



Shabbat Parshat Bereishit | Shabbat Mevarchim Chodesh Cheshvan

Schedule of Services

Friday Night

Candle Lighting:

6:09 pm

Mincha

6:15 pm

Shabbat

Shacharit

7:00 am—Main Shul

7:50 am—Social Hall

9:15 am—Main Shul

9:30 am—Teen Minyan (Beit Midrash)

Mincha

5:55pm—Main Shul

Maariv

7:11 pm—Main Shul

Shabbat Ends

7:16 pm

Shema Times

9:17 am MGA; 9:53 am GRA

Weekly Schedule

Shacharit

1st day Rosh Chodesh

Sun 6:20 am, 8:00 am, 9:00 am

2nd day Rosh Chodesh (Fed Holiday)

Mon. 5:45am, 6:25am, 7:00am

Tues. 5:55 am, 6:40 am, 7:20 am

Wed. 5:55 am, 6:40am, 7:20am

Thurs. 5:50am, 6:30 am, 7:10am

Fri. 5:55 am, 6:40 am, 7:20 am

Mincha/Maariv

Sun. –Thurs. 6:05 pm

Next Erev Shabbat

Candle Lighting 5:58 pm

Mincha and Maariv 6:05 pm

The Molad for Chodesh Cheshvan will be Sunday 10/11 9:43 am + 2 chalakim

The 7:50 minyan kiddush is sponsored by:

The family of Rose Kenter in honor of Rabbi Eliyahu Kaufman and Rabbi Meir Lipschitz, for their kindness on the passing of Rose Kenter this summer.
We also thank the community for their support.

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- Rabbi Eliyahu and Debby Kaufman – need in honor of the amazing ladies of the kiddush committee
- David and Martha Hendler In honor the OE community and Sukkot
- Rabbi Neal and Fay Ginsberg to commemorate the Yahrzeit of Neal's mother, Mrs. Leah Ginsberg, ז"ל on 24 Tishrei.
- Lilah and Eddie Braun in honor of the yahrzeits of Lilah's grandmother and grandfathers Mrs. Baila Rochel Schwartz, ז"ל and Mr. Todross Spiegelman, ז"ל and the yahrzeits of Eddie's uncles Mr. Paul Mandel, ז"ל and Mr. Meir Michael Mandel, ז"ל
- Marilyn and Yehuda Berger in commemoration of the yahrzeit of Yehuda's uncle, ז"ל on the first day of Sukkot.
- Ken and Naomi Shlian in memory of Ken's mother, Mrs. Evelyn Shlian, ז"ל on the occasion of her 30th yahrzeit that falls on Simchat Torah
- Rabbi Alan and Jacqueline Pruss in honor of their wonderful and caring family and the help from everyone in the community
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- Neal and Breindy Pomper as Chassan Bereshis for the main minyan
- Mark and Dr. Rivka Kaplow
- Jeff and Dr. Michelle Wilks
- Rich and Sue Kollmar in commemoration of various yahrzeits.
- Dr. Howard and Rena Blau
- Michael and Esther Reiss
- Anonymous

Rabbi Eliyahu Kaufman will give a shiur between Mincha & Maariv

in sefer Minchat Chinuch an in depth analysis of mitzvos: מצות הבאת ביכורים

This week at OE

Shabbat Giborim Shabbat October 10th

We will join communities across the world in honoring the more than 1100 Israeli heroes who have fallen since October 7th 2023 through tefillah and torah learning

Coming up at OE

Peace of Mind – Shabbat October 24th

Help us welcome this year's Highland Park/Edison Peace of Mind Soldiers to Ohav Emeth and show our appreciation for their service and sacrifice.

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nshei-oe@ohavemeth.org

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	Daf Yomi is available in person with Rafie Miller. S— 7:00 AM M-F—5:05 AM Shabbat after 7:50 AM Minyan			
Shabbat	9:00-9:30 AM R. Tzvi Weiss Insights of the Netziv on the Netziv on the Parsha—Beit Midrash. (After Hashkama minyan)			
Sun.	9:00 AM R. Botnick	10:00 AM R’ Eichenstein’s Tefilla For Women: at Aguda . Please text Nechama at 347-909-2755 to confirm.		7:30 pm R’Klaughaupt. Conference call
Mon	10AM - 12 PM R’Hoff Kollel Balabatim -Maseches Shabbos	Tefillah Shiur : First Monday of the month Rebbetzin Eichenstein’s Parsha For Women at OT Please text Nechama at 347-909-2755 to confirm.		
Tues	9:15 AM Miri Cohen: Parsha For Women: For location/zoom link, please contact Leah at 917-763-1848	11 AM-12:30PM R’ Hoff, Kollel Balabatim -Mishna Ohalos	1:30PM- 2:20PM R’ Kaufman’s shiur For Men and Women:	8:00PM: Women: Dr. Presby: Pele Yoetz (a combination of halacha and mussar shiur). On hiatus. By phone in the future
Wed	10AM - 12 PM R’ Hoff - Kollel Balabatim Maseches Shabbos	12:00 PM: Men/women: Dr. Presby, Eicha via conference call. Dial in #605-475-6333. Access code 9017189. To mute	7:00 PM Rabbi Ziegler In person or on the phone # 667-770-1464 access code 491247	
Thur	11 AM - 12:30PM R’ Hoff - Kollel Balabatim—Mishna Ohalos		8:00 PM Men: Dr. Presby’s shiur on Megillah On hiatus. By phone in the future via conference call. Dial in #605-475-6333. Access code 9017189. To mute *6 Note: please contact Dr. Presby at 732-925-4828	
Fri	10AM - 12 PM R’ Hoff - Kollel Balabatim Maseches Shabbos			
Shab	3:00 PM Men/Women: Dr. Presby—Nach. At the Presby home, 467 Lincoln Ave. HP			
	Kollel Balabatim Zoom information: M, W, F Meeting ID: 836 5534 9442 Passcode: 152673 Direct Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83655349442?pwd=eHN3ZFA1N3liUWw3WE1QaGZOQnpBZz09			
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	Israel Inspiration Initiative. Rabbi Bloom Podcasts Israel Inspiration Initiative - YouTube			

General Information

Mon-Fri: 9:00 am—1:00 pm. Phone: 732-247-3038,

Email: office@ohavemeth.org

- If you would like to be added to the OE phone or email list or to put business cards or flyers on the cork board please contact the office
- For information to place in the announcements please email the office by Wednesday morning except for life-cycle events.



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The alley door is only for those individuals who are not able to enter the Shul through the parking lot doors.

For additional security information feel free to contact any member of the OE Safety and Security Committee or call Jonathan Gotlib 908-380-5122. Good Shabbos.



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Tribute Cards Tribute cards are available from OE for Mazel Tov, Refua Sheleima, and Condolences. Just \$5.00 each. Contact Sue Kollmar to purchase susanak613@gmail.com

Locker Rentals Available. Lockers are just \$100 per year. Contact office@ohavemeth.org for details.

Highland Park/Edison

Rabbi Eli Reisman will be speaking for men and women on Diversity and Divergence in Observance. It will be on *Shabbos day, October 10*, Parshas Bereishis, at 5:05 pm at Khal Chassidim, 46 N. 8th Avenue. Topics will include: The history of machlokes and divergence in psak, Community and family minhagim in halacha, Are Ashkenazim required to switch to Sefardic minhagim in Israel.

For more information contact Marsha Eiserman at [347-203-7906](tel:347-203-7906).

Remembering October 7: Q&A with A Lone Soldier in the Gaza War.

Join The Jewish Community Forum of Raritan Valley on *Saturday night, October 10 at 8:30pm, at RPRY* when Ira Kohler, author of "Once a Paratrooper", in a Q&A Session with New Jersey Jewish Link Middlesex County Editor Harry Glazer, shares a firsthand account of his service as a lone soldier in the IDF Paratroopers on October 7th and throughout the Gaza War. Ira offers a powerful reflection on service, identity, and the lasting impact of war. The location will be announced soon.

Ira Kohler served in the IDF's 890th Battalion of the Paratrooper Brigade. Serving as a Lone Soldier, Ira enlisted in January of 2022. On October 7th, he found himself in the heart of Israel's hardest battles as he fought in Kibbutz Be'eri. From there, Ira went on to serve over 100 days inside the Gaza Strip. Upon completing his service, Ira moved back to the United States and became a noted public speaker.

The talk can be viewed online using this link: <https://tinyurl.com/5eu83ebx>

For more information about the Jewish Community Forum of Raritan Valley go to www.jcforumrv.org

Book Club is Starting a New Book

The Hadassah book club will next meet on *Sunday, October 11 at 1:00 p.m.* at a private home. This is a good time to join as we will be starting a new book. We will be reading Daniel Gordis's *We Stand Divided: The Rift between American Jews and Israel*. Published in 2019, this book addresses an issue relevant to today. This book club requires no homework, as we read the book aloud together. For information on how to get the book and the location of the meeting, contact roselynbe@aol.com

An Evening of Remembrance, Courage, and Faith. *Young Israel of East Brunswick Wed. Oct. 14th at 7:30 PM.* Three years after October 7th, the pain of that day remains with us — but so does the courage, faith, and strength that emerged from it.

The Highland Park community is invited to join Dr. Yair Ansbacher, a counter-terrorism expert, IDF reservist, and one of the first fighters to reach the Gaza border on October 7th, for a deeply moving evening of remembrance and reflection.

Dr. Ansbacher will share what he witnessed firsthand that day: the bravery of ordinary people who became heroes, the sacrifices made to save lives, and the moments of faith and hope that appeared even in the darkest hours.

He will also speak about his new book, *Like a Lion He Shall Rise*, which tells the story of October 7th through the lens of courage, miracles, resilience, and the unbreakable spirit of the Jewish people.

Come together as a community to remember those we lost, honor those who fought, and draw strength from the resilience of Am Yisrael.

RSVP required: learninginstitute@yieb.org for more information contact Rivka Sonts at 347-598-9448.

Raritan Valley Hadassah Zionist Education Program:

Thursday, October 15, 2026, 7:30 p.m. River Ridge community room, 30 S Adelaide Ave, Highland Park Dan Rozett, Director of Community Relations & Israel Engagement for the Jewish Federation in the Heart of New Jersey, speaking to us about the upcoming Israeli elections. What

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parties and people are running? What do they stand for? *No charge to attend but donations accepted at the door.*

Israeli Dance Class: Israeli dance is open to all women of the community in Ohr Torah's social hall on alternating Wednesday nights from 8-9PM. This is a free session for all dance enthusiasts where multiple participants teach old and new dances. Our next class dates are 10/21, 11/4, 11/18, 12/9, and 12/

The next meeting of Chug Ivrit for intermediate to advanced Hebrew speakers will be held on *Sunday, October 18 at 11:00 a.m.* We will chat in Hebrew and read a short Hebrew story. We'd love to have you join us. For location, please contact Rachel at rachel@weintraubworld.net or 732-819-9298.

Peace of Mind dinner

Friday night October 23rd at RPRY Mincha at 5:55 in the Beit Midrash Details about signing up to follow



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Join us for Glow & Empower complimentary event, a special Breast Cancer Awareness Month event on October 28 from 5:00–7:00 PM at The Park MedSpa in Highland Park.

This warm and supportive evening is dedicated to breast cancer survivors, awareness, community, and self-care. Guests will enjoy gentle hand and arm treatments featuring Hydrinity skincare, learn about support resources from Sharsheret, hear how Hadassah is advancing breast cancer research, and have the option to participate in a sharing circle.

Space is limited and RSVP is required please email theparkmedspa@gmail.com or text 908-227-7544. For more information please call Rivka Sonts at 347-598-9448.

LUNCH and LEARN – PART 1 and PART 2 PART ONE: WED, OCT 28th from Noon-2pm. PART TWO WED, NOV 18th from Noon-2pm

Congregation Ohr Torah Social Hall Come see and discuss: THE CHOSEN These films are adapted from Chaim Potok's story. Enjoy a Delicious Lunch Buffet with your friends, neighbors and new friends, catered by Jerusalem Pizza. Program followed by group questions and comments

Registration and Pre-Payment \$20.00 for part 1 or \$35.00 per person for both part 1 & 2 (aides and children eat free).

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Raritan Valley Hadassah Invites You Trip to Rutgers University Zimmerli Art Museum. 71 Hamilton Street, New Brunswick. Sunday, 11/8. Docent-led tour starts at 1:00 p.m. promptly.

Please plan to arrive by 12:45 p.m. and allow sufficient time to find a parking spot and hang up coats, etc if desired. Tour will last approximately 45 minutes

and afterward please feel free to wander about the museum on your own

JEC HS Annual Open House will be held at JEC on November 10th. Doors open at 6:30. Pre register at jechs.org. Come see if JEC is the right fit for your son. Please reach out with any questions to hsadmissions@thejec.org.

Bikur Cholim Senior Homebound Visitation Program !! We are looking for volunteers to visit local seniors who are homebound. Please call Cindy Baruch at 908-309-8818 to become a part of this wonderful mitzvah and to volunteer.

Bikur Cholim is looking for volunteer drivers to help people get to and from their medical appointments and to stock the St. Peter's locker on Thursday night. If you can help in this mitzvah please call Cindy Baruch @ 908-309-8818 for more information. or text 732-887-3653

Bikur Cholim medical gemach: Bikur Cholim medical equipment gemach has TWO homes now. Please contact Rebecca Bick at 732-735-7616 or Gabby and Jake Binstein at 774-232-3515.

Denise Hametz Dollar a Day of Raritan Valley: Just as we pray every day, giving charity should also be done as part our daily mitzvot. Dollar– a-Day of Raritan Valley makes the mitzvah easy and attainable. The funds donated to DadRV are currently being distributed by DaDRV to twenty three organizations in the Highland Park /Edison /East Brunswick community, including Jewish Family Services, Bikur Cholim, Hatzalah, Tomchei Shabbos, Rabbis' discretionary funds, Yeshivot, Community Day Schools, the Kollel, Mikvaot, Chabad and Rutgers Hillel. Join in this cause at www.dadrv.org. For more information or to contact us, email admin@dadrv.com

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Your loved one's memory can be permanently inscribed on a plaque on the yahrzeit board in the Bet Kneset (sanctuary).

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Tel: 732-247-3038 Price = \$325

Etz Hachaim

Is there someone in your life you wish to honor or give thanks for—your children or grandchildren, your parents or grandparents, cherished friends or esteemed mentors or advisors?

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Chesed Committee Chesed Opportunity

B'ezri/Yad Eliezer is addressing urgent emergencies in Israel that require immediate attention and cannot follow the standard vetting process.

Every week, typically on Thursdays, Yad Eliezer presents a challenge to the WhatsApp group listed below.

You have the opportunity to contribute to these challenges to the extent that you are able, with no obligation to participate. You are free to choose whether or not to contribute to any particular challenge.

[WhatsApp Group Invite](#)

מנחת חינוך

Weekly Shiur in the Mitzvos

Explore the mitzvos through
Rav Yosef Babad's Minchas Chinuch

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On Shabbat Bereshit (October 10), we will join Jewish communities across the world in honoring the more than 1,100 Israeli heroes who have fallen since October 7. Through Torah learning, remembrance, and prayer, we will come together to honor their memory and support the loved ones they left behind.

Each congregant receives a booklet featuring 10 different fallen heroes, along with meaningful words of Torah and a special prayer for Israel's wounded soldiers. Together, our congregation will dedicate its Torah learning in memory of the fallen and give voice to their names during a powerful communal moment of remembrance.

Participants will have the opportunity to send personal messages of comfort to the bereaved families, strengthening the connection between Jews abroad and the families of Israel's fallen heroes.



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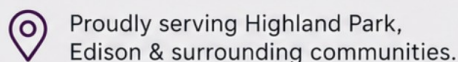
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