



July 19/20 2019 - 16/17 Tammuz 5779 Parsha: Balak . Torah Reading Pg. 856 . Haftarah Pg. 1189

SHABBAS TIMES

Friday Night:

7:05 PM Mincha

Candle Lighting

not before 7:21 PM

not after 8:36 PM

Kabbalat Shabbat immediately following Mincha

Shabbat Morning

8:30AM Parsha Class

9:00AM Shacharis

9:00AM Supervised Play For Kids

10:00AM Kids Programming

11:00AM Rabbi's Sermon

Shabbat Afternoon

7:35PM Summer Pirkei Avos Class w/ Rabbi Elie

8:35PM Mincha

Shalosh Seudos following Mincha

9:43 Ma'ariv:

Havdallah Following Maariv

11:00AM Sermon: The Rabbi

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Now is the time to renew and confirm your membership for the new year if you haven't already.

In order to make it easier for members to renew membership at the FHJC we created an online renewal form. You can go to www.fhjc.ca and click the **Membership** section to renew.

Or, reach us on the phone at **416-483-0883**.

If you know someone new to the area looking for a shul, please send them our way! We offer discounts and trial memberships for new members.

Sunday, July 21

Shiva Asar B'Tammuz, 17th of Tammuz

This fast, from dawn to nightfall commemorates a tragic series of events that took place on this date in history. A "three week period" begins now, culminating in the destruction of the temple. We remember this period and we pray for a more positive future.

Fast Starts: 4:43 am
Shacharis: 8 am
Mincha: 8:20 pm

From the desk of Rabbi Karfunkel

UPDATE ON THE CANDLESTICKS:

A set of tall, sterling silver candlesticks from the pre-Holocaust Jewish community of Jaslo, Poland, have been donated to the Forest Hill Jewish Centre in Toronto, after remaining unlit for eight decades. The centre is modelled after the Jaslo synagogue, which was destroyed by the Nazis, with the aim of reigniting the flame of the lost Jewish community. Now, it can begin to do so literally.

"It is thrilling," said Rabbi Elie Karfunkel, the centre's chief rabbi. He said the candlesticks honour the Jaslo community's memory in the deepest of ways:

"Candlesticks represent the soul of the person lighting (them) and (the centre). This one big building represents the candlestick of all the people from Jaslo."

Over the years, the centre has welcomed survivors of the Jaslo community and Rabbi Karfunkel owns a 150-year-old Talmud that once belonged to the Jaslo synagogue's chief rabbi.

The candlesticks were donated by Harold Erbe, a resident of Vancouver who said that his late father, Julius,

received them from Jews that he worked with in Jaslo before the Second World War. Amid the looming threat of the Nazis, Erbe said that his father, being a non-Jew who was close with the Jewish community, was asked to keep the candlesticks safe.

Following the family's move to Canada after the war, Erbe said the candlesticks remained largely unseen. When his father died, they were given to his mother, and later to his sister, who gave them to him just two months ago. From then, the dots serendipitously connected: the first result of a Google search revealed the Forest Hill Jewish Centre. And after a phone call with Rabbi Karfunkel, the candles were sent to Toronto within a couple of weeks, along with a letter outlining everything Erbe knew about them.

"It was a really beautiful moment for me," said Erbe, who relished the chance to reunite the candlesticks with their heritage. "My wife and myself, tears came to our eyes."

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NEXT WEEK SHABBAT TIMES

Shabbat July 26, 2019

Mincha 7:05PM Early Candles Lighting 7:16PM
Candle Lighting: 8:30PM

July 27, 2019, Pinchas

Shacharis 9:00AM Havdallah following Ma'ariv 9:37AM

NEXT WEEK DAVENING TIMES

July 14-July 18, 2019

Mon/Thurs 6:50AM Tues/Wed/Fri 7AM Sun 8AM

Weekday morning Daf Yomi Class (Daily Talmud Page)

7:40AM-8AM Mon-Fri morning Breakfast class w/ the Rabbi (The Daf Yomi & Breakfast Class take place in the Weekday Chapel)

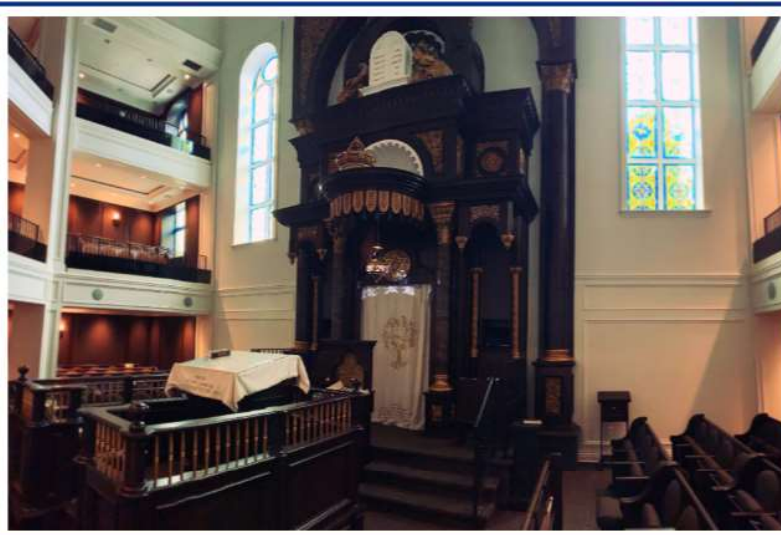


Photo Of The Week

TRANQUIL DAYS

Right now the sanctuary at the Forest Hill Jewish Centre is so quite... So serene and tranquil.

Summer holidays are in full swing and we're getting the Centre all ready for the crowds that are soon to come!

The Yomim Tovim are around the corner and our quiet sanctuary is going to be buzzing with activity!

COMMUNITY LEGACY
Tour with **THE WORLD THAT WAS POLAND TOURS**

Guided by Rabbi David Abrahamovitz and Rabbi Elie Karfunkel
OCTOBER 28 - NOVEMBER 3, 2019
ALL-INCLUSIVE LAND COSTS \$3300 CAD
Itinerary includes
Auschwitz, Birkenau, Warsaw, Treblinka, Lublin, Majdanek, Lezajsk, Lancut, Markowa, Tarnow, Chelmno, Dabie and Lodz

SHABBAT IN KRAKOW

For more information email: rabbie@fhjc.ca

MAZEL TOVS

Mazel Tov to Andrew & Carla Ulpian upon announcing the birth of their great granddaughter Lea. Happy parents are Reuven & Becky Levinson. Grandparents are Yitz & Naomi Levinson, Stephen & Helena Usdan from Los Angeles. The other ecstatic great grandparents are Nancy Usdan, Chana & Joe Kornwasser, & Pinhas & Sara Levinson.

Mazel Tov to Marsha Gallinger & Marvin Shumacher on the engagement of Marsha's daughter Allie to Daniel Minuk.



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BIRTHDAYS ANNIVERSARIES YAHRZEITS

Birthdays

Wifred Levin 7/19	Yehuda Levi 7/23
Dov Eliezer Victor Grauman 7/20	Karen Winter 7/23
Natan Kohen 7/20	Deborah Estrin 7/23
Eric Saibil 7/21	Hannah Collis 7/24

Yahrzeits

Estherelke Kaplan - 16 Tammuz, 7/19
mother of Yaakov Kaplan
Hans Diestel - 17 Tammuz, 7/20
father of Gus Diestel
Frieda Bergstein - 18 Tammuz, 7/21
mother in law of Eve Bergstein
Israel David Braude - 21 Tammuz, 7/24
father of Andrew Braude
Vida Anne Gerber - 22 Tammuz, 7/25
mother of David Gerber

The Buffalo Bills Game is Back!

Join us for the Bills vs Eagles on October 27th.

Admission covers: Executive Coach Bus, three meals including a Mega-tailgating lunch, great tickets, and of course, a chance to join the greatest sports fans in the world!! All for only \$395: a very limited number of tickets available on a first come, first served basis only.

RSVP to Rabbi Mordechai

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SHABBAT MUSIC Class
WITH DEBORAH MAES

Thursdays 4:00 PM CLASS STARTS SEPT. 5
Fridays 9:45 & 10:45 AM CLASS STARTS SEPT. 6

16 CLASSES
\$265 PER CHILD
DUE TO ENROLLMENTS, WE CANNOT ACCEPT DROPPING AT THIS TIME

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