



# Young Israel of St. Louis

SHABBAT, MAY 14<sup>TH</sup> 2016 – SHABBAT MAY 20<sup>TH</sup> 2016

6 IYAR 5776 – 12 IYAR 5776

SHABBAT KEDOSHIM

## ANNOUNCEMENT SPONSORS

Keith and Karen Zeff in honor of Akiva's bar mitzvah.

The St. Louis Sefardic Society, in honor of our newest full-fledged member, Akiva Zeff. May you continue to grow in Torah, *mitzvot* and Sefardic minyan attendance.

TMK, in honor of the bnot sherut - Sarah, Or, Noga and Menucha, and our fabulous community leaders Sima Oberlander and Adi Feen, for all their hard work and endless energy in putting together an amazing Yachad Yom Ha'atzmaut program, and also for all the many volunteers who gave of their talents and time to make it happen.

Mike Oberlander and Eli Feen in honor of Sima Oberlander and Adi Feen for all of their volunteer work to make the Yachad Program about Yom Ha'atzmaut at the J so successful.

### Friday May 13<sup>th</sup>

Mincha/Ma'ariv ..... 7:00 pm

Candle Lighting ..... 7:47 pm

### Saturday May 14<sup>th</sup>

Hashkama ..... 7:30 am

Chumash Shiur ..... 8:15 am

Shacharit ..... 9:00 am

*Sof Zman Kri'at Shema* ..... 9:24 am

Bnei Akiva ..... 6:00 – 7:10 pm

Pre-Mincha Shiur ..... 6:40 pm

Mincha ..... 7:40 pm

Shabbat Ends ..... 8:48 pm

**Hashkama Kiddush:** Sponsors invited.

**Kiddush:** Sponsored by Drs. Benjamin and Nikki Zeff, in honor of Akiva's Bar Mitzvah.

**Seudah Shlishit:** Sponsors invited.

### Weekday Shacharit

Sunday ..... 8:00 am

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

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

Mincha/Maariv ..... 7:50 pm

**Eruv is – UP.**

### REFUAH SHELAIMAH

Yehoshua Sommer.....	יהושע בן זהבה
Ronald Bolker.....	ישראל לייב בן סלאווא
.....	יהודה מנחם מענדל בן רשקה
.....	בנימין זעליג בן סלאווא
.....	שמעון יוסף בן צביה
.....	דורון דניאל בן יפה
.....	אליעזר חיים בן פריידע
.....	ישעיה בן רוחמה
.....	ראובן געצל בן זלדה
.....	דוד אהרן בן שיינדל יפה
.....	משה זאב בן אסתר
.....	שיינדל יפה בת חיה צביה
.....	צביה בת בריינה
.....	רבקה שרה בת בתיה
.....	רחל לאה בת ייטל
.....	הילה בת פייגא חנה
.....	חיה הדסה זהבה בת לאה רייזא
.....	חיה פייגל בת אלטא דינה
.....	רחל בת חנה
.....	יהודית רחל בת בריינדל יטא
.....	נחמה שרה בת צביה שיינדל
.....	יסמין לאה בת ידידיה
.....	שרה ביילה בת גענעשא פעסא
.....	שרה רייזל בת הודא
.....	רחל יהודית בת ביילה
Rachel Adler.....	רחל בת אסתר

### MAZAL TOV

Mazal Tov to **Akiva Zeff** on his Bar Mitzvah. Mazal Tov to his parents **Benjamin & Nikki Zeff**, and grandparents, Keith & Karen Zeff of St. Louis, Robert Dawkins of Pensacola, Florida and Stephanie Payne of Houston, Texas. We welcome

all the guests from Kansas City, Austin, Boston, San Francisco, and New Haven who have come to celebrate this *simcha* with us.

Mazal Tov to **Rabbi Mike & Selina Rovinsky** on the birth of a grandson, born to Avi & Lizzy Rovinsky in Tucson.

Mazal Tov to **Barry & Hessie Needle** on the engagement of their granddaughter, Sarah Esther, to Eli Cohen of Chicago. Mazal Tov to Cissy's parents, Charles & Linda Fern.

Mazal Tov to **Larry & Barbara Poger** on being honored at our annual dinner this Sunday night.

### SHUL NEWS

**FOUND:** The *sefer* "The Laws of Pesach" was left on the announcement table. Please contact the office, if you know the owner.

### "AMUD-A-WEEK: THE WHOLE COMMUNITY ON THE SAME PAGE" & SUNDAY MORNING BEIT MIDRASH – STARTING MAY 15:

Join us at our newest learning initiative, in a collaborative effort of YI / St. Louis Kollel / TMK / EHA & YKHS, for a new community-wide initiative, designed to engage the widest audience in the experience of Talmud learning, at the same pace, and at all levels, beginning the week of **May 15<sup>th</sup>**. While shiurim will be available by audio/video, please join us on **Sunday mornings** (or Thursday evening mishmar), learn with a

chavruta or with a small shiur/chavura, available at all levels – **beginners, intermediate, or advanced**. Men and women invited. The Sunday morning Beit Midrash will begin right after Minyan, and will include a light breakfast, and learning from 9-10am. For more information, or to coordinate a chavruta to learn with, please contact **Alex Pudles at 732-616-5685**.

**YOUNG ISRAEL ANNUAL DINNER:** We are very excited about this Sunday's dinner honoring Larry & Barbara Poger. The dinner is at the Windows on Washington, 1601 Washington Ave. Reception at 5:30 pm and Dinner at 6:15 pm. There will be complimentary valet parking or self-park in the lot on Washington between 18th and 19th streets (across from Imo's) with a shuttle bus which will take you from your car to the venue (and back).

**HOLD THE DATE MAY 28 – Scholar in Residence LT COLONEL (res.) RABBI YEDIDY ATLAS:** Young Israel is proud to host Rabbi Yedidya Atlas, Rabbi of the IDF Central Command (res.), Head of Special Projects for the IDF Chief Rabbinate, and recipient of the "Lifetime Achievement Award" by the IDF Ground Forces Command. We thank the National Council of Young Israel for their generosity in enabling us to host Rabbi Atlas for what promises to be a very inspiring Shabbat!

#### **WOMEN'S DIVISION**

**SHAVUOS TAKEOUT. CALLING ALL CHEFS!** *It's once again time for our famous Shavuos take out auction.* We have many new families this year so here's how it works. We get chefs to offer dishes for Shavuos. It's a 3 day yom tov so there are a lot of meals to prepare. The chefs offer a dish for Shavuos. You can offer as many dishes as you like, and they can be both meat or dairy. These go into an auction format and when the auction becomes live you can bid on all the delicious food offered. Should more than one person want the dish, the price gets bid up (like on ebay). A chef can offer more than one of a dish, such as 3 quarts of minestrone meatball soup. Each dish is priced separately and you can bid on one or all three. All bidders pay the same price for the item. Our deadline for chefs is Friday, May 20. Please e mail what you would like to make to either Karen Zeffren at [KarenZeffren@yahoo.com](mailto:KarenZeffren@yahoo.com) or Bryna Kandel at [BrynaKI031@aol.com](mailto:BrynaKI031@aol.com). Call Karen with any questions at [314-616-5863](tel:314-616-5863).

#### **COMMUNITY NEWS**

**JCC MACCABI GAMES 2016:** The JCC Maccabi Games® is the largest Jewish youth event in the world. From July 31 – August 5, 2016 our community will welcome more than 1,000 visiting teens from across the globe and involve all of Greater St. Louis, including 400 host families, 1,000 volunteers and 200+ local teen athletes.

The Games will open at the Chaifetz Arena on Sunday, July 31, and, over the course of the week, athletes will compete in sports, while learning about Rachmanus (compassion), Tikkun Olam (Repair the World) and Amiut Yehudit (Jewish Peoplehood). Together, we'll strengthen our entire Jewish community, empower our next generation of leaders and celebrate our values and traditions.

Find out more about the Games at [maccabistlouis.org](http://maccabistlouis.org) or contact the St. Louis JCC Maccabi Games office at 314-442-3433 or visit our website: [maccabistlouis.org](http://maccabistlouis.org).

**MAY 17 ST. LOUIS AJC PRESENTS: Unpacking BDS on College Campuses.** An evening to explore how the movement to boycott, divest and sanction Israel is affecting students and professors on college campuses. 7:00 pm Wine and Dessert Reception (kosher), 7:45 pm Program, Ritz Carlton St. Louis. RSVP to: [www.ajc.org/StLouis/BDSONCampus/May17](http://www.ajc.org/StLouis/BDSONCampus/May17). **This event is co-sponsored by our very own Adinah Raskas and Bella Adler, in a unique multi-generation partnership. Kol Hakavod!** Suggested donation: \$36 to cover costs.

**TOMCHEI COOKBOOKS ARE NOW AVAILABLE FOR PREORDER!** To place an order for \$30 and pay for it, please contact Jackie at 997-6924, Bryna at 569-5001, or pay with credit card at [www.tomcheistl.org](http://www.tomcheistl.org). Sponsorships for \$180 (which includes a free cookbook) are still being accepted.

**WOMENS' TEHILLIM GROUP:** Will meet this week, Sunday, May 15, at the home of Pat Harris-Fogel, 948 Blackberry Place, (314) 704-6655. The group meets at 9:15 am. If you cannot participate in person, please call. Sunday, May 22, Tehillim will return to Jan Adelman's home, 8032 Amherst Ave, next week, (314) 863-5438. The Tehillim hotline (names and updates) is: (314) 441-6460.

#### **NCSY NEWS**

- **Latte and Learning** - Wednesday night at Starbucks on Hanley and Wydown, 7:30 pm.
- **Parsha & Pizza** – for high school boys, every Wednesday, 12 – 12:45 pm, and for high school girls, every Thursday, 12 – 12:45 pm at the NCSY office.

#### **TORAH MITZION KOLLEL NEWS**

- **Mishnat Pinchas v'Sarah:** 5 minutes after Kiddush.
- **Mishmar learning:** Thursdays at Young Israel at 8:30 pm with Eitan Salomon.
- **Women in Tanach Series:** at the Salomon home, 7822 Delmar Blvd, 8:15pm, Tuesdays.
- **Ruth Fredman Mother/Daughter Bat Mitzvah Program:** tba.
- **Bnei Akiva:** Bnei Akiva this week is 6:00 – 7:10 pm

#### **SHUL OFFICE & CONTACT INFO**

Shul Office Hours: Mon, Fri 9:30 AM – 2:30 PM.  
Tues, Wed, Thurs 11 AM – 4 PM

Deadline for announcements: Noon on Thursday  
Deadline for Mazal Tovs 10 AM on Friday

*Rabbi Shulman's personal contact info:* [shulman@milah.net](mailto:shulman@milah.net)

314-725-6130 (home study), 314-313-3120 (cell)

Young Israel Web-site: [www.youngisrael-stl.org](http://www.youngisrael-stl.org)

To sponsor a weekly Shul Announcement, for \$36, email Judy ([info@youngisrael-stl.org](mailto:info@youngisrael-stl.org)) or call (314-727-1880)