



## *Rabbi's Message*

In this week's Parsha, Moshe gathers the Jews and relays the Mitzvos of keeping Shabbat and the detailed instructions for building the Mishkon. The people willingly gave their resources and skills, showing an inspiring example of unity and shared purpose.

One of the key lessons we can draw from Vayakhel is the importance of community. Just as the Jews came together to build the Mishkon we too can achieve great things when we work together. Everyone has unique skills and talents to contribute, and when combined, they can create something truly remarkable.

Another significant lesson is the value of rest and reflection. The Shabbat is not just a day of rest, but a day to reconnect with our spirituality and contemplate the wonders of creation. In our fast-paced world we need to slow down and appreciate the world around us.

This week is the first of the 4 extra special

Parshiyos Parshas Shekalim. We take out a second Torah and read from last week's Parsha about the Mitzvah to give half a Shekel to the Beis Hamikdash to join together in the communal sacrifices.

## **Kiddush**

Our Kiddush this week is sponsored by Carole and Howard Bahr in honor of Carole's aunt, Elsie Weiss's 101<sup>st</sup> birthday. Seudat Shelishit is sponsored by Larry Horowitz.

The price for a sponsored kiddush is \$350. The price to sponsor a Seudat Shelishit is \$36.

Please contact David Korman (973-495-9889) or Larry Horowitz (914-282-7171) if you would like to sponsor a future Kiddush or Seudat Shelishit.

## **DOS Membership Directory**

### **FINAL NOTICE!!**

We will be printing our 2024 edition of the DOS Member Directory in the very near future. We ask that our members please check their information within our Shul Directory that can be found on the DOS website for additions or corrections and report any changes to either Sandy Geiger at [sanford.geiger@live.com](mailto:sanford.geiger@live.com) or to Bill Friedman at [wfried1980@gmail.com](mailto:wfried1980@gmail.com) ASAP. Please ensure that you provide any updates not later than MARCH 15th. We will be sending the updated file out to the printer after that date.

If your current directory information is correct, you do not need to contact anyone.  
If you need help logging onto your DOS online account in order to access the Directory, please contact Sandy or Bill for assistance.

Thank you!  
Marcia Rubenstein  
Membership Chairperson

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## **Sisterhood**

Sisterhood most hearted thanks to Henny Bick and Margot Freedman for a WONDERFUL Fashion show. And it could not have been done without those who helped. Yasher Koach to all.

Breakfast on Sunday March 10 at 10 AM. The entire event will be conducted in Hebrew. RSVP requested. See calendar below.

PURIM-----PURIM-----PURIM-----PURIM-----PURIM-----PURIM

HAMANTASH BAKE March 19 in the evening led by our talented bakers Karen Friedman and Larry Horowitz. Make the crust, fill the hamantash, seal it and take it home to bake and enjoy with your family. REGISTRATION REQUIRED

SHALACH MANOT We invite you to send Purim Greetings to all participants in this program. Every participant will have his/her/their name listed on a card given to every participant. You don't want to be left off this list.

Our PURIM SEUDAH is on Sunday March 24 at Oak and Ember-a "fancy" restaurant in Boca Raton, The early bird rate has now expired but there are still some spaces available.

ALL THREE ACTIVITIES ARE APPROACHING CAPACITY ENROLLMENT. You do not want to be left out. Go online and register today.

March 31 Come see a 3D model of the Beit Hamikdash. Capacity limited to 40. Register now.  
Pre-Pesach disposables sales. Silverware plates, bowls and more. We will make your shopping simple and you will help Sisterhood benefit. A win-win for both  
Pre-Pre Pesach Friday night dinner April 12. Registration is open now. Limited to 36.  
Yom HaShoah Program Sunday May 5  
Yom Haatzmaut party May 13  
Full flyers for all events can be found on a shul website under Sisterhood Events.

Good Shabbos from Sisterhood and Marcia.

3/10 at 10	Hebrew Speaking Breakfast	Rina 224-432-3421
3/19 at 7	Hamantash Bake	Karen 973-979-3881
3/23 after services	Shalach Manot	Sharon 201-803-6255
3/24 at 5:30	Purim Seudah	Sheri 732-616-0676
3/31 at 10	Jbrick presents the Beit Hamikdash	Lyn 412-889-3589
4/7 at 10	Disposables sale--kitchen supplies	Esther 224-659-3713
4/12 at 5:30	Pre-Pre-Pesach Fri night dinner	Susan 917-494-5328
5/5 at 10	Yom HaShoah	Margie 410-961-0174
5/13 at 6 pm	Yom Haatzmait	Karen 973-979-3881
6/5 at 7 pm	IsraeliDance for Women-Yom Yerushalayim	Elaine 203-218-3121
6/13 after services	Shavuos dairy kiddush by Sisterhood	Marcia 973-220-8305



## Parshas Vayakhel

### Birthdays, March 9, 2024 – March 15, 2024

Abram Reitblat 3/10  
Aaron Zaretsky 3/13

### Anniversaries, March 9, 2024 – March 15, 2024

No Anniversaries

### Yahrzeits, March 9, 2024 – March 15, 2024

Saturday, March 09, 29 of ADAR I

Father of Lawrence Horowitz, Felix F. Horowitz, MD, Fishel Falk ben Shlomo, Z"L  
Father of Dr Harry Lazarus, Peretz Meir ben Zvi, Z"L

Monday, March 11, 01 of ADAR II

Father-in-law of Louise Klein, Yehuda Arye ben Moshe Yosef, Z"L  
Father of Rochelle Apfelroth, Arthur Braude, Yitzchak Bentzion ben Yesef Mordechai, Z"L  
Uncle of Martin Geiger, Max Israel, Mordechai ben Yitzchak, Z"L

Wednesday, March 13, 03 of ADAR II

Mother-in-law of Rochelle Apfelroth, Sylvia Apfelroth, Zilah bas Avraham, A"H

Friday, March 15, 05 of ADAR II

Father of Leonard Fagan, Daniel Fagan, Dan ben Shlomo Yitzchok, Z"L

## **Parshas Vayakhel**

**Friday, March 8, 2024**

Shacharis .....	7:30AM
Candle Lighting .....	6:07PM
Mincha/Ma'ariv .....	6:15PM

### **SHABBOS**

Shacharis .....	9:00AM
Rabbi's Gemora Shiur .....	5:10PM
Mincha .....	5:55PM
Ma'ariv .....	6:56PM
Havdalah .....	7:00PM

**SUNDAY-THURSDAY**

Shacharis .....	7:30AM
Mincha/Ma'ariv .....	6:03PM

**Friday, March 15, 2024**

Shacharis .....	7:30AM
Candle Lighting .....	7:11PM
Mincha/Ma'ariv .....	6:29PM