

KI BULLETIN



PARSHAS BEHAR BECHUKOSAI

Rav Mordechai Kalatsky
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"AND WHEN YOU SELL ANYTHING TO YOUR FELLOW MAN OR BUY FROM YOUR FELLOW MAN, YOU SHALL NOT CHEAT ONE ANOTHER." (Vayikra 25:14)

Seforno comments that Hashem is the creator of the buyer and seller and does not want either one to cheat the other.

When selling something to another person or when buying something from someone, if you have in mind that the creator of the universe is his G-d you will be careful to not deceive him. If the son of a king or emperor of a powerful nation would purchase something or sell something to you, you would be extremely careful not to take advantage of him. Whether the reason is that you respect his father or the fear of retribution of getting caught, you would not even attempt to deceive him. This should be our attitude in dealing with other people. Hashem is our father and commands us to be honest with His children.

For this week we should find an opportunity to go out of our way to help someone in their business. Whether it be advice, a lead, a connection or sharing ideas. This shows how much we care about our brothers and sisters.

Have a meaningful Shabbos!

Rabbi Kalatsky

ZMANIM

Friday Erev Shabbos Parshas Behar-Bechukosai, May 8

Shacharis 7 AM

Early Mincha 6:40 PM, Early CL 6:56-7:05 PM Reg CL 8:09 PM

Shabbos May 9

Shacharis 8:45 AM

Mincha 7:50 PM

Shabbos over 9:19 PM

Sunday May 10

Learning 8:00 AM

Shacharis 8:45 AM

Mincha/Maariv 8:15 PM

Monday-Thursday May 11-14

Shacharis 7 AM

Mincha/Maariv 8:15 PM

Friday Erev Shabbos Parshas Bamidbar, May 15

Shacharis 7 AM

Early Mincha 6:45 PM, Early CL 7:02-7:10 PM Regular CL 8:17 PM

COMMUNITY NEWS

ב"ה

*An Evening of Women's
Wellness & Inspiration*

with
DR. ARIELLA ALTMAN
Surgical Oncologist; Allina Health

featuring Guest Speaker
CHARLENE AMINOFF
Internationally renowned speaker and cancer survivor,
inspiring women across the globe with messages of faith,
strength and purpose.

New Date: *Sunday, May 17*

Doors open: 7:00pm Program begins: 7:30pm
at Chabad Center for Jewish Life - Minnetonka

Dessert Refreshments
RSVP Requested
www.ChabadMinneapolis.com/wellness

Admission: No cost
Sponsorships available - VIP reception: \$360

FILL THE FREEZER

FOR OUR COMMUNITY AND BIKUR CHOLIM

Join us for a meaningful evening of cooking and connection as we prepare meals that help to care for our community. Our goal is to stock a freezer with high quality, ready-to-eat meals for times when an extra helping hand makes a difference.

Upcoming Events:

May 13th
Bais Yisroel

Jun 15th
Keneseth Israel

*Dates subject to change






For more information contact Raizy Gross 908.783.1100



טענות ורוא

Shabbos with the Kollel
עם נכבד
HaRav Henschel Shachar שליט"א



Parshas Behar-Bechukosai
May 8-9

WITH GRATITUDE TO HASHEM
WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN US
FOR A KIDDUSH IN HONOR OF OUR
DAUGHTER/GRANDDAUGHTER

Tehilla

PARSHAS BEHAR
MAY 9TH
KIDDUSH FOLLOWING DAVENING
AT KENESETH ISRAEL

SHIMSHY & ESTHER MENDELSON
AARON & MIRIAM MENDELSON
MARK & JULY SHERMAN

WITH GRATITUDE TO HASHEM
WE WOULD LIKE TO INFORM YOU OF THE

BRIS

OF OUR DEAR SON/GRANDSON
SHABBOS PARSHAS BEHAR/BECHUKOSAI, MAY 9TH
SHACHARIS AT 8:30 • BRIS AT 11:00
CONGREGATION BAIS YISROEL
4221 SUNSET BOULEVARD • ST LOUIS PARK, MN

AVIGDOR AND SHAYNIE GOLDBERGER
RABBI BINYOMIN AND DENA FRIEDMAN
RABBI MENASHE AND RANDEE GOLDBERGER

MAZEL TOV

Mazel Tov to Rabbi Avigdor & Shaynee Goldberger on the birth of a baby boy. The Shalom Zachar will be 9:30 pm at their home, 2650 Raleigh Ave. The Bris will IY"H be Shabbos at Bais Yisroel at 11:00 am.

Mazel Tov to Elimelech & Sarale Heisler on the birth of a boy! Mazel Tov to the grandparents Rabbi Yosef & Renee Heisler!

Mazel tov to Henry and Maxine Goldman on the birth of a baby boy! Mazel tov to the grandparents Simon and BJ Goldman!



HALACHA

Just as Shabbos is ushered in with honor, so too it must be escorted out with honor. Therefore, when Havdalah is made, all participants should ideally be wearing their Shabbos clothes, and the table should be covered with a Shabbos tablecloth.

The Chachamim write that any home in which wine is not poured like water does not have a sign of beracha. Therefore, in order to begin the new week with a good omen, it is customary to fill the cup until some wine runs over, or at least to fill it to the brim so that some will inevitably spill when the cup is lifted.

The Havdalah cup must hold at least 3.3 fluid ounces in order to be considered a kosher cup.

There are various customs regarding what to do during Havdalah. Some stand throughout the entire Havdalah. Some sit throughout the entire Havdalah. Others stand while reciting the opening verses and then sit down before reciting the bracha of Hagafen.

RELEVANT HALACHA SHAILOS-GIVEN BY THE RAV AFTER MINCHA ON SHABBOS DURING THE LEARNING SEDER

The Tzvah Of Rav Yehuda Hachassid

KIDDUSH



Kiddush is sponsored by the Sherman & Mendelson Families in honor of their daughter/granddaughter Tehilla.

Shalosh Seudos is sponsored by Blair Jonas in memory of his father's 10th Yahrzeit. Pesach Ben Erich.



KI KID'S CORNER

WHERE TO THIS WEEK?
 WHATS THE MIDDOS CHALLENGE?
 I WANT TO HEAR THE KI KIDS SONG!
 +MORE




**KI KIDS
 HOTLINE**
 5 4 5 4 3 7
 Dial 541-8KI-KIDS

**KI
 SMS-text
 group**



We have created a GroupMe group for people who don't have WhatsApp but want KI updates and Zmanim via SMS text.

Attention Minneapolis!



**KIPPAH
 KONECTION**
 We've got you covered!

Devorah Connor
 845.558.2474
 2907 Ottawa Ave
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Solid, Color, Pattern
 Velvet, Cotton, Linen,
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 All kippahs \$10

Tzitzis
in minneapolis

Call or text Rabbi & Mrs. Mandelbaum 732.927.3746
 WE CARRY CHILDREN'S AND MEN'S SIZES

pricing

KIDS SIZES	TIBEN		T-SHIRT	
	THIN	T-SHIRT	THICK	T-SHIRT
2-7	\$12	\$13		
8-12	\$20	\$16		
13-18	\$25	\$18		
19-24	\$25	\$19		
25-30	\$27	\$19		
31-36	\$27	\$19		

Tzitzis are available upon request to order.



SHIURIM



Wednesdays 9am - Chovos Halevovos-Rabbi Kalatsky

Shabbos 8:15am - Parenting-John Ghermejian

Shabbos- Pirkei Avos 35 minutes before Mincha

Shabbos-Relevant Halacha Shailos with Rabbi Kalatsky 10 minutes after mincha

Shabbos Daf Yomi - 50 minutes before Mincha Zevi Segal

Shabbos Nesivos Shalom - 50 minutes before Mincha

JOIN ARUD HAYOM AS IT BEGINS

Masechta Yuma

Beginning on Wednesday, April 29th / 12 Iyar.

Daily shiur given by
Rabbi Eli Markowitz
 Location: Congregation Keneseth Israel

Time: Shiur at 6:35 AM, followed by Shacharis at 7:00

For more information or to join, contact: Rabbi El Markowitz: 347-433-0347

Learn the Sugyos.
 Live the Avodah.



Let's Make Kiddush @ KI

Upgrade - \$550 member (15% off for plus member)
\$600 non-member

Cholent	Choice of 1: Beef Jerky, Turkey
Potato Kugel	Shawarma, Salami Tray, or Pastrami**
Herring	Veggies & Dip
Crackers	Grapes
Cakes	Hummus
Sodas	Water

Standard - \$360 member (15% off for plus member)
\$400 non-member

Cholent	Cakes	Please reach out to Sid Usem at (651) 253-1099 for sponsorship opportunities and/or kiddush package changes
Potato Kugel	Sodas	
Herring	Water	
Crackers		

Sponsor a Shalosh Seudos

\$215 member
\$250 non-member

Challah Rolls	1 Lettuce salad
Dips	Cakes
Chips	Sodas
Popcorn	Water
Tuna	Fruit
1 Vegetable salad	

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