



# Young Israel of St. Louis

SHABBAT JANUARY 6<sup>TH</sup> 2024 – FRIDAY JANUARY 12<sup>TH</sup> 2024

25 TEVET 5784 – 2 SHEVAT 5784

PARSHAT SHEMOT

SHABBAT MEVORCHIM

## ANNOUNCEMENT SPONSORS

Zvi & Anita Feigenbaum to commemorate the *yahrtzeit* of Anita's father, Morris John Mandel.

Rita Bresler & family to commemorate the *yahrtzeit* of Sidney "Red" Bresler's mother, Ryfka Bresler.

### Friday January 5<sup>th</sup>

Candle Lighting/ Maariv .....4:35 pm

### Saturday, January 6<sup>th</sup>

*Sof Zman Kri'at Shema* .....9:43 am

Shacharit – (Hashkama) .....7:30 am

Parsha Class .....8:15 am

Shacharit .....9:00 am

Teen Minyan .....9:30 am

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

Pre-Mincha Shiur .....3:45 pm

### *What Led to the Great Flood?*

Mincha .....4:25 pm

Ralph and Annette Raskas Snif Bnei Akiva: .....4:20 – 5:30 pm

Shabbat Ends .....5:37 pm

V'shinantam .....6:35 pm

### **Hashkama Kiddush:**

**Youth Group Kiddush:** Matthew & Mihaela Grad.

**Main Kiddush:** We welcome you to our Shabbat Mevorchim Kiddush sponsored by the members listed on the poster in the

lobby. We thank everyone who participated and helped to arrange the kiddush.

### **Seudah Shlishit:**

**V'shinantam:** Sponsored by Max & Sabrina Gornish and Zev & Shana Katz.

### **Weekday Shacharit:**

Sunday ..... 8:00 am

Monday, Thursday – Rosh Chodesh ..... 6:30 am

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

Mincha/Maariv ..... 4:40 pm

Rosh Chodesh Shevat ..... Thursday 1/11

## **UPCOMING YAHRTZEITS**

22 Tevet	Ryfka Bresler	1 Shevat	Morris John Mandel
22 Tevet	Ralph Goodman	2 Shevat	Dorothy Goldstein
25 Tevet	Merrill Broad	2 Shevat	Sonja Robinson
29 Tevet	Joseph Sherberg		

### **Refuah Shelaimah**

מרים זלדה בת חנה	יהושע בן זהבה
אסתר לאה בת הנה	ברוך בן מאשא
אסתר בת רות	חגי בן רחל
מרים בת שרה	משה זאב בן אסתר
מינה מיכל פעסא בת קיילא ציפא	יצחק בן יוכבד
שרה חנה מרים פועה בת מריסיה	משה בן יהודית שרה
אסתר נסיה בת לאה רחל	נתן שלמה בן ברכה
דבורה עלקא בת מרים ליבא	שראגא בנימין בן בת-שבע
סמריה בריאלה בת הינדה בוניג	שמואל יעקב בן טייבל
ברכה אהובה בת חיה אסתר	יעקב בנימין בן דליה
אסתר בת שרה פייגה	
יהודית בת פייגה פערל	
זורית חנה בת אורה	

### **MAZAL TOV TO...**

**Heschel & Adinah Raskas** on the birth of their first great-grandchild, a boy, born to Etan Raskas & Michal Segall of Boston, and to grandparents Daniel & Daphna Raskas and Mark & Chani Segall.

**Larry & Barbara Poger** on the birth of a great-granddaughter, born to Zev & Hadar Lafer in Israel, and to grandparents Laura & Joseph Greer in Chicago.

**David & Jill Mogil** on the birth of a granddaughter, born to Elana & Frankie Shulkin in Dallas, and to great-grandmother Barbara Mirowitz.

Joseph & Esther Levay on the engagement of their daughter, Devorah to Baruch Kagen.

Rabbi Yitz (of JSU) & Racheli Staum on the engagement of their daughter, Chana, to Jonny Rush, son of Todd & Sara Rush.

## **SHUL NEWS**

**THANK YOU:** Thank you to our kiddush volunteers this week: Kathy Machevsky, Jerilyn Oppenheimer, and Shmuli Shulman.

**YOUTH GROUPS:** Please contact the office if you would like to sponsor the Youth Group Kiddush at \$36.

**V'SHINANTAM (PARENT/CHILD LEARNING):** This Motzei Shabbat, January 6<sup>th</sup> at 6:35 pm. Please join us for learning, fun, and prizes. Please contact the office to sponsor V'Shinantam for \$72.

**RABBI'S CLASSES:** The Rabbi's Navi classes resume this week.

**WELCOME BACK:** to Noam Gryzman & Ruthie Shach and their two sons, Oran and Liam who returned from Hawaii this week.

**TRIVIA NIGHT:** Our Annual Trivia Night will be January 6. Doors open at 7:30 pm and the game begins at 8:00 pm. Entrance is \$30 at the door. \$18 for high school students.

**YI BOOK CLUB:** All are invited to join us at the YI Book Club's next meeting this Sunday, January 14<sup>th</sup>, 7 pm, at Lorraine Landy's home where we will be discussing Hotel Cuba by Aaron Hamburger. For more information or to join the email list, please contact Maurie Axelbaum or Glenna Gelfand.

**BAKING WITH MANDY:** Come bake babkas with Mandy Silverman of Mandylicious on Saturday night, January 20<sup>th</sup>. Doors open at 7:30 pm and the demo begins at 8 pm. General admission is \$36. There are sponsorship opportunities still available. Click [here](#) to register: Please RSVP by **January 10<sup>th</sup>**.

**BNEI AKIVA PARENT DAY:** Ralph and Annette Raskas Bnei Akiva Snif is excited to announce our very first Parent Day on February 3<sup>rd</sup>! Both kids, grades 2-9, and their parents are invited for a special Snif so that the whole community can experience the incredible fun and learning of Bnei Akiva! We will start with our ruach filled mincha and continue into mifkad and the peula (activity). Can't wait to see you there!

**UPCOMING EVENTS – Stay tuned for details:**

**February 4:** St Louis Jewish Community Blood Drive.

**February 10:** Liquor & Laughs, Whiskey Tasting.

**February 11:** Spruce up Young Israel. 9 am – Noon. Sign up [here](#). See flyer for full details.

**March 15 – 16:** Scholar-in-Residence, Rabbi Shlomo Kimche.

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**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**WOMEN'S CONCERT:** A Night of Unity with Chayala Neuhaus on January 28<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm at COCA. See flyer for details and pricing. Purchase tickets at: [www.ucitynshei.booktix.com](http://www.ucitynshei.booktix.com).

**CISF NEW WEBSITE:** Community Initiative to Strengthen Families (CISF) invites the community to explore its all-new website, offering resources to families in the areas of educational and mental health support. Check it out at: [www.cisfstl.org](http://www.cisfstl.org).

**ST LOUIS KOLLEL KESHER CONNECTING GENERATIONS IS BACK:** Save the dates on Sunday mornings 10:30 – 11:45 am in February and March. Questions? Email [yfarkas@stlkollel.com](mailto:yfarkas@stlkollel.com)

**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) email is: [ptjill@yahoo.com](mailto:ptjill@yahoo.com).

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**SHUL OFFICE & CONTACT INFO**

[www.youngisrael-stl.org](http://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:** Classic Kiddush (\$250), Prime Kiddush (375), Seudah Shlishit (\$136), Hashkama Kiddush (\$40), Mishmar (\$36), Announcements (\$36), Teen Minyan (\$36)

Youth Group Kiddush (\$36), V'shinantam (\$72),

**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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