



COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

- BNEI AKIVA: Shabbat 3/10, Shabbat afternoon for 3rd-5th graders... MOSHAVA CALIFORNIA! Open House for families with children... SHALHEVET INSTITUTE: March 15 at 7:45 PM... NEFESH B'NEFESH ALIYAH FAIR. Sunday March 18... NCSY CONNECT 7 v. 7 SOCCER TOURNAMENT: April 22... JUDAISM & THE SELF: Tuesdays 7:30-9:30 PM... CAFE BB AT BAI BETZALEL... BCRA Founder Outreach Study... Free Israel Trip July 11-22... Research: Daniel Rubin, PhD... Pesach Cleaning: Kasher & Clean your home.

BDJ'S UPCOMING EVENTS

- March 14 - Vachai Bahem Part 2
March 16-17 - Rabbi Linzer Shabbaton
March 17 - BDJ Babies Afternoon Scavenger Hunt
March 17 - YP Minyan
March 20 - Haggadah Slam
March 21 - Pesach Kashering Day
March 21 - Laundry Love
March 24 - Shabbat HaGadol Drasha
March 24 - Chametz Free Shabbat
March 30-April 7 - Pesach

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Candle-Lighting: 5:39 PM
Mincha: 5:40 PM in the Beit Midrash
Kabbalat Shabbat: Jeff Rabin
Dvar Torah: Rav Yosef
8:25 Minyan: in the Beit Midrash. Post Davening Learning with Nick Merkin.
Teen Minyan: In the Main Sanctuary; Musaf after Torah Reading in the Projection Room.
Main Minyan: 9:00 AM in the Main Sanctuary
Sof Zman Kriat Shema: 9:07 AM
Shacharit: Zev Nagel
Kriat HaTorah: Alex Fax
Torah: Hertz: 373; Stone: 516. Maftir: Hertz: 652; Stone: 838. Haftarah: Hertz: 999; Stone: 1216.
Drasha: Yoetzet Halacha Ilana Gadish - "Kol Nediv Lev: Getting to the Heart of Vayakhel-Pekudei."
Musaf: Robby Helperin
Concluding Services: Ariel Mazar
Mincha: 5:15 PM
BW Mincha: 5:25 PM at the home of Shari & Jeff Fishman (9635 Kirkside).
BDJ East Mincha: 5:15 PM at the home of Nikki Sieger & Andres Terech (6503 Moore Drive).
Havdalah: 6:35 PM

HAPPENING THIS SHABBAT

- Shabbat Parah / Shabbat Mevarchim.
Teen Girls' Coffee Club at 9:30 AM in the office.
Celebrate March Kiddush in the Social Hall.
Seudah Shlishit is sponsored by Felisa & David Felsenthal in honor of the first yearzeit of Leonard Pearlman z"l (Label ben Shmuel HaKohan) and in honor of the yearzeit of Helen Felsenthal z"l (Root bat Yitzak).
Nothing But The Pshat with Steve Lowenstein.

CELEBRATE MARCH KIDDUSH SPONSORS

- Lenny & Hal Schloss celebrating 5 years since Lenny's last cancer treatment & thanking BDJ for its support during her treatment & recovery!
Daniella Platt & Barney Lipson, welcoming their new baby girl, Harper Florence Lipson!
Jonathan & Eden Meltzer in honor of their daughter Eliana's birthday!
Enrique Gascon in gratitude to President Trump for affirming the capital of Israel & moving the US Embassy to Jerusalem!
Yigal & Jacqueline Dakar, observing the yearzeit of Jacqueline's mother, Nancy Saturn z"l (Fruma Sarah bat Asher Yakov).

THIS SHABBAT

RECHOV YELADIM

Today during Kiddush in Rechov Yeladim
Continuing education training for RY counselors (Tween & Jr. Congregation)



SEDER NASHIM

THE GROWING PAINS OF AGING: NAVIGATING LIFE'S TRANSITIONS
Today at 4:30 PM at the Rush home, 1738 Preuss Rd.

As we move through life our roles, responsibilities, & relationships as Modern Orthodox women change. How do those changes affect our self-image, spirituality & connection to the community? What challenges do we face as we grow further into our adulthood and face changing roles - and identities - in our professional, personal, and family lives? How do we muster the courage and resilience to move from the familiar to the new? How do our social bonds as well as our relationship to God, Judaism, and Torah evolve?

For more info: daria@dariadesign.com
Save the Dates: April 21, May 5 and June 2.

THIS WEEK

VACHAI BAHM PART II

Wednesday March 14, 7:30 to 9:00 PM
Home of Albie & Debra Cohen, 1472 Cardiff Ave.

Vachai Bahem is our annual end-of-life care programming. This year we'll be focusing on The Conversation Project, an effort to increase conversations about our wishes & beliefs at the end of life. We especially encourage those in their 30s & 40s who may not have had these conversations before to join us.

In our second session, we'll explore these conversations with a physician, social worker, and long-term care insurance provider: Albert Fuchs, MD FACP; Jaime Goldberg, MSW, LCSW, ACHP-SW; and Robert M. Smith, CLU, ChFC, CLTC, RICP.

For more info, see the flyer on the back table.

BDJ BROADCASTS

- Mazal Tov to Rabba Ramie Smith & Gideon Cohen on their engagement! * Mazal Tov to Vivian & Jordan Lurie on their daughter Robbie's engagement to Elisha Rosenwasser! * Mazal Tov to Angelina Ellyason & Alon Aliav on their engagement!
RSVP Deadline March 13 for Rabbi Dov Linzer Shabbaton Friday night dinner. See page 2.
Daylight Savings! Sunday, March 11. Turn clocks forward 1 hr.
Mazal Tov to Rabbi Aaron Lerner & UCLA on being named the Duke Rudman Campus of the Year at AIPAC. 80 UCLA students joined in the celebration!
Welcome Back to our BDJ AIPAC delegates. We will hear more about their trip in a few weeks.



NEXT SHABBAT

SCHOLAR-IN-RESIDENCE SHABBATON March 16-17

RABBI DOV LINZER, ROSH HAYESHIVA, YCT

“A TASTE OF THE BEIT MIDRASH OF YCT”

Friday Night Dinner at BDJ at 7:30 PM. Followed at **8:15 PM** by **Letting the Sinner Back In: Is Teshuvah Enough?**

When a public figure is discovered to have violated community trust, he/she will often make a public apology and ask to be reaccepted into the community on the basis of teshuvah. We will see how our religious literature has one set of criteria for what is required to be forgiven by God, and how halakha has a different set of criteria for what's required to restore trust.

RSVP by March 13: <https://www.bnaidavid.com/event/shabbat-dinner-with-rabbi-dov-linzer.html>.

Shabbat Morning Drasha with Rabbi Linzer.

Seudah Shlishit: The Halachic Status of Non-Observant Jews in the Advent of Modernity.

How do we address the Talmud's category of “Michalel Shabbat” as a basis of communal exclusion at a time when 90% of Jews don't keep a traditional halakhic Shabbat? We will explore other approaches, like the radical redefining of inclusion/exclusion from the teachings of the great 19th century thinker, Rav David Zvi Hoffman.



Rabbi Dov Linzer is the Rosh HaYeshiva of Yeshivat Chovevei Torah Rabbinical School & the primary architect of YCT's curriculum of Torah, Halakha, pastoral counseling & professional training.

INFERTILITY AWARENESS SHABBAT



BDJ will again participate in Yesh Tikva's annual Infertility Awareness Shabbat. We'll share a special tefillah & provide resources on our back table. Rabbanit Alissa also runs Yesh Tikva's monthly support group.

For more info or to join the group, contact her at rabbanitalissa@bnaidavid.com.

YP MINYAN

March 17 at 9:30 AM in BDJ Beit Midrash

To get more involved or to sponsor a YP Kiddush, visit www.bnaidavid.com/yp or email Rabbanit Alissa at rabbanitalissa@bnaidavid.com.

SCHEDULE OF DAILY MINYAN

SHACHARIT

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

MINCHA/MA'ARIV

Sunday - Thursday	6:45 PM
Friday (Daylight Savings Time)	6:30 PM

SHABBAT Rosh Chodesh, March 17

Shacharit and Rechoy Yeladim	9:00 AM
Mincha	6:20 PM
Havdalah	7:40 PM

EDUCATION AT BDJ

WEEKLY LEARNING AT BDJ

Half Hour of Halacha:

Sunday Nights with Rav Yosef, 8:30-9:15 PM - Gill Home.

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.

Briyut 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.

JEWISH WISDOM & WELLNESS

A Festival of Learning 2018

Sunday, April 15 - Sunday, April 29

Cedars-Sinai & the Kalsman Institute of HUC-JIR present this interdenominational learning festival. The goal is to explore crucial health (mental, physical & spiritual), illness, and healing topics from a Jewish lens. BDJ will be participating in three programs!

Tuesday 4/17 at BDJ at 7:30-8:30 PM: Parsha Shiur with Rabbanit Alissa. Topic: "Being the Physical, Psychological, or Spiritual 'Other': Tazria Metzora."

Sunday 4/22 at the Yasgur/Lipner Home at 10:30 AM - 2 PM: Brunch with Rabbanit Alissa, Rabba Ramie Smith & Ms. Atara Segal. Topic: "Women's Mitzvot." RSVP info TBA. (For women only.)

Tuesday 4/24 at BDJ at 7:30-8:30 PM: Parsha Shiur with Rabbanit Alissa. Topic: "Jewish Mourning, Memorializing, and Grieving a Loss: Acharei Mot."

PESACH

PESACH AT BDJ

Visit www.bnaidavid.com/pesach for all Pesach programming, to sell your Chametz, ask questions, & learn about the Halachot of Pesach!

Deadline to sell chametz: March 27.

PESACH

KASHERING DAY

Come to BDJ on **MARCH 21** from **11 AM - 5 PM** for all your Pesach Kashering needs! All are welcome. Members are given priority. Please bring a towel.

BDJ BABIES

Pre-Pesach Family Bedikah & Chametz Party
March 17 at 3:30 PM at BDJ - Note location change
FREE Family Scavenger Hunt!

Chametz snacks provided. Feel free to contribute chametz you'd like to clean out from your pantry!

RSVP by March 14 to rachelkasirer@gmail.com.

BDJ Babies event hosted by Naomi Schwarzberg, Sarah Lee and Rachel Kasirer.

HAGGADAH SLAM

BDJ is delighted to partner with Temple Beth Am & IKAR for:

הררי זה משובה — Haggadah Slam 2018

An evening of community Seder learning

Tuesday, March 20 7:30-9 PM at Temple Beth Am

Haggadah teachings from Rav Yosef, Rabbi Brous & Rabbi Kligfeld. In-depth learning featuring Rabbanit Alissa and others. Ideas & projects to help make your Seder more interactive & FUN, featuring Harry Nelson and others. Plus . . . a spiritual/musical prelude to Pesach with Hillel Tigay.

SHABBAT, MARCH 24

Shabbat HaGadol Drasha with Rav Yosef

5:10 PM in the Main Sanctuary

Followed by Mincha at 6:25 PM

In the old days, rabbis would formally address their congregation twice a year—on the Shabbats before Yom Kippur & Pesach. The latter talk has become known as the “Shabbat HaGadol Drasha.” As you can imagine, this drasha was a major community event & everybody came. Today of course, shul rabbis are perilously overexposed & no one talk feels like a “must attend.” But I truly believe that Shabbat Shuva and Shabbat HaGadol nonetheless still *are*. My intention always is to develop an idea that will occupy a central place in our religious lives for a good time to come.

This year's Drasha will be called:

ואם ימעט הבית

If the household is too small for a lamb, let him share with a neighbor.

We will explore Halachic and Midrashic Pesach themes as they pertain to the necessity & nature of religious community.

Childcare will be provided during the Drasha.

*Please note there will **not** be a community **Biyur Chametz** this year, since the parking lot next door is not currently available.

HALACHA HOW TO

By Rav Yosef

As we mentioned in last week's discussion, the premise for using a hot plate to rewarm food on Shabbat is that the food is already fully cooked. The complication here is with regard to foods that are “liquid.” This is because Halacha regards liquids which return to room temperature – though already “fully cooked” in conventional terms – to be subject to the prohibition of cooking all over again (see note at bottom for a theory as to why this is so). For this reason, soup for example, can never be placed on a hot plate on Shabbat. The question though is how much liquid makes a food “liquid”? Is Chulent “liquid”? Meat with gravy?

As “liquid” is a pretty subjective term, it's not surprising to find that more than one opinion exists. Rav Ovadia Yosef is the name most closely associated with the more lenient opinion, namely, that foods that are majority “solid” (i.e. the liquid content is less than half of the total) are considered “solid,” & therefore may be rewarmed on a hot plate (regardless of how hot the food will get). Rav Moshe Feinstein, among others, ruled more stringently, & classified any food with more than incidental liquid as being “liquid,” & therefore excluded from the possibility of being rewarmed on Shabbat. Meat or chicken in gravy would therefore need to be removed from the gravy in order to be rewarmed. An important leniency (according to all opinions) is that anything that is *congealed* is considered “solid”, despite the fact that it will liquefy during the rewarming process.

Next week we will apply all this to rewarming on a *blech*.

Note: In the context of cooking, liquids also serve as cooking agents. When a liquid that has cooled becomes reheated, it may resume this function. This is perhaps the reason that, in the eyes of the Halacha, liquids can become “cooked” repeatedly.

TIKKUN OLAM

LAUNDRY LOVE

Wednesday, March 21 from 7:00-8:30 PM
Lauderland, 1661 S. Robertson Blvd.
Adults & Teens Ages 12+

Laundry Love is a national program that helps people who have to choose between food & laundry. BDJ provides money, soap, extra hands & schmoozing so our neighbors can wash their clothes! Contact Debi Pomerantz: debilp@gmail.com.