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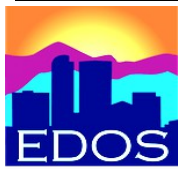
Parashat Noach

פרשת נח

א' חשוון תשע"ז

Rosh Chodesh Cheshvan

ראש חודש חשוון



EDOS SHABBAT ANNOUNCEMENTS

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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	6:30 ר"ח	9:00 ר"ח	7:30	6:30	6:45	6:45	6:30	6:45
Mincha	6:00	5:45	5:55	5:55	5:55	5:55	5:55	5:50
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Readings	
ArtScroll Torah	30
ArtScroll Maftir	890
ArtScroll Haftarah	1208

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 Danny Wolfe, Friday night, Dr. Danny Mogyoros, Shabbat morning; and Dr. Steve Feldman, Seudah Shlishit.

Events

Mens Event—The Annual Men's Event this year will be Thursday night, November 9th, at Wings Over The Rockies. RSVP: jewishcolorado.org/MensEvent. Speaker will be Consul General Sam Grundwerg of the Israeli Consulate in Los Angeles. Please join us at the EDOS tables! Please contact Michael Schwartz with any questions.

Notes

Save Your Spot—If you have a special occasion and want to speak between Mincha and Maariv, or Friday night or Shabbos, please let the Gabbai know!

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

ALYN Bike Ride—David Polaner is participating again this year in the Alyn Children's Hospital's 5 day, 300 mile bike ride in Israel to raise money for the children who are patients at the Alyn Children's Hospital in Jerusalem. Funds raised by this event are critical to cover the shortfall in expenses for rehabilitation and reconstructive surgery for young victims of terror attacks, congenital malformations, trauma, and brain and other injuries in Israel. You can contribute by going to <http://bit.ly/2yjLVqT>. If you prefer, you can send a check or contribute by mail by completing one of the brochures in the back of the shul.

Send bulletin announcements to

newsletter@edosdenver.org by Wednesday.

Oral announcements are due to the President

(president@edosdenver.org) by Thursday afternoon

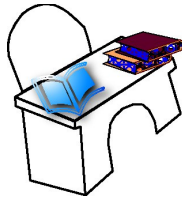
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Youth Activities

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From The Rabbi's Desk

Noach is introduced by the Torah as a צדיק תמים - one who is perfectly righteous. Because of this, he is chosen to be the savior of mankind and the animal kingdom. As per Hashem's commandment, he toils for 120 years building the ark and then spends another year tending to the needs its passengers. He is the only person ever to have saved the world. With this in mind, it is difficult to comprehend how this accomplishment is followed by Noach's subsequently leaving the ark, planting a vineyard, and getting drunk. How can someone on such a high level descend so low?



One can suggest that perhaps Noach felt that he had reached the pinnacle of accomplishment and lost his focus. After all, what does one do as encore to saving humanity? The answer should have been to keep growing and to continue to be an עובד השם in whatever circumstances life presented him with. After אברהם was told להיה תמים - fulfill the commandment of circumcision and then you will be perfect, he continues his spiritual work and passes several tests including יצחק. We do not know of anything that Noach accomplishes in the hundreds of years that he lived after the flood.

As long as we live, we need to be growing. There is always another mountain to climb, project to start, interest to pursue. We should never rest on our laurels and be satisfied with what we have done, but rather be focused on what we can do. This is our duty on this earth.

Kiddush

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

Community Events

The Great Big Challah Bake 2017—Jewish women from all corners of our community are invited to knead together, inspire one another, and celebrate the power of unity on

October 26th, at this year's great big challah bake! Participants will leave with two ready-to-bake loaves for their own Shabbat table. Doors open at 6:30 PM at BMH-BJ. Ticket prices go up on October 13th so register early at challahbakeco.eventbrite.com.

Hachnasat Sefer Torah—Get ready for an inspirational celebration as KBY welcomes a new Sefer Torah on Sunday, November 5th! The festivities begin with a Torah Completion Ceremony followed by a procession through the streets with music, singing and dancing with the Sefer Torah to its new home, Kehilas Bais Yisroel, the MB Glassman Synagogue. Letter writing begins with Mincha at 2 PM at the home of Larry and Cindy Halpern, 210 S. Oneida St. The procession begins from the Halpern residence at 3 PM. Be a part of the Mitzvah! Visit - www.baisyisroel.com/form/torah

Shabbat Project—Jews from all over the world will celebrate one Shabbos together with The Shabbat Project, coming up on Shabbos Parshas Lech Lecha, October 27-28. This is a wonderful opportunity to invite your less-affiliated Jewish friends to spend Shabbos together with you. On the east side, "The Great Big Shabbat Dinner" will be held at BMH-BJ on Friday evening beginning at 5:45 PM, featuring a talk by guest speaker Rav Gav Friedman and a children's program. "Light Up Your Week: Havdallah" will also be held at BMH-BJ on Saturday night at 7:15 PM. Reservations are required for the Shabbat Dinner. Sign up at TheJE.com/ShabbatProject.

Shabbat Shiur

The Shabbat Shiur is fifty minutes before Mincha.



Looking for an inexpensive way to help the community? Share your good news!

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.

EDOS can mail special cards from the Shul office for births, birthdays, anniversaries, engagements, condolences and Mazel Tovs. And your support means so much to the Shul!

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.