



EDOS SHABBAT ANNOUNCEMENTS

East Denver Orthodox Synagogue, Estab 1962
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President, Yossi Fried
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Times	Friday	שבת	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Daf Yomi	5:30	7:30 AM	6:30	5:30	5:30	5:30	5:30	5:30
Shacharit	6:45	Kriyat Shema: 9:21 9:00	7:30	6:30	6:45	6:45	6:30	6:45
Mincha	7:55	7:40	8:00	8:00	8:00	8:00	8:00	8:00
Omer Day	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38
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Readings	
ArtScroll Torah	672
ArtScroll Haftarah	1176

Welcome

We extend a warm welcome to everyone who is davening with us today.

Thank You

Thank you to those providing Divrei Torah this week! These include Dr. Alex Jacobs, Friday night; Yossi Fried, Shabbat morning; and Dr. Yitzchak Teitelbaum, Seudah Shlishit.

Mazel Tov

Mazel Tov to Chaim Gross and Esti Meyer, daughter of Rabbi Yaakov and Chaya Meyer, upon their engagement. The Meyers invite everyone to a Vort/Open House at their home (9532 E. Grand Place/Greenwood Village) Saturday night, May 13th (Lag B'Omer), 9:30-11:30 PM.

Events

Lag B'Omer—Motzoei Shabbat begins Lag B'Omer. EDOS, along with other community shuls, joins Bais Menachem on Sunday, May 14th, 3:30-6:30 PM at the Hillel Academy parking lot for a community BBQ, live music, prizes, and fun! You can register at chabadcolorado.com or 303-329-0213. \$10 for children ages 3-10, \$18 for adults and children 11 and up, \$60 family maximum.

Board Meeting—The next meeting of the EDOS Board is Thursday, May 18th, after Maariv. The first 15 minutes are open for anyone wishing to address the board. See any board member to indicate your interest.

Office Hours:

Shul Office: Rabbi Akiva Stern, Manager

Sunday:	8:00-9:00 AM
Tuesday:	5:45-7:45 PM
Thursday:	1:30-3:00 PM
Friday:	9:30 AM-Noon
E-mail:	manager@edosdenver.org

EDOS Classes This Week

Rambam Shiur	Avi Mehler/ Shlomo Fried	Shabbat	8:30 AM
Shabbat Shiur	Rabbi Yisroel Engel	Shabbat	50 minutes before Mincha
Halacha Sugya	Rabbi Fleisher	Sunday	8:15 AM
Talmud Shabbos	Rabbi Leban	Monday	After Maariv
Women's Tehillim	Raacheli Fried's home	Monday	7:30 PM
Talmud Baba Metzia	Tzvi Gelt	Tuesday	After Shacharit
Sefer Kuzari	Rabbi Yoel Unger	Tuesday	7:30 PM
Mishna Bechorot	Rotation	Thursday	After Shacharit

Yom Yerushalayim, the 50th anniversary of Jerusalem's reunification, falls on May 24th this year. Thanks to Dr. Seth and Carol Kozak Ward for sponsoring our annual breakfast after Shacharit!

EDOS Yom Yerushalayim Community Dinner—

Wednesday, May 24th, 7:15 PM, EDOS invites the entire community to the East Side Kosher Deli to celebrate 50 years of the unification of Jerusalem. Buffet dinner, music, and video presentation. Cost is \$25 per person paid directly to the Deli. Please contact the shul office for reservations: 303-322-7943, manager@edosdenver.org.

Shavuot Week with Rabbi Rapp—Rabbi Rapp and family will be here from the Friday before Shavuot through the Sunday after Shavuot!

Plan One Less Meal Shavuot! EDOS, DAT Minyan, & KBY invite you to join in a community Shavuot Lunch &

Send bulletin announcements to

newsletter@edosdenver.org by Wednesday.

Oral announcements are due to the President

(president@edosdenver.org) by Thursday afternoon

Visit us online at www.edosdenver.org.

Learn on the second day of Shavuot, Monday, June 1st, at EDOS.\$18 per adult (over age 13), \$9 per child (ages 6-12), and FREE for children under age 6. Babysitting available. Sign up now at and leave the cooking to us! datminyana.org/form/shavuot2017communitymeal

Graduations—We're planning our Graduation Kiddush. Our celebration will be the Shabbat of June 10th. Let Michael Schwartz know if you want to volunteer to coordinate the Kiddush! To honor your graduates, please send mail to graduates@edosdenver.org. Let us know where they are graduating from, and what they are doing next!

Youth Activities

Follow NCSY on Facebook! DenverNCSY. Yisrael Katz, ykatz@ncsy.org, 818-277-0727.

Leetsdale Latte N' Learn: Sundays@7-8PM, at the Leetsdale/Holly Starbucks.

Belleview Latte and Learn: Wednesdays@7-8PM, at the Yosemite/Belleview Starbucks.

From The Rabbi's Desk

The middle of this week's פרשה focuses on the holidays, starting with פסח and then following the calendar through the rest of the year. However, unlike other places in the Torah where we are told about the holidays, there is a break in the middle. After discussing the holiday of שבועות, the Torah inserts the commandment to provide agricultural help to the needy and then continues with ראש השנה and the rest of the holidays.

The משך חכמה suggests that there is a reason why the commandments to help the poor are included here. The holiday of שבועות commemorates מתן תורה - the special covenant between Hashem and his people. One might get the impression based on the holidays and the related sacrifices that the Torah prioritizes מצוות בין אדם למקום - commandments that relate to man's relationship with Hashem - over commandments that relate to interpersonal relationships. The Torah inserts the commandment to support the poor at this point, to emphasize that מצוות בין אדם לחבירו - those that relate to man's relationship with others - rank equally important.

There are those that think that as long as a person is kind to others, he can be considered a good Jew even if he neglects laws such as keeping kosher and שבת. This is certainly incorrect. By the same token, someone who is scrupulous in following commandments such as שבת and keeping kosher, but lacks in integrity and compassion in dealing with others, cannot be considered truly observant.

Upcoming Events

Security Committee Drill—Due to the worldwide threat of terrorism and the threat to Jewish institutions, including desecration of synagogues, Jewish Community Centers, and cemeteries the EDOS security committee requests your help and participation in a *mock* intruder drill Shabbat, May 20th,

after davening. Please follow the brief instructions (below) to insure our members and guests remain safe!

Exercise Drill #1: Armed intruder is seen entering Shul! Within seconds...

1. An EDOS security member or adult member closest to the Bimah (highest point in Shul) begins shouting loudly, *GET DOWN, GET DOWN, GET DOWN* while waving their arms up and down in a flapping-type motion. Only one person will do this, please!). Then that person immediately drops to the floor if unarmed.
2. Members and Guests immediately drop to the floor, lying as flat as possible. Those capable of helping individuals with difficulties please gently help them get down to the floor as quickly as possible.

If this were an actual event, it would likely be over very quickly and you would likely be much safer lying flat on the floor. Please try to remain quiet while on the floor as any loud outburst or conversation may impede the actions of the security team.

As this is our very first drill, we sincerely thank everyone in advance for indulging the security committee to help keep EDOS safe!

Kiddush the week of June 3rd is sponsored by the Mogyoros family in honor of their special visitors!

Kiddush

The Kiddush today is sponsored by Yossi and Agi Fried, commemorating the Yahrzeit of his father, Shlomo Fried, z"l; and Dr. Alex and Meryl Jacobs, in commemoration of the Yahrzeit of his father, Abe Jacobs, z"l.

Community Events

Basketball—JewPro at The Jewish Experience invites men ages 18+ to participate in the 2nd Annual Charity Basketball Tournament on Sunday, June 4th from 2-5 PM at DJDS. All proceeds to benefit Just Kitchen, a new chesed initiative providing nutritious, kosher, home-cooked food to community members in need. For more information, please contact Rabbi Danny Wolfe at 720-319-0402 or register at TheJE.com/BBall.

Pre-Shavuos Learn-a-Thon & Siyyum—May 28th, the Denver Community Kollel holds its 2nd annual Learn-A-Thon 3:30-5:30 PM at 1261 Zenobia. Join the communal completion of an entire tractate of Talmud in the course of one hour of Torah study! Men, sign up and study a preassigned section of Tractate Kiddushin with a chavrutah. Women, sign up and attend a special study session or study a special curriculum with a chavrusah. NO CHARGE. Visit denverkollel.org, email info@denverkollel.org or call 303-820-2855 to register. Sponsorship opportunities available.

Shavuot at the WCRJ—Ice Cream Party & Ten Commandments Wednesday, May 31st, 6PM at WCRJ, 295 S. Locust. Special Children's program! No charge, but RSVP appreciated: 720-940-3716.

Shabbat Shiur

The Shabbat Shiur is fifty minutes before Mincha.

It's only \$36 to sponsor a week of the East Side Eruv! Your announcement will be heard by all weekly callers. Call Barbara Schwartz, 303-394-3117, as far in advance as possible to reserve your week.

The ERUV hotline is 303-836-3788: DenverEruv.org: Check each week one hour before candlelighting.

If you wish to receive these announcements by E-mail, please visit denverjewish.com/mailman/listinfo/edos. This service is available to members and out-of-town family.
