

## SHABBAT SCHEDULE

### Friday:

Candle Lighting: 7:50 pm

Mincha: 7:00 pm

Rabbi Asher's Gemara  
class will resume on  
May 18.

### Saturday:

Shacharit: 9:00 am

Explanatory Minyan: 10:00 am

Mincha starts at 7:40 pm

Shabbat Ends: 8:53 pm



## WEEKDAY MINYAN SCHEDULE

### Shacharit:

Sun: 8:30 am (Mother's Day)

Mon: 6:25 am

Tues: 6:30 am

Wed: 6:30 am

Thurs: 6:25 am

Fri: 6:30 am

Mincha: 7:50 pm

Next Week Candle Lighting: 7:56 pm



## THIS WEEK'S SPONSORS

### Kiddush:

KBI in recognition of Mother's Day to honor all of our moms.

Chandler family in honor of Avi's birthday.

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!



## MAZEL TOV

Mazel Tov to Rabbi Adam and Thea Winston on the birth of a daughter, Adele Bracha.

## HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY TO ALL OUR MOMS!

Lo and behold, she is a family member certainly like no other,  
And this is why tomorrow we pause and celebrate each and every Mother.



Among other things for a full 9-month period she carried us around,  
And then after we are born you knew that at every turn that this parent could always be found.

She's been there for bathing, feeding, dressing and so much more,  
Getting us ready from a very early age for all that life has in store.

By teaching us respect, honesty and gratitude at each and every turn,  
Mom reminded us time and again we have an awful lot to learn.

Mom is there for scraped knees, chocolate chip cookies and even homework in a pinch,  
And reminds us always that when things get tough to never ever yield an inch!

Even when we grow older and leave the nest to go off on our own way,  
She still casually reminds us that she is never more than just a heartbeat away.

But make no mistake for one day all that's been right will surely flip,  
When the children realize that there has been a change to this all too familiar script.

For mom will need us perhaps to do the things she taught us with patience,  
Because suddenly she has become older and we obviously see her as more than just another of doc's patients.

So, everyone please, be with them now while you can enjoy each and every facet,  
For life is fleeting and no one knows how long we'll be able to treasure this very special asset.

Whether your efforts in the end are very large or perhaps somewhat small,  
I know that mom will only remember that you took the time to show that you cared at all.

And in doing just something to let her know that you love her all the while,  
Just a tip now that you make the moment all the more memorable when you share that special smile.

Finally, finally, if you should ever forget which family member made each of you a resounding success,  
You can look back and remind yourself and say, yeah, now I recall because I once did hear it straight from the KBI Press.

## KRISTALLNACHT SERVICE

We invite you to join us at the BYRD THEATER, Sunday June 2nd, at 2:00, for the Richmond Premier of the video of the 80th Anniversary Kristallnacht Service from Emek Sholom, the second oldest Holocaust Memorial site in America. A special presentation will be made by Delegate Debra Rodman of the Resolution she husbanded through the Virginia General Assembly, inviting all Virginians to remember that day of HORROR, KRISTALLNACHT. Many believe that a paucity of Holocaust Education is a leading factor of the anti-Semitism we see today. Join your voice with ours will make a difference. FREE ADMISSION.

## KBI COMMUNITY LAG B'OMER CELEBRATION

THURSDAY  
MAY  
23

5:30 PM - 8:00 PM  
THREE LAKES PARK  
400 SAUSILUTA DR  
SHELTER #1

MUSIC - BONFIRE - DINNER  
BRING YOUR FAVORITE SPORTS EQUIPMENT

DINNER WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE.

## EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

**Shabbat Morning Gemara Class: WILL RESUME MAY 18**  
**Led by:** Rabbi Asher **When:** Saturday 8:30 am **Where:** Social Hall

**Beit Tzitzit Beit Midrash:**  
**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 (*includes breakfast!*). 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.

**Daf Yomi:**  
**Led by:** Rabbi Avi Schwartz, Zev Klein, and Bob Rubin **When:** Sunday mornings after Shacharit at KBI. M-TH from 9:30-10:00 PM at the Yeshiva of Virginia; Friday nights at the Klein residence. Shabbat: one half hour before Mincha at KBI.

**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.

**Breslav Class:**  
Fleishig refreshments will be served! **When:** Tuesday nights, 7-8 pm **Where:** Buehlers Carriage House, 407 Harlan Circle Questions? Call Tom Buehler: 804-288-8816

**Women's Parsha Learning - Emor: (change in speaker; see below)**  
**Led by:** Mrs. Noa Klestzick **When:** Tuesday, May 14, 8 pm  
**Where:** Weger chapel

**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)

## REFUAH SHELEMAH

Email [chava.maimon@yahoo.com](mailto:chava.maimon@yahoo.com) to edit.

- Fran Blum
- Chany Kaufman  
*Chana Malka Etia bat Zisa Rivkah Miriam*
- Avrummie Klestzick  
*Avraham Moshe ben Noa Yocheved*
- Alan Laskoe
- Ilene Paley  
*Itka bat Sheindel*
- Avi Slavin
- Beverley Soble  
*Batshevah bat Gettel Yenah*
- Anne Woods  
*Chana Elka bat Menucha Git'l*



## BEIT TZITZIT: SHABBAT MORNING AT 10:45 IN THE KBI LIBRARY

Every week, Rabbi Winston leads a lively discussion of this week's Parsha. If you've been curious, join us! Kiddush and snacks included!

**Rabbi Winston offers this question to ponder:**  
*In Parshat Kedoshim, the Jewish people are commanded to be "holy ones." What is holiness? What does it mean to be holy? Further, we are commanded to be holy because "[G-d] is holy." Why do we need a reason for this mitzvah more than other mitzvot that are given without reason?*

In addition, at 9:45, Drew Alexander leads a weekly Parsha/Rashi discussion. If you'd like to be added to the weekly email reminder list, please email Judy at [justjewdee@gmail.com](mailto:justjewdee@gmail.com).

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

- 5/10 - Sharon Berry
- 5/10 - Sam Weprin
- 5/10 - Rebecca Kalman Winston
- 5/12 - Molly Lutzky
- 5/13 - Mildred Hill
- 5/13 - Casey Lamar
- 5/15 - Sruly Kirshblum
- 5/16 - Sharon Ellis
- 5/16 - Aaron Levin



## CALLING ALL PARENTS OF 2019 GRADUATES

If you would like to sponsor Kiddush on June 15 to honor your graduate at our annual graduation Kiddush, please contact the KBI office by June 10.

**What are your child's plans for next year?** KBI will be highlighting our high school and college graduates in a future newsletter.

Send us your child's name, plans for next year, and a photo (optional) by June 30 to Rivka Bart: [KBI@kbirichmond.com](mailto:KBI@kbirichmond.com)



### BOY SCOUT TROOP 613 END OF YEAR DINNER

On Wednesday evening, 6:30 pm, June 5th, 2019, Boy Scout Troop 613 will hold their 8th End of Year Dinner at which we will be recognizing all the scout's achievements in 2018-2019.

This dinner is free of charge, and we would like to invite you to attend to help support the Jewish Youth of Richmond. Although the dinner is free to attend, please consider sponsoring the boys' very special event to help defray the costs for this event.

#### There are many sponsorship levels:

Scout: \$25 • Tenderfoot: \$50 • 2nd Class: \$75 • 1st Class: \$100  
Star: \$200 • Life: \$300 • Eagle: \$613

We are specifically seeking donations of \$100 but if you are only able to give a smaller amount, we will still highly appreciate your support. Your sponsorship will go not only towards helping fund the boys' End of Year Dinner, but it will also go towards helping fund Troop 613's future Troop activities for our other upcoming scouts working their way towards Life and Eagle.

We hope you'll be our guest for our End of Year event and consider making a sponsorship to our Boy Scout program. Imagine the Scouts standing up at their dinner being recognized for their well-earned high achievements and only a handful of people there to cheer them on. Please do not discount what your attendance and encouragement can do for a young man on a path to something great. Those who choose to sponsor will be recognized in our event's printed program. We hope to see you there, and thank you for your continued support!

We look forward to hearing from you!

Scoutmaster: Russ Stein

Assistant Scoutmaster: Drew Alexander

Assistant Scoutmaster: Ben Melton

Troop Committee Chair: Henia Stein

Committee Member: Rachel Sattler

Committee Member: Lisa Melton



### CONTACT INFO REQUEST

Does your information need to be updated? This includes birthday, address, phone number, and email. Please contact Rivka Bart: KBI@kbirichmond.com or 288-7953.

### 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](mailto:chava.maimon@yahoo.com), copied to [mark.press@genworth.com](mailto:mark.press@genworth.com).

### AMAZON SMILE

Shop AmazonSmile ([smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com)) and a portion will be donated to Keneseth Beth Israel. *Thank you for your support!*

### CAMP YANIV IS BACK!

Camp Yaniv is back for another summer of fun, learning, and exploration!

**Ages:** Rising 2nd grade through Rising 8th grade. Rising 9th & 10th graders can apply to be CITs (limited spots available - at a cost of \$50/week)

**Dates:** June 24-August 2

**Times:** 9:00am-3:30pm (email us if you want early &/or after care)

**Location:** Pick up and drop off from the RTA Campus

Activities will include but are not limited to: Weekly field trips, Swimming, Jewish learning, arts & crafts, sports, baking, science experiments and a few surprises!

**Cost:** \$180 per week, with scholarships available.

Please be in touch with any questions.

We are looking forward to a fun filled summer!

**Thea Winston: 804-418-9074**

### AIPAC UPDATE: MAY 10, 2019

#### Grief to Jubilation: Israel Transitions from Memorial to Independence Day

Israel abruptly crossed over from grief to jubilation at nightfall Wednesday, as Memorial Day for the country's fallen soldiers and terror victims came to a close and its 71st Independence Day began. The Times of Israel reported. Mournful and somber speeches gave way to fireworks, concerts and parties across the country, with flags promptly raised back from half-staff. The juxtaposition of Memorial Day and Independence Day is a key element of Israelis' experience of their country's anniversary, ensuring that no commemoration completely excludes the sacrifice of the fallen and their families, and that the elation of independence is never far removed from an awareness of its cost.

The sudden switch is seen as a difficult transition for many bereaved families. The main event kicking off Independence day was the annual state ceremony, which was taking place at the military cemetery on Mount Herzl in Jerusalem, featuring a speech from Knesset Speaker Yuli Edelstein, the lighting of 12 torches — which symbolize the 12 tribes of Israel in the Bible — by people who are seen to have made an outstanding contribution to society, and much singing and dancing.

*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](http://www.aipac.org).*

