

MIZRACHI MATTERS - SHABBAT TERUMAH

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PLEASE NOTE: ONE MINYAN ONLY FRIDAY NIGHT in BEIT YEHUDA


Mincha, Kabbalat Shabbat & Ma'ariv: 6:35pm

Early Candle Lighting: 6:55 – 7:00pm

Later Candle Lighting: 7:49pm

Drasha: R' Danny Mirvis

	Friday 24 February 3 Adar	Saturday 25 February 4 Adar	Sunday 26 February 5 Adar	Monday 27 February 6 Adar	Tuesday 28 February 7 Adar	Wednesday 1 March 8 Adar	Thursday 2 March 9 Adar	Friday 3 March 10 Adar
1. Beit Yehuda 2. Beit Yitzhak (Kehillat Ohr David) 3. Beit Midrash (Beit Haroeh Shabbat Morning) 4. Bnei Akiva 5. Elsternwick 6. Midrashah 7. Goldberger Hall								
Shacharit	6:30am ¹ 7:00am ² ; 7:30am ¹	7:30am ¹ 9:30am ¹⁻²	8:00am ¹	6:20am ¹ 7:00am ² ; 7:30am ¹	6:30am ¹ 7:00am ² ; 7:30am ¹	6:30am ¹ 7:00am ² ; 7:30am ¹	6:20am ¹ 7:00am ² ; 7:30am ¹	6:30am ¹ 7:00am ² ; 7:30am ¹
Dawn	5:47am	5:48am	5:49am	5:50am	5:51am	5:52am	5:53am	5:54am
Tallit & Tefillin	6:05am	6:06am	6:08am	6:09am	6:10am	6:11am	6:12am	6:13am
Sunrise	6:59am	7:00am	7:01am	7:02am	7:03am	7:04am	7:05am	7:06am
Sh'ma (גר"א)	10:15am	10:16am	10:16am	10:17am	10:17am	10:18am	10:18am	10:18am
Earliest Mincha	2:07pm	2:06pm	2:06pm	2:06pm	2:06pm	2:05pm	2:05pm	2:05pm
Plag HaMincha (גר"א)	6:45pm	6:44pm	6:43pm	6:42pm	6:41pm	6:39pm	6:38pm	6:37pm
Early Mincha/Maariv	6:35pm							6:30pm
Early Shabbat Candles	6:55 – 7:00pm							6:45 – 6:50pm
Candle Lighting	7:49pm							7:40pm
Mincha / Ma'ariv		7:30pm	6:30pm	6:30pm	6:30pm	6:30pm	6:30pm	
Sunset	8:07pm	8:06pm	8:05pm	8:03pm	8:02pm	8:00pm	7:59pm	7:58pm
Night/Shabbat Ends	8:49pm	8:47pm	8:46pm	8:44pm	8:43pm	8:41pm	8:40pm	8:38pm
Late Ma'ariv			9:30pm	9:30pm	9:30pm	9:30pm	9:30pm	

DAF YOMI Via Zoom & in person	Nazir 32	Nazir 33	Nazir 34	Nazir 35	Nazir 36	Nazir 37	Nazir 38	Nazir 39	
	8:15am	6:30pm	8:45am	8:15am	8:15am	8:15am	8:15am	8:15am	
SHIURIM 		R' Leor Broh 9:00am R' James Kennard 9:30am ⁷ Drashot R' Danny Mirvis ¹ R' Leor Broh ² Shabbat Afternoon Shiur R' James Kennard 6:25pm Daf Yomi Shiur with R' Krasnjanski 6:30pm		Women's Parasha Shiur with R' Jonny Brull 9:30am Tzurba Communal Shiur with R' Jonny Brull 8:30pm Ladies Sefer Ezra Shiur 8:30pm	Lunch & Learn Shiur R' Jonny Brull 1:00pm Parsha HaShavua Shiur R' Leor Broh 8:30pm	"Following in the Footsteps of our Fathers" 7 Morrice Street 11:00am Gary's Gemara Shiur 8:30pm	Lunch & Learn Shiur @ L1 Capital with R' Jonny Brull 1:00pm Moreh Nevuchim with R' Jonny Brull 7:30pm Advanced Halacha Shiur by R' Jonny Brull 8:30pm		
	MISHNAH YOMIT	Eruvin 7:4-5	Eruvin 7:6-7	Eruvin 7:8-9	Eruvin 7:10-11	Eruvin 8:1-2	Eruvin 8:3-4	Eruvin 8:5-6	Eruvin 8:7-8

EVENTS	Seudah Shlishit R' Danny Mirvis

YAHREZITS	Hanna Baum (Father)	Helena Wyman (Father)	Eva & Ben Slonim (Son)	Deanne Segman (Father)	David Waysman & Faye Zehnwirth (Mother)	Martin Sharp (Father)	Jan Marosi (Father)
	Janie Fixler & Fay Kingsley (Mother)	Helena Wyman (Husband)	Sonia Slonim (Husband)	Joe Felman (Father)	Eva Lipp (Father)		Selwyn Braver (Father)
		Shuki Wyman & Elli Wyman (Father)	Ronen, Matan, Hadar Slonim, & Amit Wein (Father)		Martin Bierenkrant (Wife)		
			Daniel Slonim & Aviva Debinski (Brother)		Rose Weinberg (Sister)		
				Ron & Daniel Bierenkrant (Mother)			
				Reuben Medding (Wife)			
				Naomi Bloch & Tamara Bruce (Mother)			



Dear Members

Last week Mizrahi Australia held its first annual conference since the pandemic. Having not attended before, I did not know what to expect.

I spent 4 days with lay leadership, Rabbinic Leadership and our Shlichim from Mizrahi communities across Australia, I can report that the event provided a unique opportunity to educate and motivate all who attended.

We were very fortunate to have Rabbi Mirvis (World Mizrahi), Zeev Shwartz (Torah MiTzion) and Efrat Metzler (World Bnei Akiva) visiting from Israel. From Melbourne, Rav Jonny Brull, Dr Michal Kaufman, Shula Lazar, myself, Danny Lamm and Alan Lotzoff attended together with our shlichim. The Mount Scopus shlichim and Moriah College shlichim together with Moriah College head of informal education also attended. Many events were also open to the local community. Above all, it provided a unique forum to collaborate on common challenges and share knowledge and experience.

I attach a copy of the program, so you can see for yourselves, the activities took place. There were 2 main streams: the Rabbi/Lay Leadership Track and the Shlichim Track.

Our shlichim attended lectures, compared notes with their interstate counterparts and conducted programs in Carmel School and Bnei Akiva. Their Australian experience and training was enhanced immeasurably by the conference.

Our leadership also attended shiurim, conducted workshops on key issues and planned for our future. There will be many initiatives that emanate from this one conference alone.

I include a gallery of pictures below.

Special thanks to Rabbi Justice Marcus and Linda Solomon and their team for organising an productive, uplifting and thought-provoking program.

Each year the conference rotates to the next state. I am also pleased to announce that next year's conference will be in Melbourne and I look forward to more great results.











We wish a hearty Mazal Tov to

Bashi & Simcha Simon (Rechasim, Israel)

on the birth of their daughter.

Mazal tov to her grandparents: Itta & Rabbi Dovid Itta Simon (Raanana, Israel)
and Chana & Rabbi Chaim Weissman (Israel)

Mazal tov to her great grandmother: Ruth Figdor

Danielle Slonim & Jonathan Kadish

on their engagement

Mazal tov to their parents: Marion & David Slonim and Doreen & Leon Kadish

Mazal tov to their grandmother: Teddy Nossbaum

Dalia Maron & David Smith

on their forthcoming wedding

Mazal tov to their parents: Alicia & Mark Maron and Lorraine & Selwyn Smith

Mazal tov to their grandmother: Zelda Segal

BAR / BAT MITZVAH ANNIVERSARIES:

Nathan Gordon, Benjamin Max, Michael Parkes,
Eitan Rubinstein, Adam Shnider

HAPPY BIRTHDAY:

Sunday: Eilon Korbl, Ella Lipshatz, Rose Mehlman

Monday: Carolyn Brykman, Michael Gordon

Wednesday: Eli Goodhardt

Thursday: Alon Esterman

Friday: Joshua Diamond

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES:

Monday: Judy & Sam Seigel

Thursday: Naomi & Perry Arber

Friday: Hannah & Alex Friedman, Jackie & Selwyn Hyman



Riddle for Terumah

In the section dealing with the Menorah, all the letters of the Aleph Bet appear except for one. What is the letter?

Riddle for last week (Mishpatim)

Find 5 consecutive words whose beginnings make up the name "אליהו".

Answer = אִסְלָא יִמְצָא הַגֵּנֵב וְנִקְרַב

These words occur in the following verse:

”אִסְלָא יִמְצָא הַגֵּנֵב וְנִקְרַב בְּעֵלְהֵבֵית אֱלֹהֵי־אֲלֵהִים אִסְלָא שְׁלַח יָדוֹ בְּמִלְאֲכַת רְעֵהוּ”

"If the thief is not found, the owner of the house (the guardian) shall approach the court (and swear) that he has not misappropriated the other's property." (22:7)

Whilst the literal pshat of the verse is referring to a case where a Shomer Chinom (unpaid guardian) swears that the article he was guarding has been stolen, and the thief is not found, the Baal HaTurim finds an allusion to another case where the thief is not known.

This is a case brought in Bava Metzia 37a, where two people entrusted money to a third person, one gave 100 zuz and the other 200 zuz. When they came to retrieve their money, each one said "I gave the 200 zuz". Since we cannot determine who is the גנב, the money is left until Eliyahu comes and solves the mystery. (According to one view, the 'money put aside' refers to the disputed 100 zuz, whilst the other view is that it refers to the entire sum, for the liar would then have an incentive to retract his claim, so as not to lose his own deposit).

The Gemara often cites the tradition that all unresolved matters will be decided by Eliyahu HaNavi when he comes to herald the Mashiach. The acronym for this tradition is "תיקו" which stands for:- תשבי יתרץ קושיות ובעיות

i.e, תשבי who is Eliyahu Hanavi will answer the questions.

Welcome Back

RABBI DANNY MIRVIS

Rabbi Danny Mirvis is in Australia for the RZOA conference in Perth.

Rabbi Mirvis is currently Deputy CEO of World Mizrahi and Rabbi of Ohel Moshe Synagogue in Herzliya Pituach.

We are fortunate to have Rabbi Mirvis visit Melbourne for a few days from 23rd to 26th February.

Please see the schedule below.

Thursday 23rd

Lunch & Learn:
L1 Capital @ 1:00pm
*Turkey and Tragedies in
Jewish Tradition*

Friday 24th

Friday Night Drasha
Beit Yehuda

Shabbat 25th

Shabbas Morning Drasha
Beit Yehuda

Shabbat 25th

Seudat Shlishit
Goldberger Hall
*From Melbourne to Herzliya -
Reflections on Life in Israel*



THE MIDRASHA & THE EDEN CENTER PRESENT

DR. GILA GOLD

YOETZET HALACHA, OBSTETRICIAN,
GYNAECOLOGIST & KALLAH TEACHER

in conversation with

AVITAL SEIFMAN

KALLAH TEACHER

ABOUT WOMEN'S HEALTH AND HALACHA

Shabbat 25th February | ד' אדר

5.30- 6.30 PM

Ohr David | Mizrachi Shule



Gila Gold (nee Parkes) is an Obstetrician and Gynaecologist as well as a Yoetzet Halacha. She made Aliya from Melbourne in 2012 and currently lives in Jerusalem with her husband and four children.

Gila works in Shaare Zedek Hospital and Maccabi Health, with a special interest in high risk pregnancy. She also advises women on halachic issues related to marriage, intimacy, fertility, pregnancy, contraception and menopause. Together with her husband, she teaches couples in preparation for their wedding.



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Matanot Le'Evyonim

The mitzvah of Matanot L'Evyonim – providing the equivalent of a Purim meal for two individuals on Purim day was always understood by the poskim as being even more important in priority than the monies spent on mishloach manot and personal seudot.

Therefore, one should spend less money on mishlo'ach manot and more on matanot l'evyonim.

Each person above the age of Bar/Bat Mitzvah is supposed to contribute this amount.

As has been the practice for years, Mizrachi will distribute Matanot L'Evyonim on Purim day to Aniyei Ha'Ir (local needy people) and to Aniyei Eretz Yisroel (needy people in Israel).

Please bring your monies to the office as soon as possible or ring through your credit card details on 8317 2504, so that funds can be distributed on Purim day itself, as per the Halachic requirement.

Please give generously.
A tax deductible receipt will be issued.

As always, baskets will be available on the bimah in all minyanim on Purim night and morning for monies not arranged ahead of time. Please understand, however, that remitting the monies earlier than the morning of Purim enables us to distribute appropriately with greater pre-thought and ease.



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Monday 6th March

4:30 - 6:30pm

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Megillah Reading

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**DIY
PHOTOBOOTH**

**COSTUME
PARADE
WITH PRIZES**

Dinner and Snacks will be provided

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<https://tinyurl.com/purimkids2023>

Purim 2023

Monday 6th March

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FOR A SUPPER
AFTER MEGILLAH
READING IN THE
Yael Miriam Bloch
SUCCAH.

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<https://tinyurl.com/purimadults2023>



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THE 2023 PURIM SPIEL

SUNDAY 12 MARCH 6PM
TUESDAY 14 MARCH 8PM
THURSDAY 16 MARCH 8PM
SUNDAY 19 MARCH 6PM



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