

CONGREGATION BETH AARON ANNOUNCEMENTS

Parshat Beha'alotcha

June 9-10, 2017

16 Sivan 5777

SHABBAT TIMES

Friday, June 9

Plag Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: 6:40 p.m.
 Earliest Candles: 6:53 p.m.
Early Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: 7:00 p.m.
 Latest Candles: 8:08 p.m.
Zman Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat:
 8:10 p.m.

Shabbat, June 10

Hashkama Minyan: 7:30 a.m.
Nach shiur: 8:20 a.m.
Main Minyan: 8:45 a.m.
Sof Zman Kriat Shema: 9:09 a.m.
Youth Minyan: 9:15 a.m.
Early Mincha: 1:45 p.m.
 Sisterhood Book Club: 5:00 p.m., at the Markovitz home, 201 Grayson Place
Daf Yomi: 6:20 p.m.
 Women's Learning: 6:20 p.m., on the lower level of the *shul*, *Shmuel Aleph*, led by Rivka Herzfeld
 Meir Hirsch's *shiur:* 6:30 p.m.
Mincha: 7:30 p.m., followed by *Siyum Mishnayot Seudah Shlishit*
Maariv: 9:08 p.m.
Havdalah: 9:17 p.m.

Earliest Candles on Friday, June 16:
 6:56 p.m.
 Latest Candles on Friday, June 16:
 8:11 p.m.

This week's announcements are sponsored by Lamdeinu.
 For information on their schedule of classes, see page 4 and go to lamdeinu.org.
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SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 11						
	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri
	11	12	13	14	15	16
Earliest <i>Tallit</i>	4:24	4:24	4:24	4:24	4:24	4:24
<i>Shacharit</i>	6:30 MS 7:15 MS 8:00 MS 8:45 MS	5:40 SH 6:20 BM 7:10 BM 8:00 BM	5:55 SH 6:30 BM 7:15 BM 8:00 BM	5:55 MS 6:30 BM 7:15 MS 8:00 BM	5:40 SH 6:20 BM 7:10 BM 8:00 BM	5:55 SH 6:30 BM 7:15 BM 8:00 BM
<i>Mincha</i>	1:45 BM					
<i>Mincha/Maariv</i>	8:15 MS	8:15 BM	8:15 BM	8:15 BM	8:15 BM	6:45 BM 7:00 MS 8:15 SH
<i>Maariv</i>	9:30 BM	9:30 BM	9:30 BM	9:30 BM	9:30 BM	

KEY: MS = Main Shul BM = Beit Midrash SH = Social Hall

MAZAL TOV TO

- **Michele & Ben Cooper**, on receiving the Community Service Award at the TABC Scholarship Breakfast this Sunday, June 11.
- **Isio & Marcia Jacobovitz**, on the birth of a granddaughter, born to their children Louise & Ouri Cohen. *Mazal Tov* also to Ouri's parents, Ziva & Eliyahu Cohen of Montreal.
- **Gabriel Kaplan**, on his *Bar Mitzvah*. *Mazal Tov* also to Gabriel's parents, Emily & Barry Kaplan; to grandparents Ethel & Ted Kaplan and Sandy & Dr. Marvin Berman; and to siblings Ely, Yoki, and Sophie.
- **Avigayil & Baruch Murkoff**, on the birth of their daughter Michal Raizel.
- **Sharon & Jeff Rosen**, on the birth of their granddaughter Aliza Malka, born to their children Shira & Ari Rosen.

MEN'S CLUB KIDDUSH

This week's Men's Club *Kiddush* following the Main *Minyan* is sponsored by:

L'Chaim Sponsors:

- **Feige & Abe Leidner**, commemorating the *yahrtzeits* of Helen Leidner and Ernst Mermelstein.
- **Miriam & Chaim Miller and family**, commemorating the *yahrtzeit* of Miriam's father, Israel Barbanel, Yisrael Tzvi ben Azriel Yosef.
- **Avigayil & Baruch Murkoff**, in honor of the birth of their daughter Michal Raizel.
- **Sharon & Jeff Rosen**, in honor of the birth of their granddaughter Aliza Malka.
- **Sara & Benjamin Taragin**, in honor of Hillel's birthday.

Mezonot Sponsors:

- **Marcy & Jeff Manas**, in honor of our boys *laining* today in their respective communities: Yair in Maale Adumim, Donny in Haifa, and Ari in Washington Heights.

Thank you to **the Leidner family** and **the Taragin family** for enhancing this week's *Kiddush*.

If you are celebrating a *simcha*, commemorating a *yahrtzeit*, or simply want to say "thank you," consider sponsoring an upcoming *Kiddush*. To become a sponsor, go to www.bethaaron.org/kiddush.

JUNE
calendar

THIS WEEK'S PARSHA QUESTIONS
 Printed copies are available in the lobby.

On *Shabbat*,
 the *shul* elevator will operate
 in *Shabbat* mode as follows:
 Friday:
 7:00-8:30 p.m.
Shabbat:
 8:15 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; 1:30-2:30 p.m.;
 7:30-9:05 p.m.

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PAYING BALANCES BY THE END OF THE FISCAL YEAR

Beth Aaron's fiscal year ends on June 30. Full payment of balances by that date is appreciated. Payment can be made by sending a check to the *shul* or paying online at www.bethaaron.org. In order to properly post payments made by check, please note on the memo line how the funds should be applied. If you are paying online, please log into your account to ensure that payments are applied appropriately. If you do not know your password, please contact the office at office@bethaaron.org. If you require financial consideration, you may contact FAC@bethaaron.org. For questions, please contact Judi at the *shul* office, 201-836-6210, office@bethaaron.org.

WELCOME TO THE NEIGHBORHOOD

- **Bracha & Ben Waldman**, who live on Carlton Terrace.

SHUL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The **Sisterhood Book Club** will meet this *Shabbat*, June 10, at 5:00 p.m., at the Markovitz home, 201 Grayson Place, to discuss *And After the Fire*, by Lauren Belfer. For more information, contact Diane Fogel, difogel@aol.com.

PLEASE NOTE CHANGE: Rabbi Rothwachs' weekly *Sanhedrin shiur* will be held on **Thursday, June 15, at 8:30 p.m.**, rather than on its usual Wednesday evening.

The annual **Graduation Kiddush** honoring the Class of 2017 will take place next *Shabbat*, June 17, *Parshat Shlach*. Honor your graduate (from birth to doctoral level and everything in-between) with a \$72 (per graduate) sponsorship. Sponsorships for the Graduation *Kiddush* can be made at www.bethaaron.org/gkiddush. In order to guarantee that your sponsorship/graduate is listed on the poster, all dedications must be received by this Sunday, June 11. In addition, June 17 also will be a **Multi-Sponsored Kiddush**, and standard sponsorships (for *yahrtzeits*, *smachat*, etc...) at multiple levels (\$100, \$150, and \$200) are available. Become a sponsor at www.bethaaron.org/kiddush.

Next *Shabbat*, June 17, at 4:00 p.m., there will be a **Young Members' Seudah Shlishit** at the home of Felicia & Steve Hoenig, 166 Carlton Terrace. To make something for the *Seudah Shlishit*, please sign up at tinyurl.com/ymseudahshlishit. For more information, contact Felicia Hoenig, fkhoenig@gmail.com.

On *Shabbat*, June 24, **Rabbi Zvi Grumet, Director of the Tanakh program at Yeshivat Eretz HaTzvi**, will be the Scholar-in-Residence. He will speak following the *Kiddush* after the Main *Minyan* on "Winning the Battle but Losing the War." At 7:15 p.m., his topic will be "Moshe's Finest Moment," while following the 8:05 p.m. *Mincha*, he will discuss "Israeli and American Orthodoxy: Continents Adrift." To sponsor this program, please go to www.bethaaron.org/event/scholar-in-residence-rabbi-zvi-grumet.html. Sponsorships of \$100 or more will receive a copy of Rabbi Grumet's new book, *Genesis: From Creation to Covenant* (Maggid, 2017). Copies of the book will also be available at the discounted rate of \$25. For more information or to purchase a copy of Rabbi Grumet's book, please contact Josh Dubin, jedubin@gmail.com.

Beth Aaron welcomes input from our *shul* members for **ideas for improving/expanding current programming or instituting new programming**. If you have an idea or programming suggestion, email vpp@bethaaron.org or call Mordechai Ungar, 201-741-3920.

The new "**Mesoras Harav Chumash Bamidbar**" is now available exclusively to Beth Aaron members for a special price of \$20. If you are interested in purchasing a copy, please contact Paul Lustiger, plustiger@gmail.com.

We have begun the practice of the Rabbi or one of the *gabbaim* reciting a single **Kel Maleh** to commemorate *yahrtzeits* for the coming week at the *zman Mincha* on *Shabbat*. While individuals may approach the *bimah* at the time the *Kel Maleh* is being recited to provide names for inclusion (and we make arrangements to receive names from the *Ezrat Nashim*), we would prefer names be provided in advance. To do so, contact the office, office@bethaaron.org, 201-836-6210, during the week prior to the *Shabbat* on which you would like the *Kel Maleh* recited. Recitation of individual *Kel Malehs* will continue to be allowed at the early 1:45 p.m. *Mincha*, as well as on weekday mornings when the *Torah* is read.

SIYUM MISHNAYOT

The annual *Siyum Mishnayot Seudah Shlishit* will take place this *Shabbat*, June 10, *Parshat Beha'alotecha*. All learning is being generously sponsored by Dr. Barry Weissman, in memory of his beloved parents, Pearl & Morris Weissman.

Additional sponsors are:

- **Morton Goldberg**, with appreciation to Dr. Barry Weissman and Alden Leifer
- **Isaac & Heather Hagler**, with congratulations to all who participated in the *Siyum Mishnayot*
- **Alden & Evie Leifer**, in loving memory of Alden's parents, Hy & Trudy Leifer
- **Dov & Lynn Silverberg**, in honor of their children and grandchildren
- **Moishe & Yacha Singer**, in honor of Dr. Barry Weissman
- **Ilan & Faygie Tzur**, in honor of the *Siyum Mishnayot*
- **Pinchas (Paul) & Devora Wechter**, in honor of Dr. Barry Weissman, Dr. Alden Leifer, and Richard Mensch
- **Richie & Ramona Lee Wolpoe**, in memory of their parents
- **Benjamin & Aviva Yablok**, in honor of the well-being of all of our grandchildren

Next year's *Siyum Mishnayot* will be held on June 9, 2018. Sign up and choose your favorite *masechta* to learn by yourself, with a *chavruta* or your spouse and/or child(ren) at <http://tinyurl.com/kvhd1st>. For any questions, please contact Alden Leifer, aldenleifer@gmail.com, 201-907-0309.

WEEKLY SHIURIM

- *Daf Yomi*: For *Daf Yomi shiurim* and resources in Teaneck, go to www.teaneckshuls.org/daf/.
- *Daf Yomi shiur*: Monday-Thursday evenings, at 9:45 p.m.
- *Daf ha-Shavua*: Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday nights at 9:05 p.m. Sunday morning *chazara shiur* at 7:55 a.m. on the previous week's *daf*. *Shiurim* will be given by Rabbi Larry Rothwachs, Rabbi Daniel Goldberg, Rabbi Yair Hindin, and David Schnaidman.
- *Tanya shiur* by Rabbi Moshe Rosenberg: Tuesday evenings, at 9:00 p.m.
- **PLEASE NOTE CHANGE:** This week, Rabbi Rothwachs' *Sanhedrin shiur* will be held on **Thursday at 8:30 p.m.**, not on Wednesday.
- Morning *Mishna Chabura*: Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 7:00 a.m.; Monday, Thursday: 6:55 a.m.

PARNAS HAYOM

Dedicate a day of learning at Beth Aaron on the occasion of a *yahrtzeit*, in the *zechut* of a *refuah shelaima*, or in honor of a *simcha*, a birthday or any other occasion. Each week's dedications are prominently displayed in the *shul* lobby and sent out to the membership via email. For more information, or to sign up, please go to www.bethaaron.org/parashayom.

HAVE YOU READ THE JUNE KBA?

In this month's issue of the *Kol Beth Aaron* you can learn:

- About Esther & Myron Chaitovsky's role models.
- Who loves his *shul* and why.
- With whom the Israeli police prefer to interact.
- How many soldiers *Nahal Haredi* currently oversees.
- About economist Albert Hirschman's theory of history in the secular world and its relation to Jewish society.
- The halachic implications of the Six Day War.

To find the answer to these questions, read the KBA at www.bethaaron.org/kba. Copies of the KBA also are available in the *shul* lobby.

BETH AARON YOUTH and JUNIOR HIGH

Groups for Nursery-2nd grade begin *Shabbat* mornings at 9:30 a.m. and continue until the end of the davening in the Main *Minyan*.

Davening for 3rd-5th graders (Jr. Congregation) begins at 9:30 a.m. At 10:10 a.m., all 3rd-5th graders are invited for *parsha*, *Kiddush*, and games until the end of davening in the Main *Minyan*.

Those interesting in taking part in "*Banim Mitpaleim*," enabling broader participation of boys between the ages of 7-12 in leading the conclusion of davening on *Shabbat* mornings, may sign up using the [online form](#) or by contacting Mark Staum, Menachem Kravetz or Jason David, directly.

For more information about youth programs, please contact Beth Aaron Youth Directors Erica and Jason David, 732-618-9473, youth@bethaaron.org.

SUMMER YOUTH LEADERS

The Beth Aaron Youth Department needs you! Boys and girls going into 7th grade through post-high school are needed to lead *Shabbat* morning youth groups during the summer. Make extra money over the summer, gain experience working with children, and have a great time. If you are interested, please contact Beth Aaron Youth Directors Erica and Jason David, 732-618-9473, youth@bethaaron.org.

Please note that we can operate safe and effective youth groups over the summer only if we have enough qualified group leaders. If we do not have enough group leaders, we will have to modify the structure of our current *Shabbat* morning youth groups.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

CareOne needs volunteers for a *minyan*. On Friday evening, *Mincha* will be at 7:00 p.m. On *Shabbat*, *Shacharit* will be at 9:00 a.m., *Mincha* at 8:10 p.m., and *Maariv* at 9:05 p.m.

Project Ezra has recently introduced an **Interest Free Loan Program** (IFLP). The IFLP is intended to help people with unexpected expenses (i.e., collapsed roof, unusual car repair, etc.). For more information, please contact Robert Hoening, robert@ezrah.org.

This *Shabbat*, June 9-10, at Congregation Beth Abraham, 396 New Bridge Road, **Rav Meir Goldwicht** will be the Scholar-in-Residence. At a Friday night *tisch* at 9:30 p.m., at the Pfeiffer home, 400 Warwick Avenue, he will speak on "*Torah ve-Avoda, Torah u-Parnasa* — Tension or Harmony?" On *Shabbat*, at the 8:45 a.m. and 9:10 a.m. *minyanim* in the *shul*, his topic will be "To Jerusalem You May Return in Compassion — How?" At 5:30 p.m., in the main *shul*, he will address "How to Succeed in Raising Happy, Educated Children," and at a *Seudah Shlishit* following the 8:00 p.m. *Mincha*, he will speak on "Special places in Eretz Yisrael — How Do They Build Our Personality?" All presentations will be delivered in *Ivrit Kala*.

This *Shabbat*, June 10, following the 7:15 a.m. *Hashkama Minyan* at Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, **Rabbi Steven Weil** will speak on "The Inverted *Nuns*: What Could Have Been and What Was."

This *Shabbat*, June 10, at 7:00 p.m., at Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, **Rabbi Kenneth Brander** will speak on "The Archaeology of the Old City of Jerusalem and the Temple Mount: Illuminating *Tanach* and *Halacha*."

This Sunday, June 11, at 9:30 a.m., at the **Torah Academy of Bergen County**, 1600 Queen Anne Road, the school will hold its **Annual Scholarship Breakfast**. Among the honorees are Beth Aaron members **Michele & Ben Cooper**. For more information, go to tabc.org/scholarshipbreakfast.

This Sunday, June 11, at 8:00 p.m., at the Carmi home, 1484 Jefferson Street, **Yoetzet Halacha Shoshana Samuels and Aviva Edelstein** will discuss "Mirror, Mirror at the *Mikvah*: Mindfulness and the *Mikvah*."

This Monday, June 12, at 8:00 p.m., Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, **Dr. Norman Blumenthal** will speak on "Marital Boundaries: How to Create Healthy Boundaries in Relationships, in a Culture Where Privacy Is Becoming a Rare Commodity. Are Emotional Affairs as Dangerous as Physical Ones?"

This Wednesday, June 14, at 7:00 p.m., at Heichal HaTorah, 70 Sterling Place, the school will celebrate the **Heichal Mishnahthon**, the completion of the study of all *Shas Mishnayot*. Sign up to learn *mishnayot* on *Shavuot* or by June 13 at www.mishnahthon.org. The first *mishnah* will be learned by Rav YY Jacobson, followed by each *chavrutah* reviewing their two *perakim*. *Shas* will be completed by Rav Aharon Kahn. The *siyum* will be followed by dancing, led by Eitan Katz, and a barbecue. The cost is \$100 per *chavrutah* (two people).

On Monday, June 19, at 7:45 p.m., at the Fleischmann home, 691 Camperdown Road, parents of children who have made *aliyah* are cordially invited to attend a meeting of the **Parents of Olim Network**. The program is "Your Child's *Aliyah*: Challenges and Joys -- An Evening of Sharing and Connecting." To RSVP, or to join the Network, please contact Risa Krohn, risakrohn@gmail.com.

From July 31 to August 4, **Areyvut is holding a summer chesed camp, 5 Days/5 Ways, for middle school students**. The camp will offer craft projects, activities, and trips to enable participants learn to about different Jewish values and then use those values to make the world a better place. For more information, please go to www.aryevut.org/whats_new/?id=253 or contact Daniel Rothner, daniel@areyvut.org, 201-244-6702.

COMMUNITY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

Were you koveah time to learn today? Learn what you want, at the pace you want, when you want! Join for free at Koveah.org, a project of Yeshiva University Center for the Jewish Future.

Weekday mornings at 6:15 a.m., at Congregation Arzei Darom, 725 Queen Anne Road, there will be a **morning seder chabura** on *Masechet Rosh Hashanah*. The pace will be one *daf* per week, Monday to Friday, with the *shiur* led by Rabbi Ciment. *Shacharit* will follow at 6:45 a.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday and at 6:35 a.m. on Monday and Thursday. Coffee will be available. For more information, please contact Benjy Rosenbluth, 646-483-9259, bdrosenbluth@yahoo.com.

Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, presents **Torah in the AM** on Tuesdays and Thursdays: 9:05 a.m. -- *Chavura* studying *Sefer Shemot*; 9:45 a.m. -- *Gemara Berachot 2a*, with Rabbi Menachem Meier; Tuesdays: 11:00 a.m. -- Rabbi Baum on *Tehillim*; Thursdays: 10:45 a.m. -- *Rambam Mishneh Torah, Sefer Kedusha*, with Rabbi Menachem Meier.

The **Amud Yomi shiur** meets weeknights at 9:30 p.m. at Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue. For more information, please contact Mordechai Ungar, 201-741-3920, m_ungar@yahoo.com.

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REFLECTOR BELTS

Safety reflector belts safeguard you when walking to and from *shul* and any other night activity. Comfortable and lightweight, they are adjustable for men, women, and children. The belts are available at no cost to members, but a donation to offset costs is appreciated. If you would like one, please stop by the *shul* office or contact Judi, office@bethaaron.org, 201-836-6210.

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THE KOL HA-NE'ARIM TALLIT

The Committee for the *Kol ha-Ne'arim Project 5778/2017* is accepting new names to be embroidered onto the *Simchat Torah Chuppah*. Please go to www.bethaaron.org/kolhaneirim to see pictures of the actual *chuppah* and the various items available for dedication or to submit the names of your children, grandchildren, and/or great-grandchildren for inclusion. There is a nominal cost of \$1.50 per letter. For more information, contact myron.chaitovsky@gmail.com.

Other dedication opportunities, including valances and support poles, are still available, too. Please note that these "bigger ticket" dedications will be listed on the Donor Wall in the *shul* lobby and may be paid off over a two-to-three-year period. For more information, please go to www.bethaaron.org/kolhaneirim or contact Myron Chaitovsky, 201-833-8776, kolhaneirim@bethaaron.org.

SOLVE YOUR PROBLEMS WITH A LOCKER

Tired of carrying *tefillin*, *tallit* bag, a personal *siddur* or *seforim* to *shul*? Do you sometimes forget to take dress shoes to change into on *Shabbat* after walking to *shul* in a more comfortable pair? Get chilly in *shul* sometimes and wish you had a sweater? Have a *chavruta*, go to a *shiur* or learn with *Lamdeinu*?

Join the *shul* members who already have solved the problem by renting a locker!

"My locker acts as my mobile *seforim* storage unit. I keep my main *seforim* in *shul* to learn in the *Beit Midrash* at 5:00 a.m. on a daily basis." -Sam Kaplan

"My wife loves it, and doesn't even know it – there is less stuff in our house now." -Anonymous

"The locker has plenty of room for my *tallit* and *tefillin*, along with a few *seforim* and a few emergency ponchos. It gives me peace of mind knowing it is secured in a locked space." -Anonymous

"I love having a locker -- on a daily basis" -Anonymous

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To rent a locker, contact the *shul* office, office@bethaaron.org. Feel free to contact Isaac Hagler, isaachagler@gmail.com, with any further questions.



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