



Congregation Ohr Torah

Weekly Announcements

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Parshat Vayikra

3 Nisan 5783

March 25, 2023

Candlelighting: 6:55 PM
Mincha/Kabolas Shabbos (Main Shul)

7:05 PM

Shacharis:

7:45 (Social Hall), 9:00 AM (Main Shul),

9:15 (YFM), 9:15 AM (Teen Minyan, Beis Medrash)

Hashkama Speaker: Rabbi Malitzky

Sof Z'man Krias Shma (GR"A) 9:58 AM

Rabbi Luban's Gemara Beitza Shiur 6:00 PM

Mincha (Main Shul): 1:45 & 6:50 PM

Shalosh Seudos Speaker: Michael Kaplan

Maariv: 8:05 PM

Shabbos Ends: 8:05 PM

Weekday Shacharis

Sunday 7:15, 8 & 9 AM

Rabbi Sauer's Shiur on Daf Yomi Be'yun after 7:15 Minyan

Mon. & Thur 6:20, 7:05, 8 AM

Tues., Wed., & Fri. 6:30, 7:10 & 8 AM

Early Mincha-Sunday 1:45 PM

Weekday Mincha/Maariv 7:05 PM

Late Maariv: 10:10 PM

Daf Yomi Schedule

Sunday - after 8 AM Schacharis

Monday - Thursday - after zman Maariv

Friday - after Kabbalos Shabbos

Shabbos - 45 minutes before Zman Mincha

Daf Yomi is starting a new Masechta, Maseches

Sotah, next Friday, March 31. This is an ideal time to start Daf Yomi.

KIDDUSH

Kiddush is co-sponsored by:

- Susie and Barry Wolf to commemorate the Yartzeits of Susie's mother, Eugenia Poleeff Bas Sheva Bas Rav Yaakov, A"H, and Barry's mother, Rae Wolf, Chaya Rochel Bas Moshe Zelig, A"H,
- the Schanzer family in honor of the 75th anniversary of Henry Schanzer's Bar Mitzvah.

SHALOSH SEUDOS

Shalosh Seudos is co-sponsored by:

- Penny and Michael Kaplan in memory of Michael's father, Bernard - R' Baruch Leib ben Yaakov Yissochor A"H.
- Michael will be speaking on a Parsha concept in 'Blueprint for a UNIQUE & RICH LIFE', a recently published Torah compendium co-authored with R. Moshe Goldberger and now available on [Amazon](https://www.amazon.com).
- Susan and Moshe Wiesel to commemorate the Yahrzeit of Susan's sister Sara Basha Bas Yitzchak A"H.

MEMBERSHIP MEETING

There will be a Membership Meeting on Monday, March 27th at 8:30 pm to review and hopefully vote on our Shul budget for 2023. Please do your best to attend.

MAZEL TOV

... to Suri and Jay Blum on the engagement of their daughter Ari Blum to Brandin Lieberman of New York.

Mazel Tov to Brandin's parents Arnold and Cindy Lieberman of Plantation, Florida, and to Ari's siblings Jordana & Avi Korman and Yossi Blum.

...to Rabbi & Mrs. Shlomo Ziegler on the birth of a grandson to their children Kivi & Rochel.

MECHIRAS CHOMETZ

Rabbi Luban will be available for Mechiras Chometz after all three Minyanim of Shacharis, on Sunday.

MAOS CHITIM

Rabbi Luban is collecting for Maos Chitim. Please make checks out to Congregation Ohr Torah and put Maos Chitim on the "For" line.

TEEN BOYS LEARNING

The new teen boys learning program will begin at 9:15pm this evening.

CONDOLENCES

With great sorrow, we regret to inform you of the passing of our dear friend and esteemed member, Dr. Danny Mondrow Z"L, husband of Audrey Mondrow.

-Shiva in Israel will start on Motzai Shabbat, at: Derech Chevron 93/23, Jerusalem.
Visiting times: Saturday night: 8 - 10:30 pm
Sunday: Shacharit at 8 am, Mincha/Maariv at 6:45 pm. Visits until 8:30 pm. The family requests no visitors on Sunday between 12-1 pm and 5-6 pm.

-The family will continue sitting Shiva in New Jersey starting Monday, at, 25 Marshall Drive Edison, New Jersey.

Monday: Shacharit at 9 am

Tuesday-Thursday: Shacharit at 8 am

Monday - Wednesday: Mincha/Maariv at 7 pm.

Please do not visit from 12-1 pm, from 5:30 pm-6:30 pm, and after 10 pm.

Shiva will conclude Thursday morning.

May you be comforted amongst the mourners of Zion and Yerushalayim.

YESH TIKVAH INFERTILITY

AWARENESS SHABBOS

We are proud to participate in the Yesh Tikvah eighth annual Infertility Awareness Shabbos. We join congregations from all over the world as we come together to increase empathy and sensitivity for those struggling to grow their families.

TUESDAY NIGHT TEHILLIM

The Ohr Torah Tuesday night Tehillim group meets (virtually) starting at 9:30PM. For a Zoom invitation weekly, please email dralansinger@gmail.com.

YOM HASHOAH

We are enhancing our Yom Hashoah program by having Hanoach Teller speaking about a book which he spent 2 years researching, on the Holocaust called Heroic Children. He is a renowned worldwide speaker and often speaks at Yom Hashoah events. Rav Teller is one of only a few independent licensed guides approved to give tours at Yad Vashem Ohr Torah is honored to have him as the featured speaker at our program on April 18. We are seeking sponsors at \$ 100 per family, who will be listed on the publicity material in advance. To participate as a sponsor please see Marc Hanfling or Neer Even-Hen.

HAGGADAH HIGHLIGHTS SHIUR

Join Rabbi Malitzky at 7:30pm (after Mincha and Maariv) on Tuesday, March 28 in the social hall for some interesting and uplifting insights on the Haggada. Come to the Seder armed with Divrei Torah to impress your children and engage your grandchildren!

BAIN HAZMANIM LEARNING

All Yeshiva students home for Bein Hazmanim are encouraged to learn in our beautiful Beis Medrash all day and night! This year, there will be breakfast and coffee each morning and drinks + snacks throughout the day (in the conference room). We thank our sponsors:

Evan and Rivka Abraham
Larry and Miriam Greenman
Raffi and Chavi Landau
David Matthew and Didi Deitcher
Marc and Ida Scheiner
Jeff and Rozzie Slepoy

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

RPRY FUNDRAISERS

-[RPRY PLUS](https://www.rpryplus.com) has organized a "Shabbos in a Box" from Heimish for the Shabbat right before Pesach! Save yourself some work and support RPRY+ by ordering a complete Shabbat package for a family of 5. Pickup will be on 3/31 @ RPRY. Go to tinyurl.com/rpryheimish for more information and to place your order.

-RPRY PLUS is excited to partner with TRAX CAR WASH in New Brunswick (on Route 18 by Route 1) for Pre-Pesach car washes. TRAX will donate a portion of sales to RPRY+ for any 'the works' wash package, or full, interior, or exterior detailing

REMINDER: Emergency Defibrillators are located on the upstairs wall hallway & the entry hallway downstairs. Please note the location of the new First Aid Kits mounted on the wall below/above each Defibrillator.

CHEVRA HATZOLAH OF MIDDLESEX COUNTY 732-456-6666

service purchased from 3/26-4/4. Please mention RPRY when making your appointment.

OE HAT SHOW

Hedy's Hat Show at Ohav Emeth Sun March 26th 7PM -9:30PM. Hats, Berets, Fascinators, Soft Hats, Scarves and more...

The Cheese Guy will be there and offering a tasting and selling his Kosher for Passover specialty cheeses and Balsamic Vinegar

FREE LARGE PRINT HAGGADAH

FREE LARGE PRINT HAGGADAH for the visually impaired or reading disabled CALL 800-999-6476 BEFORE MARCH 24th Braille and Audio editions also available Established in 1931 as The Jewish Braille Institute, an Associate Agency of the Library of Congress, serving people of all ages and backgrounds or order online at www.jbiblibrary.org

NORPAC MISSION IN PERSON

NORPAC's Mission to Washington is an annual event where we bring close to a thousand citizen activists to Washington, DC, in order to advocate for a stronger U.S.-Israel relationship with Members of Congress.

Join us Wednesday, May 10th as we travel to Washington, DC. On a single-day trip you will meet with Members of Congress and their staff and share your concerns with them about foreign aid to Israel, Iran, security cooperation, and more. Help us make a difference once again! Buses will leave for Washington DC from our area at 6:30AM and return between 9-10PM. There will be briefings on the bus. All meals will be provided. Register now for the Early Bird Discount at www.norpac.net or call (201) 788-5133. Adults - \$180, Full time Students - \$100 (must be over 12. Those under 18 must be accompanied by Parent or legal guardian). After March 12- adults \$220, students \$135 for more info, contact David Moskovic, Marc Hanfling at dccdad@aol.com, Barry Wolf, Yosef Schreiber, Charles Gershbaum

RARITAN VALLEY ORTHODOX JEWISH COMMUNITY ASSOC. - THE "ROC" OF NJ

Looking for assistance with your job search? *The ROC of New Jersey Employment Assistance Initiative* can assist you by offering resume coaching, interview coaching, LinkedIn networking coaching and finding a mentor in your field. Over 100 of your neighbors have already received assistance with their job search from The ROC of NJ - absolutely free. For more info go to the www.therocnj.org and click on "Employment" on the

LEFKOVITS FAMILY PARK MIKVAH

The Mikvah is appt only. All appts should be made via MikvahCloud.com or via MikvahCloud app Regular services, baths and showers, are offered. See mikvahcloud for mikvah hours. Face mask should be worn at the mikvah. All comments and questions, email hpmikvah@gmail.com

DR. PRESBY SHIURIM:

- Men/Women: Nach Shiur on Shabbos at 3pm at the Presby home, 467 Lincoln Ave, HP on 3/25 & 4/1. No other Dr. Presby shiurim till after Pesach. Info, contact Dr. Presby at 732-925-4828

FOR WOMEN

Women's Learning Initiative:
-Offers customized Torah learning partners / chavrusas. For a personalized study program of your choice, email your contact information to womenslearninginitiative@gmail.com

- Weekly Parsha shiur with Mrs. Miri Cohen on Tuesday mornings at 9:15 AM. For location/zoom link, please contact Leah at 917-763-1848.

-Rebbetzin Eichenstein Classes: contact Aviva Siegel siegelmom@gmail.com for status of Sun and Mon classes.

BIKUR CHOLIM

Bikur Cholim of Raritan Valley has services in the community for over Shabbos and Yom Tov:

* Account with AA Checker cab 732-545-2300 (reimburse Bikur Cholim at a later time)

* account with Rite Aid in HP to get prescriptions filled (reimburse with a Rite Aid gift card at a later time) Questions 732 572 7181

BIKUR CHOLIM LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS

- Bikur Cholim is looking for volunteers to do a major Chessed. There is a family who has a child in Children's Specialized Hospital that is looking for volunteers to sit with the child for 1-2 hour sessions when the parents just can't be there. The child is 8 years old and fun to be with. Please contact Mrs. Blanc at 718-744-7127.

KITTEL GEMACH AVAILABLE

Kittel Gemach available. If you – or someone you know--needs to borrow a Kittel, please call Jeff or Lee Ann Schein at 732-545- 9353.

Four sizes available. Kittel Gemach is in memory of Lazar Lipman ben Chaim Yitzhak.

Note: If you borrowed a Kittel from the Gmach last Yom Kippur, please return it before Pesach. Thank you!

GEMACHS

-The Lev L'Nefesh Hachnosas Kallah Centerpiece Gemach The Gemach has a beautiful array of centerpieces/vases/props to loan out for simchos. Call/text: (732) 570-9433 for appt.

-Edison/HP gown Gmach! Large selection of children's, teen and adult gowns. Limited boys tux avail. Donations of gowns in excel condition (with sleeves and round collar) accepted. Text 5165260941 for info/appt. Leiluy mishmas Yitzhak Ben binyamin.

-Re-Pleat-Gemach of outfits for dressy occasions! Have something to donate? Have a special occasion and need something to wear? By appt only. Text 732-267-3216

-MEZUZOS-L'iluy nishmas Faiga Gitel bas Binyamin Zev HaKohen. Contact Lasar Family (732) 985-1050.

-DIABETIC SUPPLIES GEMACH: Diabetic Supplies- Insulin, test strips, meters etc. for those who ran out/waiting for insurance approval or guests w/o supplies Text Deutsch family at 646-683-7394.

-Diaper Gemach HP/Edison: Diapers, pullups, wipes needed Email diapergemach@gmail.com.

-Kittel Gemach If you--or someone you know-need to borrow a kittel, call Jeff or Lee Ann Schein 732-545- 9353.Four sizes avail. Kittel gemach in m/o Lazar Lipman ben Chaim Yitzhak.

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KIDDUSH SPONSORSHIP: To sponsor Kiddush or reserve Kiddush room contact Russell Adler or Elie Wiesel at reservations@ohrtorah.net Shalosh Seudos, contact Moshe Wiesel.

BUILDING DEDICATION OPPORTUNITIES Contact Moshe Schneider at 732-618-4702.

TREE OF LIFE / YAHRZEIT PLAQUES: To dedicate a Yahrzeit Plaque or Leaf for the Lobby Eitz Chayim Tree, contact Moish Nat by sending detailed email with all dedicatory wording to marty@rivieradoors.com. For more info, call Moish at 732-759-8070 work days or 732-572-4132 in the evening.

SEFORIM DEDICATIONS: Book/Seforim Dedications are paused pending new initiatives HOUSEKEEPING: Housekeeping issues and inquiries contact Lou Smith ludeeju@gmail.com or 732-572-5633.

KEILIM MIKVAH HOURS :Ohr Torah Keilim Mikvah hours are officially Sundays 7AM-10AM.

OHR TORAH YOUTH PROGRAM: Children can register for events on OT's website "ohrtorah.net" or call Aaron Breslin at 908-907-7308.

REFUAH SHLEIMAH LEARNING: See OT website, www.ohrtorah.net, for various schedules of learning as a Z'chus for a Refuah Shleimah

FUNERAL/ SHIVA ANNOUNCEMENTS: For funeral and Shiva email and phone mail announcements contact Reena Greenspan 732-678-8848 (cell), reenagreenspan@yahoo.com or Gene Wasserman 732-397-0130 or genew@compugene.com

YAHRZEIT DATABASE: To register a family member in Yahrzeit database, go to ohrtorah.net, click Members tab, then click "Register for OT Yahrzeit Notification" or speak with Ralph Dessau or Gene Wasserman.

LOCAL ERUV: Find out status of the eruv by:

Email: We send out email within 30 minutes after eruv's status has been determined. Sign up to this service by sending a blank email to hperuv+subscribe@groups.io.

Twitter: This is our official notification channel.

Follow @hp_eruv to get the eruv status as soon as it has been determined.

Facebook: Join Facebook Group hperuv and get eruv notifications within 30 minutes after Twitter update.

Website: Website at <https://hperuv.org> shows eruv's status on the top of the main page. Website also has up to date map of entire eruv.

Hotline: Eruv Hotline at 732-487-ERUV which is updated as soon as the eruv's status has been determined. Questions?: David Weintraub@David@weintraub.name

Parshat Tzav
Candlelighting
Mincha

7:03 PM
7:10 PM

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