

Echod Shabbat Mevarchim Parshat Bereshit

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October 13-14, 2023

SHABBAT SCHEDULE

Friday night:

6:01pm Candle Lighting

6:05pm Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat. Davening led by Jake Nussbaum Location: Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary.

6:19pm: Sunset

6:45pm (approximately) Speech by Yoni Yagodovsky, of Magen David Adom Director of International Relations arrived from Israel on Friday morning will update the community on the situation on the ground.

Topic: Magen David Adom life saving operations during the current war. Location: Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary.

6:50pm: Repeat Shema

Shabbat:

7:45am Hashkama Minyan; Location: Belfer Beit Midrash. Hashkama Kiddush to follow

9:00am Chazzan Sherwood Goffin Memorial Minyan;

Davening led by Jake Nussbaum

Drasha before Musaf by Rabbi Robinson

Location: Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary.

Main Kiddush to follow in the Ballroom.

Location: Ballroom

9:30am Beginners Service led by Rabbi Ephraim Buchwald; 3rd Floor.

Beginners Kiddush and Luncheon to follow: Belfer Beit Midrash.

9:45am Rabbi Herschel Cohen Memorial Minyan;

Drasha before Musaf by Rabbi Gottesman;

Location: Belfer Beit Midrash.

9:52am Latest Shema

10:00am Youth Groups; Supervised play. Location: Second floor classrooms for ages 3+ and Room LL203 for ages 0-2

11:30am SHABBAT OF PRAYER AND UNITY FOR ISRAEL: This Shabbat morning the entire community and all minyanim will gather in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary to Pray, Sing, and Mourn and to STAND WITH ISRAEL - FOREVER. We will strengthen each other in this appallingly dark moment and stand in awe of the strength and resilience of Am Yisrael and Medinat Yisrael.

12:30pm: Beginners Luncheon;

Location: Belfer Beit Midrash

4:00pm Beginners Mishna Chavura with Moshe Sheinwexler;

Location: Belfer Beit Midrash.

4:45pm Louis and Rhoda Lazar Memorial Shiur by Rabbi Efraim Tepler in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary.

5:45pm Mincha; Location: Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary.

Followed by Seudah Shlishit.

5:45pm: Young Professional Women's Seudah Shlishit at the home of Deborah Watman. Contact Deborahwatman@gmail.com for address

6:17pm: Sunset: Latest time to daven Mincha.

7:00pm Ma'ariv/Shabbat Ends

8:00pm Magen Avraham Teen Department: UWS Candle Light Vigil and Hearing from Former Israeli Soldiers and letter writing. Join Lloyd Epstein Kollel Fellows, Bezalel and Yechiel, Rabbi Daniel Gottesman, and Alexander Wildes for a moving and meaningful evening. Pizza will be served. Location: Lincoln Square Synagogue.



ROSH CHODESH MAR CHESHVAN

Cantor

The molad for Rosh Chodesh Mar Cheshvan will be on Shabbat afternoon at 33 minutes and 1 chelek after 6 pm. Rosh Chodesh Mar Cheshvan will be on Sunday and Monday.

THIS SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15TH

Kumsitz of Prayer Song and Strength for Am Yisrael: 6:30pm:

. Featuring Chazzan Yanky Lemmer and Israel Portnoy. Join us for an evening of community and togetherness through song and prayers. Please bring musical instruments. There will also be a collection of items for chayalim (list to follow) as well as letter writing and other ways of showing support. Children welcome and encouraged to attend.

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS

Hashkama:

Joel Tenenholtz in commemoration of the yahrtzeit of his mother Hannah, Chana bat Ze'ev a"h.

Joseph (Yossi) Hirsch in commemoration of the first yahrtzeit of his mother Hinda Leah bat Rav Moshe and Chaya Sarah a"h.

Judy and Moshe Sokolow in honor of the LSS ba'alei keriah (Torah readers).

Main Kiddush:

Joanna and Bernard Broome in commemoration of the yahrtzeits of Bernard's parents, Sidney Broome z"l on the 30th of Tishrei, and Evelyn a"h on the 23rd of Tishrei.

Beginners:

Felice and Baruch Abilevitz in commemoration of the yahrtzeit of Felice's mother, Nechama bat Eliezer a"h.

Seudah Shlishit

Lois Gottesman in commemoration of the yahrtzeit of her mother, Rosalie Gottesman a"h.

WELCOME NEW MEMBER

Stephen Smith

MAZAL TOV

Richard and Freya Wigler on the upcoming marriage this Sunday of their granddaughter Cheryl Shalmo to Joshua Goot.



Rebecca and Russell Feit on the birth of a boy. Mazal tov also to grandparents Dr. Jerrold and Ilene Feit, and grandparents Jerome z"l and Susan Kutner.



WEEKDAY MINYAN

Shacharit:

Sunday, October 15th (Rosh Chodesh Cheshvan) @ 7:00am & 8:30am Monday, October 16th (Rosh Chodesh Cheshvan) @ 7:00am & 7:40am Tuesday and Wednesday, October 17th-18th @ 7:10am & 7:50am Thursday, October 19th @ 7:00am & 7:50am Friday, October 20th @ 7:10am & 7:50am

Mincha/Maariv:

Sunday & Monday, October 15th & 16th @ 6:05pm Tuesday - Thursday, October 17th - 19th @ 6:00pm

A MESSAGE FROM YECHIEL ROZENBERG, LLOYD EPSTEIN TORAH MITZION KOLLEL FELLOW

Dear LSS Community,

I haven't been able to sleep for a week now - the attacks that the State of Israel is enduring hurt the soul of every human being, and it is impossible to rest after reading even a few of the testimonies.

The main thing that gave me strength was the incredible embrace of the community. As a Jew and an Israeli I felt enveloped, and the support was simply amazing. I have no doubt that the American embrace strengthens all Israelis and soldiers.

It's been (literally) a week that I haven't slept - my reserve battalion (like most combat soldiers in the IDF) has been called up and is now waiting in the north in the hope that it won't have to act but in readiness for anything that happens. There is so much to do, both in Israel and in America but now, as the State of Israel is fighting for its existence, and with Israel fighting for its future, I feel and know that I need to be in Israel, to contribute my small part in the coming weeks until the situation calms down.

Ever since the rumors started that I was returning to Israel, I feel the community's incredible support for me and the country in general, and it simply excites and strengthens me.

I will miss you and I hope and am sure that I will return soon to continue learning with you and to be part of this amazing community. Praying together with you for salvation and comfort soon.

בשורות טובות Yechiel

CSS URGENTLY NEEDS YOUR HELP

The news in Israel proves more than ever the importance of security. Our small team greets you when you arrive and ensures your safety by screening all who enter. But we need you to join us, we need a bigger team. With enough new volunteers, a commitment of one two-hour Shabbat shift every six weeks is all we need to ask of you. Answer the call. Please email security@lss.org to raise your hand and volunteer.

Regarding THIS Shabbat: We have reviewed our security protocols. Some protocols will be noticeable and others not. When you arrive at synagogue, be prepared to make time to assist security as requested. We will ask members to take 15 minute stints to man the inner doordoorswhich will be kept locked during services.



WE STAND WITH ISRAEL

The Lincoln Square Synagogue has demonstrated an incredible but unsurprising amount of emotional and financial support for the people of Israel during this most challenging of times. There is so much that we all want to do to help Israel. The biggest help will come from providing financial support to organizations which have been functioning on the ground in Israel for some time and have the infrastructure in place to provide critical needs and services in a timely manner. Although there is a long list of groups who are meeting needs, we are recommending three in particular which we believe are in position to be highly effective right now. They are:

- 1. United Jewish Appeal (UJA): www.ujafedny.org/israel-emergency-fund
- 2. Friends of Israel Defense Forces (FIDF): www.fidf.org/
- 3. Magen David Adom (MDA): www.afmda.org/donate/

In addition, we have our own newly established, Israel Emergency Relief Fund. Rabbi Shaul Robinson and a committee will direct funds to people on the ground in Israel who can help specific individuals and families in need. If you would like to donate in this fashion please visit www.lss.org/payment.php and select 'Israel Emergency Relief Fund' from the drop down menu.

There are numerous worthy organizations that have long been in existence and manynew, well-meaning, grassroots organizations. We feel that the more established groups are in better position to actually meet the needs of the people as they understand the abundant logistical challenges of moving people and goods quickly through crisis zones. If there is a smaller group in which you have a connection or a deep belief in its effectiveness, please give money to them as well.

In addition to your generosity of time and money, we ask you all to maintain your generosity of spirit towards Israel. Please check in with people there and be as present as possible with your community here. We are all in pain and we will all do better if we support one another.

Michael Doppelt and Paris Wald Stulbach, Co-Presidents Rabbi Shaul Rabinson, Senior Rabbi,

Tamar Fix, Executive Director

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If you see something suspicious report it to a CSS member.

Are you aware of resources related to the war that you think we should include on our website (www.lss.org)?

Email: supportisrael@lss.org

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, October 29th: Commemoration of the 50th Anniversary of the Yom Kippur War: 7:00pm: Location: Belfer Beit Midrash: This year marks the 50th anniversary of the Yom Kippur War, a war that brought the State of Israel to the brink of destruction. In the early days of the war, just a handful of Israeli tanks were all that stood between the hundreds of invading Syrian tanks and the Galil. Yet, the Syrians did not break through. One of the heroes of that battle was tank commander Avigdor Kahalani. LSS is honored to host Gen. Kahalani who will recount those dreadful days 50 years ago and the heroes who saved Israel. Admission is \$18 in advance, \$30 at the door. A donation to the El Ami organization that promotes Jewish unity, values and heritage in Israel through educational programs is appreciated. Register at www.lss.org/event/commemoration-of-the-50th-anniversary-of-the-yom-kippur-war

Sunday, October 22nd: Film & Culture Committee Presents the Israeli Movie 'Matchmaking': בחורים טובים: 7:30pm - 9:00pm: Moti Bernstein is an ideal son, Yeshiva student and friend seeking a match. The only problem is the community says he can't have the one he wants. What to do? Join us for this fun and thought-provoking film (in Hebrew with English subtitles) Cost: M: \$20, NM: \$25, \$30 at the door. Location: Ballroom. Register at www.lss.org/event/MatchmakingFilm

YOUTH DEPARTMENT AND THE MAGEN AVRAHAM TEEN DEPARTMENT

Youth Groups: 10:00am: Location: Second Floor Classrooms.

Supervised play.

Newborn and Tots: 10:00am-11:30am (ages newborn-2)

Join us on Lower Level 2: a dedicated space for our Newborn program on Shabbat in LL203. From 10-11:00am parents and babies spend time together (no LSS supervision). At 11:00am a half an hour Baby & Me program will begin. Through songs, Devorah Batt leads a fun and interactive program for your little ones. A nursing area is available on LL2 in the same room.

Dear Parents,

We understand some of you may be on high alert this Shabbat. We assure you that security is always our top priority. In addition to regular protocols, we will take these extra steps:

- --Each youth group room and the Youth Director will have walkie-
- --A member of our CSS security team will meet with counselors at 9:30am to review emergency protocols

Thank you for your attention and please consider volunteering for the shul's security team!

Sincerely, CSS Security.

Motzei Shabbat, October 14th: Magen Avraham Teen Department: Candle Light Vigil and Hearing From Former I Israeli Soldiers: 8:00pm: Location: Lincoln Square Synagogue. Join Lloyd Epstein Kollel Fellows Bezalel and Yechiel, and Rabbi Daniel Gottesman, and Alexander Wildes for a moving and meaningful evening. Pizza will be served.

WEEKLY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

Monday, October 16th

- **7:00pm: Chug Ivrit Chadashot** (News from Israel) with Gali Rabin: This class is taught almost exclusively in Ivrit. This week's class will be held on Zoom. Meeting ID: 835 3789 4515 Passcode:701985.
- 7:30-8:30pm: Jewish Living Workshop: Topic: Jewish Lifecycles (CONT.) Bris, Bat/Bat Mitzvah, Jewish Funeral, Paying a shiva call. Register at www.lss.org/beginners
- **8:15pm 9:30pm on Zoom: Beginners Schmooze:** Register online at www.lss.org/beginners

Tuesday. October 17th

- 11:00am-12:00pm: The Marilyn & Sam Isler, "Studies in the Weekly Parsha" led by Rabbi Shaul Robinson: Location: LL201
- *CANCELED* 7:00pm 8:30pm: Introduction to Bible on Zoom with Rabbi Ephraim Buchwald: This course offers a broad look at the Bible's content and style. We'll explore fundamental literary and theological approaches to studying the Bible, both traditional and modern, by analyzing its text. Register online at www.lss.org/beginners. To sponsor reach out to jessica@njop.org
- 8:15pm: The M'lachim (Kings) Study Group led by Ron Platzer: If you are interested in joining, please contact Ronald Platzer at RPlatzer@citytech.cuny.edu

Thursday, October 19th

- 11:00am-12:00pm: Gemara Makot Class: led by Rabbi Robinson: Location: LL201
- 11:00am-12:00pm: Women's Talk Time: led by School Psychologist Ruth Moser Riemer. Meeting ID: 972 4054 8238 Passcode: 142533
- 7:00pm: Jacob Adler Parsha Class: Explorations in the Weekly Parsha Led by Rabbi Robinson. Location: Belfer Beit Midrash

Daf Yomi: Sunday at 7:30am, Monday and Thursday at 6:10am, and Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday at 6:20am: Location: Belfer Beit Midrash and Virtual. Details on www.lss.org and in the online Echod.

Upcoming Series Classes:

Wednesday, October 25th: Jewish History Course with Paul Shaviv Fall 2023: Christians and the Shoah - Six Case Studies:

First topic: Christianity and Christians - The Major Issues. Meeting ID: 898 7905 4195 Passcode: 312546 (remaining classes on November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, + 12/06).



DVAR TORAH

Dvar Torah writing is open to all LSS members. Guidelines will be provided on request. For more info, see Bill Greenbaum in shul, or email him at dvar@lss.org.

Enjoy reading the weekly Dvar Torah
-in print, in the Shelly Danishesky Foyer, or

- -on Iss.org under the Echod tab, or
- in the Electronic Echod (available to print at home).

In case of a bereavement, please call our Clergy at 646-543-7485 (day or night)

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