

# HASHAVUA

YI Hollywood - Ft. Lauderdale

October 10, 2026 | 29 Tishrei 5787

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Shabbat Mevorchim - Parshat Bereshit

Candle Lighting: 6:41 PM

Shabbat Ends: 7:38 PM

## FRIDAY NIGHT

### MINCHAH/MAARIV:

- Beit Midrash (Early Minchah) 3:00 PM
- Beit Midrash 6:30 PM
- *Lite Bites & Drinks Followed by Minchah, Kabbalat Shabbat and D'var Torah*
- Candle Lighting: 6:41 PM
- Sanctuary 6:45 PM
- Sephardic (5950) 6:45 PM
- Shkiah (Sunset): 6:59 PM

### Kabbalat Shabbat Sponsor:

Esti & Chaim Bareli in memory of Gary Bloom z'l

## 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 with Rabbi Claman, "Vegetarianism: Food for Thought", in the Beit Midrash*
- Sanctuary 9:00 AM  
*Followed by a combined Pink Shabbat Kiddush in the Tent*
- Sephardic (5950) 9:00 AM  
*Followed by Kiddush in 5950*  
Pre-Davening Shiur at 9:00 AM in the Social Hall with Rabbi Joe Soshtain
- Social Hall 9:15 AM  
*Followed by a combined Pink Shabbat Kiddush in the Tent*
- Junior Congregation (Chapel) 9:15 AM  
*Followed by Kiddush in the Chapel*
- Teens (Modular) 9:30 AM  
*Followed by Kiddush in the Modular*
- Latest Kriat Shema: 10:12 AM

## Shabbat Almanac

### Shabbat

Torah: Parshat Bereshit

Haftarah: Samuel I 20:18-42

Nach Yomi: Yirmiyahu 28

Daf Yomi: Bechorot 22

Mishna Yomi: Ohalot 9:7-8



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OCTOBER 10, 2026



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### THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS:

**Sephardic Kiddush:** Zev & Sheila Shemesh in honor of the anniversary of Zev's Bar Mitzvah parsha

#### 8:00 AM Kiddush:

**Barbara & Joel Coplowitz** in memory of Barbara's mother, Lillian Safer - Chava Leah bas Shlomo Leib, HaKohen z'l

**Sheldon & Lynda Levin** in memory of his mother, Dorothy S. Levin - Devorah bas Yaakov z'l

**Bill & Batzi Berman** in honor of the birth of their great-grandson, born to Moriya & Leve Gottlieb

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## Mazal Tov:

- **Estrin family** on the occasion of Nava Estrin's Bat Mitzvah.
- **Bill & Batzi Berman** on the birth of their great-grandson, born to Moriya & Leve Gottlieb.
- **Diane & Gary Magid** on the Bar Mitzvah of their grandson, Ziv, son of Rina & Josh Altman of Modiin, Israel.
- **Avivit & Dror Ben-Aharon** on the engagement of their son, Edan, to Tamar Zadok of Brooklyn! Mazal Tov to Edan's siblings, sister-in-law, nephew, and his aunt, Anat Goldstein, and family.
- **Linda & Danny Singer** on the engagement of their son Jonathan to Brielle Fincheltub, daughter of Lea and Noel obm Fincheltub of Aventura. Mazal Tov to all the grandparents, siblings, nieces and nephews.

### Condolences:

- **Joy (& Joey) Gluska** on the passing of her beloved father, Avraham Levy z'l, and husband of Barbara Levy
- **Sandra Bloom** on the passing of her beloved husband, Gary Bloom z'l and father of Lauren and Joel Berley, Allie and Daniel Wohlberg, and Rabbi Elazar and Rivkah Bloom



## SHABBAT AFTERNOON

### MINCHAH/MAARIV:

- Early Minchah (Beit Midrash) 2:30 PM
- Shiurim (Beit Midrash) 4:30 PM  
- Daf Yomi (Hebrew) with Eli Avisar  
- Gemara Baba Metsia (Hebrew) with Eli Avisar 5:15 PM
- Shiur by Rabbi Weinstock 5:50 PM  
*"Menucha on Shabbat: More than Just Rest"*
- Minchah (Sanctuary) 6:30 PM  
*Followed by Seudah Shlishit in the Social Hall*
- Teens 6:30 PM  
*Followed by Seudah Shlishit in the Chapel*
- Sephardic Minchah (5950) 6:30 PM  
*Followed by a shiur by Rabbi Claman during Seudah Shlishit in 5950*
- Shiurim (Beit Midrash, after Minchah)  
- Parsha class w/ Rabbi Yossi Jankovitz  
- Shiur with Rabbi Jonathan Hirsch
- Maariv 7:33 PM
- Havdalah 7:38 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. Amram Shlomo Menachem ben Simcha (Carol Carmel's grandson). Yehuda Yeshayahu ben Miriam (Grandson of Norman & Sandy Goldglantz). Shlomo ben Esther (Salomon Galimidi). Zvi ben Golda. Avraham ben Leah. Dovid Efraim ben Dvorah. Aharon ben Miriam. Chaim Dovid ben Rivka. Ariel Etan Shalom ben Abigail Chaya. Shmuel Avraham ben Masha Brana. Itay ben Michal. Gershon Ber ben Pesha Esther

### Cholot:

Devorah bat Shaina Baila. Devorah Rivka bat Henna. Basha Hinda bat Hodes (Bethann Gan). Shoshana Devorah bat Bina Shlomit. Bracha Ahuva bat Chaya Esther (Bracha Einhorn wife of Stuart Einhorn). Sivan Shulamit bat Carmela. Leah Shayna bat Sara. Avigail bat Laura. Heleni Orna bat Chen Chana. Ariela bat Flora. Esther bat Brindel. Chana Malka bat Yetta. Luba bat Henya. Elana Chaya bat Serach. Chloe Dina bat Ilana. Bracha Chana bat Sheindel. Rachel Mashe bat Leah Ruama. Nava bat Chaya Rivka (Nava Seewald). Manya bat Tzirel. Orit Henya bat Ruth. Aidel Nechama bat Batshava. Nesya Tikva bat Esther Rivka Moriah. Leah bat Chana. Fruma Miriam bat Tziporah

To add or to remove a name, please email [announcements@yih.org](mailto:announcements@yih.org)

## OUR LEADERSHIP

**Rabbi Yosef Weinstock**  
Senior Rabbi

**Rabbi Edward Davis**  
Rabbi Emeritus

**Rabbi David Claman**  
Assistant Rabbi

**Rabbi Joseph Soshtain**

**Rabbi Yossi Jankovits**  
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Women's Engagement

**Ari Pearl**  
President

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Join Our WhatsApp Community Groups



Scan the QR code to get updates on: Minyan schedule, Youth programs, events, and more

No typing needed — just scan the code with your phone's camera!

## OUR IDF LONE SOLDIERS:

Zev Goldberg, Ephraim Noach ben Chaya Sarah Gita, Aharon Feinerman - Aharon Shmuel ben Henya Raizel, Michal Amar, Lily Blaine, Aryeh Gavriel (Ohayon) ben Rivka Esther, Abby Eichner, Aharon Moshe (Galitzer) ben Yaffa Shifra, Kira Friedman, Arielle Pfefer

THANK YOU  
LAST WEEK'S LEINERS:

Jordan Burger, Michael Kimmel, Shlomo Schwartz, Eli Hagler, William Zombek, Marty Hoffman, Steve Kimmel

*Thank You*



## Rabbi Weinstock's Message:

## STARTING ANEW — FROM BET

The Torah begins with the letter *bet*. Many have asked: Why not begin the Torah with an *alef*, the first letter in the Hebrew alphabet? One popular answer is that starting with *bet* is an expression of humility. There are certain things about God that are beyond our human comprehension. Just as the letter *bet* is closed on three sides and open only toward the left, the direction in which Hebrew is written, so too we approach the Creation story with an awareness that we cannot comprehend what came “before the *bet*,” before *Bereishit*. A second explanation is that the Torah begins with *bet* as a reminder that we should always build our Torah knowledge upon some precedent, and never begin from absolute *alef*. Our understanding of Torah should be built upon what we learn from our teachers, earlier commentators, and traditional sources. While it is appropriate to seek out new and personal relevance in the Torah, these efforts cannot begin from scratch. Our new understandings must start from *bet*, remaining loyal to the traditional understandings of Torah that have been incorporated into our *Mesorah*. Lastly, the Midrash (*Bereishit Rabbah* 1:10) suggests that the Torah begins with *bet* because the word *bracha*, blessing, begins with a *bet*. The Ibn Ezra asks: We find many negative words that begin with a *bet*. What exactly is the Midrash trying to tell us? The Maharal explains that *bet* symbolizes blessing, not simply because it begins the word *bracha*, but because of the nature of the letter itself. *Bet* is the second letter in the *alef-bet*. Its gematria is two. Whereas *alef* represents the singular, *bet* represents multiplicity. When you add to a single entity, you create the possibility of blessing. Throughout *Parshat Bereishit*, we see how blessing can be found in multiplicity. Hashem says, “*Lo tov heyot ha-adam levado* — It is not good for man to be alone.” This is the first *lo tov* in the Torah. Light is good. The heavens are good. The earth is good. The animals are good. What is not good? Being alone. So God says, “*E'eseh lo ezer k'negdo* — I will make for him a helper opposite him.” It is a seemingly contradictory phrase. Which is it? *Ezer* — someone who helps me? Or *k'negdo* — someone who stands opposite me?

Rashi quotes the Gemara: *Zacha — ezer; lo zachá — k'negdo*. If a person merits it, his spouse is a help. If not, she is against him. The Izbitzer Rebbe offers a powerful way to understand these words: Maybe the opposition is the help. Think about learning Torah. Imagine a Beit Midrash where everyone always agreed. “I think the Gemara means this.” “Absolutely.” “I Couldn't agree more.” You wouldn't get very far. Torah is learned with someone opposite you, literally and figuratively. The person arguing with you isn't necessarily interfering with your learning. He may be helping you learn. According to the Izbitzer, *k'negdo* becomes the *ezer*. Sometimes the person who helps us most is the one who pushes back against our assumptions: the spouse who sees things differently, the friend who tells us what we don't want to hear, the child who forces us to discover patience we didn't know we had. Not all opposition is good. Cruelty and destructive conflict are not growth opportunities to be romanticized. But a life without resistance doesn't make us stronger. It leaves us untested. This is true of a community as well. We need the people who say, “Let's do it!” and the people who ask, “How exactly are we paying for it?” We need dreamers and skeptics, those who dream big and those who bring us back to reality. We need to stop assuming that every person who sees things differently is getting in the way. Sometimes they're showing us the way. That is the deeper meaning of the *bet*. The blessing is not simply that there are two of us. It is that there can be another perspective, another personality, another way of seeing the world. We don't have to agree with everyone. But we should be willing to listen, to learn, and to recognize that sometimes the person standing *k'negdo* may actually be the *ezer* we need. The Torah could have begun with *alef*, with one. Instead, it begins with *bet*, with multiplicity. The blessing of *bet* is found in the richness of different perspectives, in the strength that comes from people who see things differently, and in the growth that takes place when we encounter ideas and people who challenge us. *Bet* reminds us that a multitude of opinions and perspectives is not simply something we tolerate. It is something that can make us stronger.

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## JEWISH WOMEN ASK ALL THE TIME

AN OPEN CONVERSATION WITH  
**SARIT ANSTANDIG**



**Monday,  
October 12, 2026**



**7:45 pm**



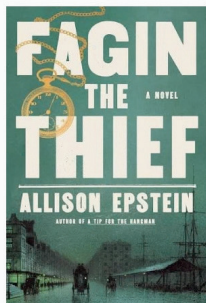
**Home of Baila Padeh**

Sarit Anstandig serves as JLIC Director at Binghamton University alongside her husband. She holds master's degrees in Bible and Talmud from Yeshiva University and in Education from the University of Michigan. With specialized training in Taharat Hamishpacha, women's health, and other areas of halacha that uniquely affect women, she serves as a halachic resource for women throughout South Florida.

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As a service to our members, we are pleased to announce that the Shul no longer charges room rental fees for members who wish to host a Bris or Simchat Bat at the Young Israel!

We recognize that having a newborn baby can be an expensive and busy time, so our intention is to make it as affordable as possible for our members to hold their simcha at our shul.

Now it is easier than ever to plan a Bris or Simchat Bat! You can hold the ceremony in the dignified setting of our Main Sanctuary and have your Seudat Mitzvah in the Social Hall or the newly decorated Tent. The only charge due to the shul would be for security coverage during your event and if extra custodial help is required.

Please contact Tanya Moses at [tanya@yih.org](mailto:tanya@yih.org) or call her at the synagogue office at (954) 966-7877 to arrange a memorable simcha for your newborn son or daughter.

## Weekday Minyan Schedule:

### Shacharit

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| <b>SUNDAY</b><br><i>Rosh Chodesh</i>           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sanctuary: 7:00 AM   8:00 AM   9:00 AM</li> <li>Beit Midrash: 6:45 AM   8:30 AM</li> <li>Sephardic (5950): 8:30 AM</li> </ul> |
| <b>MONDAY</b><br><i>Rosh Chodesh</i>           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sanctuary: 6:05 AM   7:00 AM   8:00 AM</li> <li>Beit Midrash: 6:30 AM</li> <li>Sephardic (5950): 6:45 AM</li> </ul>           |
| <b>TUESDAY,<br/>WEDNESDAY &amp;<br/>FRIDAY</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sanctuary: 6:15 AM   7:30 AM   8:00 AM</li> <li>Beit Midrash: 7:00 AM</li> <li>Sephardic (5950): 6:45 AM</li> </ul>           |
| <b>THURSDAY</b>                                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sanctuary: 6:15 AM   7:15 AM   8:00 AM</li> <li>Beit Midrash: 6:45 AM</li> <li>Sephardic (5950): 6:45 AM</li> </ul>           |



### Minchah / Maariv

#### MONDAY - THURSDAY

- Plag Minchah: 5:30 PM
- Sephardic (5950): 5:30 PM
- Z'man: 6:40 PM
- Late Maariv (B.M.): 9:15 PM

#### FRIDAY

- Beit Midrash: 3:00 PM
- Candle Lighting: 6:34 PM
- Sanctuary, Beit Midrash & Sephardic: 6:40 PM





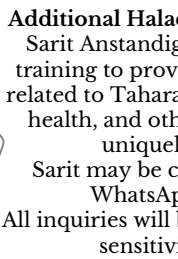
**Mother-Daughter  
Kumzitz**  
with  
**Shira Claman**  
in honor of Rachel Imeinu's  
Yartzheit

**Wednesday Evening  
October 21  
7:30 - 8:30PM**

at the home of  
**Miriam Tennenbaum**

For girls in 4th, 5th and 6th grades  
and their mothers

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**Additional Halachic Resource for Women**  
Sarit Anstandig has received specialized training to provide guidance on questions related to Taharat Hamishpachah, women's health, and other areas of halachah that uniquely impact women.

Sarit may be contacted via call, text, or WhatsApp at (201) 951-5881  
All inquiries will be handled with the utmost sensitivity and discretion.



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#### Crosswalk Safety

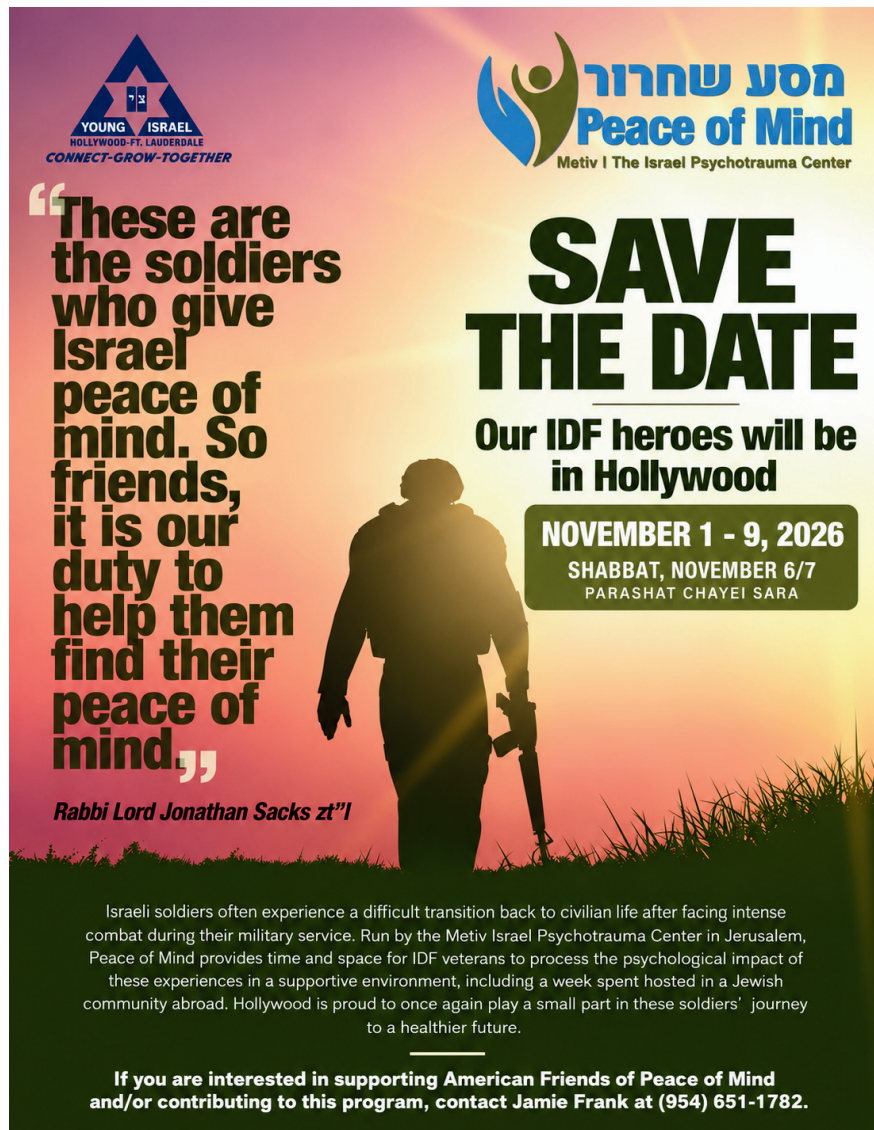
- Do NOT turn left on red onto SW 33rd Ave from Stirling Rd. This is illegal and puts pedestrians at risk.
- A Hollywood Police Officer will be assisting pedestrians during these times:

**Friday Night: 6:00 PM – 9:00 PM**

**Shabbat: 6:45 AM – 12:30 PM & 7:30 PM – 8:30 PM**

## COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Join leading experts for **Hidden in Plain Sight: The Hidden Crisis Affecting Today's Youth** on Sunday, October 25, from 10 AM–1 PM at the Mandell JCC in Palm Beach Gardens. This important symposium will explore the challenges affecting youth mental health and provide practical tools for recognizing warning signs, building resilience, and supporting young people before they reach a crisis. **Tickets are free, with donations appreciated.** For information <https://elem.org/florida-symposium/>



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Our IDF heroes will be in Hollywood  
**NOVEMBER 1 - 9, 2026**  
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Israeli soldiers often experience a difficult transition back to civilian life after facing intense combat during their military service. Run by the Metiv Israel Psychotrauma Center in Jerusalem, Peace of Mind provides time and space for IDF veterans to process the psychological impact of these experiences in a supportive environment, including a week spent hosted in a Jewish community abroad. Hollywood is proud to once again play a small part in these soldiers' journey to a healthier future.

**If you are interested in supporting American Friends of Peace of Mind and/or contributing to this program, contact Jamie Frank at (954) 651-1782.**

## YOUTH:

### SHABBAT MORNING PROGRAMS:



For ages 3 (potty trained) to 8  
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:



Every Shabbat  
Location: Library  
Time: 10:30 AM  
Led by Morah Cammy Leff

Fun toddler program with singing, stories, and movement!

### GIRLS' HANGOUT



For Girls in Grades 4–6  
Every Shabbat after Junior Congregation  
Location: Chapel

Games, prizes, candy & time with friends!  
A fun, relaxed, supervised program just for girls.