AHAVAS ACHIM NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER 13, 2020 חיי שרה/מברכים כ"ז חשון תשפ"א

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Friday

Candlelighting..... 4:22 p.m.
Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat/Maariv (Sanctuary & Outdoors)..... 4:30 p.m.

שבת

Shacharit (Upstairs Social Hall) ....7:30 a.m.
Shacharit (Outdoors).....8:30 a.m.
Shacharit (Sanctuary) .....9:00 a.m.
Latest Shema.....9:13 a.m.
Teen Minyan.....9:30 a.m.
Daf Yomi ..... 3:30 p.m.
Mincha (Sanctuary & Outdoors) .... 4:20 p.m.
Shabbat Afternoon Learning..... .... 4:40 p.m.
Maariv (Sanctuary & Outdoors) .... 5:26 p.m.
Motzei Shabbat ..... 5:30 p.m.

The following minyanim do not require registration:

תולדות

Sunday Shacharit (Sanctuary)..... ....8:00 & 9:00 a.m.
Sunday Shacharit (Outdoors) ....8:30 a.m.
Monday & Thursday Shacharit (Outdoors) .....6:25 a.m.
Wednesday & Friday Shacharit (Outdoors) .....6:35 a.m.

ראש חודש כסלו

Tuesday Shacharit (Outdoors) ....6:15 a.m.

Monday–Friday Shacharit (Sanctuary) . ...7:45 a.m.
Sunday-Thursday Mincha/Maariv (Sanctuary & Outdoors)..... 4:25 p.m.
Monday-Thursday Late Maariv .... 9:30 p.m.
Friday Candlelighting..... 4:17 p.m.
Friday Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat/Maariv. ..... 4:25 p.m.

ברוך הבא

Ahavas Achim would like to warmly welcome all newcomers, visitors and guests who are joining us for Shabbat. If **President Josh Ostrin** or **Rabbi Steven Miodownik** don't get a chance to greet you personally, please come up and introduce yourself. We'd like to meet you!

SYNAGOGUE NEWS

SECRETS OF THE SHEMA

Zoom link: ***https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5757628337***

Ahavas Achim University presents a lecture series on Zoom on **Tuesdays** at **8:00 p.m.** Featuring **Rabbi Jed Zaslow,** AA Rabbinic Intern 5781, this series, will explore the deeper meaning of **Kriat Shema** and study its practical halachot.

The Schedule:

November 17: *V'ahavta: Going All In*

November 24: *V'haya: Meaning in Mitzvot*

December 1: *Vayomer: Slavery, Creation, and the Yoke of Heaven*

BREAKFAST WITH RABBI MENACHEM LEIBTAG

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88313393192; Passcode: 613

Dial in access: 929-205-6099

Ahavas Achim University presents **Breakfast with Rabbi Menachem Leibtag: Chanukah: 'Holiday of Lights' or 'Holiday of Freedom'?** on **Sundays, November 15, 22, 29** and **December 6** from **9:45-10:45 a.m.** Log onto Zoom, fire up the waffle maker, and invite Rabbi Leibtag into your home for breakfast and learning on five consecutive Sunday mornings before Chanukah! Please join us as we prepare for Chanukah by learning with our master teacher of Tanach. *Sponsorships welcome!*

- **November 15:** The Meaning of the Menorah in the Mishkan and in the Temple
- **November 22:** Chanukah and the Second Temple period: Biblical Roots in the Books of Chagai and Zechariah
- **November 29:** What is Sefer HaMakkabim and Why It Should (Or Shouldn't) Be Included in Tanach?
- **December 6:** The Torah Reading for

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If you would like to submit a name for the cholim list, please call the Shul office: 732-247-0532 or you can email: secretary@ahavasachim.org.

*(**Rabbi Leibtag,** continued from page 1)*

Chanukah and How It Explains Birkat Kohanim

Rabbi Menachem Leibtag, an internationally acclaimed Bible scholar and pioneer of Jewish Education on the internet, is well known in the Jewish community for his essays on the weekly Torah portion. His vibrant thematic-analytical approach blends the methods of modern academic scholarship with traditional Jewish approaches to the Biblical text. He is best known for his ability to teach students how to study rather than simply read Biblical passages. As his essays focus on meta-themes in the Torah, his readership has expanded to students of the Torah from all religions and walks of life.

In Israel, Rabbi Leibtag teaches at Yeshivat Har Etzion, Yeshivat Shaalvim, Midreshet Lindenbaum, and at Yeshiva University's Gruss Center. We are thrilled that Rabbi Leibtag, a regular visitor to Ahavas Achim University, will be joining us from Israel over Zoom.

AAU SHIURIM VIA ZOOM TELECONFERENCE

The learning has not stopped! It has just moved online. Please join us for this schedule of classes and maintain your regular learning from home!

TUESDAY

9:00-10:00 a.m. Men's Retirees Kollel **Parsha Gems** with Rabbi Moshe Goldberger. *Call in to **(605) 313-5890** and enter **399719#.***

WEDNESDAY

1:00-2:00 p.m. Megilat Kohelet with Rabbi Steven Miodownik. *Zoom link:* **https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5757628337**

8:00-9:00 p.m. Topics In Minhag and Halacha with Dr. Elisha Russ-Fishbane. *Zoom link:* **https://nyu.zoom.us/j/97405719710.** *The topic for this week:* **Infertility in Halacha: The Early Debates Over AI and IVF**

THURSDAY

10:00-11:00 a.m. Men's Retirees Kollel **Gemara Brachot** with Rabbi Shraga Gross. *Zoom link:* **https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5211206901**; *Password:* **112650**

MINYANIM UPDATE

- For Shabbat morning davening at all minyanim, we are setting an official start time for **"Shochain Ad"** at 25 minutes after the minyan begins. Those who would like to do Brachot and Pesukai D'Zimra at home can be assured that Shacharit will not begin before that designated time.
- Indoor Shabbat minyanim may only be attended through our registration website*: **https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904054dadad29a4f58-aaminyanim23***
- Sunday and all weekday minyanim do not require registration.

MEALTRAIN

Due to the coronavirus, please only cook if you are healthy!

Ahavas Achim is cooking for **Kivi and Chani Neuman** for the birth of their son. We are cooking for 2 adults and 2 children. Delivery is to **409 Grant Ave., Highland Park.** Please text before delivery and leave food on the front porch for contact free delivery! Please sign up at: **https://mealtrain.com/w1w6d7.**

AA FACE MASKS

A limited supply of comfortable, high-quality white **Ahavas Achim** face masks are available for purchase in the shul office for **$10** each. Please contact the office*:* **secretary@ahavasachim.org** or **732-247-0532** or drop by during weekday business hours to purchase yours!

SHABBAT AFTERNOON LEARNING: THE POWER OF THREE

Ahavas Achim University is proud to present our **Shabbat Afternoon Learning program** every Shabbat **between Mincha and Maariv.** The Gemara on Kiddushin 30a teaches us:

לעולם ישלש אדם שנותיו שליש במקרא שליש במשנה שליש בתלמוד

A person should always divide his learning into three parts: A third for Chumash, a third for Mishna, and a third for Talmud.

You will have an opportunity to choose one of those three components of learning—Mikra = Chumash, Mishnah, or Talmud—each Shabbat afternoon.

Mikra - Parsha Gems: Kivi Neuman in the Downstairs Social Hall (with doors open so anyone outside can join)

Mishnah - Masechet Ketubot: Rabbi Schwarzberg in the Main Sanctuary

Talmud - The Sugyot of Chanukah from Masechet Shabbat: Rabbi Miodownik in the Beit Midrash

DAILY INSPIRATION

Each day, the rabbi offers a short dvar torah video or image based on the parsha and current events. Would you like to be included in a WhatsApp group and receive these daily lessons? Please email **socialdistancingsurvival@gmail.com** with your phone number, and we will add you to our group!

TCN

Rabbi Yisroel Reisman's Navi Shiur is shown on **TCN Motzei Shabbat** in the **Beit Midrash** (Time: **7:30 p.m.** through January).

Rabbi Frand's parasha/halakha shiur is shown on **TCN** in the **Beit Midrash** on **Thursdays** at **9:00 p.m.**

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Masks are required, and please sit at least 6 feet from other participants. Admission for these shiurim is free; donations are welcome to help defray the cost of bringing TCN to the community.

AHAVAS ACHIM COVID-19 POLICY

1. If you have *ANY* COVID-19 symptoms, including fever, chills, cough or shortness of breath, you may not attend any of our Minyanim or events, ***indoors*** or ***outdoors*** as long as the symptoms persist. When in doubt about symptoms, for the purpose of this policy assume that they are COVID-19. For a more complete list of COVID-19 symptoms, please refer to: **https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/symptoms.html.**
2. If you have contracted the virus and you are not symptom free and 10 days past recovery, you may not attend any of our Minyanim or events, ***indoors*** or ***outdoors***.
3. If you have an immediate family member with *ANY* COVID-19 symptoms, you may not attend any of our Minyanim or events, ***indoors*** or ***outdoors*** as long as the symptoms persist or until your family member consults with their doctor and receives guidance permitting your attendance.
4. If you have been in close contact with anyone who has COVID-19, even if asymptomatic, you must consult with your doctor before attending any of our Minyanim or events, ***indoors*** or ***outdoors.*** Close contact is defined these conditions: being within six feet of someone that tested positive for COVID-19; having that contact for more than 10 minutes; having that contact anytime starting two days before they first had symptoms.
5. Individuals who have traveled to a region that would require quarantine, inside or outside the U.S., including Israel and Europe, or who have traveled anywhere by commercial airline, may not attend any of our Minyanim or events, ***indoors*** or ***outdoors,*** within 14 days of their return. For a current list of U.S. states and territories requiring quarantine, please refer to: **https://covid19.nj.gov/faqs/nj-information/travel-and-transportation/which-states-are-on-the-travel-advisory-list-are-there-travel-restrictions-to-or-from-new-jersey.**
6. Due to the significant spike in COVID-19 infection rates in certain communities in New York and New Jersey, anyone who has recently visited these hot spots, or has hosted family or friends from there, may not attend any of our Minyanim or events ***indoors*** or ***outdoors*** for 14 days. If you have spent significant time in an area that has seen a significant spike in COVID-19 infections, you may not attend our Minyanim or events, ***indoors*** or ***outdoors*** for 14 days.
7. Masks that cover the **MOUTH AND NOSE** must be worn **AT ALL TIMES** at Ahavas Achim Minyanim or events, including outdoors, with no exceptions, per CDC guidelines.
8. Attendees are required to maintain social distancing of at least 6 feet between individuals of different households **AT ALL TIMES** at Ahavas Achim Minyanim or events, including outdoors, per CDC guidelines.
9. Only children who are at their parent's side **AT ALL TIMES**, and will properly **WEAR A MASK** at all times may attend Ahavas Achim Minyanim or events.
10. Anyone that attends Ahavas Achim Minyanim or events, indoors or outdoors, agrees to inform the Rabbi or President immediately if they test positive for COVID-19. Should this happen, in accordance with the State's contact tracing guidelines, this information but not your identity will be shared with the other people who attended the same Minyan.
11. By participating in Ahavas Achim Minyanim or events, you are attesting that you are in compliance with our COVID-19 policy. The Gabbaim and Shul Officers will be enforcing our policy. If anyone violates any of its provisions, they will be required to leave. We reserve the right to update the Ahavas Achim COVID-19 policy as the pandemic changes.

If you have any questions about this policy, email **AARitual@gmail.com.**

YAHRZEITS

11/14	Dr. Richard Kleinmann	Mother
	Nathan Orgel	Mother
11/18	Dr. Irwin Hametz	Father
	Herbert Klaver	Mother
11/19	Marc Turansky	Father
11/20	Bernice Chefitz	Son
	Harry Chefitz	Brother

SISTERHOOD NEWS

BOOK CLUB

The next AA Sisterhood Book Club meeting will take place **this Wednesday, November 18** at **8:30 p.m.** The book we will be discussing is ***Just Mercy*** by Bryan Stevenson. Please use Zoom link: **https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5757628337.**

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TEEN MINYAN KIDDUSH SPONSORSHIP

Teen Minyan Kiddush is sponsored by **Rabbi Steven and Gila Miodownik** in honor of **Kivi and Chani** and the **Teen Minyan.**

If you'd like to sponsor Teen Kiddush in the future, please email **Kivi Neuman** at: **aayouth100@gmail.com.**

COMMUNITY NEWS

MTA VIRTUAL OPEN HOUSE THIS SUNDAY

Join **Yeshiva University High School for Boys (MTA)** at their **virtual Open House this Sunday, November 15** at **9:30 a.m.** to learn more about their warm, personalized, and inspiring approach to Torah, academic, and extra-curricular programs and explore all of the incredible opportunities available at this yeshiva. They truly have something for everyone, enabling each and every talmid to shine and make an impact on our community. Choose your journey and discover how you can make the most of your MTA experience. They can't wait to see you! To RSVP, visit: **yuhsb.org/openhouse.** For questions, contact **Rabbi Yoni Stone** at **ystone@yuhsb.org** or **646-592-6106.**

BLOOD DRIVE AT AHAVAS ACHIM

As you continue your precautionary activities, it's assumed that most of you aren't getting out much. Well, you have a good reason to venture out—blood. On **Sunday, November 22,** the next **Community Blood Drive** will be held at **Ahavas Achim** from **9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.** All social distancing and protective strategies will be in place.

New rules apply. Please arrive wearing your mask. Please enter through the main *REAR AA* doors. Temperatures of all prospective donors will be taken before entrance to the donor room will be permitted. Though walk-ins will be accepted, this will "space permitting." It is preferred to sign up in advance. To do so, please go directly to the sign-up page: **https://donate.nybc.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/275539.**

Due to the current situation, please do not bring children to the drive. Donors can be as young as 16 (with parental permission and meeting weight requirements). For further information, please contact **Ira Rosen** at **ira_rosen@yahoo.com** or **732-318-0798.**

DR. KERRI HELPS US DEAL WITH COVID-RELATED STRESS

This Monday, November 16, 7:30-8:30 p.m. via Zoom

Jewish Federation invites you to join psychologist, **Kerri Weiss PhD** of Ocean Waves Wellness, for a conversation on soothing and sane ways to deal with COVID-related stress and uncertainty. Please register at: **https://tinyurl.com/yye8rdav.**

SAVE THE DATE: RPRY SCHOLARSHIP BREAKFAST

RPRY's Virtual Toby Mayer Memorial Scholarship Breakfast will take place on **Sunday, December 27** at **10:00 a.m.** This year they are honoring the entire RPRY faculty! More details coming soon!

RARITAN VALLEY HADASSAH WINE & WILLS TRIVIA ON ZOOM THIS SUNDAY

Are you wise enough? **Raritan Valley Hadassah** presents: **Wine & Wills Trivia** on **Zoom this Sunday, November 15** at **1:30 p.m.** Pour a glass of wine, or beverage of your choice and test your knowledge of fun trivia about wine, wills, beer and beneficiaries with local attorney **Rebecca Begelman Strub.** Her firm helps busy people protect what's important with life and legacy planning. To RSVP and receive your Zoom link, email **Marnie Kean** at: **marniek18@gmail.com.**

YOUR TICKET TO JEWISH LIFE ON CAMPUS

College selection and campus visits should be one of the most exciting times for students. With the risk of coronavirus looming over these traditionally in-person events, the first-ever **Hillel College Fair** is your ticket to virtually explore Jewish life on campus! The virtual college fair will allow students to explore Jewish life on more than 150 campuses in the U.S. and Canada. Regster: **https://tinyurl.com/y28gc8nj.**

THE FUTURE OF MODERN ORTHODOXY THIS SUNDAY

PORAT (People for Orthodox Renaissance and Torah) presents **The Future of Modern Orthodoxy:** an evening of conversation with clergy, educators, and sociologists, **this Sunday, November 15** from **6:30-9:30 p.m.** Learn more about PORAT at **http://poratonline.org.** Register for this Zoom program at: **bit.ly/portfuture.**

Panel I: The Big Tent of Modern Orthodoxy—6:30-7:55 p.m.

Panelists: Dr. Rivka Press Schwartz, Rabbi Mark Trencher, Dr. Laura Shaw Frank; Moderated by: Rabbi Eitan Cooper

- How does Modern Orthodoxy define itself?
- What are the challenges and opportunities of a "Big Tent Modern Orthodoxy?"
- How do we define Modern Orthodoxy's success? What challenges must we address?

Panel II: Our Modern Orthodox Lives: Practices, Values, and Needs—8:00-9:30 p.m.

Panelists: Rabbi Ari Segal, Dr. Ellen Cohn, Rabbi Ysoscher Katz; Moderated by: Rabbanit Leah Sarna

- How does what it means to be Modern Orthodox vary across the spectrum of Modern Orthodoxy?
- How has Modern Orthodoxy evolved, how does it continue to evolve?
- What do Modern Orthodox adults want from adult education?
- What are new models of Modern Orthodox practice that may emerge from the coronavirus pandemic?

SUMMER SCHOLARSHIPS FOR CAMPERS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

Jewish Federation's Stolzer Family Endowment Fund enables young people with special needs, up to age 21, to have a summer camp experience tailored to their needs while sharing in the warm and joyful Jewish community camp creates. Applications for camp scholarships are **now open and due by April 15** for the upcoming summer. Apply: **https://tinyurl.com/y6zhwwrk.** For questions, contact **Rosalyn** at **rosalynp@jewishheartnj.org** or call **732-588-1800.**

SOFER THIS SUNDAY

The **Sofer** will be available to check your mezzuzot and tefillin at **Judaica Gallery this Sunday, November 15.** For questions or to make an appointment, call **732-828-7722.**

BUILDER SCHOOL VIRTUAL OPEN HOUSE

Attention families with 8th graders! In today's rapidly evolving workforce, experience and practical hands-on technical know-how often make all the difference. Wouldn't you like to give your child a head-start and competitive advantage in the real world? Wouldn't it be wonderful if they could start earning money straight out of high school, start their careers or work towards a more advanced vocation while also earning a living?

To learn more about an array of recession-proof career opportunities and how to avoid college debt completely, join the **Builder School's virtual Open House this Tuesday, November 17** at **7:30 p.m.** The Builder School is Bergen County's newest modern orthodox high school and it reflects a bold paradigm shift in the classic educational model—one that hasn't changed in hundreds of years—to meet the needs of the average student, who often slips through the cracks uninspired, and create practical avenues for achievement, personal fulfillment and success.

To register and learn more, please visit **BuilderSchool.net/OH.** A Q&A session will follow the formal presentation.

RPRY VIRTUAL OPEN HOUSE

Join **RPRY's virtual Open House** for prospective families on **Tuesday, December 1** at **8:00 p.m.** Are you a prospective family who would like to learn more about RPRY? Are you a community member who knows someone that would benefit from the Open House? Because it's virtual, even those considering moving to this community can easily attend. RSVP at: **https://tinyurl.com/y3zl68rl.**

At Rabbi Pesach Raymon Yeshiva, the warm and nurturing environment provides the platform for academic excellence in general and Jewish studies for pre-schoolers (age 2) to 8th grade. They look forward to introducing prospective families to this great Yeshiva! For more information, contact **Shoshana Madsen,** Director of Admissions, at **732-572-5052 ext. 204** or **smadsen@rpry.org.**

KEYLIM MIKVAH

Please do ***not*** use the **Keylim Mikvah Monday-Friday** between the hours of **8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.**

LEFKOVITS FAMILY PARK MIKVAH

November Mikvah Hours:

- Motzei Shabbat 7:30-9:30 p.m.
- Weekdays: 8:00-10:00 p.m.

The Mikvah is currently by appointment only. All preparations should be done at home and all appointments must be made via the appointment page on the website: **www.parkmikvah.org.** Please read through all instructions prior to making your appointment. A face mask should also be worn at the mikvah. For questions, email **hpmikvah@gmail.com.**

ISRAEL TEEN TRAVEL SCHOLARSHIPS RESUME FOR 2021

With travel on pause for a large portion of 2020, Federation is *extra* excited to start awarding **Teen Israel Grants** again. Peer trips to Israel enable teens to connect with their Jewish identities, meet fellow Jewish friends from around the world, and shape their views about Israel. Eligible teens can receive up to **$1,000,** helping make their transformative experience more affordable. Apply: **https://tinyurl.com/y53ftxx4.**

RPRY PLUS SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

RPRY PLUS is pleased to invite you to shop their **Scholastic Book Fair online** from **November 9-22!** All purchases benefit RPRY and connect kids and families with new books, favorite characters and more. You will enjoy perusing through over 6,000 items, and there is **free-shipping** on book-only orders over **$25** with all orders being shipped **directly to your home!** Order early to get books before Hanukkah! Visit the Book Fair Homepage: **https://www.scholastic.com/bf/rpry** and click "Shop Now" to get started.

REBBITZEN EICHENSTEIN'S CLASSES FOR WOMEN

- *Tefillah* class **this Sunday, November 15** at **11:00 a.m.** via the zoom link below:
- **Parsha** class **this Monday, November 16** at 5:00 p.m. via the zoom link below:
- ZOOM: Meeting ID: **474 278 7632** Passcode: **1** or **+19292056099, 4742787632#** (New York).
- Join Zoom Meeting **https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4742787632?pwd=b3M4cFJxUHFnZnpuU3kyWW8vNzg0QT09**

Please contact **Ricki Stern** at **732-828-6939** or **rickistern@gmail.com** for more information.

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