

BNAI JACOB SHAAREI ZION

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PARSHA QUESTS

By Rabbi Moshe Hauer

METZORAH - Count the Ways

The Torah lists three categories of *Tzora'as* (Leprosy). The most well-known is an appearance of *Tzora'as* on a person's body (13:9), but the Torah discusses as well an appearance of leprosy on a garment (13:47) or a building (14:33). Each of these categories has its own set of rules, described by the Torah, as to what constitutes an actual *Negah* (impure affliction). Yet for some reason the Torah describes the first two categories in our *Parsha*, then interrupts with a discussion - at the beginning of the next *Parsha* - of the purification process of a *Metzora*, only then returning to discuss the appearance of *Tzora'as* in a building. Why does it separate them in this manner?

Furthermore, our Sages (see Rambam, *Tumas Tzora'as* 16:10) taught that the plague would first appear as a warning on the person's home, then, if ignored, on their clothing, and ultimately on the person himself. If that is indeed the case, shouldn't the laws of *Tzora'as* in a building appear at the beginning of our *Parsha*, rather than almost as an afterthought in the later *Parsha* (compare Rashi to 26:1)?

KOLLEL KORNER

By Rabbi AJ Esral

The Gift of Shabbos – Finale

*"We shall not cease from exploration
And the end of our exploring
Will be to arrive at where we started
And know the place for the first time."*

- T.S. Eliot

*"If Klal Yisrael would only keep two
Shabbosos, they would immediately be
redeemed..." (Shabbos 118b)*

Why *two* Shabbosos? Why not one?

It all comes down to this. Before the world was created, it was Shabbos. Only Hashem existed, and nothin had yet been done, but it was still Shabbos. An outsider looking in would clearly see that nothing existed, or could exist, independent of Hashem. Then, for six days, Hashem created; He introduced dissonance, disparity, division, all of which would be traces back to its Source on day seven Shabbos.

So the world, and all of world history, can be bookended between these two Shabbosos. The first where nothing existed outside of Hashem, and the last, the *yom shekulo Shabbos* of Moshiach, when it will be clear, one again, that all of Creation is really one. Our Shabbos observance both testifies to the creation of the world, and moves us ever closer to that great day when all is one; all is Shabbos, and there is nothing else.

רוזא דשבת איהי שבת דאתאחדא ברזא דאחדא...

BJSZ SHABBOS SCHEDULE

SHABBOS HAGADOL

Erev Shabbos

Candle Lighting 7:30 pm
Mincha 7:00 pm

Shabbos Night

Repeat Krias Shema after 8:30 pm

Shabbos Morning

Daf Yomi 8:15 am
Shacharis at BJSZ 8:45 am
Zman Krias Shema 9:44 am

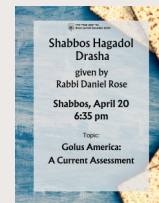
*Rabbi Eliezer Green will be giving his
shiur this Shabbos in the Baumgarten
Hauer Bais Medrash*

Shabbos Hagadol Drasha

given by Rabbi Rose
6:35 pm

Topic:

**Golus America:
A Current Assessment**



Mincha 7:20 pm

Begin Shalosh Seudos before 7:49 pm

Motzei Shabbos

Maariv and Shabbos ends 8:35 pm

Pesach Schedule is on the back page

**Sunday, April 21, Rabbi Rose will be
available for Mechiras Chametz
from 8:30 - 11:00 am at BJSZ**

MISHNA YOMI Nazir 4:6 – 7 | **DAF YOMI** Bava Metzia 52

We welcome our members, their families and guests who have joined us for Shabbos!

DAVENING SCHEDULE

Shacharis

Sunday 7:30 & 9:00 am in the main Shul

M-F 6:20 am in the Schwartz Bais Medrash

M & Th 6:40 am / **T W F** 6:50 am in the main Shul

M-F 7:45 am in the Schwartz Bais Medrash

Mincha/Maariv

Mincha this week 7:35 pm

Late Maariv 10:00 pm

SHIURIM

SUNDAY

Bereishis Shiur · Sun 8:30 am
Topic: From Noach to Avraham at BJSZ given by Rabbi Hauer

Alei Shur · Sun 9:45 am · Shiur for men given by Rabbi Rose in the Rabbi's office

Minchas Chinuch Shiur · Sun 8:35 - 9:15 pm given by Rabbi Yehuda Leib Birnbaum in the Schwartz Bais Medrash

MONDAY

Women's Shiur - Your Questions Answered. Monday Night 8:30 pm. Given by Rabbi Rose in his office or on ZOOM.

Kinyan Masechta - Mon & Wed 8:45 pm, studying Masheches Makkos. given by Shimon Marciano in the Hauer Baumgarten Bais Medrash.

Re'eh Emunah Shiur · Mon 9:15pm · Given by Rabbi Yehuda Leib Birnbaum in the Schwartz Bais Medrash.

TUESDAY

Talmud Yerushalmi · 8-9 pm with HaRav Yankel Herskovitz. *For men.* Anyone interested should call 410-371-3993 for more information.

Semichas Chaver Practical Halacha Program · Tues 8:45 pm given by Rabbi Rose in the Rabbi's office.

DAF/AMUD /MISHNA YOMI

Amud Yomi

M-F Amud Yomi
6:10 am in the Rabbi's office

Daf Yomi

Sunday 7:00 am in the main Shul

M-F

5:35 am in the Schwartz Bais Medrash

7:00 am in the Rabbi's office

7:35 am in the Baumgarten Hauer Bais Medrash

Mishna Yomi

given by Rabbi Elie Tuchman by email. Sign up for the shiur by visiting groups.google.com/g/mishna-yomi & click on join group.

WEDNESDAY

Shoshana Feldman Memorial Shiur · Wed 8:00 pm. Given by Rivka Leah Goldman on Zoom. *For women.*

Kinyan Masechta *see Monday*

Parsha Shiur based on the commentary of the Ramban
Wed 9:20 pm given by Rabbi Rose in the Rabbi's office. *For Men.*

THURSDAY

Talmud Yerushalmi *see Tuesday*

Midrash Shiur · Thurs 9:00-9:30 pm · with Rabbi Yehuda Leib Birnbaum in the Schwartz Bais Medrash

SHABBOS

Shiur after davening given by Rabbi Eliezer Green in the Baumgarten Hauer Bais Medrash on Rav Pinkus' classic work Shabbos Malkesa.

BJSZ NIGHT KOLLEL

Sun-Thurs 8:30-10:00 pm Chavrusa Learning in the Schwartz Bais Medrash.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Sunday April 21, 9:00 am - March for the Hostages - Baltimore's Weekly Walk of Solidarity departing from the front lawn of Oheb Shalom, 7310 Park Heights Ave.

Monday, April 22 6:30 am - 11:15 am (sharp) - The Chesed Fund and Project Ezra invite you to the Annual Baltimore Chometz Burning at Pimlico Race Course Clubhouse parking lot. Food trash only.



SHUL INITIATIVE ON HALACHOS OF SHABBOS

TUESDAY

Halachos of Shabbos in Depth Shiur · 8:30 pm. Given by Rabbi Zvi Spiegel.

THURSDAY

Eglei Tal · 8:30 pm · with Rabbi Rose

MISHNAYOS

Boys of our shul are learning the Mishnayos of Maseches Shabbos. Thanks to a generous sponsor, each boy can receive his own copy of Mishnah Elucidated. Our goal is to learn two Mishnayos every day, with special incentives along the way, eventually finishing the masechta together.

WHATS APP GROUPS

Hilchos

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/FvXAVg3pCqoIVkt2bU4AtR>

Shabbos Inspiration

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/J7JAp6FBaddD7zt0qxORfz>
If you don't use WhatsApp, please email Rabbi Rose and you'll be included in a group to receive these recordings by email.

BNAI JACOB SHAAREI ZION PRESENTS
PESACH HISTORY SERIES תסי"ד BY RABBI MOSHE HAUER

Whose Land Is It?

Rights, Pogroms, and Pretexts 1929 - 2024

PART I	PART II	PART III	PART IV
The Old Yishuv and the New	1929 and the White Paper	The Kosel and Har Habayis	Accepting Partition
Tuesday, April 23 6:45pm	Wednesday, April 24 6:45pm	Monday, April 29 6:45pm	Tuesday, April 30 6:45pm

ALL LECTURES WILL TAKE PLACE AT
Bnai Jacob Shaarei Zion Congregation | 6602 Park Heights Avenue

In honor of Rabbi Hauer and Rabbi Rose for their tremendous Torah and Jewish education. בנות הישיבה המעולים על מוסר אבא ונאמנות רבני דר' יוסף יואל ור' משה אהרן אשכנזי. Dedicated by Drs. Sol and Bona Langerman & Family

DONATIONS

Rabbi Joseph & Mashe Katz - Dedicated a Daf Yomi, commemorating the yahrzeit of Mashe's brother, Rabbi Chaim Tzvi Anemer z"l.

Jeffrey & Bunny Honick - Dedicated a sefer to the BJSZ library, commemorating the yahrzeit of their son, Asher Honick z"l.

Adina Michelsohn & Gabrielle Rosenfeld - Donation to the Rabbi's Discretionary Fund, commemorating the yahrzeit of Gabrielle's husband & Adina's father, Israel Rosenfeld z"l.

Marc & Elaine Lowen - Dedicated a Day of Learning, commemorating the yahrzeit of Marc's father, Irving Lowen z"l.

Esther Hollander - Dedicated a Day of Learning, commemorating the yahrzeit of her mother, Edith Blumenfeld a"h.

Netanel & Ina Schwob - Yahrzeit donation, commemorating the yahrzeit of Ina's mother, Frona Klotzman a"h.

YOUTH GROUPS

Youth Group Locations

Pre-School group Bridal room
Girls Grades 1-3 & 4-6 Upstairs

Boys Grades 1-6
Baumgarten Bais Medrash

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Perel Abramson
Binyamin Casper
Kalman Eliezer Cohn
Chana Fine
Chaviva Marciano
Eliana Palmer
Alexander Storch
Leora Torand
Yehudis Bracha Travis

SUPPORT THE SHUL

Memorial Plaque (\$250)
Tree of Life Plaque (\$180)
Kol HaNearim (\$150)
Week of Learning (\$250)
Day of Learning (\$100)
Kollel Sponsor \$150/ wk \$500/ month
Coffee Bar (\$36/week)
Shabbos Kiddush Sponsor (\$36, \$54, \$72)
Amud/Daf Yomi Sponsor (\$50)
Artscroll Hebrew Siddur (\$26)
Individual/Sets of Seforim for the BJSZ Library (contact the office)
Shalosh Seudos \$180
Shalosh Seudos co-sponsor (\$90)

REFUAH SHELAIMAH

Rabbi Joseph Katz (Home)
Michael Moskowitz (Aventura for Pesach)
Gail Schnitzer Aventura/Tudor Heights
Laura Dickman (Home)
Please look in on our members.
To add to the Mi Shebairach List, contact: Hana-Bashe Himelstein
443-250-9472

YAHREZITS

Observed by	Family Member	Date
Mashe Katz	Brother, Rabbi Chaim Tzvi Anemer	13 Nisan
Ruth Saperstein	Husband, Nathaniel Saperstein	13 Nisan
Leah Fischer	Husband, Don Fischer	14 Nisan
Abba Poliakoff	Father, Rabbi Manuel M. Poliakoff	16 Nisan
Hadassah Poliakoff	Husband, Rabbi Manuel M. Poliakoff	16 Nisan
Ina Schwob	Mother, Frona Klotzman	17 Nisan
Jeffrey & Bunny Honick	Son, Asher Honick	19 Nisan
Babara Schwartz	Brother, Yehudah Siegel	19 Nisan
Daniel Weissmann	Mother, Lisa Blugrind	19 Nisan
Benyamin Ziman	Mother, Rita Ziman	20 Nisan
Lewis Romer	Father, Murray Romer	20 Nisan
Hinda Davis	Mother, Rosalie Kallner	21 Nisan
Bebe Abergel	Mother, Nora A. Zien	21 Nisan
Elaine Krumbein	Father, Charles Sitrin	22 Nisan
Michael Lockman	Mother, Madeleine Lockman	25 Nisan

** Please note: We no longer accept Shaimos books at BJSZ. Please make arrangements to drop them off at the Agudah. **

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**Donate to Rabbi Rose's Maos Chittim
Charity fund online at www.bjsz.org or
drop off a check to the shul office.**



PESACH 5784 SCHEDULE

Wishing everyone a חג כשר ושמח!



SUNDAY, APRIL 21

Bedikas Chometz after 8:33 pm

MON. APRIL 22 - EREV PESACH/ SIYUM BECHORIM

Shacharis: 6:20, 6:40 & 7:45 am
followed by Siyum Bechorim after each minyan

Latest time for eating Chametz: 10:16 am

Burn Chametz: Before 11:33 am

Early Mincha followed by learning

Seder Korban Pesach: 2:00 pm (ends 2:30 pm)

*It is Minhag Yisrael to learn & recite the order of Korban
Pesach after Mincha Erev Pesach.*

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 22 - FIRST SEDER NIGHT

Candle Lighting: 7:34 pm

Mincha: 7:35 pm followed by Maariv

Chatzos: 1:05 am

TUESDAY APRIL 23 - FIRST DAY OF PESACH

Shacharis: 8:45 am *NO YOUTH GROUPS*

Daf Yomi: 6:05 pm

Rabbi Hauer's Pesach Afternoon Series: 6:45 pm

Whose Land Is It? Rights, Pogroms, and Pretexts:

1929-2024 Part 1: The Old Yishuv and the New

TUESDAY EVENING APRIL 23 - SECOND SEDER NIGHT

Mincha: 7:35 pm

Shiur: Haggadah Insights by Rabbi Rose

Maariv: 8:35 pm

*Preparations for Second Seder & Candle lighting:
not before 8:35 pm*

WEDNESDAY APRIL 24 - SECOND DAY OF PESACH

Shacharis: 8:45 am *NO YOUTH GROUPS*

Daf Yomi: 6:05 pm

Rabbi Hauer's Pesach Afternoon Series: 6:45 pm

Whose Land Is It? Rights, Pogroms, and Pretexts:

1929-2024 Part 2: 1929 and the White Paper

Mincha: 7:35 pm

Shiur by Rabbi Binyamin Walfish

Maariv: 8:36 pm

THURSDAY-FRIDAY, APRIL 25-APRIL 26 - CHOL HAMOED

Daf Yomi: 7:40 am

Shacharis: 6:05, 6:35, 7:45 & 8:30 am

Mincha/Maariv 7:40 pm

FRIDAY EVENING APRIL 26 - SHABBOS CHOL HAMOED

Candle Lighting: 7:38 pm - best to light before 7:15 pm for
those davening in shul

Mincha: 7:00 pm followed by Maariv

SHABBOS CHOL HAMOED - APRIL 27

Daf Yomi: 8:15 am

Shacharis: 8:45 am *YOUTH GROUPS*

Mincha: 7:30 pm

Shiur: TBA

Maariv: 8:40 pm

Eat Shalosh Seudos at home before Mincha

SUNDAY APRIL 28 - CHOL HAMOED

Daf Yomi: 7:00 am

Shacharis: 7:30 & 9:00 am

SUNDAY EVENING APRIL 28 - שביעי של פסח

Candle Lighting: 7:40 pm

Mincha: 7:40 pm followed by Maariv

MONDAY APRIL 29 - שביעי של פסח

Daf Yomi: 8:15 am

Shacharis: 8:45 am - YOUTH GROUPS

Rabbi Hauer's Pesach Afternoon Series: 6:45 pm

Whose Land Is It? Rights, Pogroms, and Pretexts:

1929-2024 Part 3: The Kosel and Har Habayis

Mincha 7:45 pm

Shiur by Rabbi Yisroel Neuberger Topic: *Sefiras Haomer*

Maariv: 8:45 pm

Preparations for Seudah & Candle lighting: not before 8:42 pm

TUESDAY APRIL 30 - אחרון של פסח

Daf Yomi: 8:15 am

Shacharis: 8:45 am

Yizkor: approx. 10:30 am - YOUTH GROUPS

Drasha given by Rabbi Moshe Hauer

Rabbi Hauer's Pesach Afternoon Series: 6:45 pm

Whose Land Is It? Rights, Pogroms, and Pretexts: 1929-

2024 Part 4: Accepting Partition

Mincha: 7:45 pm

Neilas HaChag

Maariv: 8:45 pm

Do not use your Chametz until after 9:45 pm.

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