

# EDOS SHABBAT ANNOUNCEMENTS

East Denver Orthodox Synagogue, Estab 1962  
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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: 9:18 9:00	7:30	6:30	6:45	<b>6:30</b>	6:30	6:30 ר"ח
Mincha	8:00	7:45	8:05	8:05	8:05	8:05	8:05	8:05
Omer Day	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45
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Readings	
ArtScroll Torah	696
ArtScroll Haftorah	1179

## 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 Rabbi Yisrael Katz, Friday night; David Japha, Shabbat morning; and Dr. Yitzchak Teitelbaum, Seudah Shlishit.

## Mazel Tov

Mazel Tov to Yehuda and Eliana Kaminer upon the birth of a Emunah Sarah! Mazel Tov to thrilled grandparents Alan and Judy Schreiber, and Tzipi Kaminer of Elizabeth, New Jersey. May the extended Schreiber and Kaminer families enjoy much nachas.

Mazel Tov to Dr. Alex and Meryl Jacobs upon their granddaughter, Sophie Jacobs of North Miami Beach, becoming a Bat Mitzvah this weekend. Mazel Tov to her parents Joshua and Tzippy Jacobs.

Mazal Tov to Shifra Swinkin upon becoming a Bat Mitzvah. Shifra, daughter of Baruch & Yaffa Swinkin, granddaughter of Nahum and Susie Swinkin, and great-granddaughter of Riva Weissbrot, celebrates the occasion with her family this Shabbat in Ramat Beit Shemesh.

Mazel Tov to Rebbetzin Tova Rosenfeld on the birth of a great-grandson. The baby was born to Jacob and Jill Rosenfeld of New York.

## Events

**Baseball Season Begins**—EDOS Grand Salamis face the Micah Motley Jews Sunday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, 9AM, on JFK Field #8.

## 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	7:00 PM
Talmud Baba Metzia	Tzvi Gelt	Tuesday	After Shacharit
Sefer Kuzari	Rabbi Yoel Unger	Tuesday	1 hour before Mincha
Talmud Bechorot	Rotation	Thursday	After Shacharit

**Shacharit Wednesday is early** to allow for a meaningful Hallel and breakfast.

**Rosh Chodesh**—Today we announce the new month of Sivan. Rosh Chodesh begins Thursday night, and continues through Friday.

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

**EDOS Yom Yerushalayim Community Dinner**—Wednesday, May 24<sup>th</sup>, 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

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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.

reservations: 303-322-7943, [manager@edosdenver.org](mailto: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 & Learn on the second day of Shavuot, Monday, June 1<sup>st</sup>, 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!](http://datminyan.org/form/shavuot2017communitymeal)

**Graduations**—We're planning Graduation Kiddush! Our celebration is the Shabbat of June 10<sup>th</sup>. Just 3 weeks away! We are still looking for a volunteer to coordinate the Kiddush! Let Michael Schwartz know if you are interested. We are also collecting the names of graduates. To honor your graduate, drop a line to [graduates@edosdenver.org](mailto:graduates@edosdenver.org). Let us know where they are graduating from, and what they are doing next! We've heard from 8 graduates so far—don't be left out!

#### Notes

**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 this Shabbat, May 20<sup>th</sup>, after davening. Please follow the 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 begins shouting loudly, *GET DOWN, GET DOWN, GET DOWN* while waving their arms up and down. Only one person does this). 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. 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. The security committee sincerely thanks everyone in advance for participating in our first security drill.

#### Youth Activities

Follow NCSY on Facebook! [DenverNCSY.org](http://DenverNCSY.org). Yisrael Katz, [ykatz@ncsy.org](mailto:ykatz@ncsy.org), 818-277-0727.

May 21<sup>st</sup>, Rockin' N' Learning

May 23<sup>rd</sup>, Beit Midrash night

May 31<sup>st</sup>, Shavuot Program

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

#### From The Rabbi's Desk

Much of the beginning of this week's פרשיות focuses on the sale of land and the rights of the seller to repurchase the land. The Torah draws a distinction between שדה אחוזה - a family plot of land that was inherited which the seller

maintains the right to repurchase for some time, and שדה מקנה - a purchased plot of land where the seller relinquishes his rights totally.

Rav Soloveitchik explained these laws by pointing out that a person has a psychological connection to the ancestral land of his forefathers that goes well beyond monetary value. This can be seen from the story in ב' מלכים' of נבות who owned a vineyard next to the palace of King אחאב. Despite the king's offer to pay well above market value, נבות refuses to sell and ultimately loses his life rather than sell his vineyard. Abba Eben commented that this story is a microcosm of the situation in which the state of Israel finds itself. The nations that surround Israel, much like אחאב have much more land than Israel, but demand that they have the land of Israel as well. However, Israel is our ancestral homeland and we will fight harder, even risking our lives, for the land which means so much to us. As we approach the 50th anniversary of our reunification with Jerusalem, the capital of the land of our fathers we must consider that special relationship that we have with the land of Israel and commit our resources, our prayers, and whatever other support we can provide to guarantee that we will not be separated from our land again.

#### Upcoming Events

**Kiddush** the week of June 3<sup>rd</sup> is sponsored by the Mogyoros family in honor of their special visitors!

#### Kiddush

The Kiddush today is sponsored by the EDOS Women's Auxiliary and EDOS Kiddush Fund.

#### Community Events

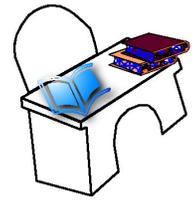
**Pre-Shavuos Learn-a-Thon & Siyyum**—May 28<sup>th</sup>, the Denver Community Kollel holds its 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Learn-A-Thon 3:30-5:30 PM at 1261 Zenobia. Join the communal completion of an entire tractate of Talmud in the course of one hour of Torah study! Men, sign up and study a preassigned 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](http://denverkollel.org), email [info@denverkollel.org](mailto:info@denverkollel.org) or call 303-820-2855 to register. Sponsorship opportunities available.

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

**Basketball**—JewPro at The Jewish Experience invites men ages 18+ to participate in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Charity Basketball Tournament on Sunday, June 4<sup>th</sup> 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](http://TheJE.com/BBall).

#### Shabbat Shiur

The Shabbat Shiur is fifty minutes before Mincha.



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**The ERUV hotline is 303-836-3788: [DenverEruv.org](http://DenverEruv.org): Check each week one hour before candlelighting.**

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

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