



# Young Israel of Chomedey Congregation Chevra Mishnayis

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## YIC Weekly Newsletter Mar 28 - Apr 3 / 15 - 21 Nissan

DAY	DATE	SCHACHRIS	MINCHA / MA'ARIV
SUNDAY	Mar 28	No services	No Services
MONDAY	Mar 29	No services	No Services
TUESDAY	Mar 30	No services	No Services
WEDNESDAY	Mar 31	No services	No Services
THURSDAY	Apr 01	No services	No Services
FRIDAY	Apr 02	No services	7:10 PM <b>Shabbat Starts: 7:06 PM</b>
SATURDAY	Apr 03	Services: 9:00 AM Parshat: <b>SHVI'I shel Pesach</b>	See Holiday Bulletin for candle-lighting sched- ule during Pesach

CHAG PESACH SAMEACH

HAPPY PASSOVER

A FREILICHEN PESACH

Dear Members,

As I was writing these words, I was interrupted by the doorbell; it was our VP Dave Green delivering my Passover box. I was in isolation, as were others, instead of being at the Drive-by. **YASHER KOACH** to Dave who with his girl-friend Jo-Ann, and together with Mindy, pitched in to help with the Passover drive-by. It was a pleasure seeing Dave again, first time since Purim, and to exchange a few words. From what I heard, except for a few minor glitches which were obviously overcome, everything went off smoothly and everyone received their Passover boxes, at the designated times. Thanks to all of you who followed instructions, and made it a memorable event. I am sure you will all enjoy the contents come Sat night as you sit down to celebrate the Pasover Seder. I have already received 3 phone calls while finalizing this newsletter, to indicate how pleased they were with the contents.

Once again, on behalf of our executive, our Clergy, our Board, and on behalf of my dear wife Zila, who has helped me every step of the way, by not coming down on me too hard, I want to wish you all a **HAPPY, HEALTHY, HEALTHY, and MORE HEALTHY, and a KOSHER PESACH.**

Issie Baum, President

**I have just received an email a moment ago, indicating that we are now allowed 250 people in shul starting tomorrow. I have not checked it out. In any event, we are closed until next weekend due to too many isolations, but once this is confirmed, during Chol Hamoed, emails will follow as to what our shul will be doing.**

**RABBI BANON'S BIBLE CLASS:** Rabbi Banon's Bible class will resume B'H on April 8th.

**BIRTHDAYS: HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to Jerry Segal who turns 82 on the first day of Passover, March 28. May you celebrate many more happy and healthy ones with your beshert Sephie, along with all your family and friends. Mazel tov, ad 120

**MAZALTOV: MAZAL TOV** to Jack Goldberg who became a first time grandfather with the arrival of beautiful Bria Rose Goldberg, born on March 9 in Halifax. Proud parents are Rebecca & Matthew Goldberg. May the entire mishpocha celebrate only simchas with the little one B'H.

**REFUAH SHLEMA: a)** A **REFUAH SHLEMA** to Rabbi Banon and his entire family, most of whom have had Covid-19 to varying degrees, and are slowly recovering B'H. The entire shul wishes them all a speedy recovery and for the Rabbi to return to shul as soon as it safe for the Rabbi to do so. **b)** And a **REFUAH SHLEMA** to all who are not well.

## Yahrzeits for the week of Mar 29 - Apr 4 / 16 - 22 Nissan

COMMON DATE	JEWISH DATE	MEMBER	FOR DECEASED	RELATION
Mar 30	Nissan 16	Luba Bosis	Malka Wulf z"l	mother
Apr 1	Nissan 19	Bernice Bernknopf	Max Solomon z"l	father
Apr 2	Nissan 20	Sonia Budner	Sam Budner z"l	brother in law
Apr 2	Nissan 20	Shaia Leibinger	Sam Budner z"l	brother in law
Apr 3	Nissan 21	Beatrice Duchoeny	Shia Finklein z"l	father
Apr 3	Nissan 21	Charlene Burak	Yisroel Turner z"l	father
Apr 3	Nissan 21	Amy Simon	Molly Simon z"l	grandmother
Apr 4	Nissan 22	Bernie Peroff	Lily Peroff z"l	mother
Apr 4	Nissan 22	Anne Byer	Freda z"l	mother in law

Any Young Israel member **MISSING** a Yahrzeit notice in the shul bulletin, please email the info directly to [therudys@videotron.ca](mailto:therudys@videotron.ca). Please provide full name in English (and Hebrew if possible) and the date of the Yahrzeit as well as relationship to YIC member. As soon as info is received, it will be forwarded to the shul office, or you can also email or phone in the info direct to the office if you prefer. **Note:** In the event a female member does not want her maiden name included in the weekly bulletin Yahrzeit notices - for possible security reasons - please advise the office, and we will make the appropriate change.

**STAY SAFE  
STAY HEALTHY  
STAY HOME**

*(But come to shul if you feel comfortable.  
Just check-in with the Rabbi, Issie, or the Office.)*

# Shul happenings this week in a nutshell:

**PLEASE NOTE:** Services in shul are limited to the first 25 people to arrive

## NOTES

- In Shul Services cancelled until Friday April 2nd
- This week's Monday morning shmoozaton moved to Tuesday - see below
- Start counting the Omar on Sunday night after Ma'ariv

Hopefully B'H we will have evening services as follows:

**Monday evening Mar 29th at 8:30 – on Zoom  
Ma'ariv services**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5131434099?pwd=bTI1d2dXNmVGKzdWU25IMkNrZnIRUT09>  
Meeting ID: 513 143 4099  
Password: 6812571

**Tuesday Mar 30th– at 10:30 AM via Zoom  
MONDAY MORNING Shmoozaton - on Tuesday this week**

<https://zoom.us/j/5807657815?pwd=c3o1cURXZ0JycjJ6THN4bjhvSXV1dz09>  
Meeting ID: 580 765 7815  
Passcode: 3508890

**Tuesday through Thursday Mar 30th through April 1st – at 7:00 PM via Zoom  
Mincha / Ma'ariv services every evening**

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Meeting ID: 513 143 4099  
Password: 6812571

**Wednesday Mar 31st - at 7:45 PM via Zoom  
INTERESTING PRESENTATION by SHELDON KAGAN**

**50 Years producing concerts, entertainment and corporate events**  
<https://zoom.us/j/5807657815?pwd=c3o1cURXZ0JycjJ6THN4bjhvSXV1dz09>  
Meeting ID: 580 765 7815  
Passcode: 3508890

**Thursday April 1st  
Rabbi Banon's Bible Class is cancelled this week**

**Friday Apr 2nd 7:10 PM  
Erev Shabbat Services in shul  
1st 25 people ONLY will be admitted**

**Saturday Apr 3rd - 9:00 AM  
Shabbat/Passover 7th day Services in shul  
1st 25 people ONLY will be admitted**

**Sunday Apr 4th - 9:00 AM  
Passover 8th day Services in shul  
1st 25 people ONLY will be admitted**

# PARSHAT HASHAVUA - WEEKLY TORAH PORTION

## Shvieve shel Pesach

*Shvieve Shel Pesach: Exodus 13:17 - 15:26*

*Shvieve Shel Pesach: Numbers 28:19-25*

*Shvieve Shel Pesach: Samuel II 22:1-51*

### Laws and Customs:

#### Torah Reading

On the Seventh Day of Passover we read how on this day the sea split for the Children of Israel and drowned the pursuing Egyptians, and the "Song at the Sea" sung by the people upon their deliverance (Exodus 13:17-15:26; full summary with commentary here).

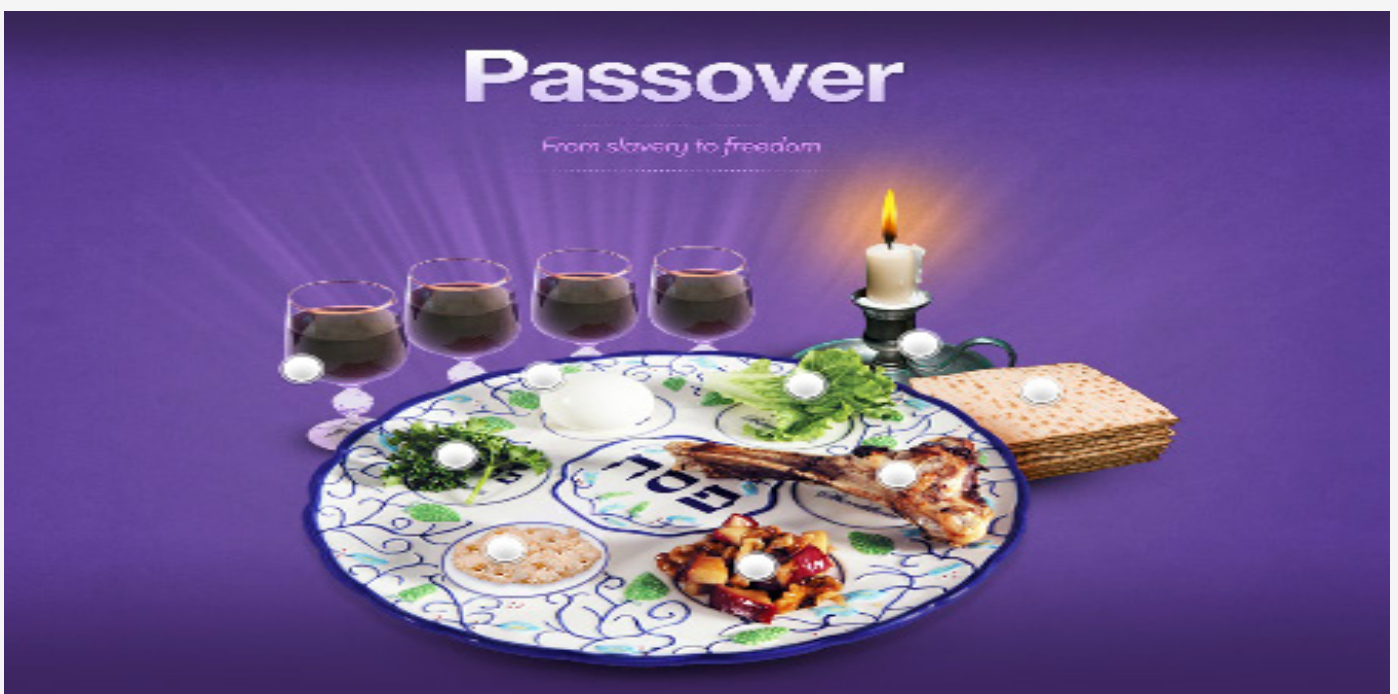
#### Partial Hallel

Unlike all the other festivals, only the abridged version of Hallel (Psalms 113-118, recited on special occasions in praise and thanksgiving to G-d) is said on the latter days of Passover. The reason for this is based on the Midrash which relates that when the Egyptians were drowning in the sea, the angels in heaven desired to sing; but G-d said to them: "The work of My hands is drowning in the sea, and you wish to sing?"

#### Count "Seven Days to the Omer" Tonight

Tomorrow is the seventh day of the Omer Count. Since, on the Jewish calendar, the day begins at nightfall of the previous evening, we count the omer for tomorrow's date tonight, after nightfall: "Today is seven days, which are one week, to the Omer." (If you miss the count tonight, you can count the omer all day tomorrow, but without the preceding blessing).

The 49-day "Counting of the Omer" retraces our ancestors' seven-week spiritual journey from the Exodus to Sinai. Each evening we recite a special blessing and count the days and weeks that have passed since the Omer; the 50th day is Shavuot, the festival celebrating the Giving of the Torah at Sinai.





**MEMORY LANE # 111 (EDITED)  
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PASSOVER 1995 EDITION**

**KALLAH FESTIVAL:**

Jewish institutions in the Montreal Area will be offering a variety of cultural and educational programs during the month of May for the "Kallah Festival" (May 1995). A listing of the times, dates, and locations of all programs will be offered in the "Kallah Catalogue", prepared by Federation CJA, and will be available at the end of April. It will be advertised in the media. Here is our schedule at the YIC.  
For further information contact Norman Fogel.

**Sunday, May 7 - 8:45 am:** Herzliah students who participated in the March of the Living will talk about their experiences. This will be preceded by services and breakfast.

**Sunday, May 7 - 7-8 pm:** Rabbi Berzon "The Meaning of Prayer"

**Wednesday, May 17 - 8:30 pm:** We celebrate Lag B'Omer, Shorashim Montreal, an Israeli folk dance group will give a performance. Refreshments will be served at 9:30

**Sunday, May 21 - 7-8 pm:** Rabbi Berzon "The Jewish Get"

**Sunday, May 28 - 8:45 am:** An intergenerational debate concerning Jewish youth will pit students from Herzliah against some of our adult members. This will be preceded by services and breakfast.

**Monday from 7-8 p.m** Rabbi Berzon - Parshat Hashavua: Bible class, weekly reading and at 8:15-9 pm Hebrew conversation with Rabbi Berzon  
Every Shabbat evening Rambam Class 1 hour before Mincha with Rabbi Berzon

**Shalosh Seudas Sponsors:**

March 25: Leona and Hy Sternfeld in honor of the birth of a Granddaughter

**Kiddish Sponsors:**

March 25: Rivka and Johnny Marmor and Doreen and Sammy Lisak

April 1: Bella and Marty Chorán

**Yasher Koach:**

To Perry Silverman for arranging a very successful Sunday Breakfast with Canadian Heritage Minister, Michel Dupuy on March 19.

To Hersh Grief for sponsoring Sunday breakfast on March 12

To Norman Fogel, Israel Liquornik, and Rebbetzin Bella Berzon for organizing events for the upcoming "Kallah Festival"

To Millie and Moe Zemel for sponsoring a breakfast on March 30 to honor the naming of their Grandchild

To Rivka and Johnny Marmor and Doreen and Sammy Lisak for sponsoring a beautiful sit-down Kiddish on March 25

**THANK YOU TO THE FOLLOWING SPONSORS OF THIS PASSOVER BULLETIN**

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**WE REGRET ANY ERRORS OR OMISSIONS**

*(**YASHIR KOACH** to Fred Rudy for providing us all with these memorable historical moments, which some of us may still remember!)*