



## SHABBAT – FEB. 15-16

- **Candle Lighting:** 5:19 PM
- **Mincha:** 5:20 PM | Beit Midrash
- **Kabbalat Shabbat:** Mayer Schames
- **Dvar Torah:** Rav Yosef
- **8:25 Minyan:** Will not meet this week
- **YP Minyan:** 9:30 AM | Beit Midrash
- **Main Minyan:** 9:00 AM | Main Sanctuary
- **Teen Minyan:** 9:30 AM | Projection Room
- **Sof Zman Kriyat Shema:** 9:23 AM
- **Shacharit:** Michael Mendelson
- **Anim Zmirot & Concluding Services:** Ari Ben-Naim
- **Kriyat HaTorah:** Alec Schramm
- **Torah:** Hertz p. 339 & Stone p. 464
- **Haftarah:** Hertz p. 350 & Stone p. 1159
- **Drasha:** Rabbi Daniel Cohen
- **Musaf:** Gil Melmed
- **Mincha:** 4:45 PM
- **BDJ BW Mincha:** 5:10 PM | Dakar Home | 2238 S Beverly Dr.
- **BDJ East:** 4:45 PM | Kasirer Home | 1108 Alvira St.
- **Havdalah:** 6:17 PM

### BDJ BROADCASTS

- ◆ Mazal Tov to **Sara and Larry Tanz** on the Bat Mitzvah of their daughter, Lilly, this Shabbat at Temple Beth Am.
- ◆ Mazal Tov to **Michai Mazar** on his engagement to **Michal Scharlin**.

### FEBRUARY 17–FEB 23

#### DAILY MINYAN SCHEDULE

SHACHARIT	
Sunday, Monday (President's Day)	8:00 AM
Tuesday (Purim Katan), Wednesday, Friday	7:00 AM
Thursday	6:45 AM
MINCHA/MA'ARIV	
Sunday - Thursday	5:25 PM
Friday	5:30 PM
SHABBAT— Feb. 23	
Shacharit & Rechov Yeladim	9:00 AM
Mincha	4:45 PM

### HAPPENING THIS SHABBAT

- ◆ Friday night Oneg with Scholar in Residence Rabbi Daniel Cohen in the Social Hall
- ◆ Kiddush in the Social Hall Sponsored by BDJ
- ◆ Seudah Shlishit in the Beit Midrash sponsored by **Liz and Cary Glass** in memory of Liz's mother, Shirley Kotler z"l, on her shloshim

#### "A Ray of Light in the Winter"

#### Scholar in Residence: Rabbi Daniel Cohen

February 15–16, 2019

*Generously sponsored by Jeff and Shari Fishman in memory of Shari's mother, Ann Dattelkramer z"l and Jeff's father, Martin Fishman z"l.*

#### Friday Night Dinner (6:30) and Oneg (7:30)

Oneg following dinner is free & open to all

*Living Inspired: Finding Mission and Meaning in Every Moment*

#### Shabbat Drasha

*The Legacy of Aharon: Inspiration, Ignition and Impact*

#### Seudah Shlishit

*A Horcrux, Havdala and Heaven on Earth*

*Popular motivator, mentor, and inspirational speaker, Rabbi Daniel Cohen's unique blend of authenticity, humor, wisdom, and insight helps anyone better navigate contemporary society and lead a life of legacy. Rabbi Cohen has served in the rabbinate for over twenty years and currently serves as senior Rabbi at Congregation Agudath Sholom in Stamford, CT, the largest modern orthodox synagogue in New England. Rabbi Cohen is author What Will They Say About You When You Are Gone? Creating a Life of Legacy. He is co-host with Reverend Greg Doll of the nationally syndicated Radio Show, The Rabbi and the Reverend and writes for the Huffington Post Blog and is a Bottom Line Inc. Expert. He enjoys doing magic shows, playing sports, writing, searching for God, and living life with joy and ever-present smile! Rabbi Cohen and Diane are the grateful parents of six daughters. For more information about Rabbi Cohen visit [www.rabbidanielcohen.com](http://www.rabbidanielcohen.com)*

#### YP MINYAN Beit Midrash | 9:30 AM

Sponsored by **Arielle Gereboff** in honor of her grandparents who are celebrating their upcoming 70th anniversary and their 91st & 95th birthdays.

Arielle will also be sharing a dvar Torah.

*Join us in the Beit Midrash for Bubbe's famous Kiddush!*

*To sponsor Kiddush or to ask questions, email*

**[rabbanitalissa@bnaidavid.com](mailto:rabbanitalissa@bnaidavid.com)**

#### COCOA CLUB

10:15-11:00 AM in the Conference Room | 4th-6th Grade Girls

#### BDJ EAST

4:45 PM | Kasirer Residence

1108 Alvira St.

*Join us for davening, a little nosh, and words of Torah!*

## THIS WEEK

### LAUNDRY LOVE

**Thurs., Feb 21 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Lauderdale | 1661 Robertson**

Laundry Love is a national program. BDJ provides money, detergent, extra hands & schmoozing so our neighbors can wash their clothes!

More info: [debilp@gmail.com](mailto:debilp@gmail.com)



### TEEN GIRLS' COFFEE CLUB

**Shabbat | Feb. 23 | 9:30 AM | Conference Room**

Teen girls are invited to bond, nosh & have meaningful conversations with Sara before joining Teen Minyan at 10:15.

### COCOA CLUB 4th-6th Grade Girls

**Shabbat | Feb. 23 | 10:15 AM | Conference Room**

For questions or to sponsor, please email Arielle at: [ariellegereboff@gmail.com](mailto:ariellegereboff@gmail.com)

## INCLUSION WEEKEND

### Inclusion Weekend with Vista Del Mar | Feb 23-24

**Shabbat Morning Drasha with Rav Yosef  
Rechov Yeladim Learning About Inclusion**

**Shabbat Morning Reflection at the end of davening with Rabbi Jackie Redner and Tsipora Ohr Edmond, Participant of the Moses-Aaron Cooperative**

The Moses-Aaron Cooperative uses live presentation and storytelling to help audiences enter into the world of our brothers and sisters who are non-speaking in order to receive their wisdom

**Seudah Shlishit Shiur with Rabbanit Alissa- Innovations in Inclusion: Using Electronic Assistive Technology on Shabbat**

**Sunday Volunteering with Vista Del Mar  
10 AM-12 PM at Vista Del Mar (3200 Motor Ave.)**

Volunteer along with Jewish Federation volunteers of all ages and abilities to prepare for Purim and say thanks to our first responders.

We will be assembling and delivering gratitude gift baskets for firefighters and first responders, assist with a costume party and parade, and make lunch for the homeless. **Please donate supplies by ordering from the Amazon wish-list to be delivered by Wed 2/20 to the home of Sari Ciment (1450 Edris Dr).**

<https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2J36LL5IC2D55?type=wishlist>

### Jewish Disability and Inclusion Month (JDAIM)

February is **JDAIM**. This national effort is a chance to celebrate Jewish community members of all abilities and promote awareness of available communal resources and programs.

In preparation for our own Inclusion Shabbaton, we ask each of you to reflect on the question:

**WHAT DOES INCLUSION MEAN TO YOU?**

Please submit your answers to <https://goo.gl/Lph1UN> in a few short sentences. Ask your children, your parents, your spouses, and tell us what inclusion means! Your responses will be highlighted during our Inclusion Shabbat. You can submit multiple responses for multiple family members.

Additionally, if you or someone you know is differently abled and would like to participate more actively in shul

—men and women— that Shabbat, please contact

Rabbanit Alissa at [rabbanitalissa@bnaidavid.com](mailto:rabbanitalissa@bnaidavid.com)

## UPCOMING PROGRAMS

### TIKKUN OLAM

#### TIKKUN OLAM LUNCH

**Weds, March 6 | 12:00 PM | Beit Midrash**

Please join us as we share a meal and have some fun with our neighbors in need.

Sponsored by Wolf, Rifkin, Shapiro, Schulman & Rabkin, LLP.

With special thanks to Mark Rosenbaum for making the connection.

### PURIM

Launching soon!

[www.bnaidavid.com/purim](http://www.bnaidavid.com/purim)

### BNEI AKIVA

**Shabbat, March 16th | Beit Midrash**

Interested in Camp Moshava this Summer? Join Avi Matanky, Director of California's Moshava Alevy, for a special informational meeting (with nosh!).

### MEMBER MASHUP

Want to meet your neighbors? Sign up for our member mashup on **March 16!** Email [renaselyacohen@gmail.com](mailto:renaselyacohen@gmail.com) and you will be matched with BDJ friends who live nearby.

## EDUCATION

### LEARNING AT BDJ

- **Nothing But the Pshat**
  - During Seudah Shlishit | Various teachers | Beit Midrash
- **613, One Sunday at a Time**
  - Sundays | 8:30-9:15 PM with Rav Yosef | Schramm Home
- **Gemara Shiur: Tug-of-War**
  - Mondays | 7:30-9:00 PM with Rav Yosef | Beit Midrash
- **Midrash Group**
  - Tuesdays | 7:45-8:45 AM with Rav Yosef | Beit Midrash
- **Parsha Plug**
  - Tuesdays | 7:30-8:30 PM with Rabbanit Alissa | Beit Midrash
- **Briyut HaNefesh**
  - Thursdays | 7:30-8:30 AM with Rabbanit Alissa | Conference Room | To join, email rabbanitalissa@bnaidavid.com
- **BDJ Babies: Women's Wisdom & Wine**
  - 2nd Tues. of the Month | 8:00 PM | Members' Homes
- **Women & Mitzvot**
  - First Sun. of the Month | 9:30-11:00 AM | Members' Homes
- **Mishmar**— Various dates

### WOMEN & MITZVOT

**Sunday, March 3rd | 9:30-11:00 AM | Location TBD**

“Tefillah” with Dr. Sharon Stein Merkin

*This series explores mitzvot with the goal of uncovering practical & spiritual meaning for women.*

### SEDER NASHIM

**Save the Date! Shabbat, March 16th | Location TBD**

The Season Begins! Upcoming dates:

April 6  
May 11  
June 1

Locations and topics coming soon.

*BDJ's women-only series focuses on topics that touch us as Modern Orthodox women. All adult women are welcome.*

## UPCOMING GUEST SPEAKERS

### Special Guest: Talia Inlender

**Following davening on Shabbat March 2nd | Beit Midrash**

#### Asylum Law and Practice at the US Border

Talia will provide a brief overview of asylum law, including its history and current practices for those who seek refuge at our borders. She'll talk about recent asylum seekers with whom she has worked, and some of the factors that are driving current migration trends from a practitioners perspective.

*Talia Inlender is a Supervising Senior Staff Attorney in the Immigrants' Rights Project at Public Counsel, managing the agency's work related to detained immigrants. In this role, Talia oversees monthly know-your-rights classes at a local detention center, and trains and supervises attorneys, legal fellows, and law students representing detained immigrants in their immigration proceedings. A co-counsel on ground-breaking civil-rights lawsuits, Talia is a graduate of Yale Law School.*

### **“The Creation of the Seven-Day Week”**

**with Dr. Ezra Zuckerman Sivan**

**Shabbat, March 9th**

Contrary to what is commonly assumed, the week is a relatively new institution (outside of the Jewish community), and its beginnings are shrouded in mystery—from both a historical standpoint (when did it start?) and an “entrepreneurial” standpoint (given the obstacles, how could its originators succeed at “launching” it?).

#### Shabbat Morning Drasha

“Shabbat Is Sustained By Love So Why Is It Supported with A Regime of Fear?”

#### Seudah Shlishit

“Learning From the ‘Shabbat Entrepreneur’: How Does Shabbat Observance Provide Proof of God?”

*Ezra Zuckerman Sivan is the Deputy Dean of MIT's Sloan School of Management and the Alvin J. Siteman Professor of Strategy and Entrepreneurship. He holds a BA from Columbia University as well as a Ph.D. in sociology from the University of Chicago. He will be sharing with us some ideas from a book he is currently writing on the history, sociology, and Torah of a unique social institution: the 7-day week.*



### **Shabbat Morning Drasha with Jordan Gorfinkel**

**March 16th**

“Everything I Need to Know About the Haggadah I Learned from Batman”

In his Shabbat morning drasha, Former DC Comics editor Jordan B. “Gorf” Gorfinkel will give us a window into his new graphic adaptation of the Haggadah. “Gorf” will usher us into the Pesach zone by analyzing the thematic and narrative elements of the Haggadah, and discussing how he applied his experience in comics to illuminate different facets of the Torah and Haggadah. Our traditional Passover text lends itself so well to a comic book adaptation!

## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ◆ **BNEI AKIVA:** This Shabbat: Snif for grades 2-8. at 5:15 PM until Shabbat ends. Snif Shluchot (Pico-Robertson area) at Beth Jacob! Walking groups LEAVE circle park at 4:45 PM and from Canfield/Airdrome at 5:00 PM. Snacks will be provided. Registration is now open for V'zach Shabbaton Yisraeli (grades 6-8) AND for IDP-NY Shabbaton (grades 9-12) Don't miss the early bird discount! Sign up now at [www.bnaiakivala.org/shop](http://www.bnaiakivala.org/shop)
- ◆ **MOSHAVA ALEVY:** Registration for Summer 2019 is OPEN! Sign up today for an athletic, creative. Inspiring and amazing summer of sports, arts, nature, friendship and ruach. Call 855-MOSHAVA or email [office@MoshavaAlevy.org](mailto:office@MoshavaAlevy.org).
- ◆ **RABBI LORD JONATHAN SACKS KOREN HAGGADAH ON SALE:** Young Israel and Koren have partnered to offer a refreshing and insightful commentary to the Koren Haggadah. The traditional Haggadah text appears on one side with beautiful translations and commentary by Rabbi Sacks. To purchase the Haggadahs at \$5, members and non-members must pick them up at Young Israel shul. Orders of 100 or more can get direct shipping by emailing: [haggadah@youngisrael.org](mailto:haggadah@youngisrael.org)
- ◆ **"AND ESTHER WROTE" WOMEN'S MEGILLAH READING DISCUSSION:** Sunday, March 10 at 10:30 AM. Location in Hancock Park available upon RSVP at [www.yeshivamaharat.org](http://www.yeshivamaharat.org)
- ◆ **NEFESH B'NEFESH ALIYAH TALKS:** "All of your Aliyah needs under one roof." Featuring TED-like presentations on a broad range of Aliyah subjects. Attend the ones that are most relevant to you. Join Nefesh B'nefesh staff, Israeli vendors and service providers who will guide you through our Aliyah planning. Tuesday, March 13 5:30-9:00 PM at Young Israel of Century City 9137 Pico Blvd. Register at [www.nbn.org/fairs](http://www.nbn.org/fairs)

## MINYAN APP

Coming Soon! Help us make a Minyan with a click of a button!



## BDJ'S UPCOMING EVENTS

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|-----------|----------------------------------|
| Feb. 21   | • Laundry Love                   |
| Feb. 23   | • Teen Girls' Coffee Club        |
| Feb 23-24 | • Inclusion Weekend              |
| March 2   | • Special Guest Talia Inlender   |
| March 3   | • Women & Mitzvot                |
| March 6   | • Tikkun Olam Lunch              |
| March 9   | • Teen Girls' Tefillah           |
| March 9   | • Special Guest Ezra Zuckerman   |
| March 16  | • Bnei Akiva Shabbaton           |
| March 16  | • Special Guest Jordan Gorfinkel |
| March 16  | • Seder Nashim                   |

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 אברהם ולכל גדיהם בתוך שאר חולי ישראל רפואת הנפש ורפואת הגוף שבת היא מלזעוק ורפואה קרובה לבוא השתא בעגלא ובזמן קריב ונאמר אמן.

## MISHEBERACH LIST

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) \* Liran Ben Aliza \* Michael ben Malka (Max Wozniak) \* Chaya bat Bela (Mayer Bick's mother) \* Tziporah bat Tova (Mrs. Sassover) \* Chayim Menashe ben Fruma (Manny Klein) \* Sarah Hindi bat Lily (Cary Glass' mother) \* Yakot bat Esther (Colette Volvovic) \* Yaffit Bat Monira \* Leah Rachel Bat Miriam Bat-tzion \* Yaakov Moshe Ben Etsel \* Baila Malka bat Aida Ette (Ze'ev Korn's mother) \* Yaakov ben Masha (Jack Plax) \* Avram Simcha Ben Miriam \* Chava bat Helen (Eva Magid) \* Ruth bat Sarah \* Chaim Aryeh ben Rivka \* Adina bat Dalia (Adi Hepner) \* Avraham Zelig ben Tzipora \* Masha Hinda bat Malke Roisa \* Gittel bat Devora \* Yurachmiel Nussem Ben Reuben (Nan Gold's brother) \* Rachel Leah bat Freydel Chaya \* Tova Chaya bat Leah Malkah \* Chaim Simcha ben Bracha (Gary Linder's brother) \* Sarah bat Helene (Sonia Levitin) \* Hersch Yaakov ben Chaya Leah (David Stein's father) \* Saureet bat Yehudit (Saureet Hayill) \* Arielle Shulamit bat Bracha Chana \* Nechama Bracha Bat Yechiela \* Roben Ben Parvin and Adam Ben Aviva (Susan Balter's brother and son)

*To add or remove a name from the list, please be in touch with Susan Fink at [stfink@gmail.com](mailto:stfink@gmail.com). Please note the BDJ Misheberch List policy states only BDJ members and their immediate family members may be added to the list.*

## COMMUNITY

**25 YEARS AFTER ARGENTINA'S AMIA BOMBING:  
JUSTICE VS. IMPUNITY**

**Feb 21st | Southwestern Law School | 3050 Wilshire Blvd.**

**Jonathan Miller** is organizing a conference on the 1994 AMIA bombing on Feb 21st featuring numerous scholars, journalists, Rabbi Avi Weiss, and others. For information and to register, visit [swlaw.edu/25YearsAfterTheAMIABombing](http://swlaw.edu/25YearsAfterTheAMIABombing)