



YOUNG ISRAEL of STATEN ISLAND

פרשת כי תבוא
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September 16, 2022 / 20 Elul
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CONDOLENCES

★ Susan Rosenzweig on the loss of her mother, Mrs. Edna Klebanow. Shiva will be observed in Yerushalayim through Monday morning. Susan can be reached on her cell phone at 347-838-3521.

MAZAL TOV

- ★ **Susie & Gil Cohen** on the birth of a grandson, born to their children Shulamis & Yitzchok Lomnitz.
- ★ **Tova & Hanoch Dubitsky** and **Mona & Norman Wexler** on the Bat Mitzvah of their granddaughter Avigayil Temima, daughter of Yael & Alex Wexler, in Bet Shemesh.
- ★ **Zelda & Izzy Farkas** on the Bar Mitzvah of their grandson Eli, son of Yehudit & David Goldfinger.
- ★ **Molly Taitelbaum** and **Didi Cohen** on the engagement of their granddaughter Miriam Cohen to Eitan Tovey in Israel.
- ★ **Irene & Stanley Fogel** on the engagement of their grandson Yoni, son of Malka & David Blass, to Shaindy Feldman in Israel.

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 Minyanim for Smachot Dovid Newman 917-364-3686
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 Catering/Space Rental Bookings@yisi.org

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

★ Molly Taitelbaum in honor of on the engagement of her granddaughter Miriam Cohen to Eitan Tovey in Israel.

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

- ★ Yudy Weiss and family express their gratitude to Rabbi Lehrfield for his support, advice and assistance upon the loss of Yudy's father, Joseph Weiss, a"h. His actions and concerns went beyond that of one's Rav, extending into true friendship and pure chesed. Our community is truly fortunate to enjoy his leadership and guidance.
- ★ Atara & Lazer Goldgrab for the yahrzeit of his father Herbert Goldgrab, Ephraim Yechiel ben Chaim Schneur z"l on 24 Elul.
- ★ Rosalie Grunberg for the yahrzeit of her mother, Fruma bas Avraham.
- ★ Larry Hollander for the yahrzeit of his father, Moshe Boruch ben Yisroel Yaakov.
- ★ Irwin Ziment for the yahrzeit of Chaya Rivka bas Yehoshua Yehuda Hakohen.

Shul Announcements

YISI will hold a MEMBER KIDDUSH this Shabbos, September 17, in the Social Hall after the Main Minyan.

YISI is proud to welcome SHLOIME DACHS for the first night of SELICHOS – This Motzei Shabbos, September 17:

- 9:15 PM – Kumzitz
- 10:30 PM – Musical Selichos

Anyone in need of SHOFAR BLOWING in their home, please contact Rabbi Lehrfield.

If you missed the deadline and need SEATS for YOMIM NORAIM please send in your order ASAP and we will try to accommodate your request. Member price is \$110 per seat. Please make sure you are up to date on all payments. **Orders without the necessary payments cannot be processed.**

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, September 16	
Candle Lighting	6:05 / 6:45 PM
Mincha	5:40 / 6:55 PM
Shabbos, September 17	
Rabbi's Parsha Shiur	8:25 AM
Z'man Krias Shema	9:44 AM
Women's Learning Group: Mesilas Yesharim (in the MPR / Sfarid Minyan Room)	4:00 PM
Daf Yomi	5:50 PM
Mishna Yomis	6:30 PM
Mincha	6:40 PM
Rabbi Lehrfield will speak on the topic "Kneeling and Bowing"	Between Mincha & Maariv
Shabbos Ends	7:47 PM

WEEKDAY LUACH

Earliest T&T	5:52 AM
Early Mincha	Sun-Thur 1:45 PM
Mincha/Maariv	Sun-Thur 6:45 PM
Late Maariv	Sun-Thur 9:00 PM; followed by Selichos
Selichos	Weekdays 20 min before Shachris and 9:10 PM
Halacha of the Week	The general custom of Ashkenazim is to begin reciting Selichos this Motzei Shabbos. Why do we always begin on a Motzei Shabbos? The Mishnah Berurah (581:6) explains that we always begin on Motzei Shabbos so there should be a uniform starting date for Selichos. Another explanation is offered by Sefer Leket Yosher – a 15th century student of the Trumas HaDeshen. He writes that we always begin Selichos on Sunday, because we want to connect Selichos with Shabbos. After Shabbos we are in a state of simcha (joy) because of the Torah which we have learned on that day, and because of our fulfillment of the mitzvah of Oneg Shabbos (enjoying the delicacies of Shabbos). It is with this atmosphere of simcha that we wish to begin because the Divine Presence does not descend upon those who are depressed, but on those who experience the simcha of performing mitzvos (Shabbos 30b). Motzei Shabbos, when we are still filled with joy, is an auspicious time to begin beseeching Hashem for forgiveness.
Motzei Shabbos	Kumzitz 9:15 PM; Musical Selichos 10:30 PM Late Selichos 12:50 AM
Monday-Thursday	Rabbi Lehrfield's Gemara Shiur 9:00 AM In person in Social Hall and via Zoom
Monday-Thursday	Chumash Shiur with Gary Kopstick 9:50 AM In person in Social Hall and via Zoom Via phone: 978-990-5384, Code: 3850876# Saved on: www.kolhalashon.com/ToraBank/
Wednesday	Rabbi Weiss - Tefilla 8:30 PM & Parsha 9:00 PM Via Phone: 425-436-6327, Code: 435236#

THE RABBI'S SHABBOS MORNING SHIUR is sponsored by:
 • Shirley & Sheldon Schwartz on their 58th wedding anniversary this week. Mazal tov!

WEEKDAY MORNING SHIURIM VIA ZOOM:

Rabbi Lehrfield - Gemara Shiur 9:00 AM
 Gary Kopstick - Chumash Shiur 9:50 AM
 Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5608515236>
 Meeting ID: 560 851 5236 / Passcode: 12345

Youth Announcements

YOMIM NORAIM GROUPS: For children in Grades N-3. 8:30 AM through end of davening. Please register through the email sent out by the Youth Department.

”והשיב לב אבות על בנים ולב בנים על אבותם”



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- Morning: 9:30 AM; early drop off 9:00 AM
- Afternoon: 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

JR. CONGREGATION with Rabbi Ben Schofield: Shabbos morning at 9:30 AM in the Social Hall.

TEEN MINYAN: Shabbos morning at 9:30 AM in the Beis Medrash. We are always looking for Kiddush sponsors.

SIMCHAT TORAH: The Youth Department is looking for sponsors for our annual Simchat Torah candy and other holiday-related events.

BASKETBALL in the YISI Gym for High School boys: Sundays from 8:00 PM - 11:00 PM.

FLAG FOOTBALL LEAGUE: The first season of the YISI Football League is off to a great start! Games continue this Sunday at 2:30 PM.

Community Happenings

COJO PRE-ROSH HASHANA FOOD DISTRIBUTION: Wednesday, Sept 21, 5:30 - 6:30 PM at the Aur Torah Sephardic Minyan, 1180 Rockland Ave (at Merrymount Ave). Registration required by Sept. 18 at: <https://form.jotform.com/222494497552163>. Contact Iva Reuven, COJO Service Committee Chairperson, at ivacojosi@gmail.com with any questions.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: COJO of Staten Island will be having their pre-holiday food distribution on Wednesday, Sept. 21 at Aur Torah Minyan on Rockland Ave. & Merrymount Ave. If you can help with packing in the mornings/early afternoons and/or help distribute in the evenings, please contact sarahspiler@gmail.com.

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: To buy Mazel Tov, Get Well, and/or Condolence cards, please contact Aviva Brum. AMIT calendars have been mailed. Please call Esther Loewenthal if you did not receive one.

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.

- 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.
- ♦ **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 Kelleman 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.
- **Chevre 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

- **Seeking Job:** 27-year-old male looking for a remote job. Efficiency-driven and organized with team-oriented mentality, business goals and sales excellence. Superior creative, art and technical skills. Experienced with computers and customer service. Opened to all remote jobs. Please text 845-798-5205.
- Bookkeeper needed for Boro Park office. \$40 per hour, approx 28 hours per week. Email Julia Katz: Julia@supremestaffinggroup.com.
- Tax Accountant needed for Brooklyn office. In office, hybrid and remote. 125k+ great benefits. Email Julia: Julia@supremestaffinggroup.com.
- Open opportunities at RJJ Boys' Yeshiva: Lead Secretary and Teachers - Upper grades all secular subjects. Help raise the level of learning and be part of a great team. Competitive salary. Email rabbiyablonsky@ymht.org.
- The Jewish Foundation School is looking to hire Middle School (grades 6-8) Rebbeim and Morot for the 2022-2023 school year. Please send resumes to rabbiwasser@ifssi.org.
- Job openings (childcare, assistant teacher) at Blossom Daycare in Willowbrook. Resume can be sent to blossomdaycare@AOL.com or call Rena E. (Winiarz) Teitelbaum 347-552-6948 for more information.

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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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