



Young Israel Congregation Shmooze News

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Parshas Shelach, June 20, 2020

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

**Shabbos Mevarchim Chodesh Tammuz
Rosh Chodesh will be Monday & Tuesday**

וטפכם אשר אמרתם לבז יהיה והביאתי אתם וידעו את הארץ אשר
מאסתם בה

**“And your young children of whom you said they will be
taken captive, I shall bring them; they shall know the land
that you despised.” Bamidbar 14:31**

The question is asked, granted the spies lacked faith in G-d’s word that He would enable the Jewish people to conquer the land, but where do you see that they despised the land of Israel! Maybe they loved it but were just afraid they couldn’t conquer it.” Rav Avrohom Pam zt”l answers this question with the following Halachic principle. The Talmud says that you cannot give a gift to an unborn child. Such a transaction is not valid. However, the exception to that rule is that a father can transfer a gift to his unborn child. What is the difference between a father and someone else? Explains Rav Pam, the reason a gift is not binding to a fetus is because the donor’s intention is not wholehearted. Not every fetus is viable, it may not survive and if it does, there is a risk of birth damage and the child will not be able to use the gift.

Shabbos

Candle Lighting 7:25PM/7:57PM
Mincha/Kabbalas 7:00 PM
Shabbos

Shabbos afternoon

Mincha 7:55 PM
Shiur between Mincha and Maariv
Havdalah 9:00 PM

Those davening at home during the week, can connect by zoom with the davening in shul

Weekday

Talmud Shiur

Sun-Fri 7:25 AM

Mincha

Sun-Thu 6:35 PM
in The Young Israel.

Next Fri candle lighting 7:58 PM



The weekly Shmooze News is dedicated by:
Jack & Susan Gluck in memory of Milton & Edith Gluck z”l ;
Nicholas & Margaret Brecher z”l;
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Therefore, these doubts cause the donor's gift to be nonbinding. A father is different. He has such intense love for the child that the possibility of anything going wrong does not enter his mind. His gift to the unborn child is absolute and that makes a binding transaction. The takeaway lesson from here is that when there is a deep love, one does not think or see what might go wrong. If the spies truly loved the land of Israel, they would never have come back with a negative report. As King Solomon says in Proverbs 10:12, "Love covers up all defects." This concept is especially true in interpersonal relationships. Many times, the reason we find fault with people is because we don't have a great love for them in the first place. If we truly loved people, we wouldn't be so quick to see their faults. The sin of the spies took place on the ninth day of the month of Av. This sin is what eventually led to the future destruction of our Holy Temple. As our sages tell us, the Bais Hamikdash was destroyed because of Sinas Chinam (baseless hatred), which in turn causes Machlokes (fights/arguments), which is devastating to the Jewish people. A little more Ahavas Chinam (indiscriminate love) is the antidote we need to rectify the sin of the spies and bring the redemption of our people and the coming of Moshiach, may he come speedily in our days.

Wishing you an inspiring Shabbos!
With much blessing and love,
Rabbi Moshe Gruenstein

For those davening at home over Shabbos, please see below for the schedule of approximate times and associated notes:

Friday Evening

- *Candle Lighting: 7:25 PM/7:57 PM*
- *Early Mincha: 7:00 PM*
- *Lecha Dodi: Approx. 7:30 PM; let us all sing together (on balcony, outside home, etc.)*
- *Say Vayechulu after Shemonah Esrei, but do not say the next three paragraphs.*

Shabbos Morning

- *Schacharis: 9:00 AM*
- *Do not say Vayehi Binsoa and Berich Shmei (the prayers for taking out the Torah)*
- *Note: It is appropriate to read both the parsha and the haftorah during the day*
- *Parsha: Shelach, p. 798 in Stone Chumash.*
- *Haftorah: P.1184 in Stone Chumash.*
- *Say first paragraph of Yekum Purkan; do not say the next two paragraphs*
- *Say Birchas Hachodesh for Tammuz (Yom Sheini & Yom Shlishi)*
- *Do not say Av Harachamim*
- *Do not say Mizmor L'David and U'venucha Yomar*

Shabbos Afternoon

- *Mincha: 7:55 PM, followed by seudah shlishis*
- *Say Tzidkuscha Tzedek*
- *Havdalah: 9:00 PM*

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Schedule

- Monday – Pirkei Avos via Zoom 7:15PM
- Wednesday - Navi Class via Zoom: 7:15PM
- Thursday – Shiur on the Parsha/Shabbos message 7:15PM
- Note: Zoom link sent out by email to entire membership
- All those interested in joining the group that receives Rabbi Citron's Daf Yomi Shiurim, can do so via the WhatsApp link by clicking [here](#).

Congregational Family and Shul News

- Mazel Tov to Dr Michael Messing on the birth of his granddaughter. Mazel Tov to the parents, Miriam & Aaron Rackoff.
- Mazel Tov to Robbye & Michael Henesch on the forthcoming marriage of their grandson Dovi Henesch to Mariam Kohn.
- A warm welcome to our new members Sarah & Charles Kalchman.

Refuah Sheleimah

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



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Yahrzeits June 20 – June 26, 2020

28 SIVAN	Stephen Jacobson for his mother, Miriam Jacobson, on Shabbos, June 20
28 SIVAN	Maxine Jacobson for her father, Chaim Neamtan, on Shabbos, June 20
2 TAMMUZ	Fred Farbman for his brother, Sam Farbman, on Wednesday, June 24
2 TAMMUZ	Max Dekelbaum for his father, Leo Dekelbaum, on Wednesday, June 24
2 TAMMUZ	Adrienne Cooper for her grandmother, Marion Geer, on Wednesday, June 24
4 TAMMUZ	Stephen Opert for his father, Yischak Opert, on Friday, June 26
4 TAMMUZ	Adrienne Cooper for her father, Irving Cooper, on Friday, June 26

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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

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