



# Congregation Ahavat Shalom

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Rabbi Yehuda Halpert

## Shabbat Times



<b>Friday, January 15</b>	
Candle Lighting:	4:35 PM
Mincha/Maariv:	4:40 PM
<b>Shabbat, January 16</b>	
Shacharit (Indoor):	9:00 AM
Kriyat Shema:	9:42 AM
Mincha (No Shul SS)	4:40 PM
Shkiya:	4:54 PM
Maariv:	5:25 PM
Havdalah:	5:38 PM
<b>Next Friday, January 22</b>	
Candle Lighting:	4:43 PM
Mincha/Maariv:	4:45 PM

**Weather Report:** Friday night: 43°, Cloudy; Chance of Rain

**Shabbat day:** 46°, Cloudy; Chance of Rain

**Membership** - Please fill out the membership form located on the Shul website under the membership tab.

**Member Spotlight** Meet Aliza and Gershi Adler who moved into Teaneck Square in January 2020. Gershi was born and raised in Teaneck and Aliza is also from Teaneck but only after stints in Chicago and Boston. Aliza teaches and is director of student activities at Maayanot (she likes to have home, work, and Shul all on the same block). Gershi is in real estate and is currently the Treasurer for Ahavat Shalom. During covid (and if we're being honest, even before then) they have been known to spend whole days on the couch watching Netflix. But as antisocial as that may seem, they both love meeting people and making new friends, so be sure to say hello!



**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](mailto:amikirschner@gmail.com) or 347-233-1180.

**Welcome Baskets** - The Ahavat Shalom Sisterhood is distributing welcome baskets to new families in the community. If you or anyone you know has recently moved in, please send their contact info to [welcomet@teaneckapartments.com](mailto:welcomet@teaneckapartments.com). Additionally, please contact the board if you would like to join the Welcoming Committee.

**Ahavat Shalom & Amazon Smile** - Help the Shul while you shop on Amazon! When using the following link, Amazon will donate a portion of your purchase to Ahavat Shalom: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/22-3486035>

## Rabbi Halpert's Availability

Rabbi Yehuda Halpert will be here: 1/15.  
He can be reached via email at [RabbiYehudaHalpert@gmail.com](mailto:RabbiYehudaHalpert@gmail.com), or phone at 917-497-7934. In the event of an emergency, Rabbi Halpert can also be reached at 212-909-6951.

## Fertility Resources

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

THE AHAVAT SHALOM SISTERHOOD PRESENTS:  
**COOKING WITH RIVKY KLEIMAN**  
Author of Simply Gourmet and Co-Author of the "Bais Yaakov Cookbooks"  
FEBRUARY 3 AT 7:30PM  
Cookbook Raffle:  
ALL MEMBERS - FREE  
NON-MEMBERS - \$36  
Tickets:  
\$5 - 14 tickets  
\$10 - 14 tickets  
\$20 - 14 tickets

## Upcoming Events

**Ahavat Shalom Sisterhood** is excited to present a virtual cooking class with **Rivky Kleiman!** Rivky is the author of **Simply Gourmet** and the co-author of the **Bais Yaakov cookbooks**. The event will take place via Zoom on **Wednesday, February 3rd at 7:30pm**. The event is FREE for members and \$36 for non-members. Price does not include ingredients. Contact **Rachel Rhodes** or **Dina Secemski** for more information. Sign up [here](#).

**Super Bowl Fundraiser** - Stay tuned for more about Ahavat Shalom's Super Bowl Squares Fundraiser!

**Laining/Davening** - If you are interested in Laining or leading Davening, please reach out to **Meir Safrin** or **Avi Skidelsky**.

**Mazal Tov & Thank You** Please inform a board member to have a **Mazal Tov** included in the newsletter.  
Mazel Tov to Yael and Raffi Wiesen on the birth of a baby girl!

## Welcome to the Community!

Chana and Avery Bell

Please inform a board member if you or someone you know recently moved into the community.

If you did not receive the newsletter via email, please email [board@teaneckapartments.com](mailto:board@teaneckapartments.com).

\*\*As is customary when receiving an Aliyah, please consider making a donation to the Shul. Due to COVID-19, our Gabbaim have not been able to give out Aliyah appeal cards. Donations can be made on the Shul website.\*\*

## Congregation Ahavat Shalom Board Members 2020-2021

**President:** Moshe Secemski **Vice Presidents:** Henry Bernstein | Max Landesman | Sam Rhodes | Ben Watman  
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We welcome your input! Please send your newsletter announcements by Wednesday of each week to ensure they make it in!

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