



# Young Israel of St. Louis

SHABBAT APRIL 6<sup>TH</sup> 2024 – FRIDAY APRIL 12<sup>TH</sup> 2024

27 ADAR II 5784 – 4 NISAN 5784

PARSHAT SHEMINI

SHABBAT HACHODESH

SHABBAT MEVORCHIM

A warm Young Israel of St Louis welcome to Rabbi Dovid Heber and Eliad Ben Shushan this week. We look forward to your presentations.

## ANNOUNCEMENT SPONSORS

Larry & Roberta Gornish to welcome Larry's brother, Michael Goren, who is visiting from Israel.

Hilton & Rene Price to commemorate the *yahrtzeit* of Rene's uncle, Wolfe Rakusin.

### Friday April 5<sup>th</sup>

Mincha/Maariv.....7:00 pm

Candle Lighting.....7:11 pm

### Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup>

*Sof Zman Kri'at Shema*.....9:50 am

Shacharit – (Hashkama).....7:30 am

Parsha Class.....8:15 am

Shacharit.....9:00 am

Teen Minyan.....9:30 am

Shabbat Youth Groups.....10:00 am

Pre-Mincha Shiur (Rabbi Dovid Heber).....5:45 pm

“The 2024 Solar Eclipse:  
In Halacha, Aggadah & Science”

Ralph and Annette Raskas Snif Bnei Akiva: .....5:50 – 7:05 pm

Mincha.....7:00 pm

Shabbat Ends.....8:13 pm

**Hashkama Kiddush:** Sponsored by Max & Jerilyn Oppenheimer to commemorate the *yahrtzeit* of Jerilyn's grandmother, Judy Howard.

### Youth Group Kiddush:

**Main Kiddush:** We welcome you to our Shabbat Mevorchim Kiddush sponsored by the members listed on the poster in the lobby. We thank everyone who participated and helped to arrange the kiddush.

**Seudah Shlishit:** Guest speaker: Eliad Ben Shushan. See below

### Weekday Shacharit:

Sunday.....8:00 am

Monday, Thursday.....6:30 am

Tuesday – Rosh Chodesh.....6:20 am

Wednesday, Friday.....6:40 am

Mincha/Maariv.....7:15 pm

Rosh Chodesh Nisan.....Tuesday, 4/9

### UPCOMING YAHRTZEITS

29 Adar II Al Zimbalist	2 Nisan Nolan Gene Peskind
29 Adar II Malkah Pollack	3 Nisan Judy Howard
1 Nisan Harold Strashun	4 Nisan Celia Davis

### Refuah Shelaimah

מרים זלדה בת חנה	יהושע בן זהבה
אסתר בת רות	ברוך בן מאשא
מרים בת שרה	חגי בן רחל
שרה חנה מרים פועה בת מריסיה	משה זאב בן אסתר
אסתר נסיה בת לאה רחל	יצחק בן יוכבד
דבורה עלקא בת מרים ליבא	משה בן יהודית שרה
סמריה בריאלה בת הינדה בוניה	נתן שלמה בן ברכה
ברכה אחובה בת חיה אסתר	שראגא בנימין בן בת-שבע
אסתר בת שרה פייגה	יעקב בנימין בן דליה
יהודית בת פייגה פערל	שמחה משה בן יהודית
דורית חנה בת אורה	משה אהרן בן לאה ביילה
רייזל גיטל בת רחל	אליעזר בן רויזא
שאנה נסיה בת רחל הינדל	מאיר ראובן בן חיה בינה
ארבל טובה בת עניאל תמר	
חיה חמדה בת קירה	
מעין גב ההר בת חיה חמדה	

**Mickey & Bonnie Goldmeier,** Charlie & Naomi Ruth Deutsch and Patty Deutsch on the birth of a granddaughter born to Gary & Danielle Goldmeier.

**Marc Chervitz & Vicki Redler Chervitz** on the upcoming wedding of their son, Sammy, to Devora Meroz, daughter of Eli & Risha Meroz of Montreal.

### SHUL NEWS

**THANK YOU:** Thank you to our kiddush volunteers this week: Shana Katz and Roz Hirschhorn.

**YOUTH GROUPS:** Please contact the office if you would like to sponsor the Youth Group Kiddush for \$36.

**YOUNG ISRAEL HISTORY PROJECT:** We are trying to gather information about the history of Young Israel of St Louis with the goal of creatively sharing it with our past, present, and future membership. Any memories/stories, pictures, memorabilia, etc are welcome. Please contact Betsy Zimbalist or Andy Koshner if you would like to participate. Please see the flyer for further details.

### MAZAL TOV TO...

**Barbara & Marty Ast** on the birth and *brit milah* of their grandson, Zechariah (Zachary) to Lisa & Jeremy Kramer of Pikesville, MD.

## **YOUNG ISRAEL ANNUAL DINNER:** Wednesday, June 5<sup>th</sup>.

This year's Honorees are Hilton & Rene Price, and the Keter Shem Tov Award Recipients are Elie & Aliza Freilich. Our Dinner Chairs are Jonty & Juli-Ann Felsher, and the Journal Chairs are Elissa Schachter and Judy Haber.

**“UNITED 4 NEW TREES OF LIFE”:** To date, we have **84 trees planted – only 16 to go to have in our orchard!** Please use the link below to order so that your contribution can be included as part of the Shul's effort. Please feel free to forward this email with our unique tracking link to your family and friends as well.

<https://www.israeltrees.org/United4NewLife/?a=dg-YoungIsrael-stl.org>

**SEUDAH SHLISHIT GUEST SPEAKER:** Our guest speaker at Seudah Shlishit this Shabbat will be Eliad Ben Shushan. Since August 2016, Eliad has been the director of Yokneam Megiddo - Atlanta St. Louis Partnerships, and since September 2020 he has been the Federation's representative in Israel. He has also served as the Senior Community Shaliach of 12 communities in the United States.

**CPR CLASS #2:** The second class in CPR, AED, and First Aid Training will be this Monday, April 8<sup>th</sup>, 7:15 pm, in the YI Social Hall. Thank you to Aliza Freilich for organizing this.

**SAVE THE DATES** – Stay tuned for more details:

- Pre-Pesach Women's Division Shabbat Lunch: April 20<sup>th</sup>. See fly for full details.

## **PESACH INFO**

**CRC PESACH GUIDES:** CRC Pesach Guides that are available in the Young Israel office or online at: <https://consumer.crc kosher.org/pesach/>

**THE VAAD HOEIR PESACH GUIDE** is now available online at: <https://ovkosher.org/pesach2024/>

**SHMURA MATZA:** The matza will be available for pick up in the office Sunday morning after davening.

**THE RABBI SHOLOM RIVKIN TZEDAKAH/MERLE HARTSTEIN MAOS CHITIM CAMPAIGN:** These funds provide many families in our community with assistance for Pesach and during the year. Your donation is greatly appreciated. Please make your checks payable to: Maos Chitim and send to: Vaad Hoeir, 4 Millstone Campus Dr, St Louis, MO 63146, or go to [www.stlmaoschitim.com](http://www.stlmaoschitim.com).

**CHOMETZ SALE FORMS:** The forms are available in your email, the office and in the beit midrash. Please be sure the sale of chometz is arranged / received by Friday, **April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2024**, or, for those travelling to Israel, by Monday, **April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024**.

**THE KASHERING OF UTENSILS:** (הגעלת כלים) will be held in the Vaad parking lot, 4 Millstone Campus Drive, on **Tuesday**, April 16<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. They will **only** be kashering Kiddush cups and cutlery necessary for Pesach.

**STORAGE BOXES:** It's never too early to check your Shul box and Tallis bag for *chometz*.

## **SCHOOL NEWS**

**ANNUAL SHAIMOS COLLECTION:** The Torah Prep 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys' Annual Shaimos Collection will take place on Sundays, April 7<sup>th</sup> and April 14<sup>th</sup>: 12:15-1:45 pm at the Torah Prep Boys' School, 609 North and South Rd, or at TICK 3:00-4:00 pm. The cost is \$10 per shopping bag; \$15 per medium box or large garbage bag; \$20 per large box. For any questions or to arrange for an alternate time, please call 516-410-5400 in U.City or 917-753-6338 in Chesterfield.

## **JSU NEWS**

**THE JEWISH STUDENT UNION IS PROUD TO PRESENT: THE 4TH ANNUAL MEAT UP! (aged 21+):** Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 - 9:00 pm at Amp Up Action Park, 13901 Manchester Rd. \$136/person. RSVP at [www.jsustl.org/Meatup](http://www.jsustl.org/Meatup). Sponsorships are available. Please contact Alana at 314-303-0861 or alanam@jsustl.org.

## **COMMUNITY NEWS**

**MIKVAH CAMPAIGN:** The mikvah is in dire need of funds and must raise at least \$75,000 to cover an urgent repair expense and close the annual gap for ongoing expenses. So far, we have raised \$27,000 of the \$75,000. Please consider a thoughtful donation to help sustain our mikvaot. All donations are tax deductible. You may donate online at [STLMikvah.org/donate](http://STLMikvah.org/donate) or send a check payable to Taharath Israel of St. Louis, 4 Millstone Campus Drive, 63146.

**AIPAC PRESENTS:** Come and Meet Pro-Israel Candidate, Wesley Bell, on Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm. Venue tbd. RSVP is requested at: [www.aipac.org/stl-event](http://www.aipac.org/stl-event).

**SUNDAY MORNING WOMEN'S TEHILLIM GROUP:** We ask all group members to say their tehillim from home. For more information or for tehillim to say, please call or text Marcia Esrig at 314-313-3677. The Tehillim hotline (names and updates) email is: [ptjill@yahoo.com](mailto:ptjill@yahoo.com).

## **SHUL OFFICE & CONTACT INFO**

[www.youngisrael-stl.org](http://www.youngisrael-stl.org)

Office Hours: Mon, Fri 9:30 am – 2:30 pm, Tues, Wed, Thurs 11 am – 4 pm

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Education & Engagement Coordinator, Rabbi Jonny Fruchter: [fruchter.jonathan@gmail.com](mailto:fruchter.jonathan@gmail.com),

President, Max Oppenheimer: [mioppenheimer@gmail.com](mailto:mioppenheimer@gmail.com)

**Weekly sponsorship opportunities:** Classic Kiddush (\$250), Prime Kiddush (375), Seudah Shlishit (\$136), Hashkama Kiddush (\$40), Mishmar (\$36), Announcements (\$36), Teen Minyan (\$36)

Youth Group Kiddush (\$36), V'shinantam (\$72),

**Tribute cards:** available in the office. **Purchase for the shul:** Siddur (\$40), RH or YK machzor (\$50 each) or Chumash (\$60) to honor or memorialize a friend or family member.

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[facebook.com/youngisraelstlouis](https://facebook.com/youngisraelstlouis)

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