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Tishrei 26-27

Rabbi Yehuda Halpert

Assistant Rabbi David Schlusberg

Shabbat Times



Friday, October 25	
Candle Lighting:	5:43 PM
Mincha/Maariv:	5:45 PM
Shabbat, October 26	
Shacharit:	9:00 AM
Kriyat Shema:	10:00 AM
Mincha/Shalosh	5:35 PM
Sendot:	
Shkiya:	6:00 PM
Maariv:	6:37 PM
Havdalah:	6:42 PM
Next Friday, November 1	
Candle Lighting:	5:34 PM
Mincha/Maariv:	5:40 PM

Weather Report: Friday night: 60°, Cloudy

Shabbat day: 61°, Cloudy

Membership - Membership form is located on the shul website under the membership tab.

Tree of Life Synagogue - October 27th will mark the one year anniversary of the shooting at the Tree of Life Synagogue in Pittsburgh. Unfortunately, this horrific tragedy was not an isolated incident of antisemitism in the United States. Earlier this week, the Anti-Defamation League released new figures indicating that the number of incidents against Jews and Jewish targets in the United States reached 780 in just the first half of this year. At least a dozen people have been arrested for such shootings, plots, and threats since the Tree of Life massacre. In April of this year, there was another shooting at the Chabad of Poway. It is important to remember these tragedies and to prevent future ones. This anniversary means we have almost completed one year of an armed guard at the entrance to our shul. Thanks again to all those that contributed to our safety this past year.

Teaneck Shabbaton - As a reminder, the shabbaton is next week. If you are able to have people stay in your apartment for Shabbos, please reach out to teaneckshabbaton@gmail.com. We are looking for more people to help out with sleeping arrangements.

Sisterhood Events:

Walking Group - Let's get out and enjoy this beautiful weather! The Ahavat Shalom Sisterhood walking group meets Sunday mornings at 8:30 AM at Votee Park. The walk begins by picnic benches near the splash pad. Our next walk will be Sunday 11/3!

Book Club - Interested in reading and discussing popular books? Join the Ahavat Shalom Sisterhood Book Club! This month's book: "Educated" by Tara Westover

If you have any questions regarding any of the sisterhood events or activities, please reach out to the sisterhood at sisterhood@teaneckapartments.com or speak to our sisterhood co-presidents, Rivi Landesman and Aliza Rosenberg

Amud Yomi - Finding time to learn during the day can be difficult, especially for those who are working. The Amud Yomi group is on a schedule to complete Shas in 15 years. This program is doable, even for those without a lot of time in their day, and is a great opportunity to incorporate learning into your daily life! If you are interested in doing this alongside like-minded individuals within our community, please reach out to Ami Kirschner for more details at amikirschner@gmail.com or 347-233-1180.

Jewish Journeys Challah Bake - Come join 800 Jewish women of all ages and religious experience for an evening of inspiration, unity and fun as they make challah together at the Jewish Journeys Great BIG Challah Bake on Thursday evening, November 14th, 2019 at Factory 220 in Passaic, NJ. Registration is now OPEN! Please register at <https://www.showelix.com/event/jewishjourneysgreatbigchallahbake-general>. Register early as there will be NO walk ins. If you are interested in getting involved or for more information please email jjgreatbigchallahbake2019@gmail.com.

Upcoming Yeshivat Noam Events

Sunday Funday/Childrens Open House- Sunday, November 3
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School Open Houses

Yeshivat He'atid - Monday, November 4th at 7:30 PM
Yeshivat Noam - Monday, October 28th at 7:30 PM
The Moriah School - Wednesday, October 30th at 7:30 PM
Yavneh Academy - Wednesday, November 6th at 7:30 PM

General Membership Meeting - Sunday, November 10th at 7:30 PM

Rabbi Halpert's Availability

Rabbi Yehuda Halpert will be here: 10/26, 11/9, 11/16, 11/23.
He can be reached via email at RabbiYehudaHalpert@gmail.com, or phone at 201-836-3828. In the event of an emergency, Rabbi Halpert can also be reached at 212-909-6951.

Rabbi Schlusberg's Contact Info

Rabbi Schlusberg can be reached at (201) 543-9308 or daveschluss@gmail.com

Fertility Resources

The resources are now live on the shul website and can be accessed directly from the homepage. The resources include reproductive specialists, support groups, and helpful organizations.

Chesed

Our very own Dina Shaw, a Registered Nurse, has graciously offered to teach Lamaze classes. For information or assistance, reach out to Dina at (845) 826-5295 or dina5295@gmail.com



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