

16th June 2017 - 22nd Sivan 5777

Shabbat
SHALOM



Beit Knesset Moreshet Yisrael, Jerusalem **בית כנסת מורשת ישראל, ירושלים**

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PARSHAT SH'LACH L'CHA - פרשת שלח-לך

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והנָפֵשׁ אֲשֶׁר תַּעֲשֶׂה בְּיַד רָמָה מִן הָאָזָרָח וּמִן הַגֵּר אֶת ה' הוּא מְגִדֵּף וְנִכְרְתָה הַנֶּפֶשׁ הַהוּא מִקֶּרֶב עַמּוֹ. כִּי דָבַר ה' בָּזָה וְאֶת מִצְוֹתוֹ הִפְרָה הַפָּרֶת תִּפְרֹת הַנֶּפֶשׁ הַהוּא. (במדבר ט"ו: ל"א-ל"ב)

But the person, be he citizen or stranger, who acts defiantly, and reviles the Lord; that person shall be cut off from among the people. Because he has spurned the word of the Lord and violated his commandments, that person shall be cut off.

(Numbers 15:30-31)

Our Rabbis taught in Sanhedrin 99b: "This passage from Numbers refers to King Menashe son of Chizkiyah, who examined Biblical narratives to prove them worthless. Thus he jeered: "Had Moses nothing better to write than an entire chapter in Genesis 36 that recounts the genealogies of Esau and of the Chorite people, including the following verses: 'And Lotan's sister was Timna' (Genesis 36:22),' And Timna was concubine to Eliphaz' (Genesis 36:12)?".... What then is the purpose of these verses? Timna was a royal princess among the Chorite people. Desiring to join the Jewish people, she went before Abraham, Isaac and Jacob as a candidate for conversion, but they did not accept her. So she went and became a concubine to Eliphaz the son of Esau, saying, "I'd rather be a servant to this people than the noble mistress of another nation." Amalek was her descendant who famously afflicted Israel. Why so? – Because they should not have rejected her." The Patriarchs in this Midrash missed the essence of another verse from this week's Parasha, that we would do well to heed: "There shall be one Torah, the same just standard, for you and the stranger who dwells among you, (Numbers 15:16) Rabbi Moshe Silberschein

OUR SERVICE TIMES
Daily Shacharit Services
Sunday – Friday 7:30 a.m.

Friday, June 16th
Kabbalat Shabbat & Maariv
6:45 p.m.

Services led by:
Rabbi Moshe Silberschein

Saturday, June 17th
Shacharit 8:30 a.m.

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TEFILAH LED BY:
Saralee Shrell-Fox

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SHABBAT
Candlelighting
7:11 pm



HAVDALAH
Motzei Shabbat
8:29 pm

THANK YOU TO:

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MAZAL TOV TO:

Ron & Meryl Gallatin on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary.

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18-Jun-17	24 Sivan 5763	Judith Vadnai	Mother of Susan Dar
19-Jun-17	25 Sivan 5767	Richard Batkin	
20-Jun-17	26 Sivan 5738	Heinz Ronberg	Father of Yaacov Rone
22-Jun-17	28 Sivan 5754	Anna Levin Cohen	Mother of Susan Kaplow
22-Jun-17	28 Sivan 5740	Morris Gulko	Father of Harris Gulko
22-Jun-17	28 Sivan 5775	Sandy Lepelstat	Wife of Joseph Lepelstat Mother of David Lepelstat
22-Jun-17	28 Sivan 5743	Bessie Civval	David Civval
22-Jun-17	28 Sivan 5718	J. Samuel Kohn	Barbara Schermer
23-Jun-17	29 Sivan 5747	Max Blitstein	Father of Chuck Blitstein Father of Larry Blitstein

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We invite you to an end-of-year concert on Friday, June 23 2017 (19 Sivan), at 11:00am

Ticket reservation (30 NIS) in the office of Moreshet Yisrael

Telephone: 02-6253539

Email: office@moreshetysrael.org

A SEASON OF TALMUD – RABBI MOSHE SILBERSCHIEIN

THURSDAY MORNINGS 9:00 A.M.

Tractate Berakhot

All classes held in the Sanctuary, in English.
Level appropriate for Beginners/Intermediate.

Please contact the office to confirm attendance.



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7:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Closed Friday