

SHABBAT SCHEDULE

Friday night:

5:27pm Earliest Candle Lighting
6:22pm Candle Lighting
6:25pm Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat.
 Location: Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary.
6:41pm Sunset: Latest time to daven Mincha
7:10pm Repeat Shema

Shabbat:

7:45am Hashkama Minyan; Location: Belfer Beit Midrash.
 Hashkama Kiddush to follow; Shiur by Dr. Moshe Sokolow on the
 Spira Family Terrace
9:00am Chazzan Sherwood Goffin Memorial Minyan;
 Drasha following Musaf by Rabbinic Associate, Efraim Tepler.
 Location: Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary.
 Cholent/Kugel Kiddush to follow on the Spira Family Terrace.
9:30am Beginners Service led by Rabbi Ephraim Buchwald;
 Location: 3rd Floor. Beginners Kiddush to follow.
9:45am Rabbi Herschel Cohen Memorial Minyan;
 Location: Belfer Beit Midrash
9:47am Latest Shema
10:00am Shabbat Groups; Location: Second Floor Classrooms
10:46am Latest Shacharit
12:30pm Beginners Luncheon celebrating Rabbi Buchwald's 50th
 year at LSS! Location: second floor, 206/207.
12:30pm Young Professionals Shabbat Shuvah Kiddush.
 Location: Belfer Beit Midrash
4:20pm Beginners Mishna Chavura with Moshe Sheinwexler;
 Location: Belfer Beit Midrash
5:50pm Mincha; Location: Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary. No
 Seudah Shlishit at shul.
6:15pm 23rd Annual Louis and Rhoda Lazar Memorial Shabbat
 Shuva Drasha by Rabbi Robinson. Location: Nathaniel Richman Cohen
 Sanctuary. Topic: What is Hateful to Yourself Do Not Do Unto
 Others-Hillel, The Sage We Need Right Now.
6:50pm Sunset: Latest time to daven Mincha

WEEKDAY MINYAN

Selichot followed by Shacharit:

Sunday, October 2 @ 8:00am
 Monday, October 3 @ 6:30am & 7:15am
 Tuesday, October 4 @ 6:55am & 7:35am
 Thursday, October 6 @ 7:00am & 7:50am (only Shacharit)
 Friday, October 7 @ 7:10am & 7:50am (only Shacharit)

Mincha/Maariv:

Sunday, October 2 and Monday, October 3 @ 6:25pm
 Tuesday, October 4 @ 1:30pm, 3:00pm, & 4:00pm
 Thursday, October 6 @ 6:20pm

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Dr. Leora Walter and Mr. Asher Schlusberg
Mr. Raymond D. Jasen

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS

Hashkama Kiddush:

Sponsored by generous contributions to the fund.

Cholent/Kugel Kiddush:

Deina Shapiro, In commemoration of the 15th yahrtzeit of her
 father, William Shapiro, ז"ל יעקב בן זאב

Beginners Kiddush:

Sarah Leah and Elazar Vynerib in honor of Rabbi
 Ephraim Buchwald's 50th Anniversary at Lincoln Square Synagogue.

We are accepting sponsors for next week 10/08!
To sponsor a Kiddush please email info@lss.org.

KOL NIDRE APPEAL

This year's High Holiday appeal is entirely devoted to funding our
 increased security costs. Over the last few years, our appeal at this
 time of year has been relatively 'low profile' -- we have relied on the
 many members who automatically include the Shul in their Tzedakah
 at this time of year. This year, in order to avoid having to cut programs
 elsewhere so as to keep security properly funded, we are urgently
 asking for your generous help in reaching our goal of \$250,000 to pay
 for the Shul's security needs for the coming year.

MAZAL TOV

Rabbi Ephraim Buchwald on his 50th anniversary at Lincoln Square
 Synagogue. Mazal Tov also to Aidel Buchwald.



SUKKOT @ LSS

Sukkot meal reservations are now open! We look forward to hosting
 you in our Arlene and David Stone Sukkah on The Spira Family
 Terrace. Register at <https://www.lss.org/form/sukkotmeals2022>

Erev Sukkot, Sunday, October 9th : Dinner
 Monday, October 10th: Lunch & Dinner
 Tuesday, October 11th: Dinner
 Friday Night, October 14th: Shabbat Dinner
 Shabbat, October 15th: Lunch

Thursday, October 6th Lulav and Etrog Sale: 6:00pm-7:30pm:
 Location: Shele Danishefsky Covlin Foyer

Sunday, October 16th- Sunday, October 23rd:

Luv Your Lulav Drive: Location: Shele
 Danishefsky Covlin Foyer. Compost your Lulav
 and Etrog with the Ramaz Environmental Club
 and bring new life and nutrients to the
 Adamah/Hazon Farms.



UPCOMING EVENTS

THIS Sunday, October 2nd, 10:00am-11:00am: Join the youth department to decorate the LSS Sukkah! Bring photographs of your children so we can make air balloons with our LSS youth inside them & help us make the longest paper chain to wrap the whole Sukkah! We will have donuts!

THIS Sunday, October 2nd, LSS Clergy on the Yom Kippur Machzor: 8:00pm: Short Thoughts to Inspire Your Davening During the High Holidays with Rabbi Shaul Robinson, Assistant Rabbi Yoni Zolty, Rabbanit Mindy Schwartz Zolty, Chazzan Yanky Lemmer, Rabbinic Associates Efraim Tepler and Daniel Gottesman, Community Intern Tzophia Stepansky, and Lloyd Epstein Kollel Fellows Yechiel Rozenberg and Yehonatan Kahana. Via Zoom. Meeting ID: 879 6726 5690 Passcode: 861406

THIS Monday, October 3rd, Beginners Schmooze: 8:15-9:30pm : The first Beginners Schmooze of the season will be held on Zoom. Free and open to all. [Register online at www.lss.org/beginners](http://www.lss.org/beginners).

Thursday, October 13th, Hakhel in The Sukkah:

Come and join us in the Sukkah as we recreate the Mitzvah of Hakhel- featuring a keynote address by Rabbi Hayyim Angel, a communal siyum of the book of Devarim, and a kumtitz with Chazzan Yanky Lemmer! Sign up for dinner and to participate in the siyum. Cost of dinner \$20/person. Registration link in online Echod. [Deadline October 9th](#)

Wednesday, October 12th: Israeli Films in the Sukkah: 7:00pm: Enjoy a selection of short Israeli films and Israeli wines and snacks in the beautiful Arlene and David Stone Sukkah on the Spira Family Terrace. Films will be introduced by UWS shlichah (emissary from the Jewish Agency) Gali Rabin. \$15 in advance/\$20 at the door. Limited seating; advance registration is strongly encouraged. Please see online Echod to register.

Shabbat, October 29th: 5:00pm: Young Professionals Women's Seudah Shlishit: Connect with our community and hear some words of Torah! Hosted at the home of Deborah Watman. Email rabbanit@lss.org for address.

Motzei Shabbat, October 29th: LSS Films: 8:00pm

Join us for the return of LSS Films with the debut of: *Yerusalem, The Incredible Story of Ethiopian Jewry*. The movie offers insight into the history of the Jews of Ethiopia, believing that they were the last Jews on Earth for over 2500 years. Deeply connected to their faith, Yerusalem brings to life the long, dramatic, and tumultuous journey of this community as they finally find their way back to the heart of the Jewish people, Jerusalem. The film's director will join us for a discussion after our screening. Register at www.lss.org/form/debut-of-yerusalem

Friday, November 11th: Welcome Dr. Pesha Kletenik, Head of School at MDS, as a Scholar in Residence. Join us for a community family Shabbat dinner on Friday night as we welcome Dr. Kletenik to Lincoln Square Synagogue! Details and Registration to follow. Alumni lounge and groups available for ages 2+. Registration link to follow.

Shabbat, November 12th: Young Professionals Meal-Match: Want to connect with YPs at LSS? Join us for our Meal-Match event! Sign up to be a host or guest and we will match with you fellow YPs in the neighborhood for shabbos lunch. Registration required. Please see online Echod for registration link. Registration deadline: October 31st.

Monday, November 14th, The Israel Philharmonic Orchestra at Carnegie Hall: 7 LAST CALL: The Israel Philharmonic Orchestra will perform Tchaikovsky's Violin Concerto (with Gil Shaham as the violinist) and Prokofiev's Symphony No. 5 at Carnegie Hall. We were able to reserve a limited number of group-rate tickets and they are now available on a first come, first served basis. Prices range from \$56 (Balcony) to \$87 (Dress Circle), 15% off from regularly priced tickets. The deadline for ordering the group-rate tickets is October 7. To purchase tickets, please contact Nathan at nvogel212@gmail.com

* Youth Department:

Every Second and Fourth Shabbat: Babies & Me: 11:00am-11:30am
Be a sponsor! Email: youth@lss.org

YOM KIPPUR SCHEDULE

Tuesday, October 4, Erev Yom Kippur

6:55am: Selichot/Shacharit
7:35am: Selichot/Shacharit
1:30pm: Mincha (Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary)
3:00pm: Mincha (Sanctuary)
4:00pm: Mincha (Sanctuary)
6:16PM: Candle Lighting
6:16pm: Fast Begins
6:20pm: Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary Kol Nidre led by Rabbi Shaul Robinson and Chazzan Yanky Lemmer
6:20pm: Ballroom Kol Nidre led by Rabbanit Mindy Schwartz Zolty and Chazzan Yakov Meyer
6:20pm: Terrace Kol Nidre led by Assistant Rabbi Yon Zolty
6:20pm: Kollel Kol Nidre
6:20pm: Beginners Kol Nidre. Location: Belfer Beit Midrash
Following Maariv learning sessions by Lloyd Epstein Torah Mitzion Kollel Fellows Yehonatan Kahana and Yechiel Rozenberg

Wednesday, October 5, Yom Kippur

8:30am: Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary Shacharit led by Rabbi Shaul Robinson and Chazzan Yanky Lemmer
8:30am: Kollel Minyan; (3rd floor)
8:30am: Ballroom Shacharit/Musaf led by Assistant Rabbi Yoni Zolty and Chazzan Yakov Meyer
9:00am: Beginners Shacharit; (Belfer Beit Midrash)
9:49am: Latest Shema
11:00am: Terrace Minyan with Yizkor and Musaf
3:30pm: Free Public Yizkor
4:20pm: Mincha
5:40pm: Terrace Neilah
5:50pm: Neilah (Sanctuary, Ballroom, Kollel)
7:15pm: Havdalah/Fast Ends

Thank you to our sponsors:

Yom Kippur Break-fast

The Beginners Yom Kippur Break-fast is graciously sponsored by **Ellen and Mordy Lipkis** in honor of Rabbi Buchwald, who has been a real friend to our family, and in memory of Rabbi Dr. Mordechai Reich, z"l, who is missed dearly, and to all the Beginners, who make our service so special.

The Kollel Minyan Break-Fast is graciously sponsored by **Joseph Sonnenberg** in memory of his mother, Esther bat Yehuda Hachohen, whose yahrtzeit is on Yom Kippur.

If you would like to sponsor break-fast in the remaining minyanim

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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

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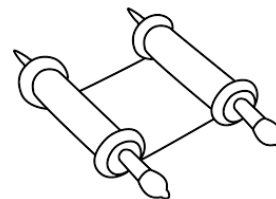
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Parashat Vayelech

By Avi Lavi

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Winston Churchill, one of the greatest leaders in the world, who led Great Britain to defeat the Nazis, characterized leadership as follows: "Courage is what it takes to stand up and speak. Courage is also what it takes to sit down and listen."



Leadership always presents a dilemma: Should leaders make crucial decisions without consulting others, or should they seek advice from others? Parashat Vayelech provides an insight into this issue and addresses the subject of leadership when Moshe, the most important leader in Jewish history, appoints Yehoshua Bin Nun as his successor.

ויקרא משה ליהושע ויאמר אליו לעיני כל ישראל חזק ואמץ כי אתה תבוא את העם הזה אל הארץ
(Devarim 31:7)

"Moshe summoned Yehoshua and said to him before the eyes of all Israel, 'Be strong and courageous, for you shall come with this people to the Land that Hashem swore to their forefathers to give them, and you shall cause them to inherit it....' "

(Devarim 31:7)

Rashi explained the odd choice of language and pointed out that Moshe told Yehoshua to seek the advice of the elders before deciding how to bring Bnei Yisrael to Eretz Yisrael—i.e., Moshe encouraged Yehoshua not to make decisions on his own. This was strange because Moshe himself was known to act without consulting anyone.

Rashi questioned why Moshe did not use the word Tavi, תביא and instead used the word Tavo, תבוא. Rashi points out that later in this parasha when G-d commanded Yehoshua to lead the nation to the land of Israel he uses Tavi which means, in this context, be a leader, make solo decisions, and act on them by yourself, as opposed to the way Moshe described the job to him.

ויצו את יהושע בן נון ויאמר חזק ואמץ כי אתה תביא
(Devarim 23:31)

"He commanded Yehoshua son of Nun, and said, "Be strong and courageous, for you shall bring the Children of Israel to the Land that I have sworn to them..." (Devarim 31:23)

Rashi explained that G-d told Yehoshua he must bring Bnei Yisrael even if they hesitate. And if they don't understand or if they disagree with Yehoshua's tactics on how to enter Eretz Yisrael, he must, so to speak, "hit them over the head." Why didn't Moshe instruct Yehoshua using the same terminology that G-d instructed him to use? It would be more logical for Moshe to use the same word—implying sole decision-making—as G-d commanded.

When we look deeper into Moshe's character, we find that he rarely took advice before acting—for example when he shattered the tablets or hit the rock for water. Moshe gave Yehoshua advice that

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Rabbi Jonathan Sacks, z"l, raised this question and answered simply that a leader needs to do both in difficult situations: sometimes he must be advised and sometimes he must decide for himself. I would take this idea further. Making sole decisions is sometimes easier than to take advice from others. A strong leader is a person who has the ability to listen to others without seeing it as a sign of weakness.

Moshe actually did this only on a couple of occasions; when he implemented the judicial system that his father-in-law advised, and when he sent the spies ahead even though he felt it was not needed. Moshe's background as a shepherd, a job that requires caring for a flock alone in the desert, made him mentally strong and accustomed to making tough decisions independently.

As a result of his leadership experience, Moshe knew that he must teach Yehoshua that to seek advice demonstrates greatness. Yes, a leader needs to be both. He needs to recognize the critical moments with harsh consequences when he must make a sole decision. And in other moments he needs to be a strong listener who seeks the advice of others before deciding. Maybe Churchill took the lesson from Moshe who gave Yehoshua more sophisticated wisdom than he himself used in his years of leadership.

This Shabbat is "Shabbat Teshuva." In doing teshuva, we apply leadership to ourselves, first and foremost. But we cannot accomplish teshuva only by ourselves. We need to interact with others, with our family, friends, and community. We need to learn from Moshe's instruction to Yehoshua to take into account the views of others. We have an obligation as a community and as a society to do repentance. In describing teshuva, the haftarah uses the term קחו לכם in the plural tense to mean that we must both take the advice of others and at the same time encourage others to do teshuva. These days, when there is often a lack of exemplary leaders, we should each be a better leader for ourselves, for our families, and for our communities.

Shabbat Shalom and Gmar Chatima Tova.

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