



# A LEAP OF Faith

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SHAVUOT 5783 AT CONGREGATION KETER TORAH



Erev Shavuot

Thursday, May 25

7:57pm – Candle Lighting

8:00pm – Mincha

**1<sup>st</sup> Night of  
Shavuot  
Thursday,  
May 25**

**Pre-Ma'ariv Shiur • Rabbi Michael Bleicher**  
The Psychology and Challenge of Maintaining **Faith**

## Tikun Leil Shavuot

**11:15pm Early-Bird Shiur**  
**Rabbi Baum**  
*Bayit Ne'eman BeYisrael:*  
Building and Nurturing **Faith**  
in our Homes

**12:15am • Rabbi Wein**  
Was Our Grandparents'  
**Faith** Sufficient? Reflections  
from Gush Katif, the Kotel, &  
Teaneck

**1:30am • Rabbi Israeli**  
**Faith** & Effort: In Tension or  
in Tandem?

**2:30am • Hot food break**  
*Dairy & parve refreshments will be  
available throughout the night.*

**3:00am • Dr. Daniel Rynhold**  
Inter**faith** Relations from  
London to Dubai: What  
Would the Rav Say?

**4:00am • Rabbi Yehuda Willig**  
Complex but Critical:  
Halakhic Guidelines for  
Dealing with Jews Who Don't  
Have **Faith**

**4:55am • Shacharit**

**College Shiur for Women with Rabbi Israeli**  
11:30pm at the Grossman Residence

**6th-8th Grade All-Night Learning**  
11:15pm–4:50am

## Friday, May 26 – First Day Yom Tov

4:55am, 7:30am, 9:00am & 9:15am – Shacharit

There will be no youth groups, Junior Congregation, or Torah Tots on the first day of Shavuot. All will resume at their regular times on the second day. Teen Minyan will take place on Friday at 4:55am and on Shabbat at 9:30am.

### 1<sup>st</sup> Day of Shavuot Friday, May 26

4:45pm • Parent/Grandparent & Child  
Learning  
with Rabbi Baum and Rabbi Wein  
(Followed by the Youth Dinner Program)

6:15pm • Special Dialogue Between  
Rabbi Baum and Rabbi Wein  
Daas Torah and **Faith** in Our Sages: When  
Even Rabbis Ask Rabbis

4:45pm – Parent /Grandparent & Child Learning with Rabbi Baum and Rabbi Wein

6:10pm – Daf Yomi

6:15pm – Special Dialogue between Rabbi Baum and Rabbi Wein

7:58pm – Candle Lighting

7:00pm & 8:05pm – Mincha / Kabbalat Shabbat

(Families who daven at the 7:00pm Mincha should light candles by 7:15pm)

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Day of Shavuot Shabbat, May 27

8:30am • Rabbi Baum • Megillat Rut  
**Faith** In the Needy

Post-Hashkama Shiur • Rabbi Noah Gardenswartz  
Celebrating our **Faith** in Two Torot on Shavuot

6:15pm Shiur • Yael Weil  
**Faith** by Numbers: The Significance of the  
Ten Commandments

7:00pm Shiur • Becky Katz  
Creating Moments of **Faith**:  
Recharging Our Connections with Hashem

Following Mincha at 7:50pm: Kumzitz/Seuda  
Led by our baalei tefilla with remarks from the Rabbinical team on:  
Infusing **Faith**, Spirituality, & Meaning into Talmud Torah



## Shabbat Morning, May 27 – Second Day Yom Tov

7:30am, 9:00am & 9:15am – Shacharit Megillat Ruth and Yizkor

8:30am – Shiur Rabbi Baum on Megillat Rut

Post-Hashkama Shiur Rabbi Noah Gardenswartz

9:11am – Latest Shma

9:15am – Junior Congregation, Youth Groups: Nursery, Pre-K, Kindergarten, grades 1-2 & 3-4

9:30am – Teen Minyan

10:30am – Torah Tots

### Shabbat Afternoon

1:35pm – Early Mincha

6:15pm – Shiur by Yael Weil

7:00pm – Shiur by Becky Katz

7:00pm – Daf Yomi

7:50pm – Mincha Seuda / Kumzitz / Divrei Torah

9:07pm – Shabbat Ends



**We thank the following families for helping to make Shavuot beautiful and meaningful by sponsoring the Tikun Leil Shavuot learning and refreshments and learning throughout Shavuot**

**Thank you to Dalia & Ed Stelzer for their vision, and their personal involvement in the program.**

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l'iluy nishmat Rebecca's father, Harav Ovadiah ben Chaim Dovid, Rabbi Aivadia Rosenberg, z"l

## YOUTH SHAVUOT SCHEDULE

**THURSDAY NIGHT, MAY 25**  
**6-7-8 GRADE TIKUN LEIL SHAVUOT LEARNING PROGRAM**

**FRIDAY, MAY 26 - FIRST DAY SHAVUOT**  
**NO TORAH TOTS, YOUTH GROUPS OR JUNIOR CONGREGATION**  
**4:55AM TEEN MINYAN**

**AFTERNOON PROGRAMING FOR NURSERY THROUGH FIFTH GRADE**

**4:45-5:20PM PARENT CHILD LEARNING WITH PRIZES**  
**5:20-5:40PM MEAT DINNER**  
**5:40-6:00PM LEARNING**  
**NURSERY, PRE-K & KINDERGARTEN WITH RABBI WEIN**  
**FIRST THROUGH FIFTH GRADE WITH RABBI BAUM**  
**6:00-6:20PM ICES DESSERT**

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED: [KETORTORAH.ORG/FORM/YOUTHSHAVUOTPROGRAM.HTML](https://KETORTORAH.ORG/FORM/YOUTHSHAVUOTPROGRAM.HTML)

**SHABBAT, MAY 27- SECOND DAY SHAVOUT**  
**REGULAR MORNING YOUTH PROGRAMMING**  
**TEEN MINYAN AT 9:30AM**

## For Middle School Boys and Girls

**Location: Back Classroom**

### Shavuot Learning Schedule

<b>11:15 PM</b> <b>The Bracha on Ice Cream Sandwiches</b> Ora Hochberg	<b>12:00 AM</b> <b>Midnight Snack</b> A special treat!
<b>12:30 AM</b> <b>The Extra Mile: How Ruth's Acts of Chessed Apply in 2023?</b> Yosef Silfen	<b>1:15 AM</b> <b>Mid(dle of the) Night Snack</b> All your favorite snacks...
<b>1:30 AM</b> <b>JEOPARDY</b> A fun game with fun prizes! Pay attention to the first two learning slots for some answers.	<b>2:30 AM</b> <b>HOT FOOD</b>
<b>3:15 AM</b> <b>Question Prep</b> Avi Rothwachs	<b>3:55 AM</b> <b>Ask the Rabbi With Rabbi Wein</b>
<b>4:55 AM</b> <b>SHACHARIT</b>	

For questions, comments, and sponsorship opportunities  
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## Mazal Tov

- To Amy & Dan Brody on the upcoming marriage of their son, Natan, to Sarah Epstein, daughter of Ilana & Jeffrey Epstein. Mazal Tov to grandparents Geraldine & Dr. Martin Brody, Elaine & Dr. Marc Lowen, Joyce & Charles Matkowsky and Marion & Gil Epstein.
- To Sharon & Zvi Sebwrow on the upcoming marriage of their son, Hillel, to Cheryl Smerling, daughter of Debbie & Arthur Smerling of New Rochelle.
- To Jennifer & Tzvi Seidel on the upcoming marriage of their son, Jonathan, to Jordana Schiff, daughter of Sari & Robby Schiff. Mazal Tov to grandparents Diane Wolf and Sara Seidel.
- To Bruchie & Moshe Goldstein on the engagement of their daughter, Dr. Tova Goldstein, to Jacob Kalatizadeh, son of Sarah & Joseph Kalatizadeh of Great Neck. Mazal Tov to grandparents Bette & Naftoli Goldstein.
- To Steven Schneider on his engagement to Grace Fern, Chana Ruth, of Irvine, California.
- To Chary & Steve Fox and Yossi Ollo and family on the birth of a granddaughter, to parents Lia & Dr. Moshe Fox.

## Kiddushim on Shabbat, 2nd Day of Shavuot, Sponsored by

- Gila Cohen & Matias Davidovsky.
- Rabbi Hillel Gold with gratitude to Hashem for the zechut of joining my family and living in Eretz Yisrael, and for completing the Yad Vashem guiding course and commencing my new duties as a Yad Vashem tour guide.
- The Rotenberg and Wittenberg families in honor of Scott's birthday.
- Etti & Chaim Schaap to commemorate the yartzeit of Etti's mother, Tzipporah bat Noach V' Miriam, Cyla Hochberg, z"l.
- Steven Schneider in celebration of his engagement to Grace Fern, Chana Ruth.
- Elana & Seth Winslow in honor of Rabbi Baum and Rabbi Wein.

## Thank You

- To all CSS members who volunteer their time daily to protect our Shul.

## June Calendar

- To view the June calendar, [click here](#).

## Eli Beer – Shabbat, June 3

- On Shabbat afternoon, June 3, at 7:00pm, and at Seuda Shlishit following Mincha at 7:55pm, Eli Beer, Founder and President of United Hatzalah of Israel, will provide an update on the situation in Israel, sharing stories from the field and discussing his new book, *90 Seconds: The Epic Story of Eli Beer and United Hatzalah*.

## ATARA's Pre-Shavuot Flower Arrangement Workshop





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**Dr. Rona Novick**

Rona Novick, PhD, a clinical child psychologist, is the Dean of the Azrieli Graduate School of Jewish Education and Administration of Yeshiva University, as well as an Associate Clinical Professor of Child Psychology at North Shore-Long Island Jewish Medical Center. She has written and edited books about raising children and is a published author of children's books.



**Monday, June 5, 8:15PM**

At the home of Aliza & Daniel Bochner  
20 Cameron Road, Bergenfield

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### Join This Week's Shiurim

- **Daf Yomi** – Sunday and Monday at 7:05am; Tuesday through Friday at 6:30am
- **Rabbi Baum's Tefilla Shiur** – Wednesday following the 7:15am minyan; in person and via WhatsApp, email and podcast
- **Parsha Shiur with Yael Weil** – Wednesday at 10:30am, in-person and via Zoom; Meeting ID: 842 0873 2809; Passcode: 611753
- **Studying the Siddur with Rabbi Willig** – Wednesday via WhatsApp
- **Mishmar with Rabbi Wein** – Wednesday at 8:30pm
- **Daf a Week Project with Rabbi Baum** – Studying Masechet Ketubot; via WhatsApp and email

### Recordings of Shiurim

- Recording of Rabbi Baum's [Tefilla Shiur](#) and [source sheet](#)
- Recording of Yael Weil's [Megillat Rut Shiur](#) and [source sheet](#)
- Recording of [Studying the Siddur](#) with Rabbi Willig
- Recordings of Daf Hashavua with Rabbi Baum on [Ketubot Daf 35](#)

## Weekday Minyanim

### Shacharit

Sunday & Monday (**Memorial Day**)

Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday

Thursday

8:00am & 9:00am

6:00am, 6:55am, 7:15am & 8:10am

5:50am, 6:45am, 7:15am & 8:10am

### Mincha / Ma'ariv

Sunday through Thursday – 8:05pm

## Thank You to Our Learning and Shiur Sponsors

Day of Learning	In memory of
Malka & David Abrahams and Esther & Jerry Friedman	Malka and Esther's father, Yoel Baruch ben Yisrael Yitzchak, Yale Raul, z"l
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Rabbi Baum's Parsha Shiur	In memory of
Laurie Baumel & Manny Litchman	Laurie's father, Moshe Mordechai ben Eliezer, Martin Baumel, z"l
Keter Torah Al haTorah Chavurah	In memory of
Rabbi Meier Brueckheimer and family	Hindel bat Elyakim HaKohen, Helen Brueckheimer, z"l
Rabbi Baum's Tefilla Shiur	
Shiur, coffee, and pastries by Lazy Bean Café	
Yael Weil's Parshat Hashavua Shiur	In memory of
Gail & Binyamin Rieder	Alisa Flatow, z"l, HY"D
Mishmar	In memory of
Bassie & Adam Lewis	Adam's mother, Rachel bat Aharon, Leonie Lewis, z"l, and Bassie's brother, Pesach Tzvi ben Yehoshua Asher HaKohen, Robby Cohen, z"l
Shabbat Table Bootcamp with Rabbi Baum	In memory of
Elana & Marc Rothenberg and Rachel Feiner	Elana and Rachel's father, Azriel ben Yaacov Feiner, z"l

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