

## SHABBAT SCHEDULE

6:55pm Earliest Candle Lighting  
 8:11pm Shabbat Candle Lighting  
**Friday Night**  
 7:05pm Early Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat in Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary led by **Chazzan Yanky Lemmer**  
 Drasha given by **Rabbi Shaul Robinson**  
 8:15pm 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 **Dr. Moshe Sokolow**  
 8:30am Parsha Shiur given by **Rabbinic Intern, Jeremy Perlow**  
 9:00am Services in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary led by **Chazzan Yanky Lemmer**.  
 Drasha given by **Rabbi Shaul Robinson** followed by Musaf.  
 Latest Shema  
 9:15am Beginners Service led by **Rabbi Ephraim Buchwald** in Rm LL201  
 9:45am Rabbi Herschel Cohen Memorial Minyan in the Belfer Beit Midrash  
 10:00am Youth Groups for children ages 2-12  
 11:00am "Baby & Me" (ages 0-24 months, 3rd floor gym)  
**Shabbat Afternoon**  
 4:00pm Herb Weiss Bikur Cholim Society: Meet in the shul lobby to visit patients at Mount Sinai West. New volunteers needed  
 6:30pm Beginners Mishna Chavura with **Moshe Sheinwexler** in the Belfer Beit Midrash  
 7:00pm Samson Raphael Hirsch Bible Class with **Rabbi Ephraim Buchwald** in Rm 211  
 7:00pm Louis & Rhoda Lazar Memorial Shabbat Pre-Mincha Shiur in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary given by **Rabbi Josh Rosenfeld**  
 8:00pm Mincha/Seudah Shlishit.  
 9:12pm Ma'ariv/Shabbat Ends

## MAZAL TOV

**Michelle and Eli Salig** upon the recent wedding of their daughter Margalit to Josh Mogilner.

**Gale and Steven Spira** on the forthcoming marriage of their granddaughter, Sarah Golda, daughter of Michelle and David Spira to Lidor Ben Arbon. Mazal Tov to cousins Mia, Sara, Jack and Liv and their parents.

**Danielle and Ariel Serman**, our Magen Avraham Teen Directors, on the

## HAKARAT HATOV

**Jesse Cogan** for writing this week's Dvar Torah.

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**Hashkama Kiddush:** **Horwitz family** commemorating the yahrtzeits of their grandmothers Hennreita Englad א"ה יעטא בת הרב שמואל Horwitz and Lillian Horwitz א"ה לאה בת ישראל משה הלוי.

**Main Kiddush:** The main Kiddush is sponsored in honor of all the LSS graduates. Thank you to the **Ackerman, Cogan, Eydeland, Horowitz, Robinson, Samuels, Schuldner, Snyder, and Mero families**.

**Beginners Kiddush:** **Deborah Haller** in honor of Aidel and **Rabbi Ephraim Buchwald** and in memory of her grandmother Helga Haller א"ה.

**Seudah Shlishit:** Sponsors welcome

## MAZAL TOV TO ALL OUR GRADUATES

**Agam Ackerman**— Manhattan Day School  
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**Ariella Robinson**— Mayaanot High School  
**Sophie Samuels**— SAR High School  
**Ariel Schwartz**— John Ward School (elementary school)  
**Talia Esther Schuldner**— Johns Hopkins University  
**Lily Snyder**— SAR High School



## ANNUAL DINNER: THIS SUNDAY, JUNE 17



Chani and Rabbi Josh Rosenfeld  
**Keter Torah Award**



Dr. Susan Ungar-Mero and Steven Mero  
**Guests of Honor**



Shirley Wald and Paris Wald Stulbach  
**Le'dor Va'dor Award**

## WEEKLY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

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There are times when, for various reasons, classes may be canceled. If you would like to confirm that any particular class is indeed taking place please call the shul office at 212-874-6100. To see our full Adult Ed. Brochure please visit us at [www.lss.org](http://www.lss.org)

### Sunday

- **Sunday Morning Responsa** with Rabbi Josh Rosenfeld; Takes place after the 2nd Minyan - Belfer Beit Midrash.
- **Sunday Morning Beit Midrash Program:** 10:15am– 11:45am. Come enjoy a bagel and OJ with our Rabbinic Interns, Zachary Rothblatt and Jeremy Perlow, and participate in two interactive shiurim on 1) Jewish Philosophy and 2) the Laws and Proper Perspective on Blessings and Jewish Holidays.

### Monday:

- Chug Ivrit given by Hai Piazsky. 7:00pm-8:15pm. In the class, we read articles from the Israeli press, watch videos of news stories, documentaries and comedy clips, listen to (and sing along!) Israeli songs and chat in Ivrit. Rm 207

### Tuesday:

- **Talmud Class for Women Studying Mesechet Ketubot** led by Rachel Rosenthal, PhD candidate in Rabbinic Literature at JTS: 8:00am: The course focuses on both content and skill building. Students are expected to participate in reading and some translation of the text. As this is an ongoing class, attendance every week is expected. Rm LL202
- **The Marilyn & Sam Isler, "Studies in the weekly Parsha"** led by Rabbi Josh Rosenfeld 10:30am– 11:30am. RmLL201
- **Beit Midrash Night, The Book of Samuel II** led by Ron Platzer; 7:15pm–8:15pm. Rm 211
- **Gemara b'Shana** in Memory of Bruce Ritholtz led by Rabbi Robinson :7:00pm– 8:00pm. Belfer Beit Midrash

### Wednesday:

- **Beit Midrash night: The Subversive Religious Poetry of Yehuda Amichai** given by Sara Brzowsky: 8:00pm-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: *Divorce-Taking Sides*
- **The Jacob Adler Parsha Class:** Explorations in the Weekly Parsha with Community Intern, Zissy Turner: 7:00pm–8:00pm.Belfer Beit Midrash

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54th Annual Dinner

HONORING

Generations of Chesed

חסדי ה' עולם ואשירה לדור ודור

FROM GENERATION TO GENERATION I WILL SING OF THE MERCIES OF THE LORD FOREVER  
PSALMS 89:1

DR. SUSAN UNGAR-MERO AND STEVEN MERO

*Guests of Honor*

CHANI AND RABBI  
JOSH ROSENFELD  
*Keter Torah Award*

SHIRLEY WALD  
PARIS WALD STULBACH  
*Leider Vidor Award*

SUNDAY, JUNE 17TH 2018

AT 5:30 IN THE EVENING

180 AMSTERDAM AVENUE, NEW YORK CITY

DINNER CHAIRS:

GLORIA KESTENBAUM  
TALIA & JETHRO SOLOMON

JOURNAL CHAIRS:

MICHAEL LAUFER  
YITZY RUBIN

*Festive Attire*

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**This Monday, June 18: 8:35pm: Membership Meeting** To view membership meeting documents please visit <https://www.lss.org/membership-documents>. Please make every effort to attend. If you cannot attend the meeting, please email Tamar at [tamar@lss.org](mailto:tamar@lss.org) for a proxy or visit LSS to pick one up.

**Wednesday, June 20: 7:00pm:Open Meeting of the LSS Hospitality Committee** Share your ideas, help implement new programs. No experience necessary! If you can not attend but would like to participate please email [hospitality@lss.org](mailto:hospitality@lss.org) Rm 206

**Sunday June 24: 7:00pm: Please join us for the next screening of Shababnikim.** This screening will include Episodes 10-12. To register please visit [www.lss.org/film](http://www.lss.org/film)

**Monday, June 25: 7:30pm: YP Women's Night of Learning** Join Young Professional women from LSS for a night of learning in honor of Rosh Chodesh. Glean some inspiring and actionable insights to infuse your daily life with more meaning and purpose. Engage in discussion, drink wine and meet other YPs. Location will be determined upon registration. To register, visit [www.lss.org/yp](http://www.lss.org/yp)

**Save the date: Shabbat, September 1: Beginners Luncheon** The cost is only \$25. Please make your reservations by Thursday, August 30th. You can register online at [www.lss.org/beginners](http://www.lss.org/beginners) or call 212 874 6100.

### Weekly Prayer Schedule: June 17

Mincha/Ma'ariv: 8:20pm (Sun-Thurs)

Day	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Daf Yomi	7:45am	6:15am	6:20am	6:20am	6:15am	6:20am
Shacharit	7:10am, 8:30am	7:00am, 7:50am	7:10am, 7:50am	7:10am, 7:50am	7:00am, 7:50am	7:10am, 7:50am

## BEREAVEMENT

In case of a bereavement, please call our clergy at 646-543-7485 (Day or Night)

## YOUTH DEPARTMENT

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



### Shabbat Youth Schedule

10:00am - Dropoff and Davening (all groups)  
10:30am - What Makes a Good Leader? (all groups)  
11:00am - Baby & Me (3rd-floor gym)  
11:45am - Pickup and groups end

### **Parsha Theme: A Struggle for Power** **Parshat Korach**

In the first pasuk, the Parsha says that Korach, Datan, Aviram, and On Ben Pelet started a coo against Moshe and Aharon. After this statement, the name On Ben Peles is never mentioned again. What happened to On Ben Pelet? The Midrash says his wife saved him by intentionally giving him wine so he would fall asleep. As the story goes, she saved his life.

Korach's wife was a bit different. She antagonized Korach and accused Moshe of nepotism. She rationalized that Amram, Moshe's father was the oldest so Moshe should be king (highest position) and Aharon should be *Cohen Kadol* (second highest position), but Korach's father, Yitzor, was the second oldest so he should have the next highest position. The Parsha says many times Korach wanted to be a Kohen Gadol, but Rashi says that Korach was even jealous that Moshe appointed Elitzaphon Ben Uziel to be prince of Levi (third highest position) instead of Korach.

### Parsha Questions:

Which tribe was Korach a part of?  
Why did Korach feel he should be in a position of leadership?  
What happened to the people who rebelled?

### Bonus Questions:

What does it mean for the President to be impeached?  
What was the Arab Spring?

### Baby & Me Recap

This past Shabbat in Baby & Me, the theme was all about preparing Shabbat delicacies with our new culinary investments. After morning Brachot, the babes used a brand new plush Shabbat toy set to set the Shabbat table with candlesticks, a kiddush cup of grape juice, challahs, and a cover. The babes used a new toy chicken soup set to make soup for Shabbat and stir it up till it was nice and hot. The babes ended with "This is the Challah," a story of how to make, braid, and shape Challah!



### Thank you to our sponsors

**Vanessa & Michael Rouzenrouch** in honor of their new baby boy, Avraham Ido, and Estee & Eli Friedman for sponsoring the next edition of Babies & Brunch, *Five Senses Edition on June 24!*

**Jed and Olga Sundenin** honor of baby Simon, and Jesse and Miriam Izak for sponsoring this week's Shabbat Nosh and Popsicles for Youth Groups, again! We are looking for a Nosh and Popsicles sponsor next week for youth groups. Please email [Youth@lss.org](mailto:Youth@lss.org)

### Upcoming Events:

June 23 (Shabbat Afternoon) - *Shabbat Shalom Oneg, Fruit Kabobs, Ice Cream and Final Goodbyes!*  
June 24, 10:00 am- 12:00 pm: Babies & Brunch Five Senses Edition

## THE MAGEN AVRAHAM TEEN DEPARTMENT



### This Shabbat

**Shabbat, 6:00pm**

**Teens on the Terrace: End of Year Celebration : Shabbat Oneg**

Come join us for snacks, candy, games and fun on the Spira Terrace!

Sponsored by the **Mero Family** in honor of Steven's Birthday.

Happy Birthday!

Shabbat Shalom! Danielle and Ariel Serman



Two Wives

*Korach* took his cronies aside. *Datan* and *Aviram*, and *On*, the son of *Pelet*. All were Rubanites who pitched their tents next to *Korach's* people. And there were 250 important men from all branches of the wilderness society.

"Everyone is holy," they said to Moses. "Why do you get to pick and choose who becomes a Kohen? Isn't everyone equal under the law?"

These rabble-rousers screamed for social justice. But *Korach* was really a self-centered narcissist. It wasn't social justice he wanted. It was *Korach* justice. He wanted the *Kohengadolship* for himself.

*Datan* and *Aviram* were the ones who told Pharaoh about Moses killing an Egyptian. They took the forbidden *Manna* on Shabbat. They accused Moshe of taking *Bnei Yisroel* out of Israel only to bury them. "This you call a land of milk and honey?" they said. The snarling, rabble-rousing brothers would join any crowd that tried to make Moshe's life miserable.

Eventually, God opened the Earth and sent the uprisers to *Sheoul*. They would never see *Olam Haba*.

But what about Pelet's boy? He was a *Korach* crony. Did he die with the rest? His name went unmentioned. It took a *gemara* in Sanhedrin to tell us what really happened.

*On ben Pelet* gave his loyalties to *Korach*, his neighbor, and came home to his common-sense wife. She knew that her husband wanted power, not justice. Cleverly, she used this analysis.

"Whether *Korach* wins or Moses wins - you won't be a leader but just a follower," she told him.

A whirlwind started to whisk away all possessions of the *Korach* crowd, from needles in their garment to bobby pins in their yarmulkes. She watched her husband's bed being whisked. She grabbed onto it and here's what she did.

First, she got *On* drunk and put him to sleep. Then she grabbed off her *tichel* or *sheitel* (the *gemara* didn't say how she kept her hair covered), exposed her natural hair and took a seat in front of her tent. Anyone who came to get *On* was shocked by this exposed woman and left. She saved him.

"Apologize to Moshe," she said after the plague was over. "Apologize!" "I can't." said the wimpy *On*.

"If you won't, I will!"

She went to Moses and Moses forgave.

*Korach's* wife related to her husband in exactly the opposite way. Instead of building him up, she put him down. She made fun of the way he looked after complying with Moshe's command to shave off all his hair. "Look at what he did to you!" she said. She used expletives in her talk.

"Moses is also bald," *Korach* protested.

"Anything to be king," she said.

The rebellion was *Korach's* attempt to regain the respect of his wife.

"Your father had four brothers," she would say, fanning the flames. "Moses got the kingship and Aharon got the *KohenGadolship*. Why did Moses pick his brother to be the *Kohen Gadol* and *Uzziel's* son to be the Prince of the Kehati group? It should have been you," she said as she pointed at him in the chest. "You were next in line," she said. "Why did he skip your father and go to your youngest uncle? Who is Moses to make up laws?" *Korach* agreed.

"And what's this nonsense about blue threads he told about at the end of last week's *sedrah*? If your followers all put on blue outfits on your followers - would they need *techeles*?"

*Korach* wanted to look good to his wife and used the argument. Two things we learn from this:

That a spouse, husband or wife, can have an unusual effect on the outcome of his or her partner.

That women covered their hair in the desert.

Shabbat Shalom!

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