

SCHEDULE

ליל שבת קדש

Early Mincha & Kabalas Shabbos **7:00 PM**
 Mincha & Kabalas Shabbos @Social Hall **7:33 PM**

יום שבת קדש

HASHKAMA MINYAN! @Social Hall **7:00 AM**
 Daf Yomi - By Rabbi Teichman **7:30 AM**
 Shacharis – Sof Zman K”S- 9:05 -א”ג 9:48-א”ג **8:30 AM**

SHABBOS MORNING GROUPS: AGES 3-5 ONLY

Shabbos Groups - 9:30 AM ~No older kids groups next few weeks~

FOLLOWED BY KIDDUSH

Mincha - **2:15 PM**
SUMMER AVOS U'BANIM! - **4:00 PM**
 Sponsored by Joshua Gamzeh in honor of the Yartzheit of his sister שירן בת משלה
 Pirkei Avos - **6:35 PM**
 Mincha - Followed by Shalosh Seudos **7:25 PM**
 Maariv - **8:40 PM**

	75/62	מזג האוויר בשבת*	CANDLES NEXT
	80/63	Ohel Moshe Weather	SHABBOS - 7:23 PM

Sunday Minyanim

Shacharis **6:50 & 8:30 AM**
 HALACHA SHIUR W/BAGELS BY R' Nudelman - AFTER THE 8:30!
 ~ Sponsorship Available - \$54 ~
 Mincha (Sunday - Thursday!) **1:45 PM**
 Mincha/Maariv **7:35 PM**
 Maariv **9:45 PM**

Weekday Minyanim

Shacharis (M, Th) **6:35 AM & 7:50 AM**
 Shacharis (T, W, F) **6:45 AM & 7:50 AM**
 Mincha (Su - Th) **1:45 PM**
 Mincha/Maariv (M-Th) **7:35 PM**
 Maariv (Su - Th) **9:45 PM**

Shiurim & Learning Opportunities

Daf Yomi 7:30AM(S & Th), 5:45AM(M-F) & TBD-PM(M-W)
 NIGHT SEDER 8-9:45pm - See Signs For Details
 Women's Tehillim Learning Thursdays 9:40 AM

JOIN US FOR ONE OF THE NIGHTLY SHIURIM
 To Sponsor Contact Meir Strobel or email
NightSeder@OhelMosheBaltimore.com!



SUNDAY HALACHA SHIUR W/O BAGELS - After the 8:30
 To Sponsor Contact NightSeder@OhelMosheBaltimore.com

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@Hashkama Minyan

Sponsored by David & Karen Delaney

In honor of David's mothers Yartzheit, Mallery Delaney

Malkah bas Avraham

@Main Minyan

Sponsored by Zolly & Naomi Cadel

In honor Elisha Menachems Bar Mitzvah!

@Shalosh Seudos

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To Sponsor an event or book the social hall please contact Miri Adler at
 Kiddush@OhelMosheBaltimore.com

Elisha Menachem Cadle
 on your Bar Mitzvah this week!
 We wish Zolly and Naomi a big Mazal Tov on the Simcha
 and welcome all the family and friends joining us this
 Shabbos to celebrate with the entire family!
 Special Mazal Tov mention to Uncle Shalom & Aunt Pessy Michael

Welcome to our new membership affiliates



Mel & Judy Pachino
 Philip & Jenna Sharp
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YOMIM NORAIM SEATS AVAILABLE ONLINE!

ACCEPTING RESERVATIONS FROM MEMBERS ONLY THROUGH 9/8
 Please do not delay - Limited seating and unlimited logistical planning
 time needed so please save your last minute thrills fix for Dans Deals!
www.OhelMosheBaltimore.com/seats

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RABBI'S MESSAGE:

In the prelude to their crossing the Jordan, Moshe warns them, *Do not say to yourself, when the Lord, your God, has repelled them from before you, saying, "Because of my righteousness, the Lord has brought me to possess this land," and [that] because of the wickedness of these nations, the Lord drives them out from before you. Not because of your righteousness or because of the honesty of your heart, do you come to possess their land...*

(דברים ט ד-ה)

Facing an apparently harsh reality, the Jewish people become aware that aren't as good as they think they are, and are fortunate despite their lack of worthiness to nevertheless merit entering the Land.

But didn't the Torah state very clearly just last week, *But because of the Lord's love for you, and because He keeps the oath He swore to your forefathers, the Lord took you out with a strong hand and redeemed you from the house of bondage, from the hand of Pharaoh, the king of Egypt.*

(דברים ח ז)

Where has the love been so suddenly lost?

Rabbeinu Yonah in Shaarei Teshuva explains the initial verse not necessarily as a negation of their righteousness, and G-d's appreciation for all they have accomplished, but rather as instructive of an attitude and perspective we each must formulate in our own lives.

We are forewarned from thinking that our success is due to our righteousness or integrity, but rather to believe and know in our hearts that our successes are attributed to supernal kindness and abundant good, as we find how Yaakov, our forefather, may peace be upon him, expressed, "I have been diminished by all the kindnesses and all the truth..." (שערי תשובה ג כט)

No matter what we do in service to G-d pales in contrast to the bounty He bestows upon us. One can never consider one's efforts deserving of the blessings we receive in return.

This, Rabbeinu Yonah states is an obligation incumbent on each one of us to never sense that we 'deserve' our lot for deeds or commitments we have made in devotion to G-d.

The Magen Avraham says that one may not even observe how G-d has rewarded him in life more than he deserves, implying that G-d doesn't hold a person accountable. (או"ח קנו)

Love Forever

Does this mean that one can never feel good about his accomplishments in service to G-d and must take a defeatists attitude that it is impossible to live up to His expectations of us?

On the contrary.

G-d doesn't want us to descend to a relationship that is based on a tit for tat attitude. A father gives wholly without need for barter. Of course the healthier the relationship the more each component devotes, without any expectation of reward, wholeheartedly to the one he loves.

G-d wasn't downplaying their accomplishments but merely letting them know, that as He had stated earlier, it is solely His love for them that motivates His blessing.

That realization doesn't defeat devotion, it inspires it. It also makes us aware that even when we come up short He is fully devoted to us, because it is never impinges His relationship and commitment to us.

In our daily lives we must avoid ever giving up when things go badly in assuming it is evidence of our being undeserving of His love and attention, knowing that it is never about the lack of balance, but merely G-d's method of prodding us to re-establish the closeness in the relationship we have lapsed in.

באהבה,
צבי יהודה טייכמן

SHUL BBQ - SUNDAY 9/15 - SIGN UP EARLY & SAVE!
Check your email for a link to the event signup page!

This year's BBQ will take place on the Shul grounds and feature a delicious all you can eat buffet and fun activities to keep everyone busy and happy. Start time will be 4pm.

GENERAL ADMISSION

\$15 - Big Eaters (13+), \$10 - kids (6-12), \$8 - Little Kids (2-5)
\$72 - Family Max

SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES

\$180 Steak Holder
(includes family and 1 steak)

\$360 - Activity Sponsor
(Includes family and 1 steak, and sponsorship of a kids activity)

\$720 - Title Sponsor
(Includes family and 2 steaks, and sponsorship/dedication of the event!)

SIGN UP BEFORE 9/5 and save 10% with code: EARLYQ

We still need help! Please contact Bracha Caine or Devora Bloch to get involved. Sisterhood@OhelMosheBaltimore.com
<https://www.ohelmoshebaltimore.com/bbq>

Building Project - Phase III

Expanding Our Boundaries & Increasing Our Possibilities!



Figures reflect new pledges, lump sum gifts and payment plan installments toward the Phase III Fundraising Goal of \$999,999

To learn more or get involved in this exciting project contact The Building Committee at building@ohelmoshebaltimore.com or talk to Rocky Caine, Noki Ganz, Joel Gedalius, Yoni Herman, Chaim Meister, Azi Rosenblum or Moshe Meir Rubini!

!!!HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!

Murray Friedman, Zecharya Meth, Rivka Fromowitz, Elisheva Rabinowitz, Bernard Fellner, Gavriel Chananya, Shuie Steinharter, Basi Meth, Asriel Marizan, Tzipora Zidell

ANNIVERSARY

Shmuel & Hindy Abramson
Brain & Sara Silberberg
Frank & Beverly Berger

Yahrzeit

David Delaney for his mother, Mallery Delaney
Malkah bas Avraham

!!!BAR/BAT MITZVAH COMING UP SOON(ish)!!!

Shmuel Shmidman (Av/August - Re'eh)
Shalom Kermaier (Cheshvan/Nov - Chayei Sara)
Rachi Dickstein (Ki Seitzei)

!!!BAR MITZVAH PARSHA ANNIVERSARY!!!

Murray Friedman, Shuie Steinharter, Bernard Fellner, Shawn Burstyn, Daniel Rosinsky

*Members: Please keep your profile updated in Shul Cloud so we can celebrate and commemorate all our important dates with you! (And occasionally save you from forgetting one!!)

PLEASE DO NOT TAKE CHAIRS OUTSIDE

Nice weather has made the back yard more popular on Shabbos during and between Davenings. Lately a few folding chairs have been left out outside and ruined by subsequent rains later in the week. If you see this happening please intervene.

SEE SOMETHING, DO SOMETHING

A Message from the Dept of ShulGrounds Longevity

Did you know that you can dedicate a Siddur, Chumash, Yahrzeit Plaque, and general donation in honor of someone or something? Details available on our website!



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