



Young Israel of St. Louis

SHABBAT DECEMBER 25TH 2021 - FRIDAY DECEMBER 31TH 2021

21 TEVET 5782 – 27 TEVET 5782

PARSHAT SHEMOT

ANNOUNCEMENT SPONSORS

Taryn, Adam, and Elan in honor of Alan, Joel, Pat, Stuart, and especially Abba for the thousands of hours of behind-the-scenes work at our dining room table and out in our community's streets.

Alan & Jackie Gerson to celebrate Alan's 25th anniversary as the "official" YISTL candy man.

Dorit Daphna-Iken & Harvey Iken and family to commemorate the Yahrzeit of Dorit's father, Shalom Dafna.

THE ERUV IS UP!

Friday, December 17th

Mincha/Maariv - Candle Lighting4:27 pm

Saturday, December 18th

Shacharit – (Hashkama) 7:15 am

Parsha Class – in Beit Midrash *no class this week*

Shacharit 9:15 am

Teen Minyan *no teen minyan this week*

Sof Zman Kri'at Shema 9:39 am

Shabbat Youth Groups *no groups this week*

Bnei Akiva *no Bnei Akiva this week*

Mincha 4:20 pm

Rabbi Freund: "The Afterlife in Jewish Thought"

Shabbat Ends.....5:28 pm

V'Shinantam (parent/child learning)6:30 pm

Hashkama Kiddush: Sponsors invited.

Main Kiddush: Sponsors invited.

Weekday Shacharit:

Sunday 8:00 am

Monday, Thursday 6:30 am

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 6:40 am

Mincha/Maariv 4:30 pm

Note: All weekday minyanim are broadcast over Zoom.

UPCOMING YAHRTZEITS

22 Tevet Ryfka Bresler

24 Tevet Shalom Dafna

22 Tevet Ralph Goodman

25 Tevet Merrill Broad

23 Tevet Abe Franklin

REFUAH SHELAIMAH

יהושע בן זהבה
ברוך בן מאשא
ישראל לייב בן סלאווא
ראובן בן שרה רבקה
חגי בן רחל
יואל ברוך בן חיה בינה
שמחה ישראל בן אסתר
יעקב שמואל בן מרים
רחמיאל דוד בן ברכה זלאטא
יחיאל בן שרה
ישראל בן שולמית
חיים בן חנה
נחום לייב בן לאה בתיה
יצחק בנימין בן סימה ברכה
אברהם יוסף בן מרים
יצחק בן יוכבד
ישעיה ראובן בן חוה
אליעזר דוב בן יהודית
מיכאל דוד בן יהודית
אהרן אריה בן פרידה בתיה

רונית בת רחל
Frances בת שרה
מרים בת שרה
שרה רבקה בת רייסה מייטא
בריינא ליבא בת חנה
אסתר בת רות
חנה זהבה בת פנינה
תמר אלישבע בת דבורה
חוה אסתר בת נחמה
דורית חנה בת אורה
יוכבד חנה בת מרים
אסתר ביילה בת חיה שיינדל
שרה בת חיה צביה
עליזה טליה שרה בת דינה רחל
טובה בת מלכה
ברכה זלדה בת רחל גולדה
פרידה בת דבורה
רשקה בת שרה רבקה
Tova Rhein טובה מאטל בת חנה אטל

MAZAL TOV TO...

Marlene Green on the upcoming wedding of her grandson, Yosef Dov, son of Yakov & Rinat Green, to Batsheva Iskowitz.

Hilton & Rene Price on the Bat Mitzvah of their granddaughter, Ariella, daughter of Jonathan & Nechama Price of Bergenfield.

Rich & Maurie Axelbaum on the birth of a grandson, born to Ari & Julia Axelbaum in Boston.

OUR CONDOLENCES TO...

Tziona & Dov Zeffren and family on the passing of Tziona's mother, Marilyn Wolff. The burial took place in Israel and Tziona is sitting shiva in Florida. The shiva began on Wednesday 12/22 and will conclude on Tuesday morning 12/28. Tziona can be reached at 314-591-0228, or on Zoom at the following times: Motzei Shabbos, 12/25: 8:00pm - 9:00pm EST, Sunday, 12/26: 2:00pm - 4:00pm EST and 8:00pm - 9:00pm EST.

May the family be comforted among the mourners of Zion and Jerusalem.

SHUL NEWS

THURSDAY NIGHT MISHMAR: Mishmar sponsorships for \$36 are available. Please contact the office to sponsor or copy/paste the following link in your browser to sign up at: <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1gIIQIUXImcKoiVze50EIwgENaOlgLq8MHVrgsBDzeyE/edit#gid=0>

V'SHINANTAM: This week at 6:30 pm, *in the shul*. Weekly sponsorships for \$36 are available. Please contact the office to sponsor. Thank you to Alan & Jackie Gerson for sponsoring this week to celebrate Alan's 25th anniversary as the "official" YISTL candy man.

END OF YEAR DONATIONS: The end of the 2021 financial year is fast approaching. If you are planning your year-end giving and would still like to make a Kol Nidre pledge, make an additional donation or make a payment towards any outstanding balances on your account, please make arrangements to do so by *Friday 12/31/2021* to receive the benefit of a charitable tax deduction.

If you have questions about your account please contact Judy in the Shul office (Phone: 314-727-1880 or email: info@youngisrael-stl.org).

COOK-OFF HAS BEEN RESCHEDULED: Save the date: The Cholent Cook-Off has been rescheduled for February 15th.

TREE OF LIFE: We are submitting another order for leaves for our Tree of Life. Once again, thank you to all who have purchased leaves thus far. If you would like to buy a leaf, branch leaf or stone at this time, **please submit your order form (brochure is attached or you can find one in the Shul lobby) to Judy in the office by Dec 31st (Extended Deadline).**

WOMEN'S DIVISION

CALENDARS: The 2022 Young Israel Women's Division Calendars have arrived and are available for pickup during regular office hours.

SCHOOL NEWS

EHA LEARNING GAMES OPEN HOUSE: for parents and students in grades 5-9, January 8th, 7:00 – 8:30 pm, at Epstein Hebrew Academy. There will be a raffle for two \$25 Gift Cards. Questions: Contact Elissa Schachter at: eschachter@eha.org. See flyer for full details.

EHA 8TH GRADE LAWN CARE SERVICE: for those in the U City area, to raise money for the 8th grade trip. The services include: raking leaves now, and shoveling snow, when the time comes. Available every Sunday. \$30/hour with a \$30 minimum. Call or text Yehudah Greenberg at 314-629-0633 to set up a time.

JSU NEWS

You can view the 19th Annual JSU Gala at: jsustl.org/gala2021.

COMMUNITY NEWS

ST LOUIS KOLLEL WINTER YARCHEI KALLAH: Thursday, December 29th – Shabbat, January 1st, featuring Rabbi Avrohom & Mrs. Genendel Krohn of Waterbury. Including: Thursday night learning at Agudas Israel, *a Dvar Torah Friday night at Young Israel between Kabbalat Shabbat and Ma'ariv*, a men's Oneg Shabbat at the home of Rabbi Shmuel & D'vorah Miller (821 Swarthmore), and a women's Melava Malka with Mrs. Genendel Krohn at U City Shul, 8:30pm: "The Torah's Approach to the Art of Empathy". The Melava Malka will have a hot dairy buffet – admission: \$10. For more info or sponsorship opportunities, please contact Rabbi Berkowitz at 314-814-0388, or Yael Farkas at yfarkas@stlkollel.com.

SHARSHERET SUPPORTS STL: changes lives of women and families facing a breast or ovarian cancer diagnosis through free support. Sharsheret saves lives of both men and women through hereditary cancer education. See attachment.

SUNDAY MORNING WOMEN'S TEHILLIM GROUP: We ask all group members to say their tehillim from home. For more information or for tehillim to say, please call or text Marcia Esrig at 314-313-3677. The Tehillim hotline (names and updates) is 314-441-6460 or email: tehillimstl@gmail.com.

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

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

Hashkama (\$40), V'shinantem (\$36), Mishmar (\$36), Announcements (\$36)

Teen Minyan (\$36)

Tribute cards: available in the office. **Purchase for the shul:** Siddur (\$40), RH or YK machzor (\$50 each) or Chumash (\$60) to honor or memorialize a friend or family member.

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