# **CONGREGATION BETH AARON ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Parshat Shemini March 29-30, 2019 23 Adar II 5779

#### **SHABBAT TIMES**

#### Friday, March 29

Plag Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: 5:45 p.m.

Earliest Candles: 6:00 p.m. Latest Candles: 6:59 p.m.

Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: 7:05 p.m.

### Shabbat, March 30

Hashkama Minyan: 7:30 a.m. Nach shiur: 8:20 a.m. Main Minyan: 8:45 a.m. Youth Minyan: 9:15 a.m. Sof Zman Kriat Shema: 9:52 a.m.

Early *Mincha*: 1:45 p.m.

Seder Surprises: 4:00 p.m., in the

Social Hall Daf Yomi: 5:40 p.m.

Women's Learning: 5:40 p.m., on the Lower Level of the *shul, Megillat Esther*, Chapter 1, led by Rivka Herzfeld and

Mollie Fisch

Meir Hirsch's shiur: 5:50 p.m.
5th/6th Grade Boys' Mishna Group:
6:20 p.m., in the Book Room
Mincha: 6:50 p.m., followed by Rabbi
Rothwachs' shiur, "Mechirat Chametz:
What's the Big Deal? Part 2"

Maariv: 7:59 p.m. Havdalah: 8:08 p.m.

## Friday, April 5:

Earliest Candles: 6:05 p.m. Latest Candles: 7:06 p.m.

On Shabbat,
the shul elevator will operate
in Shabbat mode as follows:
Friday:
5:45-8:30 p.m.
Shabbat:
7:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.
1:30-2:30 p.m., 5:40-8:00 p.m.

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SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 31						
	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri
	31	1	2	3	4	5
Earliest <i>Tallit</i>	5:42	5:41	5:39	5:37	5:36	5:34
Shacharit	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 SH 6:30 BM 7:15 BM 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
Mincha	1:45 BM					
Mincha/ Maariv	7:05 MS	7:05 BM	7:05 BM	7:05 BM	7:05 BM	5:50 BM 7:10 MS
Maariv	9:30 BM					

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

## **MAZAL TOV TO**

- Helen & Eli Goldberg, on their sons Rabbis Zev, Daniel, and Noah Goldberg having been honored with the Emerging Leadership Award at the recent RIETS dinner.
- Lynn & Dov Silverberg, on the birth of their granddaughter Leora Chana, born to their children Dina & Zvi Silverberg of Teaneck.

# **CONDOLENCES TO**

- Lea (Greenspan) Borisken and Chaya Greenspan, on the passing of their beloved father, Peretz Kenneth Greenspan. Shiva has been completed.
- Tim Levart, on the passing of his beloved father, Cecil Levart. Shiva will be observed through this Monday morning, April 1, at the Levart home, 293 Merrison Street. Minyanim will be held as follows: Friday: Mincha at 3:30 p.m.

Sunday: Shacharit at 8:00 a.m. and Mincha/Maariv at 7:00 p.m.

Monday: Shacharit at 6:15 a.m.

Please do not visit between Noon and 1:00 p.m, between 5:30 and 6:30 p.m., or after 10:00 p.m.

- Shabsi Polinsky, on the passing of his beloved father, Gil Polinsky. Shiva is at 90 Booth Avenue, Englewood, through the 2:00 p.m. Mincha, today, March 29. From Motzaei Shabbat, March 30, through end of shiva on Tuesday morning, April 2, shiva will be at 1005 East 19th Street, Brooklyn.
- **Ziva Wagner**, on the passing of her beloved father, Bert Schonbach. *Shiva* will be observed through this afternoon, Friday, March 29, at the Schonbach home, 40 President Street, Staten Island, NY.

### MEN'S CLUB KIDDUSH

The Kiddush following the Hashkama Minyan is sponsored by the Hashkama Minyan Kiddush Society.

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

- Cathy & Steve Schuss, in memory of Steve's father, Harry Schuss, Naftali Herz ben Yitzchok, on the occasion of his 53rd *yahrtzeit*.
- Danielle & Moshe Teitelbaum and family, commemorating the *yahrtzeit* of Danielle's father, Marty Kirschenbaum, Matisyahu Tzvi ben Shraga Feivel, on the 26 of *Adar*.

If you are celebrating a *simcha*, commemorating a *yahrtzeit*, or simply want to say "thank you," consider sponsoring an upcoming *Kiddush* following either the *Hashkama Minyan* or the Main *Minyan*. To become a sponsor, please go to <a href="www.bethaaron.org/kiddush">www.bethaaron.org/kiddush</a>. For questions, please contact Ari Gononsky at kiddush@bethaaron.org.

The Men's Club is selling wine for *Pesach* through FillerUp. The deadline for orders is this Sunday, March 31. Orders will be available for pickup at the Singer home, 170 Edgemont Place, beginning Monday, April 8. For an additional donation of \$18, the Men's Club will deliver your order to your home in Teaneck. The profits from this wine sale help the Men's Club run programming throughout the year, including the weekly *kiddushim*. Please go to <a href="https://www.bethaaron.org/winesale">www.bethaaron.org/winesale</a> for complete ordering instructions.

### **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 <a href="https://www.bethaaron.org/parnashayom">www.bethaaron.org/parnashayom</a>.

This week's Parnas Hayom sponsor is:

 Tuesday, 26 Adar II: Bernice Greenberg, in honor of Chaviva & Rabbi Rothwachs

### **SHUL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Shabbat morning Nach study of Sefer Shmuel will begin this Shabbat, March 30. This weekly shiur, which meets in the Main Shul every Shabbat from 8:20 to 8:40 a.m., provides a wonderful opportunity for Torah study prior to davening. Feel free to bring your own copy of Sefer Shmuel, although copies will be available for all attendees. Thank you to those who have dedicated copies of Sefer Shmuel: Feige & Abe Leidner, in memory of Helen & Arthur Leidner; Evie & Alden Leifer, In loving memory of their parents, Joseph Lipmanowicz a"h, Trudy Leifer a"h, Hy Leifer a"h; and Miriam & Izzy Salomon, in memory of their parents, Lea & Tuvia Salomon and Chasha & Moshe Kitajewitz.

**The Women's Shabbat Learning Group** has completed the study of *Sefer Shmuel* and **will begin** *Megillat Esther* this *Shabbat*, March 30, at 5:40 p.m., in the *shul* Social Hall. All women are invited to join this group, which meets one hour and ten minutes before *Mincha* each *Shabbat*. Please bring your own copy of *Megillat Esther* to the session.

The topic for this week's *Shivti seder limud* is "Examining the *Mitzvah* of Rejoicing on *Yom Tov*, part 2." Rabbi Sason Gabay will lead the *shiur* and the *chabura* before the *shiur*. The program is held on Sunday mornings in the *Beit Midrash*, beginning at 9:00 a.m. A light breakfast will be served at 8:45 a.m. Each Sunday morning program typically will be independent from the previous and subsequent programs. Thank you to our sponsors *Evie & Alden Leifer*, in memory of Gittel bat Sholmo Yaakov ha-Levi, Chaim ben Nachman Moshe, and Avraham Yosef ben Shmuel ha-Levi; *an anoymous sponsor*, commemorating the *yahrtzeit* of Shulamit Leah bat Chaim Dov; and *another anonymous donor* for their sponsorship of the April learning and breakfasts. A WhatsApp group has been created for *Shivti* program attendees. To be added to the list, or for more information about the program, please contact Mordy Ungar, 201-741-3920, <u>m\_ungar2@yahoo.com</u>.

Join Zalman Suldan for "Seder Surprises" at 4:00 p.m. this *Shabbat*, March 30, in the *shul*, as he offers creative, hands-on ways to make your *seders* amazing, engaging, and exciting. Bring games, costumes, and interactive props into your *seders* to engage all audiences. With a few small steps, transform your *seder* into a memorable experience for your children (and yourself)!

The early Hashkama Minyan will meet next Shabbat, April 6, at 7:15 a.m. A sponsored Kiddush will follow davening. We are planning the scheduling of this Minyan after Pesach and need additional people to join the laining rotation. To join the rotation, contact Josh Dubin, jedubin@gmail.com, or Moishe B. Singer, moishe@gmail.com. We also are looking for sponsors for kiddushim following this Minyan. Contact Moishe B. Singer, moishe@gmail.com, to sponsor or to donate towards a kiddush.

Sisterhood and Lamdeinu are co-sponsoring a free pre-Pesach shiur with Miriam Krupka Berger on Tuesday, April 9, at 8:00 p.m., in the

shul. Her topic will be "The Four Loves of Shir ha-Shirim: Can We Be Friends with God?" The program is open to both men and women. Light refreshments will be served.

**Rabbi Baruch Simon,** Rosh Yeshiva at RIETS, will offer a Pre-Pesach shiur on Thursday, April 11, at 8:15 p.m. His topic will be "Haggadah Insights: Torah for the Seder." To sponsor this program, please go to <a href="https://www.bethaaron.org/event/SimonPesach2019">www.bethaaron.org/event/SimonPesach2019</a> or contact Paul Lustiger, <a href="mailto:plustiger@gmail.com">plustiger@gmail.com</a>.

On Shabbat ha-Gadol, Friday, April 12, and Shabbat, April 13, the Men's Club is offering **pre-Pesach meals**. At the Friday night meal, Chinese food will be served. The price is \$15 per adult or teen (ages 14-17), and \$7 per child (2-13). For the regular Shabbat lunch, prices are \$25 per adult or teen (ages 14-17), and \$8 per child (2-13). Sponsorships also are available; the sponsorship level determines if one or two meals are included. To sign up for either or both meals, or become a sponsor, go to <a href="www.bethaaron.org/shabboshagadol">www.bethaaron.org/shabboshagadol</a>.

If you are interested in making a *siyum* on *Erev Pesach*, Friday, April 19 (or if you already are planning on doing so), please let Rabbi Rothwachs know, <a href="mailto:rabbi@bethaaron.org">rabbi@bethaaron.org</a>.

Become a sponsor for Sisterhood's May 5 Pre-Shavuot cooking demonstration with kosher food personality Victoria Dwek, the co-author of many cookbooks, including the "Made Easy" cookbook series, "Everyday Secret Restaurant Recipes," and "Secret Restaurant Recipes." To become a sponsor, contact Sisterhood Co-Presidents Debby Sheffey and Gabrielle Silverberg, <a href="mailto:sisterhood@bethaaron.org">sisterhood@bethaaron.org</a>.

**The Sisterhood Book Club** will next meet on *Motzaei Shabbat*, May 11, at the Frazer home, 286 Edgemont Terrace, to discuss *Two She-Bears*, by Meir Shalev.

**Condolence cards** are available from the office for \$8 each or \$50 for 10. Contact Judi at the office, <u>office@bethaaron.org</u>, 201-836-6210, to order condolence cards.

Sisterhood can arrange for **bags of candy for** *smachot* at a cost of \$1 per bag. Two weeks' notice is appreciated. To order the bags, please contact Lisa Breen, 201-966-8958.

# PESACH AT CONGREGATION BETH AARON

# SHMURA MATZA

Sisterhood is selling *Shmura Matza* from the Shatzer *Matza* Factory in Brooklyn, offering regular, whole wheat, gluten-free oat, and spelt *matza*. The deadline is Thursday, April 11. Pickup for all orders will be Tuesday, April 16, at the Yaros home, 910 Prince Street, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Order online at <a href="https://www.bethaaron.org/event/matza19">www.bethaaron.org/event/matza19</a> or pick up an order form in the *shul* lobby.

### **MAOT CHITTIM**

"Maot Chittim" refers to the centuries-old custom of gathering wheat to provide the poor with matza and other items for the observance of Pesach. Donate at <a href="https://www.bethaaron.org/rdf">www.bethaaron.org/rdf</a>.

# **PESACH HOSPITALITY**

The *Pesach* hospitality campaign has begun. If you or someone you know would like to be a host or guest, please fill out the form in the lobby or contact Joshua Zakheim, jhz.is.us@gmail.com, 646-881-3452. "Don't be shy, apply!"

# KASHERING OF UTENSILS FOR PESACH

Kashering of utensils for Pesach will take place at the shul on Sunday, April 14, from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m.

### MONDAY, APRIL 1, PHOTO SESSIONS AVAILABLE

There still some times available for the Monday, April 1 photo session. This is your last chance to have your photo taken for the new Pictorial Directory. Book now at <a href="https://booknow-lifetouch.appointment-plus.com/ykd034xy/">https://booknow-lifetouch.appointment-plus.com/ykd034xy/</a>. You also can send a photo to Ramona Wolpoe, <a href="mailto:ramorich@aol.com">ramorich@aol.com</a>, for inclusion in the directory. For more information, please contact Ramona at <a href="mailto:ramorich@aol.com">ramorich@aol.com</a>, or 201-801-0398.

### **WEEKLY SHIURIM AT CONGREGATION BETH AARON**

- 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: Tuesdays and Thursdays at 8:55 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 Yair Hindin, and David Schnaidman.
- Tanya shiur by Rabbi Moshe Rosenberg: Tuesdays at 9:00 p.m.
- Rabbi Rothwachs' Sanhedrin shiur: Wednesdays, at 8:30 p.m.
- Morning Mishna Chabura: Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 7:00 a.m.; Monday, Thursday: 6:55 a.m.

## **BETH AARON YOUTH and JUNIOR HIGH**

The 5th and 6th grade Boys' Mishna Group will meet this Shabbat, March 30, at 6:20 p.m., in the Book Room. The group is learning Masechet Pesachim with Rabbi Rothwachs and meets weekly on Shabbat afternoons, 30 minutes before Mincha.

Join us for a **Pre-Pesach Youth event** for children in Kindergarten through 6th grade on Sunday, April 14, from 9:00 a.m. to Noon, at Urban Air, 69 Wesley Street, South Hackensack. The cost is \$25 before April 7 and \$30 after that date. The price includes Urban Air socks and a pizza lunch. Space is limited! Reserve your spot at <a href="https://www.rinat.org/form/youth-pre-pesach-event-2019.html">www.rinat.org/form/youth-pre-pesach-event-2019.html</a>.

For more information about youth programs, contact Youth Directors Erica and Jason David, 732-618-9473, <a href="mailto:youth@bethaaron.org">youth@bethaaron.org</a>.

### **COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

This Shabbat, March 30, following the 6:45 p.m. Mincha minyan at Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, Rabbi Dovid'l Weinberg will speak on "Fixing the Sin of the Eitz ha-Da'at."

This Sunday, March 31, at 9:00 a.m., at Congregation Bnai Yeshurun, 641 West Englewood Avenue, **PUAH will hold its annual symposium on the topic of "Genetics 101: Everything Your Family Needs to Know."** The program is free and open to the community. Speakers include Rabbi Dr. Aaron Glatt, Dr. William Kearns, Dr. David Pelcovitz, Rabbi Steven Pruzansky, Rabbi Elan Segelman, Rabbi Gideon Weitzman, and Temima Wildman Lebowicz.

This Sunday, March 31, following the 8:00 a.m. *Shacharit minyan* at Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, **Rabbi Rael Blumenthal** will give a pre-*Pesach Haggadah shiur*.

This Sunday, March 31, at 9:30 a.m., at Congregation Darchei Noam, 10-14 Charles Street, Fair Lawn, the *Yoetzet* Program of Fair Lawn will present **"Women's Mental Health: Through the Lifespan."** Brunch will be served. Registration at <a href="mailto:dno.am/yhp/womenshealth">dno.am/yhp/womenshealth</a>.

This Sunday, March 31, at 10:00 a.m., at CareOne at Teaneck, 544 Teaneck Road, **Rabbi Hayyim Angel** will offer a pre-*Pesach shiur*, "The Unsung Heroes of the Exodus: Shifrah, Puah, and Pharaoh's Daughter." RSVP to 201-862-3300 or <a href="mailto:ratema

This Sunday, March 31, at 8:00 p.m., at Congregation Ohr HaTorah, 36 Rector Court, Bergenfield, **Elisheva Kaminetsky** will discuss "Refreshing Your *Pesach Seder*: A Review of Great *Seder* Tips, Along with Some Brand New Ones." The program is for women only.

This Sunday, March 31, at 8:15 p.m., at Congregation Beth Abraham, 396 New Bridge Road, Bergenfield, a **new men's beginner jump rope class** will start, offering exercise in a *tzniut* environment. Ropes and jumping mats are provided for in-class use. The cost for the six sessions is \$120. To register and for more information, go to <a href="http://www.jumpintoshape.fun">http://www.jumpintoshape.fun</a> or contact Russell Moskowitz, <a href="jumpintoshape@icloud.com">jumpintoshape@icloud.com</a>, 973-476-7356.

The 7th grade boys of the Moriah School are accomplishing as many good deeds as possible, in honor of their *Bnai Mitzvot*. Please assist them by bringing donations of non-perishable food items, dry goods, canned foods, and baby supplies to the Simmons home, 275 Carlton Terrace, for distribution to local agencies. The deadline is this Sunday, March 31. In addition, they are collecting sneakers, cleats, and athletic shoes until June.

This Tuesday, April 2, at 7:30 p.m., at Ben Porat Yosef, East 243 Frisch Court, Paramus, Refa'enu will hold its **peer-led mood disorder support groups** for those with a disorder (depression, bipolar), as well as for their loved ones. Groups meet on the first and third Tuesdays of every month, with no reservations required. For more information go to <a href="https://www.refaenu.org">www.refaenu.org</a> or contact <a href="https://dena@refaenu.org">dena@refaenu.org</a>.

This Tuesday, April 2, at 8:15 p.m., at the Stein home, 78 Lee Place, Bergenfield, **Devorah Kigel** will offer a special *Shalom Bayit shiur*, "Pesach 2.0: Cleaning the *Chometz* from our Souls."

This Thursday, April 4, at 8:00 p.m., at Ben Porat Yosef, 243 Frisch Court, Paramus, there will be an interactive program, "Hidden ..... In Plain Sight," about identifying and explaining various drug paraphernalia. For more information, please contact taliahindin@benporatyosef.org.

This Thursday, April 4, at 8:30 p.m., at Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue, **Rabbi Yosef Adler** will speak on "Inyanei Haggadah."

On Shabbat, April 6, at 4:30 p.m., at the Knoll Home 721 Carroll Place, there will be an **Infertility Awareness Lecture for Women**. The speakers include Reva Judas of Nechama Comfort, psychologist Dr. Talia Hindin, and a personal account from a community member.

On Sunday, April 7, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., at the Jewish Center of Teaneck, 70 Sterling Place, **Yad Leah will hold a Clothing Drive for Israel**. In addition to clothing in excellent condition, they also need gently-used linens, towels, tablecloths, handbags, backpacks, shoes, and all outerwear. For more information, contact <a href="mailto:info@yadleah.org">info@yadleah.org</a> or 973-955-0861.

On Sunday, April 7, at 9:30 a.m., at Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, **Project S.A.R.A.H** (Stop Abusive Relationships At Home) will hold its Annual Breakfast. Author Saranne Rothberg will speak on "How to Use Humor, Laughter, and Play as Your Personal Stressbusters." The event is free; babysitting and valet parking will be provided. Project S.A.R.A.H. provides services and resources for Jewish victims of domestic violence and sexual abuse throughout the state of New Jersey. For reservations, go to <a href="https://www.ProjectSARAH.org">www.ProjectSARAH.org</a>.

On Sunday, April 7, beginning at 1:45 p.m., at the Grand Hyatt Hotel, 109 East 42nd Street, New York City, there will be a leadership and education conference in honor of **Yeshivat Har Etzion**'s 50th anniversary and the 20th anniversary of **Stella K. Abraham** *Beit* 

**Midrash** for Women at Migdal Oz. A celebratory dinner will follow the conference. Please go to <a href="www.thegushdinner.org">www.thegushdinner.org</a> for complete details and registration. For more information, please contact the Etzion office, 212-732-4874 or <a href="www.usoffice@haretzion.org">usoffice@haretzion.org</a>.

On Tuesday, April 9, at Congregation Bnai Yeshurun, 641 West Englewood Avenue, the **Teaneck Orthodox Retiree Association (TORA) will hold a pre-***Pesach* **lunch and lecture** with Rabbi Zev Goldberg of the Young Israel of Fort Lee. His topic will be "Ten Inspirational Ideas to Share at Your *Seder*." Lunch will begin at noon and the lecture at 12:45 p.m. The cost is \$12 for those who register by 4:00 p.m., Sunday, April 7, and \$15 afterwards. To register, please email <a href="mailto:mkarlin@aol.com">mkarlin@aol.com</a> with the names of those who will be attending or go to <a href="mailto:www.bnaiyeshurun.org/tora">www.bnaiyeshurun.org/tora</a>.

On Thursday, April 11, at 8:30 p.m., at Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue, **Rabbi Sason Gabay** will speak on "Birchat Hanisim: Where and When Is It Applicable?"

**Free large print** *Haggadot* are available from the JBI Library by calling 1-800-999-6476 before Friday, April 12. For more information, please contact 1-800-433-1531.

On Wednesday, May 1, at 7:30 p.m., at Teaneck High School, 100 Elizabeth Avenue, the Jewish Community Council of Teaneck will hold its **annual** *Yom Hashoa* **observance**. The speaker is Toby Levy, whose family was hidden in the barn of a former Polish employee until they were liberated in June 1944. The Holocaust Commemoration Committee is currently seeking **Holocaust survivors as well as Second and Third Generations to participate in the candle lighting portion of the program. For more information and for potential participation, contact Jeanette Malca, 201-248-4648, <a href="mailto:mailto** 

On Tuesday, May 21, NORPAC will hold its annual Mission to Washington, DC. Visit Congress and advocate for !srae!! Register now at <a href="https://www.norpac.net">www.norpac.net</a>. Students under 18 must be accompanied by an adult relative. If you have any questions, wish to sponsor someone confidentially, or need a sponsorship, please contact Mollie Fisch, <a href="mailto:mkfisch@verizon.net">mkfisch@verizon.net</a>.

This week's announcements are sponsored by Lamdeinu. For information on their schedule of classes, go to <a href="mailto:lamdeinu.org">lamdeinu.org</a>. Study in depth; be inspired!

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For class details or to register, go to <u>lamdeinu.org.</u>

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This Sunday, March 31, Yeshiva University's *Kollel Yom Rishon*, weekly free learning for men, will be held in Glueck 307 (515 West 185th Street, corner of Amsterdam Avenue), and its *Midreshet Yom Rishon*, weekly free learning for women, will be held in the Schottenstein Center (560 West 185th Street, between Audubon and St. Nicholas Avenues). Both are open to participants of all ages, backgrounds, and learning levels, with no registration. This week, *Kollel Yom Rishon* will feature Rabbi Jacob Bernstein and Rabbi Eli Baruch Shulman, and *Midreshet Yom Rishon* will feature Rabbi Meir Goldwicht and Melissa Rothenberg-Kapustin. The first *shiur* starts at 9:30 a.m., the second at 10:30 a.m. For information or to download *mar'ei mekomot*, visit <a href="https://www.kollelyomrishon.org">www.midreshetyomrishon.org</a> or call 212-960-0041.

The Beit Midrash of Teaneck (BMT), located at Heichal HaTorah, 70 Sterling Place, provides an interactive Talmud Torah learning experience for men who are retired or have flexible schedules on Monday and Wednesday mornings between 9:15 a.m. and 12:45 p.m. This week, seder begins at 9:15 a.m. At 10:00 a.m., Rabbi Ronen Dvash of Heichal HaTorah will give a shiur on Gemara Brachot; at 11:00 a.m., Rabbi Zev Goldberg (Young Israel of Fort Lee) will discuss "Bedikat Chametz" (Monday) and "Yaknehaz – Combining Kiddush and Havdalah" (Wednesday); at Noon, Rabbi Hayyim Angel of Yeshiva University will give a shiur on Sefer Haggai. Source sheets are provided and can be obtained in advance by contacting BMTeaneck@gmail.com.

Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, presents *Torah* in the AM on Tuesdays and Thursdays: 9:05 a.m. -- *Chavura* studying *Sefer Bamidbar*; 9:45 a.m. -- 7th *Perek* of *Masechet Shabbos*, with Rabbi Menachem Meier; Thursdays: 10:45 a.m. -- *Halakha* and thought in Rambam's *Mishneh Torah*, with Rabbi Menachem Meier.

On Mondays, at 10:00 a.m., at 1510 Jefferson Street, *Rebbetzin* Leah Kohn offers a *shiur* on "Women in *Tanach.*"

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

On Wednesdays, at 11:00 a.m., at the Jacoby home, 271 Briarcliffe Road, **Chani Juravel** offers a women's *chabura* on the topic "*Bereishit* -- A Study in Relationships." Each class is \$10.

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