



פרשת דברים
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August 5, 2022 / 8 Av
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MAZAL TOV

- ✦ **Renee & Jeffrey Mosczyk** and **Sara & Shimon Klein** on the birth of a son and grandson, Naftali Menachem.
- ✦ **Chaya & Rafi Dersovitz** on the birth of a great grandson, Elisha Avraham, born to Aliza & Judah Willig, children of Karen & Yudi Fromowitz.
- ✦ **Barbara Goldfarb** on the birth of a great grandson, David Shalom, born to Tziona & Eli Schreidman, children of Lori & Brian Goldfarb.
- ✦ **Sandra & Gabriel Hersko** and **Shirley & Siggy Weiser** on the birth of a granddaughter and great granddaughter, born to Tamar & David Hersko of Zichron Yakov, Israel.
- ✦ **Stacey & Dr. Louis Emmer, Sonia Emmer and Irene & Warren Cutler** on the wedding of their daughter and granddaughter Elisheva to Shlomo Chait.
- ✦ **Varda & David Korn** and **Esta Korn** on the wedding of their son and grandson Binyamin to Yehudis Haas, daughter of Yechida & Moishe Haas.

To have a notice listed in the weekly announcements, please notify the office before 2pm Thursday at office@yisi.org or 718-494-6700, Ext. 0 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. **Resident Members only.**

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Minyanim for Smachot	Dovid Newman 917-364-3686
Building use	Uri Gertelman 718-666-8386
Catering/Space Rental	Bookings@yisi.org

We would like to thank the following for their Simcha contribution:

- ✦ Chaya & Rafi Dersovitz in honor of their new great grandson, Elisha Avraham.
- ✦ Barbara Goldfarb in honor of her new great grandson, David Shalom.
- ✦ In honor of the wedding of our brother Binyamin Korn to Yehudis Haas. Wishing a special mazel tov to Bubby Esta Korn, Saba & Savta Laufer, and the extended Haas and Rebenwurz families. - Dasi & Phil, Aryeh & Eliana, Avi and Tamar

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

- ✦ Elana & Moshe Hollander on the yahrzeit of Moshe's father Sam Hollander, Shmuel ben Chaim Elya HaKohen a"h, on 5 Av.
- ✦ Carol & Chaim Jacobowitz for the yahrzeit of her beloved father, Chaim Yaakov Davidowitz a"h, on 9 Av – Tisha B'Av. May his neshama have an aliya.
- ✦ Marlene Bash & Brendie Zuker in memory of their father, Avraham ben Yosef, on Tisha B'Av.

Shul Announcements

YISI BOOK CLUB: We are looking to begin a bi-monthly Book Club in the YISI community in September. We will meet early evenings in the shul and welcome you to join us. The first meeting will be led by Sarah Chasky, but we look forward to others volunteering. If you are interested, and/or have any questions, please contact Sarah Spiler at sarahspiler@gmail.com and write Book Club in the subject line.

YISI ADOPT-A-FAMILY: For over twenty years we have assisted families or soldiers killed or injured, or who have suffered loss or injury through a terror attack, providing them with much-needed funds to relieve their added burdens. Your donation can be sent to YISI-Adopt-A-Family, c/o Allan Gomberg, 4 Fillmore Ave. Staten Island, NY 10314.

SHABBOS SHACHARIS

- 7:00 AM – Main Shul
- 8:00 AM – First Shul
- 9:00 AM – Main Shul
- 9:30 AM – Sfarid-MPR

WEEKDAY SHACHARIS

- Sunday: 7, 8 & 9 AM – Main Shul
- Mon & Thur: 5:50 (M), 6:25 (BM), 6:55 (M) & 8 (M)
- Tue, Wed & Fri: 5:50 (M), 6:30 (BM), 7 (M) & 8 (M)

SHABBOS LUACH	
Eruv is up on both sides	
Friday, August 5	
Candle Lighting	6:55 / 7:50 PM
Mincha	6:30 / 8:00 PM
Shabbos, August 6	
Rabbi's Parsha Shiur	8:25 AM
Z'man Krias Shema	9:30 AM
Women's Learning Group: Mesilas Yesharim (in the MPR / Sfarid Minyan Room)	4:00 PM
Daf Yomi	5:00 PM
Mishna Yomis	5:50 PM
Mincha	1:40 & 6:00 PM
Fast Begins	8:05 PM
Shabbos Ends	8:52 PM
Maariv & Megillas Eichah	9:10 PM
WEEKDAY LUACH	
Earliest T&T	5:05 AM
Early Mincha	Mon-Thur 1:45 PM
Mincha/Maariv	Mon-Thur 7:55 PM
Halacha of the Week	Nachem; The earliest reference to this Tisha B'Av insertion is in the Talmud Yerushalmi, and later in various medieval sources. Many early authorities favored its recital during all the Amida prayers of Tisha B'Av, but in due course it became the accepted practice to recite it only at Mincha. To understand this practice, R. Joseph B. Soloveitchik, following the Midrash Eikha, would point to the Gemara, which states that it was precisely on Tisha B'Av afternoon that the First Temple was set afire and continued to burn through the next day. Far from being a source of despair, this was in fact one of consolation and strength, for up to that point the fear was that God would destroy the people of Israel. When, however, they saw that the wood and stones of the Temple were bearing the brunt of His anger, and the people as a whole would be allowed to survive to be given a second chance, they were relieved and comforted. Hence נחמה (consolation) is in order for us at Mincha time, and so we recite the paragraph then, and not before.
Sunday – Tisha B'Av	Shachris & Kinnos 7:00, 8:00 & 9:00 AM Mincha 1:40 PM & 7:40 PM Maariv 8:30 PM; Fast Ends 8:45 PM
Monday-Thursday	Chumash Shiur with Gary Kopstick 9:50 AM Via phone: 978-990-5384, Code: 3850876# or Zoom: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5608515236 Meeting ID: 560 851 5236 / Passcode: 12345 Saved on: www.kolhalashon.com/ToraBank/
Please see the Tisha B'Av handout for detailed schedule. Megillas Eichah and Kinnos will be in Shul and on Zoom – please check your email for the Zoom invitation.	

THE RABBI'S SHABBOS MORNING SHIUR is sponsored by: Sara & Phil Altmark in observance of the yahrzeit of Phil's mother - Faige Gitel bas Avraham Yitzchok - Fannie Altmark.

If you are **observing a YAHRZEIT** and want it on record with the shul, contact the office if you have not done so already.

YISI DAY CAMP IS UNDERWAY. We respectfully request that you not park in front of the shul Mon - Fri, 9 AM - 4 PM, through August 18. Thank you for your cooperation.

Youth Announcements

SUMMER GROUPS – Morning Groups only.

JR. CONGREGATION and **TEEN MINYAN** will resume after summer.

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FLAG FOOTBALL LEAGUE: For boys Grades 3-5 and 6-8. Beginning after Labor Day - early December. Members \$100/Non-members \$150. Register at: <https://forms.gle/ZWJutzgRtkNn5aJg9> by **August 14**.

Join the WhatsApp group to receive additional details: <https://chat.whatsapp.com/JslqYoquWNB1EFSqfDegqY>.

For more information, please reach out to Daniel Slomnicki at: yisifootballleague@gmail.com.

Community Happenings

RJJ PRESCHOOL has open seats available in both 3-K and 4-K for the 2022-2023 school year. Tuition, lunches, and snacks are free. Please call 917-687-8965.

SAVE THE DATE: BIKUR CHOLIM BREAKFAST – Sept. 11, 2022 at 9:00 AM at the Young Israel of Staten Island. Details to follow.

HILLEL AT THE COLLEGE OF STATEN ISLAND would like to inform incoming Jewish sophomore women of our **JFEW** (Jewish Foundation for Education of Women) **scholarship program**. This is a \$3,500 per year scholarship and includes a paid summer internship, professional development, networking and more. Must have a 3.0 GPA. For more information contact Nora at nshvartsberg@commonpointqueens.org.

AMIT NEWS: Final opportunity! Our 2022-23 calendar is dedicated to the **memories of Ruth Feder a”h and Myra Mitzner a”h**. A \$36 donation will entitle you to place an ad honoring their work. Contact Esther Loewenthal for details. To buy Mazel Tov, Get Well, and/or Condolence cards, please contact Aviva Brum.

DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE: Call Dave Bodner at 718-761-0707.

Tehillim Circle

Due to COVID the Shabbos Tehillim group that met after the main minyan has been suspended. The current list will be removed at the end of the month. Effective immediately, a new list will be printed at the beginning of each month. If you have a name you want listed, contact Yehudis Loewenstein at 917-868-5417, or yudisl@aol.com. Names given should only be people of our community or their relatives. Please continue to say Tehillim for those seeking refuah.

- Micha’el Dovid Ben Miriam
- Tehilla Basya bas Chaya Tova
- Yisroel Alter ben Chava Chana
- Yisrael Gedalia haCohen ben Chana
- Simcha Yitzchok ben Mireleh Yudka
- Esther Baila bat Rivka Yenta
- Dov Berish ben Chaya
- Shayna Golda bat Chaya Gitel
- Devorah Aliza bat Chana Liba
- Bracha Devorah bat Sarah Henna
- Menachem Mordechai ben Zeesel
- Raphael Pesachya Yaakov Halevi ben Aviva Sarah
- Bracha Rivka bat Miriam Leba

Community Gemachs

- ◆ **Precharged phone battery chargers** (with AC connection to recharge). Comes with built-in connector for iPhone and USB. Leave a \$5 deposit check which will be returned. Text 917-710-5611 or 718-570-5920.
- ◆ **Furniture** – Winiarzfamily@aol.com or call 718 983-8136.
- ◆ **Chair Gemach** – If you need to borrow chairs for company or a simcha, call Chana Reichman at 718 404-6708.
- ◆ **Apt. for Simchas** - If you need to host people for a Shabbos simcha, furnished 2 BR apt. available free of charge. Call Chaim Jacobowitz at 516 241-6725.
- ◆ **School Uniforms** - Rachelit 718 983-9664.
- ◆ **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.
- ◆ **Chuppah Tefillah cards** – Please contact Rivka Gold 917-836-1408.
- ◆ **Bris Pillow & Outfit** - David at 347 661-4760 or Emunah at 718 813-1977.
- ◆ **Baby on the go Gemach** - Liluy Nishmat Rafi Toback - items available for loan for immediate newborn needs upon arriving home and for baby travel for parents/guests. Contact Emunah Toback at 718 813 -1977.
- ◆ **Mom to Mom** - Fresh, hot, kosher lunches for a week for new moms on Staten Island, delivered to their door, absolutely free. To order, call or text 347-254-8112.
- ◆ **Mezuzot Inspections** - Have your Mezuzot picked up, inspected, repaired, replaced, and returned. No charge for transporting the Mezuzot! Contact Scott Diamond for info: 917-674-3317/slzdiamond@hotmail.com.

Chesed Opportunities

- **Any member of the congregation in need of 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!

- **Bikur Cholim** is looking for: Volunteers to visit Jewish residents in Staten Island nursing homes, flexible hours. Call Brenda Kellerman at 718-761-6521. A man to pick up food in Williamsburg once or twice a week and deliver to Staten Island University Hospital. Some heavy lifting. Volunteers to straighten out the room once a week. Contact Penny Feuer at 917-582-7831.
- **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 at the Mt. Richmond Cemetery, 420 Clarke Ave. Contact Scott Diamond at (917) 674-3317 or slzdiamond@hotmail.com.
- **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.
- **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.
- **Clothing Donation – BY APPOINTMENT ONLY – no longer accepting drop-offs.** Only clothing in excellent condition. Nothing torn, soiled or outdated. Clothes go directly to people in our neighborhood. All sizes needed. Teachers, please call if you notice a student in need! If you need clothing, or to schedule a drop-off, call Rachelit at 718-983-9664.
- **Beautiful ketubot available at no charge.** Medium and small sizes. Please contact Rachelit at 718-983-9664.
- Anyone needing help in **writing in Hebrew for a matzeva**, please contact Rachelit at 718-983-9664. No charge. Help is also available for writing in Hebrew for a simcha.
- **The Willowbrook Pantry** is open by appointment only. Please call Beverly Israel at 646-530-1495 or Noga Kugel at 347-776-2977 to schedule. We are collecting cleaning items & toiletries that can be dropped off at 511 Buchanan Ave. or 154 Oakville St. anytime.

Job Opportunities

- Oorah’s Little Star Preschool is looking for a full-time teacher’s assistant. Email info@jewishlittlestar.org or call (718) 948-STAR.
- The Jewish Foundation School is looking to hire Middle School (grades 6 - 8) Rebbeim and Morot and a middle school ELA teacher for the 2022-2023 school year. Please send resumes to rabbiwasser@jfsi.org.
- JCC of Staten Island is seeking a Director of Social Services: LMSW with minimum 3 years’ experience. Must have Sifi Certification. Will oversee Kosher Food Pantry, Case Management, Career Connections. Interested parties, please send your resume to Amelia Winter at awinter@sjcc.com.
- JCC of Staten Island is seeking a Part Time Arts & Culture Administrative Assistant to provide support with programming, marketing, social media and fundraising needs. Proficient in MS Office, Excel and Power Point. Flexible schedule required, Sundays/evenings. Please send resumes to Bella Smorgonskaya at bsmorgonskaya@sjcc.com.
- JCC of Staten Island is seeking a Full Time Arts & Culture Program Assistant to work on annual events such as Jewish Music Festival; assist in developing lectures and other programming; work with vendors; and promote programs and events with marketing, social media and fundraising. Proficient in MS Office, Excel, Power Point. Bachelor’s Degree preferred. Flexible schedule required. Send resume to Bella Smorgonskaya at bsmorgonskaya@sjcc.com.
- NJ company seeks Purchasing Assistant. Responsibilities include sourcing new and existing products, negotiating price/terms, ordering & scheduling of materials, supplies, and/or equipment, and follow through with vendors on shipment and delivery. Math skills a must. Knowledge of Excel, Great Plains is a plus. Located in Bayonne, NJ. Wonderful working atmosphere, and many job perks. Send resume to jobs@catchmaster.com.
- Job openings (childcare, assistant teacher) at Blossom Daycare in Willowbrook. Resume can be sent to blossomdaycare@AOL.com or call 347-552-6948.

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We want to share in your Smachot! Please notify the shul office of major life events such as births, bar mitzvahs and weddings so that we can wish you a Mazal Tov in our weekly announcements (**Resident Members only**; non-Resident members can make a donation to the Simcha Fund).
 Donations to the **Simcha Fund and Charity Fund of \$54** or more will be acknowledged in the corresponding section of announcements.
 You may **sponsor a shiur** in honor of or in memory of a loved one with a donation of **\$100** or more.
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