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Shabbat Chayei Sarah: 25 Cheshvan 5779– November 3, 2018

SHABBAT SCHEDULE

Candles 5:34 PM
Mincha 5:40 PM

Hashkoma 8:00 AM
Rabbi's Shiur 8:30 AM
Sefardim 8:40 AM
Main Shul 9:00 AM
Smilowitz BM 9:15 AM
Teen Minyan 9:30 AM
K'Shema 10:04 AM

Chevra Shas 4:20 PM (Library)

Mincha 5:15 PM
Maariv 6:24 PM
Havdalah 6:34 PM

REFUAH SHELEIMAH *Please keep these names in your tefillah:*

Rachel Hena bas Leeba
Donna Mindel Bat Bayla Leah
Ruchel Bat Shifra
Rivka bat Sora Rochel
Pesha Kayla Sarah bas Shaindel
Dvosha Freyda bat Esther
Anina Malca bas Hila
Chana bat Devorah
Fruma bat Chaya
Gittel bat Esther
Shoshana Malka bas Chaya Zeld
Chana Bracha bat Frieda Chaya
David Mayer ben Chana
Yom Tov Lipa ben Tzivya
יהודה בערל בן רחל
Pesach Ben Rachel
Yitzhak Yechiel Ben Yenta Yehudit Machla
Shmuel ben Miriam Rachel
Shalom Yisrael Ben Sarah
Pinchas Nachum ben Udell
Menachem Mendel ben Masha Malka
Meir ben Chana
Ephraim Moshe ben Perel Margoliot
Mordechai Ben Chaya

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

S/ Set Clocks Back One Hour

Shacharit 7,7:30, 8 & 9 AM
Sefardim 8:00 AM
Minchah 12:45 & 4:35 PM
Late Maariv 10:00 PM
M

Shacharit 6:35 & 7:25 AM
Sefardim 6:15 AM
Minchah 4:35 PM
Late Maariv 7:45 & 9:45 PM
T

Shacharit 6:50 & 7:30 AM
Sefardim 6:15 AM
Minchah 4:35 PM
Late Maariv 7:45 & 9:45 PM
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Sefardim 6:15 AM
Minchah 4:35 PM
Late Maariv 7:45 & 9:45 PM
Th/ Rosh Chodesh 1

Shacharit 6:25 & 7:15 AM
Sefardim 6:15 AM
Minchah 4:35 PM
Late Maariv 7:45 & 9:45 PM
F/ Rosh Chodesh 2

Shacharit 6:25 & 7:15 AM
Sefardim 6:15 AM
Candles 4:26 PM
Minchah 4:30 PM

Kiddush this Shabbat is sponsored by the members of the kiddush society.

Rabbi's Message

You Tube WEB DVAR with Rabbi Zwickler—CHECK IT OUT!

It has been a very difficult week and I have been struggling with what to write for this week's message. Where do we find comfort when such a tragedy strikes? The Torah tells us that when Avraham sought to find a burial place for his beloved wife Sara, he approached the Bnei Ches, a group of Cannanites, who had been living in the area of Chevron at that time. Avraham was clearly identifiable to the local population, they called him a גר ותושב, a representative of G-d. Avraham however, referred to himself as a גר ותושב, a foreigner and a resident. Rashi explains in response to what appears to be Avraham's contradictory way of describing himself, that Avraham meant to say that "if you wish, I will be a foreigner, and if you wish, I will be a resident." Avraham was not sure where he stood with the local population. There were those who revered him, while others were incensed by him. Perhaps Avraham's struggle for clarity on his status served as an allusion for the confusing state that his offspring would find themselves in throughout history. We were sadly reminded of this fact last Shabbos morning in Pittsburgh. While we as a community have thrived incredibly in this beloved nation, there remain those who hate us as a people, and will go to any extreme in order to remind us of their hatred. While we are shaken, we are not broken. On Tuesday night many of us attended the West Orange Township vigil to reflect on the tragedy. Vigils have been held throughout the country to show love and support to respective Jewish communities. While there is always evil and darkness in the world, may we collectively continue with great pride to be a light unto the nations fulfilling the promise of Hashem to Avraham Avinu.

-Welcome to our Scholar in Residence Rabbi Bentzion Klatzko. We look forward to his talks over Shabbos.

-Welcome to all those attending the singles Shabbaton. Thank you to the committee for planning such a successful weekend.

Hopefully you saw Rabbi Zwickler's email about security earlier this week. Here are some of the detailed changes being put in place for now. Please be sure to see the email for additional context.

After a detailed review, the Security Committee and Executive Committee have concluded that the following additional measures are critical for at least the short term, as we actively continue to plan for the long term.

- We plan to have a uniformed armed guard at the main entrance on Shabbos (Friday evening and Shabbos morning), extend the hours of the uniformed officer and vehicle at the top of the driveway on Shabbos morning.
- On weekdays, while the Lauren Elise Bier Nursery School is in session, we will restrict access to the main doors only. From 8am-4pm Monday- Friday, the Pleasant Valley Way doors and the doors to the Albert Jacob Sefardic Wing will not be available for entry (locked with no keypad access).
- We will be commencing the reestablishment of CSS for Shabbos morning security.
- This Sunday, there will be an officer present during the AMIT event.

If you would like to have a Mazel Tov included in our announcements, such as the birth of a baby, engagements, etc., a family member should email the exact wording to office@aabjd.org by the Thursday prior. This is so names are spelled correctly, people are not left out, and the timing of the announcement is acceptable to the family.

Welcome to all the attendees of the Fall-Back Singles Shabbaton!!

Special welcome to Rabbi Benzion Klatzko, Shabbat.com founder, for joining us!
Singles of all ages are invited to the Saturday night program at Ohr Torah featuring comedian Avi Lieberman, buffet dinner, and more! Pay at door - \$50!

Special thank you to Bryan Bier, Betty Lando, Sorahleah Mandelbaum, Davidah Moradi, and Larry Rein, in addition to the Congregation AABJ&D Sisterhood, for their dedication to singles and our community.

We mourn the loss of the following who were murdered last Shabbat in Pittsburgh: Joyce Feinberg, age 75, Richard Gottfried, age 65, Rose Mallinger, age 97, Jerry Rabinowitz, age 66, Cecil Rosenthal, age 59, David Rosenthal, age 54, Bernice Simon, age 84, Sylvan Simon, age 86, Daniel Stein, age 71, Melvin Wax, age 88 and Irving Younger age 69. Ha-Shem yikom damam.

New Family Kiddush: Next Shabbat, November 10- Join us for a gala Kiddush to welcome all of the new families who have moved into West Orange. We look forward to seeing you there!

The Amit Chanukah boutique
will take place on 11/4 from 1-5.
The Wandering Que will be here

"The Rav in Thought and Deed" takes place in the Main Sanctuary 5 minutes after the 9:15AM minyan concludes. We study "The Halachic Positions of Rabbi JB Soloveitchik" authored by Rabbi Aharon Ziegler. Each week we will look at a specific halachic issue and study Rabbi Soloveitchik's opinion. Each session lasts approximately 5-7 minutes.

Lashon Corner

General negative comments about another person's children have no positive purpose and can do real harm. Every parent wants others to see the good in his or her children. No matter how annoying or lacking a child might appear to someone else, to a parent he or she is beloved. If we want to play the role of enhancing other people's lives, there is no sense in relating to them the negatives we see in the people, places, activities and things they love. Rather than laying a coat of tarnish upon someone's treasure, we can admire it with them. Theirs may well be the truer view.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Jewish Heritage Night: Monday, December 3 at 7:00 PM
@ Prudential Center

Join your friends on the first night of Chanukah
at the NJ Devil's Annual Jewish Heritage Night.

\$45 per ticket pre-sale price includes \$10 food/beverage voucher before 11/12
\$50 per ticket after 11/12

Registration is not complete without full payment in advance.

Checks can be made payable to Congregation AABJ&D
or to go our website www.aabjd.org and click on the "Donation" icon.

Remember to indicate what you are paying for in the "notes" section.

Questions? Ready to order? Contact the Shul office at office@aabjd.org

For your convenience, we have the following payment options:

1) NEW: eCheck - the fee is .75% and you can opt to absorb this cost, saving the shul money. The amount comes from an account that you specify.

2) Credit card - fee of 2.9%. Here too, you have the option to absorb this cost and save the shul money.

We encourage members to log in to ShulCloud and manage their own account. Go to <https://www.aabjd.org/> and click on the Login link at the top right of your screen.



Celebrate Chanukah @ AABJ&D: Tuesday, December 4, 2018 at 6 PM



Joins us for ...

- Dairy Dinner, Fresh Sushi, Latkes & Doughnuts
- The Extreme Magic of Eric Wilzig
- Music & Dancing by Jeff Wilks
- Community Menorah Lighting

\$18 per adult (12 and over)
\$15 per child
\$60 maximum per family

Sponsorship: \$72 Candle, \$136 Dreidel,
\$180 Menorah, \$250 Macabee

RSVP to the Shul office at
office@aabjd.org by 11/27!

OHEL Chanukah Gift Drive: Please drop off new and unwrapped gifts to the shul office! All gifts must be in by Monday, November 26.

Jewish Culture Series Fall 2018: 1. Join us for some Jewish Culture at the NJPAC in Newark. There are 3 programs you can sign up for. You MUST sign up at least a week prior to be on the admission list at the PAC. All courses are FREE and you will need to arrange your own carpool. 2. Wednesday, October 31 "Israel at a crossroads: shaping the future of a nation" 7:30 pm moderated by Dr. Dan Ben-David from Shores Institute and Tel Aviv University. 3. Monday, November 5 "Jewish History: A very short introduction 7:00 pm, led by David N. Myers, professor and Chair in Jewish History at University of California- LA. Wednesday, November 28 "Middle East Flashpoints: from Iran and Syria to Isis and Saudi Arabia" 7:00 panel discussion moderated by Daniel Kurtzer, ret. ambassador to Israel and Egypt. *To find out more about any of these events see the NJPAC website. (<https://www.njpac.org/>)*

More Jewish Cooking Dates: Chanukah- Potato Leek Soup with Mushroom Marsala and Truffle Drizzle, Olive Oil and Herb Poached Salmon, Balsamic and Roasted Garlic French Roast, Best Ever Chicken Tenders with Tahini Dipping Sauce, Everything Spiced Green Beans, Olive Oil, Rosemary, Balsamic Roasted Sweet Potato and White Potato Wedges, Doughnut Bread Pudding with Caramel Sauce, Apple and Pear Doughnut Crumble, Olive oil and orange pound cake, Each class includes the above recipes in a booklet with a 3 recipes prepared and eaten. Sign up in advance. Class includes the above recipes in a booklet. cost \$50 to attend \$100 to sponsor and get a signed cookbook (Celebrate) December Class to be announced.

Rae Kushner Yeshiva High School invites all 8th graders and their parents to join us at our Open House on Sunday, November 11, 2018. Experience RKYHS during an inspirational morning as we highlight the vast opportunities for students, demonstrate our values, and define our difference. Come see the dynamic and innovative academic and Judaic programs, first-rate educational initiatives and co-curricular opportunities. Registration begins at 9:00 am followed by the program at 9:30 am. Please register at www.jkha.org/RKYHSEOpenHouse. For more information, please contact Allison Lyons at alyons@rkyhs.org or 862-437-8050.

Come learn about Yad B'Yad Israel Experience, Yachad's premiere summer program for teens with and without disabilities! Hear firsthand from participants and meet some of the program staff! Monday, November 5th, at the Luxenberg Family (17 Crestwood Drive, West Orange, NJ) at 8 PM. For further information, please contact us at 212-613-8369 or yachadsummer@ou.org.

On Saturday evening, November 17, the community is invited to a free screening of the compelling and important film "Angst: Raising Awareness Around Anxiety." This film is a must-see for parents and educators and will help viewers identify and understand the symptoms of anxiety and encourage them to reach out for help; to destigmatize, normalize and offer hope. "Angst" engagingly and thoughtfully explores anxiety, its causes and effects and ways of dealing with it. The screening will be followed by a q&a with a panel of experts. The screening is free and open to the public and is generously sponsored by the Eric Eliezer Levenson Foundation for Hope. It will take place in the Epstein/Stein Auditorium at JKHA/RKYHS at **110 South Livingston Ave** in Livingston on 11/17 at 7:30pm. To learn more, visit www.angstmovie.com or contact dgoldstein@jkha.org

DR. IRA AND DORIS KUKIN ADULT EDUCATION

- Monday 7PM: Women's Tehillim group; contact Ora Bloom for info.
- Mon-Tues 8:15-9:45PM: Teenage boys and male adults are invited to learn with the West Orange Kollel rabbis. Contact Steve Malech at smalech@wiggin.com or Rabbi Stone at ourfr@netscape.net.
- Tuesday 10AM—Women's Parshat Hashavuah class/ R' Zwickler in the Smilowitz Beit Midrash.
- Tuesday 1PM: Class by Rabbi Yonah Lazar at the Datalife offices, 500 Bloomfield Ave, Verona.
- Tuesday at 8 PM in the Smilowitz BM- Sefer Yehoshua: All men & women are invited to a lively and interactive text based Navi Shiur by Rabbi Yosef Sharbat.
- Wednesday at 7:45PM in the Smilowitz Beit Midrash- Parshat Hashavuah class given by R' Zwickler.
- Thursday at 8 PM in the Sephardic Shul- "Parsha and

Parshanut" given by R' Sharbat.

- Thursday 8:45 PM: Please join our weekly chaburah, now in its 19th year, in the library every Thursday from 8:45 to 9:45PM. We are currently learning Sukkah. For questions or to join our email list contact Zvi at lando@alum.mit.edu
- Thursday at 8:30 PM in the Smilowitz Beit Midrash-Gemara Shiur, Masechet Kiddushin given by R' Zwickler.
- Shabbat Morning at 10 AM— Mishnah Berurah led by Joel Rich
- Join our expanding Sunday morning Gemara Chabura after the 8 AM minyan. We meet each week for 1 hour and cover about half an amud (page) per week. For more info contact Moshe at mglickus@gmail.com.

The Felice Blank Senior Program: Together on Tuesday

Tuesday, November 6—Outing to Lester Housing includes bus, lunch, tour and time to visit with friends. No charge. Come at 11:45 AM. Bus leaves at 12 noon from AABJD parking lot, returns 3:30PM.

DAF YOMI

- Shabbat Morning Shiur at 8:15 AM in the Library.
- Daf Yomi shiur on Monday & Wednesday evenings at 8pm in the library.
- Daf Yomi shiur every weekday morning in the library after the first minyan.

YOUTH DEPARTMENT

- Family Seudah Shlishit, THIS SHABBAT after mincha in the upstairs classrooms.
- Teen minyan @ 9:30 AM in the Zitta Weiss Lounge followed by Chulent Kiddush.
- November 11th- Torah and Toast with Rabbi Zwickler
- November 17- 1st grade Shabbat lunch @ youth house
- November 21- Cranberry Crunch bake night (Thanksgiving)
- SAVE THE DATE: December 16th 11:00 am UNCLE MOISHY CONCERT!!

NCSY

- NCSY ONEG Friday night! 8:30-9:50pm! With a "Post ONEG Tisch!" With Cholent, words of Torah, and singing! Open to all high schoolers! Tisch will follow the Oneg until 11pm. 36 Hooper Avenue.
- NCSY Summer 2019 is giving out amazing scholarships to their 21 Summer Programs. There is something amazing for every single teen. We encourage you to contact Levi or Alex with any questions.
- If you have any fun ideas, looking to get involved, or just want to say "hey" please feel free to reach out. Alexandra- hermana@ncsy.org, Levi - hermanl@ncsy.org