



Young Israel of St. Louis

SHABBAT MARCH 28TH 2020 – FRIDAY APRIL 3RD 2020
3 NISAN 5780 – 9 NISAN 5780
PARSHAT VAYIKRA

ANNOUNCEMENT SPONSORS

Friday, March 27th

Zoom Kabbalat Shabbat w/ Aryeh Needle.....6:15 pm

Zoom in:<https://zoom.us/j/4166003523>

Call in:312-626-6799, Meeting ID: 416 600 3523#

Candle Lighting7:03 pm

Saturday, March 28th

Sof Zman Kri'at Shema9:59 am

Shabbat Ends 8:04 pm

UPCOMING YAHRTZEITS

4 Nisan	Celia Davis	8 Nisan	Harry Fine
5 Nisan	Oscar Ruckel	8 Nisan	Yaakov Meyer Rakusin
6 Nisan	Morris Susman	9 Nisan	Israel A Zeffren
8 Nisan	Fay Gubernik		

YISTL ANNUAL DINNER:

Celebrating the *St. Louis Community Eruv's 25th Anniversary*

Honoring those who continue to make it happen...

Eruv Committee: Mickey Ariel, Joel Garbow, Alan Haber, Stuart Zimbalist;

Inspectors: Rabbi Chona Muser, Lewis Notowich;

Ameren UE lineman: Pat Lorenson

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Presenting the Young Leadership Award to

Max Oppenheimer

A special thank you to this year's Dinner Chairs, Elissa Schachter and Lisa Tager Sigel, and our Journal Chairs, Roberta Gornish and Judy Haber.

The annual dinner is one of the highlights of the calendar and an opportunity for us to celebrate together and enjoy each other's company. It is also one of the Shul's vital fundraising efforts. I want to thank our Dinner Committee chairs, **Elissa Schachter** and **Lisa Tager Sigel** and their committee and our Journal Committee chairs, **Roberta Gornish** and **Judy Haber**, for the stellar work they have done so far. We were right on track with the planning when everything changed. We have no choice but to postpone the dinner to a later date when Gd willing, the COVID-19 crisis is behind us.

In the meantime, we will continue our efforts to sell journal ads with the goal of having a **Pre-Dinner Virtual Fundraiser** in May and pending circumstances setting a date on the calendar for a celebratory event in the future.

Please stay tuned for more details on how we can all participate and help our Shul.

REFUAH SHELAIMAH

.....אליעזר חיים בן פריידע
.....יהושע בן זהבה
.....ברוך בן מאשא
.....ישראל לייב בן סלאווא
.....ראובן בן שרה רבקה
.....חגי בן רחל
.....יואל ברוך בן חיה בינה
.....שמחה ישראל בן אסתר
.....ראובן אביגדר בן עלסא
.....ישראל בן שולמית
.....רונית בת רחל
.....רבקה שושנה בת מנוחה שיינה
.....Frances בת שרה
.....מרים בת שרה
.....שרה רבקה בת רייסה מייטא
.....ברייטא ליבא בת חנה
.....יוזפא פרומט בת לאה
.....אסתר בת רות
.....רחל בת שרה
.....תמדינה בת לאה ביילה
.....שיינא דבורה בת חוה
.....חנה זהבה בת פנינה
.....אבגיל בת שרה
.....שרה בת חיה צביה
.....טובה מאטל בת חנה אטל
Tova Rhein

MAZAL TOV TO...

Stephen and Nadine Cohen on the Bar Mitzvah of their grandson Kobi, in Israel. Mazal Tov to his parents, Aliza (Cohen) and Avrumi Smason, and to his grandparents, Rabbi Ze'ev and Chani Smason.

Marty & Barbara Ast on the birth and *brit milah* of their grandson, Gabriel Judah, son of Lisa and Jeremy Kramer of Baltimore.

Jackie and Alan Gerson on the birth of a great-granddaughter born to Shirel & Dov Gerson of Alon Shevut, son and daughter of Lori & Seth Gerson.

SHUL NEWS

ZOOM KABBALAT SHABBAT - CARLEBACH TEFILLAH: featuring Aryeh Needle this week, at 6:15 pm on Friday. Join Zoom Meeting: <https://zoom.us/j/4166003523>
Call in: 312-626-6799, Meeting ID: 416 600 3523#.

SPECIAL ZOOM PODCAST WITH PROFESSOR NAOMI KLAPPER: MENTAL HEALTH & FAMILY HARMONY

SUNDAY MARCH 29, 8 pm - Professor Klapper is Rabbi Shulman's sister, and a previous guest lecturer in Saint Louis for the Sarah Adelman Memorial Lecture. She is a licensed clinical psychotherapist, and the Chair of the Department of Psychology at Lander College for Women. This special podcast is being broadcast by Congregation Rinat Yisrael, in Teaneck, and our community is invited to join. **Please note: Even though the flyer only includes the Zoom link, <https://zoom.us/j/4653630025>, you can call in at the Zoom Call in number above (312-626-6799, and enter the Meeting ID: 465-36-30025#).**

YOUNG ISRAEL BOOK CLUB: Everyone is welcome to join our next discussion on Sunday evening, April 26th, from 7-8:30 pm, tentatively at the home of Debby Schuman (Please check before hand). The new selection is *The Invisible Bridge* by Julie Orringer. We will be choosing the next group of books, so please send your suggestions for books to Maurie or Glenna. Have questions or want to join the emailing list? Contact Maurie Axelbaum.

TREE OF LIFE: We are submitting another order for leaves for our Tree of Life. Once again, thank you to all who have purchased leaves thus far. If you would like to buy a leaf, branch leaf or stone at this time, **please submit your order form (brochure is attached or you can find one in the Shul lobby) to Judy in the office. We will be submitting the next order on March 31st.**

PESACH

MATZA PICK UP: Sunday morning, March 29th, 9:30 – noon. If you have an order, you should have received an email with detailed instructions for pickup. If you have not seen it, please contact the office as soon as possible.

CHAMETZ SALE FORM: This year the selling of chometz is being done through an online form. [The link is available here!](#)

STORAGE BOXES – IMPORTANT NOTE

The shul is going to be closed for Pesach this year. As we don't want people congregating in the shul to clean their boxes, I would ask that you PLEASE INCLUDE ANY CHAMETZ you have in the shul boxes in your SALE OF CHAMETZ FORM. If you have already filled one out, you will have to fill it out again for the shul address and identify your box, if you have alcohol or chametz there. Thank you!

MAOS CHITIM: The Rabbi Sholom Rivkin Tzedakah/Merle Hartstein Maos Chitim Fund of the Vaad Hoeir distributes funds to families throughout our community for Pesach. Please make checks payable to Maos Chitim and send to Vaad Hoeir of St Louis, 8630 Delmar Blvd, Ste 240, St Louis, MO, 63124 or www.stlmaoschitim.com.

THE VAAD HOEIR PESACH GUIDE: is now available at: <https://ovkosher.org/pesach2020/>

THE CRC PESACH GUIDE: (which is the same food guide as the Vaad) is available at: <https://ovkosher.org/pesach2020/>

COMMUNITY NEWS

SUNDAY WOMENS' TEHILLIM GROUP: We ask all group members to say their tehillim from home this week. For more information or for tehillim to say, please call or text Pat Harris, (314) 704-6655. The Tehillim hotline (names and updates) is 314-441-6460. Or email: tehillimstl@gmail.com.

SHUL OFFICE & CONTACT INFO

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: Kiddush (\$200), Seudah Shlishit (\$136), Hashkama (\$40), Teen Minyan (\$20), V'shinantem (\$54), Announcements (\$36)

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.

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

yistl+subscribe@groups.io with your request.

FACEBOOK: Like Our Shul's FACEBOOK page:

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