



ECHOD

2 AV 5775 • JULY 17-18, 2015

PARSHAT MATOT-MASEI • CANDLE LIGHTING: 8:07PM

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SHABBAT SCHEDULE

Friday Evening

- 6:45pm: Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Main Sanctuary
- 6:53pm: Earliest Candle Lighting
- 8:07pm: Candle Lighting
- 8:15pm: Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary

Shabbat Morning

- 7:40am: Hashkama Minyan in the Belfer Beit Midrash followed by Kiddush and shiur with **Ben Keil**
- 9:00am: Services in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary. Drasha by **Rabbi Josh Rosenfeld**: *The Deal: "...They Shall Not Break Their Word"*
- 9:15am: Beginners Service led by **Dr. Leonard Davidman** in room LL201 (Lower Level)
- 9:19am: Latest Shema
- 9:45am: Rabbi Herschel Cohen Memorial Minyan in the Belfer Beit Midrash

Shabbat Afternoon

- 4:00pm: Herb Weiss Bikur Cholim Society meets in shul lobby. New volunteers are urgently needed.
- 6:25pm: Beginners Mishna Chavura with **Moshe Sheinwexler** in the Belfer Beit Midrash
- 6:55pm: Louis Lazar Memorial Shiur with **Rabbi Josh Rosenfeld**: *LSS Summer Pirkei Avot Series #6 - Second Perek*
- 7:55pm: Mincha followed by Seudah Shlishit
- 9:07pm: Ma'ariv/Shabbat Ends

WEEKLY PRAYER SCHEDULE

For the Week of July 19– 24

Sun– Thurs: Mincha/Ma'ariv: 8:10pm

Sunday	Monday & Thurs	Tues, Wed & Fri
Shacharit: 7:10am	Daf Yomi: 6:15am	Daf Yomi: 6:20am
Daf Yomi: 7:45am	Shacharit: 7:00am	Shacharit: 7:10am
Shacharit: 8:30am	Shacharit: 7:50am	Shacharit: 7:50am

In the event of a bereavement, please call our clergy at 646-543-7485 (day or night)

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Hashkamah Kiddush

Sponsored by **Michael Kandov** in commemoration of the first yarhzeit of his beloved mother, **Liza Leah a"h**.

Main Kiddush

Sponsors Welcome.

Beginner's Kiddush

Sponsored by **Liora Harvin** in honor of her eighth year as a member of the tribe and wishing bracha v'hatzlacha to the entire Jewish community.

Rabbi Herschel Cohen Memorial Minyan Kiddush

Sponsored by **Tovah & Assaf Alster** in commemoration of the yarhzeit of Assaf's sister **Danna Bennett (Danna Bat Binyamin Yitzchak) a"h**.

Seudah Shlishit

Sponsors Welcome.

MAZAL TOV

- Mazal Tov to **Judy and Joel Schreiber** upon the birth of a great Granddaughter to their grandchildren **Rachel and Yoni Fein**.
- Mazal Tov to **Gretchen and Ben Cann** on the birth of their son, **Caleb Aziz (Kalev)**.

CHESED CORNER

Visiting the Graves of our Ancestors: Kever Avot

The custom of visiting the gravesites of loved ones during the month of Elul has been observed by many Jews throughout the generations. It is seen as a prelude to Rosh Hashanah, to remembering and recognizing that past is prelude to our present. This custom is difficult if you do not have a car. If you plan to visit to a cemetery you can perform a mitzvah by offering a ride to a fellow congregant. If you need a ride please contact chesed@lss.org. The Chesed committee will take the responsibility of attempting to coordinate partners. Please supply your name, phone, email, cemetery, for those of who drive please give date you plan to visit and the name of the cemetery.

EREV SHABBOS CALLS: If you know anyone who you think would welcome these calls please send info to chesed@lss.org.

YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Youth Groups for Pre-K only this Shabbat at 10am • In Room 206
There will be no youth breakfast

Family of Dana Hudes would like to express our thanks and deep appreciation to clergy and whole LSS community for their outpouring support and help in this difficult time

Saturday July 25th

Mincha: 6:15 pm

Fast Begins: 8:20 pm

Ma'ariv/the reading of Eicha & Kinot: 9:02 pm

Sunday, July 26th

First Service with Kinot : 6:30 am

Second Service with explanations of Kinot by

Rabbi Robinson and Rabbi Rosenfeld: 8:30 am

Following the second service, there will be a shiur by **Rabbi Dr. Moshe Sokolow** on themes of Tisha B'Av

Chatzot: 1:02 pm

Early Mincha: 1:40 pm

Film Screenings: 4:00 pm & 6:00 pm

Mincha/Ma'ariv: 7:45 pm

Fast Ends: 8:50 pm

Hilchot Tisha B'Av

- ◆ No eating, drinking, washing, anointing, wearing leather shoes, marital relations, or extending greetings.
- ◆ No learning Torah, except for sections dealing with the destruction of the Temple; i.e. The Book of Eicha and the account of the destruction in Tractate Gittin (56a-58a).
- ◆ No tallit and tefillin in the morning. We do, however, put them on at Mincha on Tisha B'Av afternoon.
- ◆ No sitting on chair of normal height until Chatzot (1:02pm on Sunday)

When Tisha B'Av is pushed to Saturday night...

- ◆ **Fast begins:** 8:20pm – Even though Shabbat is not yet over, the fast begins at sundown. Because Jewish law forbids public displays of mourning on Shabbat, the seudah mafseket, the final meal before the fast, does not involve the usual customs of mourning (i.e., sitting alone, on the floor, eating egg dipped in ash). Instead, one eats a regular seudah shlishit meal as seudah mafseket, but finishes the meal by 8:15pm
- ◆ **Non-Leather Shoes:** 9:02pm – Because Jewish law forbids public displays of mourning on Shabbat, one does not remove leather shoes/ change to non-leather shoes until Shabbat has ended and one has recited *Baruch Ha-Mavdil bein Kodesh L'Chol*.
- ◆ **Havdalah:** Because it is 9 Av, the havdalah service on Saturday night includes only *boreh meorei ha-esh* and on Sunday night before breaking ones fast havdalah with *boreh pri hagafen* and the *hamavdil* bracha is made.

Tisha B'Av Movie Screening

"Tunnel of Hope" • Sunday, July 26th
4pm and 6pm screenings



In 1943, 250 Jewish slave workers successfully escaped from a Nazi labor camp in Novogrudok, Belarus, via a tunnel they dug. The film follows the remaining escapees alive today, accompanied by their descendants, in an attempt to find the tunnel. The archaeological excavations dug up not only piles of dirt and some physical remnants, but also dredged up the memories, pain and hope of three generations which merge to become one story.

WEEKLY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

TUESDAY

Parsha Class with Rabbi Josh Rosenfeld • 10:30am

Tuesday Beit Midrash Night • 7:30-9:15pm

- Tanach Survey: The Books of Samuel and Kings (7pm)
Facilitated by Marcy Zwecker and Robin Mitchnick (meeting in a private home – call office for details)
- Politics and Kingship: The Book of Samuel
Facilitated by Ron Platzer

TISHA B'AV PRAYER SERVICE FOR ISRAEL AND JEWS IN DANGER WORLDWIDE

Make your Tisha B'Av meaningful! Join our 38th annual outdoor Tisha B'Av prayer service for Israel and Jews in danger worldwide on Sunday, July 26th, 2 pm, at the dramatic Isaiah Peace Wall, First Avenue & 43rd Street, opposite the UN. It's a traditional mincha, complete with Torah reading. Please bring your siddur and men, if possible, your tallis and tefilin.

Coordinated by Amcha-Coalition for Jewish Concerns, along with AFSI and SSSJ. Info: (212) 663-5784 or tishabavatttheisaiahwall.com. Please join us!

BEGINNERS ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **New sessions** of the Hebrew Reading Crash Course Level I will begin **Monday, August 3rd, 2015 at 6:30pm**. The 5 classes last 1 1/2 hours, and are free and open to all. Register at www.lss.org/beginners.
- **Save the date!** "First Call" Beginners Luncheon, to be held **Shabbat, September 5th**, in honor of **Dr. Leonard Davidman**. The cost is still only \$20 per person. Register and pay online at www.lss.org/beginners. Please make your reservations and payment by **Thursday, September 3rd**.

ISRAEL CORNER • פינת ישראל

Stop Iran from Going Nuclear • Tuesday, July 21st, at 7pm

This community-wide event will take place at LSS with a call to stop Iran from going nuclear. The speaker will be Josh Block, President and CEO of [The Israel Project](http://TheIsraelProject.org) (TIP). [Josh Block](http://JoshBlock.com) has been involved in national politics and policy for nearly twenty years as well as being a former spokesman for AIPAC. An agreement between Iran and six world powers was announced to great fanfare earlier this week. While it appears to address *some* of Israel's security concerns, it also raises some troubling questions. Congress will now have 60 days to consider and vote on the agreement.

It is important that our representatives know that adherence to the elements of the agreement that contribute to the security of Israel are important to their constituents. Admission to the event is free, but, for planning purposes, please registers by clicking [here](http://stopiranrally.org). Also, please inform your friends about this event and strongly encourage them to attend.

Stop Iran Rally • Wednesday, July 22nd • Times Square (42nd and 7th) • For more details: <http://stopiranrally.org>