## **SCHEDULE**

שבת קדש

6:12 PM Mincha Erev Shabbos Daf Yomi 7:30 AM Shacharis-Followed by Kiddush 8:30 AM 10:03 גר"א 9:27 מ'א -Sof Zman K"S-Mincha - Followed by Shalosh Seudos 6:10 PM

## Weekday Minyanim & Shiurim Sunday

7:20 PM

Daf Yomi- By R' Teichman 7:30 AM **Shacharis** 8:30 AM **Hachanasas Sefer Torah** 1:00 PM Starts at R' Teichmans House, 2610 Summerson

Mincha / Maariv 6:15 PM

## Monday - Friday

Daf Yomi- By R' Teichman 5:45 AM

Shacharis

Maariv -

Monday, Thursday 6:40 AM Tues., Wed. ראש חודש 6:30 AM **Friday** 6:45 AM Mincha (Mon –Thur) 1:45 PM

Mincha/Maariy 6:15 PM

Daf Yomi (Take II) 9:00 PM

Maariv (Mon-Thur) 9:45 PM

Rabbi Teichman's Thursday Night Shiur After Maariy

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## הכנסת ספר תורה

One more Hakafa!!

Join us in welcoming our new Sefer Torah to its home.

THIS SUNDAY 10/14 1:00 PM

The event begins at 2610 Summerson toward the Shul

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## Heads Up!

On Sukkos we left the intoxicating comforts of our homes to spend seven thoughtful days in a temporary and flimsy structure, the Sukkah, exposing ourselves to the raw elements of nature declaring ourselves solely under G-d's protection and direction. We now return to our permanent dwellings with our heads hopefully screwed on properly, realizing what our true priorities in life should be.

On the night of Hoshana Rabba there is a tradition that one who was not inscribed in the book of life for the ensuing year, will be unable to see his head shadowed in the light cast by the moon of that night.

Perhaps this echoes the sentiments expressed in the prayer we recite on Rosh Hashana eve; ... יהי רצון... that we be a Head and not a Tail.

We hope we will live our lives with our "head", contemplating and assessing our every action as a "head" that leads the body and not simply submit to our instinctive desires similar to the tail which is simply tagged on and lags behind.

We are promised a happy new lease on life only when our "heads" are placed atop all our endeavors.

In the ultimate battle against the ,withat crafty serpent, the evil inclination, we are told:

(נ ג טו) אישית בראשית ב ואתה תשופנו עקב (בראשית ג טו..., He (Man) will pound your **head**, and you (the Snake) will bite his **heel**.

It has been revealed that the word אר is a contraction of the sentiment רצון אבינו שבשמים, the will of our Father in Heaven. The letters of the word comprise the phrase במותר, sanctify

yourself in those areas that are permitted to you.

The Satan seeks to seduce us into his arena by offering us all sorts of enticements that are "permitted" and have the best *Hechsherim*, eventually ensnaring us into the worst sins. Our only effective weapon in warding off his power lies in our measuring every activity by the yardstick of רצוך ה', by asking ourselves in all honesty; is it in the spirit of the "will of G-d", not simply permitted.

The very first word of the Torah בראשית, is composed of the root word, ראש, housed within the letters בית, home! (בעל הטורים)

The only way we can successfully reenter our homes inculcating the lessons from the Tishrei experience, is by assuring that everything we do and all that we endeavor to measures up to the standard of רצון אבינו שבשמים, the will of our Father in Heaven!

באהבה, א געזונטער ווינטער, צבי טייכמאן





## !!Happy Birthday!!

To the following celebrating birthdays this week

Michal Breitowitz
Ephraim Relerford
Ari Zaltz
Shmuly Abramson
Meira Einbinder

Info provided by YOU through our new member database

Evening Daf Yomi Monday—Thursday at 9/1991

By Rabbi Teichman

## Ora & Dani Kermaier

And the entire Kermaier and Shmidman Families!

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On the birth of a Baby Girl!

## Zahava & Dovie Turner

And Bubby and Zaidy Shmaya & Susie Turner

> On the birth of Nava Basia

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