

SHABBAT SCHEDULE

Mincha	3:00pm
Main Shul	
Candle Lighting	4:09 pm
Mincha/Maariv	
Main Shul	4:10 pm
Beit Midrash	4:10 pm
Uriel Heller	BETWEEN MINCHA
Main Shul	AND MAARIV
"Making Sense of Divine Providence" with Rabbi Wiener	7:45 pm

SHABBAT MORNING

Yoni Sternberg Bar Mitzvah	8:30 am
Shacharit	
Main Shul	7:00, 9:00 am
Beit Midrash	8:30 am
Followed by kiddush in Social Hall B	
Social Hall B	8:45 am
Teen Minyan Social Hall A	9:00 am
Rambam Shiur, Murray Sragow	8:15 am
Beit Midrash	
Youth Groups	9:00 am
Sof Zman Kriat Shma	9:28 am
Shailot uTshuvot Shiur,	10:30 am
Elie Berman , "הדלקת נרות חנוכה" בערב שבת	
Beit Midrash	
Tot Shabbat	10:45 am

SHABBAT AFTERNOON

Mincha	2:00 pm
Main Shul	
Daf Yomi	2:55 pm
Back of Beit Midrash	
Mincha	4:00 pm
Main Shul	
Iyun Chanukah Shiur, Rabbi Strauchler , "Small Miracles in Hard Times"	BETWEEN MINCHA AND MAARIV
Main Shul	
Maariv	5:05 pm
Main Shul	
Shabbat Ends	5:10 pm
December 15th	
Candle Lighting	4:10 pm
Mincha/Maariv	4:15 pm
Main Shul	

MAZAL TOV

Shelly & Robert Berman on the birth of a granddaughter, born to Aviva & Rabbi Jonathan Berman of South Bend, IN. Mazal tov to siblings Eli, Adina, Daniel, Asher, Tziporah, Chaim and Yehoshua.

Shera & Doug Dubitsky on the engagement of their son, Harry to Natalie Barbanel of Lawrence, NY. Mazal tov to Lauri & Lewis Barbanel, their family and to Harry's proud sister Sophie, who is currently serving in the IDF.

Yael & Ephraim Mandel on the birth of a daughter. Mazal tov to siblings Liat and Ashira.

Ida & Zvi Plotzker on the birth of a grandson, born to Avigayil & Jeremy Tuch of Fair Lawn. Mazal tov to Sharon & Steven Tuch of Teaneck, big sister Peninah and to all the uncles and aunts. זוכים לגדלם לתורה, לחופה, ולמעשים טובים!

Nomi & Yechiel Rotblat, Susan Dworken Koss & Fred Koss and Sylvia & Chaim Rotblat on the birth of a grandson and great grandson, born to Malka & Ezra Rotblat.

Linda & Murray Sragow on the birth of a granddaughter, born to Shayna & Gavi Sragow of Columbus, OH.

Mindy & Muttie Stein on the bat mitzvah of their granddaughter, Anaëlle, being celebrated in Israel. Mazal tov to parents, Liora & Michael Stein.

Cheri & Gary Sternberg on the bar mitzvah of their son, Yoni. Mazal tov to siblings Miriam, Daniel and Sammy and to the extended Ochs and Sternberg families.

CONDOLENCES

Renee Fromowitz on the passing of her beloved mother, *Zelda Schuman*, z"l. Renee will be sitting shiva through next Tuesday morning at the Fromowitz home, 1 Hapozim St., Jerusalem, with the exception of the following: Thursday, 10:00am – 3:00pm shiva will be at Beit Tovei Hair – 36 Malchei Yisrael, Jerusalem. Motzei Shabbat until 11:00pm at the home of Alan Schuman, 8 Coresh St., Efrat. Davening each day at 1 Hapozim St., Jerusalem. Shacharit – 7:30am. Mincha/Maariv – 4:20pm (except Friday mincha at 12:30pm). Renee can be reached at renee.fromowitz@gmail.com or via whatsapp at +972 53-963-5039.

Raz Haramati on the passing of his beloved mother, *Dinah Haramati*, z"l. Raz will be sitting shiva Thursday 12/7 at his home in Englewood, 60 East Linden Avenue #9A. Shacharit – 7:15am.

Ira Roth on the passing of his beloved mother, *Rita Roth*, z"l. Ira will be sitting shiva Thursday morning at 437 Ogden Ave. Shacharit – 7:05am.

To send a condolence card through Nerot, please contact Carrie Cooper at CandSCooper@gmail.com or go to www.rinat.org/nerot-mitzvah-cards.

May the Fromowitz, Haramati, Roth and Schuman families be comforted among the mourners of Tzion v'Yerushalayim.

THIS WEEK AT RINAT.

Uriel Heller—Friday, December 8th, between Mincha and Maariv. Uriel Heller will be speaking about his experience in Teaneck public schools. Main Shul.

Making Sense of Divine Providence with Rabbi Wiener—Friday, December 8th, 7:45–8:30pm. Second in ten part series. Beit Midrash.

Iyun Chanukah Shiur with Rabbi Strauchler—Shabbat, December 9th, between Mincha and Maariv. "Small Miracles in Hard Times" Main Shul.

Parent/Child Learning will not be meeting this week and will resume next week, **Motzei Shabbat, December 16th.**

Bar Mitzvah Class 5784 will not be meeting this week and will resume next week, **Motzei Shabbat, December 16th.** To register go to, www.rinat.org/form/bar-mitzvah-program-2023.html.

3rd Annual Inclusive Chanukah Minyan—Sunday, December 10th, 9am. Especially designed for individuals with specialized needs, their families, friends and fans. Wheelchair accessible, sensory sensitive and special diet sensitive. Tefillot led by Jeff Braverman. Register at www.rinat.org/form/inclusive-minyan-12-10.html. Walk-ins welcome. For more information call Makor at 718-853-0900. Beit Midrash.

Inspiration and Song—Sunday, December 10th, 8:30pm. Rinat and RCBC invite the women in our community to join us for divrei chizuk from Dana Cohen and Yedidya Harush and singing led by Sorah Shaffren. Doors open at 8pm. For sponsorship opportunities please contact Yaffa Cohen at cohen.yt@gmail.com. Social Hall.

Gourmet Chanukah Donut Sale with Gombo's Heimishe Bakery Pickup—Sunday, December 10th, 11am–1pm. Profits will go to Rinat's ongoing efforts to support Israel and it's citizens. Classroom D/E.

Blood Drive—Tuesday, December 12th, 1–7pm. To make an appointment go to donate.nybc.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/310143. Social Hall.

Rabbi Hayyim Angel Tehillim Series—Tuesday, December 12th, 8:15–9pm, before Tehillim and Tefillah Reading. Second of a four part series: "Tehillim in Transition: How Prayers Transform" To sponsor, go to www.rinat.org/form/Adult-Education-sponsorship.html. Beit Midrash or Zoom ID: 4653630025 | Password 8372795.

Tehillim & Tefillah—Tuesday, December 12th, 9pm. Come together to pray for soldiers, the injured, the missing and their families. Beit Midrash or Zoom ID: 4653630025 | Password 8372795.

HAPPY CHANUKAH FROM CONGREGATION RINAT YISRAEL!
Chanukah begins on the evening of **Thursday, December 7th** and ends on **Friday, December 15th.**



KOL RINAT

Please email your announcement to office@rinat.org by **Wednesday at 12pm.**

WEEKDAY SCHEDULE—DECEMBER 10–15

Shacharit	
Sun (Main)	7:00, 8:00, 9:00 am
(Beit Midrash)	Inclusive Minyan 9:00 am
Mon, Tue, Thu (Main)	6:15, 7:15 am
(Beit Midrash)	7:00, 8:00 am
Wed (Rosh Chodesh Tevet)	
(Main)	6:10, 7:10 am
(Beit Midrash)	6:50, 8:00 am

Mincha	
Sun (Main)	12:45 pm
Mincha / Maariv	
Sun—Thu (Main)	4:10 pm
Maariv	
Mon–Thu (Beit Midrash)	7:30 pm
Late Maariv	
Sun (Main)	9:15 pm
Mon–Thu (Beit Midrash)	9:15 pm

ADULT EDUCATION SCHEDULE

Rabbi Shlomo Zuckier—Gemara B'lyun Shiur on Maseches Bava Kamma, Mondays, 8:15pm. To sponsor, go to www.rinat.org/gemara-shiur. Beit Midrash.

Women's Chumash B'lyun Shiur with Rabbi Strauchler, Wednesdays, 12:30pm. For up to date information on this shiur, join the WhatsApp group at chat.whatsapp.com/IC6JrkMmdBfASLM6Vhlf43. Beit Midrash.

Rabbi Wiener's Topics in the Weekly Daf Yomi, Wednesdays, 8:15pm. Main Shul.

Rabbi Effy Unterman's Chabura, Wednesdays, 9pm. Beit Midrash Back Room or via Zoom at zoom.us/j/4653630025?pwd=Z2p4bWM2YVYFbmNkaThEbWpYb09qZz09.

Making Sense of Divine Providence with Rabbi Wiener—Fridays, 7:45–8:30pm. Ten week series in response to a plea from chayalim that for their merit, we increase our Torah study, specifically on the long winter Friday nights while many of them on the front lines protecting Am Yisrael and Eretz Yisrael. Beit Midrash.

Rambam Shiur with Murray Sragow—Shabbat Mornings, 8:15am. Beit Midrash.

Shailot uTshuvot Shiur with Elie Berman—Shabbat Mornings, 10:30am. Beit Midrash.

GPATS Shabbat—Shabbat, December 15th–16th.

- **Sarah Ross—Friday Night Dvar Halacha** and drasha after davening at **8:45am** minyan.
- **Ariella Broth** —Drasha after davening at **7am, 8:30am** and **9am** minyanim.
- **Devorah Silberstein** —Drasha after davening at **Teen Minyan** and **Iyun Shiur between Mincha and Maariv**.

Rabbi Hayyim Angel Tehillim Series—Tuesdays, 8:15–9pm, before Tehillim and Tefillah Reading.
December 26th: "The Wise and the Foolish in Tehillim". **January 2nd:** "From Harshness to Halleluyah: Books 3–5". Beit Midrash.

Chodesh Kislev Mishna Learning Project for Eretz Yisrael L'zecher nishmot the kedoshim who have lost their lives and b'zichut the hostages, the chayalim, the people of Israel and Jews worldwide, we invite the Rinat membership to join in a siyum mishnayot.

We launched this initiative on Rosh Chodesh Kislev. Please complete learning these mishnayot by **December 29th–30th, Parshat Vayechi** and we will plan for a siyum together in shul. To register for learning, go to www.rinat.org/form/Mishna-Learning.html.

A MESSAGE FROM RABBI STRAUCHLER**KEEPING IT TOGETHER**

The Torah explains the source of Yosef's brother's hatred:

וַיֵּרְאוּ אֶחָיו כִּי־אֹתוֹ אָהַב אָבִיהֶם מִכָּל־אֶחָיו וַיִּשְׁנְאוּ אֹתוֹ

"[Yosef's] brothers saw that their father loved him more than any of his brothers so they hated him" (37:2). The pasuk draws a link between Yaakov's love and Joseph's brothers' hate. The love for one creates the hate in the hearts of those who are not loved. (As an aside, it's interesting to consider this connection between love and hate in light of the history of anti-Semitism.)

Rabbi Obadiah Sforno guided by the basic reading of the text blames Jacob for the forces that would tear apart his family. Sforno writes:

ויראו אחיו כי אותו אהב אביהם. וזוה טעה יעקב לשנות לבן בין הבנים בענין שיכירו אחיו את האהבה אשר בלבו:

"In this regard, Yaakov erred – by treating one son differently than the others such that they would recognize the love that he felt in his heart."

If we examine Sforno's words closely, we notice that it is not Yaakov's love for his son that is criticized, but his display of that love in a way that others might notice, "the brothers saw that their father...." We feel what we feel. Yet, we are held accountable for how we act. In a society that tells us to always act upon our emotions, we must be reminded that our actions have consequences. Many are the impulses that we must set aside for our own good and for the good of those around us.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Jewish Community Night with the New Jersey Devils—Sunday, December 17th, 7pm.

To purchase tickets, please go to www.rinat.org/socialsports. Lower Bowl Defense Seats: \$66. 100's Section Seats: \$51.

Nerot Paper Cutting with Dena Levie—Monday, December 18th, 7:45–9:45pm. Full

Members: \$36. Affiliate Members: \$42. Non-Members: \$48. Admission includes framed papercut project and paper cutting toolkit for more projects!

Sponsorships available: \$54, \$72, \$100. Register at www.rinat.org/nerot-events#. Social Hall.

Hollyrock Entertainment Comes to Rinat—Motzei Shabbat, January 6th, 8pm.

Pricing: Member—\$36/head, Affiliate Member—\$45/head, Non Member—\$54/head. Sponsorship opportunities: \$180 Family Feud, \$250 The Price is Right, \$360 Jeopardy, \$500 Wheel of Fortune. To sign up or sponsor, go to rinat.org/socialevents. Dinner included. Profits will go to Rinat's ongoing efforts to support Israel and its citizens.

Save the Date: Rinat Yisrael 36th Annual Dinner—Motzei Shabbat, February 24th, 8pm. Guests of Honor: **Riki & Seth Landa**. Sruli Guttman Service Award: **Ranon Mann**. Young Leadership Award: **Emily Adler**. Congregation Keter Torah.

NEROT MITZVAH CARDS

Current Nerot Mitzvah Cards Pricing: Each card sent out by Rinat is \$12.00, Each pack of 10 cards for your own use is \$60.00. As of **January 1st, 2024**, new prices will be in effect. Each card will be \$15.00, and a pack of 10 cards will be \$75.00. Stock up now. Remember these donation cards can be used for happy occasions! To order, please contact Rinat office.

BENCH SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITY

Rinat has purchased two new eight foot benches for the exterior of the main entrance. To sponsor one of the benches, e-mail eyurowitz@rinat.org.



YOUTH NEWS

Groups for children in nursery – 6th grade meet on Shabbat mornings from 9am until the end of Mussaf, in the youth wing. To sponsor a birthday cake or cupcakes, go to www.rinat.org/form/youth-sponsorship.html. Questions? Email youth@rinat.org.

Tot Shabbat meets at 10:45am on Shabbat mornings, in the back of the Beit Midrash. *Please note new time.*

Parent/Child Learning will not be meeting this week and will resume next week, **Motzei Shabbat, December 16th.**

Shabbat Youth Meals—2nd/3rd Grade—Friday, December 22nd, Kindergarten/1st Grade—**Shabbat, December 23rd**, Junior Cong.—**December 29th**. \$15 a child. To register to www.rinat.org/youthmeals.

Join the Rinat Youth WhatsApp group. chat.whatsapp.com/GblOYKTqs9KGkZCjdmp3ny

TEEN NEWS

Teen Minyan meets on **Shabbat mornings at 9am** in Social Hall A. Sponsor a kiddush at www.rinat.org/form/teensponsorship.

Bar Mitzvah Class will not be meeting this week and will resume next week, **Motzei Shabbat, December 16th**. To register go to, www.rinat.org/form/bar-mitzvah-program-2023.html.

Mother/Daughter Resin Art Evening with Artist Chany Gold— Motzei Shabbat, December 23rd, 7pm. Create a challah board/candle board. Members: \$100 per board. Affiliate Members: \$118 per board. Non-Members: \$136 per board. Includes \$20 donation to Rinat's Israel Initiatives. Deadline to register **Friday, December 8th**. To register go to www.rinat.org/teen-events. Light refreshments will be served.

Join the Teen WhatsApp group for all the latest Rinat teen news, events and happenings.

chat.whatsapp.com/J0sAEd6pdxLElslOUsluB

JOIN CSS

CSS is part of an international consortium of Jewish organizations committed to safeguarding the Jewish way of life. As a member, you will have access to extensive resources and intelligence to help us deliver comprehensive protection. The training that CSS provides is not just about security knowledge; you will also gain life skills that you can use to maintain situational awareness in the shul, at home, on the streets, and wherever else you may be. The skills you will learn include preventative security, surveillance detection, how to question and report suspicious individuals, deescalation techniques, situational awareness, and Krav Maga, among others.

We are calling for more team members to enhance our security, to cover every position, and to ensure we offer the best security possible at our shul. The safety of our congregants and family members is a shared responsibility – we all have a part to play.

Join the CSS team, and amplify our shul's security; we need your support NOW to help protect our families, friends, and fellow congregants.

Any questions, please contact:

Nissan Clark, rinat@thecss.org, Yaakov Erlichman, yerlichman@gmail.com, Etzion Neuer, newtrees@gmail.com, Security Committee, security@rinat.org

To sign up for the CSS team, <https://thecss.org/contact-us/join-css/>

YEAR END REMINDER

With the end of the calendar year approaching, please consider reviewing your Rinat account for any open balances. Payments can be made by credit card or e-check by going to www.rinat.org/member or by check. Please contact the office at billing@rinat.org or by phone at 201-837-2795, ext. 102, if you have any questions.

JOIN OUR WHATSAPP GROUPS:

Rabbi Strauchler's Daily Divrei Halacha Whatsapp group. www.rinat.org/rabbi-strauchler-shiur

Rabbi Wiener's Mishna Yomit Whatsapp group, chat.whatsapp.com/E7Ua880sAQuEL16RlxsXlv. Sponsored by **Becky & Avi Katz and Family** in loving memory of Becky's father, *David Grossman, z'l, דוד בן מנחם מוניש, ז"ל*. May the learning serve as an aliyah for his neshama. Additionally sponsored by **Chanie & Jeff Kohn** in memory of Chanie's father, *Chaim Yaakov Ben Pinchas Eliyahu, z'l*. May his neshama have an aliyah in the merit of all the learning.

Rinat's Nach Yomi Whatsapp group chat.whatsapp.com/LfFWCBpdCzw07Sn2BGVVdI. This group will share information from the OU women's initiative relating to the current Nach Yomi cycle.

Daf A Week Chaburah Whatsapp Shiur
To join the whatsapp group, go to chat.whatsapp.com/CJldztqmHKzJ4Wjo623mhH. For more information, contact Rabbi Ezra Wiener, 201-220-7314 or at rabbiwiener@rinat.org.

LEARNING SPONSORSHIP

Doris & Pinhas Friedenberg in commemoration of the yahrzeit of Pinhas' beloved grandfather, *הרב הרב "יצחק דב שר"ל ברגד, ז"ל, מאירדוד בן יצחק דב שר"ל ברגד*, on December 13th, Tevet 1. (12/13)

Gail Weiss in celebration of 42 years of marriage to her adoring husband, *דוד חיים וייס*. (12/13-12/20)

8:30PM KIDDUSH SPONSORSHIP

Cheri & Gary Sternberg in honor of their son Yoni's bar mitzvah.

LOST AND FOUND

Lost

Navy wool coat with cashmere.

If you have any information regarding this item, please contact the office at office@rinat.org.

RINAT COMMUNITY WHATSAPP

To join Rinat's Community Notifications whatsapp chat.whatsapp.com/DM0GjUMPoQ3Ln6valQXCQ

COMMUNITY INITIATIVES

- ***New*** Lights for Hostages**—This Chanukah light an extra menorah for one of the hostages who are unable to light this year. To sign up go to tinyurl.com/candles4hostages.
- ***New*** Mezuzahs for Displaced Families**—In conjunction with Leket Israel. Please consider purchasing a mezuzah for our displaced brothers and sisters, a gift to allow them to feel a sense of home, and as a first step towards their returning back home. For more information and to donate, go to <https://my.israelgives.org/en/fundme/MezuzahProject>.
- Rinat Ice-Cream Truck in Tel Aviv**—Rinat will be sponsoring a Chanukah ice cream truck throughout Tel Aviv along the Yarkon. If you will be in Tel Aviv, please join Rinat members **Debby & Mark Teicher** in manning the truck, by e-mailing office@rinat.org. To donate, go to www.rinat.org/ice-cream.
- Dedication of New Social Hall Aron Kodesh**—100% of donations go to the Michael Levin Foundation. To donate go to www.rinat.org/aron-dedication#. To learn more about the Michael Levin Foundation go lonesoldiercenter.com.
- Shlomit Assistance**—To donate to help Kfar Etzion resettle the people of Shlomit, go to www.rinat.org/israel-action.
- Midreshet Lindenbaum**—Rinat is partnering with Midreshet Lindenbaum to provide programming in supporting families from Southern Israel as well as local families from Jerusalem, with fathers in the IDF. For video from the program, go to www.facebook.com/reel/297589086486781?mibextid=kcDB8O. For more details and to sponsor, go to www.rinat.org/liindenbaum.
- Tefillot and Tehillim**—The deputy commander of the Givati Brigade has asked for continued Tefillot and Tehillim to be said especially during the nighttime hours in Israel. The fighting is the toughest at night and he has said that the most crucial hours are between 2-5 am. I'm asking our friends in the US to please use this time difference to your advantage. Please stop for a moment between 7-10 pm and say a perek of Tehillim for our soldiers' safety. For perekim, go to tehillim-online.com/lectureContinue?code=3bf609c635b80a4c130b2219687051bb
- Bergen County, NJ Support for Israel and the IDF**—to purchase supplies to be sent directly to IDF soldiers, go to, www.shoppingforisrael.com. Questions? e-mail IDFsuppliesBC@gmail.com.
- RCBC - A Nightly Study of Tehillim—Motzei Shabbat Through Wednesday Night, 8-8:10pm**. With a different RCBC Rav explaining a perek of tehilim each week. Zoom meeting ID: 831 6931 5113 Passcode: tehilim.
- RCBC - Live Tehillim & Chizzuk—Thursday Nights. 8pm:** Maariv, **8:10pm:** Chizzuk, **8:20pm:** Tehillim. Divrei Chizzuk to be delivered by a different RCBC Rav each week. To access whats app group, scan QR code in flyer below.
- Letters to Families of the Hostages**—To send letters , go to amillionwithyou.com/.
- Letters to Wives of Chayalim**—To send letters, through Ezras Nashim, go to ezrasnashim.org/write-a-letter/.
- Toys for Kids in Israel**—To send care packages to children in the south, go to toysforkidsinisrael.com/.

IDF SOLDIERS FOR OUR TEFILOT

Please include in your tefilot soldiers from the Rinat family currently serving in the IDF: **Avi Bursztyn, Lior Chasid , Sophie Dubitsky, Dani Forman, Elitzur Gitler, Reuven Gross, Moshe Klavan, Zachary Kohn, Shlomo Kroopnick, Ari Milgram, Ronel Roos, Yitzi Rothschild, Elan Schwartz, Orlee Schwartz, Asher Stein, Gavriel Weiss and Eliyahu Zimbalist**. Email office@rinat.org to add a name to this list.

CHAYALIM

- Operation Hug** – Nefesh B Nefesh is offering free flights for 1 parent to visit their lone soldier child in Israel. For more information, to go www.nbn.org.il/operation-hug/
- Chaylim and Missing** – Please take a moment to review the names of the Chayalim and Missing at www.rinat.org/chayallimandmissing. If you have relatives or friends that are serving in the IDF, please send their Hebrew names and Mother's name so that they can be included in the shul tefillot to office@rinat.org.

ADVOCATE

Please consider attending two Teaneck municipal events this upcoming week in person, or via Zoom, more details to follow.

Tuesday, December 12th, 6:30pm – Teaneck Town Council Meeting.

Wednesday December 13th, 7pm – Teaneck Board of Education Meeting.

It is particularly important that our community be well represented at the Board of Education meeting, the expectation is the Teaneck's Board of Education will try to "fill the room" with their supporters. For both events, please arrive early to ensure entry and are prepared for a several-hour stay, it is suggested you charge your phone, bring reading or work materials. Materials will be shared in advance, to ensure everyone is prepared. Thank you all in advance for standing up for our community.

Letter To Elected Officials

We can help ensure that America is there to support Israel in its time of extreme need. President Biden, along with many of our senators, congressman and other political officials have made strong statements of support for the Israeli people and the IDF's actions against Hamas. You can help this effort by ensuring this support remains in place and by sending a message of thanks – hakarat hatov – to elected leaders if they have made a supportive statement.

President Biden– www.whitehouse.gov/contact/

Senate Majority Leader Chuck Schumer– 202-224-6542, mail_schumer@schumer.senate.gov

Senator of New Jersey Cory Booker– casework@booker.senate.gov

Congressman of New Jersey's 5th District Josh Gottheimer– Josh.Gottheimer@mail.house.gov

Senator of New Jersey Bob Menendez– jacob_roth@menendez.senate.gov

NYC Mayor Eric Adams – <https://www.nyc.gov/office-of-the-mayor/mayor-contact.page>

For sample messages, go to www.rinat.org/advocacy#.

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LIGHTS FOR THE HOSTAGES




THIS CHANUKAH LIGHT AN EXTRA MENORAH FOR ONE OF THE HOSTAGES WHO ARE UNABLE TO LIGHT THIS YEAR.

TO SIGN UP GO TO
[HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/CANDLES4HOSTAGES](https://tinyurl.com/candles4hostages)


MAKING SENSE OF DIVINE PROVIDENCE

WITH RABBI WIENER



Friday Nights, 7:45-8:30pm
Beit Midrash

In response to a plea from chayalim that for their merit, we increase our Torah study, specifically on the long winter Friday nights while many of them on the front lines protecting Am Yisrael and Eretz Yisrael, Rinat will begin a new series of shiurim.

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CARE & SERVICES NETWORK

3rd Annual Inclusive Chanukah Minyan

Especially designed for Individuals with Specialized Needs, their Families, Friends, and Fans



DECEMBER 10, AT 9 AM IN THE BEIT MIDRASH
 CONGREGATION RINAT YISRAEL
 389 WEST ENGLEWOOD AVENUE
 TEANECK, NJ

Wheelchair Accessible
 Sensory Sensitive
 Tefillot Led by Jeff Braverman
 Special Diet Sensitive

Walk-ins Welcome
 Register at:
<https://www.rinat.org/form/inclusive-minyan-12-10.html>
 For more information call
 Makor at 718-853-0900



חזק ונתחזק בעד
 עמנו ובעד ערי אלקינו

The women of our community are invited
 on the fourth night of Chanukah
 for an evening of

Inspiration and Song

with divrei chizuk from

DANA COHEN
 The wife of Aviad Cohen HY"D, who heroically gave his life in defense of three Gaza border communities on October 7

and

YEDIDYA HARUSH
 A decorated soldier of the IDF's elite units, once evacuated from Gush Katif — and a current evacuee from Shlomit — and the Chalutza Liason for Negev Community Development




and singing led by Sorah Shaffren

SUNDAY DECEMBER 10 | 8:30 PM
 DOORS OPEN AT 8:00
 RINAT YISRAEL | 389 W ENGLEWOOD AVE
 TEANECK, NJ



For sponsorship opportunities, please contact Yaffa Cohen at cohen.yt@gmail.com



*This holiday season give the gift of life.
Donate Blood!*

BLOOD DRIVE

Tuesday, December 12th

1pm to 7pm

Rinat Yisrael Synagogue

389 W. Englewood Ave, Teaneck



Appointments recommended. Scan the QR code

Or sign-up at:

https://donate.nybc.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/310143

*Please bring our nybc donor card or photo ID.
Eat well and drink plenty of water before donating.*

<https://www.nybc.org/donate-blood/become-donor/can-i-donate-blood/>



Thank you for being a blood donor and supporting our mission of saving lives!



Rabbi Hayyim Angel

Tuesdays, 8:15-9pm,

Before Tehillim and

Tefillah Reading

Beit Midrash

December 12th - "Tehillim in Transition: How Prayers Transform"
December 26th - "The Wise and the Foolish in Tehillim"
January 2nd - "From Harshness to Halleluyah: Books 3-5"

Rabbi Hayyim Angel is the National Scholar of the Institute for Jewish Ideas and Ideals (jewishideas.org). With a primary focus on the interaction between traditional and academic approaches to Bible study, Rabbi Angel has taught to undergraduate, graduate, and rabbinical students at Yeshiva University since 1996, and lectures widely in synagogues and schools throughout North America.

He has authored or edited twenty books, his most recent being "Psalms: A Companion Volume (Kodesh Press, 2022)", and has published over 150 scholarly articles. He is editor of Conversations, the journal of the Institute for Jewish Ideas and Ideals, and serves on the editorial boards of Tradition and Megadim. Rabbi Angel previously served as Rabbi of Congregation Shearith Israel in New York City (1995-2013), and as Rabbinic Scholar at Congregation Kehilath Jeshurun in New York (2014-2017). He received his B.A. in Jewish studies Summa cum Laude from Yeshiva College, his M.A. in Bible from the Bernard Revel Graduate School, his M.S. in Jewish Education from the Azrieli Graduate School of Jewish Education, and his Rabbinical Ordination from the Rabbi Isaac Elchanan Theological Seminary of Yeshiva University. He lives in Teaneck, New Jersey with his wife and four children

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GPATS Shabbat

Parshat Miketz, December 15th-16th



Friday Night Dvar Halacha
and 8:45am minyan after
davening by
Sarah Ross

Sarah Ross is currently a Masters student at The Graduate Program in Advanced Talmud/Tanach Studies (GPATS) and has a Masters in Jewish Education from Azrieli Graduate School of Jewish Education & Administration. Sarah taught Halacha in SKA High School for Girls to Freshmen and Seniors and worked as an intern at the Beth Din of America. Before that, she graduated from Stern College with a degree in Judaic Studies and a degree in Neurobiology. She grew up in Teaneck, NJ and currently lives in Washington Heights with her husband.

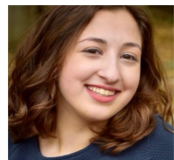
Ariella (Etshalom) Broth grew up in Los Angeles and currently lives in Washington Heights with her husband Yoni. After graduating from Stern College, with a double major in Psychology and Judaic Studies, Ariella spent a year working in SAR High School's Beit Midrash Fellowship program, teaching Talmud, Tanach, and Jewish Philosophy to students of various backgrounds and skill levels. She then completed her masters in Biblical and Talmudic Literature at Yeshiva University's Graduate Program for Advanced Talmudic Studies (GPATS), where she currently spends her mornings learning Gemara. Ariella spends her afternoons, evenings, and weekends teaching a Talmud class to Stern Undergrad students, learning in Nishmat's Yoetzet Halacha training program, and working for Midwest NCSY.



7:00, 8:30 and 9:00am
Drasha after davening by
Ariella Broth

Devorah Silberstein is a fourth year student in the Talmud track GPATS, as well as a Halacha instructor at the Brooklyn Beis Midrash, an adult women's learning program. She's also written and developed halacha curricula on hilchos shabbos and kashrus, as well as for Batsheva Learning Center's high school chidon.

Iyun Shiur Between Mincha and Maariv: "From Fasting to Feasting - a halachic exploration of the fast - and future festival of Asara b'Teves"



Teen Minyan Drasha After
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Between Mincha and
Maariv by
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