



Week of February 8, 2019
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Terumah

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Erev Shabbat

Shacharis 6:15 AM, 7:00 AM
Candle Lighting 5:05 PM
Mincha 5:10 PM

Shabbat Morning

Shacharis 7:10 AM, 8:45 AM
Shema 9:35 AM
Derasha by Rabbi Barry Eichenbaum,
RIETS Rabbinic Intern

Shabbat Afternoon

Daf Yomi 3:35 PM
Sefer Shmuel Shiur 4:20 PM
Mincha 4:50 PM
Havdalah 6:15 PM
Parent-Child Learning 6:45 PM

Sunday 2/10

Shacharis TBD, 8:00 AM
Mincha/ Maariv 5:10 PM
Women's Shiur with Mrs. Yael Axelrod 8:00 PM
at the Reich residence, 29 Cypress Terrace

* Amud Yomi (Mon.—Thurs.) 5:50 AM
* 7 AM Daily minyan will now be beginning with
'Rebbe Yishmael' at 7am.

Monday 2/11

Shacharis 6:10 AM, 7:00 AM
Mincha/ Maariv 5:10 PM, 9:15 PM

Tuesday 2/12

Shacharis 6:15 AM, 7:00 AM
Mincha/ Maariv 5:10 PM, 9:15 PM
Women's Tehillim 7:30 PM
TNT "Tuesday Night Torah" 8:15 PM

Wednesday 2/13

Shacharis 6:15 AM, 7:00 AM
Mincha/ Maariv 5:10 PM, 9:15 PM

Thursday 2/14

Shacharis 6:10 AM, 7:00 AM
Mincha/ Maariv 5:10 PM, 9:15 PM
Special Shovavim Shiur for Men by
Rabbi Yossi Kurant 8:45 PM
Mussar following late Maariv in the Beis Medrash

Friday 2/15

Shacharis 6:15 AM, 7:00 AM
Candle Lighting 5:13 PM
Mincha 5:15 PM

Rabbi's Message

BS"D

**Another beautiful Torah insight from Rav Mordechai Shifman of Emek Hebrew Academy in Los Angeles.
Have a great Shabbos.**

The Torah states, "Ve'asu li mikdash veshachanti betocham" - "They should build for Me a Sanctuary and I will reside in them." In order to be grammatically correct, the verse should have stated "and I will reside in *it*". What message is being taught by this apparent inconsistency?

The Torah relates that the Kohein Gadol wore a robe with bells attached to its hem to insure that before he entered the Sanctuary his presence would be announced. The **Rashbam** cites this verse as the source for the practice of Rabbi Yochanan, which was to knock on the door of his own home before entering. It seems logical to assume that the verse indicates that a person is required to announce himself before entering someone *else's* home, not his own. The novelty of Rabbi Yochanan's actions seems to be that he would knock before entering his *own* home. How can the Kohein Gadol's requirement to announce himself before entering the Sanctuary, which is the home for the Shechina - the Divine Presence, be the source of the requirement for us to announce ourselves before entering our *own* homes?

Rabbi Yochanan is teaching us that although the structure we build is for Hashem's presence to rest, it is nevertheless still considered our home. The Tabernacle, and on a smaller scale our houses of worship, are the communal prototype of what our own homes should be. Hashem's presence should not be confined to a structure which is deemed His home, for in such a case, we cannot draw an example from it on a personal level, for our own homes. The Tabernacle is to be viewed as the blueprint for the building of our own individual homes. Therefore, we are commanded to build a structure in a manner which will ultimately facilitate not only the Divine presence resting within *it*, but more importantly, the Divine presence resting within our homes and ultimately within us.

CIS Welcomes Scholar-in-Residence, Rabbi Paysach Krohn, Shabbos of February 15-16th
Scholar-in-Residence will be sponsored by Leah and Noah Kaminer in memory of Noah's father,
Binyamin ben Moshe Meir z"l and as a zechus for their children.

February 9, 2019

Early minyan kiddush is sponsored by Ana and Sion Suffir to commemorate the yahrtzeit of Sion's mother, Zalo bat Yitzak.
Main kiddush sponsored by Danielle and Reuven Pepper to commemorate the 11th yahrtzeit of Danielle's father,
Allan Stuart Zipkin z"l.

Shalosh seudos is sponsored by the Navi Shiur Havruta for the siyum on Sefer Shmuel.

February 16, 2019

Early minyan kiddush is unsponsored.
Main kiddush will be sponsored by Fran and David Gidalowitz.
Shalosh seudos is unsponsored.

The next women's shiur hachodesh will be this Sunday night,
February 10th, at 8 pm, at the home of Ariana and Adam Reich,
29 Cypress Terrace.

*Guest Speaker: Mrs. Yael Axelrod on the topic of
"Where Emunah meets Tefillah: An Exploration of Sh'ma Yisrael"
Shiur sponsored by Ariana and Adam Reich in memory of
Adam's mother, Dr. Robin Goldman a"h.*

FEBRUARY 2019 MEETINGS

Executive Committee Meeting- February 12th, 7:30 pm
Sisterhood Board Meeting- February 13th, 8:15 - 9:15 pm
Board of Trustees Meeting- February 19th, 7:15 pm

Last NO@TS event of the season! You worked your building
muscles, you flexed your funny bone, now come stretch
your brain! Can you beat the Varsity Challenge on
February 23rd @ 8pm?

Sign up now: <https://goo.gl/forms/7cfEuAshO3UVhO5G2>.
RSVP by February 19th.

Camp Kitanim 2019 Registration Now Open

Registration forms can be downloaded from the shul website at
www.congregationisrael.org

Early Bird Discount: \$100 off if deposit and registration form is
submitted to the shul office by February 15th.

FIDDLER ON THE ROOF IN YIDDUSH WITH ENGLISH SUPERTITLES

Direct from it's sold-out run downtown, Fiddler on the Roof in
Yiddush is moving uptown!

If you are interested in attending and participating in this
groundbreaking cultural production, please contact Avi Borenstein
at (201-404-5519) or Jane Bergere at (212-249-8913).

YOUTH GROUP NEWS

UPCOMING EVENTS

Feb. 9th, 7:15 am: YLIT & TEEN, Scavenger Hunt at Short Hills Mall

Feb. 17th, 11 am: COLOR ME MINE COMING TO CIS!

RSVP by February 13th - \$15 per person

February 13th - \$20 per person but cannot guarantee product
availability

Sunday, March 17th, 11 am - 1 pm: CIS Annual Youth Carnival

Members: \$10 per person, \$35 per family max

Not yet members: \$15 per person, \$50 per family max

Wednesday, March 20th, after 1st Megillah reading:

Open to the entire CIS community

Scrumptious post megillah break fast and extreme magic of
Eric Wilzig!

MAZEL TOV!

Mazal Tov to Marilyn and Howard (Chezzie) Korman on the
birth of a granddaughter to Emily and Andrew Korman!
Special Mazel Tov to great-grandmother, Sonia Samuels!

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Mazal Tov to Dalia Barness on Arielle's engagement to
Yosef Haim Horesh!

Thank you to Diane and Rick Covkin for sponsoring
TNT this week.

Sisterhood Mishloach Manot is now live!

The first email for the fundraiser has gone out, if you have not
received it, please email Tzipporah Schvarcz at
tzipporahgold@gmail.com and let her know.
We are looking forward to another successful fundraising year!

JKHA invites prospective and current Springfield parents to an
evening featuring Ms. Abbey Roth, JKHA Media Specialist, on "Library
as the Center for Interdisciplinary Learning." Hear about how Judaics,
social studies and STEAM come together at JKHA, and the role of the
library in the development of multi-disciplinary student programs and
projects. **Wednesday, Feb 13th, 8pm** at the home of
Daniella and Ben Hoffer, 183 Milltown Road. Questions?
Email alyons@jkha.org.

Sisterhood Wood Sign Workshop - Sun Feb 24th 7-9pm

Join us for a fun night enjoying one of the newest activities
around - rustic wood sign painting!
Pre-event registration required as signs and materials are planned
and personalized ahead of time.

Please RSVP - <https://www.paintnpallet.com/22419/> or
daniellahoffer@gmail.com (subject: Sisterhood)

44th Annual CIS Dinner, April 2, 2019

Crystal Plaza in Livingston, NJ

Rabbi Israel E. Turner Memorial Award
David Schiffman

Young Leadership Award
Ariana and Adam Reich

Aishet Chayil Award
Judith Cohen Sandman

Edward Konigsberg Memorial Award
Avidan Bienenfeld

Joseph Tammam Memorial Scholarship Award
Genah Grossman