

CONGREGATION AHAVATH ACHIM



WEEKLY BULLETIN

Parshat Vayera

October 30-November 6, 2015 / 17-24 Heshvan 5776

Schedule of Services:

Friday, October 30, 2015

Shacharit	6:45 AM
Mincha/Ma'ariv	5:30 PM
Candle Lighting	5:33 PM

Shabbat, October 31, 2015

Shabbat Shacharit	9:00 AM
Latest Shema Time	9:59 AM
Rabbi's Class	4:30 PM
Mincha/Ma'ariv	5:20 PM
Shabbat Ends	6:32 PM

Sun-Thur, Nov 1-6, 2015

	Shacharit	+ Ma'ariv * Mincha & Ma'ariv	L O C
Sun	8:30 AM	4:30 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

2:40 PM Mincha at Kollel

Friday, November 6, 2015

Shacharit	6:45 AM
Mincha/Ma'ariv	4:25 PM
Candle Lighting	4:25 PM

Torah Reading

Bereshis 18:1 – 22:24 Pages: 78-105

Haftarah

II Kings 4:1-37 1134- 1135



Don't forget – turn your clocks **BACK ONE HOUR** before you go to bed. You will gain an extra hour of sleep! Use the hour wisely – come to Sunday Morning minyan.

Wake up Early Sunday? You move your clocks back one hour, hoping to get an extra hour's sleep. But things don't work out that way. You wake up the hour early anyway. Put that time to use and help us with our Minyan Sunday Morning. Your presence is needed to **Help Make Our Minyan Strong!**

Pre-Mincha Shiur: Please join us for Rabbi Ephraim Meth's pre-mincha shiur at 4:00pm.

MAZEL TOV WISHES TO:

Bernard Goldberg, on the birth of a granddaughter, Gila Nechama. Proud parents are Justin and Michelle Goldberg.

Also, Mazel Tov to Diana Rich. On the birth of a granddaughter Sivan Kinneret Devorah Rich. Proud parents are Ezra and Sara Rich.

Tehillim Meeting: The Gina Gelb Tehillim Group will meet on Thursday evening, November 12 at 8:00 pm at the home of Miriam and Charles Parker, 134 Wynnwood Dr., Fairfield. Please call Miriam and let her know if you will be attending.

Committee to Survey Contents of the Synagogue:

Last week the congregation received a letter from Barbara Tuckel asking for volunteers to form a new committee. The committee's mission is to start to survey the contents of Ahavath Achim and make preliminary recommendations to the Executive Committee, the Board, and the entire congregation on what might be moved, donated, or discarded. We have been at this location for over fifty years and have accumulated many ritual and non-ritual items that need to be discussed. The following members have already volunteered to serve on this committee: Sara Klein, Julia Fischer, Jay Dimand, Harvey Risch, Amalia Epstein, Stu Serkin, Hedy

Augenbraun, Amiel Goldberg. It is important to have strong representation on this committee because there is a great deal to discuss, research, and make preliminary recommendations about. Please consider joining so that your opinions can be heard, and you can be of service as we begin to plan our move. Contact Barbara at Bktuckel1836@gmail.com or the office. The first meeting of this committee will take place soon.

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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Community Events: Monday, Nov. 2nd, 7:30 pm: Making America Harmonious: The Jewish Contribution to Popular Music at Fairfield University School of Business Dining Room. Dr. Stephen J. Whitfield presents an exploration of how American musical taste was unified from WWI through the Vietnam War by the contributions of Jewish songwriters. FREE but reservations are requested. Call 203-254-4000, ext. 2066 or email. bennetcenter@fairfield.edu

Book Talk, Wednesday, November 18, 10 am: Kandinsky - A New World of Art presented by Elissa Kaplan. A visual presentation of the work of Wassily Kandinsky. Sponsored by the Jewish Historical Society of Fairfield County at the Stamford Jewish Community Center Harry Rosenbaum JHS Judaica Library, 1035 Newfield Ave. Stamford. Book Talks are underwritten by Marcie Schoenfeld in memory of her beloved parents Abraham and Rose Schoenfeld.

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

Yahrtzeits for the week:

Saturday, October 31 – **Roz Fishman** (Father)

Sunday, November 1 – **Ellen Rothwax** (Grandmother)

Friday, November 6 – **Sara & Andrew Klein**
(Granddaughter)

Friday, November 6 – **Diana Rich** (Father)

Friday, November 6 – **Arlene Dentz** (Mother)

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.
