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שערי שמים
SHAAREI SHOMAYIM

DECEMBER 7, 2019 - 9 KISLEV 5780
PARSHAT VAYETZE

SHABBAT MATTERS

Friday, December 6
4:22 pm Candles
4:30 pm Mincha
4:40 pm Musical Kabbalat Shabbat

Friday, December 13
4:22 pm Candles
4:30 pm Mincha

Shabbat, December 7
7:30 am Hashkama Minyan
8:15 am Chumash-Rashi Shiur: Melech Halberstadt
9:00 am Shacharit
9:30 am Pray & Learn: Dr. Malamet
10:00 am Youth Programs
10:00 am Teen Minyan
4:10 pm Mincha
4:25 pm Bnei Akiva Snif
5:23 pm Shabbat Ends
7:00 pm 90th Anniversary doors open (by reservation)
7:30 pm Program starts

Torah Reading:
Bereshit
28:10 - 32:3
Hertz P. 106
Stone P. 144

Haftorah:
Hoshea
12:13 - 14:10
Hertz P. 118
Stone P. 1139

TODAH RABAH to the sponsors:

CONGREGATIONAL KIDDUSH:

The Weinbaum family in commemoration of the yahrzeit of Jack Weinbaum z"l

Samuel & Beverley Cohen in commemoration of the yahrzeit of Samuel's father, George Cohen (Elyakum) z"l

George & Charlene Arje in commemoration of the yahrzeit of George's father, Vojtech Arje z"l

Gordon & Joyce Strauss in commemoration of the yahrzeit of Gordon's parents, Rose & Jack Strauss z"l

John & Helen Peto in commemoration of the yahrzeit of John's mother, Jolan Peto z"l

Barry & Debby Goldman in commemoration of the yahrzeit of Barry's brother, Macky Goldman z"l

Neil & Jordana Smiley and family in commemoration of the yahrzeit of Neil's parents, Sam & Annette Smilovic (Smiley) z"l

DOWNSTAIRS MINYAN

Berl & Rebecca Nadler in commemoration of the yahrzeit of Berl's father, Joseph Y. Nadler z"l

HASHKAMA MINYAN:

David Nadler & Tara Dubrow in commemoration of the yahrzeit of David's father, Joseph Y. Nadler z"l

Joyce & Aaron Rifkind in commemoration of the yahrzeit of Joyce's mother, Ada Sydney z"l

BREAKFAST:

Monday Dec. 9, 2nd Minyan

Chaim & Maryka Weisz in commemoration of the yahrzeit of Chaim's sister, Miriam Roth z"l

Wednesday Dec. 11, 2nd Minyan

Maryka & Chaim Weisz in commemoration of the yahrzeit of Maryka's mother, Aranka Berger z"l

Pacey Sugar and Elliott Sugar in commemoration of the yahrzeit of their father, Albert Sugar z"l

Thursday Dec. 12, 2nd Minyan

Martin & Estelle Kosoy and Phillip & Ada Kosoy in commemoration of the yahrzeit of Martin and Phillip's mother, Gertrude Kosoy z"l

Friday Dec. 13, 2nd Minyan

Neil & Jordana Smiley and family in commemoration of the yahrzeit of Neil's parents, Sam & Annette Smilovic (Smiley) z"l

MAZAL TOV AND OTHER MEMBERS MATTERS

Mazal Tov to **Dr. Mark & Mrs. Janine Nusbaum** on the birth of their great-grandchildren: Yisrael Weinstock, son of Yosef & Sarala Weinstock, in New Jersey; and Zev Pomper, son of Yoni & Chani Pomper, in New York. Mazal Tov on the marriage of their granddaughter, Elisheva Pomper, daughter of Dr. Mark & Suzy Pomper of Miami, to Mordechai Keslassy, son of Mr. Aaron & Mrs. Evelyne Keslassy of Toronto.

Shaarei Shomayim's 90th Anniversary Celebration
Our program begins at 7:30 pm in the Sharp Sanctuary, this Motzei Shabbat.
Doors open at 7:00 pm. By reservation.
See page 3 for the list of our generous sponsors and details of the event.

Please note: **Parent-Child Learning** will not take place this week.

- Now that the days are shorter, please make an extra effort to support the daily minyanim to ensure that we have enough men for davening.
- Please join the shul's **Minyan Support WhatsApp Group.** Text 647-404-4801 to join.

SHAAREI SHOMAYIM UPCOMING PROGRAMS

- Friday, December 6, 4:40 pm - **Musical Kabbalat Shabbat: Kislev Edition!** For the whole family. See flyer on page 5.
- Tuesdays, 8:00 pm - **Parshat Hashavua Shiur** with **Rabbi Elliott Diamond**.
- Wednesdays, 7:30-9:00 pm - **Night Seder** with **Rabbis Bergman** and **Shore**. See flyer on page 5.
- Shabbat, December 14, 10:30-11:30 am - **Tot Shabbat**. Parent participatory Tefillah songs and stories, for parents and tots ages 1-4. See flyer on page 5.
- Motzei Shabbat, December 14, 6:15 pm - **Parent-Child Learning**. See flyer on page 7 for details and upcoming dates.
- Monday, December 16, 7:30-9:00 pm - **Medical Ethics** with **Rabbi Mordechai Torczyner**. See flyer on page 5.
- Thursday, December 19, 2:00 pm - **Catch the Spirit** with **Farokh Hakimi.** Call the office to register. See flyer on page 6.

PRAY & LEARN

This Shabbat, we welcome **Dr. Elliott Malamet** for the second **Pray & Learn** session of 5780. His topic is "Keeping it Fresh: Rebbe Nachman on Making your Prayer Relevant." At 9:30 am in the Lower Level Social Hall A.
The upcoming sessions will take place on: February 1, March 7, and June 20, 2020.

Chanukah & Chessed - Motzei Shabbat, December 14, 6:30-8:30 pm
Light Up your Chanukah Preparations with Kindness!
To register and to make tzedaka sponsorships (tax receiptable) and donation of supplies for Chessed projects, go to shomayim.org/event/chessed19.
See flyer on page 4.

TORAH MATTERS:

DATE	DAVENING TIMES		SHIURIM AND LECTURES	
Sunday, December 8 / 10 Kislev	8:30 am 4:25 / 4:50 pm	Shacharit Mincha / Maariv	7:30 am	Talmud Shiur with Rabbi Strauchler
Monday, December 9 / 11 Kislev	6:55 / 7:45 am 4:25 / 4:50 pm	Shacharit Mincha / Maariv	6:10 am 9:30 am	Talmud Shiur with Rabbi Strauchler *Yirmiyahu* Shiur with Rabbi Strauchler
Tuesday, December 10 / 12 Kislev	7:00 / 7:45 am 4:25 / 4:50 pm	Shacharit Mincha / Maariv	6:15 am 9:30 am 1:30 pm 8:00 pm	Talmud Shiur with Rabbi Strauchler *Birth of Moral Selfhood* Shiur with Dr. Zolty *Yeshayah* Shiur with Rabbi Torczyner *Parshat Hashavua* Shiur with Rabbi Diamond
Wednesday, December 11 / 13 Kislev	7:00 / 7:45 am 4:25 / 4:50 pm	Shacharit Mincha / Maariv	6:15 am 7:30 pm	Talmud Shiur with Rabbi Strauchler *Night Seder* with Rabbi Bergman
Thursday, December 12 / 14 Kislev	6:55 / 7:45 am 4:25 / 4:50 pm	Shacharit Mincha / Maariv	6:10 am	Talmud Shiur with Rabbi Strauchler
Friday, December 13 / 15 Kislev	7:00 / 7:45 am 4:22 pm 4:30 pm	Shacharit Candle Lighting Mincha	6:15 am	Talmud Shiur with Rabbi Strauchler

Kriyat Shema should be recited after 5:21 pm this week.

PARSHA MATTERS - by Rabbi Chaim Strauchler

BE A LADDER

Jacob dreams of a great ladder. Upon it, angels ascend and descend. God speaks to him from above that ladder.

Jacob understands the meaning of this dream: a ladder connects heaven and earth - he (and we) might live in relationship with God through that gate to heaven. With this realization, Jacob dedicates himself to build a temple to God in this spot, when he returns to his land.

We tell the story of Jacob's ladder to children. We rarely think about its implication to our own spiritual potential. In teaching the laws of prayer between Mincha and Maariv, I recently presented the requirements of cleanliness and modesty, in regards to the place where we pray. The Aruch Hashulchan explains that our prayers transform the space around us into a *machaneh shechina* - a holy encampment. In focusing ourselves in prayer, we create a virtual *beit Elokim*. Like Jacob, we transform the character of our environment by recognizing the potential for human-Divine contact.

As moderns, we might see prayer as personal devotion, divorced from the world around us. We pray inside ourselves and nowhere else. Yet, Jacob's discovery of the ladder should encourage us to expect more from our prayer experience. We create meaning and broadcast messages of blessing and peace every time we pray. We can bring God (and angels) into the world around us.

SECURITY MATTERS

Tents will be provided for stroller parking by the north and south entrances within the next few weeks. When there is no simcha, strollers WILL be allowed in the building. Please note the designated area and keep strollers within this space.

Beginning next week, the doors will all be locked through service times during the week. There will be a code posted by the keypad that can be used for entry. Please note, that this code is for service times and will not work for any other time. In addition, security fobs are available for all members at no charge; please contact the office to get one.

WOMEN'S MEGILLAH READING

Women interested in reading **Megillat Esther** on **Purim** morning, please contact Rebecca Rotenberg Nadler at rrnadler@gmail.com.

The Centre Mechitza will be used on the following Shabbatot: December 14, January 18, February 15, and March 14.

KID MATTERS Youth Programs 10:00 am to 12:00 pm	Stay and Play (Ages 0 - 3) Room 101	Shaar Chadash (Ages 2 - 5) Room 102	Shaar Yafo (Grade 1 - 2) Room 103	Shaar Aryeh (Grade 3 - 5) Room 105

SHAAREI SHOMAYIM'S 90TH ANNIVERSARY

A SPECIAL EVENING TO CELEBRATE OUR COMMUNITY & SUPPORT OUR SYNAGOGUE

SATURDAY NIGHT DECEMBER 7

By Reservation ★ Party Chic Attire

Thank you to our Generous Shul Member Sponsors

Saul & Mira Koschitzky & Families ★ John & Lori Ulmer & Families ★ Benny & Elaine Osher ★ Bonny Silver & Families
Charlene & George Arje ★ Jerry & Tammy Balitsky ★ Bonnie & Dov Begun ★ Brian & Carole Cantor ★ Lori & Sheldon Disenhouse
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David Eisenstat & Amanda Salem ★ Joyce & Zion Sasson ★ Yaakov & Deena Eizicovics ★ Sandra & Gerry Genesove
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Co-Chairs: Lori Disenhouse & Benny Osher

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Chanukah & Chessed

A PRE-CHANUKAH FAMILY EVENT

PACKAGING, BAKING, ART PROJECTS AND TZEDAKA OPPORTUNITIES!

MOTZEI SHABBAT, DECEMBER 14 | 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM

$10/CHILD AGES 3–12

REGISTRATION: SHOMAYIM.ORG/FORM/CHESSED19

INCLUDES PIZZA AND SUFGANIYOT

WE INVITE THE ENTIRE SHUL COMMUNITY TO HELP US PREPARE FOR THIS AMAZING CHESSED EVENT IN ANY OF THE FOLLOWING WAYS:

Please consider donating funds or supplies for our cheesed projects.
For more information and to donate go to
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Please donate gently used warm clothing/boots (adult sizes only) or new toiletries for Ve'ahavta!
Bin outside the shul office

Please donate books in good condition to the Children's Book Bank! Bin outside the shul office

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WHERE KIDS MATTER

MUSICAL KABBALAT SHABBAT

Kislev Edition!

December 6, 2019 @ 4:40 pm

In the Weinbaum Beit Midrash

4:30 pm Mincha in the Sisterhood Hall

Kabbalat Shabbat with Rabbi Shore & Ari Karon
For the whole family
Inspirational stories & Maariv
Pre-School Shabbat games in the Classrooms

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NIGHT SEDER

FOR MEN AND WOMEN

Rabbi Bergman

with your hosts

Rabbi Shore

ADVANCED GEMARA:
LAWS OF SELECTING ON SHABBAT

BEGINNERS GEMARA:
MUKTZEH ON SHABBAT

Wednesdays
7:30 - 9:00pm
Weinbaum Beit Midrash

Refreshments will be served!
Oh yeah and Chulent!
(because chulent)

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TOT SHABBAT

Shabbat, December 14, 2019 | 10:30-11:30 am

Parents & Tots ages 1-4
Parent Participatory Tefillah Songs and Stories

Led by Daniel Held, with Rabbi Jesse Shore
Lower Level Social Hall

The Nusbaum Family Medical Ethics Institute of Beit Midrash Zichron Dov presents

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MEDICAL ETHICS

COMMUNITY SPENDING FOR MEDICAL NEEDS

How should priorities be set, and by whom?

with Rabbi Mordechai Torczyner
7:30 - 9:00 PM Monday December 16, 2019
Shaarei Shomayim, 470 Glencairn Ave. Toronto

Men and women are welcome / Open to non-physicians
No advanced Jewish knowledge required / There is no charge.
For information, call 416-783-6960 or email info@torontotorah.com.

This Group Learning program meets the certification criteria of the College of Family Physicians of Canada and has been certified by Continuing Professional Development, Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto for up to 1.5 Mainpro+ credits.

This event is an Accredited Group Learning Activity (Section 1) as defined by the Maintenance of Certification Program of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, approved by Continuing Professional Development, Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto up to a maximum of (1.5 hours).

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בית מדרש זכרון דוב
BEIT MIDRASH ZICHRON DOV

תורת ה' תמימה — A BEIT MIDRASH FOR TORAH
לך אתנה ולערעך — A BEIT MIDRASH FOR ZIONISM
תנך לנער על פי דרכו — A BEIT MIDRASH FOR STUDENTS
בנות מלכים ביקרותיך — A BEIT MIDRASH FOR WOMEN
בכל מלאכת הקודש — A BEIT MIDRASH FOR PROFESSIONALS

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CATCH THE SPIRIT

Afternoon Program

Thursday, December 19, 2019 at 2:00 PM

Farokh Hakimi will speak about:
"Growing Up Jewish in Iran"

Members - free | Non Members - $5
Register by calling the office at 416-789-3213
Tea and dainties will be served

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Musical Lunch & Learn

Delicious lunch		Tuesdays
Friends		January 14
Live music*	12:00pm	February 11
Torah	Main Lobby	March 24

To register, call the office at 416-789-3213

*Learn zmirot!
Request songs!

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It's almost Tax Receipt Time!
To ensure that you receive a donation receipt for the year 2019, please ensure that you pay for all your outstanding balances and pledges. Thank you.

The Nusbaum Family Medical Ethics Institute of Beit Midrash Zichron Dov presents

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MEDICAL ETHICS

Bereavement and the Physician

**How do Judaism's mourning rituals apply to medical professionals?
What happens when ritual conflicts with patient care?**

with Rabbi Mordechai Torczyner
7:30 - 9:00 PM Monday February 10, 2020
Shaarei Shomayim, 470 Glencairn Ave. Toronto

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LEGAL ETHICS

Supporting the Emotionally Unstable Client

From the perspective of Jewish Ethics and the LSO
with Rabbi Mordechai Torczyner

8:00-9:30 PM Monday March 23, 2020
Shaarei Shomayim Congregation
470 Glencairn Ave. Toronto

Open to non-lawyers
No advanced Jewish knowledge required.
This program contains
1.5 Professionalism Hours

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YESHIVA UNIVERSITY-TORAH MITZION BEIT MIDRASH ZICHRON DOV
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PARENT–CHILD LEARNING

2019–2020

Join us this year as Rabbi Sammy Bergman of the YU Torah MiTzion Beit Midrash leads our Parent-Child Learning program. Each session will last one hour which will include time to study with your child/ren, a short overview of the learning with Rabbi Bergman and, of course, pizza, pop, Parsha questions and prizes for all! Parent-Child learning is the perfect way to welcome the new week with your family. We look forward to seeing you there.

For more information please contact Rabbi Bergman at sbergman@torontotorah.com

PARENT - CHILD LEARNING SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER 16, 6:30 PM
OPENING PROGRAM
NOVEMBER 23, 6:15 PM
NOVEMBER 30, 6:15 PM
DECEMBER 7 - **NO PCL**
DECEMBER 14, 6:15 PM
DECEMBER 21, 6:15 PM
DECEMBER 28 - **NO PCL**

JANUARY 4 - **NO PCL**
JANUARY 11, 6:30 PM
JANUARY 18, 6:45 PM
JANUARY 25, 6:45 PM
FEBRUARY 1, 7:00 PM
FEBRUARY 8, 7:15 PM
FEBRUARY 15, 7:15 PM
FEBRUARY 22, 7:30 PM
FEBRUARY 29 7:30 PM
MARCH 7, 7:45 PM

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CONDOLENCES

- Our sincere condolences to Merav & Yair Hershkovitz, Michael & Leora Levenstein, Meir & Yehudit Hershkovitz, **Linda Levenstein**, Connie & Chuck Solomon and families, on the loss of their daughter, granddaughter and great-granddaughter, Hallel Ruth Hershkovitz z"l.
- Our sincere condolences to Esther Moldofsky, **Brian & Robbie Schwartz**, Shalom & Debbie Schwartz, David & Judy Schwartz, Stuart & Fannie Schwartz and families, on the loss of their sister, mother, mother-in-law, grandmother and great-grandmother, Lyla Schwartz z"l.

YAHRZEITS

DATE	YAHRZEITS BEING OBSERVED	
Shabbat, December 7 9 Kislev	Simon Frankel, father of Linda Levenstein Marvin Gerstein, husband of Sharon Gerstein	Roberta Sered, mother of Gayle Roberts Stanley Mark Stone, father of Raymond Stone
Sunday, December 8 10 Kislev	George Cohen, father of Samuel Cohen Sonia Dorfman, sister of Albert Hoffman	Greta Greisman, sister of Stephen Title Lily Osher, mother of Robbie Osher
Monday, December 9 11 Kislev	Wolf Faintuch, father of Lily Steinberg Jack Leifer, father of Pearl Goldrich Joseph Y. Nadler, father of David Nadler and Berl Nadler Irving Oilgisser, father of Marlene Oilgisser	Jolan Peto, mother of John Peto Miriam Roth, sister of Chaim Weisz Herman Salb, father of Draisa Frischman
Tuesday, December 10 12 Kislev	Ray Burde, mother of Avis Osher Yechiel Glustein, father of Arieh Glustein	Jack Strauss, father of Gordon Strauss
Wednesday, December 11 13 Kislev	Marc Abramowicz, son of Esther Abramowicz Aranka Berger, mother of Maryka Weisz Macky Goldman, brother of Barry Goldman Rabbi Dr. Myer Schecter, father of Shayna Miller Morris Solomon, father of Sally Dale	Sidney Strauss, father of Ruth Strauss Albert Sugar, father of Pacey Sugar Jack Weinbaum, husband of Anne Weinbaum David Zieleniec, brother of Henry Zieleniec
Thursday, December 12 14 Kislev	Vojtech Arje, father of George Arje Gurion Joseph Hyman, father of Shayne Train Betty Kay, mother of Melvyn Kay	Gertrude Kosoy, mother of Martin Kosoy and Phillip Kosoy Annette Smilovic (Smiley), mother of Neil Smiley
Friday, December 13 15 Kislev	Ernst Kobias, father of Kate Erlich J. Richard Shiff, husband of Dorothy Shiff and father of Daniel Shiff and Randy Shiff	Frances Savlov, mother of Lawrence Savlov Sam Smilovic (Smiley), father of Neil Smiley

COMMUNITY MATTERS

- Sundays, December 8-22, 10:30 am - **FRUMBA: Women's Cardio Dance Fitness**. For women of all ages. Walk ins welcome! At Shaarei Shomayim. For details email Bette at frumbadance@gmail.com.
- Sunday, December 15, 5:00 pm - UJA Genesis, the Neuberger Holocaust Education Centre and March of the Living present: The 15th Annual **Dinner of Miracles**. Share a meal with Holocaust survivors and get to know their stories. At Beth Emeth, 100 Elder St. To register go to jewishtoronto.com/dinnerofmiracles.
- Thursday, January 16, 2020, 7:00 pm - The Neuberger Holocaust Education Centre **Raoul Wallenberg Day Film Screening**. At Cineplex Cinemas Empress Walk, 5095 Yonge St., 3rd Floor. Stay tuned for more details.
- Sunday, January 26, 2020, 7:00 pm - The Neuberger Holocaust Education Centre **International Holocaust Remembrance Day**. Stay tuned for more details.
- May 31-June 2, 2020 - **LIBERATION75: Global Gathering of Holocaust Survivors, Descendants, Educators and Friends**. A once-in-a-lifetime event to learn, discuss, commemorate and celebrate the 75th anniversary of liberation from the Holocaust. At Metro Toronto Convention Centre. To register go to Liberation75.org.
- May 31-June 14, 2020 - **Beit Halochem Canada** brings every year a group of 10 wounded Israeli veterans to Toronto for two weeks. Beit Halochem seeks warm, welcoming families to host these heroes. A dedicated committee provides an exciting itinerary of outings and activities. Host families offer a home, a few meals, and friendship. Co-host families are strongly encouraged to take part in group activities. To host a hero, call 905-695-0611 or email info@beithalochem.ca.

REFUAH SHLEIMAH

Rachmiel ben Dvorah (Randall Craig), Michael Mordechai Avraham ben Hinda Rifka, Eliyahu ben Ryejah, Sara Bleema bat Shaindel, Brachah bat Gitl, Noach Shmuel ben Rachel Ethel, Chaim Yakov ben Rivka, Eliyahu ben Ruth, Minah Tzurel bat Ita, Moshe Zvi ben Golda Yocheved, Shira bat Blimah Leah, Meir Zeileg ben Chana.

We would like to acknowledge your milestones! Please let us know when there is a birth, Bar/Bat Mitzvah, graduation, engagement, aufruf, wedding, significant birthday/anniversary, community recognition, illness, bereavement, or unveiling. Call or email the shul office at 416-789-3213 or coordinator@shomayim.org or donate online at Shomayim.org/donate.