

BAIS TORAH BULLETIN

פרשת עקב

פרקי אבות פרק ד' הדלקת נרות 7:20

Shabbos Mevorchim

August 6, 2015

כב' אב תשע"ה

ערב שבת פרשת עקב

Mincha	7:00
Candle lighting (summer)	7:20
Candle lighting(actual)	7:48
Shkiah	8:06

שבת פרשת עקב

Hashkama	7:30
Daf Yomi	8:00
Shacharis	8:45
Sof Zman K"S	9:27
Pirkei Avos	6:50
Mincha	7:35
Shkiah	8:04
Maariv	8:49

Weekday Schedule:

Week of 8/9--8/14

Shacharis

Sunday	7:45
Mon., Thurs.	6:20, 7:45
Tues, Weds, Fri	6:30, 7:45

Mincha-Maariv

Sun-Thurs	7:45
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NEXT SHABBOS

פרשת ראה שבת ראש

חודש

Mincha	7:00
Candle lighting (summer)	7:20
Candle lighting(actual)	7:38
Shkiah	7:56

WHAT'S NEW

This week's Kiddush is available for sponsorship.

סעודה שלישיית is co-sponsored by **Gil Backenroth** for the yartzheit of his father Shmuel Yitzchok ben R' Aryeh and by **Rabbi Yossi Fischer** for the yartzheit of his mother Hinda bas Yehoshua Yisrael.

Thank you Rabbi Howie Apfel, for speaking Friday night and at Sholosh Seudos, **Dr. Moe Tilson** for giving the Shabbos morning drasha, and **Dr. Avi Becker** for giving the Pirkei Avos shiur.

This Sunday, August 9th please join us at 9:45 AM for a special lecture by **Mr. Joseph Levy**: "The History of Jews in Arab Lands." All are invited to attend.

Rabbi Frand's TCN live video shiur resumes Thursday Aug 20th at 9 PM.

New! Summertime Daf Yomi Shiur given by Rabbi Yossi Abramcyk, **Monday through Thursday one hour before Mincha** in the Simcha Room. Everyone is invited to join. For further details, see David Lehmann.

Thank you Kay Greenblatt for all the hard work that went into organizing the Mostly Mozart concert tickets.

The Daf Yomi Shiur on Thursday, August 6th was **sponsored by David Mayerfeld** for the yahrzeit of his mother, Esther bas Moshe, A"H.

Back by popular demand, an encore presentation of **The Prime Ministers - the Pioneers** Wednesday night, August 19 at 7:30p.m. Mincha is at 7:15, Maariv will follow the program. Admission is \$10.

The next Birthday and Anniversary Kiddush is August 29th, Shabbos Parshas Parshas Ki Tetze. If you are celebrating a birthday or anniversary in August or September-celebrate with your Bais Torah family! For \$18 per name or couple you can help sponsor our weekly Kiddush. **Deadline is Tuesday August 25th. Email : Baistorah@gmail.com**

MAZAL TOV

Peter and Felise Katz on the engagement of their daughter Ricki to Brandon Gelbart of Boca Raton, Florida.

Edwin and Ruth Levi on the engagement of their grandson Yehuda Levi, son of Elyu and Deena Levi, to Ilana Rosenberg of Dallas, Texas .

Mr. Manny Mayerfeld on the birth of a great-grandson, born to his grandchildren Meira and Chaim Dovid Bauminger of Yerushalayim, children of Tzvi and Dina Mayerfeld of Passaic.

Refuah Shelaimah

Katie Tannenbaum's grandson-

יהונתן משה בן דבורה טובה

Rosalie Kallner

שיינה רחל בת שרה הודל

Henry Shapiro-

חיים מאיר יחיאל בן מלכה לאה

Bob Schore -

חיים ראובן בן הענדל יהודית

Larry Seligson

אריה לייב בן רבקה

Larry Seligson's son-

רפאל אפרים בן סימא פריעדל

Manny Mayerfeld

מנחם בן קילה

פנחס לייאן בן ריזל

Ruth Malinowitz

רבקה בת פריידא

Helen Furman

חנה בת תמרה

Andy Yurowitz

אליהו זבי בן חנה

Allen Nussbaum אשר בן קילה

Shira Steinberg שירה רות בת שרה

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SHIURIM

Women's Tehilim, l'zecher nishmas Feigel bas Menachem Mendel, meets **Shabbos** afternoon 30 minutes before the 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 Chumash Shiur

Rabbi Yosef Fischer

9:45 AM Gemara Shiur

Rabbi Leibel Reznick

Wednesday

Navi-will return

Rabbi Yisroel Gottlieb

Thursday

8:15 Women's Mishnayos

Dr. Debbie Raice Fox

Parashas Eikev Blessings of Rain

Parashas Eikev opens on the following cheerful note:

"This shall be the reward when you hearken to these ordinances, and observe and perform them; Ha-Shem, your God, will safeguard for you the covenant and the kindness that He swore to your forefathers. He will love you, bless you, and multiply you, and He will bless the fruit of your womb and the fruit of your Land; your grain, your wine, and your oil; the offspring of your cattle and the flocks of your sheep and your goats; on the Land that He swore to your forefathers to give you..." (Devarim 7:12-13)

Along the same lines are the following promises from the second paragraph of "Krias Shema:"

"It will be that if you hearken to My commandments that I command you today, to love HaShem your God and to serve Him with all your heart and all your soul, that I will provide rain for your Land in their proper times, the early rain and the late rain, that you may gather in your grain, your wine and your oil. I shall provide grass in your field for your cattle and you will eat and be satisfied." (Devarim 11:13-15)

But then comes a warning:

"Beware for yourselves, lest your heart be seduced and you turn astray and serve gods of others and prostrate yourselves to them. Then the wrath of HaShem will blaze against you. He will restrain the heavens so there will be no rain, and the ground will not yield its produce; and you will be swiftly banished from the goodly Land that HaShem gives you." (Devarim 11:16-17)

Then the "Tefilin shel Yad" upon your arm, opposite the heart, and the "Tefilin shel Rosh" upon one's forehead, opposite the brain, containing the soul, are appointed as guardians. *"You shall place these words of Mine upon your heart and upon your soul; you shall bind them for a sign upon your arm and let them be set between your eyes. You shall teach them to your children to discuss them, while you sit in your home, and when you walk on the way, when you retire and when you arise. And you shall write them on the doorposts of your home, and upon your gate. In order to prolong your days and the days of your children upon the Land that HaShem has sworn to your forefathers, to give them, like the days of the heavens over the earth." (Devarim 11:18-21)*

The importance of rain and water for life is highlighted in the Prayer for Rain recited on "Shemini Atzeres," some of the stanzas of which are listed below:

"May He obligate the Angel (Af-Beri) to give us portions of the separated rain,

To soften the wasteland's face when it is as dry as rock.

With water You symbolized Your might in Scripture,

To soothe with its drops those in whom was blown a soul;

To keep alive the ones who recall the strengths of the rain."

"Our God and the God of our Fathers"

"Remember the Patriarch Avraham who was drawn behind You like water;

You blessed him like a tree planted alongside streams of water,

You shielded him, You rescued him from fire and from water.

You tested him when he sowed upon all waters.

Cong. – For his sake, do not hold water back!"

"Chazzan:

For You are HaShem, our God, Who makes the winds blow and the rains descend:

For blessing and not for curse! (Cong. – Amen!)

For life and not for death! (Cong. – Amen!)

For plenty and not for scarcity! (Cong. – Amen!)"

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

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