



PARSHAS VAYIKRA

Rav Mordechai Kalatsky
March 22, 2024 | 12th Adar Bais, 5784

דָּבָר אֶל־בְּנֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל וְאָמַרְתָּ אֲלֵהֶם אָדָם כִּי יִקְרִיב מִכֶּם קָרְבָן לַיהוָה מִן־הַבְּהֵמָה מִן־הַבָּקָר וּמִן־הַצֹּאן תִּקְרְבוּ
אֶת־קִרְבָנְכֶם:
"WHEN A PERSON OF YOU BRINGS AN OFFERING TO HASHWM" (Vayikra 1:2)



Rabbi Hirsch commented on this verse: It is most regrettable that we have no word which really reproduces the idea which lies behind the expression karbon. The word sacrifice implies losing something of value for the benefit of another. The idea of a karbon is used exclusively with reference to man's relation to the Almighty, and its meaning can only be understood from its root karov, which means to approach and to come into close relationship with somebody.

One bringing a karbon desires a close relationship with Hashem. The purpose of this relationship is the attainment of a higher sphere of life as closeness to Hashem is the highest and truest form of "good." Consequently, true happiness is dependent on closeness to Hashem and one's happiness rises and falls according to his/her relationship with Hashem. When one feels close to Hashem one feels that everything in life is tailor made for success and development. With this attitude, even difficulties become easier to accept because there is a reason and goal behind them. We all willingly experience difficulties and hardship to achieve a desired goal; whether it be investing time at work or going to the gym and walking out shaking from the workout. When a person lives with the knowledge that Hashem is right beside him/her, hardships become workouts.

This week, let us take one minute every day to stop, and articulate a specific good in our lives and thank Hashem for all He does for us. This will lead to a greater closeness and happiness in our everyday lives!

Have an enlightening Shabbos!

Rabbi Kalatsky

ZMANIM

Friday March 22nd Parshas Vayikra

Shachris 7 AM

Mincha 7:15 PM CL 7:11 PM

Shabbos Parshas Vayikra/Shabbos Zachor

Shachris 8:45 AM

1st reading Parshas Zachor 10 AM

2nd reading Parshas Zachor after davening 11AM

3rd reading Parshas Zachor 6:25 PM

Mincha 6:55 PM

There will not be an official shalosh suedah at shul. There will be challah to wash. The Rav will give a shiur between mincha and maariv.

Shabbos ends 8:21 PM

Purim schedule

Maariv 8:30 PM

Megillah reading 8:40 PM

Purim Day Sunday March 24th

Shachris Vasikin 6:45 AM

1st Megillah Reading 7:20 AM

2nd Megillah reading 10:30 AM

Mincha 1:50 PM

There will be a siyum at the Rav's house 2:30 PM

Monday- Thursday March 25th-28th

Shachris 7 AM

Mincha/Maariv 7:15 PM

Friday March 29th

Shachris 7 AM

Mincha/Maariv 7:20 PM

COMMUNITY NEWS



PURIM 5784

SCHEDULE

- 5:00 PM Doors open. Children's programming begins
- 5:15 PM Washing and first course
- 5:45 PM Second course/buffet open
- 7-8 PM Dancing and dessert

LIVE MUSIC

FACE PAINTING

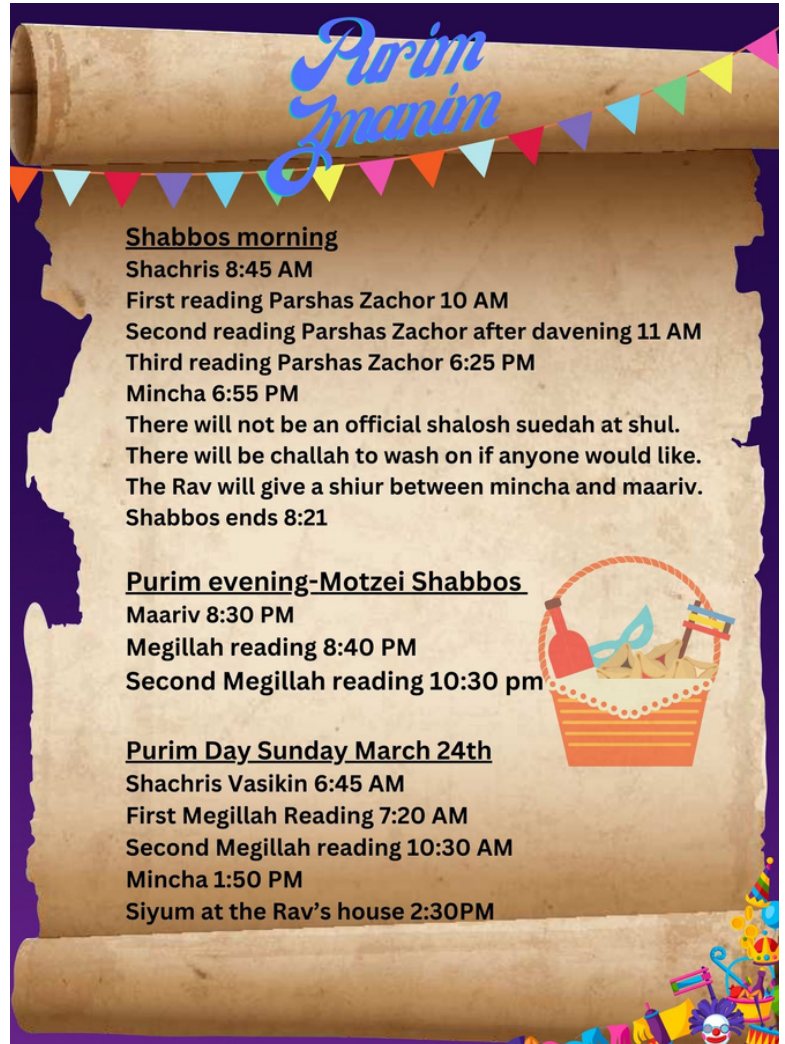
BALLOON MAKING

DRUM LIGHT GAME

CRAFTS AND MORE

PRICES

MEMBERS	NON-MEMBERS
ADULT \$25	ADULT \$29
11 YRS. AND UP \$20	11 YRS. AND UP \$24
UNDER 11 YRS. \$13	UNDER 11 YRS. \$15



Purim Maaniv

Shabbos morning
 Shachris 8:45 AM
 First reading Parshas Zachor 10 AM
 Second reading Parshas Zachor after davening 11 AM
 Third reading Parshas Zachor 6:25 PM
 Mincha 6:55 PM
 There will not be an official shalosh suedah at shul.
 There will be challah to wash on if anyone would like.
 The Rav will give a shiur between mincha and maariv.
 Shabbos ends 8:21

Purim evening-Motzei Shabbos
 Maariv 8:30 PM
 Megillah reading 8:40 PM
 Second Megillah reading 10:30 pm

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 Shachris Vasikin 6:45 AM
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**Purim Seudah
Volunteers Needed**

[We are currently looking for volunteers to come help with the Purim set-up!](#)

We need help with :

- Moving Furniture
- Setting Tables
- Decoration

Location : At the Shul

Date: March 23rd
Motzei Shabbos/Saturday night
9:30pm - 10:30 pm

**Thank you!
RSVP to office
below please**



MINNEAPOLIS

שבית של מיד תשכד

שבת פרשת שמיני
ד'ה' ניסן
APRIL 12-13

WITH THE PARTICIPATION OF
HARAV HAGAON
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ר"מ דשיבת מיר ירושלים

DETAILS TO FOLLOW

YESHIVA: M.B. YEZUSIA, 67M 5227 New Utrecht Avenue, Brooklyn, New York 11219

HALACHA

Generally kiddush is recited at the table at which the meal will be eaten, in accordance with the requirement of kiddush bemakom seudah. Eating within four amos of the place where kiddush is recited is considered kiddush bemakom seudah. Preferably, one should not recite Kiddush in one part of the room and then decide to go to a different part of the room. If one has in mind at the time of kiddush to change location in the same room you can change places.

At a kiddush in shul, men often recite kiddush for their wife and then go to a different part of the room. Preferably they should have in mind during kiddush to eat in a different place. If they did not they may still change locations if it is difficult to eat where they are.

KIDDUSH

**Kiddush Sponsorships are still available for this week.
Contact Sid Usem.**



MAZEL TOV

**Mazel Tov to Jone & Ayelet Skapino
on their marriage!
Mazel tov to Mordechai & Myriam
Skapino!**



KI KID'S CORNER



Remember to tell
your kids to call
the hotline so
they can
participate in this
week's Derech
Eretz challenge!



SHIURIM



Wednesdays 9am - Mesilas Yescharim (R. Kalatsky)

Thursdays 8pm- Jewish Concepts (R. Kalatsky)

Thursdays 9:15pm – Mishmar (R. Kalatsky)

Shabbos 8:15am – Parenting (John Ghermezian)

Shabbos-New Relevant Halacha Shailos
with Rabbi Kalatsky 15 minutes before
mincha

Shabbos Daf Yomi – 1 hour before Mincha
(Zevi Segal)

Shabbos Nesivos Shalom - 50 minutes before
Mincha – (Sender Russel)

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