



ECHOD

30 AV 5775 • ROSH CHODESH ELUL • AUGUST 14-15, 2015
PARSHAT RE'EH • CANDLE LIGHTING: 7:38PM

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SHABBAT SCHEDULE

Friday Evening

- 6:30pm: Earliest Candle Lighting
- 6:45pm: Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary
- 7:38pm: Candle Lighting
- 7:40pm: 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 **Rabbi David Freedman**
- 9:00am: Services in the Nathaniel Richman Cohen Sanctuary. Drasha by **Rabbi Ben Elton**
- 9:15am: Beginners Service led by **Dr. Leonard Davidman** in room LL201 (lower level)
- 9:32am: Latest Shema
- 9:45am: Rabbi Herschel Cohen Memorial Minyan in the Belfer Beit Midrash

Shabbat Afternoon

- 5:55pm: Beginners Mishna Chavura with **Moshe Sheinwexler** in the Belfer Beit Midrash
- 6:25pm: Louis Lazar Memorial Shiur by **Rabbi Ben Elton**: *Balancing Torah Study and other Mitzvot according to the Shulchan Aruch HaRav*
- 7:25pm: Mincha followed by Seudah Shlishit
- 8:37pm: Ma'ariv/Shabbat Ends

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See the full High Holiday Service schedule, the full clergy calendar, put names in the Book of Remembrance and more by visiting lss.org/highholidays2015

WEEKLY PRAYER SCHEDULE

For the Week of August 16– 21

Sun–Thurs: Mincha/Ma'ariv: 7:35pm

| Sunday (R.C. Elul) | Monday & Thurs | Tues, Wed & Fri |
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| Shacharit: 7:00am | Daf Yomi: 6:15am | Daf Yomi: 6:20am |
| Daf Yomi: 7:55am | 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 **Alisa Adler** in honor of the morning minyan at LSS making it possible to complete a year challenge Elul to Elul.

Main Kiddush

Sponsors Welcome.

Beginner's Kiddush

Sponsored by **Beatrice Stoller** in commemoration of the yahrtzeit of her beloved mother, **Sonia Mazur a"h**.

Rabbi Herschel Cohen Memorial Minyan Kiddush

Sponsored by **Dr. James and Elana Nussbaum** in honor of their son Jake's birthday and as a zchus for the refuah shelaima of **Asher ben Kaila, Chaim Daniel Baruch ben Rivka Breindl, and Mazel Devorah bas Baila Faiga** together with all cholim.

Seudah Shlishit

Sponsors welcome.

MAZAL TOV

Mazal Tov to **Perry and Margy-Ruth Davis** on the Bar Mitzvah of their grandson, **Amishav Weinstein**, son of their daughter **Shefa Weinstein** and her husband **Aharon Weinstein** in Even Shmuel, Israel.

HIGH HOLIDAY SEATS

Rosh Hashanah & Yom Kippur seats are now on sale in our 4 Service Locations:

- ◇ Main Sanctuary (no women's seats available, very limited men's seats available)
- ◇ Ballroom - \$185 for members/\$205 for non-members
- ◇ Kollel – (Limited seats available) \$150 for members/\$180 for non-members
- ◇ Beginners Service -\$75 for members/\$125 for non-members (no one will be turned away due to lack of funds)

YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Youth Groups for Pre-K only this Shabbat at 10am • In Room 206
There will not be a youth breakfast

Join our LSS community.
Go to lss.org/join

WEEKLY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

SUNDAY

Minchat Chinuch with **Rabbi Ben Elton** • 9:15am

Topic: Mitzvah 497: To appoint a king

TUESDAY

Parsha Class with **Rabbi Ben Elton** • 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

WEDNESDAY

The Subversive Religious Poetry of Yehuda Amichai

Facilitated by Sara Brzowsky • 8:00pm

CHESED CORNER

Visiting the Graves of our Ancestors: Kever Avot Elul is here. Time is running out

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. We are still looking for drivers and people who need transportation.

If you visit loved ones at **THE NEW MONTEFIORE CEMETERY** on Long Island, one of our members plans to go during the last week in August and has 4 seats available. If interested please email chesed@lss.org and we will provide you with the person's name, email address and phone so that you can make arrangements. Please consider fulfilling this mitzvah and let us know when you plan to visit.

We have requests for people who plan to drive to Cedar Park or Beth El cemeteries in Paramus, NJ, Mount Lebanon Cemetery in Queens and Westchester Hills (aka Stephen Wise Free Synagogue Cemetery) in Hastings-on-Hudson. Please email chesed@lss.org with the name of the cemetery you would like to visit during Elul and we will try to team you up with a driver.

BEGINNERS ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The next session of the **Hebrew Reading Crash Course Level I** will meet on **Monday, August 17th** at **6:30pm**, and continue for **2 more weeks**. The classes meet for **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 on **Shabbat, September 5th**, in honor of **Dr. Leonard Davidman**. The cost is only \$25 per person. Please note new price. Register and pay online at www.lss.org/beginners. Please make your reservations and payment by **Thursday, September 3rd**.
- **High Holiday Beginners Services** at **Lincoln Square Synagogue**, in the **Beit Midrash (2nd Floor)**. Tickets for LSS members **\$75**; non-members **\$125**. For reservations, call **212-874-6100** or visit www.lss.org/beginners. Rosh Hashanah: **Sunday, Sept. 13, 6:55 pm; Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 14 & 15, 9:00 am; Monday, Sept. 14, 6:55 pm; Tuesday, Sept. 15, 6:55 pm w/ LSS**. Yom Kippur: **Tuesday, Sept. 22, 6:40 pm; Wednesday, Sept. 23, 9:00 am**. No one will be turned away due to lack of funds.
- **Any Beginner who is in need of meals for Rosh Hashanah**, please call Jessica at **646-871-0012** or email jessica@njop.org no later than **Tuesday, September 8th**. Please indicate which meals you need.
- We are happy to announce that, once again, the **Louis Lazar Memorial Fund** is sponsoring the **50% off campaign for Beginners**. Me-zuzot: **\$18**, Tefillin: **\$280**, Jewish books: **50% off**, **\$200 worth of books for \$100**. Expires **10/8/2015**. To place an order, please email Jessica at jessica@njop.org.

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Hakarat Ha'Tov

Senator Chuck Schumer announced that he will vote to *oppose* the nuclear deal with Iran. Copies of the statement announcing his opposition to the agreement are available in the shul's lobby; if there are no copies left, please visit <http://www.lss.org/advocacy>

While many of us welcome the Senator's announcement, many others have criticized it. The Senator could use our thanks and support. Please contact his office and express your appreciation for his vote. [Senator Chuck Schumer](http://www.lss.org/advocacy) 212.486.4430

Call Our Congressman

Congressman Nadler has not yet publicly declared his position other than to say that "the situation requires careful analysis." Click [here](#) to read his most recent press release.

Please contact his office to express your views about the deal. [Congressman Jerrold Nadler](http://www.lss.org/advocacy) 212.367.7350 State your case succinctly and politely. Here are some points you might make:

- The proposed deal does not ensure "anytime, anywhere" short-notice inspections.
- The proposed deal does not clearly condition sanctions relief on full Iranian cooperation in satisfying International Energy Agency concerns over the possible military dimensions of Tehran's program
- The proposed deal lifts sanctions as soon as the agreement commences, rather than gradually as Iran demonstrates sustained adherence to the agreement.
- The proposed deal lifts key restrictions in as few as eight years.
- The proposed deal would disconnect and store centrifuges in an easily reversible manner, but it requires no dismantlement of centrifuges on any Iranian nuclear facility.