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פרשת פנחס

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JULY 7

MESSAGE FROM THE RABBI

The parsha of פנחס is always read during the בין המצרים, the three week period before Tisha B'Av. There are numerous explanations for this, one being that it adds to the sadness and loss since it talks about the Yom Tov korbanos which we do not have. These references to the לוח and despair are appropriate for this period of mourning and introspection.

On the other hand, we know פנחס never died, and he became אליהו, as we say "פנחס זה אליהו". In this vein, perhaps a parsha of גאולה and hope is what's meant during period of בין המצרים.

As we've talked about, the three weeks start in the 17th of Tammuz. The Bnei Yissoscher comments that 17, the numeric value of טוב, declares from the very beginning the purpose of these events. The first day lets us know that the mission and end game must result in הטבה.

The great downfall of עם ישראל, from the breaking of the לוחות to the destruction of the המקדש, must be viewed from the very first moment. Yet, as the נביא ישעי' refers to the fast day as יום רצון לה', our perspective must be one with an eye on the future and what can be developed from and because of the painful episodes.

This week, as we read the posukim of the קרבנות החג (which incidentally comprise 21 total חגים, as in 3 weeks) and mourn our inability to bring offerings and rejoice with the שכנה, we preempt those posukim with פנחס. His eternity was an outcome of a great downfall as he rose the the occasion and strengthened ישראל in a way they never could have without those events.

And so we say in the Selichos of 17th of Tammuz, "ושבעה" "That day becomes not merely the end of יגון but it itself revealed to be יום as it was meant to be from the first moment.

Have a good Shabbos,
יוסף צבי ווייס

SHABBOS ZMANIM

	Candle Lighting.....	8:17 PM
	Shkia.....	8:35 PM
	Mincha/Kabbolas Shabbos.....	7:00, 8:22 PM
	Shacharis.....	7:00, 9:00 AM
	Sof Zman Krias Shema.....	9:29 AM
	Youth Groups.....	9:30 AM BOYS' DAVENING 9:45
	Mincha.....	2:00, 6:00, 8:07 PM
	Maariv.....	9:22 PM

SHUL NEWS

MAZAL TOV Mazal Tov to Rabbi & Mrs. Gedalya Frankel on the birth of a baby girl! May the family be לחופה לתורה לחופה ולמעשים!

WELCOME SHALOM SINGLES The Shul extends a warm welcome to Wayne Chessner and all participants of his singles Shabbaton and invites the kehillah to join us for a special Shalosh Seudos with the Shabbaton.

YOM KIPPUR KOTTON will be this Thursday, July 12 at 7:35pm.

T'NU KAVOD L'TORAH We are honored to welcome Harav Yisroel Newman Shlita, Rosh HaYeshiva Bais Medrash Govoha in Lakewood, who will join us next Shabbos and speak at the 7am and 9am Shacharis.

MEMBERSHIP Elul is coming up and that means our annual Membership Campaign will be kicking off soon. All active memberships will be automatically renewed for the 5779 year on August 1.

Even if you believe your account is clear, please make sure to **check your balance online** to ensure there are no dues outstanding for 5778. Please be in contact with the office by emailing office@ohrhachaim.net with any questions or to settle your account.

As always, we encourage all to greet new faces and wish a *Good Shabbos* to those we don't know (yet.) Thank you!

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WEEKDAY ZMANIM

Shacharis.....6:55, 7:30, 8:20 AM
 Sunday Shacharis.....9:00 AM
 Mincha.....1:50, 3:05 PM
 Mincha/Maariv.....8:20 PM
 Maariv.....9:45, 10:45 PM

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF SHIURIM

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LEARNING	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	שבת
Shabbos Morning Chassidus							8:30 AM
Early Morning Kollel		6:30 AM	6:30 AM	6:30 AM	6:30 AM	6:30 AM	9:00 AM
Daf Yomi (w/ Rabbi Weiss)	7:45 AM	7:00 AM	7:00 AM	7:00 AM	7:00 AM	7:00 AM	
Daf Yomi (w/ Rabbi Bergman)	8:20 AM	8:20 AM	8:20 AM	8:20 AM	8:20 AM	8:20 AM	
B'nei Yissoscher	מנחה/מעריב	מנחה/מעריב	מנחה/מעריב	מנחה/מעריב	מנחה/מעריב		
Kollel Mekadshei Shevi'i						4:30-7:00 PM	4:30-7:00 PM
Kol Hanearim							5:30 PM
Shabbos Pirkei Avos							6:30 PM
Night Kollel (עבודה זרה)		8:15-9:45 PM	8:15-9:45 PM	8:15-9:45 PM	8:15-9:45 PM		
Shivti Chabura	9:00 AM	9:00-9:45 PM	9:00-9:45 PM	9:00-9:45 PM	9:00-9:45 PM		
Blatt-A-Week Shiur (מכות)		10:00 PM	10:00 PM	10:00 PM			
Sforno on Chumash Shiur					10:00 PM		