

BAIS TORAH BULLETIN

פרשת תזריע-פרשת החודש

הדלקת נרות 7:07

Shabbos Rosh Chodesh

April 5, 2019

כ"ט-אדר ב' תשע"ט

ערב שבת פרשת תזריע

Candle lighting	7:07
Mincha	7:15
Shkiah	7:25

שבת פרשת תזריע

Hashkama	7:30
Daf Yomi	8:00
Shacharis	8:45
Sof Zman K"S	9:45
Halacha	6:10
Mincha	6:55
Shkiah	7:26
Maariv	8:08
Shabbos Ends	8:16

Weekday Schedule:

Week of 4/7-4/12

Shacharis

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

MINCHA-MAARIV

Sun-Thurs 7:20 PM

NEXT WEEK

ערב שבת מצורע

Candle lighting	7:15
Mincha	7:20
Shkiah	7:33

WHAT'S NEW

This week's Kiddush is available for sponsorship.

סעודה שליטת is available for sponsorship.

The shiurim from TCN feature Rabbi Mansour at 7:45 PM **Thursday nights** followed by Rabbi Frand at 9 PM. Motzaie Shabbos Rabbi Reisman's shiur begins **10:00 PM**. All are welcome to attend.

The Rav, at the Halacha shiur on Shabbos afternoon will be discussing "Uggs and Bugs- Looking for Problems."

The **Daf Yomi Shiurim** for April 7th will be sponsored by Menachem Srulowitz in memory of grandfather Mr. Abraham Rothblatt, Avrohom Chaim Yehuda ben R' Mayer HaKohen

Matzos can be picked up at the shul office, Monday-Thursday 9 AM to 1 PM and THIS Sunday morning April 7th after the Siyum Mishnayos.

Please join us for the 40th annual Elaine Fischer/Ilan Tokayer **Chevra Mishnayos Siyum THIS Sunday April 7th at 9:30 AM**. A sumptuous, anonymously sponsored breakfast will be served. Please make reservations through the Shul office, 352-1343 or Yossi Fischer, 425-2785.

Once again, **Rabbi Gottlieb** will be delivering a three-part series of shiurim in preparation for **Pesach**. Please take careful note of the dates and times for each shiur as the days vary due to scheduling conflicts. Shiur 2 - **Products and Shopping (Including Medications)** - Wednesday, April 10th at 8:00 PM, Shiur 3 - **Seuder and Haggadah** - Sunday, April 14th at 8:00 PM. All are invited.

Sandy Rosenwasser and Leslie Goldress are collecting Matzah for the Kosher Food Pantry. If you received free Matzah from Shoprite that you do not want, please drop it off at 39 Forshay Road.

Save the Date; Yom Haatzmaut celebration at ASHAR, **May 8th at 8 PM** featuring Rabbi Dr. Tzvi Hersh Weinreb. More details to follow....

SAVE THE DATE: The **Annual Bais Torah Dinner** will be Sunday May 12 at 6PM at Valley Terrace. We will be honoring Dr. Gedalya and Leanna Rapoport, our baal Koreh Rocky Cohen and Moshe Lehmann. More Details coming soon....

A woman's ring was found in shul a few months ago. Please contact Sandy Lieder if it you think it may be yours, or have any leads to whom it may belong.

MAZAL TOV

Ronnie and Jennifer Herrmann on the marriage of their grandchildren Chaya and Moshe Fabbi, children of Shira and Doron Goldschmidt of Passaic

The Cohen family and Rocky and Laya Rivka Cohen on their marriage

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

Larry Seligson's son-

רפאל אפרים בן סימא פריעדל

Manny Mayerfeld

מנחם בן קילה

פנחס ליאן בן ריזל

Ruth Malinowitz

רבקה בת פריידא

Andy Yurowitz

אליהו זבי בן חנה

Shira Steinberg

שירה רות בת שרה

Rechy Ortner's cousin

רחל ביילא בת גיטל

Goldress grandson

אילן רפאל בן טובה רבקה

Jennifer Herrmann's mother

שרה צירלא בת ידיל

Ruth Lowenstein's mother

בתיא בת מרים

Marty Ginsberg

משה זאב בן אסתר

BIKUR CHOLIM-

Please Call Before Visiting

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SHIURIM

Women's Tehilim, I'zecher nishmas Feigel bas Menachem Mendel, meets **Shabbos** afternoon 45 minutes before the Pirkei Avos shiur

Sunday:

6:25 AM Daf Yomi

Rabbi Avromy Fein

8:30 AM Gemara Mischeches Pesachim

Rabbi Yisroel Gottlieb

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 -

8:00 PM Navi Shiur-Trei Asar

Rabbi Yisroel Gottlieb

Thursday

8:00 The Sandra Thurm Women's Mishna Class

Dr. Deborah Raice Fox

Parashas Tazriah "Nes Nistar," the Hidden Miracle and "Nes Nigleh," the Revealed Miracle

Today's Parashah begins with a reference to a great "Nes Nistar," "When a woman conceives" (*VaYikra 12:2*) – the act which results in the production of a child – male or female. The only reason I identify this process, where the Creator of the Universe has bestowed His Creative Power upon His creatures, as a "Nes Nistar" rather than as a "Nes Nigleh" is, paradoxically, its non-hiddenness; that is, the ability to reproduce is granted universally, to all species which inhabit the earth.

By identifying the process of reproduction as a Miracle, I don't mean to imply that it represents the manifestation of a super-natural process. It is, rather, its surprise, its wondrous quality, which has been built into Nature, so to speak, by the Creator of Natural Law. In fact, science is almost daily gaining insight upon insight into the wondrous genetic mechanism which enables the appearance of generation after generation.

However, there is still some mystery which may be left for humanity to uncover, as a part of its fulfillment, albeit most often unconsciously, of the Command, "Be fruitful and multiply, fill the earth and conquer it" (*Bereshis 1:28*), the most profound meaning of which is to conquer it intellectually; that is, "Use your minds to penetrate its deepest secrets." That is, how an undifferentiated combination of cells can develop into a fully differentiated organism, where a nose cell knows that it belongs to the nose, a tooth cell that it belongs to a tooth, and an eye cell that it belongs to an eye.

Scientific American in a fascinating article in its April, 2008 edition features an article entitled, "Regrowing Human Limbs," by Ken Muneoka, Manjong Han and David M. Gardiner. The article contrasts the activity of humans and salamanders (yes – salamanders! – The Creator seems to enjoy packaging important lessons for human beings in small packages, in the manner of, "Examine the behavior of the ant, O lazy one; see how it functions in an incredibly organized fashion, and derive wisdom from it." (*Mishlei 6:6*)) In the article, we find the process of regeneration of a limb as performed by a salamander summarized as follows:

Wound Closure – Within hours of a leg amputation, epidermal skin cells migrate across the wound to seal it, forming a 'wound epidermis.'

Healing Signals – Epidermal cells form a ridge known as an apical epithelial cap, which generates critical signals that guide the behavior of other cells...

Return to the Womb – Cells that migrated to the wound revert to a less specialized embryonic state and begin dividing to populate the bud of a new limb, called a blastema.

Taking Shape – As the blastema grows, it begins to form the outline of the new limb, including the tip that will become the foot. The embryonic cells give rise to new tissues by proliferating and differentiating into bone, muscle..."

"Although a large number of genes are involved during embryonic development in educating cells about their position in the limb, the activity of a gene family called 'Hox' is critical. In most animals, cells in the developing limb bud use the positional code provided by 'Hox' genes to form a limb, but then they 'forget' where they came from as they differentiate into more specialized tissues later on. In contrast, fibroblasts in the adult salamander limb **maintain a memory of this information** and can re-access the positional 'Hox' code..."

"Indeed, when we consider all that we have learned about wound healing and regeneration from studies in various animal models, the surprising conclusion is that we may be only a decade or two away from a day when we can regenerate human body parts...Now, as we watch a salamander grow back an arm, we are no longer quite as mystified by how it happens. Soon humans might be able to harness this truly awesome ability ourselves, replacing damaged and diseased body parts at will, perhaps indefinitely."

After years of observing soldiers returning from battle without some of their limbs, and being able to do nothing for them except provide artificial, albeit ingenious, substitutes, we may be able to do better. And medical patients who undergo the agony of amputation may have a brighter future.

We refer to HaShem in Birchas "Asher Yatzar" as "Healer of all flesh, Who does wonders!" Little did we realize how wondrously He does indeed work – in the realm of the "Nes Nigleh," the Revealed Miracle.

"L'Iluy Nishmas beni, Aharon Baruch Mordechai ben Pinchas Menachem

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