



KETER TORAH SHABBAT NOTES

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Parshat Vayigash

December 14 - 15, 2018 / 7 Tevet

Shabbat Schedule

Friday

4:10pm – Candle lighting

4:15pm – Mincha / Kabbalat Shabbat

7:30pm – Oneg led by Rabbi Simcha Willig at the home of Pamela & Shua Joseph,
1117 Alessandrini Avenue, New Milford

Shabbat

7:15am & 9:00am – Shacharit

8:30am – Parsha Shiur Rabbi Baum on Midrash with contemporary applications

Post-Hashkama Shiur Rabbi Weiss on “Chushim the Son of Dan”

9:15am – Teen Minyan Drasha by Rabbi Michael Sohn, Menahel of Yeshivat Ashreinu

9:15am – Youth Groups / Junior Congregation

9:32am – Latest Shma

10:45am – Torah Tots

Following the 9:00am minyan – “Get-to-know-you” Kiddush for the Kindergarten group and their families in the large ballroom

3:00pm – Salsa Shiur At the Kadish residence, 662 Rutland Avenue, Teaneck

3:10pm – Daf Yomi

3:10pm – Al haPerek Matan Keter Torah Al haPerek Chavurah, studying Sefer Mishlei.
Rabbi Baum will speak to the group this week on חנוך הנער לפי דרכו, in tribute to Helen Brueckheimer, z”l, and her upcoming first yartzeit.

4:00pm – Mincha / Shiur Rabbi Tzvi Sinensky, Director of Interdisciplinary Learning and Educational Outreach at the Rae Kushner Yeshiva High School, on “May I Choose My Baby’s Gender? Playing G-d in the Jewish Tradition”

5:15pm – Shabbat ends

Motzei Shabbat

6:15pm – Parent / Grandparent & Child Learning led by Rabbinic Intern Akiva Rosenzweig
Prizes and sefarim sponsored this week by Bracha & Shimon Einhorn, to commemorate the yartzeits of Bracha’s father, Yisrael ben David, Leon Chrein, z”l, and mother, Chana Ruti bat Dovid, Chana Ruti Tulczinsky, z”l

7:30pm – Rabbi Reisman’s Navi Shiur

Mazal Tov

- To Carl Feit on the bar mitzvah of his grandson, Ezra Feit. Mazal Tov to parents Sarah & Nachi Feit.
- To Dalia & Ed Stelzer, Ezra Awarded at the Project Ezra Dinner this Motzei Shabbat.
- To Rabbi Kenneth Brander on his investiture as President and Rosh HaYeshiva of Ohr Torah Stone, at their dinner this Wednesday.

Thank You to Our Kiddush Sponsors

Hashkama Minyan

- Brenda & Mark Gardenswartz to commemorate the yartzeit of Brenda's mother, Sheindel bat Shlomo Chaim, Shirley Feit, z"l.
- Steven Schneider, commemorating the yartzeit of his father, Tzvi Hirsh ben Kalman, Harold Schneider, z"l.

Teen Minyan

- Bonnie & George Silfen in honor of Ezra laining his bar mitzvah parsha
- Rachel Gross in honor of Eliezer laining his bar mitzvah parsha

Kindergarten

- Evan & Shana Carmen in honor of Chloe and all the leaders
- Rochelle & David Einhorn in honor of Leo, and with a big thank you to the group leaders
- Gali & Harris Goodman in honor of all the kindergarten children and leaders
- Ricki & Jay Scharf in honor of Lizzie and all her leaders
- Chedvi Levin Sister & Moshe Sister in honor of Daniel and Jonathan's amazing group leaders

Thank You

- To the Brueckheimer family for their donation of siddurim in memory of Hindel bat Elyakim HaKohen, Helen Brueckheimer, z"l.
- To Avi Katz for giving the Torah in the AM Gemara shiur this past month.
- To all CSS members who are volunteering their time to protect our Shul this Shabbat.

Nichum Aveilim

- To Shukie Grossman on the passing of his beloved mother, Mrs. Shirley Grossman, z"l.

Keter Torah News

- Friends of Bruce Weinrib, z"l, are organizing a Keter Torah siddur campaign. For information, e-mail howard@keter Torah.org.

Coming Soon

- Shabbat, December 22 – Minyan led by Rabbi Simcha Willig
- Shabbat, December 22 – Shiur following Mincha by Rabbi Jesse Horn
- Shabbat, December 28-29 – Kabbalat Shabbat & Musaf davening, Friday night Oneg, and song-filled Seuda Shlishit with Shimon Craimer; to co-sponsor, e-mail howard@keter Torah.org.
- Motzei Shabbat, February 9 – The Frisch School Dinner honoring Jennifer Wolf Seidel, www.frischdinner.com

Youth News

Youth Director: Rivki Rosenthal (rivkirosenthal@gmail.com)

- "Get-to-know-you" Kiddushim, following the 9:00am minyan, for the following groups and their families:
Shabbat, December 22 – 1st & 2nd grade boys Shabbat, December 29 – 1st & 2nd grade girls
To sponsor, e-mail rivkirosenthal@gmail.com.
- All teens in grades 7–12 are invited to a fun evening of Escape the Room on Motzei Shabbat, December 29, from 7:00-8:30pm at 157A Main Street, Hackensack. For reservations and cost information, e-mail Mindy Schwartz Zolty at mindyschwartz21@gmail.com or Rivki at rivkirosenthal@gmail.com.

Youth Leader Spotlight – Amanda Butler

Amanda joined the Keter Torah staff two years ago. She currently runs our Kindergarten boys group. Amanda can always be found surrounded by a group of boys, playing, building castles and having fun with them. Her favorite part of working at Keter Torah is interacting and playing games with the children. Amanda is currently a freshman at The Frisch School. In her free time, she enjoys hanging out with friends and doing chesed activities.



This Sunday

Keter Torah Presents:

Rosh Chodesh Chizuk

For Women

Sunday, December 16th, 8:30pm - 9:45pm

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!

Rosh Chodesh Tevet
"Inner Royalty: The Power of YOU,"
with Rochel Goldbaum

Enjoy brownies and blondies!



Rochel Goldbaum has lectured world-wide to audiences of all backgrounds on topics including marital harmony, parenting and self-development. With her warmth and positivity, Rochel is able to present complex ideas in a practical, realistic way. With relationships being her specialty, she is a premarital counselor, dating coach, and parenting and marriage mentor.

Come Hungry. Leave Inspired.

Chairs: Jackie Demby, Keren Fisher, Netti Grauber, Chani Perlman, Lea Weinreb
For questions, e-mail Mindy Schwartz Zolty at mindyschwartz21@gmail.com.
To co-sponsor, e-mail howard@keter Torah.org.

Please Join Our Ongoing Shiurim

- **Daf Yomi** – Sunday 7:15am; Monday through Friday at 6:30am
- **Sunday** following the 8:00am minyan – Breakfast & Learn with Rabbi Baum, for children in grades 5–8
- **Sunday** following the 8:00am minyan – Rabbi Weiss's Contemporary Halacha Series. This week's topic: "Different Perspectives on the 39 Melachot."
- **Tuesday & Thursday Torah in the AM**
 - 9:05am – Chavura studying Sefer Devarim
 - 9:45am – Gemara Makot with Rabbi Menahem Meier
 - 10:50am – Halakha and thought in Rambam's Mishneh Torah, with Rabbi Meier (Thursday only)
- **Wednesday** following the 7:15am minyan – Rabbi Baum's shiur on Tefilla; cake and coffee will be served
- **Wednesday** at 10:15am – Yael Weil's Parshat Hashavua shiur
- **Wednesday** – Studying the Siddur: what we say and why we say it, a ten-minute audio class with Rabbi Simcha Willig. To sign up, e-mail howard@keter Torah.org.
- No Matan Bat Mitzvah class this week. Class will resume on Wednesday, December 26.
- **Thursday** at 9:00pm – Mishmar led by Rabbinic Intern Akiva Rosenzweig and shiur by Rabbi Weiss
- **Friday** following the 7:15am minyan – Shabbat Table Boot Camp with Rabbi Baum. Audio of the shiur will be sent to subscribers via email or WhatsApp. To sign up, e-mail howard@keter Torah.org.
- **Daf a Week Project with Rabbi Baum** – This week studying Masechet Megillah Daf 12; to sign up, e-mail howard@keter Torah.org.

Weekday Minyanim Shacharit

Sunday	6:40am, 8:00am & 9:00am
Monday & Thursday	5:50am, 7:15am & 8:10am
Wednesday & Friday	6:00am, 7:15am & 8:10am

Mincha / Ma'ariv

Sunday, Monday, Wednesday and Thursday – 4:15pm

Tuesday, December 18, Asara B'Tevet

Fast begins – 6:03am
Shacharit – 5:40am, 7:00am & 8:10am
Mincha / Ma'ariv – 4:10pm
Fast ends – 5:07pm

ATARA News Presidium: Yael Rudolph (yael.rudolph@gmail.com) & Arlene Shiner (arlenezizmor@hotmail.com)

- To donate a siddur or chumash in honor or in memory of someone, contact Wendy Shindler at josephshndlr@aol.com.
- To celebrate your child's birthday with our Birthday Maaser program, e-mail Michelle Frohlich at michelle.frohlich@yahoo.com.

Please include in your tefilot IDF soldiers and KT members serving in the IDF:
Keren Agus, Akiva Gold, Naftali Lieber, Eli Putterman, Jonathan Seidel and Tzvi Silver.

Please include in your tefilot for refuah shlema: Aharon Meir ben Yael Miriam.

Thank You to Our Learning and Shiur Sponsors

Day of Learning	In memory of
The Feit family	Rachel Leah bat Noach v'Chava, Shelly Feit, z"l, beloved wife, mother and grandmother
Aviva Itzkowitz	Aviva's father, Arnon ben Simcha Meir, Arnon Hiller, z"l
Jessica & David Lefkowitz	David's mother, Yoota bat Baruch Yoel, Ida Lefkowitz, z"l
Tilly & Mark Lichtschein	Tilly's mother, Chaya Yehudis bat Eizik Tzvi v'Tilla Rivka, Alice Friedman, z"l
Chedvi Levin Sister & Moshe Sister	Chedvi's grandmother, Pnina bat Natan Aaron, Pnina Starkman, z"l
Alisa Weinrib	Alisa's husband, Baruch Zvi ben Avraham Menachem, Bruce Weinrib, z"l
Alisa Weinrib	Alisa's father-in-law, Avraham Menachem ben Baruch Zvi, Abe Weinrib, z"l
Daf Yomi	In honor of
Coffee & pastries sponsored anonymously	The Daf Yomi Chaburah and the Keter Torah Chesed Committee
Matan Keter Torah Al haPerek Chavurah	In memory of
Rabbi Meier Brueckheimer and family and the chavurah participants	Helen Brueckheimer, z"l
Rabbi Weiss's Halacha Series	In honor of
Terry & Dennis Eisenberg	Terry & Dennis's children and grandchildren
Rabbi Baum's Tefilla Shiur	
Shiur, coffee and pastries by Lazy Bean Café	
Yael Weil's Parshat Hashavua Shiur	In memory of
Shiur by Gail & Binyamin Rieder	Alisa Flatow, z"l, HY"D
Coffee by Susan & Daniel Turk	Susan's mother, Pesya bat Chaim Yehuda, Pearl Berger Melnick, z"l
Shabbat Table Boot Camp with Rabbi Baum	In memory of
Elana & Marc Rothenberg and Rachel Feiner	Elana and Rachel's father, Azriel ben Yaacov Feiner, z"l

Community News

- Judge Rachel Freier will speak at Rinat this Shabbat at 4:00pm.
- Rabbi Michael Parnes will give a shiur for men at Heichal HaTorah on Sunday, December 16, at 9:15am.
- Rabbi Daniel Z. Feldman and Rabbi Chashi Freedman will speak at the Mizrahi Religious Zionists of America Convention on Sunday, December 16, at Keter Torah. For information, visit www.rza.org.
- Refa'enu's peer-led mood disorder support group will meet on Tuesday, December 18, at 7:30pm at Ben Porat Yosef.
- A Jewish community security forum will take place on Wednesday, December 19, at 7:00pm at the Jewish Federation of Northern New Jersey. Limited seating; RSVP to Debbie Gottlieb at debbleg@jfnj.org.
- A Monte Carlo Night, benefitting the Hindy Weinstock Geula Chapter of Amit, will take place Motzei Shabbat, December 29, at the Baron residence in Teaneck. For information, e-mail Genene Kaye at genenek@amitchildren.org.
- Ma'ayanot's Day of Big Ideas will take place on Sunday, December 30, from 9:30am–12:30pm. For information, e-mail stiefelc@maayanot.org.

