

CONGREGATION AHAVATH ACHIM WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



Shabbat Parah

Parsha Ki Sisa

March 17-24, 2017 / 19-26 Adar 5777

Schedule of Services:		
Friday, March 17, 2017		
Shacharit		6:45 AM
Mincha/Ma'ariv		6:40 PM
Candle Lighting		6:43 PM
Shabbat, March 18, 2017		
Shabbat Shacharit		9:00 AM
Latest Shema Time		10:00 AM
Rabbi's Class		5:45 PM
Mincha/Ma'ariv		6:30 PM
Shabbat Ends		7:45 PM
Sun-Thru, March 19-23, 2017		
Mincha 2:10 PM at Kollel		
	Shacharit	Ma'ariv
Sun	8:30 AM	7:40 PM A
Mon	6:30 AM	7:40 PM K
Tue	6:45 AM	7:40 PM K
Wed	6:45 AM	7:40 PM B
Thur	6:30 AM	7:40 PM A
A - Ahavath Achim		
B - Bikur Cholim on		
Park & Capitol Ave., Bpt		
K - Kollel on Arlington St., Bpt		
Friday, March 24, 2017		
Shacharit		6:45 AM
Mincha/Ma'ariv		6:50 PM
Candle Lighting		6:51 PM
Torah Reading		
Shemos	30:11-34:35	484-515
Parshat Parah Maftir		
Bamidbar	19:1-22	838-843
Haftorah Parshat Parah		
Ezekiel	36:16-38	1216-1218

It Seems Winter Doesn't Want to Leave! The snow and cold have returned for a little while, making it extra hard to get a minyan together. Please make the effort to attend as often as you can. Show up. Sign up (there is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board). Come early, come often, and **Help Keep Our Minyan Strong!**

Shabbat Mincha:

With the start of Daylight Savings time, we return to our regular Shabbat Schedule.

Thank You

STACEY MINTZ for donating the Purim bags. STEVE & DEBBIE LOZANOV and ELIANA MIZRAHI for their amazing help in preparing the Purim Mishloach Manot baskets. JAY DIMAND for his help in delivering baskets. Jay has taken on this job year after year and we are very grateful for his devotion to this task.

Today Only - Amazon Donates 5% to Your Charity

On Thursday, March 16 only, Amazon will donate 5% (10x usual donation) of the purchase price of eligible products you buy at AmazonSmile (smile.amazon.co) to charity. Every eligible purchase helps support a charity of your choice. Take advantage of this special offer by AmazonSmile today and designate Ahavath Achim as the charity of your choice.

Maos Chittin

As everyone knows, Pesach needs can be financially draining. It is customary to donate money to help others in the community. This age-old custom is known as Maos Chittin - "money for wheat". The money is used for Pesach supplies. Rabbi Moldovan will be collecting money to distribute to families within the community for Pesach needs. Donations can be given directly to the Rabbi or to Arnell in the office.



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COMMUNITY EVENTS

Book Discussion – Wednesday – March 22 – 10 am

Marjorie Morningstar will be presented by Dr. Judith Katz at the Stamford JCC, 1035 Newfield Avenue, Stamford. The novel by Herman Wouk takes you back to the 1950s. Free. Open to the public. Sponsored by the Jewish Historical Society of Fairfield County.

Klezmer Concert - Saturday, March 25, 2017- 8:00 PM

"Farewell to the Homeland: Poyln" Performed by Adrienne Greenbaum, renowned klezmer flutist and "FleytMuzik, leading musicians of traditional klezmer. The program will begin with a short documentary shown by videographer, Ed Alpern. Location: Cong. Beth El, Fairfield Woods Rd. For more information and to purchase tickets call Beth El office. Flyer posted in shul front

hall.

"Crosses the Line" - Documentary on Anti-Israel Activity

Reveals the rise of anti-Israel activity and anti-Semitic rhetoric on campus, and demonstrates when reasonable criticism of Israel 'Crosses the Line' into anti-Semitism. Screening and Talkback - **7:00 pm, Wed., March 29** at the Jewish Senior Services, 4200 Park Avenue. Co-sponsored by Merkaz Community High School and FJP. Talk Back Facilitated by Steve Ginsberg, Director, ADL Connecticut Regional Office. **See the flyer posted in the shul front hall for additional information.**

Literature of the Holocaust Discussion – Sunday, March 26 – 1:30 pm

With Distinguished Educators Christine Bonarrigo and Emily Hernberg. Discover what Yehudah Amichai's "A Pity, We Were Such a Good Invention" and Carl Sandberg's "A Teamster's Farewell" have in common. Location: Temple Sinai, 458 Lakeside Dr., Stamford. Free and open to the public. Sponsored by JHSFC.

Tazhal Shalom – Monday, March 27 – 3:30 pm

Meet young men and women of the IDF at the Stamford JCC Harry Bennett Library. Sponsored by the Jewish Historical Society of Fairfield County. Kids are invited. Lite Refreshments.

Refuah Shelema to: *Kenneth Epstein, Rabbi Moshe Epstein, David Gordon, Yitzy Hain, Fred Schwartz, and Diane Shinbaum.* May G-d grant each a speedy and complete recovery.

Yahrtzeits for the week:

Saturday, March 18 – **Solly Goldberg** (Father to Bernard Goldberg)

Thursday, March 23 – **Jack Kraut** (Father to Deborah Shear)

Yahrtzeits begin at Ma'ariv the evening before. Please make an extra effort to ensure a minyan for those saying Kaddish. **Be there for others, and they'll be there for you.**

If you would like an Aliyah on the Shabbat before the Yahrtzeit, please make sure you are in Shul before Torah Reading. If you arrive late, we cannot guarantee you an honor.
