#### Parshat Beshalach

Latest Candles: 4:33 p.m.



# CONGREGATION BETH AARON ANNOUNCEMENTS

January 14-15, 2022

13 Shevat



#### **SHABBAT INFORMATION**

#### Friday, January 14

Latest Candle Lighting: 4:33 p.m. Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: 4:35 p.m., Main Shul

Ruach-filled Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: 4:35 p.m., Beit Midrash, led by Ari Greene Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: 4:35 p.m., Social Hall (mask-only minyan)

Rebbetzin Shira Schiowitz: 8:00 p.m., Main *Shul*, "Finding Faith in Challenges Times Through the Lens of *Yeshayahu*"

#### Shabbat, January 15

Shacharit: 7:15 a.m., Beit Midrash Halacha Shiur: 7:40 a.m., Social Hall, by Rabbi Duvie Nachbar

Shacharit 8:00 a.m., Social Hall (mask-only *Minyan* continues this *Shabbat*) Shacharit 8:00 a.m., Lower Level (mask-

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Nach Shiur. 8:20 a.m., Main Shul Shacharit. 8:45 a.m., Main Shul Youth Minyan: 9:15 a.m., Beit Midrash Sof Zman Kriat Shema: 9:42 a.m. Early Mincha: 1:45 p.m., Beit Midrash Daf Yomi: 3:15 p.m., Main Shul 4th-6th Grade Mishna Group: 3:45 p.m., Lower Level

Mincha: 4:25 p.m., Main Shul, followed by a shiur by Rabbi Rothwachs

Mincha: 4:25 p.m., Social Hall (mask-only minyan)

Shkiah: 4:52 p.m.

Maariv: 5:33 p.m., Main Shul

Havdalah: 5:42 p.m.

# LAST CALL FOR THE BEYOND THE CALL CAMPAIGN

We thank those members of the Beth Aaron community who have responded to our "Beyond the Call 2021" Campaign, primarily for those families who have completed payment of their Building Fund obligations. The names of those who have given to this campaign are listed in the lobby. For questions about the campaign, or to join those participating, please contact Steven Hoenig, president@bethaaron.org or Penina in the shul office, office@bethaaron.org

#### On Shabbat,

the shul elevator will operate as follows:

**Friday:** 4:30 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. **Shabbat:** 7:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. 4:15 p.m. to 5:45 p.m.

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

Laurence Rothwachs, Rabbi Steven Hoenig, President
Office Phone: 201-836-6210
950 Queen Anne Road Teaneck, NJ 07666

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This week's announcements are sponsored by Mordechai Ungar in appreciation of the Wall of Fame and the Where Are They Now / Let's Reconnect program efforts, led by David Fisher and Esther Schnaidman (details in announcements). Also thank you to Danny Chazin and Penina, our *Shul* Administrator, for their efforts in proofing the *olim* list.

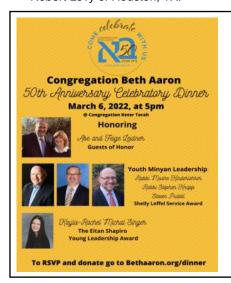
SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 16						
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	16	17	18	19	20	21
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Mincha	1:00 BM					
Mincha/ Maariv	4:40 MS	4:45 MS				
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**KEY: Shul Minyanim** 

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

### **MAZAL TOV TO**

- ◆ Judy Saden-Barach & David Barach, on the birth of their grandson Noam Shalom, born to their children Merav & Shmuel Engbert of London, England.
- ◆ Yehudit Robinson & Sam Daitch, on the birth of a son. *Mazal Tov* to big sisters Rachel, Miriam, and Shira.
- ◆ Elana & Benjy Rosenbluth, on the marriage of their daughter Chana to Akiva Levy of Houston, TX. Mazal Tov also to Akiva's parents, Barbara & Robert Levy of Houston, TX.



This year's Beth Aaron Annual Dinner will be held on Sunday, **March 6, 2022**, at 5:00 p.m. This year's honorees are:

**Guests of Honor:** Feige & Abe Leidner

Shelley Leffel Service Honorees: Our Youth *Minyan* Leadership Rabbi Moshe Kinderlehrer, Rabbi Stephen Knapp and Steven Pudell

Eitan Shapiro Youth Leadership Honoree:

Kayla-Rachel Michal Singer

Kindly RSVP by February 13, by clicking <u>here</u>.

#### **BETH AARON'S 50TH ANNIVERSARY**

As we celebrate Beth Aaron's 50th Anniversary, the Israel Committee has arranged for programming which reflects our *shul's* strong ties to *Eretz Yisrael*. Please take a look at the highlights below to see what we have in store for the coming year. We look forward to your participation in these exciting events!



Where Are They Now / Let's Reconnect – Since our shul's establishment, over 100 families/single members from our shul have made aliyah. We have been reaching out to some of our olim and interviewing them to catch up on their experiences in Israel from the time they arrived until today. The video recordings can be viewed on Beth Aaron's You Tube channel by clicking <a href="here">here</a> and on our shul website, <a href="bethaaron.org/50">bethaaron.org/50</a>.

**Wall of Fame** – Look for the artistic installation in the *shul* lobby honoring our Beth Aaron families that have made *aliyah*, highlighting our strong attachment to *Eretz Yisrael*.

Sponsorships are available for funding the cost of the plaque, and the names of sponsors will be published at this year's *shul* dinner. If you are interested in sponsoring the plaque, please contact David Fisher at <a href="mailto:davidfisher100@gmail.com">davidfisher100@gmail.com</a>.

#### **TORAH DEMYSTIFIED, PART 1**

Rabbi Larry Rothwachs will explore the wide world of Torah, from A to Z, by presenting a multi-part series of *shiurim* featuring 26 captivating topics, providing comprehensive overviews from perspectives of *Halacha* and *hashkafa*. The *shiurim* will be given on Tuesdays at 8:30 p.m.



- ◆ January 18: Wow, That's Wild: Torah Perspectives on Animals
- ◆ February 1: Pure and Simple: An Overview of the Laws of Tumah and Tahara
- ◆ February 8: Previewing Paradise: What Do We Actually Know About Olam Haba?
- ♦ February 15: Tuning Into Shabbos: All the Things You Never Knew About Zemirot
- March 1: More Than Just an Afterthought: Demystifying the Haftara

Shiurim will be live-streamed and recorded at: www.facebook.com/larry.rothwachs and at www.youtube.com/larryrothwachs

For more information or for sponsorship opportunities, please contact office@bethaaron.org.

## **BETH AARON'S MEN'S CLUB**

◆ This Sunday, January 16, at 8:00 p.m., the Men's Club invites all members (21 years and older) to participate in "Whiskey 101 Continues: A Guided Rye Tasting" in the shul's Social Hall and via Zoom. Accommodations for social distancing and Zoom access will be available. The cost is \$54 per person. Registration is required by clicking here.

#### **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 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 and next week's Parnas Hayom sponsors are:

- Monday, 8 Shevat, Sara & Joel Krinitz, in honor of the birthday of Meyer Krinitz, and wishing him a refuah sheleimah
- Monday, 15 Shevat, George & Ellen Friedman, commemorating the yahrtzeit of George's father, Irving Friedman, Yitzhak Moshe ben Tzvi.
- Monday, 15 Shevat, Yair & Adeena Mayerfeld, commemorating the yahrtzeit of Yair's father, Martin Mayerfeld, Menachem ben Shimon.
- Monday, 15 Shevat, Jeffrey & Allison Miller, commemorating the yahrtzeit of Jeffrey's mother, Rochelle Miller, Reichel Golda bat David ha-Levi.
- Monday, 15 Shevat, Lynn & Dov Silverberg, commemorating the yahrtzeit of Lynn's mother, Ann Steinmetz, Chana bat Yitzchak Tzvi.
- Wednesday, 17 Shevat, Marilyn Zeidel, commemorating the yahrtzeit of her mother, Rywka Leah Leder, Rywka Leah bat Chaim.
- Thursday, 18 Shevat, Esther & David Schnaidman, commemorating the yahrtzeit of Esther's father, Ted Zeffren, Tanchum Tuvia ben Eliezer.
- Thursday, 18 Shevat, Rabbi Sam Zimmerman & Family, commemorating the first yahrtzeit of Sam's father, Morris Zimmerman, Moshe ben Menachem Mendel.

#### **BETH AARON YOUTH AND JUNIOR HIGH**

- ◆ The 4th through 6th Grade Boys' & Girls' Mishna Group will meet this Shabbat, from 3:45 p.m. to 4:15 p.m. (40 minutes before Mincha), in the Lower Level. All are invited and encouraged to join and learn mishnayot with Rabbi Rothwachs.
- On Motzaei Shabbat, January 29, at 7:00 p.m., in the Social Hall, join us for another session of Rabbi Stanley Fisch zt"/ Parent-Child Learning, with Torah, food, raffle, prizes, and fun! Future dates are February 12 and 19. Building on last year's success, please consider sponsoring:
  - Joint pizza sponsorship for \$36
  - Session sponsorship for \$54
  - Pizza sponsorship \$136
  - PCL season sponsorship \$360

This season's sponsor of the Rabbi Stanley Fisch *zt"l* Parent-Child Learning is **Mollie Fisch**, commemorating the *yahrtzeits* of her cousin, Efraim ben Lev, on 8 *Shevat;* her cousin, Miriam bat Malka, on 13 *Shevat;* her grandfather, Sholom ben Avraham Leib ha-Kohen, on 15 *Shevat;* her great uncle, Sender ben Nissan, on 22 *Shevat;* her father, Shlomo ben Sholom ha-Kohen, on 24 *Shevat;* her brother-in-law, Yehuda Yosef ben Yissachar Dov, on 25 *Shevat;* and her uncle, Gedalia Zvi ben Sholom, on 26 *Shevat.* 

Sponsor at www.bethaaron.org/event/PCL5782

# **BETH AARON YOUTH AND JUNIOR HIGH** (Continued)

◆ The Beth Aaron Youth Department presents "A Parsha Art Contest." Create a piece of art based on any parsha and bring it to the Rabbi Stanley Fisch zt"l Parent-Child Learning. The winner will be announced on February 19 and will receive a \$50 gift card, in memory of Mishel & Bernice Greenberg z"l.

#### TALKING IN SHUL

A series of discussions led by Rabbi Larry Rothwachs on Friday nights.

January 21, at 8:00 p.m.: From Baby Boomers to Generation Z: How Generational Differences Can Make or Break a Shul

February 4, at 8:00 p.m.: The Floor Is Yours: An Open Q & A with Chaviva and Rabbi Rothwachs

For more information or to sponsor, please contact Congregating Beth Aaron. office bethaaron.org

#### **SHUL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- This Friday evening, January 14, as well as on February 11, there will be a special *ruach*-filled *Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat* in the *Beit Midrash*. All are invited and encouraged to attend. There will also be a regular *Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat* in the Main *Shul*.
- ◆ This Friday evening, January 14, at 8:00 p.m., in the Main Shul, Beth Aaron welcomes Rebbetzin Shira Schiowitz (Nach Yomi educator) who will give a shiur on "Finding Faith in Challenges Times Through the Lens of Yeshayahu" in honor of the Torat Imecha Nach Yomi program culminating two years of learning (742 Perakim) and beginning their new cycle of Nach Yomi. Both men and women are encouraged to attend. To become a sponsor, go to

https://www.bethaaron.org/form/SIR.

We thank the following sponsors of Rebbetzin Schiowitz's shiur.

- Arlene & Arthur Eis, in honor of the marriage of Rebecca Eis & Jonathan Barker.
- Arthur Eis, in honor of his wife Arlene Eis completing Nach Yomi.
- Pearl & Moshe Markovitz, commemorating the yahrtzeits of their mothers, Tzivia bat Eliezer and Ruchama bat Moshe, and in honor of Fran Mermelstein, Susan Presby, Arlene Eis and Sharon Rosen.
- Adeena & Yair Mayerfeld, in honor of Arlene Eis, Fran Mermelstein, Susan Presby, and Sharon Rosen, who will be completing Nach Yomi.
- Fran Mermelstein, in honor of Rebbetzin Shira Schiowitz being an excellent Nach Yomi teacher.
- Sharon & Jeff Rosen
- On Motzaei Shabbat, February 12, at 8:30 p.m., the Beth Aaron's Men's Club and Sisterhood are excited to present an "Axe Throwing Night." Location to be determined. The cost is \$25 per person. Reservations are required by Tuesday, February 1 by clicking <a href="here">here</a>.

### **SHUL ANNOUNCEMENTS (Continued)**

◆ Beth Aaron is happy to announce the formation of a new social media committee to help Beth Aaron properly utilize social media for communication both internally and externally. If you're interested in joining this committee please send an email to <a href="VP1@bethaaron.org">VP1@bethaaron.org</a>.

#### **♦ BETH AARON SHIDDUCH INITIATIVE**

Beth Aaron is committed to helping singles successfully move on to the next stage of their lives. To that end, we encourage any full member of the CBA community who is at least one entire year beyond the completion of his/her gap year to reach out to Ayelet & Noah Isaacs (dedicated Beth Aaron *shadchanim*) by signing up at <u>CBA Shidduch Initiative</u>. They will respond in a timely fashion to set up a meeting. Ayelet & Noah can be reached by email at <u>shidduch@bethaaron.org</u>.

# WEEKLY SHIURIM AT CONGREGATION BETH AARON

#### **♦ HALACHA SHIUR**

**Rabbi Duvie Nachbar** offers a weekly *shiur* on *Halacha* each *Shabbat* morning at 7:40 a.m. The *shiur* will be given in the Social Hall and will precede the 8:00 a.m. *Shacharit*. All are welcome to attend.

◆ Rabbi Rothwachs offers a weekly Nach Shiur each Shabbat morning from 8:20 to 8:40 a.m. in the Main Shul (preceding the 8:45 a.m. minyan). All are welcome and invited to attend.

#### **♦ DAF YOMI**

This *Shabbat*, January 15, at 3:15 p.m., in the Main *Shul*, the *Daf Yomi shiur* will be given by **Shuie Klavan**. For questions, contact David Hes, <a href="mailto:dhes613@gmail.com">dhes613@gmail.com</a>.

#### ♦ DAF HASHAVUA

The *Daf HaShavua* program will meet this week at the times set forth below. Our regular attendees are encouraged to participate. This is also a wonderful opportunity for those who have not yet had the opportunity to participate in this learning initiative to do so.

- Sundays at 7:55 a.m., Location: Beit Midrash & Zoom
- Tuesday Nights at 8:15 p.m., Beit Midrash & Zoom
- Thursday Nights at 8:15 p.m., Beit Midrash & Zoom

The Zoom link for this program is <a href="https://zoom.us/j/94069387069?">https://zoom.us/j/94069387069?</a>
<a href="pwd=dStzSEM5QmRTbUdDdityTGNJTWFldz09#success">pwd=dStzSEM5QmRTbUdDdityTGNJTWFldz09#success</a>
<a href="mailto:meanth-number-15">Meeting ID: 997 4153 396</a>. Passcode: Daf.

#### **♦ SHIVTI LEARNING PROGRAM**

This Sunday, January 16, at 9:00 a.m., the Beth Aaron's *Shivti* learning program is sponsored by May Muskin to commemorate the 2nd yahrzeit of her father, Seymour B. Muskin, Zalman Ber ben Chaim Yoel, on the 4th of *Shevat*, and by Miriam & Menachem Shapiro *le-iluy nishmat* Menachem's mother, Dina Malka bat Moshe. Join at: <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/i/6468810166?">https://us06web.zoom.us/i/6468810166?</a>
<a href="pwd=ZVc3T0k4cWtDZmtCa0k3VDEwWjhodz09">pwd=ZVc3T0k4cWtDZmtCa0k3VDEwWjhodz09</a> Zoom meeting ID: 646 881 0166. Passcode: 508148. For additional program details, contact Mordy Ungar, <a href="mungar2@yahoo.com">m ungar2@yahoo.com</a>.

# WEEKLY SHIURIM AT CONGREGATION BETH AARON (Continued)

#### **♦ WOMEN'S LEARNING GROUP**

This Sunday, January 16, at 4:00 p.m., Mollie Fisch will lead the Women's Learning Group in studying *Divrei ha-Yamim Aleph*, chapter 26, via Zoom. To participate, click on this link <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/96816959254?">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/96816959254?</a>
<a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/96816959254?">pwd=R3NsYIFPQIJoaEJCWmVUaUhuNjdMZz09</a>
<a href="https://www.usuhun.us/mvu.us/j/96816959254">Meeting ID: 968 1695 9254</a>. Passcode: Torah. Dial-in number: 646-558-8656.

#### **♦ WEEKDAY IN-PERSON DAF YOMI**

Our *Daf Yomi shiurim* are given each weekday (Monday to Thursday), at 9:15 p.m., in the Book Room, and will be followed by *Maariv* at 9:50 p.m. in the *Beit Midrash*. The *maggid shiur* is **Rabbi Asher Becker**, who attended Yeshivat Shaalvim and received *semikhah* from Yeshiva University. The *shiur* can also be attended virtually. Zoom details are as follows:

https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87874906117? pwd=aHdDWIBNcjMxMUITSHIVNWtPL3dKUT09 Meeting ID: 878 7490 6117. Passcode: 001400

- ♦ Beth Aaron hosts a **nightly learning program for local YU alumni** in our *Beit Midrash*, led by our rabbinic intern,
  Rabbi Ben Zion Feld. The program is held Monday
  through Thursday nights, beginning at 9:00 p.m., and is
  followed by *Maariv* at 9:50 p.m. in the *Beit Midrash*.
- ♦ WEDNESDAY NIGHT MASECHET SANHEDRIN GEMARA SHIUR

Rabbi Rothwachs' *Masechet Sanhedrin shiur* will take place this Wednesday night, January 19, at 8:15 p.m., at the *shul*. To participate via Zoom, click on the following link

https://yeshiva-university.zoom.us/j/374124941#success

### **COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- This Motzaei Shabbat, January 15, at 8:00 p.m., Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue, presents Dr. Noam Wasserman who will speak on "Beshalach, Blueprints and Lessons for Making Difficult Transitions," both in-person and via Zoom at <a href="https://zoom.us/j/4653630025">https://zoom.us/j/4653630025</a> Passcode: 8372795.
- ◆ This Sunday, January 16, at 12:30 p.m., join the Women's Initiative as they celebrate *Torat Imecha Nach Yomi* featuring *Torat Imecha's* educators and a musical performance by **Sorah Shaffren**. The celebration includes *Nach Shabbat* across the nation January 14-15 and the *Siyum* Israel on January 24. Register here.
- ◆ This Sunday, January 16, at 8:30 p.m., Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue, presents their Annual Martin Luther King Day Event featuring Marty Tankleff who will speak on. "Wrongful Conviction: The Story of Marty Tankleff," both in-person and via Zoom at <a href="https://zoom.us/j/4653630025">https://zoom.us/j/4653630025</a> Passcode: 8372795.
- This Sunday, January 16, Yeshivat Shalshelet, a yeshiva day school located in Bergen County serving students with language-based learning differences, invites prospective parents to an informational meeting. For the time and location, contact

## **COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS (Continued)**

- This Tuesday, January 18, at 8:00 p.m., Ben Porat Yosef presents their monthly Tanakh adult education program featuring Rabbi Hayyim Angel who will speak on "Yitro: In Between Torah and Amalek" via Zoom. To join, go to https://us02web.zoom.us/i/5413950938.
- ◆ The Beit Midrash of Teaneck is on winter break. Sessions will resume on Tuesday, February 1.
- On Sunday, February 13, at 11:00 a.m., the Orthodox Union presents their Virtual Community Home Relocation Fair. To hear directly from over 60 communities in 22 states and Israel, register here.
- On Monday, February 28, at 6:30 p.m., at Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, the Rosenbaum Yeshiva of North Jersey will host their Annual Dinner. To RSVP or to make a donation visit RYNJ.org/dinner.
- ◆ On Tuesdays and Thursday mornings, Rabbi Menahem Meier presents his gemara shiur from Israel on Zoom. At 9:00 a.m., chavruta learning will be led by Stanley Shapiro on Amos; at 9:45 a.m., Rabbi Menahem Meier will give his shiur on Masechet Taanit. Join via Zoom at <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87695578518?">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87695578518?</a>
  <a href="pwd=VUdjN2tSQ2FvZjdMd1QzSCs0SEpsQT09">pwd=VUdjN2tSQ2FvZjdMd1QzSCs0SEpsQT09</a>
  <a href="Meeting ID">Meeting ID: 876 9557 8518</a>. Passcode: 777096</a>
- On Tuesdays, at 9:30 a.m., Rabbi Efrem Goldberg of the Boca Raton Synagogue gives a weekly parsha shiur exploring deeper meanings in the parsha. To join, click on this link <a href="https://www.youtube.com/user/rabbiefremgoldberg">https://www.youtube.com/user/rabbiefremgoldberg</a>
- ◆ Yachad has launched "Reach: A Jewish Resource and Referral Center for Individuals with Disabilities"-- a central referral bank that people can turn to for unbiased information regarding case management, recreational programs, schools/camps, and more, including location, disability type, coed/separate, etc. For more information, call 877-Reach-52 or email reach@ou.org.

#### **♦ KEYLIM MIKVAH USAGE**

We are pleased to announce that the Teaneck *Keylim Mikvah* is open for self service between the hours of 7:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Sunday through Thursday, and 7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., on Friday. Appointments are no longer required. Anyone who is not fully vaccinated must wear a mask while using the *Keylim Mikvah*.

- ◆ Teaneck Mikvah usage is by appointment only. No walk-ins accepted. The appointment system closes 1.5 hours before opening. Pre-Tevilah showering on-site has been reinstated. There will be a \$25 fee if you arrive after closing hours. To book your appointment, click on this link: <a href="https://www.teaneckmikvah.com/Appointment/">https://www.teaneckmikvah.com/Appointment/</a>
- ◆ The Rinat Chaim Gemach, in memory of Renee Chaya Levy, lends new and used medical equipment in good condition to those in need, for short-term or long-term use. To borrow equipment, please contact Ronnie Schwartz, 917-532-6922.

#### SISTERHOOD CONDOLENCE CARDS FOR SALE

Sisterhood condolence cards are a nice way to reach out to someone for a *yahrtzeit* or condolence while also supporting Beth Aaron's Sisterhood. For only \$8.00, we will mail a beautiful card on your behalf.



Wish to send your own cards? You can buy them in bulk from the office. They cost \$50 for 10 cards. To place an order, please contact Penina Persin, office@bethaaron.org, 201-836-6210.



Shop for deals at smile.amazon.com/ch/23-7381588.

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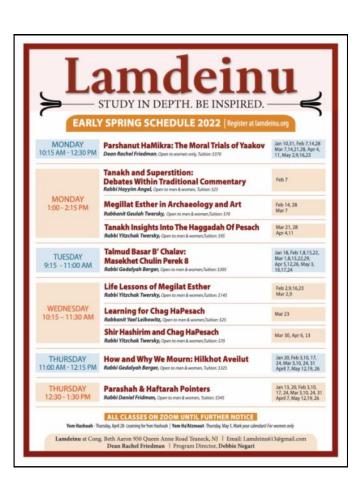
#### THANK YOU

Thank you to everyone who donated socks for the Jewish Federation of Northern New Jersey's Sock Drive.

Mindy Mellul

#### LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS

If you would like to volunteer this Sunday, January 16, at 10:30 a.m., at Beth Aaron, inventorying the *shul* libraries *seforim*, please contact the Library Committee at Library@bethaaron.org.



#### **FREE TUTORING**

Congregation Beth Aaron is considering offering free tutoring in Judaic subjects for children of Beth Aaron members in 3rd through 8th grades. The tutoring would be offered by volunteers on specific dates and times, and would be geared to families who could benefit from this service but would not otherwise hire private tutors for their children. The extent of tutoring services provided is dependent on the number of families requesting these services, as well as the availability of resources. Tutoring will be offered on a first-come, first-served basis. If you are interested in taking advantage of such a service, if offered, please contact Rabbi Michael East at <a href="mailto:hmeassoc@gmail.com">hmeassoc@gmail.com</a>.

#### **PAYPAL GIVING FUND**

You can pay any outstanding charges through the PayPal Giving Fund, without paying an online fee. The PayPal Giving Fund is a non-profit to which people can



make donations, and, in turn, the Fund supports programs like ours. When you make a donation through our link, Beth Aaron will receive 100% of your donation, with no credit card expense for either party. The Fund can be used for one-time donations and payments only. Donations made through the Fund will be posted to members' accounts the month after they are given, as PayPal will transfer the money to us once a month (in the month after the donation is made).

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#### **COVID VACCINES**

If you or anyone you know needs a COVID vaccine, please visit the links below:

- Englewoodhealth.org/vaccine
- https://www.hackensackmeridianhealth.org/covid19/
- https://www.cvs.com/immunizations/covid-19-vaccine
- http://valleyhealth.com/vaccine
- https://rodda.holyname.org/COVID19VAC
- https://www.walgreens.com/findcare/vaccination/covid-19

#### SPONSOR THE SHABBAT ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you would like to sponsor our *Shabbat* Announcements in honor or memory of a special person or occasion, please send your dedication along with your check for \$18 to the *shul* office.

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1270 Avenue of the Americas #1000 New York, NY 10020 Tel.: 212-817-3878 Fax: 212-262-0291 lawrence.shafier@prudential.com (advertisement) Good Erev Shabbos.

**LAST CALL:** I wanted to thank the many contributors to this year's Beyond the Call Campaign. Participation in this important annual campaign helps us manage the growing costs of shul maintenance and capital expenses. At the end of the month we will be updating the Beyond The Call Plaque to recognize this year's donors. If you haven't yet participated and would like to, or if you have already volunteered but don't see your name up on the poster in the Shul lobby, please reach out to me or to the shul office to let us know.

**NEXT CALL:** Only 9 weeks to go until the Shul Dinner, and our current registrations are way below our goal of 300 attendees. After proving last year that Beth Aaron has got what it takes to make an incredible virtual dinner, we can't wait to remind you how great our in-person dinners are! This year we are going to have new and exciting food choices (don't worry stalwarts ... we'll still have a carving station), amazing entertainment, 6 honorees (don't worry ... still only 3 categories), and for those of you who have been hunkering down since March 2020 our Shul has 23 new member / member families for you to meet. I will be making it my mission to personally invite each and every one of you to join me at this year's dinner. You have my presidential guarantee that you will have an amazing time! If you don't believe me....

**NEVER TOO EARLY CALL:** Sign up for "Axe Throwing Night" on Feb 12 (Motzei Shabbos) with the Beth Aaron's Men's Club and Sisterhood. To clarify.. You will not be able to throw an axe at me at this event, or at least I don't think so. But you **WILL** have an opportunity to have another amazing time with your friends at Beth Aaron, and tell me all about the amazing time you had at this year's Shul Dinner, and how glad you are that you decided to attend. Please sign up by Feb 1, as the organizers need to know numbers of attendees so that they can book the venue accordingly.

**CALLING ALL YOUTH CALL:** Be sure to submit your art pieces to the Beth Aaron Youth Department Parsha Art Contest. Winners will be announced at the Feb 19 Rabbi Stanley Fisch zt"l Parent-Child Learning finale.

**CALLING ALL BLOGGERS CALL:** Beth Aaron is forming a new social media committee to help Beth Aaron communicate news and events both internally and externally. If you're interested in joining, email VP1@bethaaron.org to sign up.

This Shabbat we are excited to welcome Scholar in Residence Rebbetzin Shira Schiowitz (Nach Yomi educator) who will give a shiur Friday evening on "Finding Faith in Challenges Times Through the Lens of Yeshayahu" in honor of the Torat Imecha Nach Yomi program culminating two years of learning (742 Perakim) and beginning their new cycle of Nach Yomi. We thank our sponsors Arlene & Arthur Eis, Arthur Eis, Pearl & Moshe Markovitz, Adeena & Yair Mayerfeld, Fran Mermelstein, and Sharon & Jeff Rosen. Mazal Tov to Arlene Eis, Fran Mermelstein, Susan Presby, and Sharon Rosen, who will be completing the current cycle of Nach Yomi.

Everyone should be aware of the programming scheduled for this coming week and beyond, in addition to the regular shiurim:

- Friday night, there will be a special ruach-filled Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat in the Beit Midrash. Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend.
- Friday Night at 8:00pm, in the Main Shul, Rebbetzin Shira Schiowitz will give a shiur on "Finding Faith in Challenges Times Through the Lens of Yeshayahu"
- Sunday at 9:00am, Beth Aaron's Shivti program meets. We thank May Muskin and Miriam & Menachem Shapiro for sponsoring.
- Sunday at 4:00 pm, the Women's Learning Group to learn Divrei Hayamim Aleph.
- Sunday, at 8:00pm, the Men's Club presents "Whiskey 101 Continues: A Guided Rye Tasting" in the shul's Social Hall and via Zoom. Registration required.
- Tuesday at 8:30pm, Rabbi Rothwachs presents the next in his Torah DEMYSTIFIED series shiurim, on the topic of "Wow, That's Wild: Torah Perspectives on Animals".
- Next Friday night at 8:00pm, Rabbi Rothwachs continues the 4th season of his "Talking In Shul" program, on the topic of "From Baby Boomers to Generation Z: How Generational Differences Can Make or Break a Shul"

Thank you to this past week's and to this coming week's Parnas Hayom Sponsors:

- Monday, 8 Shevat, Sara & Joel Krinitz, in honor of the birthday of Meyer Krinitz, and wishing him a refuah sheleimah.
- Monday, 15 Shevat, George & Ellen Friedman, commemorating the yahrtzeit of George's father, Irving Friedman, Yitzhak Moshe ben Tzvi.
- Monday, 15 Shevat, Yair & Adeena Mayerfeld, commemorating the yahrtzeit of Yair's father, Martin Mayerfeld, Menachem ben Shimon.
- Monday, 15 Shevat, Jeffrey & Allison Miller, commemorating the yahrtzeit of Jeffrey's mother, Rochelle, Reichel Golda bat David ha
  -Levi.
- Monday, 15 Shevat, Lynn & Dov Silverberg, commemorating the yahrtzeit of Lynn's mother, Ann Steinmetz, Chana bat Yitzchak Tzvi.
- Wednesday, 17 Shevat, Marilyn Zeidel, commemorating the yahrtzeit of her mother, Rywka Leah Leder, Rywka Leah bat Chaim.
- Thursday, 18 Shevat, Esther & David Schnaidman, commemorating the yahrtzeit of Esther's father, Ted Zeffren, Tanchum Tuvia ben Eliezer.
- Thursday, 18 Shevat, Rabbi Sam Zimmerman & Family, commemorating the first yahrtzeit of Sam's father, Morris Zimmerman, Moshe ben Menachem Mendel.

Thank you to Mordechai Ungar for sponsoring this week's announcements.

We wish a Mazal Tov to Judy Saden-Barach & David Barach, on the birth of their grandson. Mazal Tov also to Yehudit Robinson & Sam Daitch, on the birth of a son. Mazal Tov also to Aviva & Benjy Rosenbluth, on the marriage of their daughter Chana to Akiva Levy of Houston, TX. We wish a refuah shleimah and continued prayer for all those within our community and around the world who are still in need of our Tefillot.

Wishing everyone a Shabbat Shalom,

Steven Hoenig President