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Lauderdale

Parshat Ki Teitzei

Candle Lighting: 7:18 PM | Havdalah: 8:15 PM

FRIDAY NIGHT

MINCHA/KABBALAT
SHABBAT/MAARIV:

- **Beit Midrash** (Mincha) – 3:00 PM
- **Sanctuary** – 7:00 PM
- **Sephardic (5950)** – 7:00 PM
- **Beit Midrash** – 7:25 PM
- **Candle Lighting** :

Earliest – 6:18 PM

Z'man – 7:18 PM

Shkiah (Sunset): 7:36 PM

SHABBAT DAY

SHACHARIT:

- **Hashkama** (Sanctuary) – 7:00 AM

Followed by Kiddush in the Tent

- **Library** – 8:00 AM

Followed by Kiddush in the Tent

- **Beit Midrash** – 8:45 AM

Followed by Kiddush Kup a brief shiur during Kiddush by a Guest Speaker, Rabbi Yehuda Willig, Rosh Yeshiva of the Yeshiva of South Florida, "Marriage and Mobility: Halachic Guidelines for Leaving Home", in the Beit Midrash

- **Sephardic (5950)** – 8:45 AM

Followed by Kiddush in the Tent

- **Sanctuary** – 9:00 AM

Followed by a combined Kiddush in the Tent

Pre-Davening Shiur at 9:00 AM in the Social Hall with Rabbi Joe Soshtain

- **Social Hall** – 9:15 AM

Followed by a combined Kiddush in the Tent

- **Junior Congregation (Chapel)** –

9:15 AM. Followed by Kiddush in the Chapel

- **Teens (Modular)** – 9:30 AM

Followed by Kiddush outside the Modular

- **Latest Kriat Shema:** 10:10 AM

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7:00 AM Kiddush: Larry & Tobi Reiss in honor of those dedicated men and women making a Siyum on Masechet Avodas Zarah and in honor of their Golden Anniversary (50th)

8:00 AM Kiddush: Bob & Debbie Hirsch in memory of his father, Murray Hirsch - Moshe ben Aryeh z"l, and on the engagement of their granddaughter, Allyson Rose Hirsch, to Samuel Ashendorf

Teen Kiddush: Steven & Judy Schultz in honor of Eitan Schultz's Bar Mitzvah parsha

Seudah Shlishit: Eitan & Cindy Siev to commemorate the yahrzeit of his father, Yosef ben Yaakov Shlomo, z"l

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MAZAL TOV:

- **Robert & Debbie Hirsch** on the engagement of their granddaughter, Allyson Rose Hirsch, to Samuel Ashendorf, son of David Ashendorf and Rachel Feiner of Bergenfield, NJ, and mazal tov to parents Adam and Lauren Hirsch and to siblings Daniel, Naomi, and Jack
- **Roni & Stephen Kurtz** on the birth of their grandson, born to Gabby & Aaron Kurtz; to the entire Kurtz family and to Ezra, Isaac & Reizl, and Yoni
- **Joel & Liz Brauser** on the engagement of their son, Shalom, to Miri Granik of West Hempstead

ANNOUNCEMENT

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HASHANAH

At YIH, we are committed to making sure that every member of our community has the opportunity to fulfill the mitzvah of hearing the shofar on Rosh Hashanah.

If you will not be attending minyan and would like someone to come blow shofar for you, or if you are available to blow shofar for others, please let us know by filling out the form.

Scan the QR code to sign up!



KIDDUSH/LUNCH INVITATION

Following the 9:00 AM Minyan, everyone is invited to a Kiddush/Lunch at the home of the Eisenmann family.

3350 SW 57th Place (Arapahoe)

SHABBAT
AFTERNOON

- **Early Mincha** – 2:30 PM (Beit Midrash)

- **Shiurim:**

Daf Yomi (Hebrew) with Eli Avisar – 5:15 PM (Beit Midrash)

Gemara Baba Metsia (Hebrew) with Eli Avisar – 6:00 PM (Beit Midrash)

Shiur by Rabbi Weinstock – 6:30 PM "The Month of Elul: What, Why and How?", in the Sanctuary

- **Mincha** – 7:15 PM

Followed by Seuda Shlishit in the Social Hall

- **Teen Mincha** – 7:15 PM

Followed by Seuda Shlishit in Small Chapel

- **Sephardic Mincha (5950)** – 7:15 PM

Parsha class w/ Rabbi Yossi Jankovits after Mincha (Beit Midrash)

Shiur with Rabbi Jonathan Hirsch after Mincha (Beit Midrash)

- **Maariv** – 8:10 PM

- **Havdalah** : 8:15 PM

Refuah Shleimah

Cholim:

Ilan Amitai ben Talia Michal. Refael Chaim Mayer ben Sima Chasha. Yitzchak Gershon ben Rachel (Karen Deutsch's Father). Yitzchak Chizkeya ben Rachel (Karen Deutsch's uncle). Leib ben Meshusha. Moshe ben Eleanor. Refael Moshe Elimelech ben Basha. Moshe Chaim ben Raizel. Shlomo Yacov ben Adah. Yechiel Dovid Halevi ben Chaya Ita Esther. Tzvi ben Chana. Mordechai ben Bayla. Simcha Baruch Hakohen ben Itka. Shmuel Binyamin ben Malka. Yitzchak Shlomo ben Gotten. Shmuel Natan ben Chaya Esther. Beryl ben Rishka. Mordechai Menachem ben Golda Chaya. Michael Aryeh ben Hinda. Yehuda ben Leah Rachel. Tinok ben Simcha (Carol Carmel's grandson). Meir ben Ruth. Yehuda Yeshayahu ben Miriam (Grandson of Norman & Sandy Goldglantz) Moshe Nechemia ben Shaindel Chaya (Norman Goldglantz). Shlomo ben Esther (Salomon Galimidi). Avraham Zvi Hersh ben Kenendel. Zvi ben Golda. Avraham ben Leah

Cholot:

Devorah bas Shaina Baila. Devorah Rivka bas Henna. Basha Hinda bas Hodes (Bethann Gan). Shoshana Devorah bas Bina Shlomit. Bracha Ahuva bas Chaya Esther (Bracha Einhorn wife of Stuart Einhorn). Sivan Shulamit bas Carmela. Leah Shayna bas Sara. Avigail bas Laura. Heleni Orna bas Chen Chana. Ariela bas Flora. Esther bas Brindel. Chana Malka bas Yetta. Luba bas Henya. Rivka Henya bas Shulamis. Esther Aliza bas Sarah. Luba bas Enya. Elana Chaya bas Serach. Chloe Dina bas Ilana. Bracha Chana bas Sheindel

Shabbat Almanac

This Week's Torah Highlights:

- Torah Reading: Deuteronomy 21:10 - 25:19
- Haftorah: Isaiah 54:1-10
- Nach Yomi: Job 23
- Daf Yomi: Horayos 5
- Mishna Yomi: Menachos 1:3-4

Condolences:

- **Simi Rosen** on the passing of her beloved husband, and **Paul & Linda Rosen** on the passing of their beloved son, David Rosen-Menachem Aryeh, z"l, and father to Bella, Aaron Yitzchak, and Yosef Chanan

Shul info

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Rabbi Weinstock's Message

PUTTING PRAISE INTO PROPER PERSPECTIVE



In Parshat Ki Teitzei the Torah says, וְלֹא-אֵבְרָהָהּ לְשֹׁמֵעַ אֶל-בְּלִעָם וַיְהִי כִּי הָאֱלֹהִים לִבְרָכָהּ כִּי אָמְרָהּ הָאֱלֹהִים:

But the Lord, your God, did not want to listen to Balaam. So the Lord, your God, transformed the curse into a blessing for you, because the Lord, your God, loves you.

The difficulty with this Pasuk is that in Parshat Balak, we find no reference to any curse uttered by Bilaam that God would have had to reverse into a blessing. Balak, the King of Moav, wanted Bilaam to curse the Jews; but Bilaam only managed to express blessings before Balak fires him.

Taking note of this difficulty, Rabbi Yochanan in Masechet Sanhedrin (105b) teaches us: "From the blessings pronounced by that wicked man (Bilaam), you can deduce what was actually in his heart." Some understand Rabbi Yochanan to mean that Bilam actually wanted to say the opposite of the blessing that emerged from his mouth. Psychologists today are concerned that in America we are raising a generation of over-indulged children. One of the symptoms they see is parents who are prone to over-praise. Although it may come from noble and loving motivations, over-praise can backfire and make the child addicted to praise. It can give that child an unrealistic notion of his own capacity and talent. It can also lead a child to reason that she does not need to strive for improvement, because praise will be offered regardless.

Bilaam as a prophet understood that praise can be extremely motivating or extremely harmful. His words were meant to lull Bnei Yisrael into a sense of complacency. There was no accompanying call to action or improvement within Bilaam's blessings.

"Every blessing carries a hidden test: will I settle here, or will I reach higher?"

It is when people feel that there is nothing more to achieve that they are most prone for complacency and failure. Through his blessings, Bilaam was attempting to convince Bnei Yisrael that they have already achieved far beyond what was to be expected of them. Inherent within Bilaam's supposed blessing is the message that they were fine just as they were, even if they did not improve anymore, and even if they slacked off a bit.

As we guard ourselves against the repercussions of over-praising we must be careful not to go to the other extreme. A few years ago parents in Nashville Tennessee complained that schools were publicizing the names of students who made honor roll or attained other academic achievements. They were concerned that the publicity would harm the self-esteem of some of the non-honor students.

A school attorney found an old Tennessee state law that prohibits the release of a student's academic records without parental consent. In response, the schools stopped publicizing the honor roll.

One school refused to publicize the name of their Spelling Bee winner. A principal was not allowed to release the names of the high scorers from a school basketball game. In the end sanity prevailed, and Nashville schools once again publicize honor roll students- only now it is only with a parent's permission.

We must be on guard for excessive praise, but we should also be wary of any effort that seeks to overemphasize all achievements or to ignore all of them equally. According to this philosophy, either everyone gets praised or nobody does. This is an incorrect and potentially dangerous and demotivating philosophy.

As the story of Bilaam taught, the way one praises/ blesses others indicates our true feelings for that person. Let us be careful that our praise – for ourselves, our shul and each other- be heartfelt, realistic, and used as motivation for reaching even greater achievements.

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Coby Edelstein, Zev Goldberg, Eitan Friedman, Ephraim Noach ben Chaya Sarah Gita, Aharon Feinerman - Aharon Shmuel ben Henya Raizel, Michal Amar, Josh Eichner, Lily Blaine, Aryeh Gavriel (Ohayon) ben Rivka Esther, Abby Eichner



Welcome Rabbi Berdugo & Family!

We are excited to welcome Rabbi Yitzhak Berdugo to our Rabbinic team as the new Sephardic Minyan Rabbi. Rabbi Berdugo, together with his wife Jacqueline, and their children, Aliza (12), Miryam (10), Naomi (9), David (7), Libby (5), and Zecharya (2) have recently moved into our neighborhood.

★ We look forward to learning, growing, and celebrating many smachot together with the Berdugo family!

Thank you, Last week's leiners:

Dov Linzer, Shlomo Schwartz, Zak Chiger, Kevin Ohayon, Mark Friedlander

Thank You

SHABBAT MORNING PROGRAMS

For ages 3 - 8 (potty-trained) to Elementary School

📍 Upstairs Youth Wing

9:00 AM — Drop-Off

9:00 AM — Program Begins

11:15 AM — Kiddush & Dismissal

11:30 AM — Latest Pickup Time

! Parents are asked not to remain with children.

! Outside food is not allowed.

! Notify leaders about allergies or special needs.

MOMMY (OR DADDY) & ME PROGRAM

This Week: 9/6

📍 Location: Chapel

📅 Time: 10:30 AM (First and third Shabbat of the month)

🎵 Led by Morah Cammy Leff

☀️ Fun toddler program with singing, stories, and movement!



Youth info

High Holiday Babysitting Information

all information can be found on yih.org/hhyouth

YIH WILL ONCE AGAIN BRING IN A COMPANY AND OFFER BABYSITTING SERVICES FOR CHILDREN AGES :2 year olds-second grade

ATTENTION CHANGES FOR THIS YEAR
NO WALK INS WILL BE ACCEPTED.
There is a limit to 30 spots per room.
Sign up for Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur by September 17th



ZUMBINI WITH MARIELA — EVERY WEDNESDAY

• Bring your little ones (ages 0–4) for a magical mix of music, movement, and smiles!

🕒 Sessions: 10:00 AM & 11:00 AM

📍 Register at: yih.org/zumbini

PARSHA QUIZ

Can you figure out which mitzvah comes from this week's parsha?

a Returning a lost object

c Counting the Omer

b Building a sukkah

d Blowing the shofar

Returning a lost object

YIH Daily Minyan Schedule:

Shacharit

Sunday

- Sanctuary: 7:15 AM | 8:00 AM | 9:00 AM
- Beit Midrash: 6:45 AM | 8:30 AM
- Sephardic (5950): 7:45 AM (Selichot) followed by 8:30 AM Shacharit

Monday & Thursday

- Sanctuary: 6:15 AM | 7:15 AM | 8:00 AM
- Beit Midrash: 6:45 AM
- Sephardic (5950): 6:00 AM (Selichot) followed by 6:45 AM Shacharit

Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday

- Sanctuary: 6:15 AM | 7:30 AM | 8:00 AM
- Beit Midrash: 7:00 AM
- Sephardic (5950): 6:00 AM (Selichot) followed by 6:45 AM Shacharit

Mincha / Maariv

Mincha / Maariv (Sunday - Thursday)

- Plag Mincha (Sanctuary): 6:05 PM
- Sephardic (5950): 6:05 PM
- Z'man Mincha (Sanctuary): 7:15 PM
- Late Maariv (Beit Midrash): 9:15 PM

Friday – Erev Shabbat

- Beit Midrash Early Mincha: 3:00 PM
- Sanctuary & Sephardic Kabbalat Shabbat: 7:15 PM
- Candle Lighting 🕯️ : 7:10 PM

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Brotherhood Basketball League

YAAKOV WALDMAN

4 OATHE

5 CHERRY BOKERIT

6

1 SHERALD

2 OATHE

3

SEASON 26 PLAYOFFS

UPCOMING Events

ELUL AT YIH
with the YIH Rabbis

Beit Midrash Elul Evening of Learning with the YIH Rabbis

Monday, 9/8 | 7:45pm, Beit Midrash

Enjoy three mini-shiurim from Rabbi Weinstein, Claman & Soshtain

Sushi and Refreshments to be served!

Beit Midrash Weinstock, Claman & Soshtain

Monday, 9/15 8:15pm

Monday, 7:45 PM

Elul Evening of Learning

Join us for an Elul Evening of Learning in the Beit Midrash with Rabbis Weinstock, Claman & Soshtain, as they present three inspiring mini-shiurim, plus sushi & refreshments! 🍣

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YOUNG ISRAEL OF HOLLYWOOD-FT. LAUDERDALE

SIVAN RAHAV-MEIR

Sivan Rahav-Meir is a distinguished media personality in Israel, recognized by Globes newspaper as the country's most popular female media figure and by the Jerusalem Post as one of the 50 most influential Jews worldwide. Esteemed for her insights on Israel TV news and her impactful Torah lectures, she seamlessly bridges the realms of journalism and Jewish scholarship.

CHOOSING LIFE IN AN AGE OF UNCERTAINTY: TOOLS TO MAKE THIS YEAR DIFFERENT

MOTZEI SHABBAT
SEPT. 13
8:00PM
FREE GLITCHOT

Since 1975, STRAT has been a tradition of honor for ages!!

Motzei Shabbat, 11:00 PM

Sivan Rahav-Meir at YIH

Join us (pre-Selichot) for an inspiring lecture, "Choosing Life in an Age of Uncertainty: Tools to Make This Year Different." Sivan Rahav-Meir, one of Israel's most influential voices in Torah, media, and Jewish thought, will share meaningful insights to prepare us for the year ahead.

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JEWISH COMMUNITY CELEBRATION
YOUNG ISRAEL OF HOLLYWOOD

SEPTEMBER 14TH | 1:40 PM | VS TIGERS

Lower Level tickets: \$30 (no taxes or fees)
Home Plate tickets: \$55 (no taxes or fees)
Included with tickets
Donation back to YIH

Sunday, 1:40 PM

Jewish Community Celebration with the Brotherhood

Join YIH Brotherhood as the Marlins take on the Tigers! 🐅 Special ticket pricing (\$30 Lower Level / \$55 Home Plate – no fees), an exclusive Jewish Community Marlins Jersey, and a unique YIH fan experience: Catch on the field!

📍 Register here: yih.shulcloud.com/marlins

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YOUNG ISRAEL OF HOLLYWOOD-FT. LAUDERDALE

RABBI MEIR SOLOVEICHIK

SHABBAT
SEPTEMBER 19-20
PARSHAT NITZAVIM

FOLLOWING 1:00PM MINCHA (PLAG) & MAARIV 6:00PM

4:00PM KABBALAT SHABBAT

THE SHOFAR AND THE PRALINE: A GAME SHOW AND JEWISH FEAST

FOLLOWING THE RAM & PISAM MONTAGE "US SHAB"

TEST OF SILENCE AND THE DAYS OF THE GREAT DELIVERANCE: YOM KIPPUR, AND THE SONG OF THE CENTURY

PRE-MINCHA SUSHI 4:00PM

MAARIV 6:00PM

THE SHOFAR AND THE CONCORDANCE OF KINGS

SHABBAT NITZAVIM 7:30PM

SOCIAL HALL

*12:30 SHABBAT LECTURE 9:00PM SANCTUARY

Shabbat

Jewish Community Celebration with the Brotherhood

Join us September 19–20 for a special Shabbat with Rabbi Meir Soloveichik, renowned scholar and director of Torah and Western Thought at Yeshiva University, as he shares inspiring lectures throughout the weekend.

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Join us for inspiring shiurim, chavrutas, and learning programs throughout the week!

SUNDAY

- 7:30 AM — Beit Midrash Learning w/ Rabbi Yossi Jankovits (Gemara Sanhedrin, Chumash/Rashi, Mishna Berurah, Duties of the Heart)
- 8:00 AM — Gemara Class w/ Dr. Eli Avisar (Chapel) in English

MONDAY

- 8:00 PM — 📌 The Preserve: Maharal Class (biweekly) w/ Rabbi Soshtain
- 8:30 PM — 📌 Hollywood Oaks: Lomdus on the Parsha (biweekly) w/ Rabbi Soshtain
- 8:30 PM — Sefer Shemot w/ Tobi Wolf (Chapel)

TUESDAY

- 8:00 AM — Chumash & Torah Temimah w/ Rabbi Yossi Jankovits
- 8:45 AM Shacharit — Talmud w/ Rabbi Weinstock.

To join the shiur WhatsApp group, scan the QR code with your phone camera



- 11:00 AM — Navi w/ Lisa Baratz (Chapel or Zoom: yih.org/zoom/lisa)
- 7:00 PM — Mishna Berurah: Hilchot Tefilah w/ Rabbi Yossi Jankovits
- 7:00 PM — Beginners' Gemara w/ Rabbi Michael Katz (Beit Midrash)
- 8:15 PM — Semichas Chaver Program w/ Rabbi Soshtain (Beit Midrash)

WEDNESDAY

- 8:30 PM — Beit Midrash Wednesday w/ Rabbis Claman & Soshtain

THURSDAY

- 8:00 AM — Hilchot Ribbit w/ Rabbi Jankovits
- 8:40 PM — Torah On Tap: Gemara + Cholent & Kugel (Beit Midrash w/ Rabbi Soshtain)

DAILY

- 5:15 AM (Mon–Fri) — Daf Yomi w/ Rabbi Yossi Jankovits (Beit Midrash)
- 6:00 AM (Mon–Fri) — Chavruta w/ Rabbi Yossi Jankovits: (Sanhedrin, Rashi, Mishna Berurah, Duties of the Heart) (Beit Midrash)
- 7:30–8:00 AM (Mon–Fri) — Amud HaYomi - Masechta Pesachim w/ Rabbi Claman (Chapel)
- 🕒 45 mins before Plag Mincha — Daf Yomi (Beit Midrash)



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• **See Something? Say Something!**

- Snap a photo of any suspicious car, person, or activity.
- Speak directly with a Rabbi, Minyan Captain, our Security Director, or the Police Officer.

• **Crosswalk Safety**

- Do NOT turn left on red onto SW 33rd Ave from Stirling Rd. This is illegal and puts pedestrians at risk.
- A Hollywood Police Officer will be assisting pedestrians during these times:

Friday: 6:30 PM – 10:30 PM

Shabbat: 6:45 AM – 12:30 PM & 5:30 PM – 8:30 PM

• **First Aid & Emergency Equipment**

- AEDs, wheelchairs, oxygen tanks, and reflective belts are located in the closet next to the Social Hall.
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• **Join Our Security Team**

- Volunteers are needed to support security during services and events.

📞 Contact: Avinoam Agame at agame@yih.org