

CONGREGATION BETH AARON ANNOUNCEMENTS

Parshat Bamidbar

June 10-13, 2016

4-5 Sivan 5776

SHABBAT TIMES

Friday, June 10

Plag Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: 6:40 p.m.

Earliest Candles: 6:54 p.m.

Mincha/Early Shabbat: 7:00 p.m.

Latest Candles: 8:09 p.m.

Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: 8:15 p.m.

Shabbat, June 11

Hashkama Minyan: 7:30 a.m.

Tefillah shiur: 8:20 a.m.

Main Minyan: 8:45 a.m.

Sof Zman Kriat Shema: 9:09 a.m.

Early Mincha: 1:45 p.m.

Daf Yomi: 6:40 p.m.

Meir Hirsch's shiur: 6:50 p.m.

Rabbi Rothwachs' shiur: 7:00 p.m., "Sleep Studies: Why Stay Awake on the Night of Shavuot?"

Mincha: 7:50 p.m., followed by a shiur by Rabbi Menachem Leibtag, "The Mitzvah to 'Remember Har Sinai' -- Once a Year; Once a Day; or Once a Week?"

Maariv: 8:53 p.m.

Earliest Candles: 9:18 p.m.

Women's Learning: 11:30 p.m., at the East home, 265 Cherry Lane

Tikkun Leil Shavuot 4 Kids: 12:00 a.m., in the shul

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Earliest Candles on Friday, June 17:

6:57 p.m.

Latest Candles on Friday, June 17:

8:12 p.m.

June Calendar

THIS WEEK'S PARSHA QUESTIONS

Printed copies are available in the lobby.

On Shabbat and Yom Tov the shul elevator will operate in Shabbat mode as follows:

Friday:

7:00-9:15 p.m.

Shabbat:

8:15 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.;

6:00 p.m.-Midnight

Sunday:

12:01 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.;

6:00 p.m.-Midnight

Monday:

8:15 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.;

6:00-9:00 p.m.

Is the Eruv Up? Call the Eruv Hotline before Shabbat: 201-530-0222

Contact Beth Aaron at office@bethaaron.org

This week's announcements are sponsored by Lamdeinu.

For information on their schedule of classes, see page 4 and go to lamdeinu.org.

Study in depth; be inspired!

Tikkun Leil Shavuot, Motzaei Shabbat, June 11

- 11:30 p.m.: Women's Learning at the East home, 265 Cherry Lane. Esther East and Adinah East will speak on "And the Stranger Among You: Creating a Welcoming and Inclusive Jewish Community."
- 12:00 a.m. to Shacharit: Tikkun Leil Shavuot 4 Kids in the shul
Learning in the shul will begin at midnight.
Refreshments will be provided by the Fisch-Mellul family, with thanks to the Men's Club for their cooperation and assistance.
- 12:00 a.m.: Shalom Fisch, *Siyum on Seder Zeraim* י"ד רבני סטנלי פיש
- 12:15 a.m.: Rabbi Larry Rothwachs, "The Ten Most Fascinating *Shailot* of the Past Year"
- 1:30 a.m.: Rabbi Neil Lauer, "Carpe So-Dium: What's with the Salt for *ha-Motzi*?"
- 2:30 a.m.: Rabbi Daniel Goldberg, "How the Rabbis Stole *Shavuot*"
- 3:30 a.m.: Rabbi Mark Staum, "Residual Prophets?: The Significance of the *Haftarah*"

First Day of Shavuot, Sunday, June 12

- Shacharit: 4:45 a.m.
- Neitz: 5:24 a.m.
- Hashkama Minyan: 7:30 a.m.
- Main Minyan: 8:45 a.m.
- Early Mincha: 1:45 p.m.
- Shavuot shiur: 4:50 p.m., Rabbi Larry Rothwachs, "Rut's Struggle for Inclusion and What That Should Mean for Us"
- Women's Shavuot shiur: 5:00 p.m., Leah Silver, "Behind Every Great Man (and Dairy Holiday) Stands a Great Woman: Rut and Shavuot -- Royalty, Responsibility, and Return," at the Rothwachs home, 288 Schley Place
- Shavuot shiur: 5:40 p.m., Rabbi Neil Lauer, "Carpe So-Dium: What's with the Salt for *ha-Motzi*?"
- Plag Mincha/Maariv: 6:40 p.m.
- Earliest Candles: 6:55 p.m. (begin meal no later than 7:55 p.m.)
- Daf Yomi: 7:05 p.m.
- Mincha: 8:15 p.m., followed by a shiur by Michael East
- "Shmooze Around the Fire": 8:30 p.m. (weather permitting), at the Rothwachs' backyard, 288 Schley Place, for all 2nd-5th grade boys and girls. There will be *Divrei Torah*, songs, and s'mores.
- Maariv bi-zman: 8:58 p.m.
- Earliest Candles bi-zman: 9:19 p.m.

Second Day of Shavuot, Monday, June 13

- Hashkama Minyan: 7:30 a.m.
- Main Minyan: 8:45 a.m.
- Youth Minyan: 9:15 a.m.
- Early Mincha: 1:45 p.m.
- Parent-Child Learning (Nursery-1st grade): 4:00 p.m., in the shul, with topics on Shavuot and STEM activities. Guest presenters include Rabbi Rothwachs, Steven Hoenig, and Erica David. There will be a "Family Feud" game show at the end of the program. Community-wide learning sponsored by TABC in the shul
- 5:45 p.m.: Rabbi Yoni Mandelstam, "Sanctifying Time Through *Torah* Study: An Analysis of the *Mitzvah* of *Talmud Torah*"
- 7:00 p.m.: Rabbi Yaacov Blau, "Do You Think You Have What It Takes To Be a *Navi*? Preparing Yourself for Sanctity"
- Daf Yomi: 7:05 p.m.
- Mincha: 8:15 p.m.
- 8:30 p.m.: Rabbi Duvie Nachbar, "Feeling at Home: On the Relationship between *Bayit* and *Beit Midrash*"
- Maariv: 9:10 p.m.
- Havdalah: 9:19 p.m.

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 12						
	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri
	12	13	14	15	16	17
Earliest <i>Tallit</i>	4:24	4:24	4:24	4:24	4:24	4:24
<i>Shacharit</i>	4:45 MS 7:30 BM 8:45 MS	7:30 SH 8:45 MS	5:55 SH 6:30 BM 7:15 BM 8:00 BM	5:55 SH 6:30 BM 7:15 BM 8:00 BM	5:40 SH 6:20 BM 7:10 BM 8:00 BM	5:55 SH 6:30 BM 7:15 BM 8:00 BM
<i>Mincha</i>	1:45 BM 8:15 MS	1:45 BM 8:15 MS				
<i>Mincha/ Maariv</i>	6:40 MS		8:15 BM	8:15 BM	8:15 BM	6:45 BM 7:00 MS 8:15 SH
<i>Maariv</i>	8:58 MS	9:10 MS	9:30 BM	9:30 BM	9:30 BM 10:00 SH	

KEY: MS = Main Shul BM = Beit Midrash SH = Social Hall

MAZAL TOV TO

- **Rabbi Mark Karasick**, on being honored at this coming week's Heichal HaTorah Annual Dinner.
- **Amanda & Avi Moskowitz**, on the birth of their daughter Mindy Adira. *Mazal Tov* also to big brother Yoshi and big sister Nechama; to grandparents Sharon & Ben Alexander and Rachel & Bob Moskowitz of Hillside, N.J.; and to great-grandparents Edna Alexander, Eve & John Sputz, Leila Reiser, and Rita Moskowitz.

SHUL ANNOUNCEMENTS

This *Shabbat*, June 11, *Parshat Bamidbar*, **members of the Youth Minyan will lead davening in the Main Shul**. This reflects our acknowledgement of these teens as essential members of our *kehilla*. Please take a moment to speak to them after davening to celebrate their contribution to and involvement in our *shul*.

Thank you to **Ellen & George Friedman** for sponsoring the flowers that decorate the *shul* for *Shavuot*.

Thank you to the **Fisch-Mellul family** for providing refreshments for the *Tikkun Leil Shavuot* and to the Men's Club for assisting with supplies.

Women's Learning will not take place this *Shabbat*, June 11.

This *Shabbat*, June 11, **Rabbi Menachem Leibtag** will speak in the *shul* following the 7:50 p.m. *Mincha*. The topic will be "The *Mitzvah* To 'Remember Har Sinai': Once a Year; Once a Day; or Once a Week?" The program is sponsored by **Mollie Fisch and Roz & Ira Friedman**. To join in sponsoring this program, please contact Jeff Neugroschl, jneug@yahoo.com.

On *Shabbat*, June 18, at 4:45 p.m., there will be a **Young Members Seudah Shlishit** at the home of Felicia & Steve Hoenig, 166 Carlton Terrace. To make something for the *Seudah Shlishit*, please sign up at <http://tinyurl.com/ymseudahshlishit>. For more information, contact Felicia Hoenig, fkhoenig@gmail.com.

On *Shabbat*, June 18, at 6:30 p.m., **Rabbi Yitzchak Neriya**, of Yeshivat Torah Betzion in Jerusalem and the founder of Echad l'Echad, will speak on "Raising the Bar in *Torah* Education." The program is sponsored by **Roz & Ira Friedman**. To join in sponsoring this program, please contact Jeff Neugroschl, jneug@yahoo.com.

Congregation Beth Aaron's annual ***Siyum Mishnayot*** will take place this year at a *seudah shlishit* on *Shabbat Parshat Naso*, June 18. All

learning should be completed by that date. Sign-up for next year's *Siyum Mishnayot* is open! Sign up and choose your favorite *masechta* to learn by yourself, with a *chavruta*, your spouse or child(ren) at <http://tinyurl.com/gmh9nn>. Once more, all learning is being generously sponsored by Dr. Barry Weissman, in memory of his beloved parents, Pearl and Morris Weissman. **Additional sponsorships are being accepted until Monday night, June 13.** To become a sponsor, go to www.bethaaron.org/siyum or send a check and sponsorship information to the *shul* office. For any questions, contact Alden Leifer, aldenleifer@gmail.com, 201-907-0309.

PLEASE NOTE NEW DATE: **Rabbi Michael Hattin** will speak on "In the Shadow of *Melacha*: Tradition and Textual Plasticity," on Monday, June 20, at 8:00 p.m., at the Neugroschl home, 100 Edgemont Place. The program is sponsored by **Mollie Fisch and Roz & Ira Friedman**. To join in sponsoring this program, please contact Jeff Neugroschl, jneug@yahoo.com.

On *Shabbat*, June 24-25, **Rabbi Yehoshua Landau** of Yeshivat Reishit will be the Scholar-in-Residence. Details will follow.

The next book that will be discussed by the **Sisterhood Book Club** is *The Seven Good Years: A Memoir*, by Etgar Keret. The discussion will take place at the home of Pearl Markovitz. The subsequent book to be read will be "A Marriage of Opposites," by Alice Hoffman. For more information, contact Diane Fogel, difogel@aol.com.

Beth Aaron welcomes input from our *shul* members for **ideas for improving/expanding current programming or instituting new programming**. If you have an idea or programming suggestion, email vpp@bethaaron.org or call Mordechai Ungar, 201-741-3920.

MEN'S CLUB KIDDUSH

If you are celebrating a *simcha*, commemorating a *yahrtzeit*, or simply want to say "thank you," consider sponsoring an upcoming *Kiddush*. To become a sponsor, go to www.bethaaron.org/kiddush. For questions, contact Ari Gononsky at kiddush@bethaaron.org.

This week's Men's Club *Kiddush* following the Main *Minyan* is sponsored by:

Mezonot Sponsor:

- **Naomi Kraus**, in honor of the *yahrtzeit* of her grandfather, Yechezkel ben Yitzchak

Kiddush on the second day of *Yom Tov* is sponsored by **Judy Berkowitz**, in honor of Sam's "milestone" birthday.

THANK YOU TO THE OUTGOING BOARD AND OFFICERS

This past Tuesday, Rosh Chodesh *Sivan*, marked the beginning of a new term for the Beth Aaron officers and Board members. On the first *Shabbat* of the new term, we wish to express our deep thanks to those officers and Board members whose terms have concluded. Your hard work, energy, and commitment to keeping Beth Aaron a vibrant *shul* have been much appreciated by all its members. Your dedication to Congregation Beth Aaron has truly inspired all of us.

We thank the following retiring officers and Board members:

Rachelle Mandelbaum, Vice President Programming
Neal Yaros, Second Vice President
Yair Mayerfeld, President
David Fisher, Board member
Gloria Gellis, Board member
Kal Staiman, Board member
Larry Shafier, Past President

LOCKERS ARE NOW IN – CHECK THEM OUT

New wood veneer lockers have been installed in the second floor elevator lobby and are now available for rent. The annual rental fee is \$100 per fiscal year (July 1 to June 30), but if you start the rental now, all of June is free. To reserve, please contact the *shul* office, office@bethaaron.org. Feel free to contact Isaac Hagler, isaachagler@gmail.com, with any further questions.

GRADUATION KIDDUSH

The annual Graduation *Kiddush* will take place on *Shabbat*, June 25 (*Parshat Beha'alotcha*). Honor your graduate (from birth to doctoral level and everything in between) with a \$72 (per graduate) sponsorship.

In addition, June 25 also will be a Multi-Sponsored *Kiddush*, and standard (for *yahrtzeits*, *smachot*, etc...) sponsorships (\$200) are available. Sponsorships for the Graduation *Kiddush* can be made at www.bethaaron.org/gkiddush. In order to guarantee that your sponsorship/graduate is listed on the poster, all dedications must be received by Sunday, June 19. If you have any questions, please contact Ari Gononsky, kiddush@bethaaron.org.

WEEKLY SHIURIM

- *Daf Yomi*: For *Daf Yomi shiurim* and resources in Teaneck, go to www.teaneckshuls.org/daf/.
- *Daf Yomi shiur* by Rabbi Rothwachs / Rabbi Daniel Feldman / Rabbi Mark Staum: Monday-Thursday evenings, at 9:45 p.m.
- *Tanya shiur* by Rabbi Moshe Rosenberg: Tuesday evenings at 9:00 p.m.
- Rabbi Rothwachs' *Sanhedrin shiur*: Wednesdays at 8:30 p.m.
- *Mishmar* program: Thursday nights at 9:00 p.m.
- *Morning Mishna Chabura*: Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 7:00 a.m.; Thursday: 6:55 a.m.

SUMMER YOUTH GROUP LEADERS NEEDED

The Beth Aaron Youth Department needs you! Boys and girls going into 7th grade through post-high school are needed to lead *Shabbat* morning youth groups during the summer. Make extra money over the summer, gain experience working with children, and have a great time. If you are interested, complete the form at <http://goo.gl/forms/HsTqAwb6XKpUHRZS2> or email bethaaronyouth@yahoo.com for more information. Please note that we can operate safe and effective youth groups over the summer only if we have enough qualified group leaders. If we do not have enough group leaders, we will have to modify the structure of our current *Shabbat* morning youth groups.

KOL HA-NE'ARIM PROJECT

A model of the new *tallit* for the *Simchat Torah Kol ha-Ne'arim aliyah* will be on display in the *shul* lobby within the next few weeks. The completed *tallit*, which will be ready, *be-ezrat Hashem*, for *Simchat Torah 5777*, will have the names of children and grandchildren embroidered on it. Participate in this project by submitting names at a cost of \$1.50 per letter or by dedicating a section of the *tallit*. The costs for the project have been generously donated so that 100% of your contribution will benefit the *shul*. Dedications will be listed on the Donor Wall in the lobby. For information on this project, go to www.bethaaron.org/kolhanearim or contact Myron Chaitovsky, 201-833-8776, myron.chaitovsky@gmail.com.

BETH AARON YOUTH and JUNIOR HIGH

This *Motzaei Shabbat*, the first night of *Shavuot*, June 11, there will be a *Tikkun Leil Shavuot* from midnight until *Shacharit* for all 6th-8th grade boys and girls. Collect tickets for a chance to win a Kindle Fire! Delicious food will be served, including sushi, Chickies, candy, and more. There will be learning sessions, as well as time to learn in a *chavruta* or independently. Invite your friends!

Groups will not be held on the first day of *Shavuot*, Sunday, June 12. Groups on the second day of *Shavuot* will begin at 9:45 a.m. and will end with an ice cream treat for all children.

On the second night of *Shavuot*, Sunday, June 12, at 8:30 p.m. (weather permitting), all 2nd-5th grade boys and girls are invited to the Rothwachs' backyard, 288 Schley Place, for a "Shmooze Around the Fire." There will be *Divrei Torah*, songs, and s'mores.

During groups on the second day of *Shavuot*, Monday, June 13, all children will learn about why we eat dairy food on *Shavuot* and will be able to build their own yogurt parfaits!

On the second day of *Shavuot*, Monday, June 13, at 4:00 p.m., all children in nursery-1st grade and their parents are invited to a special parent-child learning program with topics on *Shavuot* and STEM activities. Guest presenters include Rabbi Rothwachs, Steven Hoenic, and Erica David. There will be a "Family Feud" game show at the end of the program. All *shul* members are invited to fill out the survey at <http://goo.gl/forms/qcBDTJ1dKMKb8aBk2> for the Youth Department's *Shavuot* Family Feud program.

For more information about youth programs, please contact Beth Aaron Youth Directors Erica and Jason David, 732-618-9473, youth@bethaaron.org.

NCSY

This *Motzaei Shabbat*, the first night of *Shavuot*, June 11, from 11:00 p.m. to 4:50 a.m., at Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, New Jersey NCSY, in partnership with the Congregation Keter Torah Teen Program, will offer a high school boys and girls **All Night Learning Program**.

On the second day of *Shavuot*, Monday, June 13, at 5:00 p.m., NCSY will hold a **BBQ Oneg** for all high school teens at Rabbi Reuven Lebovitz's home, 441 West Englewood Avenue, followed by a *Maariv minyan*.

This Thursday, June 16, at 7:00 p.m., at Lazy Bean Café, 1404 Queen Anne Road, Teaneck NCSY will hold its **final Latte and Learn** of the year. Come grab a drink and chill and learn together with friends and advisors in a relaxed environment. See you there!

For more information about NCSY and NCSY events, contact Reuven Lebovitz, ncsy@bethaaron.org.

SEE SOMEONE, SAY SOMETHING!

In order to continue making everyone feel our *shul* is a welcoming and open place, please make an extra effort to say "Hi" to any new faces you may see. If you meet anyone new or know of anyone moving onto your block or into our area, please send an email to office@bethaaron.org to ensure they are properly welcomed!

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

CareOne needs volunteers for a *minyán*. On Friday evening, *Mincha* will be at 7:15 p.m. On *Shabbat*, *Shacharit* will be at 9:00 a.m., *Mincha* at 8:05 p.m., and *Maariv* at 9:14 p.m.

Bikur Cholim Bergen County (BCBC) and Teaneck Taxi Service will provide **free taxi service for Bergen County residents to Englewood Hospital Medical Center, Holy Name Medical Center, Hackensack University Medical Center, and Valley Hospital on *Shabbat* and *Yom Tov*** for non-life threatening medical situations (labor, stitches, serious pain, etc.). Drivers have been instructed to open car and hospital doors and to expect no payment. In the event of a real medical emergency, please call 911, TVAC or BVAC. In cases of non-life threatening medical situations, please call Teaneck Taxi at 201-907-0044 and tell them you are calling from Bikur Cholim Bergen County. You must supply the BCBC phone number, 201-579-3066, to use this service.

Five Days/Five Ways, Areyvut's new summer program for middle school students, will take place from August 8 to August 12 at Chabad of Teaneck. Participants in the program will make new friends, learn new *chesed* skills, and go on daily field trips where they will put their new skills to work through hands-on service projects. For more information or to reserve a spot, go to www.areyvut.org.

Through *Shavuot*, Areyvut is hosting a **glasses drive**. All glasses, frames, lenses, and cases can be dropped off at the Areyvut office, 147 South Washington Avenue, Bergenfield.

On the first night of *Shavuot*, June 11, beginning at 11:45 p.m., at Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue, Ma'ayanot will hold a ***Tikkun Leil Shavuot for women***. *Shiurim* will be given by four Ma'ayanot faculty members: Shifra Schapiro, *Tanakh* teacher; Yael Weil, *Halakha* teacher; Rivka Kahan, Principal; and Rabbi Yaakov Nadler. For more information, contact ennisp@maayanot.org.

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This Tuesday, June 14, at 11:00 a.m., at Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, **Rabbi Menachem Leibtag** will speak on "Select *Mizmorim* from *Psukei de-Zimra*."

This Wednesday, June 15, at 7:30 p.m., at **Heichal HaTorah**, 70 Sterling Place, the school will hold its **Annual Dinner** and dedicate its building. Rabbi Mark Karasick is among the honorees. To RSVP, please go to www.heichalhatorah.org/dinner.

This Thursday, June 16, at 8:30 p.m., at Congregation Ahavath Torah, 240 Broad Avenue, Englewood, **Rabbi Dr. Jacob J. Schacter** will speak on "The Contemporary Theological Significance of the State of Israel: *Reshit Tzemichat Geulatenu?*" *Mincha/Maariv* will be at 8:10 p.m., followed by the lecture.

On Sunday, June 19, at 9:00 a.m., at the Horn home, 465 Winthrop Road, **New Jersey NCSY will host its Annual Bergen County Scholarship Breakfast**. Yaffa & Mordy Ungar are among the honorees.

COMMUNITY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

On Wednesday evenings, June 15, 22, and 29, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m., at Congregation Ahavath Torah, 240 Broad Avenue, Englewood, Yeshiva University's Bernard Revel Graduate School of Jewish Studies and the Center for the Jewish Future will offer a **Community Beit Midrash Young Scholars Summer Series**. The series will feature **Dr. Stu Halpern** on "Re-Reading Ruth: The *Megillah* in Light of *Sefer Bereshit*" and **Jackie Rosensweig** on "Beyond Sarah Schenirer: Inside the History of the Beis Yaakov Movement." The program is free, but advance registration to revevents@yu.edu is requested.

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