



Lower Merion Synagogue

SHABBAT ANNOUNCEMENTS

APRIL 12-13, 2019 • PARASHAT METZORA – SHABBAT HAGADOL • 8 NISSAN 5779

SHABBAT SCHEDULE

Erev Shabbat:

Earliest Candle Lighting: 6:15 PM
Early Mincha, followed by Kabbalat Shabbat: 6:05 PM
Candle Lighting: 7:18 PM
Mincha: 7:25 PM
Repeat Shma after 8:18 PM
TVT: 8:25 PM

Shabbat:

Shacharit: 7:15, 9 & 9:15 AM
Early Mincha: 4:30 PM **In the Main Sanctuary**
Shabbat Hagadol Program in the Beit Medrash at 3:50 PM— 6:00 PM
Rabbi Shidman's Shabbat Hagadol Drasha at 6:10 PM in the Main Sanctuary
Mincha: 7:10 PM
Maariv: 8:23 PM
Shabbat Ends: 8:28 PM

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS:

This week's Mazal Tov Kiddush has been sponsored by **Gary Friedman** and **Leslie Litzky, Stuart Gasner** and **Julia Frankston-Morris**, Anonymous, **Jackie** and **Stephen Moster, Leon** and **Lori Salkin, Frances, Mark** and **Marlene Moster**

A big thank you to the Narberth ACME for co-sponsoring the event!

Seudah Shlishit has been sponsored by **Seth** and **Melissa Schwartz** to commemorate the Yahrzeits of their dear fathers, Lenoard J. Neumann, z"l and Charles Schwartz, z"l, which both take place in Nissan.

Teen Kiddush this week has been sponsored by **Yonina** and **Zev Jacobson** in honor of Chaim Azaria (Azi) Jacobson's birthday

DAILY SERVICES

Sunday Shacharit: 6:45, 7:30 & 8:30 AM	Sunday-Thursdays Mincha/Maariv: 7:25 PM	Mincha Friday same as LMS Mincha
Monday & Thursday: Shacharit: 6:45 & 8:00 AM	Sephardic Minyan Monday-Friday Korbanot: 6:30 AM / Hodu: 6:45 AM	Shabbat Korbanot: 8:45 AM / Hodu: 9:00 AM
Tuesday, Wednesday 7:00 AM & 8:00 AM Friday: 6:45 & 8:00 AM		Sunday Korbanot: 8:00 AM / Hodu: 8:15 AM

LMS SHIURIM SCHEDULE: [Click Here](#)

Ronel Elul's One Shul One Mesechta Shiur will meet between Mincha and Maariv Shabbat afternoon
Amud of the week 52a

Upcoming Shabbat Mincha Leining Schedule - Sign Up Now!

The gabbaim have organized a rotation of boys to lein at Shabbat Mincha. To be included, email Shlomo Troodler at troodler@blankrome.com.

Mi Sheberach

For members unable to be in shul on Shabbat, one may submit the names of cholim, prior to 12 noon on Friday, Erev Shabbat, by [clicking here](#).

LMS POLICY NOTICE

LMS Vaccination Policy

The health and safety of our members are of the utmost importance and one of our shul's top priorities. **Individuals** who attend programs at Lower Merion Synagogue **must be immunized** except when due to a documented medical issue. Thank you for your cooperation.

For full Vaccination Policy [Click Here](#)

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mazal Tov!

Rahel Sarah Friedman on making Aliyah (Adar II 20, 5779) and her upcoming service in September with Sherut Leumi in Beersheva. We are very, very proud of you! Love, Mom, Dad, and Alia

Happy Birthday **Shmarya Gasner!** Love, Pearl & Sauli

Tzvi Boord on an impressive first month and a half as our Director of Operations!

Happy 2nd Birthday to our sweet **Eliana Joy!!!** We love you!!
Love, Mommy, Daddy & Sammy

Happy Birthday and Congratulations on your 37th Shidduch **Lori Salkin!**
Love, Leon, Chloe, Zachy, Gaby, and Sammy.

Marty and **Elise Ciner** upon the birth of a grandson, born to Aaron and Nilly!

Gilad and **Janet Gevaryahu** upon the birth of a new grandson, born to Reuven and Dena Gevaryahu in Southfield, Michigan!

Mazal Tov to **Ely Moster** on her 2nd birthday and **Hannah Beth Moster** on her 3rd birthday. Love Mom-Mom, Zaydie Mark and Bubbie Frances

Shabbos Hagadol Program

This Shabbat at 3:50 PM - 6:00 PM in Beit Medrash

Six LMS members will speak on topics related to the Pesach Seder. Babysitting will be provided. [Click here to see the schedule](#)

Commemorative Shiur by Rabbi Levene

Sunday April 14th at 6:00 PM in Beit Medrash

Rabbi Levene will be giving a commemorative lecture to honor his grandfather, Rabbi Aryeh Levin's 50th Yahrzeit.
For Flyer [Click Here](#)

Yom Ha'atzmaut Celebration at LMS

Thursday May 9th

5:30 PM Family Program with Bnei Akiva and Bnot Sherut
6:00 PM Festive Dinner
6:30 PM Concert with Benny Amar & Company
To Register: [Click Here](#)



"IDF Defending our Homeland" Exhibit Submission

If you or a family member is either about to serve or has served in the IDF please submit: 1)Name, 2)Year(s) of service, 3)Picture(s) & 4)Any story about the service. Please send by May 4th to Patty Towler at towler_family@juno.com

IDF Kiddush

Shabbat, May 11

The newly inaugurated LMS IDF Kiddush will take place the Shabbat closest to Yom HaAtzmaut. Co-sponsor in honor of a family member or friend who was or is in the IDF, or in general to publicly thank Israel's troops! Sponsorships are \$36 to list up to two names, plus \$18 for each additional name. Please email KiddushLMS@gmail.com with your submission(s) -- include the name(s) and year(s) of service -- by Tuesday, May 7.



Monday May 13th at 7:30pm

The film follows Ruchie Freier, a Hasidic lawyer (and now judge) in creating Ezras Nashim, the first all-female ambulance corps in NYC, in the face of significant opposition. Film director, Paula Eiselt will be in attendance to introduce the film and answer questions following the film. Both Men and Women are welcome. To Register: [Click Here](#)
To see the flyer click here:

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YOUTH DEPARTMENT



Exciting. Engaging. Enlightening.

Mrs. Faigy Prupas, Director

Email: youth@lowermerionsynagogue.org

To see the Youth Programming Schedule: [Click Here](#)

Bnei Akiva will meet one hour before Mincha.

Torah Youth will not meet this Shabbat.

Bnos will not meet this Shabbat.

Follow us on Instagram @lms_youth for updates on the latest programs and youth happenings.
Make sure to tag us at our next event!

Mommy & Me Wednesdays at LMS

Mothers and female care givers are invited to attend Mommy & Me on Wednesdays at LMS from 10:30 - 11:45 a.m. led by Rachael Starkman. **Mommy & Me will not meet on Wednesdays April 17th & 24th.**

MIDDLE SCHOOL CHALLAH BAKE AT SUNRISE NURSING HOME



2ND – 5TH GRADE SHABBAT GROUPS REWARD NIGHT



OPERATION AFIKOMAN 1ST – 5TH GRADE



COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS CONT.

COAT ROOM CLEAN OUT Sunday April 14th

Please check the coat room for any of your personal belongings. Any items without a name, left after **Sunday April 14th** will be given away to Charity. In addition, there are several small items in the shul office which will also be given away after **Sunday April 14th**.

Yom Hashoah Program May 2nd at 8:00 PM

LMS is privileged to have schools participating and esteemed speaker, survivor and prolific author of 15 books, Dr. Moshe Avital who will speak on "hope faith and resilience what the Germans couldn't take from us."

PREPARING FOR PESACH

Shtender/Cubbie Cleanout By Sunday night April 14th.

Please go through your own shtenders and cubbies and remove all candies, wrappers and chometz.

Chometz Collection Bin in hallway until Monday April 15th

There is a bin in the hallway across from the Coat Room for Chometz drop off, which will be given to a food pantry on Monday, April 15th.

Maos Chittim

As we rush to complete our own Pesach preparations, we must remember to include the families in our own community who desperately need our assistance. Please consider giving generously. Checks should be made payable to the LMS Charity Fund and marked "Maos Chittim" in the memo line. Payments may also be paid on the LMS website at lowermerionsynagogue.org and then click on the "Donate" button. All monies collected will be distributed and no administrative costs are deducted from donations received.

Sale of Chometz Forms

Remember to take care of selling your chometz prior to Friday, April 19th at 9:00 a.m. The forms may be found on the LMS website or by [Clicking here](#). For those who will be in Israel [click here](#)

Hagolas Keilim Hours

Sunday: 10:00 AM – 4 PM
Wednesday: 5:00 PM – 10:00 PM

Pesach Guide

The complete Pesach guide may be found on the LMS website or by [clicking here](#)

LMCM Extended Keilim Hours

Keilim Mikvah hours have been extended from 4:30 AM-7:30 PM in anticipation of the upcoming holiday.

FISCAL YEAR END - OPEN BALANCES

We ask all members with an outstanding balance to please make every effort to pay as soon as possible. If you should have any questions or want to discuss your account, please contact Tzvi Boord at tzvi@lowermerionsynagogue.org.

Thank you very much for your continued support.

Hedy Cohen
Treasurer