

Chabad Flamingo E-Weekly # 841

For the week of Adar II 8 to 14, 5779 ~ March 15-21, 2019

Erev Shabbat, Parshat Zachor-Vayikra

Candle Lighting Time: must be after **6:13**

pm and no later than **7:05 pm**

Shabbat Concludes: 8:07 pm



Shabbat Zachor Attendance is a Must! Our Time to Remember!

This Week at Flamingo

E. Shabbat, Fri. Mar. 15	Shabbat Zachor. Saturday, March 16		Sunday, March 17
6:30 am Maamer Moment 6:40 am Swift Minyan 7:00 am Moderate Minyan <hr/> 6:00 pm Mincha, Sefer HaMitzvot and "Timely Torah" then, joyous Kabbalat Shabbat and Ma'ariv	8:30 am The <i>Chassidic Reader ~ Lekutei Torah</i> 9:15 am Main Shacharit Prayer Services 9:30 am Parents 'n Kids' Youth Minyan 10:30 am Shabbat Youth Programs 11:00 am Tyler's Teen Scene! 12:30 pm Congregational Kiddush and Friendly Schmooze 6:20 pm Mincha, then communal Seudah Shlisheet 8:00 pm Ma'ariv, then screening of the Rebbe's Living Torah	8:00 am Swift Minyan 8:30 am Tanya Teachings 9:15 am Moderate Minyan <hr/> 7:00 pm Mincha and Sefer HaMitzvot; Ma'ariv	
Women's Mikvah: by appt.	Women's Mikvah: 9-11 pm		Women's Mikvah: 8-10 pm
Monday, March 18	Tuesday, March 19	Wednesday, March 20 <i>Taanit Esther</i>	Wednesday, March 20 <i>Purim Eve</i>
6:30 am Parsha Perspectives 6:40 am Swift Minyan 7:00 am Moderate Minyan 10:30 am Megillat Esther <hr/> 7:00 pm Mincha and Sefer HaMitzvot; Ma'ariv	6:30 am Parsha Perspectives 6:40 am Swift Minyan 7:00 am Moderate Minyan <hr/> 7:00 pm Mincha and Sefer HaMitzvot; Ma'ariv 8 PM "Custom & Convention"	5:50am Fast Begins 6:30 am Parsha Perspectives 6:20 am Swift Minyan 6:45 am Moderate Minyan <hr/> 6:55 pm Mincha and Sefer HaMitzvot; Ma'ariv 7:59pm Fast Ends	8:10pm Megillah Reading <i>Main Sanctuary</i> 8:10pm Parent n' Tots <i>Nursery Classroom</i> 9:00pm Purim Jumping Fun <i>Refreshments sold</i> 10:00pm Megillah Reading <i>Main Sanctuary</i>
Women's Mikvah: 8-10 pm	Women's Mikvah: 8-10 pm	Women's Mikvah: 9-11 pm	Women's Mikvah: 9-11 pm

For Every Man, Woman & Child: Our Time to Remember

This **Shabbat** is called **Zachor** (=Remember) because on it **we fulfill the Biblical duty** to read this Torah portion annually so that we constantly remember the evil actions of *Amalek*. This public reading is called *Parshat Zachor*. It uniquely fulfils a **Biblical Commandment (Mitzvat Aseh min HaTorah)** and is actually the year's **most important** Torah reading. **Every** member of *Am Yisrael* is **Halachically obligated** to come and listen to the **Kri'at HaTorah**. Even children are strongly encouraged to attend!

Shabbat Sponsors!

Kiddush is sponsored anonymously in honour of the community.

Seudah Shlisheet is sponsored by **Arnold & Sharyn Recht** to honour the Yahrtzeit of Arnold's father.

Bringing Shabbat Early!

DST is here! Mincha at 6pm sharp (before Plag), so that we can usher in Shabbat early.

Note: This schedule remains until Pesach.

Diamond Daveners

We honour **Shabbat Diamond Daveners**: Last week's winners:

Youth Minyan: **Natan Rotman**
 Youth Program: **Shua Cagen**

Annual Purim Masquerade Ball

Thursday, March 21st from 5:30 pm ~ Our "Purim in India" event is almost sold out!

You must reserve by **11AM, Monday, March 18**, unless the space runs out sooner.

The right time to RSVP is right NOW!

Purim House Calls

If you are in **hospital or housebound** due to illness or extenuating circumstance, please **contact us ASAP**. We'll make every effort to arrange a **Private Megillah Reading** for you on Purim Day at a **convenient** time.

Learning on Tuesday

Attend the new learning series on timely traditional observances related to our unique Jewish calendar!

This Tuesday evening, we'll focus on several fascinating and curious customs associated with the Purim mitzvah of **Listening to the Megillah!**

Fasting on Wednesday

Erev Purim is **Ta'anit Esther**, observed by **fasting**, reciting **Selichot** and giving a commemorative the "Half Shekel" before Mincha (equal to \$6.20) You can buy them here and then donate them right back! Traditionally, we give three such coins.

Fast begins 5:50 am and ends after Megillah Reading!

Purim Day Schedule

Thursday, March 21

- 6:15 am Swift **Shacharit** followed by **Megillah Reading** – Main Sanctuary
- 6:30 am Parsha Perspectives Class** – held in the North Kehilla Atrium
- 7:00 am Moderate pace **Shacharit** followed by **Megillah** – Main Sanctuary
- 9:00 am Megillah Reading ONLY** – held in the Main Sanctuary

Purim Buffet Breakfast following the Megillah readings
Sponsored L'zecher Nishmat Sarah bat Yisroel

- 4:30 pm Mincha, followed by brief *Sefer HaMitzvot* Digest – Main Sanctuary
- 4:45 pm Late Megillah Reading will be held in the Main Sanctuary
- 5:30 pm "Purim in India" Holiday Masquerade by RSVP ONLY**

Ma'ariv in Main Sanctuary following Purim Feast

Women's Mikvah: 9-11 pm

Matanot L'Evyonim

To fulfill **Matanot L'Evyonim** (the Purim mitzvah of giving gifts to the poor), we'll collect and distribute to needy members of *Am Yisrael* living in the sacred **Chevron** area. Funds donated are, *b'ezrat Hashem*, distributed precisely on **Purim day**.

Pre-Passover

Join our Journey to the Rebbe's Ohel in NYC

"Soul Trek" - Tuesday, April 16

Elevate your *Yiddishkeit* fervour by participating in our annual **Yud Aleph Nissan Pilgrimage** to celebrate the anniversary of the Rebbe's birth at his sacred resting place with dedication, prayer, inspirational study, and a grand, joyous Farbrengen.

Your only cost is travel!

To reserve or for more info, contact **Rabbi Kaplan** or email: Rabbi@chabadflamingo.com

On Passover

Don't miss our Communal Passover Seder!

Pesach Eve, Friday, April 19

Rabbi & Rebbetzin Kaplan invite you to enjoy **delicious dining catered** by Shlomo Shoshan of **Shalom Shanghai Caterers** in our stunning ballroom! Experience the **heartwarming Haggadah Inspiration** with their family leading the Passover proceedings.

Cost: Adults: \$125, Children age 10 and under: \$75

To reserve or for more info **Shternie** at Ext. 21 or email: chabad@chabadflamingo.com

Save the Date

Meet Nazi Hunter
Steve Rambam, P.I.

Sunday May 5

Steve was a NYC private investigator. By a twist of fate, he became a fearless Nazi hunter. Working undercover, he pursued them relentlessly across the USA, Canada, Europe and Australia. He helped track down almost 200 Nazis, collaborators and war criminals! Coming face to face with dozens of them, he recorded interviews and their confessions!

... **Not to be missed!** ...