

Chevra Mishnayos

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

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Parshas Pesach 1

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Special Lecture

Religious-Secular Tensions in Israel: A Closer Look at Recent Events. A special lecture by Yonason Rosenblum at the Young Israel of the Main Line on Thursday, April 19th at 8:20pm. Yonason Rosenblum founded Jewish Media Resources (www.jewishmediaresources.com) in 1999. He is a widely-read columnist for the Jerusalem Post's domestic and international editions and for the Hebrew daily Maariv. To sponsor this event (\$100), please contact Sherman Frager, shermanfrager@gmail.com.



Shabbos Schedule Shabbos Pesach 1



Light Candles, Mincha and Kabbalas Shabbos:	7:12pm
Rabbi's Mishlei Shiur:	8:15am
Shacharis:	8:45am
Sof Zman Krias Shema:	9:48am
Shabbos Groups, upstairs, for ages 2 and up.	9:45am
Bnos and Torah Youth will not meet again until after Pesach.	
Mincha:	6:55pm
Special Pesach Study: At the Netziv's Seder Table... we will delve into selected insights from the Netziv's Haggadah, Imrei Shefer.	
Light Candles after, and Maariv:	8:16pm

**Mazel Tovs**

- Mazel Tov to Miles and Adina Spiller and family on the bris of their son, Meir Yosef.
- Mazel Tov to Rabbi and Mrs. Kay on the bris of their son.

Sun, Apr 8	Mon, Apr 9	Tue, Apr 10	Wed, Apr 11	Thu, Apr 12	Fri, Apr 13
Shacharis 8:45am Mincha 7:20pm Maariv 8:17pm Pesach 2 א' בעומר	Shacharis I 6:30am Shacharis II 8:00am Mincha 7:20pm Pesach 3 ב' בעומר	Shacharis I 6:30am Shacharis II 8:00am Mincha 7:20pm Pesach 4 ג' בעומר	Shacharis I 6:30am Shacharis II 8:00am Mincha 7:20pm Pesach 5 ד' בעומר	Eruv Tavshilin Shacharis I 6:30am Shacharis II 8:00am Light Candles, and Mincha 7:18pm Pesach 6 ה' בעומר	Shacharis 8:45am Light Candles 7:19pm Mincha 7:20pm Pesach 7 ו' בעומר
16 Nisan	17 Nisan	18 Nisan	19 Nisan	20 Nisan	21 Nisan

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Thought of the Weeks

In many homes, the Seder begins with the poem "Kadaish U'rechatz." Numerous commentators have found homiletical meaning in this poem, aside from its obvious purpose of reminding us how to conduct the Seder. R' Yehoshua Segal Deutsch z"l (mid-20th century rabbi of Yerushalayim's Katamon neighborhood) offers the following:

King David asks (Tehilim 24:3): "Who will climb Hashem's mountain, and who can stand in His holy place?" This poem tells us how one can stand before Hashem and not worry about falling: "Kadaish u'rechatz" / "Sanctify yourself and be confident!" ("Rechatz" in Aramaic means "be confident.")

How does one accomplish this? "Karpas yachatz" / Man's material nature (which, like karpas, comes from the earth) cannot be reined in overnight. Indeed, according to one commentator, Bnei Yisrael's defense for the sin of the Golden Calf was that Matan Torah / the giving of the Torah had been too sudden for them, and left them confused and disoriented. Rather, divide ("Yachatz") and conquer.

Another tactic is "Maggid rochtzah" / Tell others to cleanse themselves. This will inspire you to do the same.

One might ask, however, "Who am I to rebuke others?" The answer to this is "Motzi matzah" / Get rid of that humility, that view of oneself as being lowly as matzah. As important as humility is, there is no place for it when one sees others violating the Torah. But do not become arrogant or haughty. Rather, "Maror koraich" / - Wrap yourself in a cloak of authority (= "marah") which you can use when rebuking others, but can shed at other times.

In order to be an effective teacher, "Shulchan oraich" / Make sure your Torah knowledge is like a set table before you so that it will always be at your fingertips. Also, make sure that your rebuke does not become a weapon of the Heavenly prosecutor. Make sure that "Tzafun baraich" / Hidden ("Tzafun") within your heart should be blessings for your fellow Jews. You should also "Hallel" / Praise your brethren before Hashem.

If you do this, your deeds will be "Nirtzah" / Accepted by Hashem.

(Haggadah Shel Pesach Kol Yeshuah)

Adapted from <http://www.torah.org/learning/hamaayan/5764/tzav.html> by Shlomo Katz.

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Next Shabbos Schedule Shabbos Pesach 8



Light Candles:	7:19pm
Mincha:	7:12pm
Rabbi's Mishlei Shiur:	8:15am
Shacharis:	8:45am
Yizkor:	10:30am
Shabbos Groups, upstairs, for ages 2 and up.	9:45am
Mincha:	7:05pm
Special Pesach Study: At the Netziv's Seder Table... Insights from the Netziv's Haggadah, Imrei Shefer.	
Maariv:	8:23pm

Sun, Apr 15	Mon, Apr 16	Tue, Apr 17	Wed, Apr 18	Thu, Apr 19	Fri, Apr 20
Isru Chag Shacharis 8:00am Mincha 7:25pm ח' בעומר	Shacharis 6:40am Mincha 7:25pm ט' בעומר	Shacharis 6:50am Mincha 7:25pm י' בעומר	Shacharis 6:50am Mincha 7:25pm יא' בעומר	Shacharis 6:40am Mincha 7:25pm יב' בעומר	Shacharis 6:50am Mincha 7:00pm Light Candles 7:26pm יג' בעומר
23 Nisan	24 Nisan	25 Nisan	26 Nisan	27 Nisan	28 Nisan