

BAIS TORAH BULLETIN

פרשת כי תצא- פרקי אבות פרק א' הדלקת נרות 7:11

August 31, 2012

ג' אלול תשע"ב

ערב שבת פרשת כי תצא

מנחה 7:00

הדלקת נרות 7:11

שקיעה 7:29

שבת פרשת כי תצא

דף היומי 8:00

שחרית 8:45

סוף זמן ק"ש 9:39

פרקי אבות שיעור 5:25

הלכה שיעור* 6:15

מנחה 7:00

שקיעה 7:28

מעריב 8:10

Weekday Schedule:

שחרית 9/2-9/7 Week of

Sunday 7:45

Mon 7:45

Tues, Weds Fri 6:30, 7:45

Thurs 6:20, 7:45

מנחה-מעריב

Sun-Thurs 7:10

Next Week:

שבת פרשת כי תבא

הדלקת נרות 7:00

מנחה 7:00

שקיעה 7:18

WHAT'S NEW

This week's Kiddush is sponsored by all those who participated in the Birthday and Anniversary Kiddush. Mazal Tov to all the celebrants and thank you for supporting the Kiddush. The full list of sponsors and celebrants is attached.

טעודה שלישיית is sponsored by Barry Lifschitz commemorating the yartzeit of his mother Leah bas Avigdor Halevi

***Rabbi Gottlieb's Shabbos afternoon Halacha Shiur** will be "Forgeries, Frauds, and Feuds: Shavous Night Revisited"

Everyone who went on Sunday's Bais Torah trip to the Museum of Jewish Heritage and 9-11 Memorial agreed that it was a most enjoyable and inspirational experience. Special thanks to Doris Newman and the Adult Education Committee for planning a wonderful outing.

Seats are going fast! The Yomim Noraim are around the corner. Please be sure to mail back your seating information and requests for Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur as soon as possible. Or, contact Abe Frankel, Eveline Kranzler or Doris Newman.

Are you traveling overseas? Will you need local currency for when you first arrive? The shul has received a donation of English pounds, as well as various currencies for other countries, and would like to "sell" them at the current exchange rate. It's an easy way to help the shul, and have some money in your pocket when you land in a foreign country! Please contact Marty Ginsberg, Yussie Deutsch, or David Abramczik

The next **Kosher Food Pantry** collection date is **September 3**. Bais Torah's commitment is 140 cans of fruit for the month. The Food Pantry cannot accept cans with expired dates.

Clean Your Closet, Do a Mitzvah—the 3rd Annual Yad Leah Clothing Drive is in full swing. Please donate clothing in GOOD condition to be sent to Israel. Monetary donations are also welcome. Donations can be dropped off at the Katz home, 6 Misty Lane in front of the first garage. **No donations after 6 PM September 3rd.** Any questions please contact: Dovid Katz at 845-729-5329

Congregation Bais Torah will be hosting a special Daf Yomi Siyum Hashas for the Monsey community on Sunday, September 9th. Special Guest Speaker, Rav of the White Shul, **Rabbi Eytan Feiner.** Reception at 3:30, siyum at 4:00, followed by the guest speaker and a sumptuous seudas mitzvah. There is no charge to attend the first part of the program. Couvert for the Seudah is **\$35 per person** pre-paid and couples are cordially invited to attend. To reserve, please call Aviva at the shul office. The guest speaker is sponsored by David and Ruth Lehmann in memory of Shprintze bas Moshe Gedalia; sponsorships available.

MAZAL TOV

Jossi and Sandy Lieder on the birth of a granddaughter born to their children Chana and Betzalel Sochaczewski

Ed and Ruth Levi on the marriage of their grandchildren Channa and Eli Mandelbaum children of Adele and Naftoly Katzenstein

NICHUM AVEILIM

Felise Katz on the petira of her father, Henry Loeser

Refuah Shelaimah

Katie Tannenbaum's grandson - הונתן משה- בן זבורה טובה

Teddy Kallner- תודרוס בן הינדא

Henry Shapiro- חיים מאיר יחיאל בן מלכה לאה

Manny London מנחם מונש בן חנה פרידא

Bob Schore - חיים ראובן בן הענדל יהודית

Tova Eizik's grandson - שלמה יעקב יונתן בן חנה רייזל

Rena Rossman's mother- שושנה בת לאה צירל

Chana Mayerfeld- חנה פרומה בת יהודית גיטל

Larry Seligson- אריה לייב בן רבקה

Larry Seligson's son- רפאל אפרים בן סימא פריעדל

Ed and Helen Furman's son in law רפאל צבי בן עייטא לאה

Manny Mayerfeld

מנחם בן קילה

SHIURIM

Women's Tehilim, l'zecher nishmas Feigel bas Menachem Mendel, meets Shabbos afternoon 30 minutes before Pirkei Avos Shiur

Sunday:

6:25 AM Daf Yomi Rabbi Avromy Fein

8:30 AM Gemara Miseches Pesachim Rabbi Yisroel Gottlieb

Sun-Thurs:

10:00 AM Daf Yomi Rabbi Yosef Fischer

Mon-Friday

5:25 AM Daf Yomi I Rabbi Avromy Fein

7:00 AM Daf Yomi II Rabbi Yisroel Gottlieb

8:25 AM Navi Shiur Rabbi Yosef Fischer

9:45 AM Gemara Shiur Rabbi Leibel Reznick

Wednesday

8:15 PM Navi Yechezkel Rabbi Yisroel Gottlieb-will resume in the fall

Thursday

8:00PM Women's Mishnayos class-Will resume in the fall

Parashas Ke-Setze "When You Go to War..." (Devorim 21:10)

A Message to the Prime Minister

This week's Parashah begins, "When you go to war ..." (Devorim 21:10). There are various kinds of wars: a defensive war, when the People of Israel is being attacked, a war of conquest, and a war of expansion. In this essay, I wish to discuss only defensive war.

I will take one example: four terrorists, two Arabs and two Germans, had hijacked an Air France flight from Tel Aviv to Paris, in 1976, with 230 passengers on board, eighty-three of them Israeli. The terrorists demanded the release of a total of fifty-three prisoners, "freedom fighters" as they called them, mostly from Israel, the rest from several other countries. Eventually, the terrorists carried out a selection; the Jews, ninety-eight in number, and the rest, who were released. The Jews were to be executed, one per hour, barring negotiations.

Eventually, the Israel Defense Forces came up with a military solution, now well-known to all, to land substantial military force at the airport at Entebbe in the disguise of the ruler of Uganda, the notorious Idi Amin. The plan was a success, with unfortunately the loss of four Jewish passengers and the leader of the mission, Lieutenant Colonel Yonatan Netanyahu.

Menachem Begin, member of the Knesset, arose in the Knesset and declared:

What did we see at Entebbe? We saw an extremist left-wing German Nazi point a finger at the hostages: who shall go to the left and who shall go the right; non-Jews one way, Jews the other. And we asked ourselves, Ribono shel Olam – G-d Almighty – hardly thirty years after the Auschwitz crematoria, that cemetery without end, with the image of Dr. Mengele still fresh in our minds, standing there among the rows of Jews – of the men and of the women – of the children and of the babies – pointing his finger, to the right: to death; to the left: to life. And there was no one to save them.

Well, now there is. Now we declare for all to hear: Never Again! Our generation has taken a solemn oath consecrated in the blood of our slain mothers, our butchered fathers, our asphyxiated babies and our fallen brave – never again will the blood of the Jew be shed with impunity. Never again will Jewish honor be easy prey.

... after all that has befallen our nation throughout all the generations ... if there be anyone anywhere who is persecuted, or humiliated, or threatened, or abducted, or is in any way endangered simply because he or she is a Jew, then let the whole world know that we, Israel, the Jewish State, shall marshal all our strength to come to their aid and bring them to the safe haven of our homeland. ... [The Prime Ministers, Yehuda Avner, pp.315-316]

In our time, another Middle- Eastern demagogue has his hand on the nuclear trigger. He has learned well from Saddam Hussein's mistakes. He has buried his centrifuges deep underground to protect them from aerial bombardment, even by "bunker-busting" explosives. Ahmadinejad speaks openly about the purpose of his nuclear arsenal. It is to "wipe Israel off the face of the earth", "chas v'sholom" – G-d forbid. And in the view of Israeli intelligence, he is approaching near immunity from aerial bombardment.

Prime Minister Netanyahu, let me remind you of two important facts, which Menachem Begin listed among his lessons from the Holocaust. When Ahmadinejad states his intention of using his nuclear weapons against Israel, there is no reason to doubt him. There is also no reason to be concerned about the reactions of the United States or the rest of the world if Israel takes proactive measures in attempting to destroy Iran's nuclear reactors.

This is clearly a defensive, existential war, in which one could have good hope in the help of the Almighty. And, remember the fighting spirit displayed by your brother Yonatan, when he led the first attackers in the operation at Entebbe against overwhelming odds, and let it animate you.

L'lluy Nishmas beni, Aharon Baruch Mordechai ben Pinchas Menachem

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In Case of Emergency The red Hatzolah phone is in the hallway on the wall between the rear washing station and the Simcha Room.

The defibrillator is in a cubby in the coat room opposite the Hatzolah phone.

Happy Birthday!

Carol Abramczik.....	September 19th
Leah Benmergui, 6 (Lehmann granddaughter)	September 17th
Miriam Bodenheim (Lieder granddaughter)	September 19th
Shalom Bodenheim (Lieder grandson)	September 19th
Prina Fessel	September 3rd
Elisheva Fichtenberg (Thurm granddaughter)	September 20th
Phyllis Frankel.....	August 14th
Dina Friedman (Fessel granddaughter).....	September 20th
Shmuel Friedman (Fessel grandson)	September 23rd
Chana Gelbein (Gordon granddaughter).....	September 18th
Shoshana Gelbein (Gordon granddaughter).....	September 28th
Aron Gordon	September 1st
Yaffa Gordon (daughter-in-law)	September 14th
Judy Gribetz	August 19th
Dena Feiga Herrmann (Kronenberg/Herrmann granddaughter)	August 31st
Dovid Katz.....	August 14th
Ricki Katz.....	September 1st
Danielle Kimmel (daughter-in-law).....	September 30th
Dovi Kimmel (grandson)	August 26th
Hinda Kimmel.....	August 28th
Jay Kimmel	August 21st
Maital Kimmel (granddaughter).....	August 17th
Shea Kimmel (grandson's Bar Mitzvah).....	August 29th
Yair Kimmel (grandson)	September 13th
Michael Kronenberg	August 29th
Sharon Kronenberg	August 17th
Nechama Lieder (granddaughter).....	September 21st
Raizel Miriam Lieder (granddaughter)	August 31st
Yissacher Pinchus Lieder (grandson)	September 11th
Chaim Noach Lifschitz (Kronenberg/Lifschitz grandson)	August 19th
Daniel Peikes (Lieder grandson)	September 15th
Talya Markowitz (Kronenberg/Markowitz granddaughter, Bas Mitzvah) ..	August 13th
Mikayla Ohayon (Thurm granddaughter).....	September 7th
Batya Markowitz Paul (40 on Rosh Hashana)	September 9th
Yehuda Schwartz, 11 (Lehmann grandson)	September 5th
David Yitzchak Weinraub (Kronenberg grandson).....	August 16th
Elisheva Kronenberg Weinraub	August 2nd
Sam Wilen.....	September 5th

Happy Anniversary!

Rabbi Yisroel & Amy Gottlieb	August 16th
Josef & Barbara Fischer	August 12th
Ephraim & Ilana Fessel Friedman, 12 yrs.	August 30th
Abe & Phyllis Frankel	August 18th
Richard & Kay Greenblatt	September 13th
Noam & Tova Kronenberg Herrmann	August 21st
Jay & Hinda Kimmel	September 1st
Ayal & Jennifer Greenblatt Korczak.....	August 29th
Mordechai & Elisheva Kronenberg	August 25th
David & Ruth Lehmann, 42 yrs.....	August 30th
Carl & Sara Markowitz, 42 yrs.....	August 30th
Jesse & Sharona Thurm Ohayon	August 16th
Nachman & Batya Markowitz Paul, 18 yrs	August 7th
Saul & Phyllis Siegel.....	September 3rd
Bert & Alice Sirote.....	September 1st
Donny & Tammy Thurm.....	August 17th
Max & Sandra Thurm	August 31st
Aron & Elisheva Kronenberg Weinraub.....	August 17th