



Shabbat, February 9, 2019 - Adar Alef 4, 5779  
Parshat Terumah (Pg. 444) *The Eruv is Up this Shabbat*

### Torah Insights

"They shall make an Ark of acacia wood, two and a half cubits its length, a cubit and a half its width, and a cubit and a half its height." (Parshat Terumah 25:10)

Numerous commentaries propose various symbolic interpretations of each of the Temple vessels. Rabbi Samson Raphael Hirsch remarked that in contrast to the Ten Commandments which were given on stone tablets to indicate the fixed and unalterable nature of Torah law, the Ark of G-d (*Aron Hakodesh*) contained within it a wooden frame. Rabbi Hirsch explained that the inclusion of wood within the Ark was meant to symbolize that through Torah study, each person *elevates* his or her character, similar to the growth of a tree.

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SAVE THE DATE: FRIDAY NIGHT, MARCH 16

## FAS Warmly Welcomes AMBASSADOR DANNY AYALON



**Friday Night Dinner following services.**

**Members: \$80/Adult, \$40/Child; Non-Members: \$100/Adult, \$50/Child  
Great Children's Program! RSVP: [Tanya@5as.org](mailto:Tanya@5as.org), or [www.5as.org](http://www.5as.org).**

*Ambassador Danny Ayalon is the President of Hod Ayalon LTD, a private consulting firm for governments and international corporations, and the Chairman of Silver Road Capital, an investment banking firm for business owners and companies. He is the founder of The Truth About Israel, a nonprofit organization that defends Israel using social media, and is the Rennert Family Visiting Professor of Foreign Policy Studies at Yeshiva University, where he teaches courses on statecraft, foreign policy, and international relations. He is a member of the Board of Governors of Tel Aviv University and the Board of Trustees of the Lantos Foundation for Human Rights and Justice. From 2009 until 2013, he served as Israel's Deputy Foreign Minister and as a Member of Knesset. From 2002 until 2006, Ayalon served as the Ambassador of Israel to the United States. Prior to his ambassadorship, he worked for half a decade in the Israeli Prime Minister's Office as the senior foreign policy advisor to Prime Ministers Benjamin Netanyahu, Ehud Barak, and Ariel Sharon. From 1993 until 1997, Ayalon served as Chief of Staff at the Permanent Mission of Israel to the United Nations in New York. From 1991 until 1993, he served as the Consul of Israel in Panama. Ambassador Ayalon was a member of the Israeli delegation to the Wye River Plantation Summit of 1998 and the Camp David Summit of 2000. He served for three years as a captain in the armored corps of the Israel Defense Forces. Ambassador Ayalon holds an MBA from Bowling Green State University in Ohio and a BA in Economics from Tel Aviv University. He lives in Hod Hasharon with his wife and their two daughters.*



### Barak Dunayer

Barak Dunayer will lead services this Friday night, and Shacharit services on Shabbat morning.



### Yisroel Halpert

Yisroel Halpert will lead Mincha services this Shabbat afternoon.



### Cantor Joseph Malovany

Cantor Malovany will be leading services next Shabbat, February 15 - 16.

## Condolence

Fifth Avenue Synagogue regrets to inform you of the passing of Irving Sklaver ob”m, beloved father of our dear member Linda Schonfeld (Myron).

Shiva will be observed at the Schonfeld residence, 880 Fifth Avenue, Apt. 3E (between 69th & 70th Streets) NYC. Shiva visits are welcome on Saturday night from 7:00 PM to 10:00 PM and Sunday - Wednesday from 11:00 AM to 8:00 PM. There will be a Shacharit minyan on Sunday morning at 8:30 AM, and on Monday - Thursday mornings at 7:30 AM. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family.

### THANK YOU TO OUR GENEROUS DONORS - 5779 ANNUAL CAMPAIGN

Below is a list of those who thus far have made contributions to the 5779 Annual Campaign in an amount of \$500 or more. Please contact President Jacob Gold, (212) 980-0140, [jacob@jacobdgold.com](mailto:jacob@jacobdgold.com), Vice President Kim Heyman, [kimheyman@gmail.com](mailto:kimheyman@gmail.com) or the Synagogue office (212) 838-2122, regarding your contribution for the new year.

We thank all contributors for their support! Please make your donation today!

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Congratulations to Synagogue Custodian William Ames and his wife Karin on the birth of a boy, Brandon.

## Mazal Tov!

Mazal Tov to Emily and Andrew Korman on the birth of their daughter, Eliana Bracha.

### FAS MEN'S & WOMEN'S CLUBS EXCLUSIVE BOOK READING EVENT



**THIS SUNDAY, February 10 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM**

Exclusive book reading with award-winning author **Sandra E. Rapoport**, author of *Biblical Seductions*, at the home of **Lauren & Ezra Merkin**.

Ms. Rapoport will present her new book, *The Queen & The Spymaster*, a novel based on the story of Esther. All are welcome. Light refreshments. Books will be available for purchase and signing. **RSVP to [Tanya@5as.org](mailto:Tanya@5as.org).**

### THREE-PART SERIES with ALAN RECHTSCHAFFEN



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**Class 1:** Politics, Faith and Knowing We're Alive

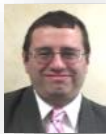
**Class 2:** Self Accounting: Advice for Growth

**Class 3:** The World through the Eyes of Abraham

**The Second Class takes place this Monday, February 11, at 6:00 PM**

Sushi & Wine will be provided. **Please RSVP to [Tanya@5as.org](mailto:Tanya@5as.org).**

### WEEKLY PARSHA CLASS with YISROEL HALPERT



The next class will take place **this Thursday, February 14, at 5:50 PM** (following Mincha/Ma'ariv) at FAS, entitled: **Parshat Tetzaveh**

Pizza will be provided. **Please RSVP to [tanya@5as.org](mailto:tanya@5as.org).**

### — ISRAEL 70 YEARS SPEAKER SERIES —

#### SHABBAT MORNING, MARCH 9, 2019: FAS Warmly Welcomes AMBASSADOR DANNY DANON



**Ambassador Danon will address us on Shabbat morning, March 9.**

*Ambassador Danny Danon is Israel's Permanent Representative to the United Nations. Born in Israel in 1971, Ambassador Danon completed his IDF service with the rank of lieutenant and served as Overall Commander of the Marva volunteer program. Prior to his appointment in October 2015, the Ambassador had a distinguished career in the Israeli Knesset and Cabinet serving as Deputy Speaker of the Knesset, Deputy Minister of Defense and Minister of Science, Technology, and Space. Ambassador Danon served, among others, as Chairman of World Likud, member of the Jewish Agency Board of Governors, member of the Zionist Executive of W.Z.O., and Chairman of the World Betar Executive. He holds a BA in International Relations from FIU and an MA in Public Policy from the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. Ambassador Danon is the recent recipient of an honorary doctorate from Yeshiva University.*

### Yahrzeits February 9 - 15, 2019; Adar Alef 4 - 10, 5779

#### February/Adar I

9 4 Mr. Simon Fischer, Father  
10 5 Mr. Michael Shvo, Father  
12 7 Mr. Lawrence Friedland, Mother  
12 7 Mrs. Anne Hiltzik, Husband  
12 7 Dr. Phyllis Cohen Gladstein, Father  
13 8 Mrs. Linda Jesselson, Mother

#### February/Adar I

14 9 Mrs. Inge Rennert, Mother  
14 9 Mr. Yisroel Halpert, Father  
14 9 Mr. Joel Davidson, Sister  
14 9 Dr. Elizabeth Müss, Grandfather  
15 10 Prof. Joel Fleishman, Mother

## SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

### Friday, February 8

Candle Lighting.....	5:03 PM
Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat.....	5:10 PM

### Shabbat, February 9

Daf Yomi in the Library.....	8:00 AM
Parsha Class with Rabbi Babich.....	8:30 AM
Shacharit.....	9:00 AM
K'riat HaTorah.....	9:50 AM
Mussaf.....	10:50 AM
Sermon/Announcements.....	11:15 AM
Adon Olam.....	11:30 AM

### Shabbat Afternoon Schedule

Daf Yomi in the Library.....	3:45 PM
Mincha/Seudah Shlishit.....	4:45 PM
Shabbat Ends.....	6:06 PM

### Sunday, February 10

Daf Yomi.....	7:00 AM
Shacharit.....	8:30 AM
Mincha/Ma'ariv.....	5:15 PM

### Monday, February 11 - Thursday, February 14

Daf Yomi.....	6:30 AM
Shacharit.....	7:30 AM
Mincha/Ma'ariv.....	5:15 PM
<i>*Rabbi Rosensweig's Talmud class - Tuesday, February 12, 7:30 PM</i>	

### Friday, February 15

Daf Yomi.....	6:30 AM
Shacharit.....	7:30 AM
Candle Lighting.....	5:12 PM
Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat.....	5:20 PM

## FAS YOUTH PROGRAM EVERY SHABBAT!

**-Junior Congregation led by Rivkah Halpert Ages 1-4, 5th Floor - 10:30 AM**

**Youth Groups Ages 5+ this Shabbat with Deena Gold and Lexi Eichel.  
4th Floor - 9:30 AM.**