

YI Hollywood - Ft. Lauderdale

HASHAVUAH

Parshat Vavigash

🕯 🕯 Candle Lighting: 5:18 PM | 🖖 Havdalah: 6:17 PM 💠



SHABBAT

Early Mincha – 2:30 PM (Beit Midrash) • Shiurim:

Daf Yomi (Hebrew) with Eli Avisar -3:15 PM (Beit Midrash)

Gemara Baba Metsia (Hebrew) with Eli Avisar - 4:00 PM (Beit Midrash)

© Guest Speaker Rabbanit Dr. Devorah Halevy − 4:30 PM, "When History Becomes a Weapon: Understanding the fight over Israel's story in the modern world", in the Sanctuary

• Mincha – 5:15 PM

Followed by Seuda Shlishit in the Social Hall

• **Teen Mincha** – 5:15 PM Teens will join Yachad in the Social Hall for Seuda Shlishit

• Sephardic Mincha (5950) - 5:15 PM followed by a Shiur with Rabbi Yonatan Halevy

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

Shiur with Rabbi Jonathan Hirsch - This class will not meet this week

• Maariv - 6:12 PM

• Havdalah : 6:17 PM

Rabbanit Halevy and Rabbi Berdugo - 8:30 PM in the Social Hall

FRIDAY NIGHT

MINCHA/KABBALAT SHABBAT/MAARIV ::

- Beit Midrash (Mincha) 3:00 PM
- Sanctuary 5:20 PM
- Sephardic (5950) 5:20 PM
- Candle Lighting 🕯 🕯 : 5:18 PM
- Shkiah (Sunset): 5:37 PM
- Join Rabbi and Rabbanit Halevy for a Shabbat Oneg - At the home of Rabbi and Rabbanit Berdugo

SHABBAT DAY

SHACHARIT ::

- Hashkama (Sanctuary) 7:00 AM Followed by Kiddush in the Tent
 - Library 8:00 AM

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- Beit Midrash 8:45 AM
- Followed by Kiddushe Kup: a brief shiur during Kiddush with Rabbi Claman, "Can a Ruling of Beis Din be Appealed?", in the Beit Midrash
- Sephardic (5950) 9:00 AM Followed by a Derasha during Shacharit and a shiur after Mussaf by Rabbi Yonatan Halevy, "Avraham the Educator: The Akedah as Monotheistic Theater from an Italian Voice Rediscovered."
- Followed by a Kiddush in 5950
- **Sanctuary** 9:00 AM Followed by a 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 Kiddush in the Social Hall

- · 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: 9:44 AM

THE LUCKY DOG Chicken & Wings Burgers Hot Dog Inside the new "Kosher Food Court" Chevron Gas Station 4051 Stirling Rd Sunshine State Kosher-GLATT MEAT 954-HOT-DOGS

Shabbat Almanac

This Week's Torah Highlights:

- 📜 Torah: Genesis 44:18 47:27
- 📕 Haftorah: Ezekiel 37:15-28
- Nach Yomi: I Chronicles 19
- Daf Yomi: Zevachim 104
- Mishna Yomi: Bechoros 8:5-6



We welcome the participants and staff here for the **YACHAD Shabbaton**. Thank you for coming!

We welcome Guest Scholars Rabbi Yonatan and Rabbanit Dr. Devorah **Halevy**. See the schedule for opportunities to hear them speak.

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7:00 AM Kiddush:
AM Attendees in honor of Paul & Yvonne Ginsberg making aliyah and to commemorate the yahrzeit of their

son, Neil Ginsberg z"l

Paul & Yvonne Ginsberg to commemorate the yahrzeit of their son, Neil Ginsberg z"l in honor of the 7:00 am minyan, the staff of YIH, and the entire congregation

9:00 AM Kiddush: Yachad in memory of Neil Ginsberg z"l and in honor of Yvonne and Paul Ginsberg, making aliyah to Israel

Junior Congregation Kiddush: The Schwarzbaum **family** in honor of this great minyan that keeps the boys learning and growing

□ <u>Torah Dialogue:</u> Barry & Lois Levontin in memory of Barry's father's yahrzeit, Yerachamiel ben Avraham HaCohen z'l

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MAZAL TOV:

Danny & Sara Hekmat on the birth of a baby boy and to big sister, Layla

Barry & Jillian Galitzer on the engagement of their son, Andrew, to Ariela Sragowicz of Bal Harbor, FL. Mazal tov to his siblings, Ashley, Noah, and Steven. Mazel tov to Grandparents Sandy Borowich, Debbie & Josh Galitzer, and Aunts and Uncles Rachel and Ronen Zour and Debbie and Danny Aqua

Danny & Linda Singer on the birth of a grandson, born to Max & Elisheva Singer in Baltimore

Mabrouk to Rami & Rose Ovadia, Jacob & Michal Ovadia, Isaac & Ellee Ovadia, David Ovadia, and their entire family on the wedding of Joseph Ovadia to Hadass Gerlitz. We bless them to build a Bayit Neeman BeYisrael

Condolences:

Lippy (and Maty) Fischman on the passing of his beloved father, R' Yehoshua Chaim Fischman z"l

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 Chava

Esther. Beryl ben Rishka. Mordechai Menachem ben Golda Chaya. Michoel Aryeh ben Hinda. Yehuda ben Leah Rachel. Amram Shlomo Menachem ben Simcha (Carol Carmel's grandson). Yehuda Yeshayahu ben Miriam (Grandson of Norman & Sandy Goldglantz). Shlomo ben Esther (Salomon Galimidi). Avraham Zvi Hersh ben Kenendel. Zvi ben Golda. Avraham ben Leah. Dovid

Efraim ben Dvorah Cholot:

Devorah bas Shaina Baila. Devorah Rivka bas Henna. Basha Hinda bas Hodes (Bethann Gan). Shoshana Devorah bas Bina Shlomit. Éracha 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. Luba bas Enya. Elana Chaya bas Serach. Chloe Dina bas Ilana. Bracha Chana bas Sheindel. Rachel Mashe bas Leah

Ruama. Nava bas Chaya Rivka (Nava Seewald). Manya bat Tzirel. Orit Henya bas Ruth. Aidel Nechama bat Batsheva. Nesya Tikva bat Esther Rivka Moriah

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Thank you, Last week's leiners:

Gavriel and Kevin Ohayon, Shlomo Schwartz, Akiva Lautman





Rabbi Weinstock's Message:

QUALITY MOMENTS AND QUANTITY TIME



Quality time? Quantity time? Which is more important for those of us seeking to build and nurture our relationships as friends, and parents? The reviews are materialize in the shot-

Over the past 50 years, parents have "Consistency creates greatly increased the amount of time they spend with their children. On average, fathers are with their (waking) children 3 times more today than they were in 1965 (from 2.6 to 7.2 hours per it takes time and physical week). And even as more mothers presence. A lot of "downtime" work outside of the home, the number needs to be invested if we hope of hours they are with their children has also increased - from 10.5 to 13.7 hours per week. The quantity of time In Parshat Vayigash, we read is definitely up. And yet a meta-study about the reunion between released a few years back indicated that Yosef and his family. After being freed from Gaza. While the the sheer quantity of time parents reuniting with his brothers, spend with their kids between the ages Yosef sent the brothers to tell of 3 and 11 has virtually no relationship Yaakov. At first, Yaakov does to how children turn out, and a not believe that Yosef is alive. He minimal effect on adolescents.

more parental face time with their to carry him." Only then are we create sustained growth. Can we children was actually harmful: when parents were stressed, sleep-deprived, guilty, and anxious. This would lead one to consider quality time as most

In the aftermath of the study that come from Yosef. The word for more often and more deeply? highlighted quality time, Frank Bruni wagon- Agalah- is very similar As parents, spouses, and friends, let wrote a column in the NY Times to the word Eglah- as in Eglah entitled, "The Myth of Quality Time". Arufah, In extolling the virtues of quantity undertaken when there is an loved ones and for ourselves. time, he makes a convincing case that unsolved "There's simply no real substitute for between physical presence." And "we delude locations. Rashi quotes the ourselves when we say that we can Midrash that Yaakov and Yosef plan instances of extraordinary candor..., (or) engineer intimacy in an extraordinary right before Yosef disappeared. appointed hour."

Or Since people don't operate on Is it possible that Yaakov, at over nature photographer who waits that Yosef was dropping? Yes. for the most perfect confluence of nature and beauty to

trust; trust creates connection."

to capture that perfect moment, without it being merely staged

is only convinced when "he saw Jacob was revived." (45:27)

What was it about the wagons? understood could have only the murder situated inhabited

cue, not every planned moment 100 years old and after 22 years, will work out as we hope. Like a would pick up on this slight hint

This one-on-one Torah study time between Yaakov and Yosef was quality time- treasured by both father and son. These consistent moments between loved ones stick in our memories and shape how we view ourselves and our relationships. The reminded Yosef and Yaakov of quality time spent together, something that they would always remember.

A few weeks ago, our shul experienced an amazing and inspiring moment when we welcomed former hostages Guy Gilboa Dalal and Evyatar David for quality of that moment is unparalleled, it is also difficult if not impossible to replicate it. We need to leverage high quality, highimpact moments like that to seek The study found one instance when the wagons that Joseph had sent out more frequent opportunities to told that "the spirit of their father utilize that moment in shul to better appreciate the potential in attending shul every Shabbat, every day? Rashi explains that the wagons How do we utilize the quality were a code that Yaakov moments in order to motivate us to engage in the quantity moments

us commit to valuing both quantity ceremony time and quality time- for our

OUR IDF **LONE SOLDIERS:**

Zev Goldberg, 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



Rabbi Weinstock's Class Replay: Keeping the Faith: Exploring Rambam's 13 **Principles**

Missed the class or want to revisit it? No worries, you can still catch up online!

Scan the QR code to watch the shiur at your convenience. Passcode: #d1M#10h Great content, deep insights, and definitely worth the watch!



SHABBAT MORNING PROGRAMS

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

9:00 AM - Drop-Off & 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

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





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



A YIH Daily Minyan Schedule:

Shacharit

🗂 Sunday, Thursday - (January 1st)

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

followed by a shiur by Rabbi Yonatan

Halevy "Daring to Decide: A Journey into a Responsum of Rabbi Yitzchak Abadi"

monday 🇂

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

Tuesday (Fast of Tevet)

Fast Begins: 5:54 AM

- Sanctuary: 6:00 AM | 7:00 AM | 8:00 AM
- Beit Midrash: 6:30 AM
- Sephardic (5950): 6:40 AM

🗂 Wednesday, Friday

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

Mincha / Maariv

(Sunday - Thursday)

- Plag Mincha (Sanctuary): 4:20 PM
- Sephardic (5950): 5:25 PM
- Z'man Mincha (Sanctuary): 5:25 PM
- Late Maariv (Beit Midrash): 9:15 PM

(Tuesday - Fast of Tevet)

- Plag Mincha (Sanctuary): 4:10 PM
- Sephardic (5950): 5:10 PM
- Z'man Mincha (Sanctuary): 5:10 PM

Fast Ends: 6:16 PM

friday – Erey Shabbat

- Beit Midrash Early Mincha: 3:00 PM
- Sanctuary & Sephardic Mincha: 5:25 PM
- **Candle Lighting** : 5:23 PM

UPCOMING Events



Next Shabbat, Parshat Vayechi

Shabbat with Rabbi Dovid Gottlieb

Join us for a meaningful Shabbat with Rabbi Dovid Gottlieb, sharing powerful perspectives on faith, unity, and real-life halachic challenges. An impactful Shabbat of learning, reflection, and

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Tuesday, 7:00 PM

Mahjongg Night

Join us for a fun evening of playing, learning, and friendly competition!! I Dinner by Bambu Pan Asian Kitchen

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Shabbat, Parshat Shemot

Shabbat with Sarit Anstandig

Join us for a thoughtful and engaging Shabbat with Sarit Anstandig, exploring community, truth, and meaningful conversations in Jewish life. An inspiring Shabbat of learning, dialogue, and connection.

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Tuesday, 11:00 AM | The Chapel

Special Shiur with Avital Gatswirth

Discover Rachel and Leah as you've never seen them before, uncovering a deeper narrative that begins in Gan Eden and continues through Jewish

Based on Avital Gatswirth's acclaimed work, Two Sisters, One Soul, this shiur offers fresh insight, depth, and spiritual perspective.

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Join us for inspiring shiurim, chavrutot, and <u>learning programs throughout the week!</u>

SUNDAY

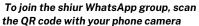
• 7:30 AM — Beit Midrash Learning w/ Rabbi Yossi Jankovits: Gemara Sanhedrin, Chumash/Rashi, Mishna Berurah, Duties of the Heart

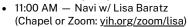
8:00 AM — Gemara Class w/ Dr. Eli Avisar (Chapel) in English

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

TUESDAY





- 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 Studies in Bereishit w/ Olivia Friedman (Library)
- 8:30 PM Mishna Berurah Shiur starting with Hilchot Shabbat w/ Rabbi Claman (Beit Midrash)

A Followed by 9:15 PM Maariv

THURSDAY

- 8:00 AM Hilchot Ribbit w/ Rabbi Jankovits (Beit Midrash)
- 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)
- After Shacharit (Mon-Fri) Shulchan Aruch Yomi w/ Rabbi Berdugo (5950)
- After Plag Mincha Daf Yomi w/ Rabbi Jankovits (Beit Midrash)

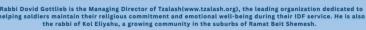


SHABBAT **JANUARY 2-3 PARSHAT VAYECHI**

FRIDAY NIGHT - 8:30PM HOME OF LISA & PHIL BARATZ A VIEW FROM THE TRENCHES: HALACHIC DILEMMAS FACED BY RELIGIOUS SOLDIERS

SHABBAT MORNING - 11:15AM MAIN SANCTUARY MEETING THE MOMENT: THE URGENCY OF ACHDUT AS WE FIGHT FOR OUR LIVES

PRE-MINCHA SHIUR - 4:20PM MAIN SANCTUARY ISRAEL VS. IRAN - RISKING YOUR LIFE TO SAVE THE JEWISH PEOPLE



Previously, Rabbi Gottlieb was a Ram at Yeshivat Har Etzion (Gush), and prior to his aliyah to Israel, he served as rabbi of Congregation Shomrei Emunah, in Baltimore, MD.

In addition to other scholarly publications, he most recently authored Ve-Ha'Er Einenu, a five-volume series of inspiring and thought-provoking essays on the weekly Torah portion which is distributed to soldiers throughout the IDF.

Nearly 2,000 of Rabbi Gottlieb's classes and articles are available online at www.yutorah.org and etzion.org.il/en. Rabbi Gottlieb is married to Ilana, the director of Midreshet AMIT, and they are blessed with four children and two grandchildre

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O 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: 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Shabbat: 6:45 AM - 2:30 PM & 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM

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- Volunteers are needed to support security during services and
- Contact: Avinoam Agame at agame@yih.org