

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bnei Akiva: NO SNIF this Shabbat. To those on winter break, enjoy your vacation! **Upcoming: Feb 23-25** - Chevraya Bet Winter Shabbaton at the Dovid Oved Retreat center in Running Springs for 9th-12th graders. For more info contact Hagai: hkeisar@bneiakivala.org or Eli: eskaist@bneiakivala.org.

EXPERIENCE Moshava California! Sign up today for an athletic, creative, inspiring, AMAZING summer of sports, arts, nature, friendship and ruach. For more info: office@moshavacalifornia.org or 855-MOSHAVA.

Jewish Softball Team form to play in the LA Interfaith Softball League! Men and women of all skill levels welcome! Games to be once a week in Cheviot Hills starting in April. Teams must be formed by February. Contact: Emily Bowen Cohen emilyjc@mac.com.

Many Voices, One Song, Mon Feb 18, Wiltern Theatre. Doors open 5:30 PM. Show 6:30 PM. Fried, Shabat, Helfot, Leiner & Levine together in concert at Gindi Maimonides Academy 50th anniversary. www.maimonidesla.com/concert.

Confidential Five Day Intensive at the Ness Center, Beverly Hills for Orthodox men struggling with inappropriate materials and related behaviors that have led them to addictive actions. **Feb 18-22**. Insurance accepted for this outpatient treatment program. Contact Rav Meir 818-275-1498 or rav.meir18@gmail.com or Dennis Brown 310-360-8512.

LA Rabbis Teach at Wilshire Blvd. Temple. Rabbanit Alissa will teach **Wed, Feb 21 from 7 to 8:30 PM**. (See flyer for details.)

Maccabeats return to LA! Sun Feb 25th, doors open 5 PM at Shalhevet. \$36 adults \$18 students. www.itsmyseat.com

Gift of Life Celebration honoring Jeremie Braun with the Celebrating Life Adam Krief z"l Award and witness the first time meeting of a donor and recipient from the Hope 4 Adam Recruitment Drives. **Thurs, March 8, 7-10 PM**, SLS Hotel Beverly Hills. www.giftoflife.org/events/eventtickets/88.

Jewish Free Loan Do you know that there are all types of interest-free loans available from the Jewish Free Loan Association? Visit jfla.org to learn more about camp tuition assistance, green loans, children with special needs, Jewish Life Cycle events, student and small business loans.

Chai Lifeline after school program for children with a seriously ill sibling or parent or a loss in their home. Volunteers also needed to transport children to and from group. To enroll your child or volunteer transportation, call 310-274-6331.

PARKING DURING NON-BUSINESS HOURS

is available in the Wells Fargo Bank lot at night from 6:30 PM to 8:00 AM, and on weekends and legal holidays.

Thanks to Mercy Housing and Wells Fargo for arranging this. We are working with Mercy Housing on parking solutions during business hours.

BDJ'S UPCOMING EVENTS

January 23	- Yiftach's Daughter and the Aguna
January 24	- YP AIPAC Happy Hour & Sushi
January 31	- Tu B'Shvat
January 31	- Mishmar: Innovation & Technology
February 2	- Tu B'Shvat Tot Shabbat & Dinner
February 3	- Teen Girls' Tefillah
February 3	- Israel Appeal
February 10	- SIR: Rabbi Jonathan & Ora Ziring
February 10	- Celebrate February Kiddush

מי שברך אבותינו אברהם יצחק ויעקב ואמותינו שרה רבקה רחל ולאה הוא יברך וירפא את החולים בעבור שאנחנו מתפללים בעבורם בשכר זה הקדוש ברוך הוא ימלא רחמים עליהם להחלימם ולרפואתם ולהחזיקם ולהחיותם וישלח להם מהרה רפואה שלמה מן השמים לכל אבריהם ולכל גדיהם בתוך שאר חולי ישראל רפואת הנפש ורפואת הגוף שבת היא מלזעוק ורפואה קרובה לבוא השתא בעגלא ובזמן קריב ונאמר אמן.

Misheberach List

Please be in touch with Susan Fink at stlfink@gmail.com

Chaya bat Tova Bleima (Sorel Lainer's mother) * Pessie bat Chana (Martine Porter-Zasada's sister) * Esther bat Devorah Bella (Mayer Schames' mother) * Emanuel ben Hinda (Mr. Sassover) * Bella Rivka bat Rosa (Aharon Shimoni's sister) * Shulamit bat Ruchel Sheina (Selma Framson) * Arlene bat Mollie (Kara Robarts' grandmother) * Yaakov Roni Ben Margalit * Michael ben Malka (Max Wozniak) * Chaya bat Bela (Mayer Bick's mother) * Tziporah bat Tova (Mrs. Sassover) * Reina Alfaro * Chayim Menashe ben Fruma (Manny Klein) * Yitzchak Avraham ben Devorah (Deb Mizrahi Smith's uncle) * Mordechai ben Dina * Yisroel Yehuda Ben Dina Sara * Yitzchak ben Raizel (Ira Grose) * Sarah Hindi bat Lily (Cary Glass's mother) * Sarah bat Malka (Lenny Schloss' friend) * Tila bat Miriam * Pinchus Shalom Tzvi ben Ze'eva (Daniella Platt's friend's son) * Shoshana Bat Rivka (Rose Wolfe) * Menachem Mendel Ben Chaya (Sarah Abraham's grandfather) * Hadassah Bat Lea * Eitan Zev ben Nachama Sara Beilah * Shmuel ben Miriam (Rica Bercovici's nephew) * Aharon ben Rosa * Helen Avivah bat Marietta Ruth * Anna Louise bat Barbara Feige * Tova Chaya bat Leah Malka * Leah bat Liba * Yosefa bat Fayga Hadas * Yosef Hiskiya ben Chaya * Matisyahu Yoel Baruch ben Gittel (Marcus Freed) * Chava Yeta bat Shulamit * Carmi Adina bat Malka * Tamar Pnina Gittel bat Aliza Rachel * Shoshana Malka bat Shifra Yona (Shani Rotkowitz) * Yaacov Moshe bet Sarah * Yakot bat Esther (Colette Volvovic) * Hillel ben Sara (friend of Zev Hurwitz's father) * Ahuva Yonina bat Rachel. (Mark Treitel's aunt) * Chana Gittel bas Dvora Masha (Chanie Kravitz) * Yonah Shlomo ben Batsheva Malka * Yaffit Bat Monira * Leah Rachel Bat Miriam Bat-tzion



B'NAI DAVID-JUDEA

SHABBAT BULLETIN

January 20, 2017 ~ 4 Shevat 5778

פרשת בא Parshat Bo

HAPPENING THIS SHABBAT

- ◆ YP Minyan at 9:30 AM in the Beit Midrash.
- ◆ Kiddush in the Social Hall sponsored by BDJ.
- ◆ Seudah Shlishit in the Beit Midrash sponsored by Morty Moskowitz and Lynn Kaufman in memory of Lynn's mother Florence Barnett Kaufman, Freidel bat Avraham v'Chana z"l.
- ◆ Nothing But The Pshat with Yair Fax.

THIS WEEK

YIFTACH'S DAUGHTER AND THE AGUNA WITH ESTHER MACNER

Tuesday January 23rd
7:30 - 8:30 PM in the Beit Midrash

Sponsored by Esther Macner in honor of the yahrzeit (7 Shvat) of her mother, Chana Ita bat Mordechai, Markel z"l.

The story of Yiftach's daughter (Judges 11) and how Chazal interpret it is so powerful and relevant to the politics of batei din today. Through a close literary read of texts, and Esther's experience with agunot, we will learn why Yiftach's daughter is a symbol of the Aguna today.

Esther Macner, Esq. is a divorce mediator at Get Divorce Solutions and founder of the non-profit Get Jewish Divorce Justice. She also holds an MA in Tanach from JTS.

AIPAC YP HAPPY HOUR AND SUSHI

Wednesday January 24th
7:00 to 9:00 PM

At the home of Joanne & Robby Helperin, (9338 Oakmore Rd).

Come learn about AIPAC's role in Israel advocacy and about opportunities for you as a YP!

Sushi and drinks served! This is a free event!

Candle-Lighting: 4:53 PM

Mincha: 4:55 PM in the Beit Midrash

Kabbalat Shabbat: Tzvi Wolf

Dvar Torah: Rav Yosef

YP Minyan: 9:30 AM in the Beit Midrash

Teen Minyan: 9:30 AM in the Projection Room

Main Minyan: 9:00 AM in the Main Sanctuary

Sof Zman Kriat Shema: 9:31 AM

Shacharit: Zev Nagel

Anim Zemirot: Zachary Schechter

Kriat HaTorah: Alec Schramm

Torah/Haftarah: Hertz: 248, 263, Stone: 340, 1151.

Drasha: Rav Yosef

Musaf: Yigal Dakar

Mincha: 4:30 PM followed by Seudah Shlishit in the Beit Midrash

BW Mincha: 4:35 PM at home of Atara & Rabbi Ari Segal (9327 Monte Mar)

Havdalah: 5:52 PM

FROM DUST TO DAWN, REBUILDING OUR LIVES AFTER THE HOLOCAUST, MEMOIRS OF EMIL AND LOLA SASSOVER

100% of the proceeds will go toward creating flexible and intimate prayer space in BDJ's Social Hall, enabling Shirat Chana and other minyanim to have a shul-like feel.



The cost is \$54 per book. Please make your purchase at www.bnaidavid.com/gala and come by the office to pick up your copy. A limited number of copies remain for sale.

BDJ BROADCAST

- ◆ **Condolences** to Lynn Kaufman and family on the passing of Lynn's mother Florence Barnett Kaufman, Freidel bat Avraham v'Chana z"l.
- ◆ **Mazal Tov** to Tamar Cohen and Yair Rozenberg, Beth and Steve Cohen, Rami, Etan, Emily, Dani, Beverly and Maccabee on the engagement of Tamar and Yair!
- ◆ **Mazal Tov** Benjamin Tarko and the entire Tarko family on Benjamin achieving the rank of Eagle Scout as a member of Troop 360!
- ◆ **Thank you** to everyone who attended and supported our 70th annual banquet! A special thank you to our Dinner Committee — Mark Katrikh, Nick Merkin, Avigail Metal and Shani Rotkowitz for their tireless efforts in making the evening such a success!
- ◆ **Pictures from the Gala Dinner** may be viewed at www.bnaidavid.com/gala.

EDUCATION AT BDJ

WEEKLY LEARNING AT BDJ

Half Hour of Halacha: Sunday Night Purim!
Sunday Nights with Rav Yosef. 8:30 - 9:15 PM - Gill Home
No Shiur January 21. Resumes January 28.

Gemara Shiur: The Brachot We Recite and Live
Monday Nights with Rav Yosef
7:30 - 9:00 PM - Beit Midrash.

Midrash Group
Tuesdays with Rav Yosef, 7:45 - 8:45 AM - Beit Midrash

Parsha Plug
Tuesday Nights with Rabbanit Alissa, 7:30 - 8:30 PM - Beit Midrash (See below for special sessions in January.)

Briyat HaNefesh
Thursdays with Rabbanit Alissa
7:45 - 8:45 AM - Conference Room
To attend please contact rabbanitalissa@bnaidavid.com

Nothing but the Pshat
Various Teachers.
During Seudat Shlishit - Beit Midrash

Shabbat Shorts
By Rav Yosef and Rabbanit Alissa. Tuesday and Thursdays in your inbox. To sign up, email bdj@bnaidavid.com.

PARSHA PLUG TUES NIGHT IN JANUARY

January 23: Parsha Plug is cancelled so we can attend Esther Macner's shiur. **January 30** and continuing in the future: taught by Rabbanit Alissa.

MISHMAR: INNOVATION & TECHNOLOGY

Wed Jan 31 at 7:30 PM.

For info, contact Allyson Gronowitz at asgrono@gmail.com.

Yeshiva University Presents

WAS ALEXANDER HAMILTON JEWISH?

with Rabbi Dr. Meir Soloveichik and
Dr. Andrew Porwancher

Wed Feb 7 at 7:30 PM at Beth Jacob.

Co-sponsored by BDJ.

EXCLUSIVE BDJ CHAIR LIFELINE

VOLUNTEER TRAINING

Sun Feb 11 from 11 AM to 12 PM

All Ages Welcome!

BDJ is partnering with Chai Lifeline to create a BDJ cohort of trained volunteers to visit children in the hospital, deliver meals, and help at Chai Lifeline events. Do you have a few hours a week to make a difference in the life of a child? Becoming a BDJ Chai Lifeline volunteer is a great way to do Bikkur Cholim regularly and enhance your lived-Talmud-Torah. Chai Lifeline is dedicated to bringing joy and support to seriously ill children and their families. Their services are free of charge and delivered with sensitivity, discretion, and compassion. Volunteers are the heart and soul of Chai Lifeline. BDJ's partnership is a new way to have a familiar cohort with whom to change the experience of illness for a family. RSVP to Rabbanit Alissa rabbanitalissa@bnaidavid.com.

SCHEDULE OF DAILY MINYAN

SHACHARIT

Sunday	8:00 AM
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday	7:00 AM
Monday, Thursday	6:45 AM

MINCHA/MA'ARIV

Sunday—Tuesday * (see below)	5:00 PM
Wednesday, Thursday, Friday	5:00 PM

SHABBAT January 27

Shacharit and Rechoy Yeladim	9:00 AM
Mincha	4:40 PM
Havdalah	5:59 PM

*** Sun-Tues at the Moskowitz/Kaufman home **ONLY** (9441 Beverlywood St) ***

SHABBATON

Shabbaton with Rabbi Jonathan Ziring February 10th

Friday Night Oneg: It's a Small World
After All - A Halachic Perspective on Social Media



Saturday Morning Drasha: "These are the Laws" - What Should Torah Law Look Like in 2018?

Seudah Shlishit: Amazon Echo, Google Home, and the Future of Electricity on Shabbat

Rabbi Jonathan Ziring is the Sgan Rosh Kollel of the Yeshiva University Torah MiTzion Beit Midrash Zichron Dov and the Rabbinic Assistant of BAYT. He has smicha from RIETS, an MA in Jewish Philosophy and a BA from the YU Honors Program. The Zirings live in Toronto with their two sons, Meir and Aharon.

Thank God, **Ora Ziring** is expecting and, as a result, is not able to join us.

BDJ INCLUSION SHABBAT

CO-HOSTED WITH YACHAD

February 23 and 24

At BDJ we embrace people of all abilities, and our annual Inclusion Shabbat is a great opportunity to join in the effort!

On February 23-24, join the entire BDJ community in a Shabbat of inclusion— from a Friday night oneg with renowned disabilities advocate **Michelle Wolf**, to Shabbat day, including lunch at shul, together with Yachad! During lunch, please join us as we honor the memory of our beloved **Janet Wolf z"l**, who was deeply committed to inclusion and love of all people.

For information: www.bnaidavid.com/inclusion.
Lunch RSVP TBA.

TIKKUN OLAM

FEBRUARY AND MARCH TIKKUN OLAM LUNCHES

Join us for our Tikkun Olam Lunch on **Thursday February 15th at Noon** as we have lunch with our neighbors, schmooze and enjoy!

Also join us for our special Purim Seudah on **Thursday March 1 at noon!**

Please note that both lunches are on Thursdays.

TEENS

TEEN GIRLS TEFILAH

February 3rd at 9:30 AM in the Beit Midrash

Teen and tween girls (grades 6 and up) and their proud female fans are invited to join us for the next all-star, all-girl tefila Shabbat morning February 3rd in the Beit Midrash.

Contact Sara Smith smsmith15@gmail.com or Julie Fax juliefax@gmail.com to sign up teen girls to lead davening, leining and related honors.

BDJ BABIES

TU B'SHVAT TOT SHABBAT AND DINNER

February 2nd at 5:00 PM

Join us for candle lighting, singing, fun activities and a festive dinner to celebrate the birthday of the trees!

For ages 0 - 6, but all are welcome! Dinner is \$25/adult and \$10/child.



Register at: <https://www.bnaidavid.com/event/tot-shabbat-and-shabbat-dinner.html>.

CONNECT WITH BDJ

DOWNLOAD OUR APP for quick access to our membership directory, minyan times and more! We will also use the app for emergency notifications and announcements... so don't miss out! Download the app at www.bnaidavid.com/getapp!

LIKE US ON FACEBOOK! We are revamping our Facebook page, **so like us right away!** www.facebook.com/bdj.losangeles!

ISRAEL

AIPAC POLICY CONFERENCE

Join Rav Yosef, Rabbanit Alissa
and BDJ members

Sunday-Tuesday March 4-6 in DC!

BDJ has 15 tickets for purchase at the discounted rate of \$399 (this is \$200 off!). To join our delegation, visit: <https://www.bnaidavid.com/form/aipac-inquiry-2018>. For more info, contact Noam Drazin, Matt Lefferman or Leah Naghi. Last year we had 30+ in our delegation. Let's have even more this year! Policy Conference is a great bipartisan way to support Israel. We hope you can join us!



ISRAEL APPEAL

For **TWO** Special Organizations
February 3rd at BDJ

ALEH Negev: "All People. No Limits" is Israel's largest care network for children with severe multiple disabilities. ALEH provides advanced medical, educational and rehabilitative care to over 750 children, allowing them to live in much the same way as nondisabled children.

HaShomer HaChadash upholds Zionist values and has changed the physical and moral landscape of Israel by assisting farmers in remote areas of the Negev and Galilee with security, protecting land, educating youth, empowering volunteers and inspiring mutual responsibility while promoting agricultural and pioneering ventures.

For Information:

<https://www.bnaidavid.com/form/israelappeal2018>

EZRA NETWORK

Ezra Network

If you're dealing with challenges – like caring for an elderly parent or a teen in trouble or facing economic hardship – you're not alone. Either at BDJ or another location, you can get help with financial assistance and government program eligibility, access to one-on-one sessions with a social worker, legal counselor or job counselor, as well as referrals for other services, and information about upcoming workshops. It's all there for you – private – and it's free. www.jewishla.org/ezra

Social Worker: (323) 229-0235

Job Counselor: (310) 622-3844

Legal Counselor: (323) 549-5827

Shabbat Shalom!