



Young Israel Congregation Shmooze News

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Last days of Pesach, April 3, 2021

President Menno Ratzker

SHABBAT SHALOM!
PLEASE STAY SAFE AND TAKE CARE OF YOURSELVES.

Shvii and Acharon Pesach.



"היום אתם יוצאים בחדש האביב"

"TODAY YOU ARE GOING FORTH IN THE MONTH OF AVIV (SPRING) (*Shmos 13:4*)"

The Jewish people suffered in Egypt unimaginable horrors. When the Al-mighty freed them from bondage, the Jewish people must have felt an overwhelming sense of ecstasy. Do you think it would make a difference to them if they left in bad weather? Imagine concentration camp inmates being liberated by Allied Forces. Would it make an iota of difference to them if the weather was less than favorable? Would they have minded walking through a snowfall to their freedom? To our Father in heaven, it did make a difference. G-d wanted to show how much he loved the Jewish people and that even though he performed so many miracles for them, he wanted the Jewish people to leave when the

Friday/Shabbos

Candle Lighting	7:20PM
Mincha	7:25PM
Shabbos Morning	8:00/9:00/
3 Minyanim	9:45AM
Mincha	7:20PM
Candle lighting not before	8:23PM

Please see Pesach schedule on P. 2

Those davening at home during the week, can connect by zoom with the davening in shul at 7:00AM minyan

Weekday

Sunday Havdalah	8:24PM
	No fire No spices
Shacharis	
Mon-Fri	7:00AM-8:00AM
Mincha	
Mon – Thu	7:25PM
	In The Young Israel



The weekly Shmooze News is dedicated by:

Jack & Susan Gluck in memory of Milton & Edith Gluck z"l ;

Nicholas & Margaret Brecher z"l;

Penny Harris in memory of Arnold & Myrtle Mullens z"l and Stuart Harris z"l;

Aaron & Susan Weinberg in memory of Jack & Helen Weinberg z"l

and Morris & Nellie Fischer z"l.

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weather was beautiful. As Rashi says, "See the kindness he has done for you, that he brought you forth in a month when it is not too hot or too cold or too rainy." Could the Jewish people, inundated by this enormous deluge of kindness from G-d, focus on and appreciate this extra "bonus" the Al-mighty bestowed upon them? From Rashi we see the amazing capacity that man has to recognize and feel gratitude. Even in the midst of the most glorious redemption in history, every Jew possessed a measuring apparatus so delicately calibrated that it registered every detail of G-d's kindness. This amazing ability and the resultant responsibility to show gratitude is shared by every person in every generation. If we simply spend a few moments every day contemplating the unending flow of goodness bestowed upon us by G-d, our lives would be transformed. Pesach is a time of Hakoras Hatov, of recognizing the good G-d does not only for our nation as a whole, but for all of us as individuals as well.

Shabbat Shalom and have a sweet and inspiring Pesach.

PESACH SCHEDULE

Friday Night 7th day of Pesach April 2:

Friday Candle Lighting: 7:20PM

Mincha: 7:25PM

Shabbos 7th day of Pesach:

Shacharis 8:00/9:00/9:45

Mincha: 7:20PM

Candle lighting not before 8:23PM

Sunday last day of Pesach

Shacharis 8:00/9:00/9:45

Mincha: 7:30PM

Havdalah: 8:24PM No fire No spices

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Schedule

- The Daf Yomi shiur is now being given live via Zoom. Please note the new Zoom info for the Daf Yomi: Meeting ID: 873 8224 2928 - Passcode: 613613
7:20AM Monday to Friday.

Congregational Family and Shul News

- A warm welcome to our new members, Alissa & Steven Grill and Jessica & Robert Bernstein.

Refuah Sheleimah

- We wish refuah sheleimah to Ginette Dekelbaum, Allan Krieger, and Allen Packer.

PESACH YIZKOR

This is just a reminder that we will once again have three Schacharis minyanim for each of the final two days of Pesach -- at 8:00, 9:00, and 9:45 AM.

Also, Yizkor will be said on the last day of Pesach, with the estimated times of:

9:15 at the 8:00 minyan

10:15 at the 9:00 minyan

11:00 at the 9:45 minyan

As has been our tradition, we plan to have a brief Yizkor Appeal at each minyan, to give those in attendance an opportunity to donate in memory of loved ones who have passed away.

For those who are away and would still like to donate to the Yizkor appeal, please contact the office or send in your donation.

Your support is always greatly appreciated.

We are pleased to advise that the visits of the three candidates will commence right after Pesach. Starting on April 8, we will enjoy the visit of Rabbi Yisroel Gottlieb for a long weekend, followed by Rabbi Gidon Moskovitz on April 15, and followed by the visit of Rabbi David Cohen on April 22.

Please reserve these dates. We will provide further specific details such as dinners, meetings, etc. in the next few weeks.

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Yahrzeits April 3 – April 9, 2021

22 NISAN	Ricardo Berner for his grandfather, Nisel ben Mordechai, on Sunday, Apr. 4
23 NISAN	Mitchell Kirschner for his father, Menachem, on Monday, Apr. 5
24 NISAN	Jerry Gontownik for his brother, Sidney Nathan Gontownik, on Tuesday, Apr. 6
26 NISAN	Heshy Freundlich for his mother, Irene Freundlich, on Thursday, Apr. 8
26 NISAN	Martin Packer, Allen Packer, Phyllis Franklin for their mother, Esther Rose Packer, on Thursday, Apr. 8
26 NISAN	Joe Baum for his father, Charles Baum, on Thursday, Apr. 8
26 NISAN	Ellen Koppel for her father, Robert Kramer, on Thursday, Apr. 8
27 NISAN	Haim Marcovici for his father, Hershel Marcovici, on Friday, Apr. 9
27 NISAN	Rose Leventhal for her mother, Chaya Frieda, on Friday, Apr. 9
27 NISAN	Jerry Gontownik for his sister, Chaya Gontownik, on Friday, Apr. 9

Please report any errors or omissions to Dr. Jared Plitt at jared@drplitt.com or to yakira@yicbh.org

Eruv Bal Harbour: While the Eruv in Surfside includes both walking paths, in Bal Harbour the Eruv only includes the inner (western) walking path. The pier at Haulover Cut is not included. We would like to emphasize that every Erev Shabbos, individuals should call the Eruv Hotline to make sure that the Eruv is operational prior to carrying on Shabbos. The number is 305-866-ERUV (3788). The Eruv message is recorded approximately two hours prior to Candle Lighting. Miami Beach Eruv web page: www.miamibeacheruv.com

Yahrzeit Plaques Available

If you are interested in purchasing a permanent satin brass Yahrzeit Plaque for a dearly departed loved one on our beautiful, automated Yahrzeit memorial displays in our main sanctuary, please contact David Herman or the Young Israel office. To order a plaque online, please use the website www.yiplaques.com

The Refuah Fund provides meals for families that are experiencing an illness or sitting Shiva. Please donate directly to the Young Israel indicating on your check, or alternative payment, that it is specifically for the Refuah Fund. Special thanks to Susan Gluck and Susan Packer for establishing and continuing this very important mitzvah. Thanks for everyone who already contributed to the Refuah fund!

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