



Young Israel Congregation Shmooze News

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PESACH, April 20-April 27, 2019

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החדש הזה לכם ראש חדשים

“This month shall be unto you the beginning of the months (of the year)” – Sh’mos 12:2

The Talmud interprets the word לַכֶּם (unto you) as meaning that the Sanhedrin (Great Rabbinical Court) has the authority to establish and regulate the calendar, to vary the length of the months or declare an extra month to make a leap year as it sees fit. Some commentators interpret “unto you” to mean that this mitzvah gives man mastery over time. This concept has never been as relevant as in our era: Man’s technological genius has had interesting consequences. On the one hand, we have more time-saving devices than ever before, such as jet aircraft, instant foods, microwave cooking, email, instant messaging and smart phones, etc. But rather than man becoming master over time, he has actually become its slave. The ability to get things done fast has resulted in the expectation that everything should have been done yesterday, and the pressure to get things done fast has greatly increased. Many people fall into the category of “type A personality” which describes the person who is dominated by time, deadlines and exacting schedules. This enslavement by time may well be the single greatest factor in the increase of heart disease, high blood pressure and stroke. There is, obviously, great significance in the fact that the very first mitzvah given to the

Friday, Shabbos

Siyum bechorim at 7:00AM minyan

Eat Chametz until 10:47AM

Burn Chametz by 12:04PM

Candle Lighting 7:28PM

Mincha/Kabbalas
Shabbos, Maariv 7:30PM

Early Minyan 8:00AM

Shacharis 9:00AM

Shabbos Mincha 7:25PM

Shiur between Mincha & Maariv

Candle lighting not before 8:31PM

Weekday

Shacharis Chol Hamoed

Mon - Thur 7:00AM & 8:00AM

Mincha

Sun-Thurs 7:35PM

Thursday Yom Tov

Candle Lighting 7:31PM



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The weekly Shmooze News is dedicated by:

Jack & Susan Gluck in memory of Milton & Edith Gluck z”l and Nicholas Brecher z”l;

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Aaron & Susan Weinberg in memory of Jack & Helen Weinberg z”l
and Morris & Nellie Fischer z”l.

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Jewish people at the time of their emancipation was to be masters over time. There are many things that we do in the interest of time rather than truly in our own best interest. We may take risks in traffic to save seconds which are really not that important, we may stress ourselves in running to catch elevators or buses, and we may push ourselves more than our bodies can tolerate. A person, if not careful, may be guilty of selling himself into slavery by the ring of every email. While some constraints of time are unavoidable, we often allow ourselves to be unnecessarily dominated by time. Therefore, the mitzvah of establishing a calendar or regulating your time should be לַכֶּמֶת, for your own best interest.

(Sefer - Living each week)

Wishing you a Chag Sameach!
Rabbi Moshe Gruenstein

Friday Erev Pesach April 19		<u>Shacharis</u> 7:00/8:00	Siyum for Bechorim after 7:00AM Minyan	Eat chametz until 10:47am	Burn Chametz by 12:04pm	Candle Lighting 7:28	Mincha 7:30	Shiur between Mincha/Maariv
יום א פסח Shabbos April 20		<u>Shacharis</u> 8:00/9:00 Tefilas Tal	<u>Mincha</u> 7:25	Shiur between Mincha/Maariv		Candle lighting not before 8:31		
יום ב פסח Sunday April 21		<u>Shacharis</u> 8:00/9:00	<u>Mincha</u> 7:35	Shiur between Mincha/Maariv		Havdalah, no wine or spices 8:32		
Chol Hamoed Pesach		<u>Shacharis</u> 7:00/8:00	<u>Mincha</u> 7:35					
Thursday April 25 Eruv Tavshilin		Candle Lighting 7:31	<u>Mincha</u> 7:35	Shiur between Mincha/Maariv				
Friday שביעי של פסח April 26		<u>Shacharis</u> 8:00/9:00	<u>Mincha</u> 7:35	Candle Lighting 7:31		Shiur between Mincha/Maariv		
Shabbos אחרון של פסח April 27 Shir Hashirim		<u>Shacharis</u> 8:00/9:00	Yizkor Approx 10:30	<u>Mincha</u> 7:30	Shiur between Mincha/Maariv		Havdalah 8:35	Wait 1 hour After Shabbos to eat Chametz you sold

Pesach Schedule

Pesach schedule is available at the Shul and on our website. To view, click on the link below

https://images.shulcloud.com/689/uploads/HolidaysShabbos_info/Schedule-Pesach-5779.pdf

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- Mondays at 10:30AM – Ladies Tehillim Group in the Beis Midrash.
- Daf Yomi with Rabbi Aryeh Citron Sunday-Friday after Shacharis.

Congregational Family and Shul News

- Last week's Kiddush was sponsored by Susan & Aaron Weinberg, wishing the entire congregation a chag kasher v'samech!

Refuah Sheleimah

- We wish refuah sheleimah to Allen Packer, Minnie Schraga.

Youth Program

- We are launching a new program connecting Youth to spend time with Seniors in our community and learn from them. Any Youth as well as Seniors interested in signing up or for more information, please email RabbiFried@YICBH.org. All others are encouraged to submit/recommend names via email as well.
- High School teens are invited to Learning and Frozen Yogurt every Wednesday night. Please check for weekly timing and location details.
- Any teen that would like to get more involved with advocating for Israel by being a part of a weekly Israel Advocacy meeting on Mondays, please speak to Rabbi Fried.

Dear Friends,

I am sure we are all aware of the measles outbreak in New York and New Jersey and many other states and foreign countries. It goes without saying that according to the law of our land, all children are to be vaccinated for measles and all other diseases mandated by the Pediatric Medical Association. This is the law, and this is also the halacha, as stated unequivocally by the leading rabbinical authorities of our time. Those who fail to do so place themselves and others at great risk. As we approach zman cheruseinu, let us allow everyone to feel safe and comfortable in our Shul and community as we celebrate the beautiful Yom Tov of Pesach together.

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Yahrzeits April 20 – May 3, 2019

15 NISAN	Roberta Geula for her mother, Bella Kono, on Shabbos, Apr. 20
16 NISAN	Stanley Reiter for his father, Daniel I Reiter, on Sunday, Apr. 21
16 NISAN	Bonnie Spira for her father, Moshe, on Sunday, Apr. 21
16 NISAN	Ellen Adelsberg for her mother, on Sunday, Apr. 21
17 NISAN	Howard Langer for his mother, Chaya Dina, on Monday, Apr. 22
17 NISAN	Paul Bermanski for his mother, Sarah Bermanski, on Monday, Apr. 22
17 NISAN	Shabtai Plutno for his father, Herman Plutno, on Monday, Apr. 22
18 NISAN	Morris Kaplan for his father, Nachman Kaplan, on Tuesday, Apr. 23
19 NISAN	Nochum Aber for his mother, Teme bat Nachum, on Wednesday, Apr. 24
19 NISAN	Martin Kessler for his father, Louis J. Kessler, on Wednesday, Apr. 24
20 NISAN	Lois Rosengarten for her husband, Harold Rosengarten, on Thursday, Apr. 25
22 NISAN	Ricardo Berner for his grandfather, Nisel ben Mordechai, on Shabbos, Apr. 27
23 NISAN	Mitchell Kirschner for his father, Menachem, on Sunday, Apr. 28
24 NISAN	Jerry Gontownik for his brother, Shalom Gontownik, on Monday, Apr. 29
26 NISAN	Heshy Freundlich for his mother, Irene Freundlich, Liba Feiga bas Yekusiel Tzvi, on Wednesday, May 1
26 NISAN	Martin Packer, Allen Packer, Phyllis Franklin for their mother, Esther Rose Packer, on Wednesday, May 1
27 NISAN	Haim Marcovici for his father, Dovid Zvi Marcovici, on Thursday, May 2
27 NISAN	Rose Leventhal for her mother, Chaya Frieda, on Thursday, May 2

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Now that your children and relatives are in town for the Chag, it's a great time to ask a 5th question: are you registered to vote? More voters in our community means a more powerful voice for Jewish day school funding. It takes less than five minutes to register online at teachcoalition.org/fl/vote. How about requesting a mail-in-ballot? One person can request online for an entire family (including in-laws and sibling in-laws) at teachcoalition.org/fl/vote-by-mail. Contact teachflorida@teachcoalition.org with questions and Chag Kasher V'Sameach.

If you are interested in sponsoring Kiddush or Seudah Shlishis, please contact Yakira at (305) 866-0203 or Max Dekelbaum (240) 832-5054

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