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SHABBOS MINYANIM

Hadlokas Neiros:	7:01
Early Mincha	5:45
Plag HaMincha	6:01
Mincha/KabolasShabbos:	7:10
Shkiya:	7:21
Shacharis:	8:30
Sof Zman k"sh:	9:39
Mincha:	6:55
Shkiya:	7:22
Maariv:	8:17

WEEKLY MINYANIM

Shacharis:
Sun, Tues, Wed, Fri:
(first minyan): 6:00 am,
Mon and Thur: 5:50

6:30 am, 7:00 am,
7:30 am, 8:00 am, **8:30 am**
Mincha:
1:45, 6:00,
Sun: 7:08, **Mon:** 7:09, **Tues:**
7:10, **Wed:** 7:11, **Thur:** 7:12

Maariv:
Immediately following last
Mincha, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00,
9:30, 10:00 10:30, 11:00
Maariv every 1/2 hour

Bein HaZmanim
From **March 13-April 10** there will be an **8:30 Shacharis minyan**

WEINSCHNEIDER TORAH SERIES

Rabbi Yisroel Reisman
Motzei Shabbos
at the Chicago Center
Showing at 9:00PM repeat at 10:00 PM

Tues with Rifkie

Sr. Women's Program
March 12
Join Rifkie at the Park Plaza
Lecture about Memorial Day in Israel
If you or someone you know would like a full calendar of events, please call 773-761-4005 or email: office@thechicagocenter.org

SPOTLIGHT ON CHICAGO CENTER

Over this past Pesach, the **Chicago Center** amply demonstrated how it is a **center** for Torah, Tefilla and Chesed!

The beautiful sounds of Torah were heard throughout our Community Bais Medrash at the **Pre-Pesach and Chol Hamoed Learning Program.**

Boys joined daily to learn together.

It was great way to begin Yom Tov and each day of *Chol HaMoed!* On Sunday morning the program culminated with a grand raffle, when several boys excitedly won prizes of sets of *seforim*, and an electric scooter.

On Thursday *Chol HaMoed*, we were privileged to hear **HoRav HaGaon Avrohom Bromberg, shlit"a** Rosh HaYeshiva of Yeshivas Sha'ar HaTalmud, Lakewood' who presented a fascinating *shiur* on **Chametz and Matzah** to an overflow crowd.

The frequent *minyanim* at our Minyan Center gave ample opportunities for Chicagoans and guests to daven with a *minyan*.

Close to \$25,000 was raised for *Maos Chitim* providing relief to **many families** this Pesach!!

Refoenu Taxi Cards were put to use. **Helping Hands** provided cleaning services that were urgently needed- before Yom Tov, and during Chol HaMoed.



MAZEL TOV

Births:

A special Mazel Tov to HoRav and Rebetzin Yehoshua Eichenstein on the birth of a granddaughter, born to Rabbi and Mrs. Meir Yitzchok Horowitz.

- Mrs. Dina Ehrlich on the birth of a grandson, born to Yaffa and Simcha Geller.
- Mr. and Mrs. Mordechai Gold on the birth of a daughter. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Krinsky, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gold and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sonenshein and great-grandmother, Mrs. Rose Gold Krupnick.
- Rabbi and Mrs. Shlomo Greenspan on the birth of a grandson, born to Zecharya and Chani Greenspan of Lakewood.
- Dr. and Mrs. Zvi Krinsky on the birth of their granddaughter, born to Zehava and Dani Ungar of Detroit
- Mr. and Mrs. Jack Maryles on the birth of a great-grandson born to Yoni and Aviva Maryles
- Rabbi and Mrs. Aryeh L. Raitzik on the birth of a great granddaughter, born to Moshe and Rochel Sorscher of Israel.
- Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Rokach on the birth of their daughter. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Rabbi and Mrs. Avraham Rokach and Rabbi and Mrs. Shlomo Cohen and to the great-grandparents, Mrs. Tamar Kacev, Reverend and Mrs. Aaron Cohen and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Siegal.
- Mr. and Mrs. Ari Shulman on the birth of a granddaughter, born to Zahava and Aryeh Scheinbaum.

- Mr. and Mrs. Ari Strulowitz on the birth of a son. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Rabbi and Mrs. Elisha Prero and Mr. and Mrs. David Strulowitz and to the great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dordek.
- Mr. and Mrs. Menachem Wolf on the birth of a daughter. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Rabbi and Mrs. Michael Glassenberg and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wolf. Mazel Tov to the great-grandmother, Mrs. Elise Glassenberg.

Bar Mitzvah:

- Mr. and Mrs. Heshe Basch on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Michael Simcha.
- Mr. and Mrs. Jack Maryles and Mrs. Claire Schultz on the Bar Mitzvah of their grandson, Moshe Schultz, son of Sandy and Levi Schultz.

Engagements:

- Mr. and Mrs. Renan Sugarman, Mr. Mitch Dayan and Elizabeth Richman on the engagement of their children, Yaakov and Ariel. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mory Friedman.

Weddings:

- Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gibber on the upcoming marriage of their daughter, Tova, to Shlomie Kammer.
- Mrs. Paula Myers on the upcoming marriage of her daughter, Chani, to Avromi Silver. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mrs. Lorraine Beraha and Mr. Martin Myers.
- Rabbi and Mrs. Binyomin Olstein on the recent marriage of their son, Tuvia, to Sara Oelbaum.
- Mr. and Mrs. Mordecai Tessler on the upcoming marriage of their son, Netanel, to Aliza Eisenberger. Mazel Tov to the grandfather, Mr. Rudolph Tessler.

CONDOLENCES

- Mrs. Margaret Aronin on the loss of her brother, *Mr. Erwin Frand, a"h*. Shiva is through Monday morning at 6308 N. Monticello. Shiva hours are 10:30am-9 pm. The family requests no visitors between 12:30-1:30 pm and 5-6 pm.
- Mrs. Rosylyn Pressner, Mr. Aron Pressner, Mr. Stan Pressner, and Mrs. Ronna Wolf on the loss of their husband and father, *Mr. Lawrence Pressner, a"h*.

"HaMakom Yenachem Eschem B'soch Sh'ar Aveilei Tzion V'Yerushalayim"

REFUAH SHELAIMA

Every Rosh Chodesh we recreate our refuah sheleima list. Please let us know if a name should be included.

Shalom Ahron Menashe ben Chaya Esther (AM Brand), **Shalom Daniel ben Leah** (Daniel Ray), **Avrohom Gershon ben Tzipa** (Avi Karesh), **Aharon ben Sarah Henya** (Dr. Edward Gelerinter), **Mordechei ben Miriam** (Martin Smith), **Raphael Zakkai Avrohom ben Yakira Avigael** (Sari Goldstein's nephew), **Chaim Michael ben Esther Bayla** (Rabbi Chaim Wax), **Zisha ben Sara** (Mr. Saul Rosen), **Dov ben Sarah** (Bernard Spak), **Reuven Moshe ben Sarah** (Cantor Ruben Cooper), **Yerachmiel ben Malka Faiga** (Bob Stein), **Yosef ben Rus** (Yossi Kalter), **Moshe Tzvi ben Rochel Leah** (brother of Yosi Applebaum and Miriam Wainhaus), **Gedalya ben Sara Freida** (Gilbert Gertzfeld)

Chaya Menucha Brocha bas Elana (Levine), **Daphna Yael bas Rivka** (Renee Krinsky granddaughter), **Perel Elka bas Sarah** (Pearl Gelerinter), **Yehudis bas Chaya** (Geri Wexler) **Batsheva bas Masha** (Beth Gottlieb), **Alte Sora Freyda bas Ruchoma Aidel Roiza Shoshana** (Sora Gluck), **Yakira Yehudit bas Masha** (daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Avi Lerer), **Miriam Orit bas Devora** (daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moshe Isenberg), **Yakira Arielle bas Rivka Rachel** (daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremy Amster), **Sema bas Leah** (Sema Menorah), **Malka Rivka bas Ita Rachel** (Michele Wolgel Rose), **Chana bas Chava** (mother of Sue Klein), **Raizel Shoshana bas Menya** (mother of Breana Freid), **Ester Rachel bas Gitel Bracha** (Elsa Macks), **Fiegel Raizel bas Chaya Sara** (Fay Zelman), **Batya Emunah bas Bracha Chaya** (Deana Simon's granddaughter), **Ilana bas Sara** (Ellen Levine), **Udy bas Chava** (Mrs. Adele Cherrick), **Batsheva bas Devorah Dusha** (Batsheva Stern)

HASHOVAS AVEIDA

Lost:

- Keys with small compass attached. Please call 773-764-9363.
- A blue girl's hair bow with the letter R in "diamonds" on the last day of Pesach somewhere on Touhy. If you found it please call 773-814-0588 or 773-491-8396.

Found:

- A blue Tallis bag with the name "Eli Steinmetz" inside. 773-909-4870.
- Black kippah srugah found at entrance to 2 N. Riverside Plaza. Please call 773-704-4680
- Is your name Shalom Nachman? Are you missing a "pocket" siddur? Please call 847-456-2698.
- Child's animal-style winter hat found Chol Ha Moed/Erev Shabbos by California and Coyle. Yehudah (773) 262-4816.
- A sefer on Maseches Kidushin was left at the Illinois Bone & Joint on Peterson. Please call Rabbi Cohen, 773-262-5413

YAD L'YAD SERVICES

Needed:

- Looking for a large 2 or 3 bedroom in West Rogers Park. Looking to move in May. Please contact Jennie at 718-578-0394 with any offers.
- Someone traveling to Lakewood who is able to take a child's jacket that was left behind in Chicago. Please call 773-764-5322.
- For a way to transfer tape cassettes to mp3, please call [773-764-9363](tel:773-764-9363)

Needed:

- A washing machine and dryer in working condition. Please call 773-973-2835.

Available:

- A 33 x 22 inch, Sterling/Kohler, stainless steel, (Pesachdige) sink . Please call 847-329-1612.

J O B C O N N E C T I O N S

Seeking Employment:

- **Full time babysitter available** for summer and upcoming school year. Reasonable rates. references upon request. For more information please call 773-465-7857

C O M M U N I T Y S E R V I C E A N N O U N C E M E N T

The next distribution of fruits and vegetables for the Rogers Park Produce Program will be on April 10, 2013 at Warren Park –6601 N. Western Ave (parking lot) 9:30 am–11:30 am

R E F O E N U H E A L T H C A R E

Crohns & Colitis Foundation is presenting a Patient Education Conference on **Sunday** April 21st, at the Holiday Inn Skokie, 5300 W Touhy, to accommodate the Jewish community. For more information call 847-827-0404. Presenters include Dr. David Rubin, Dr. Anelka LoSavio, and Dr. Eugene Yen, who will discuss the latest research and recommendations for treatment of IBD. Pre-registration required at

www.ccfa.org/chapters/illinois.

For more information about Jewish Chicago Crohns & Colitis Group call 773-793-3646. The admission fee can be waived with financial need.

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CAPS MEETING

The **April 2013 CAPS meetings** for the area bounded by Peterson, Howard, Ridge, and Kedzie will take place on **Thursday, April 11, at 7:00 PM**. Meeting for Beat 2411 (north of Pratt): please contact caps2411.meetings@gmail.com for information. Meeting for Beats 2412 and 2413 (south of Pratt): Green Briar Park, 2650 W. Peterson. Representatives of the Chicago Police Department will be present to listen to citizen concerns. It is important that as many members of the community attend as possible.

INSULATION/AIR SEALING REBATE PROGRAM

BREAKING NEWS for our existing insulation customers and all area homeowners. As of 2013, a new Illinois energy rebate program is in place that grants an **INSTANT \$1750 REBATE** (70% of the total cost) for air sealing and weatherization measures to make your home more comfortable and energy efficient. This rebate is available even if your home was insulated during the previous rebate program. **Contact Steinhardt Builders at 773-516-4766 or info@steinhardtbuilders.com** for more.

YIDIOS KLALIYOS PROGRAM

Attention all **Yedios Klaliyos Participants!** Remember - this **Sunday, April 7th at 3:00** is the first test in the inaugural Yedios Klaliyos Program, a system-wide competition for ATT students in grades 5-8 on the Level 1 Study Booklet at the ATT Building, 2828 W. Pratt. Enter through the main entrance. Room #s will be posted in the foyer. **Be sure to bring a #2 pencil with you. See you on the 7th!**



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SHAIMOS COLLECTION

Agudath Israel of Illinois will be having a **post-Pesach Shaimos Collection on Sunday, April 14th** at the Wi-Fi Tech Center (**not** the Wi-Fi building) 7532 N. St. Louis (just south of Howard) from 1:00 – 3:00 pm. Cost is based upon volume. All shaimos must be well wrapped/taped in sturdy bags and/or boxes. Condensing your shaimos and only packing things that are definitely shaimos – saves you money. **For additional information please call 773.315.7255.**

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WANTED: LEFTOVER PESACH FOOD

Don't throw out your leftover Pesach food! Chicago Chesed Fund is now accepting all unopened kosher-for-Pesach food products, including matzah, grape juice, potato starch, matza meal, cake mixes, candy and chocolate. Box or bags your items and drop them off at our warehouse, **7045 N. Ridgeway in Lincolnwood, Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., and Fridays until 1 p.m.**

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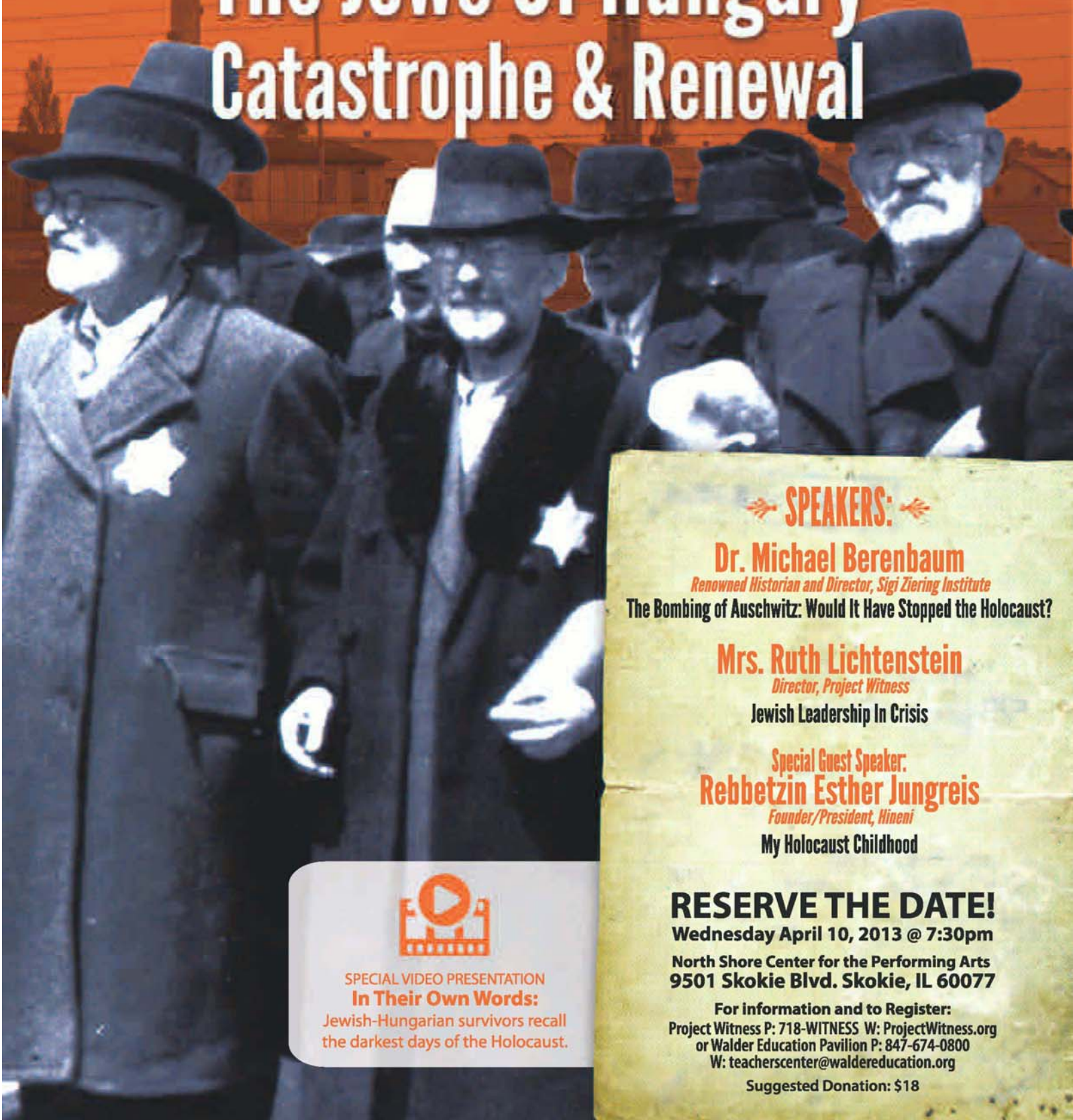


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The Jews Of Hungary Catastrophe & Renewal



SPEAKERS:

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For information and to Register:

Project Witness P: 718-WITNESS W: ProjectWitness.org

or Walder Education Pavilion P: 847-674-0800

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Suggested Donation: \$18



Food \$ense is a 4 week program to address these questions and more.

Week 1: Thursday, April 11

Healthy eating on a budget.

Week 2: Thursday, April 18

Grocery shopping for nutrient dense food on a budget.

Week 3: Thursday, April 25

Healthy meals and snacks with a cooking demonstration.

Week 4: Thursday, May 2

Benefits Review: Are you getting all the benefits that you are eligible to receive?

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