



# YOUNG ISRAEL of STATEN ISLAND

פרשיות תוריע-מצורע  
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**MAZEL TOV**

★ **Sharon & Barry Fleischmann** on the birth of a grandson, born to their children Aviva & Yoni.

To have a notice listed in the weekly announcements, please notify the office before 2 PM Thursday at 718-494-6700 ext. 0 or email [office@yisi.org](mailto:office@yisi.org). Please leave detailed messages with the wording and spelling of names that you want placed in the announcements. Should you choose not to notify the office directly, please note that correct spelling of names cannot be guaranteed.

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 Minyanim for Smachot Alan Zachter 347-922-1586  
 Building use, other than catering Allen Burack 718-490-7335  
 Catering Signaturecaterer@aol.com 718-698-5564

**We would like to thank the following for their contribution to the Charity Fund:**

- ★ Ruth Feder, in memory of Pinchas Eliezer Grossman, beloved father of Ruth Feder and Marilyn Schweitzer.
- ★ Diana & Lewis Frohlich, in memory of the yahrzeit of her father, Shabtai ben Aryeh Leib A"H.
- ★ Friends of Debbie & Fredi Berkovits on the engagement of their son Avi to Penina Jankowitz.

**Shul Announcements**

Please join us for a "Yom Iyun and Tikun" on Sunday, April 22 to be mechazek, to strengthen, our community in Avodat HaShem; to enhance and uplift our commitment to our tefilot, learning and Kavod HaTorah. Shachrit will be at 9am followed by shiurim and programming and early Mincha. Guest speakers, workshops and more. Please make every effort to attend.

If you are interested in giving a class or shiur for the **Shavuos learning program**, please see Rabbi Lehrfield. Women, men, girls and boys are all welcome to speak.

A piece of jewelry was found in the shul the day of Rebbetzin Weiss' levaya. If you think it may be yours, please contact Rabbi Lehrfield.

If anyone is interested in purchasing or replacing an **Eitz Chaim leaf**, please contact Becky Berlin at 718-698-0038.

**MEN'S CLUB**

The YISI Men's Club will be having a **MEMBERS ONLY KIDDUSH this Shabbos, April 21**. We would love to have you join the club. Please contact Mindy Feder at 718.698.9030 or Rachelit Reichman at 718.983.9664 for details.

**ISRAEL DELIVERIES**

Many of us have loved ones in Israel and we sometimes need to send them items of importance that we prefer not to mail, such as medicine or cash. If you need to make such a delivery, or if you are traveling to Israel and are able to take along a small package, please contact the shul office so we can make a shidduch.

**SHUL DECORUM**

Kindly turn off cell phones or put them on vibrate during davening. Please do not approach the rabbi during davening unless it is an urgent matter.

**YISI MAILING ADDRESS**

Please note that if you need to send any correspondence to the Shul, kindly mail it to Young Israel of Staten Island, P.O. Box 140100.

**DAILY LEARNING PROGRAMS**

- Please come join one or more of our daily learning programs:
- The Daf Yomi will be learning Zevachim at 7:10 AM in the MPR on weekdays and before Mincha on Shabbat.
  - Our Kollel Baal Habatim takes place every morning Mon-Thur.
  - Daily Mishnayot is presently learning Ketubos after most morning minyanim.
  - Daily Gemara class following the 8AM Shachris.

**SHABBOS LUACH**

Eruv is up on both sides	
Z'man Krias Shema	9:32
Candle Lighting	6:35/7:23
Friday Mincha	6:10/7:35
Chumash Shiur	8:15
Daf Yomi	6:15
Rabbi Sturm's Pre-Mincha Shiur is on the topic "Pirkei Avos: Were the arbiters of our Torah descended from Reshaim?" Sponsored by the Cohen Family in the memory of Susan Cohen, Sarah bat Zalman Aaron haLevi, on the occasion of her first yahrzeit. May her neshama have an aliya and her memory be a blessing to us all.	6:20
Mishna Yomis	7:05
Shabbos Mincha	7:15
Rabbi Lehrfield will be speaking on the topic "The Annual Bracha"	Between Mincha/Maariv
Shabbos Ends	8:27

**WEEKDAY LUACH**

Earliest T&T	5:14
Mincha / Maariv	Sun -Thu 7:35/Approximately 13 minutes after Shkiah Late Maariv Sun - Thu 9:30 PM
Halacha of the Week	If one missed one day of counting Sefiras Ha'omer (or counted incorrectly i.e. counted the wrong day) one should continue to count each subsequent day, but without a bracha. However, one should, if possible, hear the bracha said by someone else (and answer Amein) to be able to fulfill the mitzvah properly, with a bracha.
Motzei Shabbos	Rabbi Reisman's Navi Shiur 10:15 PM
Sunday	Early Mincha 1:45
Monday	Rabbi Rosskamm: Highlights of the Holidays 8:30 PM
Tuesday	Rabbi Linzer's Shiur 10 AM Rabbi Sturm's Shiur 8 PM
Wednesday	Peirush HaTefillah 8 PM Parsha Rabbi Y.A. Weiss 8:45 PM

**Save the Date**

The entire community is invited to come and listen to Divrei Chizuk from the **Rosh Hayeshiva, Harav Hagaon Rav Reuven Feinstein shlita**, on the occasion of the siyum of Rabbi Gabi Fried's Dirshu Mishnah Berurah shiur. **This Sunday evening, April 22, 8:30 PM** at The Island (R' Pollack's shul). Both men and women are welcome. Kugel and desert will be served.

**BIKUR CHOLIM BREAKFAST**

Please join us on **Sunday, April 29 at 9:00 AM** at the Young Israel of Staten Island for the 11th Annual Bikur Cholim Breakfast, honoring two of our Community Gabbaim: Ivy & Aby Newman and Blossom & Jack Newman.

**STATEN ISLAND COMMUNITY BREAKFAST**

UJA-Federation will hold its annual Staten Island Community Breakfast on **Sunday, May 6 at 9:30 AM** at the Staten Island JCC, 1466 Manor Rd. We hope you can join us at this unique event where the entire Staten Island Jewish community comes together. This year, the Young Israel is proud to honor Nathan Loewenthal. \$36 per person, payable at door. Please RSVP to Bruce Weiser at 212.836.1844 or [weiserb@ujafedny.org](mailto:weiserb@ujafedny.org). Contact Phil Harris with any questions.

**AISHES CHAYIL KIDDUSH**

On **Shabbos, May 12**, YISI will hold its annual Aishes Chayil/Mother's Day Kiddush after the conclusion of the main minyan. Would you like to participate and honor your loved ones? With a sponsorship of \$54 you can have their name listed on a scroll of honor. \$18 for each additional name. Please see Louis Emmer, Allan Gomberg, or Alan Zachter.

**Young Community**

Davening will take place at 9:15 in the Beis Medrash, followed by a hot Kiddush sponsored by the Zimmerman family in memory of Gittal bas Ben Tzion and Shaindle Devorah bas Yonah.



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## Youth Announcements

### Groups:

- There are regular morning groups and afternoon groups this week.

### Teens:

- We cannot wait to see everyone at the **Teen Minyan** this Shabbos!
- **Teen NCSY** meets on Wednesdays at 8:30pm. Email [youth@yisi.org](mailto:youth@yisi.org) with any questions.
- **Teen Shalishudis** will take place this week, following Teen Mincha. Sponsored by the Cohen Family in the memory of Susan Cohen, Sarah bat Zalman Aaron haLevi, on the occasion of her first yahrzeit. May her neshama have an aliyah and her memory be a blessing to us all.
- **Teen Lag Ba'omer Event** will take place **Motzei Shabbos, May 5**. Join us for a movie, a fire pit and roasting smores and hot dogs!

### Events

- **Toddler Sensory Day 2 – Sunday, May 6**, from 11:00am-12:30 pm. Children ages 5 and under are invited to join us for Sensory Sunday! Come witness our own MPR transformed into a sensory gym for your child's bouncing and playing needs! \$15 per child for sensory play, pizza and juice. Reserve your spot today by emailing [youth@yisi.org](mailto:youth@yisi.org).

## Community Happenings

### HILCHOS NIDDAH REVIEW FOR MARRIED WOMEN

Monday nights, April 23, April 30, and May 7, at the Young Israel (first building) at 8:30 PM. Shiurim will be given by Mrs. Debby Selengut, a popular, renowned Kallah teacher from Passaic NJ. For information, contact Laya Leeder-Alster at 917-687-8965.

**DEFENSIVE DRIVING CLASS** at YISI **Tuesday, May 22 at 6:45pm** in the Multi-Purpose Room (Sfard Minyan). By attending you will save 10% on your auto insurance liability and collision coverages for the next 3 years. You can also reduce up to 4 points on your license as per DMV rules. Cost is \$60 per person, please pay at class (cash or check). RSVP to 718-339-1300 or [haloleasing@aol.com](mailto:haloleasing@aol.com).

### MEZUZOT INSPECTION AT YOUR CONVENIENCE

The Shulchan Aruch says that Mezuzot should be inspected twice in every 7 years. Have your Mezuzot picked up from your home (or YISI), inspected, repaired, replaced, and returned. No charge for transporting the Mezuzot to the Sofer and back! Materials/Instructions for properly collecting your Mezuzot provided free of charge! Contact Scott Diamond for info: 917-674-3317/slzdiamond@hotmail.com.

## Community Gemachs

- ♦ **Chairs & Tables** - [www.cheergemach.com](http://www.cheergemach.com) or email Eli Wolbrom at: [e\\_wolbrom@yahoo.com](mailto:e_wolbrom@yahoo.com).
- ♦ **School Supply Gemach** - If you or someone you know cannot afford school supplies, please contact Rebecca at (917) 566-0420. Teachers, please feel free to contact if you notice a student in need!
- ♦ **School Uniforms** - Rachelit 718 983-9664.
- ♦ **Furniture** - Winiarzfamily@aol.com or call 718 983-8136.
- ♦ **Centerpieces** - Rachelit 718 983-9664 after 4:30PM or Rena 718 370-7438.
- ♦ **Simcha Gowns** - Debbie Berkovits 718 494-1905.
- ♦ **Wedding Gowns** - Anna Wittenberg 718 477-1991 or 917-847-4781.
- ♦ **Food Pantry** - Noga Kugel 718 494-8451.
- ♦ **Bris Pillow** - David at 347-661-4760 or Emunah at 718-813-1977.

## Tehillim Circle

There is a women's tehillim Shabbos group following the main minyan in the womens' section. All names listed in the Tehillim Circle will be included in the tefillos. If you have a name to add to this week's group list for refuah, please contact Chanie Maslow at 718-477-9575 or [otgirl1975@aol.com](mailto:otgirl1975@aol.com). Please say Tehillim for those seeking refuah:

- Leah Hadassah bas Michal Chana
- Chava bas Michal Chana
- Bracha Rivkah bas Miriam Leiba
- Refael Pesachya Yaakov HaLevi ben Aviva Sarah
- Shayna Golda bas Chaya Gitel
- Shmuel Michael ben Frida Esther
- Avigdor Chai Avraham ben Rachel Layah Kaiman Lifshutz
- Benyomin Tzvi ben Yehudis
- Yitzhok ben Hinda
- Chaya bas Leah
- Devorah Aliza bat Chana Liba
- Menachem Mordechai ben Zeesel
- Yaakov Refael ben Chana Rivka
- Yehonatan Binyamin Ben Laya

## Chesed Opportunities

- Any member of the congregation in need of any assistance due to infirmity or age, please contact 718 494-4343. Help is a phone call away no matter how big or small the need is!
- **Chevra Kadisha of Staten Island** is looking for additional individuals, both men and women, who can assist on a regular basis. If you are available or would like additional information, contact Larry Cohen at 718-612-3474.
- **Hebrew Free Burial Association** has a constant need for men, Bar Mitzvah age and up, to help in the performance of "Chesed Shel Emet", by serving as Levaya Minyan Volunteers; here on Staten Island at the Mt. Richmond Cemetery, 420 Clarke Avenue. The time commitment is flexible and can be as infrequent as less than 1 hour per month. Call or Email Scott Diamond for details: (917) 674-3317 or slzdiamond@hotmail.com.
- **Bikur Cholim** is looking for: Volunteers to visit Jewish residents in Staten Island nursing homes. Hours are flexible. For more info, please call Brenda Kellerman at 718-761-6521. Also, a man to go to Williamsburg once or twice a week to pick up food and deliver it to Staten Island University Hospital. Includes some heavy lifting. And, volunteers to straighten out the room once a week. Please contact Penny Feuer at 917- 582-7831.
- **Chai Lifeline** is looking for volunteer drivers to drive Staten Island patients to city hospitals. No waiting, just pick up or drop off. If you are available to be part of this tremendous mitzvah, please call Faige @212 699 6641. Tizku Lemitzvot!
- **Nachas Unlimited** has successfully raised funds to ease the lives of sick children in our community. If you or anyone you know has a child in need of assistance directly related to illness, please call Rachelit at 718-983-9664. All calls are confidential.
- **Coat & Clothing Donation – BY APPOINTMENT ONLY – WE ARE NO LONGER ACCEPTING DROPOFFS. We are only accepting clothing in EXCELLENT condition, as it is going to people who cannot afford to buy their own clothes. Please do not donate torn, soiled or outdated clothing. WE ARE NOT SELLING THE CLOTHES. THEY GO DIRECTLY TO PEOPLE IN OUR NEIGHBORHOOD.** Clothing of all sizes needed. Teachers feel free to contact if you notice a student in need! If you are in need of clothing, or to schedule an appointment for drop-off, please contact Rachelit after 4:30 PM at 718-983-9664.
- **The Willowbrook Pantry** will be open on Sundays from 9:30 am -11:30 am through the end of June. For private appointments please call Beverly Israel at 646-530-1495 or Noga Kugel at 347-776-2977. We are collecting cleaning items & toiletries that can be dropped off at 511 Buchanan Ave. or 154 Oakville St. anytime.

## Job Opportunities

- North/Central NJ agency seeks **Director of Early Childhood Education**. Candidate must have a minimum of a Master's Degree in Early Childhood or related field, be able to work flexible 40+ hour work week, have excellent communication skills, knowledge of Jewish culture and traditions, supervisory experience and exceptional interpersonal skills. Send resumes to [jewishchildcareposition@gmail.com](mailto:jewishchildcareposition@gmail.com).
- Kiruv school on Staten Island is looking for **Judaic Studies teachers** for elementary and middle school grades. Teaching and classroom management experience preferred. Enthusiasm for Kiruv a must. Please email resumes to [dean@sihebrewacademy.org](mailto:dean@sihebrewacademy.org).
- Challenge Early Intervention Center, **Service Coordinator** position in Staten Island office. BA in Human Services or related field. Flexible working hours with potential to earn upwards of 45,000 to 55,000 annually. Great work environment. E-mail: [Sternbergl@Challenge-ei.com](mailto:Sternbergl@Challenge-ei.com) or fax 718-370-1597.
- Manufacturer in Central NJ looking to fill various **sales positions**. Email [hirings@npcglobal.com](mailto:hirings@npcglobal.com).
- Shomer Shabbos Gift Importer in Carteret, NJ, right off exit 12 of NJ Tpke. Seeks hard-working, organized, team player for **full time office work**. Full time only. Very nice atmosphere. Centrally located 15 minutes from Edison, Elizabeth, & Staten Island. Respond with resume to [HR@sixtrees.com](mailto:HR@sixtrees.com).
- Heimish office in Bayonne, NJ looking for f/t girl for general office work. Fax resume to 718-384 5329.
- Kosher Food Distribution company in Bayonne NJ seeking to hire female **office staff, positions available include Accounts Payable, Accounts Receivable, Data Entry and General Secretarial**. Great pay. Email resume to [newjob905@gmail.com](mailto:newjob905@gmail.com).
- IMMEDIATE OPENING!! **F/T Secretary** position available. No Experience required. Knowledge in QuickBooks a plus. Great potential to grow! E-mail resume: [rachel@manhattanchairs.com](mailto:rachel@manhattanchairs.com).
- A growing ecommerce company in Linden, NJ is looking for FT **bookkeeper/office manager**. QuickBooks AP/AP payroll financial reports and customer service. Please contact [baruch@buybulkamerica.com](mailto:baruch@buybulkamerica.com).

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