

CONGREGATION AHAVATH ACHIM



WEEKLY BULLETIN

Parshat Re'eh

August 14-21, 2015 / 29 Av-6 Elul / Rosh Chodesh Elul

Schedule of Services:

Friday, August 14, 2015

Shacharit	6:45 AM
Mincha/Ma'ariv	7:00 PM
Candle Lighting	7:35 PM

Shabbat, August 15, 2015

Rosh Chodesh Elul - I

Shabbat Shacharit	9:00 AM
Latest Shema Time	9:30 AM
Rabbi's Class	6:45 PM
Mincha/Ma'ariv	7:30 PM
Shabbat Ends	8:34 PM

Sun-Thur, August 16-20, 2015

	Shacharit	Mincha Ma'ariv	L O C
Rosh Chodesh Elul - II			
Sun	8:30 AM	7:30 PM	A
Mon	6:30 AM	7:30 PM	B
Tue	6:45 AM	7:30 PM	B
Wed	6:45 AM	7:30 PM	B
Thur	6:30 AM	7:30 PM	A

A - Ahavath Achim

B - Bikur Cholim on

Park & Capitol Ave., Bpt

K - Kollel on Arlington St., Bpt

Friday, August 21, 2015

Shacharit	6:45 AM
Mincha/Ma'ariv	7:00 PM
Candle Lighting	7:25 PM

Torah Reading Pages:

Devarim 11:26-16:17 998-1023

Rosh Chodesh Maftir

Bamidbar 28:9-15 890-893

Haftorah

Isaiah 66:1-24 1208-1210

Elul is Here: Now is the time to prepare for our annual checkup. Not by your doctor, but by G-d. On Rosh Hashana the plans for us for the next year are written in the Book of Life, and on Yom Kippur those plans are sealed. Now is the time to tip the scales in your favor. One easy thing to do is come to a minyan. Once a week. Twice a week or more. This will **Help Make Our Minyan Strong!**

PRE-MINCHA SHABBAT SHIUR: Please join us at 6:45pm for the regular pre-mincha shiur by Rabbi Ephraim Meth. The topic for this week's shiur will be "Thanksgiving in August?"

KOLLEL VACATION: Please note that while the Kollel is on vacation, the community Minyan is meeting at Cong. Bikur Cholim on Monday and Tuesday evenings for mincha/ma'ariv. Please see the side bar for davening times.

JOURNAL EVENT REMINDERS: The date for submitting ads for this year's Journal has passed, but you have one last chance to get your ad or business card into this year's Journal by calling Arnell in the synagogue office (203-372-6529) or emailing her at office@ahavathachim.org. Arnell will be preparing an addendum to the Journal for last minute submissions, but she must have your copy no later than Friday, August 14, by 10 am in the morning.

HIGH HOLIDAYS NEWSLETTER: The High Holidays Newsletter with the pertinent information for buying seats and honors, New Year Greetings, the Memorial Book and Lulav and Etrog is being mailed to everyone this week. Please call the office if you do not receive it in your mail box by August 15. We wish to advise everyone that there is no increase in prices. Please contact Dr. Peter Tuckel regarding the purchase of High Holiday Honors and Terry Augenbraun for High Holiday seats. We also wish to remind everyone that no one is refused a seat for the High Holidays because of finances. Additional information can be found in the High Holiday Newsletter

THE GINA GELB TEHILLIM GROUP will hold the next monthly tehillim meeting on Thursday evening, August 13 at 8:00 pm, at the home of Charles and Miriam Parker, 134 Wynnwood Dr., Fairfield. It would be very appreciated if you will let Miriam know that you are planning to attend.

SPECIAL BIRTHDAY WISHES. HAPPY 100th BIRTHDAY TO LILLIAN LANDY. We have only just learned that Lillian Landy, a member of Ahavath Achim for many, many years (and Mark & Mona Breiner's aunt) celebrated her 100th

birthday this past June. The congregation is very happy to extend our warmest birthday wishes to Lillian and may the coming 120 years be filled with good health and happiness.

Mazel Tov - To Mitchell Lake on his new move to Torrington CT. We wish him much good luck and so happy that he no longer will have to drive the Highway every day.

Congregation Ahavath Achim on Social Media: Don't forget to check the Ahavath Achim website for current updates. You can also read and post to the shul's Facebook page or Twitter

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CONTACT YOUR CONGRESSMAN IMMEDIATELY. They will be voting whether to reject the Iran Nuclear Deal. Time is critical! Call today!

TAG SALE UPDATE: The date for the next tag sale is Sunday, September 6. Please note that this change of date is necessary because the community-wide BBQ is being held on Sunday, August 30, and we did not want to conflict with that event. Please continue bringing in your merchandise. We are especially interested in old record players and old LP records. Also any types of costume jewelry, children's furniture, toys and stuffed animals in good condition. Please call the office to make an appointment to bring in your items. We can provide you with the appropriate tax donation receipt.



RABBINIC VISIT ON AUGUST 21-23: The Rabbinic Search committee is very glad to announce that we will be hosting Rabbi Yirmiyah Moldovan for Shabbat to meet the congregation for the position of part time rabbi. Rabbi Moldovan is from Australia, currently living in Israel with his wife Hadassah and three children. Rabbi Molodovan is a university graduate with broad exposure to Kiruv work. He is also a sofer with wide skills. He will be speaking in shul on Shabbat morning and at Seudah Sheleesheet. In addition to kiddush there will be an afternoon tea and everyone is urged to come to meet Rabbi Moldovan personally; come for Shabbat services, come for kiddush, come for tea, and join with us in welcoming this very personable young man to our community.

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Refuah Sheleimah to: *Kenneth Epstein, Rabbi Moshe Epstein, David Gordon, Yitzzy Hain, Herman Kraut, Deborah Lozanov, Fred Schwartz, Bryan Seedman, and Diane Shinbaum.* May G-d grant each a speedy and complete recovery.

Yahrzeits for the week:

Tuesday, August 18 – **Bill Wolper** (Uncle)
Thrusday, August 20 – **Peggy Schwarzmer** (Grandfather)

Friday, August 21 – **Mark Breiner** (Grandmother)