



# Young Israel of St. Louis

SHABBAT APRIL 25<sup>TH</sup> 2026 – SHABBAT MAY 1<sup>ST</sup> 2026  
2 IYAR 5786 – 14 IYAR 5786  
PARSHAT ACHREI MOT-KEDOSHIM

## ANNOUNCEMENT SPONSORS

### Friday, April 24<sup>th</sup>

Mincha .....7:00 pm  
Candle Lighting .....7:28 pm

### Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup>

*Sof Zman Kri'at Shema* .....9:35 am  
Shacharit – (Hashkama) .....7:30 am  
Parsha Class .....8:15 am  
Shacharit .....9:00 am  
Teen Minyan .....9:30 am  
Shabbat Youth Groups .....9:30 am  
Pre-Mincha Shiur .....6:20 pm  
Pirkei Avot: Perek 3  
Mincha .....7:20 pm  
Shabbat Ends .....8:31 pm

**Hashkama Kiddush:** Sponsored by Young Israel.

**Main Kiddush:** Sponsored by Michael & Elissa Schachter in honor of their daughter, Emma.

**Seudah Shlishit:** Sponsored by Young Israel.

### Weekday Shacharit:

Sunday .....8:00 am  
Monday, Thursday .....6:30 am  
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday .....6:40 am  
Mincha/Maariv .....7:35 pm

## UPCOMING YAHTZEITS

8 Iyar Bernice (Streicher) Schraeger  
12 Iyar Howard Streicher  
14 Iyar Gerson Jankelowitz

## Refuah Shelaimah

מרים בת שרה	יהושע בן זהבה
סמריה בריאלה בת הינדה בונייה	ברוך בן מאשא
ברכה אהובה בת חיה אסתר	משה בן יהודית שרה
דורית חנה בת אורה	נתן שלמה בן ברכה
רייזל גיטל בת רחל	משה אהרן בן לאה ביילה
חיה חמדה בת קירה	אליעזר בן רויזא
מעין גב ההר בת חיה חמדה	מיכאל אריה בן חיה רבקה
דבורה טובה בת חיה	אברהם שמואל בן קרינדל יהודית
בתיה עטא בת חנה פעשא	רפאל צבי בן חנה פארל
טובה בת בריינא רבקה	דוד אפרים בן דבורה
אלנה שרה בת אסתר לאה	משה ראובן בן שושנה צפורה
יעל בת שרה	דוד בן אלישבע יפה
ליטל מאיריה בת איתנה מלכה	שמחה ישראל בן אסתר
אסתר ריילה בת משה לאה	
ברכה בת מיניקה	
גילה ברכה בת מיכל אילנה	
לילה חוה בת הינדע	

## MAZAL TOV TO...

**Larry & Barbara Poger** on the birth of great-granddaughter, Libi, born to Zev & Hadar Lafer in Israel, and to grandparents Laura & Joseph Greer of Chicago.

## OUR CONDOLENCES TO...

Glenna Gelfand & Allen Dryer, Elianna and Ezra on the passing of their mother, mother-in-law and grandmother, Marcia Landesman. The funeral was in New York and Glenna has returned to St Louis. Shiva continues at their home, 8000 Delmar Blvd, 1W, Motzei Shabbat: 8:45 – 10:30 pm and Sunday & Monday: 9:30 am – 12:30 pm, 3 – 5 pm, and 8 – 9:30 pm.

May the family be comforted among the mourners of Zion and Jerusalem.

## SHUL NEWS

### THANK YOU TO:

- **KIDDUSH VOLUNTEERS:** Ruthie Asher and Vicki Redler Chervitz.
- **SECURITY USHERS:** Jonty Felsher and Judy Haber.

**LOST AND FOUND:** The date for clearing the downstairs coat rack and the shelf above it will be Monday morning, April 27<sup>th</sup>. Please check it for your lost belongings. Everything left will be donated.

**AMUD SHAVUI GEMARA SHIUR:** The shiur will resume on Tuesday immediately following Maariv (~8:10 pm), in the Young Israel Beit Midrash, studying the 1<sup>st</sup> chapter of Maseches Sotah.

**YISTL D'VAR TORAH WHATSAPP GROUP:** Please join to receive brief Divrei Torah shared at Young Israel after Shacharit and between Mincha/Maariv. Sponsorship opportunities available. We are now learning Hilchot Sefirat Ha'omer.

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/Ib9BTxL9c0gLMhZ1MMTVVJ>

**BOOK CLUB:** The Young Israel book club resumes on Sunday April 26<sup>th</sup>, (please note new date) at the home of Sherri Bloch. Our next book will be: *Beneath a Scarlet Sky* by Mark Sullivan.

**MEN'S BREW CREW:** Torah, Chevra and Chill. Sunday, April 26<sup>th</sup>, 8:30 pm, at the Fried home, 928 Golf Course Dr.

**LAG B'OMER CELEBRATION:** In the Fink's backyard, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 8:30 pm. Kumzitz, Food and Fun. This event is free, but RSVPs are requested by April 30<sup>th</sup>. Sponsorships levels are: \$100, \$72, \$54, \$36 and \$18. To register, click [here](#), or call the office at 314-727-1880.

**SHABBAT MEVORCHIM KIDDUSH:** Our next Shabbat Mevorchim Kiddush will be **Shabbat, May 16<sup>th</sup>** for the months of Iyar and Sivan. Sponsorships can be sent to the office at any time. If you would like to sponsor, say thank you, celebrate a birthday, anniversary, or commemorate a *yahrzeit* etc., please submit a *minimum* sponsorship of \$36 to the office no later than **noon, Tuesday, May 12<sup>th</sup>**, to ensure your name is listed on the poster in the lobby.

### **SCHOOL NEWS**

**MTI DINNER – SAVE THE DATE!:** Missouri Torah Institute's 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Dinner- Sunday, May 10<sup>th</sup> at 5:45 pm. at the Yeshiva Campus. Honoring Alumni of the Year, Mr. & Mrs. Jordan Rosenblum, and Parents of the Year, Mr. & Mrs. Hillel Efron, with a Memorial Tribute to Rabbi Avi Bloch zt"l, establishing The Rabbi Avi Bloch zt"l Scholarship Fund, a community initiative in his memory. To RSVP and/or to place an ad, visit [www.missouritorah.org/dinner](http://www.missouritorah.org/dinner), email [dinner@missouritorah.org](mailto:dinner@missouritorah.org) or call 636-778-1896x100.

### **JSU NEWS**

**MEAT UP IS BACK:** Sunday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5:30 – 8:00 pm at Topgolf Chesterfield (Ages 21 + ONLY). Register now for this annually Sold-Out event. Lots of food, adult beverages, Topgolf and SWAG. **New this year: Sponsors** will enjoy a special VIP early-entry experience. Register now [here](#). Questions: contact Alana Minoff at 314-303-0861 or [alanam@jsustl.org](mailto:alanam@jsustl.org).

**SR JSU EVENT:** JSU Year End Party for all high schoolers at TopGolf on Wednesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 - 8:00 pm. RSVP to <https://tinyurl.com/JSUTopGolfMay>. Please contact Yossi at 314-369-4688 with any questions.

**LEAVE YOUR MARK AT THE JSU HOUSE:** Help pave the path for the next generation of Jewish teens. The walkway to the JSU House is lined with engraved bricks honoring loved ones, celebrating families, or sharing meaningful Jewish messages.

**Reserve a brick in honor or memory of someone special. Limited number of bricks available in the next engraving cycle. 4"x8" – \$360, 8"x8" – \$720, 8"x12" – \$1,000**

For more information contact: Alana Minoff 314-303-0861, [alanam@jsustl.org](mailto:alanam@jsustl.org), or visit: [stl.jsu.org/donate](http://stl.jsu.org/donate)

### **COMMUNITY NEWS**

**SPECIAL SPEAKER:** Torah Prep Girls School presents A Health Conference for Jewish Women on May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 9 am – 2 pm, at the Girls School. "The Empowered Nurturer: Inspiring the Jewish Woman to Live Her Best Life", with Aliza Bixon, Rebbitzin of Beth Israel of Miami Beach. General Admission is \$40, which includes babysitting, breakfast, lunch and a special FREE gift, and sponsorships are also available. Click [here](#) for more info and to register. See flyer for full details.

**BIKUR CHOLIM MEALS AVAILABLE:** For patients who cannot access Kosher meals during their hospital stays. For more information: please call or text: Mrs. Miriam Florans 314.724.7444 or Mrs. Devorah Simon 314.397.0365.

**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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#### **Weekly sponsorship opportunities:**

Classic Kiddush (\$250),

Prime Kiddush (375), Seudah Shlishit (\$136), Hashkama Kiddush (\$40),

Weekday Learning (\$36), Announcements (\$36), Teen Minyan (\$36)

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

**Tribute cards:** available in the office.

#### **Purchase for the shul:**

Siddur (\$72), RH or YK machzor (\$72 each) or Chumash (\$90) to honor or memorialize a friend or family member.

To receive shul emails, including weekly announcements and news about members, life-cycles and programs, send an email to:

[yistl+subscribe@groups.io](mailto:yistl+subscribe@groups.io) with your request.

FACEBOOK: Like Our Shul's FACEBOOK page:

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

Join the WhatsApp group at:

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/HvHBoogv8EsKIE9J6TppnO>