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Yom Kippur 5774

10 TISHREI 5774

SEPTEMBER 13-14, 2013

Candle Lighting: 6:51pm

**ECHOD**

Shaul Robinson

Rabbi

Sherwood Goffin

Cantor

Elana Stein Hain

Community Scholar

Ben Keil

Executive Director

**Friday**

Yom Kippur Schedule יום כיפור

6:51pm Candle Lighting

6:52pm Fast Begins

6:55pm Kol Nidre

Following Services Isaac and Doris Moinester a"h Kol Nidre Lecture by **Community Scholar Elana Stein Hain.**

Topic: *Understanding Kol Nidre*

**Saturday**

7:30am Morning Service in the Belfer Beit Midrash (*Kollel Minyan*)

8:30am Morning Service (*Nathaniel Richman Cohen Main Sanctuary and Ballroom Minyan*)

9:00am Beginners Service at Manhattan Day School

3:00pm (approx.) Ask the Clergy with **Rabbi Robinson, Rabbi Bendavid, Ms. Gadish and Rabbi Rosenfeld** in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Main Sanctuary

3:00pm (approx.) Mishnayot Yoma with **Community Scholar Elana Stein Hain** in room 206

3:45pm Free Public Yizkor in the Ballroom

4:55pm Mincha (*Nathaniel Richman Cohen Main Sanctuary and Ballroom Minyan*)

6:25pm Neilah (*Nathaniel Richman Cohen Main Sanctuary and Ballroom Minyan*)

7:50pm Havdalah/Fast Concludes/Final Shofar Blast followed by Break Fast outside of each minyan

*Thank you to our volunteer Security Guards, Greeters, and Ushers this Yom Kippur*

Mazal Tov to our Members

- Mazal Tov to grandparents **Miriam and Jeffrey Zuckerman** on the birth of a baby girl, **Malka Bracha Schechter**, born to their children **Léa and Yakir Schechter** in Lower Merion, PA. Mazal Tov to older sisters **Penina and Batya Schechter**.
- Mazal Tov to **Joan and Henry Lieberman** on the engagement of their granddaughter, **Sara Pamensky**, daughter of **Robin and Moshe Pamensky** to **Hillel Nemetz**, son of **Steven and Marilyn Nemetz** from Toronto.

Thank you to our Break Fast sponsors

- ♦ The Yom Kippur Break Fast is sponsored by **Judy Goldberger** to commemorate the yarhtzeits of her parents, **Sarah and Emanuel Goldberger z"l**.
- ♦ 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 by **The Adler-Landau family** sponsored for continued good health success for **Yerachmiel Shlomo and Shmuel Chaim ben Raizel Rachel and Chana Devasha bat Raizel Rachel** and the whole **Adler-Landau Family** until 120, and in memory of **Rhoda, Don and Richard Adler**. And in honor of many years of friendship and continued blessings for **Rabbi Buchwald** and family.

Calling all non-members

You've celebrated the New Year at Lincoln Square Synagogue. If you enjoyed our services, our exciting clergy, and our beautiful new building, please consider joining us as members. You can take advantage of our new member discount. For information, see our website at [lss.org](http://lss.org), or inquire at [212.874.6100, x 100](tel:212.874.6100) or write to us at [info@lss.org](mailto:info@lss.org)

High Holiday Campaign

THE HIGH HOLIDAYS ARE UPON US.  
Please make your generous donation by visiting [lss.org/high-holiday-campaign.html](http://lss.org/high-holiday-campaign.html)


Announcing the Chattanim

**Chattan Torah**– Rabbi Shaul Robinson  
**Chattan Bereshit**– Richard Kestenbaum  
**Chattan Maftir**– Adam Verstandig  
We will be honoring our Atarot on Shavuot

Chazzan Lemmer

Join us for Sukkot and Shabbat Chol Hamoed Services when our new Chazzan Yanky Lemmer will be leading the davening.

Babysitting information for Yom Kippur

(PreK and younger are expected to come with a caregiver) 

On Yom Kippur, there will be babysitting and programming from **10:00am-12:30pm** for kids in Grades 4-5 and **10:00am until after Neilah** for kids younger than Grade 4. There will be a bagel lunch at **11:30am** for kids. Other than the times listed for Yom Kippur Day, Babysitting will only be provided during Kol Nidre and Neilah.

Free Public Yizkor Service on Yom Kippur

LSS will conduct one free Public Yizkor service on Yom Kippur in our beautiful new ballroom at **3:45pm**. Please invite your friends and neighbors.

**גמר חתימה טובה**

# Sukkot 2013/5774 at LSS

## First Days

<b>Wednesday, September 18</b>	<b>Erev Sukkot</b>
Candle Lighting	6:43pm
Mincha/Maariv	6:50pm
Begin meal after	7:32pm
<b>Thursday, September 19</b>	<b>SUKKOT DAY 1</b>
Shacharit	8:00am & 9:00am
Mincha	6:45pm
Candle Lighting	7:41pm
Maariv	7:41pm
Begin Meal After	7:41pm
<b>Friday, September 20</b>	<b>SUKKOT DAY 2</b>
Shacharit	8:00am & 9:00am
Candle Lighting	6:39pm
Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat	6:45pm
<b>Saturday, September 21</b>	<b>Shabbat Chol Hamoed</b>
Haskama Minyan	8:00am
Services in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Main Sanctuary	8:45am
Mincha	6:30pm
Maariv/Havdalah	7:38pm

### Sukkot Events:

#### Sunday, September 15

**10:00am:** K-8th grade Sukkah Decorating on the terrace

**7:15pm-8:45pm:** Luluv and Etrog Sale courtesy of West Side Judaica.

15% of proceeds go to LSS.

#### Tuesday, September 17

**7:00pm** Sukkot Shopping with Beginners on the Lower East Side

#### Sunday, September 22

**11:00-3:00pm:** Sukkot Open House for everyone; building tours, music, refreshments; clergy will help everyone perform the mitzvot.

#### Monday, September 23

**5:00pm-6:00pm:** Family Pizza in the Hut (K & Pre-K) \$5/child or adult; \$25 family maximum

**6:30pm-7:30pm:** Pizza in the Hut (5th- 8th Grade) \$5/child

#### Tuesday, September 24

**5:00pm:** Pizza in the Hut (1st-4th grade) \$5/child or adult; \$25 family maximum

**7:00pm:** Beginners Sukkah Party at Ramaz Middle School

**8:30pm:** Scotch Tasting Party \$36. *Early Bird Rate Ends 9/19*

#### Thursday, September 26

**7:00pm:** Annual Simchat Torah Prize Auction and ice cream party

## Chol Hamoed

<b>Sunday, September 22</b>	<b>Chol Hamoed</b>
Shacharit	6:45am & 8:30am
Daf Yomi	7:55am
Sukkot Open House	11:00am
Mincha/Maariv	6:35pm
<b>Monday, September 23</b>	<b>Chol Hamoed</b>
Daf Yomi	6:00am
Shacharit	6:45am & 7:30am
Family Pizza in the Hut (K & pre-K)	5:00pm-6:00pm
Pizza in the Hut (5th-8th grade)	6:30pm-7:30pm
Mincha/Maariv	6:35pm
<b>Tuesday, September 24</b>	<b>Chol Hamoed</b>
Daf Yomi	6:00am
Shacharit	6:45pm & 7:30pm
Pizza in the Hut (1st-4th grade)	5:00pm
Mincha/Maariv	6:35pm
Beginners Sukkah party at Ramaz Middle School	7:00pm
Scotch Tasting Party	8:30pm
<b>Wednesday, September 25</b>	<b>Hoshana Rabah</b>
Shacharit	6:15am, 7:00am, & 8:00am

### The LSS Sukkah

We are aware that many of our Manhattan members have space restrictions that prevent them from having a personal sukkah. Therefore, we would like to invite all of our members and friends to utilize the LSS Sukkah during the Holiday in order to take part in mitzvah of dwelling in the Sukkah. In order to reserve a spot for eating any of the Yom Tov meals during the first days of Sukkot and Shabbat Chol Hamoed, a reservation must have been made in advance.

However, during the rest of Chol Hamoed and the last days of the Yom Tov, a reservation is not necessary to eat a meal in the Sukkah. Please feel free to use our Sukkah for eating, learning, relaxing, and general dwelling. We do not allow sleeping overnight in the LSS sukkah.

The entrance to the Sukkah is through the main entrance, up the stairs or elevator to the second floor, and straight down the hall on to the second floor terrace. We will only be allowing access into the building and to the Sukkah from **6:30am** until **10:00pm**.

## Last Days

<b>Wednesday, September 25</b>	<b>Hoshana Rabah</b>
Candle Lighting	6:31pm
Mincha/Maariv	6:35pm
<b>Thursday, September 26</b>	<b>Shmini Atzeret</b>
Shacharit	8:00am & 8:45am
Mincha	6:35pm
Annual Prize Auction	7:00pm
Candle Lighting	7:29pm
Maariv/Hakafot	7:30pm
<b>Friday, September 27</b>	<b>Simchat Torah</b>
Shacharit/Hakafot	7:00am & 8:30am
Kiddush Luncheon (more info coming soon...)	1:00pm
Candle Lighting	6:27pm
Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat	6:35pm

### Babysitting During Sukkot Services

For Sukkot, there will be babysitting and programming each day from **10:00am - End of Shul** for kids up to grade 5. PreK and younger are expected to come with a caregiver.

### Sukkot Meals

The deadline for signing up for Sukkot Meals was Friday, 9/13.

Thank you to everyone who signed up. We are looking forward to enjoying our beautiful Sukkah with you.

For more information or to sign up for any of the Sukkot Events, please visit [lss.org/sukkot](http://lss.org/sukkot)

### EZRA FINEMAN Needs Blood & Platelets

4 year old Ezra is currently a patient at Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center in New York City. His treatment will require regular blood and platelet transfusions. Ezra's blood type is **O+**. For platelets, you can be **ANY** blood type.

Ezra and his family would deeply appreciate your donation of blood and/or platelets and requests you ask others you know to donate. Donations not used by Ezra will be released for use by other patients many of whom are children.

Please visit [www.mskcc.org/blooddonations](http://www.mskcc.org/blooddonations) for complete information about FDA donor eligibility and the donation process for blood or platelets.

### A Message from Mark and Shirley Wald

Thank you to our children and grandchildren, friends, and well wishers for the lovely Kiddush celebrating our 50th Anniversary. Have a healthy and personally rewarding 5774.

Mark & Shirley Wald

"Did you happen to notice that chap from the Guinness Book of Records in shul on Friday?"

"I certainly did. He told me that the Chaz's 31-second tekiyah gedolah could be in the next edition."



### LSS Security Update – September 13, 2013

**Attention LSS Committee Chairs and Event Planners. Are Safety and Security Plans on Your Radar?**

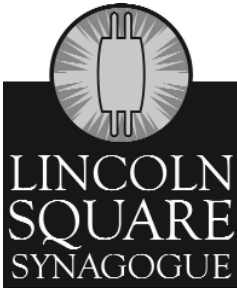
If you are an LSS committee chair, member of a committee, or if you are planning an educational, fundraising, simcha or social event at the shul you need to plan for security coverage. When working with the LSS office or clergy please do not forget to raise the question of shul security and the possible need for extra security measures for your event. The LSS Security Team headed by **Harvey Stein** will consult with you and the shul executive director. Harvey Stein can be reached at [security@lss.org](mailto:security@lss.org).

### Weekday Prayer Schedule

Mincha/Maariv: Sunday-Tuesday **6:45pm**

Sun	Mon	Tue and Wed
Shacharit: <b>7:10am</b>	Daf Yomi: <b>6:15am</b>	Daf Yomi: <b>6:20am</b>
Daf Yomi: <b>7:45am</b>	Shacharit: <b>7:00am</b>	Shacharit: <b>7:10am</b>
Shacharit: <b>8:30am</b>	Shacharit: <b>7:50am</b>	Shacharit: <b>7:50am</b>

\*\*See the Sukkot Schedule on Page 2



# d'var echod b'lev echod

Insights into the weekly Parsha and other matters  
at the heart of the LSS community

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By Mark Hus

The Torah reading for the morning of Yom Kippur relates, not surprisingly, to atonement. G-d gives Moshe instructions as to how the *Kohen Gadol* is to be clothed and what he is required to do on Yom Kippur. Interestingly, the *Kohen Gadol* is directed to take actions to atone for many entities.

- First, in verse 6, and again in verse 11, he atones for himself and his household.
- Then, in verse 16, he atones for the sanctuary for all the *tummah* brought upon it by the Children of Israel.
- In the next verse, he atones for himself, his family and the congregation of Israel.
- Then, he atones for the altar upon which he brings sacrifices.
- After he completes the atonement for the sanctuary and its contents, (20) he then moves on to atone for himself and the nation (24).
- Finally, in verse 30 we are told that he will atone for (all) the people of Israel and cleanse them from all of their transgressions.
- Then, in verse 33, the penultimate sentence of the leyning, we are given a summary, and told that he will atone for the Holy of Holies, the *Mishkan*, the altar, the *Kohanim* and for all of the “national congregation.”
- Finally, we are reminded, yet again, that he will atone for all of the sins of the children of Israel once every year, forever.

This is quite a long list. Some of it seems counter-intuitive. It seems entirely appropriate that the atonement begins with the Kohen and his household. If he has not atoned and been forgiven, then he is a flawed messenger and will be incapable of seeking forgiveness for anyone or anything else. It is intriguing that he must atone for inanimate objects that seem as if they should be incapable of sinning. The Torah is warning us that if we humans misuse even the holiest and most sacred of objects, they become unclean in some way, and atonement must be sought and obtained for them, as well, before they can be used to seek atonement for the populace.

The distinction made between the *Kahal* (congregation) on whose behalf atonement is sought in the third segment and the *Am* (nation), which comes after the sanctuary and its contents, is also thought provoking. I believe that this is to distinguish between those who are, or view themselves, as a part of the people, and those who do not. G-d is prepared to allow the *Kohen Gadol* to atone for all of the Jews, although he atones for those who feel themselves as part of the people first. In a perfect world, this could be because those who are in the “inner circle” have earned that right for their involvement in the community. It is also possible that this is because they perceive themselves as being holier than the others and must first be forgiven for that transgression before the People can be forgiven, as one. G-d takes pains to inform us that he looks upon us all as Jews when he forgives us. We must remember to look at ourselves in the same way.

May the coming year be one in which we all realize that we are all one people and, together, strive to improve our lives and work in a unified way for *Tikkun Olam* and not allow our differences and disagreements to prevent us from doing so. May we truly be freed of *sinnat chinam* amongst ourselves, not merely in our prayers, but in our actions and attitudes.

May the coming year be one of good health and happiness for all of the members of our congregation, all of klal yisrael and all of mankind. *G'mar chatimah tovah.*

The Joseph Shapiro Institute of Jewish Education– Weekly Learning Classes are starting up again this fall. Please look below to the events **with an asterisk (\*)** to find when each class begins for the season.

#### Upcoming Events at LSS

**September 19th—27th** Sukkot. See Page 2 for the full Sukkot service schedule and all Sukkot Events

#### Tuesday, October 1

\*10:30am: Weekly parsha class with **Rabbi Shaul Robinson**

\*6:30-8:00pm: Introduction to Bible class with **Rabbi Ephraim Buchwald**. See *Beginners Announcements* for more information.

\*8:15pm: Tuesday Beit Midrash night. Chevruta learning and a shiur in the Beit Midrash.

#### Wednesday, October 2

\*7:30pm: Talmudic Methodology class with **Rabbi Dennis Weiss**

\*8:15pm: Wednesday Beit Midrash night. Chevruta learning and a shiur in the Beit Midrash.

#### Thursday, October 3

\*7:00pm: The Jacob Adler Parsha Class with **Rabbi Shaul Robinson**

#### Shabbat, October 5

12:30pm: First Call Beginners Luncheon.

#### Sunday, October 6

7:00pm: The Film Committee will be presenting: *Srugim, Season 3*.

#### Monday, October 7

\*7:15pm: Yiddish Song Works. Cost: \$50. The class will only be offered if 10 people sign up.

#### Tuesday, October 8

7:00pm: Book Talk with **Matt Levitt**: "Hezbollah– The Global Footprint of Lebanon's Party of God"

#### Sunday, October 13

\*9:30am: Midrash on the upcoming Parsha with **Dr. Ben Elton**.

10:00am-1:00pm: Fall Clothing Drive

#### Tuesday, October 15

\*7:15pm: Learning with **Community Scholar Elana Stein Hain**. "War and Peace in the Jewish Tradition"

\*7:45pm: Intermediate Talmud Shiur with **Rabbi Josh Rosenfeld**. At the home of Maurice and Marion Spanbock

#### Wednesday, October 16

\*7:15pm-8:15pm: **Rabbi Hayyim Angel** weekly shiur titled "Nach b'Ilun". Sponsorships available. Contact [mesh@lss.org](mailto:mesh@lss.org)

#### Wednesday TBD

\*8:45pm: (For Young Professionals) Jewish Literacy 101: A Journey Through Jewish Intellectual History with **Rabbi Eitan Bendavid**

For more information and to the register for all of these events, and other upcoming events, please visit our new virtual calendar at <http://www.lss.org/cal.php>

#### LSS Museum Tours Kickoff

**When:** Sunday September 15, 10:30 AM.

**Where:** Museum at Temple Emanuel, 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue and 65<sup>th</sup> St.

**What:** *Writing on the Wall: Early Modern Broadides From the Valmadonna Trust Library*, the finest private library of manuscripts in the world.

Private guided docent tour. Free admission but space is limited, reservations are mandatory. See flyers in the LSS lobby.

Even if you saw the complete Valmadonna Trust Library exhibit at Sotheby's you don't want to miss this concentrated view of the mosaic of Jewish daily life. These printed notices from Europe, India and Jerusalem grant us insight into the lives of Jews across continents and over four centuries.

*Flyers available in the lobby.*

#### Start the New Year off right by being part of: THE LSS HOSPITALITY SHABBATON

This year, be sure to take part in our ever-popular **LSS Hospitality Shabbaton**, scheduled for **November 1-2 (Shabbat Toldot)**. Invite or be invited – just pick a meal, share it and make new friends. Some of us will be hosts, some of us will be guests but all of us should participate.

Sign up now at [www.lss.org/hospitality](http://www.lss.org/hospitality) or just send us an email at [hospitality@lss.org](mailto:hospitality@lss.org).

*To find out more about the Shabbaton or how to be part of our hospitality initiative throughout the year, join us at the Hospitality Committee Meeting at the shul, this Monday, September 16 at 7:15pm.*

#### Beginners Announcements

- **Hebrew Reading Crash Course Level I** has concluded. The next series will begin after the High Holy Days on **Monday, October 14<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm**. The classes meet for 1½ hours, and are free and open to all. Register for any of our Hebrew Reading classes at [www.beginners.lss.org](http://www.beginners.lss.org)
- **High Holiday Beginners Services will continue on Yom Kippur: Friday, Sept. 13, 6:55pm; Saturday, Sept. 14, 9:00 am**, at the Manhattan Day School, 310 West 75th Street (Bet. West End Ave. and Riverside Dr.). Tickets for LSS members \$75; non-members \$125. For reservations, call 212-874-6100 or visit [www.beginners.lss.org](http://www.beginners.lss.org). No one will be turned away due to lack of funds.
- **Playtime for Kids:** There will be an informal "playtime for kids" available in the lobby area outside of the sanctuary on Yom Kippur day from 10:30am until 1pm
- **Sukkot Shopping:** This **Tuesday, September 17<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm**. Meet at 135 Henry Street to buy lulavim and etrogim at rock-bottom prices.
- **Beginners Sukkah Party at Ramaz Middle School, 114 East 85<sup>th</sup> Street: Tuesday, September 24<sup>th</sup>, 7pm.** Featuring words of inspiration from Rabbi Ephraim Buchwald and Rabbi Elie Weinstock. \$38 per person, \$70 per couple. Register online at [www.cki.or/pay](http://www.cki.or/pay) or 212-774-5654. **Deadline: Wednesday, September 18<sup>th</sup>**
- Register now for **Introduction to Bible**, with Rabbi Ephraim Buchwald (begins **Tuesday, October 1st, 6:30-8:00pm**). This course provides a general overview of the content and style of the Bible. We will review basic literary and theological approaches to Bible study, traditional and modern, through the analysis of the Biblical text. To register, please call 212-874-6100 or register online at [www.beginners.lss.org](http://www.beginners.lss.org). **Cost: \$90, Free to LSS Members.**
- Register now for our "First Call" Beginners Luncheon, to be held **Shabbat, October 5th**, in honor of Dr. Leonard Davidman. The cost is still only \$20 per person. Register and pay online at [www.beginners.lss.org](http://www.beginners.lss.org). Please make your reservations and payment by **Tuesday, October 1st**.
- We are happy to announce that, once again, the **Louis Lazar Memorial Fund** is sponsoring the 50% off campaign for **Beginners. Mezuzot: \$16.75, Tefillin: \$250, Jewish books: 50% off up to \$100. Expires 9/30/2013.** To place an order, please email Jessica at [jessica@njop.org](mailto:jessica@njop.org)
- The next 2 sessions of the **Jewish Living Workshop** led by Dassa and Bill Greenbaum will be this **Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, September 17<sup>th</sup>**. The workshop is free; register at [JLworkshop@yahoo.com](mailto:JLworkshop@yahoo.com). **Sunday's topic: How to build a Sukkah, Tuesday's topic: Lulav & Esrog, choosing and using.**

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