

SCHEDULE

שבת קודש

Mincha Erev Shabbos	4:28 PM
Friday Night Learning	7:30 PM
Shacharis	8:30 AM
<i>Sof Zman K"ס מ"א 9:08 א"ג 9:44</i>	
Mincha- Followed by Shalosh Seudos	4:25 PM
Maariv	5:37 PM

Sunday

Shacharis	8:30 AM
<i>Followed by Shiur</i>	
Mincha / Maariv	4:35 PM
Torah Youth Shiur	7:30 PM
for High School Boys	
<i>Followed by Maariv at 8:00 PM</i>	
Maariv	9:45 PM

Weekday Minyanim & Shiurim

Monday—Friday

Gemarah Shiur	6:00 AM
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Masechet Avodah Zarah with Rabbi Teichman

Shacharis	
Mon & Thur 6:40AM/Wed, Fri 6:45AM/Tue 8:30AM*	
Tur & Beis Yosef—Orach Chaim Shiur	7:30 AM
Additional daily minyan (M-F)	8:10 AM
Mincha— Mon, Tue, Wed, Thur	12:45 PM
Mincha/Maariv 12/25 Legal Holiday	4:35 PM
Open Beis Hamedrash	8:00 PM
Shiur	9:30 PM
Nightly Maariv	9:45 PM

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Zev Simcha Goldsmith
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RABBI'S MESSAGE

עבדי אתה ישראל אשר בך אתפאר ישעיה מט ;Awe Inspiring!

This week our Kehilla was uplifted and inspired by an ultimate act of generosity, the literal “giving of ones self”, the donation of a kidney successfully transplanted into a total stranger.

What is so remarkable and awesome about this extraordinary gesture? Is it the willingness to submit oneself to danger for another? Is it the unbelievable support of family that encouraged and allowed this gift? Is it the phenomenal courage to be willing to permanently part with a vital piece of ourselves? Is it the singular sensitivity to another's plight? Is it the amazing sense of duty to fulfill the will of Hashem? It is this and so much more.

חז"ל tell us that in the merit that אברהם אבינו brought butter and milk to his guests his children merited to eat the Manna in the desert for forty years and in the merit that he offered them water his descendants were privileged to drink from the Well of Miriam.

HaRav Chaim Shmulevitz זצ"ל asks; what was so significant about these gestures that merited such great rewards? Don't we all emulate these seemingly simple acts of chesed numerous times in our daily lives?

It is not the act in and of itself but rather the total absorption of ones self in the needs of the other that is so unique to our אבות. When אברהם אבינו gave a glass of water it was a act of total and absolute מסירת נפש with a complete focus on the other individual and his interests. There was no difference in אברהם אבינו's willingness to submit himself wholly to the fiery furnace of Nimrod in fulfillment of רצון השם than there was in his desire to give of himself totally to help someone in need or in the fulfillment of any מצוה.

To donate a organ certainly requires a selflessness and complete and utter devotion to Hashem and fellow man, but that same self sacrifice is at times equally evident in a persons' devotion to their spouse, children and fellow man. A simple act of kindness as displayed even in the mundane serving and cleaning up at a Kiddush can be imbued with that same awesome display of altruism and total devotion.

We are privileged to know people of such caliber. May we be equally worthy of emulating these extraordinary individuals and their exemplary family who personify the fulfillment of מתי גיע מעשי; when will our deeds reach the levels of our great forefathers and mothers.

We wish a heartfelt speedy recovery to Mrs. Elisheva Rabinowitz לאויט"א and we will try to manage without her until her quick return! אך טוב וחסד ירדפיה כל ימי חייה!; may she know only of good and kindness all the days of her life!

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-From the desk of Eitan Schuchman, Financial Advisor

Rabbi Teichman, Unplugged

Join us weekly for 30 minutes of uninhibited Hashkafa & Mussar with Rabbi Teichman.

Thursday Nights after the 9:45 Maariv.

Topics will cover a variety of subjects from Shalom Bayis, to Chinuch, to matters of Parnasa and more. Special Pre Chanukah Debut.

You don't want to miss this...

- For Men -