

Shabbat Mevarchim • Parshat Matot— Masei 28 Tammuz 5777 • July 21 - July 22 2017

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Shabbat Schedule

6:51pm Earliest Candle Lighting 8:04pm Candle Lighting

Friday Night

7:05pm Early Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary led by **Cantorial Intern Yisroel Lesches**

8:10pm Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary

Shabbat Morning

7:45am Hashkama Minyan in the Belfer Beit Midrash followed by shiur given by **Pearl Muken**

9:00am Services in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary led by Cantorial Intern Yisroel Lesches. Drasha given by Rabbi Shlomo Zuckier followed by Musaf.

9:15am Beginners Service led by **Dr. Leonard Davidman** in Rm LL201

9:21am Latest Shema

9:45am Rabbi Herschel Cohen Memorial Minyan in the Belfer Beit Midrash.

10:00am Youth Groups for children ages 2-12

Shabbat Afternoon

4:00pm Herb Weiss Bikur Cholim Society:

Meet in the lobby to visit patients at Mount Sinai West

6:20pm Beginners Mishna Chavura with **Moshe Sheinwexler** in the Belfer Beit Midrash

6:50pm Louis & Rhoda Lazar Memorial Shiur in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary given by **Rabbi Shlomo Zuckier** on *Does* Judaism Recognize an Ethic Independent of Halacha? The Rav vs. Rav Aharon Lichtenstein

7:50pm Mincha followed by Seudah Shlishit.

9:04pm Ma'ariv/ Shabbat Ends

Rosh Chodesh

The molad for Rosh Chodesh Menachem Av will be on Sunday evening 14 chalakim after 10 PM. Rosh Chodesh Menachem Av will be on Monday.

THIS SHABBAT

Cantorial Intern Yisroel Lesches will be leading the davening at the 7:05pm minyan Friday night and will lead the services in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary on Shabbat morning. Sermon by Rabbi Shlomo Zuckier

Shabbat afternoon class 6:50pm: **Rabbi Shlomo Zuckier** on *Does Judaism Recognize an Ethic Independent of Halacha? The Rav vs. Ray Aharon Lichtenstein*

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Hashkama Kiddush:

Leslie Katz in commemoration of the yahrtzeits of his parents Lemah ben Josef Hacohen z''l (24 of Tammuz) and Guttel bas Yehudah a'h (5th of Av).

Ron Platzer in commemoration of the yahrtzeit of his beloved mother Edna Platzer a'h.

Main Kiddush: Sponsors Welcome

Beginners Kiddush:

Leora Harvin celebrating 10 amazing years as a member of the tribe with gratitude to Rabbi Ephraim Buchwald.

Seudah Shlishit: Sponsors welcome.

MAZAL TOV

Mazal Tov and Hatzlacha to **Jordana Offer** who began basic training this week as a Chayelet in the IDF.

Jethro and Talia Solomon on the birth of their twin girls, Liv and Ellie and to proud grandparents, Howard and Hilare Solomon of Atlanta, GA and Ivan and Melanie Sacks of Dallas. TX.

Gaby and Noah Lindenfeld on the birth of a baby boy.

Danielle and Jeremy Markowitz on the birth of twin girls.

Youth Department

ארעים Seedlings (2 years old) Room 210 שורשים Roots (3-4 years old) Room 208 ניצנים Buds (K-1st) Room 211 אורשים Flowers (2nd-7th) Room 206 ענפים Branches (2nd-7th) Room 207

Shabbat Theme: Trust, Unity and Compramise

This week we complete the book of *Bamidbar* with a double Parsha, *Matot and Masei*. In *Matot*, Moshe prepares Bnei Yisrael for battle with Midian. Hashem tells Moshe to highlight the importance of trust, telling Bnei Yisrael that if one takes an oath, they are obligated to honor their word. Gad and Reuben act with honor, compromising with Moshe to leave their inherited land with their flocks and pastures, and cross the Jordan to fight alongside Bnei Yisrael. 12,000 men take up arms,1,000 from each tribe, and go forth to victory against Midian. The book ends with the daughters of Zelophehad accepting their inheritance.

This Shabbat our children will learn...

What can we learn from the 12 tribes? Which two tribes asked Moshe to stay outside of Israel? Why did they need green pasture? How did they act with honor and compromise? Where were the cities of refuge?

Chazak! Chazak Venitchazeik!

| WEEKLY TIME SCHEDULE FOR: | JULY 23- JULY 28 | MINCHA/ MA'ARIV | 8:05pm |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| SUNDAY | MON (ROSH CHODESH) | TUES, WED & FRI | THURSDAY |
| Daf Yomi: 7:45am | Daf Yomi: 6:15am | Daf Yomi: 6:20am | Daf Yomi: 6:15am |
| Shacharit: 7:10am, 8:30am | Shacharit: 7:00am, 7:40am | Shacharit: 7:10am, 7:50am | Shacharit: 7:00am, 7:50am |

Upcoming Events

Monday, July 24 • 7:00pm • Tropp Class with the Chaz Though intended for prep for the Bar Mitzvah Project, all are welcome.

The Bar Mitzvah Project is for those men who have not been Bar Mitzvahed, have never read from the Torah, or those that simply need to brush up on their Torah reading skills. The Bar Mitzvah Project will culminate on Simchat Torah, October 13. Short Aliyot! More than a dozen men have already signed up. Don't miss out! You can do this! We can help!

Email Issbarmitzvah@gmail.com. Room 206/207

Monday night, July 31- Tuesday, August 1 • Tisha B'Av at LSS • Timing and programming listed below

Tuesday, August 1 • 2:00pm • Annual Tisha B'Av Mincha. Led by Rabbi Avi Weiss at the Isaiah Wall for Israel and Jews in danger worldwide, First Avenue and 43rd Street. Bring your siddur and tallis/tefilin as needed. Info: tishahbav@aol.com or 212-663-5784.

Tisha B'Av at LSS

The Forgotten Ghetto tells the story of the walled-in village Asterdorp in North Amsterdam, which was used during WWII as 'Judenviertel' (ghetto) by the Germans. The film features seven survivors who speak of the time they spent there. Henry Joshua, a survivor of the ghetto, whose family is featured in the film, will speak at 7:00pm about the family experi-

ence in Asterdorp and this will

be followed by a

Q+A.

Monday, July 31

8:00pm: Mincha

8:14pm: Fast Begins

8:45pm: Ma'ariv, Eicha & Kinot



TISHA B'AV

Remembering the Destruction of the Temples

July 31-August 1, 2017

Tuesday, August 1

6:30am: First Service

8:30am: Second Service

With explanatory Kinot by Rabbi Robinson, and members of the community

11:15am-12:15pm: Shiur by Rabbi Robinson

"Let us not bring Children into the World- from Destruction to Despair"

12:30pm-1:30pm: Shiur by Rabbi Robinson

"Why are Ashkenazim So Strict in the Three Weeks?"

1:02pm: Chatzot

1:40pm: Early Mincha

2:30pm & 5:30pm: Film Screening: "The Forgotten Ghetto" followed by

Q&A at **7:00pm** (see left for film description)

7:40pm: Mincha/Ma'ariv

8:44pm: Fast Ends

Chessed Opportunity

Heading to Israel On a Gap Year Program? Know Someone Who is?

Young Israeli men and women who have themselves just graduated high school are now serving in the IDF. Among them are nearly 7000 young men and women from all over the world serving as "Lonesoldiers." At least four of them are LSS members. The Lone Soldier Center provides much need services to these young people. The Center would appreciate donations of personal care items such as Advil, razors, Q-tips, bug

המרכז לחיילים בודדים על הייש מייקל לוין

The Lone Soldier Center in memory of Michael Levin

spray. You could bring the items from the states or buy them in Israel (and help Israel's economy at the same time!) For a complete list of items and instructions on how to donate, email nvogel212@gmail.com.

Weekly Learning Opportunities

Tuesday

Beit Midrash Night: The first book of Samuel given by Ron Platzer; 7:20pm - Rm 211 (canceled, will resume mid August)

Wednesday ● Beit I

Beit Midrash night: The Subversive Religious Poetry of Yehuda Amichai given by Sara Brzowsky; 7:45pm - 9:00pm - Rm 207

Thursday

- Women's Talk Time: led by School Psychologist Ruth Moser Riemer; 11:30am-12:30pm Rm LL201. Last week's Topic: I'm dating two guys, which one should I choose?
- The Jacob Adler Parsha Class: Explorations in the Weekly Parsha with Rabbi Shlomo Zuckier; 7:15pm Beit Midrash

Save the Date: Monday, August 28, 2017 • 6:30pm • Hebrew Reading Crash Course Level I will begin. The 5 classes last 1 1/2 hours, and are free and open to all. Register at www.lss.org/beginners.

