


BETH JACOB THE SHABBOS
 WEEKLY

Nissan 28, 29 5778

PARSHAT SHMINI/MEVORACHIM

April 13, 14 2017

SHABBAT SCHEDULE

Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat

- Main Sanctuary	6:45pm
- Sephardic Minyan in Beit Midrash	6:45pm
- Candle Lighting	6:59pm
Daf Yomi in Library - <i>Avoda Zara 76</i>	7:45am
First Minyan Shacharis - Beit Midrash	7:45am
Main Sanctuary Shacharis	8:45am
Early Childcare	8:45am
Latest Shema	9:40am
Kinder Congregation w/Morot Shayna & Faye	10:15am
Rabbi Bloom's Class for Boys (Ages 9-14)	OFF
Rabbi Adatto's Gemara Chaburah	4:40pm
Ladies Class w/Leah Bogopulsky	4:45pm
Afternoon Youth Groups	5:25pm
Rabbi's Class: "Yom Ha'atzmaut"	5:40pm
Mincha	6:40pm
Shabbos Ends	8:00pm
Candle Lighting Next Week	7:04pm

WEEKLY DAVENING TIMES

Shacharis

Sunday Rosh Chodesh: 8:00am
 Monday Rosh Chodesh: 6:05/7:15am
 Thursday: 6:15/7:15am
 Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 6:20/7:15am

Mincha/Maariv

Sunday - Thursday: 7:05pm
 Late Maariv: 9:15pm (Sunday - Thursday)

ADULT EDUCATION SCHEDULE

Daily

- Daf Yomi: Monday - Friday 6:15am in the library

Sunday

- Daf Yomi: 7:00am in the library
- Mishnayos w/ Rabbi Moskowitz: 8:45-9:30am

Monday

- Partners in Torah: 8:00pm

Wednesday

- Ladies Class w/ R' Bogopulsky: 2:00pm
- Night Seder: 8:15pm
- Rabbi Adatto Gemara Shiur: 8:15pm

Thursday:

- Parsha Class w/ Rabbi Bogopulsky via Facebook
- Mishmar and Cholent:

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME

To all our guests joining us for Shabbat. Special Welcome to family and friends who are here to celebrate Eliyahu Lapp's Bar Mitzvah.

THANK YOU

Yochanan & Klara Lapp for sponsoring Kiddush lunch in honor of their son Eliyahu's Bar Mitzvah.

MAZAL TOV

- Yochanan & Klara Lapp on the Bar Mitzvah of their son Eliyahu.

- Brian & Tova Slome on the birth of a baby boy.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Eliyahu Lapp, Aaron Kaplan, Shai Judah Kaplan

REFUAH SHELEIMA

Danny Green, Noam Silverman, Jack Kupersmith, Shauna Breskin, Estelle Dunst.

BOOK CLEANUP

Seeking parent volunteers to help put away books in our library. See Bobbe Reitman to join a rotation.

COMING UP

BOARD MEETING

Sunday April 15 @9:30am.

SCY HIGH YOM HA'ATZMAUT CELEBRATION

Wednesday April 18, 7:00-8:45pm.

info@scyhigh.org or call 858-560-1818

MOISHE'S PIZZA & MORE

This Thursday, April 19, 4:00-7:00pm. Pizza, Fries, Fish & Chips, Soup. (619)817-5914 Dine in or take out.

SOILLE 8TH GRADE DINNER - CHINESE FOOD

Sunday April 22, 4:30-8:00pm at Adat Yeshurun.

FRIENDSHIP WALK

Sunday April 29th, 9:00am @ Liberty Station. "Walk with your Heart" supports the San Diego Friendship Circle.

Register: www.friendshipwalksd.org

SHAVUOT DINNER

Saturday night, May 19. More information to follow.

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, June 3, Soille San Diego Hebrew Day School 55th Anniversary Gala at Liberty Station.

BETH JACOB ANNUAL PICNIC - NEW DATE

Sunday June 10 at Princess Del Cerro Park.



RABBI

Avram Bogopulsky

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THIS WEEK'S TORAH PORTION

Parshat Shmini page 588 in the Stone Chumash

1st & 2nd Aliyot: The Parsha begins on Nissan 1, 2449. The seven-day inauguration of Aharon and his sons was completed and the ceremonies for the Mizbeach's consecration had begun. Over 40 offerings would be brought on that first day, each requiring the direct ministrations of Aharon. Aharon blessed the nation with the standard priestly blessing after which Moshe and Aharon blessed the nation with the special Bracha of Psalm 90.

3rd Aliya: The deaths of Nadav and Avihu are recorded at the very same time that fire descended from heaven to light the Mizbeach. Their cousins removed the bodies of Nadav and Avihu from the courtyard of the Mishkan. Moshe instructs Aharon and his two remaining sons, Elazar and Isamar, that they are forbidden to overtly mourn the deaths of Nadav and Avihu in the standard manner. It is from here that we are taught the standard practices of tearing Kriyah and of mourners not cutting their hair.

4th & 5th Aliyot: Moshe instructs Aharon and his sons to continue the service of the Mizbeach's consecration. The first recorded difference in Halachik rulings is recorded between Moshe and Aharon as it pertained to the eating of the Rosh Chodesh offering. (Note 16-20, Stone Edition ArtScroll pg. 595)

6th Aliya: The basic laws of Kosher and non-Kosher animals, fish, and fowl are recorded. Note that verses 11:4-7 is one of the established proofs for the divine authorship of the Torah.

7th Aliya: The basic laws of purity and impurity are recorded. It is important to clarify that the Torah does not associate "Tummah" impurity and "Taharah" purity with good and bad. The entire process involves the concept of life and death and the symbolic emphasis that the Torah places on serving G-d with optimism and vigor. So long as there is life there is the opportunity to grow in our relationship with G-d.

Haftarah for Shmini - Page 1168 in the Stone Chumash

This week's Haftarah takes place in 2892 – 869 b.c.e. Dovid had captured the City of Dovid from the Yevussi and wished to bring the Aron Hakodesh (Holy Ark) to what would become Yerushalayim. With great fanfare and celebration Dovid was bringing the Aron when Uzah ben Avinadav disgraced the Aron and died. Reminiscent of the deaths of Nadav and Avihu at the consecration of the Mizbeach, the death of Uzah dampened the celebration and the Aron remained in the home of Oved for three months. When Dovid was informed of the tremendous blessings that had graced the home of Oved during those three months Dovid decided that it was appropriate to bring the Aron to Jerusalem.

PLEASE UPDATE SHULCLOUD ACCOUNTS

We are in the process of planning upcoming programming. We ask for updated names and full birthdates of all family members. Email office@bjds.org or login to ShulCloud. Need help with login? Email rand@bjds.org. Thank you.

YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS

RSVP: youth@bjds.org or (619)933-6740

Missmar for girls: Wednesday 4:30-6:15pm

World's Greatest Candy Grab: Saturday night, May 19

FUNDRAISING

BETH JACOB CHAI LEGACY CIRCLE

Legacy: A gift from the **past** that helps create a better **future**. Honor your lifetime of giving by leaving a **future charitable donation of any amount**, designated through your will or living trust. For more information, speak with Rabbi, Rand Levin, Hillary Kleinman or email legacy@bjds.org.

OTHER WAYS TO SUPPORT BETH JACOB

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- Kiddush: Basic \$360 (**co-sponsorships available**)
- Shalosh Seudos: \$180
- Tree of Life Leaf: \$180
- Partners in Torah: \$54
- Lunch & Learn: \$54
- Thursday Night Mishmar: \$36
- Tikkun (Morning of Yahrzeit): \$36
- Rabbi's Weekly Message: \$36
- Sunday Mishnayos Shiur: \$36
- Kinder Congregation Kiddush: \$18
- The Shabbos Weekly Bulletin: \$18
- Beit Midrash drawer - \$100/year or \$1000/lifetime
- Lifetime Main Sanctuary Seat - \$1000

YIZKEREIM: HONOR ISRAEL'S FALLEN

To honor and pay tribute to the soldiers who sacrificed their lives defending and protecting Eretz Yisrael, please do the following

1. Go to: honorisraelfallen.com/group/164, select a fallen soldier (100 to choose from) and pledge a positive action in their memory (Torah study, chesed, tzedakah, or tefila). A virtual candle will light up on the website for each action pledged, to help keep his/her memory alive.

2. By Tuesday April 17, we will send out a link to a special Yom Hazikaron 30-minute film you can watch online or download. We encourage everyone to watch the film in private or in groups and light a complimentary Yizkor candle, available from our office, in memory of Israel's 23,632 fallen soldiers.



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