Young Israel of the Main Line is pleased to present A Dream Shabbos: Understanding Yaakov and His Ladder with Rabbi Jeremy Kagan. Shabbos Parshas Vayetze - November 13, 2010. Through various midrashim on Yaakov's dream we will try to understand our purpose in creation and how our failures over history to fully achieve that purpose create the circumstances which allow its ultimate completion.

Yaakov's Ladder: Connecting Heaven and Earth. Friday Night 8:15pm Collation, 8:30pm Lecture.

Corrupted Connections and their Consequences. Shabbos Morning, following Kiddush, approximately 11:30am.

Humility and Human Greatness at Shalosh Seudos, following 4:15pm Mincha.

Today's Challenge: the Opportunity of Distance. Motzai Shabbos 8:30 PM (light Melava Malka served).

Rabbi Jeremy Kagan has been the principal of Midreshet Tehillah, a post-high school seminary in Jerusalem, since its founding in 2002. He was a senior faculty member at She'arim College of Jewish Studies for Women, and taught at Meor Beis Yaacov Seminary, Ma'alot Seminary, Moreshet, and Machon Yaakov.

Born in Boston and raised in Hawaii, Rabbi Kagan went to Yale University, graduating with a BA in philosophy. He first became interested in traditional Judaism while traveling in Israel during his college years. He returned to Israel to pursue Talmudic studies following the completion of his degree at Yale, eventually becoming a student at Heichal HaTorah B'Pressburg and the Mirrer Yeshiva. He received rabbinical ordination from Rabbi Zalman Nechemiah Goldberg and has regularly attended the Shiurim of Rabbi Moshe Shapiro.

Rabbi Kagan published The Jewish Self: Recovering Spirituality in the Modern World (Feldheim, 1998). The book has been hailed by many educators as a major breakthrough in honestly bridging the vision and understanding of the Torah with our actual experience of the modern world—essential both for the observant Jew trying to make his Torah real and for the non-observant trying to make Torah relevant. Rabbi Kagan is in the process of authoring his second book, The Choice to Be: A Jewish Path to Self and Spirituality which will be published by Feldheim and is expected out in December. Sponsor - \$72, Silver Sponsor - \$180, Gold Sponsor - \$360; To sponsor, contact Sherman Frager: shermanfrager@gmail.com



Daylight Savings Time ends Motzei Shabbos at 2am Sunday morning. Don't forget to turn your clocks BACK one hour!

Weekday Davening Times		
Shacharis:	Sunday (Rosh Chodesh):	8:00am
	Monday (Rosh Chodesh):	6:30am
	Thursday:	6:40am
	Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday:	6:50am
Mincha/Maariv: Sunday:		4:35pm
Maariv: Monday through Thursday:		7:45pm
Candle Lighting and Mincha Friday:		4:29pm

## Weekday Shiurim

Daily Mussar Shiur:	15 minutes before Shacharis	
Mishna Brura:	Mon and Wed after Maariv	
Melachim Aleph Shiur:	Monday at 8pm	
Halacha Shiur:	Tuesday at 8:30pm.	
Nefesh HaChaim:	Thursday at 10:10pm	
Check with Dr Daniel Eisenberg to confirm.		

Women's Learning Experience - Fall Session Mon at 9:00am: Tehillim for Cholim.

Mon at 9:30am: Steven Goldman teaches Parsha HaShavua.

Tues at 9:30am: Rabbi Shmidman teaches Tehillim at LMS.

Wed at 9:00am: Rachael Biberfeld teaches Michtav M'Eliyahu.

Thurs at 9:30am: Rabbi Steinberg teaches The Chazon Ish - Faith and Trust.

All classes at 8 Concord Circle, unless otherwise noted. Free babysitting provided if you call in advance.

For information, call Janis Fine 610-888-0477 or 610-617-0913

The Chevra Mishnayos is learning Seder Zeraim. See shul bulletin board to sign up or email eisenber@pol.net with your name and the masechta (and chapters) you intend to learn.

To subscribe to the YIML email list, visit http://mail.chaseplanet.us/mailman/listinfo/yiml

Our Sofer Stam, Rabbi Shmuel Bodenheim, will be coming to YIML to do tefililin and mezuzah checking on Sunday, November 7th after 8am Shacharis. Rabbi Bodenheim can be reached at (h) 212-781-5385 or (c) 917-620-0803.

The Daily Mussar Shiur with Rabbi Steinberg at the Young Israel of the Main Line has started a new sefer: Pirkei Avos with the Commentary of Rabbeinu Yonah. The Mussar Shiur meets 15 minutes before Shacharis on Sunday through Friday (except when Shacharis is early, e.g. Rosh Chodesh, slichos). Now's the perfect time for new attendees to join!

Bnos of Bala Cynwyd from 3:30 to 4:30pm at LMS. Join Bnos for a Pre-Chanukah Zoo Adventure on Rosh Chodesh Kislev (Nov. 7th)! For current Bnos members only! Contact Meira Friedman (610-617-9529) for more information.

Pirchei of Bala Cynwyd from 3:30 to 4:30pm in the Social Hall at LMS. Grades K-8th. If you would like to help sponsor a Shabbos or want more information contact Rabbi Ari Silver at 610-668-6833 or SilverDollar@verizon.net.

This Motzei Shabbat at 8:30pm there will be an inspiring evening for women: Melava Malka & Shiur with Rebbetzin Holly Pavlov of Shearim at the home of Stacey and Amir Goldman, 325 Sycamore Avenue, Merion Station. Kindly RSVP to Janis Fine 610-617-0913. Suggested Donation: \$10, Funds to go to the Naomi Zeiger Memorial Scholarship Fund. Rebbetzin Pavlov will speak about Believing in Others, Ourselves and Hashem.

Torah Academy Girls High School Open House will be this Sunday, November 7, from 10-11:30 in the Torah Academy library. Families with daughters in either 7th or 8th grades are invited to come and learn more about TAGHS.

Questions? Comments! Sponsorships\$ weeklyupdate@yiml.org