



# Congregation Ahavat Shalom

## Newsletter

Yehuda Halpert, Rabbi

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### Shul Announcements 📢

- **Seudat Shlishit** will take place after Mincha.
- **Groups** will resume THIS SHABBOS. Thank you to Yeshivat Noam for sponsoring the CAS youth groups! **REMINDER:** Both one-time registration and weekly email need to be completed before sending your child to groups.
- Rabbi Halpert **will** be in shul this Shabbat.
- **CAS Selichot** - Rabbi Halpert to share insights at 12:30 AM, Selichot to begin at 12:50 AM. Please bring your own selichot if possible. See you there!
- **Annual CAS Membership Renewal Campaign** - Consider renewing your membership before the end of the chagim (early bird pricing!) Use [this link](#) to register.
- **Yom Kippur Seat Registration** – Sign up either [at this link](#) or through our website. There will not be assigned seating. Times for davening, etc. to be shared in coming weeks.

### Kiddush 🍷🍷🍷🍷

- Kiddush this week has been sponsored by Rachel and Yitz Richmond in honor of the birth of their son Jonah, and in gratitude to the community for three wonderful years
- Kiddush this week has been sponsored by Moshe Wasserman and family in appreciation to Ahavas Shalom for all the Rav, its members, and all of our friends have done for us over the past three years! "We thank you all and will miss you as we embark on the next chapter of our lives in West Hempstead. We also wish to celebrate the birth of our new son, Kalman!"

To sponsor a kiddush, please see a board member or [send us an email](#).

### Mazel Tov! 🎉

- Mazel Tov to Yossi Fogel on the marriage of his daughter Yaffa, to Avidan Halivni, this past week!

### Happy Birthday to Our Members! 🎂🎉

- Aryeh Sunshine
- Leora Moskovich
- Yaelle Roz

If you see them in shul, feel free to wish them a happy birthday!

### Parsha Laughs! 😂



### Parshat Vayelech



### Parshat Nitzavim-Vayelech Zmanim

#### Friday, Sept 8

Candle Lighting 6:59pm

Mincha/Maariv 7:05pm  
\*Note time change!

#### Shabbat, Sept 9

Shacharit 9:00am

Sof Zman Kriyat Shema 9:42am

Mincha 6:45pm

Shkiya 7:16pm

Maariv 7:52pm

Havdalah 7:57pm

#### Next Shabbat Erev Rosh Hashana

Shkiya 7:06pm

Candle Lighting 6:48pm

### Parsha Table Talk

Submitted by Max Landesman

In this week's parshios (not parshiot), Moshe is giving a pep talk to the Jews before he goes away.

One message that sticks out to me is the following... He says that in the future, the Jews might make mistakes and turn away from G-d, but there's always a chance to make things right and come back.

As a now-famous Navy Seal Commander from YouTube once said, "make your bed in the morning," resulting in you feeling a sense of accomplishment to kick off your day. One good action leads to another good action, and so forth.

Moshe's saying even those who feel like trash and a sense of worthlessness 'cause they keep messing up, all you have to do is do one good thing. Feel a sense of accomplishment because that will lead to more and more good things to come.

To submit a parsha tidbit, submit your text to Paige @ 908-967-2175 by Thursday!

### Membership Counter

#### CAS MEMBERSHIP



Population: 99

Want to become a member or support the shul with a donation? Follow the link below to get started. Or scan the QR code on the next page!

<https://www.ahavatshalomteaneck.com/payment.php>

**Note:** Ahavat Shalom is a 501(c)(3) organization, and all donations are tax deductible.

Have a Mazal Tov or another announcement for the newsletter?

Send it to:  
[PresidentAhavatShalom@gmail.com](mailto:PresidentAhavatShalom@gmail.com)  
by Wednesday to be included.



## Community Buzz



### Events & Announcements

**YBM Morning Kollel** - Learn and get paid! All Men of high school age and up are invited to take part of Yeshivas Bais Mordechai of Teaneck's morning kollel program! This is the perfect opportunity to squeeze in that learning in a true Makom Torah, and start your day off right with the light and bracha of Torah! First Seder – 5:25am (\$15/day). Shacharit is at 6:15am. Second seder - 7:05am (\$10/day).

**CAS Welcoming Group**- To join the group as a host or explore the community as a guest, contact Carmel Zunenshine @ 347-751-2933.

**Youth Groups** - One-time registration form link is included in membership renewal, but weekly sign up for kids age 2+ is also required! Each week, make sure to email your child(ren)'s name to [shulgrouops@yeshivatnoam.org](mailto:shulgrouops@yeshivatnoam.org). **THANK YOU @YeshivatNoam**

**ATTN Leiners and Daveners**- A shul is as strong as its members' involvement! To sign up as a contributor to the minyan, speak to one of the gabbaim or fill out [this form](#).

**Bnai Yeshurun Youth Department** - Pre Rosh Hashana Interactive Beekeeping event this Sunday for kids! Sign up is required. Register at <https://bnaiyeshurun.org/youth>. Sept. 10 from 9:30-10:30 am in the social hall.

**CAS Selichot** - Join us Saturday night! Flyer with details below.



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### CAS Community Resources



- **Rabbi Halpert Availability:** During the week, Rabbi Halpert can be reached via email - [RabbiYehudaHalpert@gmail.com](mailto:RabbiYehudaHalpert@gmail.com) or at 917-497-7934. In an emergency, he can also be reached at 212-909-6591.
- **Teaneck Mikvah:** Usage is BY APPOINTMENT ONLY. To make an appointment and for the most up to date information, please visit [www.teaneckmikvah.org](http://www.teaneckmikvah.org).
- **Fertility Resources:** Information on reproductive specialists, support groups, and helpful organizations, can be found on the shul website and accessed directly from the homepage.
- **Chaverim of Bergen County:** (201) 800-4357. Services include: flat tires, lockouts, jump-starts, out of gas, search and rescue, and more.

### Tzedakah Opportunities

**Rofeh Cholim Cancer Society (RCCS)** is now in Bergen County. For patient services please call 718-722-2002. For info, visit [www.rccscancer.org](http://www.rccscancer.org) or call Dovid Cofnas at (201) 575-9080.

**FreeDialysisRides** offers rides to dialysis patients, and they need more drivers. For those available to drive please email [Freedialysisrides@gmail.com](mailto:Freedialysisrides@gmail.com) or sign up [HERE](#).

**Teaneck Simcha Gemach** has folding tables, cocktail tables, chairs and coat racks (w/ hangers) available for loan. Contact [teanecksimcha@yahoo.com](mailto:teanecksimcha@yahoo.com).

**Down the Aisle Gemach:** Setting up a home can be daunting and expensive. Help couples by donating new or unopened gifts. We accept household, Judaica, linens, gift-ware, engagement and wedding gifts that perhaps are not your taste but others would enjoy as they start their new lives together. Teaneck Drop off: Carrie Cooper, 1060 Windsor Road 201 -801-9028. [candscooper@gmail.com](mailto:candscooper@gmail.com).

**Project YECHI Tablecloth Gemach:** Project Yechi helps to provide financial support for families fighting illness. Please email [projectyechi@gmail.com](mailto:projectyechi@gmail.com) for details.

**Ohel Children's Home and Family Services:** Services available for adults with developmental disabilities including community and individual supports, employment and respite. We are also hiring. Please contact us at 718-686-3313 or [NJservices@ohelfamily.org](mailto:NJservices@ohelfamily.org)



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