

# CONGREGATION AHAVATH ACHIM



## WEEKLY BULLETIN

## Parshat Beshalach

January 30-February 6, 2015 / 10-17 Shevat 5775

Shabbat Shira / Tu B'Shvat

<b>Schedule of Services:</b>			
<b>Friday, January 30, 2015</b>			
Shacharit		6:45 AM	
Mincha/Ma'ariv		4:50 PM	
Candle Lighting		4:50 PM	
<b>Shabbat, January 31, 2015</b>			
Shabbat Shacharit		9:00 AM	
Latest Shema Time		9:38 AM	
Mincha		12:40 PM	
Shabbat Ends		5:52 PM	
Ma'ariv		6:25 PM	
<b>Sun-Thur, Feb 1-5, 2015</b>			
	<b>Shacharit</b>	<b>+ Ma'ariv * Mincha &amp; Ma'ariv</b>	<b>L O C</b>
Sun	8:30 AM	4:35 PM*	A
Mon	6:30 AM	7:30 PM+	K
Tue	6:45 AM	7:30 PM+	K
<b>Tu B'Shvat</b>			
Wed	6:45 AM	7:30 PM+	B
Thur	6:30 AM	7:30 PM+	A
<b><u>Mincha at Kollel at 1:45 PM</u></b>			
<b>A - Ahavath Achim</b>			
<b>B - Bikur Cholim on Park &amp; Capitol Ave., Bpt</b>			
<b>K - Kollel on Arlington St., Bpt</b>			
<b>Friday, February 6, 2015</b>			
Shacharit		6:45 AM	
Mincha/Ma'ariv		4:55 PM	
Candle Lighting		4:57 PM	
<b>Page Numbers:</b>			
<b>Torah Reading</b>			
Shemos		Pages:	
13:17-17:16		366-393	
<b>Haftarah</b>			
Judges		Pages:	
4:4-5:31		1152-1154	

**"But Baby It's Cold Outside":** But it's warm in the shul! So come and warm up, and, while you're at it, help make a minyan. Make a commitment. Come to minyan at least once a week. Come to get warm – come to **Make Our Minyan Strong!**

**Shabbat Early Mincha:** Following this week's Kiddush, we will gather in the shul for a pre-Mincha class. Rabbi Meth will speak on "Violating Shabbat to Save Lives". Mincha will follow at approximately 12:40 pm. Ma'ariv will be at 6:25 pm, in order to allow people to drive back to shul. Please remember to recite **"Baruch hamavdil bein kodesh l'chol"** in order to end Shabbat before driving or doing other work that is prohibited on Shabbat.

### **Thank You**

On behalf of Sisterhood, I would like to thank the following people who helped make the breakfast and Pampered Chef Show an enjoyable-and profitable event: Lee Dickens, Amiel Goldberg, Rebecca Goldberg, David Jutkowitz, Shalom Mizrahi and Diana Rich. Also, to Barbara Tuckel & Elaine Schiller for their continued support.--Susan Klein

### **Coming Events: Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu at AIPAC Policy Conference:**

The 2015 AIPAC Policy Conference scheduled for March 1-3 in Washington, D.C. "will be the largest event in AIPAC's history," and Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu will deliver live remarks at the conference. "Amid growing challenges and uncertainty in the Middle East, there has never been a more important time to demonstrate America's support for Israel." To attend one of the most important events affecting Israel's future, you can register on the AIPAC web site.

### **World Zionist Congress Elections:**

The link below from the OU discusses voting for the Religious Zionist Slate in the upcoming World Zionist Congress Elections. Please read the article, signup, and vote.

Please register to vote and be sure to cast your vote. There is no substitute for making aliyah. But until you make that "ultimate" move, the simple act of registering to vote for the group within the World Jewish Congress which best represents your own personal religious and Zionist viewpoint, is a most laudable act.

To register, please visit <http://votetorah.org/> and be sure to participate in this election. Your vote is urgently and especially needed at this "crossroads" moment in the history of our people."

<https://www.ou.org/news/op-ed-regarding-world-zionist-congress-elections/>

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**Save the Date: Coming Friday, March 13<sup>th</sup>.** This year Ahvath Achim. Will be participating in the National Jewish Outreach Program *Shabbat Across America* on Friday, March 13<sup>th</sup>. Rebecca Goldberg, Sisterhood President, is looking for volunteers to help plan the Shabbat program for CAA. Please call Rebecca ASAP to let her know you would like to be a part of *Shabbat Across America*.

**Purim Shalach Manot:** Purim is only a month away and a new Purim Shalach Manot project is being planned. Information letters will be going out shortly and we ask you to please respond as soon as possible once

you receive yours, so that we can once again have a financially successful and merry Purim.

**Bikur Cholim Father/Son Learning Program:** The Father/Son Learning program at Bikur Cholim takes place Motzaei Shabbos at 6:15pm, in the Bais Midrash.

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

**Yahrtzeits for the week:**

Friday, February 6 – **Joel Levitz** (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.