Shaul Robinson Rabbi

Yanky Lemmer

Josh Rosenfeld Assistant Rabbi **Sherwood Goffin**

Senior Cantor

President **Tamar Fix Executive Director**

Candle Lighting: 7:30 pm

Shirley Stark

ECHOD

SHABBAT SCHEDULE

Friday Evening

6:23pm Earliest Candle Lighting

6:45pm Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen

Sanctuary.

6:45pm Shir Hashirim followed by Sephardic Minyan in Room 206

7:30pm: Candle Lighting

7:35pm: Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat in the Belfer Beit Midrash

Shabbat Morning

7:45am: Hashkama Minyan in the Belfer Beit Midrash followed by Kiddush

and shiur with Pearl Muken.

Services in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary. Drasha will be 9:00am:

given by Rabbi Josh Rosenfeld.

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

(Lower Level)

9:34am: Latest Shema

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

10:00am Youth Groups

Shabbat Afternoon

7:15pm:

4:00pm: Herb Weiss Bikur Cholim Society meets in shul lobby to visit patients

at Mount Sinai West (formerly Roosevelt Hospital). New volunteers

are urgently needed

5:45pm: Beginners Mishna Chavura with Moshe Sheinwexler in the Belfer

Beit Midrash.

Louis & Rhoda Lazar Memorial Shiur will be given by Rabbi Josh 6:15pm:

Rosenfeld: "11 Years, Endless Tears" Responsa and Torah from Gush

Katif {+ Reflections from a Month in Israel}

Mincha followed by Seudah Shlishit

8:29pm: Ma'ariv/ Shabbat Ends

High Holidays 2016/5777

Rosh Hashanah, which begins on Sunday evening, October 2nd, 2016, will be here before we know it. Available seats in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary*, Ballroom, Kollel Minyan*, and Beginners Service (in the Beit Midrash), are now on sale.

st Please be advised that as of now, <u>only members</u> may purchase seats in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Main Sanctuary and the Kollel Minyan.

Please log into our website and use the form found at Iss.org/high-holiday-seats-2016 to reserve your seats.

You must be logged into your account in order to view the full registration page.

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Hashkama Kiddush

Sponsored by The Fund.

Beginners Kiddush

Sponsored in loving memory of Shmuel Shoshani, z"l, and in honor of Rabbi Ephraim Buchwald.

Main Kiddush

Sponsors welcome.

Rabbi Herschel Cohen Memorial Minyan Kiddush

Sponsored by **David, Janine & Menachem Sherr** in commemoration of the yahrtzeit of David's mother Marjorie Sherr, Miriam bat Yosef, a"h.

Seudah Shlishit

Sponsored by **Sholom Twersky** in commemoration of the yahrtzeit of Sholom's mother Tovah Peninah Tzerel bat Yonah Zev, a"h.

MAZAL TOV

Mazal Tov to Adam Goldberg on his upcoming marriage to Amira Kipnis.

Mazal Tov also to parents Neil & Robin Goldberg and Issy & Patricia Kipnis on the upcoming marriage of their children.

Mazal Tov to Jared Orkin & Candice Crystal on the birth of their daughter. Mazal Tov to Dr. Ira Friedman on the wedding of his granddaughter

Tzippora Friedman to Shmaryahu Ryback.

If You Don't See Someone, Say Something

Did you notice someone not in shul?

Whether you approach the Rabbi to inquire about someone's absence or decide to reach out to them yourself...

Let's make sure they know we care!

Please bring this to the attention of the clergy.

LSS SECURITY NOTICE

Be alert! Report anything suspicious to LSS Security immediately.

Weekly Prayer Schedule For the Week of August 21

Sunday - Thursday Mincha/Ma'ariv: 7:35pm

Sunday Mon & Thurs Tues, Wed, Fri Daf Yomi: 7:45am Daf Yomi: 6:15am Daf Yomi: 6:20am Shacharit: 7:10am Shacharit: 7:00am Shacharit: 7:10am Shacharit: 8:30am Shacharit: 7:50am Shacharit: 7:50am

UPCOMING EVENTS - RSVP FOR ALL EVENTS AT LSS.ORG/EVENTS

Women's Talk Time ● Thursday, August 25th ● 11:30am

Women are invited to attend an ongoing discussion group facilitated by Ruth Riemer. All ages are welcome.

LSS Singles Committee Presents: An Exciting Evening of Israeli Art & Design ● Monday, August 22nd ● 6:00pm-8:30pm

Meet new friends and enjoy an evening of delicious food, wine, beer, and desserts on our beautiful outdoor terrace. Catering by Noi Due. Click here to register (Be the Match Swab Drive 4:00pm-10:00pm, see last page for details)

Recall, Respond, Renew • Sunday, September 11th • Time TBD

Sunday, September 11 marks the 15th anniversary of 9/11. Let's come together as a community to remember those lost, pay homage to NYC's hero's and do some good in their honor! Featured presentations led by Steven F. Davis, FAIA, the designer of the National September 11 Museum and by 9/11 first responder representatives. Community service opportunities for the congregation to keep alive the first responders' spirit of caring. LSS Youth department presents arts & crafts activities for children ages 8 and up. Concurrent activities for the month of Elul: depositing shaimot, checking mezuzot, tefillin, and more.

Pre-Chag Wine & Spirits Sale ● Sunday, September 18th ● 10:00am-2:00pm

This is the time to stock up for the upcoming chaggim and for year-around use. We will feature a wide selection of attractively priced wines and spirits, including many great products from Medinat Yisrael. Free delivery and the shul will receive 10% of the sales proceeds.

Tel Aviv on the High Line ● Thursday, September 22nd ● 5:00pm-7:00pm

Art expert Ronnit Vasserman will lead a tour along the High Line in Chelsea. We will visit three galleries that represent Israeli artists. Ronnit will discuss the Israeli Contemporary art scene and the common themes underlying the works of Israeli artists. The tour will conclude in an artist's studio with an Israeli wine & cheese reception. Click here to register or visit Issaer or visit Issaer issaer

VOLUNTEER SECTION: NOBODY CAN DO EVERYTHING, BUT EVERYONE CAN DO SOMETHING

A synagogue is only as strong as the volunteers it has supporting it. Please consider donating your time and skills to Lincoln Square Synagogue to help keep us moving forward!

If you are interested in any of the following volunteer opportunities or would like to offer your services in another form please contact Tamar Fix at 212-874-6100 ext 101 or tamar@lss.org.

- Graphic Designer: If you have graphic design skills and are able to to help us with flyer designs throughout the year please contact us.
- Social Media: If you are savvy with social media and are interested in helping us increase our social media presence please contact us.
- Network Administrator: If you have experience and skills in network administration, please contact us.
- Photographer: one time request: to take staff pictures for our website. Ongoing request: to snap photos at LSS events to help keep our social media presence current and exciting.
- D'var Torah Writers: See the next page for further details.

INSIDE LSS:

We are pleased to be using part of the Homeland Security grant to repair the main doors of the LSS facade. For various reasons the door operators and pivots were damaged and have failed to perform.

Completion is expected next week when the first door should have card key and handicapped access as well as remote operation. At that time the existing protective plywood enclosure will be removed. See next issue for more on grant money uses.

Note the caulking on the front sink just outside the main sanctuary has failed. Please do not send water from whatever source down the sink until the "do not use signs" are removed.

WEEKLY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

TUESDAY

Parsha Shiur with Rabbi Josh Rosenfeld • 10:30am

Beit Midrash Night:

Tanach Survey: The Books of Samuel and Kings • 7:00 pmFacilitated by Marcy Zwecker and Robin Mitchnick

Samuel Group Chabura facilitated by Ron Platzer • 7:55pm Adultery, incest, rebellion -- the travails of David, the greatest Jewish king -- A great story, complex characters, a subtle, sophisticated text.

BEGINNERS ANNOUNCEMENTS

- New sessions of the Hebrew Reading Crash Course Level I will begin THIS Monday, August 22nd at 6:30pm. The classes meet for 1 1/2 hours, are free and open to all.
 - Register at <u>www.lss.org/beginners</u>. Co-Sponsored by NJOP.
- Save the date! "First Call" Beginners Luncheon, to be held Shabbat, September 10th, in honor of Dr. Leonard Davidman.
 Cost: \$25 per person. Register at www.lss.org/beginners.
 Reservation Deadline: Thursday, September 8th.

Be a D'var Torah Writer for the Coming Year!

What is a D'var Torah? It is your expression of something special in the Torah that speaks to you and resonates with others. It could be a call to action, and usually includes a practical lesson with a strong central idea. A good D'var Torah can be a provocative springboard for Shabbat table conversation. On a personal level, a good D'var Torah can spark self reflection that will either affirm one's values and direction, motivate positive personal change, or both!

For the community, a D'var Torah is a chance to learn more about the Parsha and also an opportunity to get to know the writer, your fellow congregant, better.

So, you're invited to become one of our esteemed D'var Torah writers for the weekly Echod for 5776-5777! We can reserve the parsha of your choosing for you only on a first-come-first-served basis. If you have been assigned your requested parsha, you must email echod@lss.org by the Tuesday of the week of your parsha, no later than 5:00pm. For more info and to enroll, email this year's coordinator, Bill Greenbaum, at dvarLSS@gmail.com, or call the shul office, 212-874-6100, and leave a message for Bill.



Shir Fun returns to LSS this Fall for another exciting and interactive Hebrew music program!

Join us beginning on Wednesday, September 7th for children ages newborn-4 years old! This one of a kind program is led by Israeli singer/recording artist and music therapist, Dafna. Shir Fun uses traditional and original Hebrew music along with instruments and learning aides in an interactive and uniquely personal way to develop your child's language and motor skills, and foster a love of Israel, the Hebrew language, tradition and community.

The Shir Fun experience is a true celebration of music, joy and Am Yisrael. Your kids will not want to miss this! No background in Hebrew necessary.

Dates: Wednesdays: 9/7, 9/14, 9/21, 9/28, 10/5, 10/26, 11/2,

11/9, 11/16, 11/30, 12/7, 12/14

Time: 11:00am-11:45am

Special discounted registration for LSS members.

For more info on Shir Fun and registration forms, please visit: www.shirfun.com or email: contact@shirfun.com

Last Chance to be a part of our Torah Campaign!

The Torah is the cornerstone of our religion. It has united and sustained our people throughout the generations.

As many of you know, Lincoln Square Synagogue, has the unique opportunity to participate in the mitzvah of writing a Sefer Torah that will belong to the congregation. Each time this Sefer Torah is brought out of the Aron Kodesh, it will represent the rejuvenation of our community, and our coming together to participate in this special obligation.

What many of you may not know is that this Torah will be only the second Torah in the shul that will be owned by the congregation! When unowned Torah's are requested back for various reasons, by their owners, it places Lincoln Square Synagogue in a precarious position. Our Torah Campaign is an exciting opportunity to secure the continuity of our congregation from generation to generation.

There are 54 parshiot in the Torah and 378 aliyot. We are asking our community to get involved by dedicating an aliyah for \$360 or a parsha for \$2,400.

We anticipate our new Sefer Torah arriving after the chagim, so please think about the parsha or the aliyah that speaks to you. You can also donate to this campaign in someone's honor or for a loved one's yarzheit. The day we have our Hachnasat Sefer Torah will be a joyous day for all-as we dance our way to the Aron Kodesh, take pride in knowing you had your hand in making this meaningful campaign come to fruition.

Don't miss out on a chance to be part of this wonderful Mitzvah!

Please visit <u>lss.org/torah</u> today to make your donation and notate which parsha or aliyah you have purchased.

LSS Film Club Presents: Shtisel

The moment you've been waiting for has arrived! After a long wait, the second season of the award-winning series, "Shtisel" is finally available and we will be bringing it to you over on six Sunday evenings from September through December.

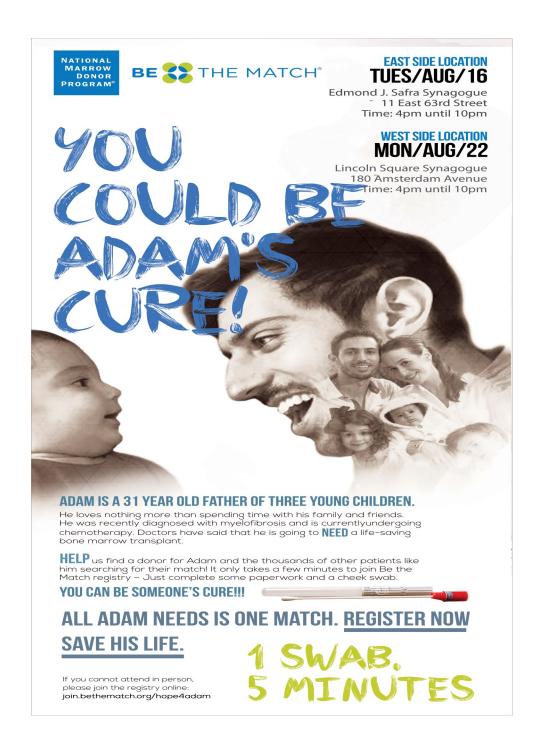
We are, offering an early-bird special of just \$60 for the series to the first 25 people who sign up. Only a few early bird spots are left! Following the early-bird special, the price increases to \$72 after that.

For those who would like to sponsor the series for \$118, we offer preferred seating.

Please don't delay. <u>Click here</u> right now and sign up for this entertaining, fun, poignant, and one-of-a-kind series







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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