquiring, Ingesting and Digesting Matzah," this Sunday, March 22, at the Aguda from 9:45 am-10:30 am.

AISH SPEAKER: Aish HaTorah presents Charlie Harary on Tuesday, March 24th, 7:30 pm, at The Frontenac Hilton, 1335 S Lindbergh. He will speak on "The Secret of True Happiness". To register, call 314-862-2474 or email cwolf@bish.com. Suggested Donation: \$18.

TOMCHEI SHABBOS: Thank you to everyone who participated in our food drive!! If you would still like to donate, please call or email Jackie Oppenheimer at 997- 6924 or baubiejackie@gmail.com.

WOMENS' TEHILLIM GROUP: At Jan Adelman's home, 8032 Amherst Ave, (314) 863-5438. IMPORTANT!!! - The Tehillim hotline (names and updates) has changed. The new number is: (314) 441-6460.

NCSY NEWS

- **Latte and Learning** - Wednesday night at Starbucks on Hanley and Wydown, 7:30 pm.
- **Parsha & Pizza** – for high school boys, every Wednesday, 12 – 12:45 pm, and for high school girls, every Thursday, 12 – 12:45 pm at the NCSY office.

TORAH MITZION KOLLEL NEWS

- **Mishnat Pinchas v'Sarah:** 5 minutes after Kiddush.
- **Torah Learning for Women** - presented by Adi Salomon at her home, 7822 Delmar Blvd, 8:15 – 9:15 pm. Next class will be Tuesday, March 24th.
- **Mishmar learning:** Thursdays at Young Israel at 8:30 pm. With Eitan Salomon and Joey Rosenfeld.
- **Ruth Fredman Mother/Daughter Bat Mitzvah Program:** continues Sunday, March 22nd.
- **Bnei Akiva:** Bnei Akiva is 5:45 – 6:55 pm.

SHUL OFFICE & CONTACT INFO

Shul Office Hours: Mon, Fri 9:30 AM – 2:30 PM.

Tues, Wed, Thurs 11 AM – 4 PM

Deadline for announcements: Noon on Thursday

Deadline for Mazal Tovs 10 AM on Friday

Rabbi Shulman's personal contact info: shulman@milah.net

314-725-6130 (home study), 314-313-3120 (cell)

Young Israel Web-site: www.youngisrael-stl.org

To sponsor a weekly Shul Announcement, for \$36, email Judy (info@youngisrael-stl.org) or call (314-727-1880)