



Thursday, March 21 (Adar II 11)

Taanit Esther

5:44am Fast Starts

Shacharit 6:00am, 6:45am, 7:45am

7:00am Men's Daf Yomi

6:40pm Mincha & Maariv

7:50pm Fast Ends

Friday, March 22 (Adar II 12)

Shacharit 6:10, 7:00, 8:00 (all in Main Shul)

7:00am Men's Daf Yomi

6:45pm Sephardic Minyan

6:53pm Candle Lighting

7:05pm Mincha - Maariv, with musical

Kabbalat Shabbat led by Yehuda Prero

Shabbat, March 23 (Adar II 13)

Erev Purim, Parshat Zachor, Vayikra

7:30am Hashkama in Bet Medrash

9:15am Shacharit with Special Visit by

Ron Segev, survivor of the Nova Festival

9:15am Youth Groups in School Building

Purim in Persia Kiddush following Davening

Zachor read at 10:20a, 11:35a, 12:15p, 6:30p

5:40pm Shabbat Series: Esther

6:35pm Mincha

6:55pm Seudah Shlishit

7:55pm Maariv

8:02pm Megillah & Havdalah

8:45pm Melave Malke

9:30pm Late Megillah

Sunday, March 24 (Adar II 14)

Purim

7:30am Minyan & Megillah in Main Shul

9:00am Men's Daf Yomi

9:00am Minyan & Megillah in Main Shul

10:00am Youth Hamantaschen Bake

11:15am Late Megillah

1:30pm Early Mincha

4:30pm Early Mincha

7:05pm Zman Mincha Maariv

Monday, March 25 (Adar II 15)

Shushan Purim

Shacharit 6:00am, 6:50am, 7:50am

6:00pm He'Brew Reading Course

7:00am Men's Daf Yomi

7:05pm Zman Mincha Maariv

7:30pm Mishmar: The Rav

Tuesday, March 26 (Adar II 16)

Shacharit 6:10am, 7:00am, 8:00am

7:00am Men's Daf Yomi

7:05pm Zman Mincha Maariv

7:30pm TNLP on Zoom

7:30pm Siddur Series: Shemoneh Esrei

Wednesday, March 27 (Adar II 17)

Shacharit 6:10am, 7:00am, 8:00am

7:00am Men's Daf Yomi

6:30pm Conversion Classes

7:05pm Zman Mincha Maariv

Thursday, March 28 (Adar II 18)

Shacharit 6:00am, 6:50am, 7:50am

7:00am Men's Daf Yomi

7:05pm Zman Mincha Maariv

Friday, March 29 (Adar II 19)

Shacharit 6:10am, 7:00am, 8:00am

7:00am Men's Daf Yomi

6:50pm Sephardic Minyan

7:00pm Candle Lighting

7:10pm Zman Mincha Maariv

HAPPY PURIM FROM OZ!

Thank you to all who participated in this year Mishloach Manot campaign! Packages will be available for pick-up during Office Hours on Thursday and Friday, and Saturday Night & Sunday

SAVE THE DATE FOR APRIL 8 – CELEBRATE & RSVP AT WWW.OZNY.ORG/ANNUALDINNER

Rabbi Allen & Alisa Schwartz - The Legacy Award in recognition of 36 Years of Service

Ilana Katz – The Max Rosenbaum & Maurice Schauer Gemilus Chesed Award

Joseph & Rachel Offenbacher – The Nathan K. Gross Community Service Award

David & Elizabeth Schoen – The Congregation Ohab Zedek Alumni Award



THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS!

Purim in Persia Kiddush is sponsored by Blair Muss & Eddie Izso, in memory of Malka bat Baruch z'l loved the holiday of Purim and the joy it brought her; Percy Deift & Rebecca Davis in memory of Percy's mother Rose Deift - Shoshana bat Zalkind z'l, and Rebecca's mother Helen Davis - Chana bat Moshe Leib z'l; Yossi Shraibman, in honor of OZ; Chanie & Daniel Leibler, thanking all who learned Mishna in memory of Chanie's father Ted Bukowsky z'l; Chad & Yael Hopkovitz and family, for the first Yartzheit of Chad's grandmother Devorah bat Shlomo z'l; Anonymous, wishing all a Happy Purim!

Hashkama Kiddush is sponsored by Yehuda & Annette Fishman, in memory of Yehuda's mother Shoshana bat Chaim Yaakov z'l and Yehuda's sister Tova Genendel bat Yosef z'l; Last's week's Hashkama Kiddush was sponsored by Andrea Hale, Harley and Jonathan Schnall in honor of Harley's father Martin Schnall - Mordechai ben Elchanan Levi z'l

Youth Hamantaschen Bake is sponsored by Leslie & Ari Hirsch and Nicole & David Debora

MAZEL TOV

Jennie Kraut, on her engagement to Keith Sanders of Brooklyn

Blayne & Scott Matthias, on the birth of a baby girl

CONDOLENCES

Ariel Kohane, on the passing of his mother Paulette Kohane – Penina bat Avrahama Mordechai z'l,

NEW YOUTH TUTORING INITIATIVE

Let OZ Youth help with your child's Jewish learning. We can help with Bar/ Bat Mitzvah learning, learning & leading davening, and Judaic studies – contact Yehuda@OZNY.org for more information

MARCH INTO GREAT EVENTS

Shabbat Mar. 23 5:40pm Shabbos Series: The 5 Megillahs

Shabbat Mar. 23 11:15am Themed Kiddush: Purim in Persia

Saturday Mar. 23 8:45pm Melave Malke after Megillah

Sunday Mar. 24 10:00am Youth Hamantaschen Bake & Purim Party

Shabbat Mar. 30 5:40pm R' Varon's New Series: Reading Rambam

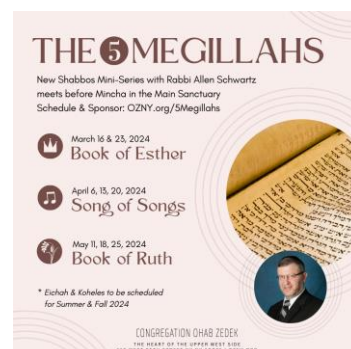
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CONGREGATION OHAB ZEDEK

Annual Dinner

APRIL 8, 2024 | 5:45PM

The Angel Orensanz Foundation
172 Norfolk Street, NY, NY
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36 Years at OZ



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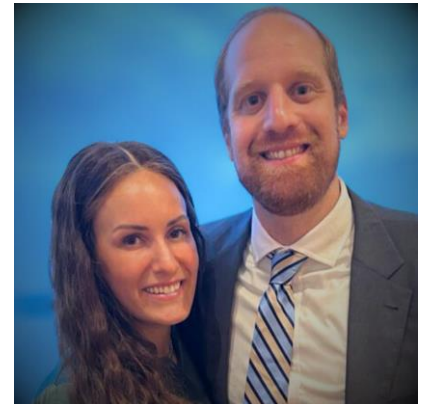
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MEET THE HONOREES

The Offenbachers are relatively new members of OZ but have already made a big impact. Introduced to the shul via Esther Varon soon after they moved to the Upper West Side in July 2022.

Rachel grew up in Woodmere, where she attended the Hebrew Academy of the Five Towns and Rockaways. She then went on to study at Shaalvim for Women in Israel. She earned her Doctor of Medicine in 2017 from at the State College of New York Downstate in 2017, graduating after completing the Sophie Davis School of Biomedical Education (a 7 year BS/MD program at CUNY).



She completed her residency in Pediatrics and fellowship in Pediatric Hematology/Oncology at the Children's Hospital at Montefiore and recently joined the faculty as an Assistant Professor where she is on a physician-scientist track at the Albert Einstein College of Medicine.

In the summer, Rachel volunteers as a physician at Camp Simcha, where she has the pleasure of seeing many of her patients enjoy time away from the hospital.

Joseph (Joe) is from Brooklyn where he attended Yeshiva of Flatbush. He went on to spend a year at Yeshivat Reishit Yerushalayim where he also volunteered as an EMT for Magen David Adom, followed by Yeshiva University where he majored in Middle Eastern Studies. After graduation he completed the one-year Presidential Fellowship in University and Community Leadership at YU followed by a post-baccalaureate at New York University before attending SUNY Downstate, graduating with Rachel. He completed his residency in Emergency Medicine at Montefiore Medical Center/Jacobi/Albert Einstein College of Medicine. He is a faculty member at NYU where he serves as an Associate Program Director of their EM program.

Rachel and Joe met through Yachad while they were both working as coordinators for the Rayim division. They were assigned to work together on a Shabbaton and the rest is history. They are the proud parents of Ari (12), Judah (8) and Asher (5).

Their meeting though Yachad set the tone for their marriage as Rachel and Joe have always been drawn to chesed within their community and beyond. Struck by the October 7th massacre, Joe quickly obtained an emergency medical license in Israel and boarded a plane to support his fellow physicians. He continues remote sessions while back in NY and returned in January for another two weeks in the emergency department. He founded the organization MiluiEM -- a partnership between the Israel Association of Emergency Medicine and emergency physicians across the world to bring experienced emergency doctors to Israel to meet current and projected clinical and academic needs.

When asked by a close friend and pilot to raise money for his unit, Joe quickly agreed. Rachel and Joe delivered the equipment to the 669 unit in March, made possible by the generous donations of the OZ community.

Rachel and Joe are proud to call OZ their spiritual home and feel blessed by the wisdom, kindness, inspiration, and guidance of Rabbi and Rebbetzin Schwartz and Rabbi and Rebbetzin Varon. They are so grateful that Esther recruited them to this truly wonderful community. They feel humbled and honored to receive the Nathan K. Gross Community Service Award and look forward to many more fruitful years with this wonderful and embracing community!

CELEBRATION, COMMEMORATION, DEDICATION

Commemorate your mazel tovs, milestones, and memories by dedicating a Kiddush, Seudah Shlishit, Shiur, or Event! Please contact the office for upcoming sponsorship opportunities.