



# Congregation Ohr Torah

## Weekly Announcements

<http://www.ohrtorah.net>

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Rabbi Yaakov Luban – Rabbi

Robert Kreitman - President

Rabbi Sarel Malitzky - Assistant Rabbi

Parashat Matot-Masei

2 Av 5782

July 30, 2022

**Pre-Plag Mincha:** 5:45 PM

**Candlelighting:** 7:57 PM

**Mincha/Kabolas Shabbos: 7:00 (Main Shul), 7:30 (Beit Midrash) & 8:05 PM (Main Shul).**

**Shacharis :**

**7:45 (Social Hall), 9:00 AM (Main Shul),**

**9:15 (YFM), 9:30 AM (Teen Minyan, RPRY)**

*Hashkama Speaker: Lyndon Goldsmith*

*Sof Z'man Krias Shma (GR'A) 9:28 AM*

*Rabbi Luban's Gemara Beitzah Shiur*

*cancelled for next three weeks*

**Mincha (Main Shul): 1:45, 6:00 & 7:50 PM**

*Shalosh Seudos Speaker: Josh Rapps*

**Maariv:** 9:05 PM

**Shabbos Ends:** 9:05 PM

**Weekday Shacharis**

**Sunday 7:15, 8 & 9:00 AM**

*Rabbi Sauer's shiur on Daf Yomi Be'iyun after 7:15*

*Shacharis*

**Mon. & Thu: 6:20, 7:05, 8 & 9 AM**

**Tues., Wed. & Fri. 6:30, 7:10, 8 & 9 AM**

**Early Mincha-Sunday 1:45 PM**

**Weekday Mincha/ Maariv 7:55 PM**

*Shimon Daniel BM Program 9:10-10:10 PM Wed.*

**Late Maariv: 10:10 PM**

**Daf Yomi Schedule**

Monday-Thursday 7:30 & continuing after zman Maariv

Friday - after 7 pm Kabbalas Shabbos

Shabbos- one hour before Zman Mincha

Sunday- after 8AM Shacharis

**KIDDUSH**

Kiddush is sponsored by Joanne and Payam Hanian in honor of their son, Jacob, Leining his Bar Mitzvah Parsha.

**SHALOSH SEUDOS**

Shalosh Seudos is sponsored by Tzippy and Josh Rapps to commemorate the Yahrzeit of their aunt Roiza bas Yekusiel Yehuda A"H.

**PEREK ON THE LAWN**

This Shabbos (Parshas Matos, 7/30), we will continue with our Pirkei Avos Shiurim!

This week's Shiur - The Vanishing "Erev Shabbos" Jew - will be delivered by Dr. Arnie Lustiger.

The Shiur will be held in the Social Hall at 6:20 PM, conveniently situated after the 6 PM mincha. Light refreshments will be served.

**CHILDREN'S TISHA B'AV EVENT**

This year's Children's Tisha B'av event will be taking place at 12:45 on Sunday, August 7th for ages 6-12. There will be a never before seen video presentation, followed by arts and crafts. Food will be served. The cost per child is \$15. Please bring any cash payments to the event. Checks can be made out to Congregation Ohr Torah.

**SUMMERTIME SUNDAY MORNING**

**FATHER AND SON LEARNING**

Congregation Ohr Torah invites fathers and sons of boys in grades 1-8 for Davening at 8am, breakfast in social hall, learning (whatever you want with your son) in the OT Beis Medrash.

**MAZEL TOV**

... to Chaya and David Katzenstein on the birth of a baby boy to Deena (Katzenstein) and Daniel Landau on Friday July 22, in Ramat Beit Shemesh. Mazel Tov to big brother Rafi Landau in Ramat Beit Shemesh and to aunt Shana (Landau) and Isaiah Vorotinov.

...to Riki and Robert Kreitman on the birth of a daughter to their children Elana and Rabbi Michael Kahn of Israel. Mazel Tov to great grandparents Sheila and Henry Schanzer and the entire family.

... to Rebecca and Israel Rivkin of Jerusalem, on the engagement of their grandson Gilad Kestenbaum of Ranaana, to Noa Goldich of Chashmanaim. Mazel Tov to Gilad's parents Tova(Rivkin) and David Kestenbaum.

... to Rabbi and Mrs. Shlomo and Miriam Ziegler on the birth of a son to their children Rabbi and Mrs. Shaya and Miera Winiarz.

**RABBI LUBAN IN ISRAEL**

Rabbi Luban will be away for the next three Shabbosim, and his regular Shabbos afternoon Shiur will not take place. Rabbi Malitzky is available for questions. Rabbi Luban is not receiving texts so if you need to reach him please use email or WhatsApp. If you need to reach him by phone please take into account the seven hour time difference and the fact that he is on a well-deserved vacation.

**TISHA B'AV EVENT**

The Chofetz Chaim Heritage Foundation proudly presents 2 DVD presentations on Tisha B'av. The presentations will feature Rabbi Elya Brudny, Rabbi Frand and Rabbi Krohn at 2:30, and Rabbi Ephraim Shapiro, Rabbi Majeski, and Charlie Harary at 5:30.

The CC DVD's are always inspiring with great take away messages.

**COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**ANNUAL CHESED CAR WASH**

Camp Kulanu Maccabi Girls Present 4th Annual Chesed Car Wash Raising money for Bikur Cholim of Raritan Valley! ONLY \$5 A CAR (outside wash) August 3, 2022 1:30-3:00 PM @ RPRY (Edgemount Road entrance) For information email Emily Menasha at [emenasha@rpry.org](mailto:emenasha@rpry.org) or call/text 732-236-1082

**ACTT**

ACTT (Achieving Change Thru Torah): After 16 years, ACTT is taking a break to rethink its future. We are very interested in your suggestions for the next version of ACTT. Email [info@actt613.org](mailto:info@actt613.org) to share your thoughts and/or to join the ACTT leadership committee. Thanks very much! All ACTT resources will remain available at:

[www.actt613.org](http://www.actt613.org). We look forward to building on the foundation we have all created together, by continuing to grow in our commitment to Torah and to getting closer to Hashem.

**LEFKOVITS FAMILY PARK MIKVAH**

The Mikvah is appt only. All appts should be made via MikvahCloud.com or via MikvahCloud app. Regular services, baths and showers, are offered. See mikvahcloud for mikvah hours. Face mask should be worn at the mikvah. All comments and questions, email [hpmikvah@gmail.com](mailto:hpmikvah@gmail.com)

**RABBI YISROEL WEISS' TEHILLIM SHIUR**

Rabbi Yisroel Weiss' Tehillim Shiur for men and women on Zoom: Wed night 8PM, Meeting ID: 858 5198 8386, Password: RWTehillim To join by phone: Dial 408-638-0968, enter meeting ID, use password 705203. Any questions Marsha Eiserman 347-203-7906.

**FOR WOMEN**

TIFERES: Weekly teleconferences with topics such as shalom bayis and parenting are available to Tiferes members. Current weekly teleconference: "Transform Yourself and Your Relationships through a Deep Understanding of the Sefiros" with Mrs. Avigayil Brailofsky. For info or to become a member, Aviva at [siegelmom@gmail.com](mailto:siegelmom@gmail.com). The HP/Edison group of Tiferes is zecher l'nishmas Malka bas Shalom. -Women's Learning Initiative: -Offers customized Torah learning partners/chavrusas! For a personalized study program of your choice, email your contact info to [womenslearninginitiative@gmail.com](mailto:womenslearninginitiative@gmail.com)

- Rebbitzen Eichenstein's classes for women will resume after the summer. For more info, please contact Aviva Siegel at [siegelmom@gmail.com](mailto:siegelmom@gmail.com). - Parsha class by Mrs. Miri Cohen: Contact Leah at 917-763-1848 for time, location &/zoom link for Tuesday Shiur

**GEMACHS**

-Etz Ahaim has complete list of all area gemachs at <https://www.etzahaim.org/local-gemachs/> -FORMULA GEMACH: Due to the current formula shortage, there will be a temporary formula gmach opening in Edison/HP. How you can help us: -Donate Formula: Unused/unopened cans only -Keep us in mind when you're shopping: We will post what formula we need on community chats. If you find, please text us - you will be reimbursed! How we can help you: -we have some stock: text us to see if we have your formula -Let us know what type you need: we will try to find it. If we do, you'll need to reimburse the gemach. Text at: 732-986-3153

**REMINDER: Emergency Defibrillators are located on the upstairs wall hallway & the entry hallway downstairs. Please note the location of the new First Aid Kits mounted on the wall below/above each Defibrillator.**

CHEVRA HATZOLAH OF MIDDLESEX COUNTY 732-456-6666

-The Lev L'Nefesh Hachnosas Kallah Centerpiece Gemach The Gemach has a beautiful array of centerpieces/vases/props to loan out for simchos. Call/text: (732) 570-9433 for appt.

-Edison/HP gown Gmach! Large selection of children's, teen and adult gowns. Limited boys tux avail. Donations of gowns in excel condition (with sleeves and round collar) accepted. Text 5165260941 for info/appt. Leiluy mishmas Yitzchak Ben binyamin.

-Re-Pleat-Gemach of outfits for dressy occasions! Have something to donate? Have a special occasion and need something to wear? By appt only. Text 732-267-3216

-MEZUZOS-L'iluy nishmas Faiga Gitel bas Binyamin Zev HaKohen. Contact Lasar Family (732) 985-1050.

-DIABETIC SUPPLIES GEMACH: Diabetic Supplies- Insulin, test strips, meters etc. for those who ran out/waiting for insurance approval or guests w/o supplies Text Deutsch family at 646-683-7394.

-Diaper Gemach HP/Edison: Diapers, pullups, wipes needed Email diapergemach@gmail.

-Kittel gemach If you--or someone you know-- needs to borrow a kittel, call Jeff or Lee Ann Schein 732-545- 9353.Four sizes avail. Kittel gemach in m/o Lazar Lipman ben Chaim Yitzhak.

**OHR TORAH NEWSLETTER:** Subscribe to Announcements, go to [www.ohrtorah.net](http://www.ohrtorah.net)

**E-MAIL LIST:** Contact Gene Wasserman at [genew@compugene.com](mailto:genew@compugene.com) .

**KIDDUSH SPONSORSHIP:** To sponsor Kiddush or reserve Kiddush room contact Russell Adler or Elie Wiesel at [reservations@ohrtorah.net](mailto:reservations@ohrtorah.net)

Shalosh Seudos, contact Moshe Wiesel.

**BUILDING DEDICATION OPPORTUNITIES** Contact Moshe Schneider at 732-618-4702.

**TREE OF LIFE / YAHRZEIT PLAQUES:** To dedicate a Yahrzeit Plaque or Leaf for the Lobby Eitz Chayim Tree, contact Moish Nat by sending detailed email with all dedicatory wording to [marty@rivieradoors.com](mailto:marty@rivieradoors.com). For more info, call Moish at 732-759-8070 work days or 732-572-4132 in the evening.

**SEFORIM DEDICATIONS:** Book/Seforim Dedications are paused pending new initiatives

**HOUSEKEEPING:** Housekeeping issues and inquiries contact Lou Smith [luddeeu@gmail.com](mailto:luddeeu@gmail.com) or 732-572-5633.

**KEILIM MIKVAH HOURS :**Ohr Torah Keilim Mikvah hours are officially Sundays 7AM-10AM.

**OHR TORAH YOUTH PROGRAM:** Children can register for events on OT's website "ohrtorah.net" or call Aaron Breslin at 908-907-7308.

**REFUAH SHLEIMAH LEARNING:** See OT website, [www.ohrtorah.net](http://www.ohrtorah.net), for various schedules of learning as a Z'chus for a Refuah Shleimah

**FUNERAL/ SHIVA ANNOUNCEMENTS:** For funeral and Shiva email and phone mail announcements contact Reena Greenspan 732-678-8848 (cell), [reenagreenspan@yahoo.com](mailto:reenagreenspan@yahoo.com) or Gene Wasserman 732-397-0130 or [genew@compugene.com](mailto:genew@compugene.com)

**YAHRZEIT DATABASE:** To register a family member in Yahrzeit database, go to [ohrtorah.net](http://ohrtorah.net), click Members tab, then click "Register for OT Yahrzeit Notification" or speak with Ralph Dessau or Gene Wasserman.

**LOCAL ERUV:** Find out status of the eruv by:

**Email:** We send out email within 30 minutes after eruv's status has been determined. Sign up to this service by sending a blank email to [hperuv+subscribe@groups.io](mailto:hperuv+subscribe@groups.io).

**Twitter:** This is our official notification channel. Follow [@hp\\_eruv](https://twitter.com/hp_eruv) to get the eruv status as soon as it has been determined.

**Facebook:** Join Facebook Group [hperuv](https://www.facebook.com/hperuv) and get eruv notifications within 30 minutes after Twitter update.

**Website:** Website at <https://hperuv.org> shows eruv's status on the top of the main page. Website also has up to date map of entire eruv.

**Hotline:** Eruv Hotline at 732-487-ERUV which is updated as soon as the eruv's status has been determined. Questions?: David Weintraub@[David@weintraub.name](mailto:David@weintraub.name)

#### Parshat Devorim

Candlelighting:	7:50 PM
Mincha:	8:00 PM

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