



## Bais Medrash of Bergenfield

Rabbi Moshe Stavsky, Rabbi

### Weekly Newsletter

September 13 - 20, 2019

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### Shabbos Parshas Ki Seitzei

Candle Lighting .....	6:50 PM
Mincha and Kaballas Shabbos .....	6:52 PM
Shabbos Morning Z'manim	
Hashkama .....	7:15 AM
Daf Yomi Shiur (Located at 382 S. Prospect Ave, across from the Shul) .....	8:15 AM
Main Minyan (and Groups).....	9:00 AM
Youth Minyan (Grades 4 and 5 – Located at 382 S. Prospect Ave, in the basement) .....	9:10 AM
Sof Zman Krias Shma .....	9:43 AM
Tot Shabbat (Adjacent House, Upstairs).....	10:30 AM
GALA Kiddush sponsored in honor of the Toledano Family.....	Following Main Minyan
Beis Medrash Program.....	4:30 PM – 5:00 PM
Early Mincha .....	5:00 PM
Family Shalosh Seudos.....	5:30 PM
Late Mincha.....	6:45 PM
Ma'ariv.....	7:45 PM
Havdala .....	7:50 PM

### Weekday Schedule

#### Weekday Minyanim

Shacharis

Sunday

Lattes and Learning .....8:00 AM

Shacharis.....8:30 AM

Monday and Thursday .....6:15 AM

Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday .....6:25 AM

Mincha/Maariv

Sunday.....6:50 PM

Maariv ONLY

Monday thru Thursday .....8:30 PM

#### Shiurim + Programming

Sunday - Avrohm Perl on "Topical teshuvahs from the works of Reb Moshe Feinstein ztl" .....8:00 PM

Monday and Thursday - Chaburah on Maseches Avodah Zarah .....9:20 PM

Tuesday - Al Haperek women's Chaburah led by Rebbetzin Stavsky at the home of the Koenig's .....9:15 AM

Tuesday night Gemara shiur with the Rabbi on Maseches Brachos .....After Maariv

Wednesday Night - Women's Tehillim - 11 Alice Place.....8:30 PM

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## Announcements

### **ושבו בנים לגבולם..**

**GALA Kiddush this Shabbos is Sponsored by the families below  
In honor of the Toledano family who are pursuing their dream on their journey of *Aliyah!***

Ashendorf  
Berger  
Burns  
Cohn  
Davidovich  
Gottlieb  
Klar  
Kleinman  
Klimovsky  
Linzer  
Motechin  
Ochs  
Postelnic  
Siskind  
Truehaft  
Wasserlauf  
Weiner

**Mazel Tov!**

**Welcome to Shoshana and Ben Turin and family who recently became full members!**

**Our Annual Family Shalosh Seudos will be taking place THIS SHABBOS at 5:30 PM, in the backyard of the Youth House  
Please see schedule for change in times to accommodate this event.**

**We are excited to welcome Mo Sanders onto our Youth Department Committee.  
We thank him as well as our longtime volunteers, Elad Cnaan and David Isaacson, and of course our groups director Rabbi Pietruszka for their dedication in ensuring our Youth Department stays functional!**

**The sisterhoods of BMOB, Beth Abraham, and Ohr HaTorah invite all women to a shiur given by Mrs. Shira Smiles entitled "Aleinu Leshabeach: Gigantic Gratitude". The shiur will take place on Shabbos September 21 at 5:00 PM at Beth Abraham.  
Thank you to the Cnaan, Mechlin, and Motechin families for sponsoring the shiur.**

**We want to express our gratitude to the families that have already contributed to our capital campaign.  
While we understand that not every family is in a position to contribute, we are asking our member families to prioritize their tzedaka giving to the campaign at whatever level they are able. Please consult your email for a full update on our campaign efforts and construction status. For all inquiries regarding the capital campaign, please reach out to Daniel Barzideh ([dbarzideh@gmail.com](mailto:dbarzideh@gmail.com)).**

**Please Note the changes to groups rules and locations in the YOUTH DEPARTMENT section below**

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## Youth Department

To celebrate your child's birthday at groups please e-mail [bmobgroups@gmail.com](mailto:bmobgroups@gmail.com).

Please email Elad Cnaan ([eladcnaan@gmail.com](mailto:eladcnaan@gmail.com)), David Isaacson ([dji215@stern.nyu.edu](mailto:dji215@stern.nyu.edu)) or Mo Sanders ([Mosanders79@gmail.com](mailto:Mosanders79@gmail.com)) if you would like information on volunteer opportunities or sponsoring of events going on in the Youth Committee.

**Please Note: At least one parent or guardian must be in the shul AT ALL TIMES while their child is attending groups.**

**Nursery and Pre-K:** *Adjacent House next the Shul (Nursery House)*

**Kindergarten thru 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Boys:** *Youth House Downstairs*

**3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Boys:** *Shul Social Hall*

**4th thru 5th Grade Boys:** Youth Minyan (Beginning at 9:10 AM) followed by Groups (beginning at 10:15 AM) in the Social Hall.

**Kindergarten thru 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Girls:** *Youth House Upstairs, Various rooms*

**4th thru 5th Grade Girls:** Youth Minyan (Beginning at 9:10 AM) followed by Groups (beginning at 10:15 AM) in the Youth House.

**6th grade boys and girls** are expected to daven in shul with their parents. They may join the 4-5 grade groups at 10:15 AM if they want.

*All children must be toilet trained. Once in groups, children are not permitted to return to shul, unless picked up by a parent. Parents of children in the youth house must pick up their children before going to the Kiddush. Children will not be released to siblings.*

**Please pick up your child as soon as davening is over, before attending the kiddush.**

## General Shul Information

**Sponsorships:** Kiddush Sponsorship: \$160 Basic (1 Kugel + Cold Food); \$450 Hot (Basic + Chulent, Chicken & add'l Kugel); \$585 Gala (Hot + Meatballs). Shalosh Seudos sponsorship: \$75. Parent Child Learning Sponsorship: \$75 Please e-mail Jason Pfeiffer ([jasonpfeiffer@gmail.com](mailto:jasonpfeiffer@gmail.com)) to reserve your Shabbos and visit <http://www.bmob.org/sponsorships/> once confirmed, to place your order.

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**Membership:** Membership dues are \$850 per year and a building fund of \$1000 per year for eight years. There is also an additional community fee of \$54 which is allocated to the Teaneck Mikvah (\$36) and Eiruv (\$18) in our community. Affiliate membership dues are \$325 per year. The Shul's fiscal year begins on July 1. New full members joining after January 1 may pay dues of \$425 for the remainder of the year. Shul membership is available to those who are financially unable to satisfy the financial commitment described above. If a member is unable to commit to the financial obligations described above, or needs assistance in obtaining a payment plan, please contact the Shul President or Treasurer. Any such communications will be kept confidential. Please note that you can now make all payments/donations to the Shul via the Shul's Paypal account: <http://www.bmob.org/donate/> and fill out our new members sign-up sheet by visiting <http://www.bmob.org/contact/>.

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**Ritual Committee Information:** We collect the Hebrew names of each member/affiliate member of our shul for the purposes of being called up for the Torah. Please fill out the form located at via <http://tinyurl.com/bmobname>. Similarly, anyone who would like to lein for any Shabbos or Yuntif, please email Leiber Schachter ([Leigh.Schachter@verizonwireless.com](mailto:Leigh.Schachter@verizonwireless.com)) to confirm availability.

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Our **Sisterhood** arranges meals for members with new babies. If you are interested in making a meal or would like to have meals arranged for your family, please contact Rachel Neufeld ([rachneufeld@gmail.com](mailto:rachneufeld@gmail.com)). To get involved in the sisterhood please email [sisterhoodbmob@gmail.com](mailto:sisterhoodbmob@gmail.com).

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For **Sisterhood** event information or volunteer opportunities, please contact Rebecca Adler, Lauren Hagler, Samantha Levenbrow and Sara Mechlin at [sisterhoodbmob@gmail.com](mailto:sisterhoodbmob@gmail.com). Please also find our Sisterhood on Facebook at BMOB Sisterhood or Instagram at @thebmobsisterhood

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**Welcoming Committee:** Please contact Rebecca Katz and Tamari Weingarten at [bmobwelcomingcommittee@gmail.com](mailto:bmobwelcomingcommittee@gmail.com) if you are a new family or know of a new family that has moved into the community!

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**Message from the Bergenfield Police Department:** Please use the crosswalks when crossing. Also, please make eye contact with drivers to ensure they are stopping, and when the vehicles stop, proceed swiftly across the street, paying attention to traffic at all times. Please wear bright clothing, especially at night-time, or utilize reflective tape on yourself and strollers.

### Community Announcements

On Sunday, Congregation Bnei Yeshurun invites Men and Women to hear Exclusive Divrei Torah. at 8:00 PM, Rav Mayer Twersky will be speaking on "The Place of Hard Work In Avodas Hashem". At 8:45 PM Rav Hershel Schachter will be speaking on "Being a Part While Staying Apart: Spriritual Growth in the Midst of a Confused Society"

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Have a meaningful Elul and start the year off right with Lamdeinu's jam-packed and inspirational class schedule! Our Early Fall semester starts Thursday, September 5, and goes until Sukkot. An array of Tanakh, Talmud, Halakhah, and Yamim Noraim classes are offered for both men and women, Monday through Thursday at Congregation Beth Aaron in Teaneck NJ, 950 Queen Anne Road. To see our full course schedule and to register, visit our website [www.lamdeinu.org](http://www.lamdeinu.org), or email us at [lamdeinu613@gmail.com](mailto:lamdeinu613@gmail.com). Looking forward to learning with you soon!

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Friendship Walk and Celebration. Sunday, September 15 at Votee Park, Teaneck. 10:00 am Registration and 10:30 Walk followed by an 11:00 Fair. For more information, visit [www.NJFriendshipWalk.com](http://www.NJFriendshipWalk.com)

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The Orthodox Union presents TORAH NEW YORK, indoors at CITIFIELD (Queens, NY) - **\*\*Special discount for BMOB members. Use TNY19OUSHul at checkout\*\*** - Sunday, September 22 (9am-6pm). One Torah. One People. One Place. This is one of the most highly anticipated Torah events of the year. Now in its third year and appropriately timed to coincide with the first day of slichos. Spend a few hours or the whole day studying Torah with over two thousand fellow Jews from across the greater Orthodox community. Exciting programs include children's programming for ages 5-12, a Semichat Chaver program and siyyum, NCSY Torah Bowl, never seen footage of the Rav's Teshuva drasha, a live podcast of Dovid Lichtenstein, and more! Details and registration are online at [www.ou.org/torahny](http://www.ou.org/torahny) or by calling (212) 613-8300.

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Yeshiva University will be hosting its 35th annual Hausman/Stern Kinus Teshuva Lecture in Congregation Bnai Yeshurun this year on October 6th at 7:00pm. Rabbi Dr. Ari Berman will be speaking on the topic: "Living Mindfully and Meaningfully: The Teshuvah of Rosh Hashanah".

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NEW MOTZEI SHABBOS WOMEN'S SHIUR - All women ages 12-120 are invited to a live streaming shiurim series through November 21, from 9:30pm-10:15pm. The topics will be varied and the confirmed speakers include: Rabbi Tanchum Cohen, Mrs. Elissa Hochbaum, Dr. Jennifer Klau, Mrs. Lynn Kraft, Rabbi Yoni Levin, Rabbi Chaim Marcus, Rabbi Larry Rothwachs, Rabbi Dovid'l Weinberg, Dr. Rayzel Yaish. Each participant is asked to contribute \$50 for the 10 speaker series. All money collected will be used as compensation for the aforementioned and future speakers for their time. To join this amazing new shiurim series and receive the live streaming link, please email [russell.moskowitz@mac.com](mailto:russell.moskowitz@mac.com).

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Join Yeshiva University High School for Boys (MTA) at our Open House on Sunday, November 10th, 9:30 am to learn more about our warm, personalized, and inspiring approach to Torah, academic, and extra-curricular programs. To RSVP, please visit [yuhbs.org/openhouse](http://yuhbs.org/openhouse). Questions? Contact Rabbi Yoni Stone at [ystone@yuhbs.org](mailto:ystone@yuhbs.org) or 646-994-0441.

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She'arit ha-Plate of Bergen County, a volunteer, non-profit organization that collects excess kosher food from restaurants and smachot and distributes it discretely to people who can use it, is looking for a new site. We currently occupy a garage attached to a single-family home in Teaneck, an arrangement that has worked very well for many years, but the home will soon be put on the market and we will need to move. We are therefore looking for a new site in the Teaneck area. If you potentially have available space or know of others who might have space available for our operation, please contact Daniel Chazin, [DChazin@aol.com](mailto:DChazin@aol.com), 201-835-5338.

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Life's challenges can often leave us feeling lost. Whether one is new to a community or a long time resident, loneliness, stress and depression can be the natural result of our over-scheduled lives. Jewish Family and Children's Services is available to help you come to terms with some of these issues, and to develop coping strategies. Whether someone is experiencing financial stress, marital discord

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or other relationship challenges, help is available. We are also available to consult with and for children who may be going through life stresses of their own. All calls are confidential and are handled with sensitivity to personal values and differing cultures. Please feel free to contact Paula Rozner at 201-978-2529; paular@jfcsonnj.org. The agency link is [www.ifcsnnj.org](http://www.ifcsnnj.org).

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We welcome any family member with a loved one suffering from addiction and substance abuse issues to our local support group, which meets every other Wednesday evening in Teaneck. The group is free of charge and is facilitated by clinicians specializing in addiction. For more information and the time/location of the meeting, please email: [Time2TalkAddiction@gmail.com](mailto:Time2TalkAddiction@gmail.com). For more information about CCSA, please visit our website: [www.Time2TalkAddiction.org](http://www.Time2TalkAddiction.org). Communities Confronting Substance Abuse, Inc. is a nonprofit corporation founded with the goals of bringing awareness, education, prevention and programming regarding substance abuse and addiction to local communities. Please visit our website at [www.Time2TalkAddiction.org](http://www.Time2TalkAddiction.org) for information on prevention of substance abuse, resources for treatment and help, guidance on how to talk to our children, and critical information on marijuana, vaping, prescription medication, and other topics.

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