

BAIS TORAH BULLETIN

פרשת בשלח- הדלקת נרות 4:46

January 25, 2013

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ערב שבת פרשת בשלח

הדלקת נרות	4:46
מנחה	4:55
שקיעה	5:04
Shiur	8:00

שבת פרשת בשלח

שחרית השכמה	7:30
דף היומי	8:00
שחרית	8:45
סוף זמן ק"ש	9:42
גמרא שיעור	3:50
מנחה	4:35
שקיעה	5:06
מעריב	5:49

Weekday Schedule:

Week of 1/27-2/1

שחרית

Sunday	7:45
Mon, Thurs	6:20,7:45
Tues, Weds, Fri	6:30,7:45

מנחה -מעריב

Sun-Thurs	5:00
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מעריב

Mon-Thurs	8:00
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NEXT WEEK:

שבת פרשת יתרו

הדלקת נרות	4:55
מנחה	5:05
שקיעה	5:13

WHAT'S NEW

This week's Kiddush is available for sponsorship

סעודה שלישית is available for sponsorship .

BAIS TORAH YOUTH PROGRAM Shabbos morning from 10:15– 11:15 in the Beis Medrash. Children ages 4-9 are invited to attend and join in games and Parsha lessons!

AVOS U'BANIM THIS MOTZOEI SHABBOS AT 7:00 PM This week's learning is co-sponsored by Rabbi Yaakov and Penina Hauer and David & Carol Abramczik in honor of Rabbi & Mrs. Yisroel Gottlieb. Only a few weeks left!! To sponsor a night of learning please contact Jonathan.Rosenstock@yahoo.com or the shul office.

Come enjoy the live **Shiurim by Rabbi Frand** Thursday night at 9:00 pm and by **Rabbi Reisman** Motzoei Shabbos at 7:30pm Everyone is invited to attend.

THIS Motzoei Shabbos January 26th at 8:30PM Join us for a fascinating lecture: **"Megilas Esther - The Things They Didn't Teach You In Grade School,"** presented by Author and Professor of Tanach at Yeshiva University Rabbi Hayyim Angel.

EXCITING NEW SHABBOS PROGRAM!!! BNOS at Congregation Bais Torah starting next week, Shabbos **Parshas Yisro**, February 2 at **2:30 pm** in the Shul. Every Shabbos from 2:30-3:30pm for **girls Kindergarten - 7th grade**. We hope to be starting a Pirchei group for boys very shortly. For more information, please contact Mrs. Mendlowitz at (845) 357-1630

PURIM IS COMING!!! Please send back the Mishloach Manos list as soon as possible! Get ready for an exciting , rare delivery.....

MATZAH BAKING at the Shatzer Matzah bakery will be **February 3 at 2:30**. To order email eiointova@optonline.net or call Lieder at 352-0122

Daf Yomi Sponsorships are now available .The Daf can be sponsored for a yarzeit,refuah sheleima, or a simcha-\$25 for the Daf of the day, or \$50 for the week.The shiur will be dedicated to that person and recognized prior to the Rav's Daf Yomi shiur at 7am, . Please contact Aviva 352-1343

MAZAL TOV

Peter and Felise Katz on the marriage of their children Dovid and Daniella Katz

Aron and Susan Schiller on the engagement of their grandson Yisrael Apfel son of Naomi and Howie Apfel to Shayna Frankel of West Hempstead.

Allen and Miriam Nussbaum on the bar mitzvah of their grandson, Yehudah Tzvi Adler, son of Rabbi Aryeh and Mrs. Keri Adler of Atlanta, GA.

Michael and Sharon Kronenberg on the birth of a grandson, Dovid Yitzchak, born to their children Mordechai and Elisheva Kronenberg

Marty and Carol Ginsberg on the bas mitzvah of their granddaughter, Tamar Bryks, daughter of Tully and Hindy Bryks of Ramat Beit Shemesh.

Refuah Shelaimah

Katie Tannenbaum's grand-son-
יהונתן משה בן דבורה טובה

Teddy Kallner-טודרוס בן הינדא

Henry Shapiro-

חיים מאיר יחיאל בן מלכה לאה

Manny London

מנחם מונש בן חנה פרידא

Bob Schore -

חיים ראובן בן הענדל יהודית

Tova Eizik's grandson -

שלמה יעקב יונתן בן חנה רייזל

Rena Rossman's mother-

שושנה בת לאה צירל

Larry Seligson-

אריה לייב בן רבקה

Larry Seligson's son-

רפאל אפרים בן סימא פריעדל

Ed and Helen Furman's

son in law
רפאל צבי בן עיטא לאה

Manny Mayerfeld

מנחם בן קילה

פנחס ליאן בן רייזל

SHIURIM

Women's Tehilim, I'zcher nishmas Feigel bas Menachem Mendel, meets Shabbos afternoon 45 minutes before Mincha

Sunday:

6:25 AM Daf Yomi
Rabbi Avromy Fein

8:30 AM Gemara Miseches Pesachim

Rabbi Yisroel Gottlieb

Sun-Thurs:

10:00 AM Daf Yomi
Rabbi Yosef Fischer

Mon-Friday

5:25 AM Daf Yomi I
Rabbi Avromy Fein

7:00 AM Daf Yomi II
Rabbi Yisroel Gottlieb

8:25 AM Navi Shiur
Rabbi Yosef Fischer

9:45 AM Gemara Shiur
Rabbi Leibel Reznick

Tuesday

8:15 PM Sha'arei Torah
Chavrusa Program

Wednesday

8:15 PM Navi Yechezkel
Rabbi Yisroel Gottlieb-

Thursday

8:15PM Women's Mishnayos class-

Dr. Debbie Raice Fox

Parashas Beshalach – "...and his nation he took with him"

At the end of Parashas Bo, we find the verse, "And HaShem gave the people favor in the eyes of Egypt, so that they let them have what they asked..." (Shemos 12:36) But at the beginning of Parashas Beshalach, "gone with the wind" is that favor, as we find the verse, speaking of Pharaoh, saying "And he made ready his chariot, and his nation he took with him." (Shemos 14:6). And later, we find similarly, "And when Pharaoh drew close, the Children of Israel lifted up their eyes, and behold, Egypt was marching after them; and they feared exceedingly, and the Children of Israel cried out unto HaShem." (Shemos 14:10)

In their eyes, they were being pursued by the entire nation of Egypt. The Pharaoh personified Egypt. He was Egypt. How does a king accomplish this? He does it by words, by persuasion, by charisma. The Commander-in-Chief is the people.

Of course, this can work in the opposite direction, as well. We find, later in Beshalach, after the people have witnessed the great miracle of "Krias Yam Suf," the verse, "Then sang Moshe and the Children of Israel this song unto HaShem... (Shemos 15:1). Moshe, the "King," led them and the people followed, "with one heart, as one person."

We find the great unifiers of Israel joining us as our guests on Succos: Avraham, Yitzchok, and Yaakov, Moshe, Aharon, Yoseph and David; the three Founders of our nation, on the idea of one G-d, the great Teacher of Torah, his brother, the High Priest, who symbolized Holiness and peace between men, the Righteous One who taught and demonstrated that man can defeat the "Yetzer HaRa," and the "Ne'im Zemiros Yisrael," the "sweet singer of Israel," who wanted to build the Bais HaMikdash.

In modern times, there have also been king-like individuals, whose ideas have captured thousands of followers:

Theodor Herzl (1860-1904)

The "Father of Modern Zionism" is generally considered to be Theodor Herzl. He was converted to this viewpoint when, as a journalist covering the trial of Captain Alfred Dreyfus, a Jew who was working on the French General Staff, was accused of being a spy for Germany. The outrageous conviction and the lynch-mob frenzy of the public, convinced him that there was no longer any future for the Jews in Europe.

First Entry in His Diary (1895)

"Shavuos, 1895

I have been occupied for some time past with a work which is of immeasurable greatness. I cannot tell today whether I shall bring it to a close. It has the appearance of a gigantic dream. But for days and weeks it has filled me, saturated even my subconscious; it accompanies me wherever I go, broods above my ordinary daily converse, looks over my shoulder and at my petty, comical journalistic work, disturbs me, and intoxicates me."

The Jewish State (1896)

"The idea which I have developed in this pamphlet is an ancient one: It is the restoration of the Jewish State..."

"...Let me repeat once more my opening words: The Jews who will it shall achieve their State..."

Rav Avraham Yitzchok HaCohen Kook

Born in Latvia, Kook was unique even as a young man. He was convinced that his own generation was the Age of the Coming of the Mashiach. When later he became Ashkenazi Chief Rabbi of Palestine, he founded his own Yeshiva, which differed from others in that its language of instruction was Hebrew, and classes in Jewish philosophy and ethics were studied very seriously. He accepted modern Jewish nationalism, even its most secularist, as an expression of the Divine component of the Jewish soul.

The Land of Israel (written in the period 1910-1930)

"Eretz Yisrael is not something apart from the soul of the Jewish People...Eretz Yisrael is part of the very essence of our nationhood; it is bound organically to its very life and inner being. Human reason, even at its most sublime, cannot begin to understand the unique holiness of Eretz Yisrael; it cannot stir the depths of love for the land that are dormant within our people."

"An outsider may wonder: How can seeming unbelievers be moved by this life force, not merely to the universal G-d but even toward authentic Jewish life – to expressing the Divine commandments concretely in image and idea, in song and deed. But this is no mystery to anyone whose heart is deeply at one with the soul of the Jewish people and who knows its marvelous nature..."

L'Illuy Nishmas beni, Aharon Baruch Mordechai ben Pinchas Menachem

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