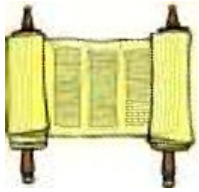

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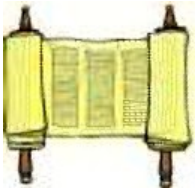

TETZAVEH (Exodus 27:20-30:10) Shabbat Zakhor **March 3, 2012 / 9 Adar 5772**
Haftarah: I Samuel 15:2-34

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Shabbat

Shabbat Morning Study 9:15 am
Rabbi Kalmanofsky will lead the discussion.

Shabbat Morning Services
Sanctuary Service 9:45 am
Minyan M'at 10:00 am
Minyan Rimonim 10:00 am

Family and Children's Services
11:00 am
Mishpacha Service for ages 3 and under – 2nd floor
Yigdal Service for ages 4-7 – 6th floor
Big Kids' Service for ages 8-12 – 3rd floor.

Weekday Minyanim
Monday and Thursday 7:20 am
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 7:30 am
Sunday and National Holidays 8:30 am
Wednesday evenings at 8:00 pm

FAMILY & YOUTH

Sacred Time / Family Time
For Families with Children in Grades K-2
Join us for the second session of a 4-part series featuring interactive learning and engaging activities designed to help us build sanctity and personal meaning into our Jewish experiences.
Led by Rabbi Jeremy Kalmanofsky and Rabbi Marci Jacobs Aronchick.
Shabbat, March 10, 9:45-10:45 am.
"The Blessings of Each Week" --
Shabbat blessings, rituals and opportunities for connection.

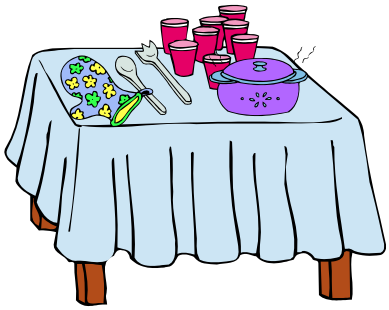
NEWS & NOTES

Mazal Tov to:
Harrison Giovannelli, parents Roberta Koenigsberg and Joseph Giovannelli, and brother Daniel on the celebration of Harrison's bar mitzvah.

AC SHELTER NEWS

The AC Shelter Needs Your Help
There are many unfilled opening and overnight shifts in the coming weeks. Check the shelter calendar on our website to see which shifts need to be filled and email Ansche.chesed.shelter@gmail.com if you can help.

Provide a Dinner for the Shelter
If you can't take a volunteer shift, this is a great way to help the guests! Look at the shelter calendar for available dates, and email Ansche.chesed.shelter@gmail.com with a date that you would like to provide dinner.



Purim at AC

Mishloach Manot Packaging
Join us to assemble the gift packages on Tuesday, March 6 from 6:30 to 8:30 pm.

Ansche Chesed Purim Carnival
Sunday, March 4, 10:45 am - 1:30 pm
Come in costume! Featuring an all-new special magic show! Carnival games including Pie the Rabbi! Food! And a book sale! Cost: 10 carnival tickets $10, additional tickets $1. All proceeds benefit the AC Hebrew School. This is our major fundraiser for the year.

Family Purim Celebration
Wednesday, March 7 at 6:00 pm
Join other AC families for a special Purim program, which will be followed by the Megillah reading in the sanctuary at 6:30 pm and our children's costume parade across the bimah. Children and adults are invited to come in costume!

Megillah Reading on Purim Eve
Wednesday, March 7 at 6:30 pm
Megillat Esther will be read at 6:30 pm in the sanctuary, preceded by evening services in the chapel at 6:15 pm. Come in costume and get ready to celebrate! Minyan M'at in Hirsch Hall. West Side Minyan on the fifth floor.

PURIM DAY - Thursday, March 8
The "whole Megillah" will be read at morning minyan, which will meet at 7:00 am.

AMERICAN JEWISH FICTION
Next and final meeting, Thursday, March 29 at 7:45pm

Led by Josh Hanft.
At the next meeting, the group will continue to explore how American Jewish writers have responded to the Holocaust by discussing Cynthia Ozick's "The Shawl," Hugh Nissenson's "The Laws," and Bernard Malamud's "The Lady of the Lake." The readings are available in the AC office. For more information, please contact Josh Hanft, jhanft@anschechesed.org

ISRAEL/ZIONIST READING GROUP

At the next meeting, the group will conclude their discussion of Daniel Byman's A High Price: *The Triumphs and Failures of Israeli Counterterrorism.*

ONGOING PROGRAMS AND CLASSES:

Yesodot—Jewish Foundations
Remaining dates: March 13, March 27, April 17, May 8, May 22, June 5. The class will continue to meet in the Fall of 2012.

ENGAGING ISRAEL—A HARTMAN INSTITUTE VIDEO AND DISCUSSION SERIES

Remaining dates: March 20, April 3.

SHIREI CHESED—ANSCHE CHESED'S COMMUNITY CHORUS

Wednesdays, 7:30pm-9:15pm.
For information, please contact Hazzan Hirschhorn, cantornatasha@gmail.com.
The week of Purim, Shirei Chesed will take place on Thursday, March 8th instead of Wednesday.

IN THE COMMUNITY

THE WESTERN WIND QUARTET: "We Are Still Here!" (Mir Zaynen Do!)

Saturday, March 10 at 8:00 pm at Ansche Chesed

Join us for a special preview of a performance for The Sydney, Australia Jewish Museum. The Western Wind vocal ensemble presents a commemoration of the Holocaust through music and readings. Suggested contribution $25 / Students & seniors $15.
For more information and to reserve online: www.westernwind.org.

WHAT TO WEAR: WOMEN, CLOTHING AND RELIGION

An All-Day, Multifaceted Exploration of Women's Clothing and Its Relationship to Religion and Culture
Sunday, March 11, 10:30 am - 8:30 pm at JTS

Veils. Hemlines. Modesty. Women's clothing has been at the top of the news from France to Egypt and Israel. Learn about clothing as a reflection of culture and our lives as modern Jewish women. Among the presenters will be AC members Carol Ingall, Amy Kalmanofsky, David Kraemer, and Shuly Rubin Schwartz. Complete information is available at http://www.jtsa.edu/x16219.xml

THEY SHALL BEAR FRUIT EVEN IN OLD AGE: A JEWISH RESPONSE TO AGING IN AMERICA

Tuesday, March 13, 6:30-8:00 pm
At JTS

As baby boomers reach retirement age and unparalleled advances in medical technology make retirement longer, concerns have intensified about future care for the aging. An aging population poses clear challenges but also promises new opportunities. Our panelists will address questions that these changes raise. Join us as experts in public policy, health care, social service, and Jewish thought discuss these issues, guided by the biblical promise for the righteous: "They shall bear fruit even in old age" (Psalms 92:15). Admission is free and no RSVP is necessary. Please arrive at least 15 minutes early to allow sufficient time for registration, and have photo ID available.

The Barry Pogash L'Dor v'Dor Society

Have you provided a bequest for Ansche Chesed in your will? Let us know so we can include you in the Barry Pogash L'Dor v'Dor Society.
If you have not planned a bequest for Ansche Chesed please consider doing so and become a member of the Barry Pogash L'Dor v'Dor Society. Go to our home page and click on the "Donate" button for more information.

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