SHABBAT TIMES

Friday, November 18

Latest Candles: 4:16 p.m.

Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: 4:20 p.m.

Shabbat, November 19 Hashkama Minyan: 7:30 a.m. Nach Shiur: 8:20 a.m. Main Minyan: 8:45 a.m.

Sof Zman Kriat Shema: 9:15 a.m.

Youth Minyan: 9:15 a.m. Early Mincha: 1:45 p.m. Daf Yomi: 2:50 p.m.

Meir Hirsch's shiur: 3:00 p.m.

Pre-Mincha shiur: 3:15 p.m., given by Rabbi Yair Hindin, "'Distance Yourself from a Bad Neighbor' Versus Communal Responsibility: A Case Study in the Thought of Rav Aharon Lichtenstein" Mincha: 4:00 p.m., followed by Seudah Shlishit in memory of Shelly Leffel

Maariv: 5:16 p.m. Havdalah: 5:25 p.m. Kumsitz: 8:00 p.m.

Latest Candles on Friday, November 24: 4:12 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 NOVEMBER 20						
	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri
	20	21	22	23	24	25
Earliest <i>Tallit</i>	5:51	5:52	5:54	5:55	5:56	5:57
Shacharit	6:30 MS 7:15 MS 8:00 MS 8:45 MS	5:41 BM 6:20 BM 7:10 BM 8:00 BM	5:55 MS 6:30 BM 7:15 BM 8:00 BM	5:55 SH 6:30 BM 7:15 BM 8:00 BM	6:30 MS 7:15 BM 8:00 MS 8:45 BM	5:55 SH 6:30 BM 7:15 BM 8:00 BM
Mincha	1:00 BM				1:00 BM	
Mincha/ Maariv	4:15 MS	4:15 BM	4:15 BM	4:15 BM	4:15 BM	4:15 MS
Maariv	8:00 BM 9:30 BM					

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

MAZAL TOV TO

- Susie & Ze'ev Atlas, on the birth of a granddaughter, born to their children Zippy & Daniel Sevrinsky of Ma'ale Adumim.
- Alicia Bocian, on the birth of a grandson, born to her children Elexis Silverman & Justin Bocian of Stamford, CT. *Mazal Tov* also to siblings Kayla and David and to great-grandfather Gerald Avruch.
- Sarah Borodach, on her upcoming marriage to Aharon Hammer of Woodmere. *Mazal Tov* also to Sarah's parents, Patty & Sam Borodach, and to Aharon's parents, Sheri & Shalom Hammer.
- Jonathan & Naomi Freed, on the birth of a son. The *Shalom Zachar* will begin at 7:00 p.m. Friday night, November 18, at the Freed home, 71 Grayson Place.
- Ari Schaffer, on his engagement to Marissa Schwartz of Newton, MA. *Mazal Tov* also to Ari's parents, Steven Schaffer and Judy Schaffer and to Marissa's parents, Steven & Rebecca Schwartz.
- **Gitl Viswanath**, on being named to the *Forward*'s Top 50, its annual list of Jewish "makers and shakers."
- Chana & Zvi Weissler, former members now living in Alon Shvut, on the birth of a grandson, born to their children Chana & Hanania Weissler of Yerushalayim.

CONDOLENCES TO

• Fran Weinberg and Alan Zelenetz, on the passing of their beloved mother, Shirley Zelenetz. Shiva will be observed at the Weinberg home, 572 Grenville Avenue, Teaneck, through Monday morning, November 21. Minyanim will be held as follows:

Shacharit: Sunday and Monday at 7:00 a.m. Mincha/Maariv: Sunday at 4:15 p.m.

NOVEMBER 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: 4:25-6:00 p.m. Shabbat: 8:15 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; 1:30-2:30 p.m.; 3:00-5:30 p.m.

Is the *Eruv* Up? Call the *Eruv* Hotline before *Shabbat*: 201-530-0222

Contact Beth Aaron at office@bethaaron.org

MEN'S CLUB KIDDUSH

This week's Men's Club *Kiddush* following the Main *Minyan* is sponsored by the *Simchat Torah Chatanim*, **Rabbi Rothwachs**, **George Friedman** and **Alden Leifer**, to express their thanks for being selected as *Chatan Torah*, *Chatan Kol ha-Ne'arim* and *Chatan Bereishit*, respectively, and in honor of George's father-in-law, **Mishel Greenberg**, who actually received the *Kol ha-Ne'arim aliyah*.

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. For questions, contact Ari Gononsky at kiddush@bethaaron.org.

PROJECT THANKS

Help express hakarat ha-tov to Teaneck's firefighters on Thanksgiving Day by providing them with a full turkey dinner. Donors also can sign up for a parent-chaperoned tour of the Teaneck Fire Station on Thanksgiving Day by contacting office@bethaaron.org. The deadline to contrbiute to Project THANKS has been extended to this Sunday, November 20. Please make donations at www.bethaaron.org/form/project-thanks-2016.html or send a check to the shul office. For more information, contact Alden Leifer, aldenleifer@gmail.com.

SHUL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Women's Learning will not be held this *Shabbat*, November 19, so that all may hear the pre-*Mincha shiur* by Rabbi Yair Hindin.

Join us at the *shul* for a *kumsitz* this *Motzaei Shabbat*, November 19, at 8:00 p.m. Chanani Sandler and Benjy Rosenbluth will provide an evening of live music, song, and words of inspiration. Light refreshments will be served at this event, which is open to the community. Thank you to our sponsors, *Mollie Fisch* and *Talia & Yair Hindin*, in memory of Nathan Hindin, Nachum Aharon ben Shimon Zev (נחום אהרון בן שמעון זאב), a founding member of Beth Aaron. To add your name to the list of sponsors, email office@bethaaron.org.

Rabbi Chaim Dalfin, author of Rav and Rebbe, will speak at the shul this Sunday, November 20, at 8:00 p.m. He will discuss his book, which chronicles the close friendship between Rabbi Yosef Ber Soloveitchik, the Rav, and Rabbi Menachem Mendel Schneerson, the Rebbe. Books will be available for purchase at the event. Sponsorships of all types are welcome. Those donating \$100 or more will receive an autographed copy of the book. Thank you to sponsors Roz & Ira Friedman. To become a sponsor, contact the office, office@bethaaron.org.

Rabbi Rothwachs' 8:30 p.m. Sanhedrin shiur will not be held this Wednesday, November 23. It will resume on November 30.

On Thanksgiving morning, this Thursday, November 24, at 9:30 a.m., the Men's Club will present **Rabbi Danny Senter on "Our Meat, It's Not All in Vein -- From Field to Table: The Koshering Journey of Our Meat."** Rabbi Senter is the Kashrut Administrator at the Kof-K, located in Teaneck. To sponsor this program, please contact Moishe B. Singer, mensclub@bethaaron.org.

Rabbi Tzvi Hersh Weinreb, Executive Vice President Emeritus of the Orthodox Union, will speak in the *shul* on Sunday, December 4, at 8:15 p.m., on "Heroes to Inspire Us: A Personal List." To sponsor this program, contact the office, office@bethaaron.org.

Allison Josephs, Founder/Director of "Jew in the City," which works to break down stereotypes about religious Jews, will speak in the *shul* on Sunday, December 11, at 8:15 p.m.

PLEASE NOTE NEW DATE: The Sisterhood Book Club will discuss Single Jewish Male Seeking Soul Mate by Letty Cottin Pogrebin on Motzaei Shabbat, December 10, at 7:30 p.m., at the home of Marilyn Zeidel, 169 Carlton Terrace. For more information, please contact Diane Fogel, difogel@aol.com.

The **CD Library is now housed in the Youth Library** on the lower level and is available for browsing and borrowing. The collection includes *shiurim* by Rabbi Wein, Rabbi Orlofsky, and others. Thank you to **Ira Bauman** for facilitating the move.

The *shul* is looking for **old cell phones that can be kept in each** *minyan* for emergency use only (i.e., only for 911 use). If you have a cell phone (and charger) that you are no longer using and would like to donate it to the *shul*, please contact David Fisher, davidfisher100@gmail.com.

Beth Aaron has a *Bikur Cholim* rotation for visits to patients at Holy Name Hospital on *Shabbat*. We are happy to welcome new volunteers for this rewarding *mitzvah*. To be added to the list, or for more information about this program, please contact Diane Fogel, 201-837-0651, bikurcholim@bethaaron.org.

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/parnashayom.

This past week's Parnas Hayom sponsors were:

- 16 Cheshvan: Arlene & Arthur Eis, commemorating the yahrtzeit of Arlene's father, Treitel Zeev ben Baruch, William T. Steinlauf This coming week's Parnas Hayom sponsors are:
- 20 Cheshvan: Laurie & Ira Bauman, commemorating the yahrtzeit of Moshe Lovinger
- 20 Cheshvan: Felicia & Steven Hoenig, commemorating the yahrtzeit of Felicia's father, Simcha Zelig ben Elimelech

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.
- Rabbi Rothwachs' 8:30 p.m. Sanhedrin shiur will not be held this Wednesday, November 23. It will resume on November 30.
- Morning Mishna Chabura: Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 7:00 a.m.; Monday, Thursday: 6:55 a.m.

A Teaneck/Bergenfield Shabbat Dedicated to the Torah and Personality of Rav Aharon Lichtenstein zt"l.

Please join us this *Shabbat*, Parshat Vayera, November 18-19, in remembering this unique *Torah* giant who inspired our community. Throughout the Teaneck/Bergenfield communities, rabbinic alumni from Yeshivat Har Etzion who learned from and knew Rav Lichtenstein *zt"l* will share *drashot* and *shiurim* drawing from Ray Lichtenstein *zt"l*'s *Torah*.

At Congregation Beth Aaron, Rabbi Yair Hindin will offer a pre-Mincha shiur this Shabbat, November 19, at 3:15 p.m. He will speak on "'Distance Yourself from a Bad Neighbor' Versus Communal Responsibility: A Case Study in the Thought of Rav Aharon Lichtenstein." Rabbi Yair Hindin learned in Gush from 1998 to 2001, the final two years with Rav Lichtenstein zt". He has semicha from RIETS, an MA from Revel, and has taught in a number of local high schools, including Ma'ayanot and MTA. Most recently, Rabbi Hindin served as the rabbi at the Albert Einstein College of Medicine. He currently works part-time for Yeshivat Har Etzion and lives with his wife and four children in the (very) south of Cedar Lane area of Teaneck.

Click here for the full schedule.

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.

BETH AARON YOUTH and JUNIOR HIGH

All 6th-8th Graders are invited to "Escape the Oneg," next Friday, November 25, from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m., at the David home, 188 Cranford Place. Play the "Escape the Room" game and enjoy cholent, candy, friends, and fun! Bring your friends.

Parent-Child Learning will take place next *Motzaei Shabbat*, November 26, at 6:05 p.m. Parents and children are encouraged to come and learn. Bring your own materials to learn, or take out a book from our Youth Library. Children are welcome to sign up to say a *D'var Torah*. Become a sponsor at www.bethaaron.org/event/pcl5777. To sign a child up to say a *D'var Torah* or for more information, contact youth@bethaaron.org.

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

NCSY

All High School teens are invited to join Teaneck NCSY for a **Friday Night Oneg** this Friday, November 18, from 8:45 to 10:45 p.m., at the Lebovitz home, 441 West Englewood Avenue. Come hang out with friends, shmooze with awesome advisors, meet new people, and enhance your *Shabbat* experience!

NJ NCSY Winter Regional Shabbaton will be held from Thursday, December 8, to Sunday, December 11, at the Hudson Valley Resort and Spa. Enjoy a fun and exciting *Shabbat* with your friends. The Early Bird Discount before November 21 is \$269; the price after that date is \$299. There is a special freshman discount of \$50. To register, go to https://newiersey.ncsy.org/winter-regional-2016.

For more information about Teaneck NCSY, please contact Rabbi Reuven Lebovitz, ncsy@bethaaron.org.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

CareOne needs volunteers for a *minyan*. On Friday evening, *Mincha* will be at 4:20 p.m. On *Shabbat, Shacharit* will be at 9:00 a.m., *Mincha* at 4:10 p.m., and *Maariv* at 5:15 p.m.

The Kof-K, 201 The Plaza, now offers a minyan for mincha at 1:00 p.m. and for maariv at 5:15 p.m.

If you need help deciding on a Jewish summer camp for your child, contact Diana Diner, the Jewish Federation's **Jewish Camp Concierge**, 201-820-3978, dianad@jfnnj.org. She also is the administrator of the One Happy Camper grant, given to all eligible campers going to Jewish overnight camp for the first time.

This Friday, November 18, at 7:30 p.m., at 510 Cumberland Road, Congregation Shaare Tefillah is offering a **Night of Poetry**, featuring Yehoshua and Baruch November.

PLEASE NOTE NEW LOCATION: This *Motzaei Shabbat,* November 19, at 8:00 p.m., at Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, **NJ** Yachad will hold a *Melava Malka*. RSVP to www.yachad.org/njgala.

This *Motzaei Shabbat*, November 19, at 8:00 p.m., at Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue, **Oded Revivi**, Mayor of Efrat and Chief Foreign Envoy of the YESHA Council, will speak on "Words Not War: How Oded Revivi, the Mayor of Efrat, Is Using Diplomacy to Build Bridges with His Arab Neighbors."

On Sunday, November 20, and Sunday, December 4, at 8:45 a.m., at Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue, **Rabbi Menachem Leibtag** of Yeshivat Har Etzion will offer a two-part series, "The Jewish Calendar, the Name of God, and the Bible's 'Magic Numbers.'"

This Sunday, November 20, at 8:30 p.m., at Congregation Ohr Saadya, 554 Queen Anne Road, **Dr. Tal Becker**, Acting Legal Advisor to Israel's Ministry of Foreign Affairs, will speak on "The Discourse of Diplomacy in a Turbulent Middle East."

This Monday, November 21, at 8:00 p.m., at the Palay home, 285 Briarcliffe Road, the **Ma'ayanot Book Club** will discuss *The Underground Railroad* by Colson Whitehead. Samantha Kur, English Department Chair, will facilitate the program for men and women. For more information, contact Pam Ennis at 201-833-4307, ext. 265.

This Monday, November 21, at 8:00 p.m., at Congregation Bnai Yeshurun, 641 West Englewood Avenue, **Yifa Segal will discuss "The Monopoly on Human Rights**: How the Shift in Discourse Can Affect Policy, Justice, and Equality in Israel and its International Status, and What We Can Do About It."

On Thanksgiving, this Thursday, November 24, at 8:50 a.m., at Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue, **Yael Landman Wermuth** will speak on "Four *Shomrim*: Are the Rabbis' *Shomrim* the Same as the *Torah*'s?"

This Friday, November 25, at the Rosenbaum Yeshiva of North Jersey, 666 Kinderkamack Road, River Edge, MTA will hold a **Middle School 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament for 7th and 8th graders**. *Shacharit* will be at 9:00 a.m., followed by a special *shiur* and breakfast with Rabbi Jon Kessel. The tournament will be held from 10:00 a.m. to noon. There is a \$10 entry fee. Sign up at yuhsb.org/basketball. For more information, contact Rabbi Jon Kessel, jkessel@yuhsb.org.

On Sunday, November 27, at 5:00 p.m., at the Rivkin home, 681 Mildred Street, there will be a program benefitting the **Lone Soldier Center** in memory of Michael Levin. A light dinner and refreshments will be served. An RSVP to nnjthelonesoldiercenter@gmail.com is required.

On Motzaei Shabbat, December 10, at 8:00 p.m., at Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, there will be an evening of music, information, and inspiration, to benefit the capital campaign for the Northern NJ Holocaust Memorial & Education Center to be located on the Municipal Green in Teaneck. Music composed during the Holocaust will be performed and discussed by Dr. Tamara Freeman. Alan Hantman, past Architect for the Capitol, will discuss the Memorial's features and goals. There will be introductory remarks by Teaneck Mayor Mohammed Hameeduddin; a dessert reception will follow the program. An RSVP at www.nnjholocaustmemorial.org is required.

On Monday, December 12, at 7:00 p.m., at Congregation Beth Sholom, 354 Maitland Avenue, the **Jewish National Fund** will hold its annual reception. **Mordechai Ungar** will receive the Circle of Excellence Award. Register by December 5 at rsvpnj@jnf.org. For more information, contact Jocelyn Inglis, jinglis@jnf.org, 973-593-0095, ext. 823.

On Sunday, December 18, at 9:30 a.m., in Zysman Hall on Yeshiva University's Wilf Campus, 500 West 185th Street, New York City, Rabbi Lord Jonathan Sacks will speak on "Inspiring the Next Generation." This special program also will feature breakout sessions from a variety of educators. For more information, contact centennial@yuhsb.org.

COMMUNITY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

On Sunday, December 4, at 9:00 a.m., at Yeshiva University's Wilf Campus, 500 West 185th Street, New York City, there will be a conference on "Humanity's Oldest Rival: Infectious Diseases: Then, Now and Beyond." Register at www.yumedicalethics.com/ http://yumedicalethics.com.

On Mondays, beginning November 21, at 8:30 p.m., at Congregation Bnai Yeshurun, 641 West Englewood Avenue, the Jewish Learning Experience (JLE) offers a free "Insights into the Weekly *Haftarah*" class with Rabbi Moshe Yasgur. You also may dial into the class at 712-432-0373, access ID 947046#. For more information, contact rabbip@jle.org.

On Tuesdays, at 9:15 a.m., at Yeshivat Noam, 70 West Century Road, Paramus, **Dr. Michelle Sarna** offers a free six-week series, "Staging a Spiritual Life: How to Embrace Change and Stay Inspired." For more information, contact psp@yeshivatnoam.org.

On Tuesdays, at 8:00 p.m., at Congregation Beth Aaron, 950 Queen Anne Road, the Jewish Learning Experience (JLE) offers a free "Introduction to Talmud" class with Rabbi David Pietruszka. For more information, contact rabbip@jle.org.

On Tuesday nights, at 8:30 p.m., at Congregation Bnai Yeshurun, 641 West Englewood Avenue, **Rav Meir Goldwicht** offers a *Parshat ha-Shavua shiur* in Hebrew.

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 Berakhot* 2a, with Rabbi Menahem Meier; Tuesdays, 11:00 a.m. -- Rabbi Baum on *Tehillim*; Thursdays 10:45 a.m.: *Rambam Mishneh Torah, Sefer Kedusha*, with Rabbi Menachem Meier.

On *Motzaei Shabbat*, at 7:30 p.m., at Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, **Rabbi Yisroel Reisman** offers a weekly *Navi shiur*, via satellite.

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.

LOCKERS FOR YOUR SEFORIM

Are you participating in the new *Daf ha-Shavua* sessions? Do you have a *chavruta*? Why bother shlepping your *seforim* back and forth? Rent a locker and store your *seforim* there. Aren't you worth it? To reserve a locker, please contact the *shul* office, office@bethaaron.org. Contact Isaac Hagler, isaachagler@gmail.com, with any questions.

THE YOM KIPPUR APPEAL

There's still time to make a donation to the *Yom Kippur* Appeal, our beloved *shul*'s most important campaign. As always, we hope to have 100% participation from our members, which shows our commitment to this community, all that it has accomplished, and all that it hopes to achieve. In addition, this year's campaign represents 15% of our annual budget, and its success is critical to our *shul*'s ability to provide for and support our most basic services and programs. If you already have made a donation, we thank you. If you have not yet made a donation, please go to www.bethaaron.org/yomkippur or send your check to the office, noting in the memo line that it is for the *Yom Kippur* Appeal.

School Open Houses:

• Sunday, December 4, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.: Rosenbaum Yeshiva of North Jersey (RYNJ), 666 Kinderkamack Road, River Edge. Early Childhood preview for parents and prospective students. Register at RYNJ.org or contact Director of Admissions Tamar Kahn, tkahn@RYNJ.org, 201-986-1414, ext. 338.

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