

SUKKOT SCHEDULE	
<p>Friday, September 29th, Erev Sukkot 7:10am & 7:30am: Shacharit 6:24pm: Candle Lighting 6:30pm: Mincha/Maariv 7:14pm: Begin Meal after this time Approx. 7:14pm: Meal in *Sukkah</p> <p>Shabbat, September 30th, Sukkot 8:00am: Hashkama Minyan 9:00am: Chazzan Sherwood Goffin Memorial Minyan. Drasha before Musaf by Rabbi Shaul Robinson. 9:47am: Latest Shema 10:00am: Youth Groups Approx. 12:30pm: Meal in Sukkah 6:15pm: Mincha. Followed by shiur by Rabbi Shaul Robinson 7:22pm: Candle Lighting not before this time 7:23pm: Maariv/Havdallah 7:23pm: Begin Meal after this time Approx. 7:23pm: Meal in *Sukkah</p> <p>Sunday, October 1st, Sukkot 8:00am: Hashkama Minyan followed by shiur by xx 9:00am: Chazzan Sherwood Goffin Memorial Minyan. Drasha before Musaf by Rabbi Shaul Robinson. 10:00am: Youth Groups 9:47am: Latest Shema Approx. 12:30pm: Meal in *Sukkah 6:15pm: Mincha. Followed by shiur by Rabbi Shaul Robinson 7:21pm: Maariv/Havdallah</p>	<p>Monday, October 2, Chol Hamoed Sukkot 6:45am: Shacharit 7:30am: Shacharit 6:25pm: Mincha/Maariv 7:00pm: Sratim *ba'Sukkah</p> <p>Tuesday, October 3rd, Chol Hamoed Sukkot 6:45am: Shacharit 7:30am: Shacharit 6:25pm: Mincha/Maariv 7:00pm: The Dialogue of Civilizations</p> <p>Wednesday, October 4th, Chol Hamoed Sukkot 6:45am: Shacharit 7:30am: Shacharit 6:25pm: Mincha/Maariv 6:30pm: LSS Youth PJ's and Pizza Party</p> <p>Thursday, October 5th, Chol Hamoed Sukkot 6:45am: Shacharit 7:30am: Shacharit 5:00pm: Magen Avraham Teen Department Sushi and Schmooze in the *Sukkah 6:20pm: Mincha/Maariv 7:30pm: Scotch Tasting and Dinner in the *Sukkah</p> <p>Friday, October 6th Hoshana Rabah 6:15am: Shacharit 8:00am: Shacharit 6:12pm: Candle Lighting 6:15pm: Mincha/Maariv</p> <p>*Please note that Sukkah refers to the Arlene and David Stone Sukkah</p>

<p>GREETERS</p> <p>When people first walk into a shul they should be greeted by helpful, friendly people. Let's convey what kind of environment Lincoln Square Synagogue is by making sure our Greeter sign up is filled each Shabbat. There are two morning greeting shifts (9:00-10:00am and 10:00-11:00am) each comprised of one greeter. You will enjoy meeting new people, putting names to faces, and, perhaps most importantly, there is a sense of purpose to this role that we hope engenders a feeling of fulfillment for you. Please visit https://www.lss.org/greetersignup to see available shifts. If you have any questions or need help signing up please email president@lss.org</p>	<p>SIMCHAT TORAH: SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8 TH</p> <p>Simchat Torah marks the end of the annual cycle of weekly Torah readings and the beginning of the new cycle. In order for us to be able to celebrate Simchat Torah as one community, LSS is providing a buffet kiddush luncheon for the membership in the Ballroom. However, while LSS will subsidize the cost of this buffet kiddush, we hope to have many sponsors to list as a testament to the joy that we all feel, individually and collectively, as a shul, to be able to celebrate this beautiful holiday together in good health. Please be a sponsor, help us celebrate our wonderful Chatanim and Atarot, and join us for this joyous holiday that celebrates the Jewish love of Torah and study.</p> <p>Mazal tov to our Chatanim and Atarot! Chatan Torah: Morey Wildes Chatan Berishit: Shlomo Offer Chatan Maftir: Joe Warshawsky Ateret HaTorah: Ann Lowy Ateret Hakehilla: Nyla Kamlet</p> <p>Bar Mitzvah Project: Men, if you've never had a Bar Mitzvah, didn't read from the Torah for your Bar Mitzvah or haven't read from the Torah in a while, here is your chance to do so on Simchat Torah morning and get the help you need to prepare via recordings from Cantor Goffin z"l and supportive mentors. To register email lssbarmitzvah@gmail.com.</p>
<p>WELCOME NEW MEMBER</p> <p>Elise Miller</p>	
<p>MAZAL TOV</p> <p>Grandparents Ann and Rudy Lowy on the birth of a girl born to their children Lizzy Brenner and Sam Zakay. Mazal tov also to big brother Jamie Zakay.</p>	

SUKKOT

Monday, October 2nd: Sratim ba'Sukkah (Films in the Sukkah) at 7:00pm: Our popular annual series of showing short Israeli films in the Stone Family Sukkah continues. The program will feature a number of short Israeli films that will highlight different aspects of life in Israel. Gali Rabin will provide expert social commentary on the films. Refreshments will be provided. Cost: \$20 in advance, \$25 at the door. Register at www.lss.org/event/SratimSukkah

Tuesday, October 3rd (Chol HaMoed Sukkot): The Dialogue of Civilizations: 7:00pm: featuring a discussion between H.E. Ahmed Obaid Almansoori, Founder of Crossroads of Civilizations Museum, Dubai, U.A.E. and Dr. Avi Abraham Benlolo, Founding Chairman and CEO of The Abraham Global Peace Initiative. The speakers will discuss the Abraham Accords and the new relationship between Israel and the UAE; countering antisemitism in Arab societies and promoting Holocaust education in the UAE and other Arab nations. Given the political turmoil currently in Israel, it is inspiring to hear how good people can come together to rise above hate and conflict and build a better world. Pizza will be served. Admission is free, but please pre-register to help us plan adequate seating and refreshments. To register, please visit www.lss.org/event/the-dialogue-of-civilizations Location: The LSS Stone Family Sukkah.

Thursday, October 5: Scotch Tasting and Dinner in the Sukkah: 7:30pm Join us in the Arlene and David Stone Sukkah for a beautiful evening including dinner, followed by single Malt Scotch Whisky tasting. Musical Ruach and Entertainment with Chazan Yanky Lemmer. Register at www.lss.org/form/scotch-in-the-sukkah.html

Thursday, October 5th: Hoshana Rabah After Party and Learning with LSS Clergy and Lloyd Epstein Torah MiTzion Kollel Fellows (No charge): 9:00pm:

YOUTH & MAGEN AVRAHAM TEEN DEPARTMENT

Baby & Me: 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). 11:00-11:30am 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.

Youth Groups begin at 10:00am: second floor classrooms (ages 3+)

Amanda, Alexander, Devorah and all of our counselors can't wait to welcome you back to groups next Shabbat!

Sukkot:

Friday, September 29th:Sukkah Decorating with Youth Leaders Eliana and Isabelle: 9:30am: Please bring a photo of your child to hang in the Sukkah! Light refreshments will be served. Please contact youth@lss.org to sponsor.

Wednesday, October 4th: PJ's and Pizza Party in the Sukkah: 6:30pm:

Come dressed in PJ's or comfy clothes! Register at www.lss.org/event/lss-youth-pjs-and-pizza-party

Magen Avraham Teen Department:

Thursday, October 5th: Sushi and Schmooze in The Sukkah: 5:00pm – 6:30pm: Come join friends for food and a chill time in the Sukkah. Register at: www.lss.org/event/sushi-and-schmooze-in-the-sukkah

Shabbat, October 14th: Friday Night Teen Minyan: 1:00pm - 3:30pm: Pray with Upper West Side Teens and enjoy a post-davening kiddush.

To sponsor any of these events please email youth@lss.org

UPCOMING EVENTS

Shabbat, October 14th: Beginners Luncheon: Cost is \$35 per person. Register at www.lss.org/beginners. Registration deadline is Wednesday, October 11th.

Monday, October 16th: Beginners Schmooze: 8:15pm - 9:30pm: Register at www.lss.org/beginners

Sunday, October 22nd: LSS Film Presents the Israeli Movie 'Matchmaking'7:30 : מקבוצרים טובים: 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) ...brought to you by FILMS@LSS! Ticket Prices: Members: \$20, Non Members: \$25, \$30 at the door. Location: Ballroom. Register at www.lss.org/event/MatchmakingFilm

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. Lincoln Square Synagogue is honored to host Kahalani who will recount those dreadful days 50 years ago and the heroes who saved Israel. \$18 in advance, \$30 at the door. Register at www.lss.org/event/commemoration-of-the-50th-anniversary-of-the-yom-kippur-war

WEEKLY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

Daily Daf Yomi: Sunday at 8:00am Monday & Thursday at 6:10am and Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday at 6:20am: Location: Belfer Beit Midrash and virtual. Schedule: Sunday, Monday, and Wednesday– virtual. Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday– in person and virtual. Dial instructions: Step 1: dial in #: 646-558-8656. Step 2: dial in code 83765052291. Step 3: password # 1948 Wednesday's: conference call only. dial in instructions: Step 1: dial in #: 267-807-9601. Step 2: code #: 3113299601.

Sponsor a day of daf for \$120 or 5 days for \$500. Your sponsorship wording (in honor/in memory of) will be listed in the Echod under Weekly Learning Opportunities and in the electronic Echod. Email info@lss.org to sign up to be a sponsor.

Monday, October 2nd

CANCELED 7:00pm: Chug Ivrit Chadashot

CANCELED 7:30- 8:30pm: The Jewish Living Workshop

Tuesday, October 3rd

CANCELED 11:00am-12:00pm: The Marilyn & Sam Isler, "Studies in the Weekly Parsha"

CANCELED 8:15pm: The M'lachim (Kings) Study Group

Thursday, October 5th

CANCELED 11:00am-12:00pm: Women's Talk Time

CANCELED 11:00am-12:00pm: Makot

Upcoming Classes:

Tuesday, October 10th: Introduction to Bible on Zoom with Rabbi Ephraim Buchwald: 7:00pm - 8:30pm. 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 at www.lss.org/beginners. To sponsor email jessica@njop.org

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

We hope you had an elevating and energizing High Holiday experience at Lincoln Square. We want to thank everyone for your generosity to the shul. Our Yom Kippur Appeal is within 10% of last year's level. Our operating budget needs to exceed where we were last year. If you have not given yet or if you would like to increase your donation, please do so by clicking on the link at www.lss.org.

YOM KIPPUR APPEAL 2023

Yom Kippur 5784

Michael Doppelt - Lincoln Square Synagogue

If ever there were a magical place in my life, this is it. Lincoln Square Synagogue. It is my great pleasure to be standing here tonight before you on behalf of myself and my co-President Paris Wald. If my language lapses into "I" during this talk, please know that it is just short-hand, and that this Presidency is a very "We" thing.

As we begin these remarks, we would like to acknowledge Morey Wildes and Alan Samuels and their families. They are the two extraordinary leaders who steered this shul along with Rabbi Robinson and our Executive Director Tamar Fix over the last six often tumultuous years. It was a privilege for both of us to work under Morey and Alan as Officers. Both - so smart, patient, cool, funny, committed, and focused. It takes two of us to try to do the job as well as one of them. We would like to pause on this holy day and in this public forum to thank them. We aspire to uphold the standards they have set, and we know that they were upholding the standards of the incredible Presidents who came before them. Most recently Shirley Stark, our beloved Lloyd Epstein, Richard Kestenbaum, and many others several of whom are here tonight.

I am going to make a few brief remarks which will be aimed at enhancing your awareness of the role that this shul plays in your life or the role that it can play. Hopefully, this effort will steer you toward getting more involved, stepping beyond your comfort zone and donating to the best of your ability whether it be in the form of service or financial commitments. Output is tied to input, the more you feel connected and the more you do; the more enriching will be your experience.

Two things happen when you become President of a shul. First people make jokes. They say things like "my condolences" or "I thought you were smarter than that". Let them joke. It is an honor to serve one's community, especially one as energized and sacred as Lincoln Square. The second thing that happens is really inspiring. You learn just how much people care about the shul. People reach out with intense feedback about topics in the shul many of which I did not even know existed, yet about which they are so animated. There is so much going on at LSS and so many individual topics about which passions run high. The more of this I hear and discover, the more special a place this feels to me. The community commitment is elevating and is the best rebuttal to the jokes.

All of the passion and individual issues remind me of a story which may or may not have happened. It was in Florence, Italy in about the year 1505, as Leonardo da Vinci was busy in his studio putting the finishing touches on the Mona Lisa. While he was happily painting his masterwork, a bug landed right in the middle of the canvas. But all the bug saw around him was fields of black stuff. This insect had no idea that he was positioned squarely in the middle of Mona's dark hair and on the most beautiful piece of art ever created. Art that would inspire millions of people for centuries to come. Yet, the bug had little perspective beyond his narrow field of vision and literally could not see the big, beautiful picture that he was in the middle of.

It is easy for me and I am sure many of us to relate to this imagery. We see something small, and it is all that we see, and we don't necessarily appreciate the art around us. Last year the film committee (since rebranded as the Arts & Culture Committee) screened a movie called "The Orchestra of Broken Instruments". The Israeli orchestra was comprised of musicians who played instruments which, literally, did not work, yet they could coalesce and make melodic sounds together. There is a healthy analogy to be made between that orchestra and any dynamic and energized community.

Several times over the years, Lincoln Square had the good fortune to host the late Rabbi Dr. Jonathan Sacks. On one such visit, on a Shabbat afternoon he mentioned a book which has since become a favorite of mine. It is called "Start With Why" by Simon Sinek. It works on the premise that in their formation, most institutions start with What they are. They then choose to focus on How to make it happen, then they fill in the part about Why they exist. The Why they exist, and is there even a need - are generally just afterthoughts. The author and Rabbi Sacks maintain that for any institution to be valuable and to thrive, its sequence must begin with Why they exist.

At this synagogue. We are fortunate as we have a Why. A serious Why. For almost 60 years LSS has focused on preserving, progressing, and perpetuating a loving, commitment to traditional Judaism for Jews on the Upper West Side. That is a massive Why and we are delivering on it - the Jewish, the modern, the traditional, the warm and unpretentious - Lincoln Square's Why. The fulfillment of our why happens through - so many classes, a multitude of minyanim, chesed, security volunteers literally putting themselves' in harm's way, kollel fellows, an All-Star clergy team, bikur cholim, social events, youth activities, decades long bread runs, proud Zionism, a selfless and secretive chevra kadisha, kiddush clubs, daf yomi, greeters, and so much more. We know our purpose and we know how to deliver.

We are doing remarkable things as a community. We want to keep doing the things we have been doing and to take on challenges which we have not had the resources to pursue. We need your generosity. We don't want to speak about costs, security needs and inflation, you know all of that. We would like you to give to the shul because your eyes are wide open to the goodness of this place, you can see what is here and what we do for you and for the community, and because we have a why and we are always on mission. Most importantly, we want you to give because this is your community, and you love it. It is your home. Even if you may think you are only one small part of it. But like each broken instrument in a harmonious orchestra or each brushstroke on the Mona Lisa, we each represent our own part of the mosaic that forms this sensational community. We need you: your instrument - whatever you play - broken or whole, to be involved here and to help us make our symphony or our own sublime Mona Lisa.

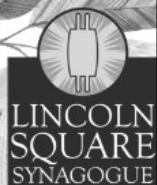
We value this community and the goodness you bring to it. Thank you for your generosity. It is a pleasure and the honor of a lifetime to be charged to stand before you and to be called your Co-President. We wish you and all of yours a sweet, happy, and healthy New Year.



LSS WOULD LIKE TO WISH YOU A

CHAG SAMEACH

HAPPY SUKKOT!



WRITE A DVAR TORAH

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

Inquire now about reserving a parsha from Sept 2023 thru June 2024. Advance parsha reservations are for members first-come, first-served. . Note: Noach is taken.)

From September - June, enjoy the weekly Dvar Torah in the Echod:

-in print, in the Shele Danishefsky Covlin Foyer, on lss.org under the Echod tab, or in the Electronic Echod from info@lss.org

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

If you would like to receive the Shabbat Echod by e-mail, sign up at www.lss.org email info@lss.org

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