



Keneseth Beth Israel

Weekly Newsletter

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Friday September 6, 2019

6 Elul 5779

Parshat Shofetim

The Eruv is Up

SHABBAT SCHEDULE

Friday:

Candle Lighting: 7:13 pm

Mincha: 7:00 pm

Shabbat Day:

Shacharit: 9:00 am

Explanatory Minyan: 10:00 am

Mincha: 7:05 pm

Shabbat Ends: 8:15 pm



**Rabbi Asher will give a shiur
1 hour before mincha in the main sanctuary.**

PERSONAL TALLIT REMOVAL REQUEST

Please remove all your personal tallits from the Shul. After Shabbat, we will be labeling all of the Shul's tallits with KBI's name. We do not want to accidentally label your tallit as a tallit belonging to KBI. Your cooperation is appreciated.

MIKVAH VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Mikvah committee is looking for male volunteers on Erev Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur to man the Mikvah.

Please contact Ettie Klestzick at 214-732-0371 or Ettie.klestzick@gmail.com if you are available.



Scholar-in-Residence Shabbat with Jonathan Rosenblum



Jonathan Rosenblum is a Yale-educated lawyer who writes for the Jerusalem Post, Mishpacha Magazine, and other publications. He has written ten books, including a forthcoming biography of Rav Noach Weinberg. He is a spokesman for and constructive critic of the Chareidi community, addressing relevant and controversial issues affecting the broader Jewish community.

Shabbat September 20-21, 2019 6300 Patterson Ave

8:00 PM KBI Shabbat Shalom Dinner
Raising Enthusiastic Jewish Children

Approximately 11:00 AM Shabbat Morning Drasha
Is Jewish Unity Possible?

5:40 PM Shabbat Afternoon
Happiness Cannot be Pursued (whatever Jefferson thought): Jewish Simcha Can

Approximately 7:00 PM Seudat Shlishit
What Gadol Biographies Do and Don't Teach Us

11:15 PM Motzei Shabbat - Pre Selichot
How to Identify Our Mission in Life

WEEKDAY MINYAN SCHEDULE

Shacharit:

Wed: 6:30 am

Sun: 8:30 am

Thurs: 6:25 am

Mon: 6:25 am

Fri: 6:30 am

Tues: 6:30 am

Mincha: 7:05 pm



Next Week Candle Lighting: 7:03 pm

September Shabbat Shalom Dinner

Featuring

Rabbi Jonathan Rosenblum

September 20, 2019, 8 pm
6300 Patterson Avenue

Please reserve seats
no later than 9.17.19
by making payment
here or contacting the
KBI office

Adult	\$18
Child	\$12
Family Max	\$60

Earlybird Special:
Reserve by 9.13.19, and
enjoy a 10% discount

Dinner follows Mincha, Kabbalat Shabbat and Maariv, beginning at 6:50 pm
Candle-lighting available in the social hall prior to Mincha
Please contact the KBI Office to be a sponsor

THIS WEEK'S SPONSORS

Kiddush:

In honor of Captain Shachar Yehuda Frazer's gerut (conversion) by: Rabbi Dovid & Aliza Asher, Yonatan & Marlena Cantor, Ben & Sharyl Freedlander, Avi & Dina Gunzberg, Bill & Millie Hill, Sruli & Rikki Kirshblum, Akiva & Ilana Lessin, Chuck & Judy Lessin and Daniel & Julia Roth.



If you would like to sponsor a Kiddush or Seudah Shelishit, please contact Rivka Bart: KBI@kbirichmond.com. Following kiddush, families are reminded to please clean up after their children. *Thank you so much!*

NEW LEARNING OPPORTUNITY

EXCITING - A New Learning Chaburah (starting with Mishlei, but feel free to bring a different sefer/book) will be starting next Thursday, September 12 at 9:30 p.m. in the KBI Weger Chapel. All levels of learning are welcome. This will be a chavruta program (hot kugel and bourbon will be served). Please contact Avi Gunzburg at 410-963-2167 for more information.

EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

Shabbat Morning Gemara Class:

Led by: Rabbi Asher **When:** Shabbat 8:30 am

Where: Social Hall

Beit Tzitzit Beit Midrash:

Led by: Rabbi Winston **When:** Shabbat 10:45 am

Where: Library

Men's Class:

Please join us Sunday mornings for a Men's Open Beit Midrash in the Weger chapel after Shacharit. For any questions, please contact Rabbi Bart at rabbibart@rudlin.com. If you would like assistance in setting up a chavruta, please reach out to Rabbi Asher at dovidasher@gmail.com.

Men's Halacha Class:

Led by: Rabbi Francis **When:** M-TH from 9:30-9:45 PM **Where:**

Join from your home via WhatsApp group, Halacha Online.

Classes are recorded to enable material review. Contact Rabbi Francis for more information: 347-247-2250.

Hebrew Language Classes:

Led by: Rich Goldberg **When:** Tuesday/Wednesday evenings, depending on level

Where: Classroom #3 at KBI (across the hall from the Library)

Learn to Read Hebrew! **Led by:** Rich Goldberg **When:**

Wednesday evenings from 6:45-7:45 PM **Where:** Classroom #3 at KBI (across the hall from the Library)

Chassidic Judaism Class:

Led by: Rabbi Winston **When:** First class - Thursday, 09/19/19, 8pm: What is Chassidut? The Transmission of Jewish Mysticism

Where: Weger Chapel.

Learning Chaburah:

When: First session - Thursday, 09/12/19, 9:30 pm **Where:** Weger Chapel. All levels of learning are welcome. This will be a chavruta program (hot kugel and bourbon will be served).

GIRL SCOUT TROOP 4613

Join Girl Scout Troop 4613 in its 8th year! Registration for 2019-2020 (Kindergarten – 5th Grade) and 1st Troop Meeting will be on Monday, September 9th at 5:45 pm in the KBI Social Hall.

In order to have your daughter participate in the 1st Troop Meeting, please bring a check (made payable to Troop 4613 GSA) for \$65 (to cover the cost of your daughter's yearly dues) to this first meeting. Girl Scout required forms will be available at this meeting. You will need to take about 10 minutes to complete the paperwork. Our 2019-2020 Girl Scout Event Calendar will be available at this meeting. Meeting times: Mondays: 5:45-7:00 PM in the KBI Social Hall.

Contact: Heni Stein at Henib18@comcast.net if you have any questions.

On a semi-monthly basis, KBI plans to host Shabbat dinner, each with a unique feature. Tentatively, we look forward to:

- 9.20.19 Featuring Rabbi Jonathan Rosenblum
- 10.18.19 Featuring Shabbat in the Sukkah
- 11.15.19 Featuring Our Veterans
- 12.20.19 Featuring Channukah Celebrations

REFUAH SHELEMAH

Email chava.maimon@yahoo.com to edit.

- Avrummie Klestzick - *Avraham Moshe ben Noa Yocheved*
- Ilene Paley - *Itka bat Sheindel*
- Shlomo Sherman - *Shlomo Zalman ben Perel*
- Avi Slavin - *Avraham ben Yehudit*
- Beverley Soble - *Batsheva bat Gettel Yenah*
- Anne Woods - *Chana Elka bat Menucha Git'l*



AIPAC UPDATE: SEPTEMBER 6, 2019

U.S. Imposes Sanctions on Iran, Hezbollah and Hamas

Over the past week, as part of an overall United States initiative to heighten economic pressure on Iran as the regime works toward a nuclear weapons capability, the U.S. Treasury Department imposed sanctions on individuals and entities supporting Iran, Hezbollah and Hamas. On Aug. 28, the U.S. Department of the Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) sanctioned two procurement networks that were providing financial support to Iran's missile proliferation programs. On Tuesday, the State Department imposed sanctions against Iran's space program following a failed attempt to launch a rocket last week, which the U.S. suspects was an effort to advance its ballistic missile program. On Wednesday, OFAC took action against a large shipping network that is directed and financially supports the Islamic Revolutionary Corps (IRGC) Quds Force. The Iranian petroleum shipping network moved hundreds of millions of dollars to the Assad regime and Hezbollah. The Treasury Department has placed sanctions on 26 individuals and "entities" affiliated with the IRGC Quds Force, which the United States said has shipped approximately \$500 million worth of Iranian oil in the last year, as part of a growing effort to push back on Iran's malign actions.



Our synagogue partners with AIPAC, America's pro-Israel lobby, in educating our community on issues affecting the U.S.-Israel relationship. We encourage you to learn more by contacting AIPAC at (202) 639-5200 or by visiting www.aipac.org.

MAZEL TOV

Mazel Tov to Zev and Simi Klein on the birth of a boy. Shalom Zachor at 6505 Monument Avenue on Friday night at 9:15. Brit on Tuesday, September 10, following 8:00 Shacharit.

THANK YOU

To the Dear Richmond Community,

We would like to express our sincere appreciation for your outpouring of support throughout the period of the car accident which boys from our camp were involved in. May this serve as a great zechut (merit) for you, and may we only share simachot in the future. Wishing you a Ketivah V'Chatima Tovah – a happy, healthy, sweet new year.

Sincerely,

Rabbis Shaya Guttman, Eliezer Gestetner, Shneur Olshin, and the parents and campers of Machane Richmond.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Basya Gunzberg – 9/6

Daniel Gunzberg – 9/6

Ahuva Cantor – 9/8

Nissim Cantor – 9/8

Rena Cantor – 9/8

Lisa Gewirtz – 9/8

Marvin Jaffe – 9/8



Jessica Lutzky – 9/9

Shifra Rubin – 9/9

Berel Bart – 9/10

Chava Maimon – 9/10

Sara Goel – 9/11

Aerin Marx – 9/12

Andrea Nachman – 9/12



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VIRGINIA CHAPTER
INAUGURAL EVENT

BIKING FOR SOLDIERS

10.27.19

REGISTRATION – 7:30 AM

RIDE – 9:00 AM

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION FEE: \$60

CHASSIDIC JUDAISM CLASS

The Jewish mystical tradition is thousands of years old. Chassidic Jewish teachings offer practical and holistic approaches to everyday Jewish spirituality. The teachings of the Baal Shem Tov, whose lessons gave the entire world insight into some of life's deepest mysteries, bring us enriched perspectives about G-d, the universe, and ourselves.

Thursday, 09/19/19, 8pm: What is Chassidut? The Transmission of Jewish Mysticism

Thursday, 09/26/19, 8pm: Rose Hashanah with the Baal Shem Tov

Thursday, 10/03/19, 8pm: Yom Kippur with the Baal Shem Tov

Thursday, 10/24/19, 8pm: The Holy Berditchever, Defender of Israel

Thursday, 12/19/19, 8pm: Chanukah with the Bnei Yissaschar

Location: Keneseth Beth Israel, Weger chapel

Please Email Rabbi Winston if interested in attending at adam.winston@richmond.edu to allow for an appropriate amount of coffee and nosh.



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ANNOUNCEMENTS DEADLINE

The Communications Committee accepts articles / information to consider for inclusion in each week's bulletin until noon on Wednesdays. This is a firm deadline. Please submit contributions to chava.maimon@yahoo.com, copied to efitzge@gmail.com.