

Chabad Flamingo E-Weekly #908

Week of Elul 22 – 28, 5780 ~ September 11 – 17, 2020

Erev Shabbat Selichot

Parshat Nitzavim-Vayeilech|Pirkei Avot 5-6

Candle Lighting: Must be after 6:19 pm

and no later than 7:16 pm

Shabbat concludes: 8:15 pm



Shabbat Selichot and your Final Inspiring Week of Elul-vation!

Erev Shabbat, Elul 22 Friday, September 11	The Last Shabbat of the Year! Elul 23 – September 12		Elul 24 Sunday, September 13
6:40 am Swifter Minyan 8:30 am Moderate Minyan 5:50pm Mincha, Sefer Mitzvot, Kabbalat Shabbat & Ma'ariv Friday Eve's Torah teachings are sponsored by Brenda Wise to commemorate the Yahrzeit of her father Robert Usher, Reuven ben Chaim Yehuda.	All Attendees MUST fully comply with our COVID Safety Standards 7:00 am Shabbat Mevarchim Tehillim 8:55 am Pre-Services warmup – <i>Lekutei Torah</i> 9:15 am Shabbat Shacharit & Musaf Prayer Services 10:30 am Youth Minyan with R' Avrumy - Outdoors 5:30pm Outdoor "Mevarchim" Farbrengen 6:15pm Our weekly Outdoor Power-Hour Study Session! Mincha, followed by customary Torah Teachings 8:15 pm Ma'ariv, then screening of the <i>Rebbe's Living Torah</i> 11:30 pm Pre-Selichot Guys Outdoor Far-B-Que 1:13 am The Inaugural Selichot Services!		8:00 am Swifter Minyan 9:30 am Moderate Minyan 7:00 pm Mincha and Sefer HaMitzvot; Ma'ariv 5:00 pm Kids Shofar Factory and Presentation – BY RSVP Please note the NEW Mincha time for this week!
Women's Mikvah: by appt.	Women's Mikvah: 9:00 pm-10:30 pm		Women's Mikvah: 8:00-10:00 pm
Elul 25 - Mon. Sept 14	Elul 26 - Tues. Sept 15	Elul 27 - Wed. Sept 16	Elul 28 - Thurs. Sept 17
6:20 am Fast Selichot 6:35 am Swifter Minyan 8:00 am Regular Selichot 8:30 am Moderate Minyan 12:00 pm Tanya on Teshuvah 'Soul Rehab' on YouTube Live 7:00pm Mincha and Sefer <i>HaMitzvot</i> ; Ma'ariv 7:30pm Honey Cake Bake -- LIVE on Zoom!	6:20 am Fast Selichot 6:40 am Swifter Minyan 8:00 am Regular Selichot 8:30 am Moderate Minyan 12:00 pm Special Class Part 1 7:00pm Bar Mitzvah Club 7:00 pm Mincha and Sefer <i>HaMitzvot</i> ; Ma'ariv	6:20 am Fast Selichot 6:40 am Swifter Minyan 8:00 am Regular Selichot 8:30 am Moderate Minyan 12:00pm Special Class Part II 7:00 pm Mincha and Sefer <i>HaMitzvot</i> ; Ma'ariv	6:20 am Fast Selichot 6:35 am Swifter Minyan 8:00 am Regular Selichot 8:30 am Moderate Minyan 12:00 pm Tom's Talmud Tisch M. Sukkah – on YouTube Live 7:00 pm Mincha and Sefer <i>HaMitzvot</i> ; Ma'ariv
Women's Mikvah: 8:00-10:00 pm	Women's Mikvah: 8:00-10:00 pm	Women's Mikvah: 8:00-10:00 pm	Women's Mikvah: 8:00-10:00 pm

Don't miss this Final Shabbat of 5780!

Featuring added Prayers, Study and Celebration

We'll Ring it in Early!

Mincha at **5:50 pm** sharp this allows for proper timing to preemptively usher in Shabbat sanctity before the "Plag" (the Halachik timeline) arrives.

My Mevarchims' Gone Missing?

For a variety of reasons, this *Shabbat* is not officially called *Mevarchim*, but most of our *Mevarchim Minhagim* (customary practices) are still observed including the public recitation of the entire *Tehillim*, and the hosting of joyous *Mevarchim Farbrengens*.

Staying Safe and Secure on Shabbat Selichot

Last Call for 5780

We are keeping things Sanitized. Masked. Distanced and Cautious. This is *Your* last chance to share & celebrate Shabbat with *Your* Shul Family at *Your* Family Shul in the year 5780!

Be Blessed, Empowered & Elul-vated

This final Shabbat of Elul is followed almost immediately by the new month of *Tishrei*, yet we do not formally *invoke the monthly blessing*. The **Baal Shem Tov** taught: "HaShem Himself blesses the *first month*, and from this initial energy, we're able to bless the other months of the year." On this exceptional Shabbat of **Huge Divine Blessing**, we cap the year and prepare to crown *Hashem*: **Be sure to Be Here and Be a Part of it!**

Shabbat Afternoon: Outdoors & Uplifting Rain or Shine – Farbrengen flows into Ma'amer Study Indoors we are masked. Outdoors we are un-masked

All are welcome to join us for the final 'Mevarchim' Farbrengen of the year held in the Outdoor Overhang Area. Individually packaged nibbles for the body. Insightful, uplifting morsels for the Heart, Mind & Soul. Farbrengen inspiration will lead into concluding class on *Ani L'Dodi!*

Energizing Elul Ma'amer Metaphors V

This climatic episode will feature fascinating teachings on the need to *Create Conventions to Contain Elul Energy*, and to *Harness Heartfelt Fervour* by means of translating *Spiritual Yearning into Concrete Action*. Words that Nurture and Nourish. Feelings that Create Charitable Giving.

This Motzai Shabbat!

Ashkenaz Selichot Season opens – as the "Count-Up" to Crowning Hashem begins!

The Pre-Selichot Farbrengen Guys Far-Be-Que @ Flamingo

In view of a time-honoured Chassidic tradition to hold an inspirational Farbrengen prior to the emotional and uplifting *Selichot* services... we're pleased to present a *Men's Far-B-Que* style Farbrengen that'll be held in the outdoor overhang at Shul beginning at 11:30 pm!

As per accepted COVID-19 protocol, we'll all be sure to maintain our distance but no masks will be required. **No Charge** to attend; RSVP to Rabbi Yossi appreciated!

Inaugural Selichot Services The Right Thing @ The Right Time

Inaugural *Selichot* may only be held at the Halachically permissible time, upon the conclusion of the Motzai Shabbat after-glow which takes place at *Chatzot* (=Halachik Midnight) a timeline that occurs this year in the GTA at **1:13 am**.

The entire community is encouraged and urged to consider participating this year, as we continue to grapple with a global pandemic. Let us together petition Heaven for *Rachamim Rabim* ~ Divine Mercy and Compassion as we place our trust in Hashem to bless the entirety of *Am Yisrael* with a happy and sweet New Year!

Lunch-Hour Learning Streaming LIVE Daily!

Participate Daily; LIVE at 12PM or
On Demand whenever it's most convenient.

www.youtube.com/rabbimendelkaplan
Subscribe, and Enable "receive notifications"

**PLEASE CONSIDER SPONSORING AN
ONLINE TORAH CLASS THIS WEEK!**

Has next year already been foretold?

An incredible note – written by the Rebbe 30 years ago has come to light
– it seems to uncannily predict the events of the upcoming new year!
Rabbi Kaplan has spent hours decoding its messages. Don't miss it!

Tues at Noon – Part One Data Curation & Context

a wide-ranging panorama of profound
Torah teachings & historical framing
required to understand the message

Stage-setting introductions to
enable your studying success!

Wed at Noon – Part Two One Wondrous Discovery

details of a previously cryptic footnote that
suddenly resonates with unprecedented
optimism and sacred spiritual vision

The decoding of an inspired
manuscript will reveal secrets!

Monday at Noon: Soul Rehab

Tanya Teachings on Teshuvah, Chapter 4, part 3
Exploring Kabbalistic meanings of Religious Return

**What does "Made in G-d's Image" Mean!
The Superiority of the Human Soul over Angels**
Learn how-to Map out the DNA-Genome of a Neshama

Thurs at Noon: Tom's Talmud Tisch

Our seasonal study-series on Talmud is now focused
on Sukkot and the Heights of its defining Holiday Hut!

**Learn Holiday Gemara ~ Masechet Sukkah
Discovering the Fruity Measures of a Holy Land**
More on how the Seven Species of Eretz Yisrael Size-Up!

The Family Shul Members Bulletin

~ Mazal Tov to Paul and Patty Smith upon the
upcoming marriage of their son Julian!

~ Mazal Tov to Sharon Adler and Martin
Kushner upon the birth of a new grandson!

SCHEDULING CHANGES FOR THIS WEEK

And Now, for the rest of the year 5780 We Must Wake a Little Earlier!

Selichot: now held daily each weekday morning until
Rosh Hashanah. Corresponding to our two daily morning
services, we will host two *Selichot* services. The swift
version **precedes** the swift services at 6:20 am; moderately
paced *Selichot* precede the moderately-paced services at
8:00 am. Shacharit services remains at their regular times.

Mincha. Mitzvot. Ma'ariv: Shifting Up!

From Sunday - Thursday this week, *Mincha* & *Maariv* services
begin daily at 7 pm. Please try to support the *Kaddish
Zoggers* in a timely fashion as we count up to 5781!
Please help us ensure that our Minyan continues to remain
strong – we often times just make it!

This Year Our Annual High Holiday "Aliyah Auction" is on Zoom!

Please note that Due to COVID restrictions and unique challenges relating to this year's Rosh Hashana Services – it's been decided that the annual Aliyah auction will take place LIVE on Zoom this Wednesday evening 8:30 pm. All of those wishing to participate, should please contact Rabbi Yossi for the link.

Chabad Flamingo Shul Youth Programming

Ongoing "Outdoor Safe and Secure" Educational Programming

Shabbat Morning: 10:30 -11:30 am – Youth Minyan with Rabbi Avrummy
Our outdoor version of the Shabbat Youth Minyan continues. Refreshments to go
Kudos to last week's **Diamond Daveners: Pinny Shuchat and Ami Diamond**

Tuesday Eve: 7:00 pm – Bar Mitzvah Club with Rabbi Avrummy
Our COVID-19 Era B. M. C. now meet weekly at Shul in the Outdoor Overhang area

Kid's Shofar Factory | Sunday, Sept. 13, 5 - 7 PM

See how REAL Shofars are made, or You can even Make Your Own too!
Fresh Pizza Dinner will be served. Held Outdoors. Social Distanced
Maintained. Attendance by RSVP ONLY!

Attending the Presentation and enjoying Pizza: \$6 per person
Attending and Creating your very own Shofar, as well enjoying Pizza: \$15 per
person(members) \$18 per person (non- members)

Safe & Secure: Bat Mitzvah Club in COVID!

There are now just a small number of spots still available for this years **Bat Mitzvah Club** program. However, if past precedents are any indication they will likely be gone in the next week or two. We urge you to act now, register your daughter and avoid the disappointment ensuring that she is one of the happy members of this year's COVID compliant yet nonetheless amazing Bat Mitzvah Club www.chabadflamingo.com/bmc

Lekach Honey Cake Bake | Mon, Sept. 14 – 7:30pm

A Fun and Inspirational Evening of
hands-on Learning and
Culinary Activity that will nourish
Body, Mind and Soul!

**This Year Streaming LIVE on
ZOOM**

No Charge: Join Rebbetzin Faygie from
the comfort of your own kitchen!
faygie@chabadflamingo.com to register &
receive the list of ingredients.

