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18 ELUL 5774 • PARSHAT KI TAVO SEPTEMBER 12-13, 2014 • CANDLE LIGHTING: 6:53PM

Shaul Robinson Rabbi

Sherwood Goffin Senior Cantor

> Yanky Lemmer Cantor

> > Lloyd Epstein President

Ben Keil Executive Director

Friday Evening

6:53pm: Candle Lighting

6:55pm: Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat in the Nathaniel Richman

Cohen Main Sanctuary led by Chazzan Yanky Lemmer.

9:30pm: Elul Tisch in the Belfer Beit Midrash

Shabbat Morning

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

Kiddush and shiur with Rabbi Moshe Sokolow

8:30am: The Siddur In Depth with Rabbi Ben Elton in the Nathaniel

Richman Cohen Sanctuary.

9:00am: Services in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary led by

Chazzan Yanky Lemmer. Drasha by Rabbi Shaul Robinson.

9:15am: Beginners Service led by Rabbi Ephraim Buchwald in room

LL201 (Lower Level)

9:41am: Latest Shema

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

Midrash

Following Kiddush: Shiur by **Rabbi Julian Sinclair**: "How is this Shmitah Year Different from all Other Shmitah Years?"

Shabbat Afternoon

12:30pm: Young Professionals Lunch in the Ballroom (SOLD OUT)

4:00pm: Herb Weiss Bikur Cholim Society meets in front of LSS.

New volunteers are needed.

5:05pm: Beginners Mishna Chavura with **Moshe Sheinwexler** in

the Belfer Beit Midrash

5:35pm: Louis Lazar Memorial Shiur by **Rabbi Julian Sinclair**:

"Memory as the Secret of Renewal: Rav Kook on the

5:35pm: Bible Class with Rabbi Ephraim Buchwald in room 211

6:35pm: Mincha followed by Seudah Shlishit.

Seudah Shlishit talk by Rabbi Dr. Yitzchak Greenblatt:

"First fruits, education and personal growth."

7:52pm: Ma'ariv/Shabbat Ends

LSS Security: Important Announcement

For your safety please exit the shul only through the main entrance.

Never exit through the north door near the main women's section - except in an emergency.

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Some members have been using it as a short cut - and left

it unlocked.

This act endagers the lives of the entire LSS community should an intruder enter. Please do not do it.

A Warm Welcome to Our Scholar in Residence, Rabbi Julian Sinclair



Rabbi Sinclair is Co-founder and Director of Education for the Jewish Climate Initative and Hazon Senior Rabbinical Scholar. He was educated at Oxford, Harvard and Yeshivat Har Etzion. He has been an economic analyst for the UK government, and Jewish Chaplain and Instructor in the Divinity School, Cambridge University. He

is married with four children. He likes Torah, hiking and eating falafel. He will speak at the tisch on Friday night. He'll also speak after Kiddush as well as delivering the Shiur before Mincha.

Thank You To Our Kiddush Sponsors

Hashkama Kiddush

Sponsored by the Fund

Beginners Service Kiddush

Sponsored by **Golda and Dana Hudes** in commemoration of the 30th yahrtzeit of Golda's father, **Aaron Yohanan ben Menashe, z"l**, and the 24th yahrtzeit of her sister, **Simcha bat Aaron Yohanan, a"h.**

Main Kiddush

Not yet sponsored

Seudah Shlishit

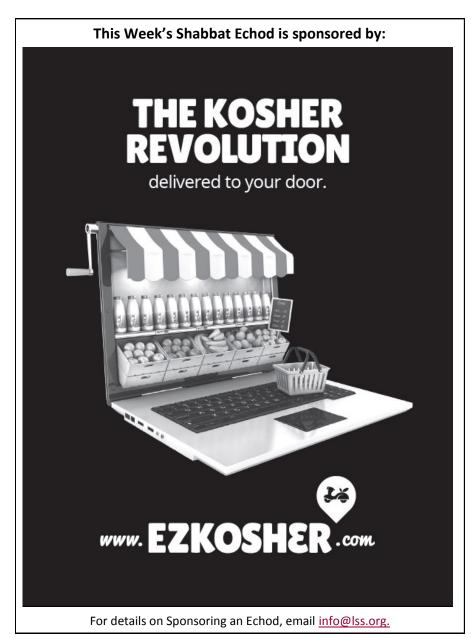
Sponsored by **Joseph and Shari Stern Sonnenberg** on the birth of a son, **Daniel Avraham**, to their grandchildren **Shifra and Ari Bender** in South Africa.

Mazal Tov to our Members

- Mazal Tov to **Elana Stein Hain and Yona Hain** on the birth of a baby boy. Mazal Tov to big brother **Azan.**
- Mazal Tov to Joseph and Shari Stern Sonnenberg on the birth of a son, Daniel Avraham, to their grandchildren Shifra and Ari Bender in South Africa. Mazal Tov, also, on the engagement, in Israel, of their grandson Bezalel Sonnenberg to Batsheva Feather.
- Mazal Tov to Grandparents Miryam and Amos Alter, on the birth of a baby girl, born to their children Avraham and Tammy Alter.
- Mazal Tov to Grandparents Morton and Rose Landowne on the birth of a baby girl, to their children Rav Hayim and Lea Leiter.
- Mazal Tov to **Assaf Alster**, **James Greenfeld** and **Jacob (Jake) Holm** on graduating the rigorous CSS [Community Security Service] Cadet course.

Weekday Prayer Schedule Sunday, Sept 14th - Friday, Sept 19th Mincha/Ma'ariv: Sun - Thurs at 6:50pm

SundayMonday & ThursdayTues, Wed, FriShacharit: 7:10amDaf Yomi: 6:15amDaf Yomi: 6:20amDaf Yomi: 7:45amShacharit: 7:00amShacharit: 7:10amShacharit: 8:30amShacharit: 7:50amShacharit: 7:50am



Weekly Learning Opportunities – lss.org/classes

SUNDAY

• Midrash on the upcoming Parsha • 9:15am w/ Rabbi Ben Elton

MONDAY

• The Jewish Living Workshop. • 7:30-8:30pm. See outside flyer for more details

TUESDAY

- Parsha Class w/ Rabbi Shaul Robinson 10:30 am
- Tuesday Beit Midrash Night 7:35-9:15pm Tanach Survey: The Books of Samuel and Kings

Facilitated by Marcy Zwecker and Robyn Mitchnick

- Politics and Kingship: The Book of Samuel (Currently following Ma'ariv) Facilitated by Ron Platzer
- The Subversive Religious Poetry of Yehuda Amichai Facilitated by Sara Brzowsky

WEDNESDAY

- Wednesday Beit Midrash Night 8:15-9:15pm
- Yiddish Writings of the Rav

Facilitated by Moshe Sheinwexler

See the Elul Shiurim flyer on page 4

Youth Announcements - Iss.org/youth

Math Circle is starting up again- Monday nights from 6-8pm in room 208. Open to children in 4th grade and up. Contact histein@gmail.com

Youth Groups Shabbat Schedule

Pre-K: 10:00 am — Room 206

K and 1st grade: 10:00 am — Room 207 **2nd- Tweens:** 10:00 am — Room 208/210

Youth Breakfast is back!





High Holidays 2014

Rosh Hashana is less than 2 weeks away. If you have not purchased your High Holiday seats, now is your last chance. Women's Seats in the Main Sanctuary are now completely sold out. We have limited men's seats available in the main sanctuary.

Seats are still available for Purchase in the Ballroom, Kollel Minyan, and Beginners Service.

To purchase High Holiday seats, visit Iss.org/HighHolidays2014

See additional flyer for more information.

ROSH HASHANAH HOSPITALITY

As you prepare for the Yomim Noraim, we encourage those who have room at their tables to reach out to other members of our congregation who would greatly enjoy an invitation during the holidays. Extending hospitality to our friends and neighbors can enrich both host and guest and set a wonderful tone for the year ahead. If you would like help in finding another guest, please contact hospitality@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.

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Upcoming Events - Iss.org/events



- Senior Women's Talk Time Thursday at 10:30am in room LL201 (lower level)

 Join this new program, run by LSS member and psychologist Ruth Riemer. Register ahead by calling the shul office or register online.
- Rabbi Jonathan Sacks book launch Monday, September 15th in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary Registration is required at lss.org/RabbiSacks (See full details in the flyer on page 4)



- Museum of Jewish Heritage Visit Sunday, September 21st 10:15am

 Join LSS for a tour of the Museum of Jewish Heritage's exhibit, "Against the Odds" led by LSS member, Janice Katz. \$18 for LSS members, \$25 for non members. Meet in the lobby of the museum at 10:15am.
- Upper West Side Pre-High Holidays Chazzan Sing-a-long and Workshop Monday, September 22 8:30pm

 Don't miss this fascinating and inspiring pre High Holy Days class in the LSS main sanctuary given by Chazzan Yanky Lemmer, Cantor Berson of the Jewish Center and Cantor Zevi Muller of WSIS. The class will include a discussion about the prayers and music of the High Holy Days as well as a presentation/singing of some High Holy Days melodies.
- Luluv and Etrog Sale Monday, October 6 6:45pm-8:45pm In the Entrance Hall Lobby
 Come buy a beautiful Etrog and Lulav set at the shul as West Side Judaica sets up shop for the evening in the first floor lobby.
 No registration is necessary. 15% of all proceeds will go to support LSS.



• SELF PORTRAIT- After school Program for Girls • Sunday, October 26 • 11am-12:30pm

SELFPORTRAIT is an after school workshop at LSS that helps your child develop a strong sense of self, build positive self image and enhance self-esteem. Through the art of photography, children will explore their world and see themselves in it.



פינת ישראל • ISRAEL CORNER

ISRAEL FAIR: A SMASHING SUCCESS

They started coming in even before the official noon-time opening. And they kept coming all day long, so that, before the doors closed, nearly 1,500 people attended. Some were LSS members, most were not. Some men wore kippot, many did not. English and Ivrit sounds filled the ballroom. All were united by the desire to purchase *something* from the Israeli vendors from the South of Israel to help them with their *parnassah*.

Not only did the Israel Fair help the vendors, but hundreds of people who had never before set foot in our shul did so and got to know us in a very positive way. Many took brochures about the activities of the shul and hopefully they will come back to hear a lecture, see a movie or attend a service.

How does an event like this happen with less than two weeks' notice? Through a lot of hard work by many dedicated individuals. While many people helped in planning, organizing and staging the event, special thanks go to: Ann Crane, Lloyd Epstein, Izzi Fridman (who spearheaded the event), Pearl Glassberg, Bill Greenbaum, Rachel Neumark Herlands, Ben Keil, Ellen Lipkis, Chuck Pollack, Glenn Richter, Gretchen & Ben Schmaltz, Nathan Vogel and Bernie Zweig. Special thanks to our super volunteer, Rabbi Shaul Robinson who handed out flyers in front of Zabar's and reached out to his rabbinical colleagues to promote the Fair to their congregants.

And, of course, a huge thank you to the entire LSS kehila that showed up in force to the event, emailed and called their friends and posted on their Facebook pages. The vendors were very grateful not just for the purchases made but also by the many kind words of encouragement and support that they received from us the entire day. We can truly say that we fulfilled the *mitzvah* of *Kol Yisrael arevim zeh bazeh* or zeh le zeh, all Jews are responsible for one another.

Would you like to work on future events of the LSS Israel Committee? Please contact Ann Crane anncrane2750@gmail.com. All friends of Israel are welcome, especially young professionals with social media skills.

ISRAEL HERE WE COME

The LSS mission to Israel is tentatively planned for Sun. November 23rd through Thurs November 27th (Thanksgiving Day) with extensions for additional days of traveling and volunteer work. Exciting details to follow next week.

The Lea Segre Tomchei Shabbos Fund discreetly distributes thousands of dollars to our own community members to defray the costs of Shabbat and Yom Tov meals and clothing. Help yourself and your neighbors by sending your contributions, earmarked for LSTSF to the LSS office. If you are aware of any LSS community member (including yourself) who could benefit from a Shabbat meal, please let us know by contacting the LSS office or by confidential email to rabbi@lss.org.

ELUL INTENSIVE CLASSES

Every weeknight during Elul in the Belfer Beit Midrash, you can stretch your mind and inspire your heart.

Classes start at 7:30pm.

Mondays- Movies and Midrash with Rabbi Shaul Robinson (Begins September 8th)

Films on the themes of the High Holidays followed by a shiur exploring and expanding on the issues they raise.

(The films come from The Ma'aleh School of Television, Film & the Arts in Jerusalem.)

Tuesdays- Kaddish Class with Rabbi Shaul Robinson. (Begins September 9h)

Saying Kaddish for eleven months after a passing is one of the most powerful experiences of mourning.

Join us to learn and share.

Wednesdays- Teshuva and the Modern Jew with Rabbi Josh Rosenfeld. (Begins September 3rd)

Looking at the High Holidays and the Repentance Process in a Reflective, Redemptive, & Radical New Light.

Thursdays- Making Prayer Real: Reading & Reflecting on the High Holiday Machzor with Rabbi Ben Elton.

(Begins Aug 28th) Get ready for the prayer marathons with study and discussion on key texts.

Shabbat Day- (Starting September 6th at 8:30am in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Main Sanctuary)

The Siddur in Depth with Rabbi Ben Elton.

We will be starting a new class, to add depth to our Shabbat morning prayers

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LAUNCH OF MORASHA KEHILLAT YAAKOV -A COLLECTION OF ESSAYS IN HONOUR OF CHIEF RABBI LORD JONATHAN SACKS

Monday, September 15th , 2014 • 7:30pm • In the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Main Sanctuary Introduction by **Rabbi Menachem Genack**

Rabbi Lord Jonathan Sacks in conversation with Rabbi Barry Freundel. Moderated by Rabbi Shaul Robinson

Followed by a book signing and reception. Books will be available at a discount.

Pre-registration is required. Sign up at Iss.org/RabbiSacks



A global religious leader, philosopher, author and moral voice for our time, Rabbi Lord Jonathan Sacks is currently the Ingeborg and Ira Rennert Global
Distinguished Professor of Judaic Thought at New York
University and the Kressel and Ephrat Family University Professor of Jewish Thought at Yeshiva University. He has also been appointed as Professor of Law, Ethics and the Bible at King's College London. Previously, Rabbi Sacks served as Chief Rabbi of the United Hebrew Congregations of the Commonwealth.

Book launch is sponsored by Michael Liberman in memory of his father, Chaim ben Azriel, z"l.

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PROTEST THE MET'S PERFORMANCE OF ANTISEMITIC OPERA

Join the Rally on Monday, September 22nd, at 4:45 pm at Lincoln Center to protest the Metropolitan Opera's refusal to cancel its scheduled performance of "The Death of Klinghoffer", an opera that has been widely denounced as justifying the Palestinian terrorists who hijacked the Acchile Lauro cruiseship in 1985 and brutally murdered disabled veteran Leon Klinghoffer.

Beginners Announcements

- The FINAL session of the Hebrew Reading Crash Course Level I will meet on Monday, September 15th, 2014 at 6:30pm.
- The next session of the Hebrew Reading Crash Course Level II will meet on Monday, September 15th, 2014 at 6:30pm, and continue for 4 more weeks. The classes meet for 1½ hours and are free and open to all. Register at www.beginners.lss.org.
- High Holiday Beginners Services at Lincoln Square Synagogue, in the Beit Midrash (2nd Floor). Tickets for LSS members \$75; non-members \$125. For reservations, call 212-874-6100 or visit www.beginners.lss.org. Rosh Hashanah: Wednesday
 - Sept. 24, 6:40 pm; Thursday and Friday, Sept. 25 & 26, 9:00 am; Thursday, Sept. 25, 6:35 pm; Friday, Sept. 26, 6:35 pm. Yom Kippur: Friday, Oct. 3, 6:20 pm; Saturday, Oct. 4, 9:00 am. No one will be turned away due to lack of funds.
- Any Beginner who is in need of meals for Rosh Hashanah, please call Jessica at 646-871-0012 or email jessica@njop.org no later than THIS Thursday, September 18th. Please indicate which meals you need.
- We are happy to announce that, once again, the Louis Lazar Memorial Fund is sponsoring the 50% off campaign for Beginners. Mezuzot: \$18, Tefillin: \$270, Jewish books: 50% off, \$200 worth of books for \$100.
 Expires 10/20/2014. To place an order, please email Jessica at jessica@njop.org.
- Jewish Living Workshop led by Dassa and Bill Green-baum returns to LSS THIS Monday, September 15th, 7:30-8:30pm. The Jewish Living Workshop, a 10 sessions series, is a "hands-on" experience. We learn by doing. The workshop is free, a few sessions will require a modest fee for materials; register at <u>Lwork-shop@yahoo.com</u> or <u>www.lss.org</u>. The first topic: Rosh Hashana Evening.