Young Couples and Families
Picnic on the Portico
Shabbat, June 9 | Following Morning Services
Who wants to worry about the weather getting in the way of their picnic lunch? Not us! This year’s end-of-year picnic will be held at the synagogue, where we can enjoy our protected, park-facing Portico as well as the Elias Room. Fun for the kids and a rabbi’s lecture for the adults will keep everyone happy while we all enjoy a picnic-inspired menu.

Members: $35 adult • $15 child under 12
Non-Members: $40 adult • $18 child under 12
For registration and sponsorships, visit shearithisrael.org/portico-picnic

Sponsorship Opportunities:
Sponsor (includes meals for 2 adults and their children) - $250
Supporter (includes meals for 2 adults and their children) - $180

DON’T LET YOUR GRADUATE GO UNNOTICED!
2018 Graduate Scroll of Honor & Graduation Kiddush
Shabbat, June 16 (NOT June 23, as was previously listed)
Following Morning Services
Let’s spread the good news and celebrate the success and accomplishments of all our graduates from pre-school to PhDs!

Visit shearithisrael.org/graduation by June 13 to ensure that we can properly list and congratulate your graduate(s) in our 2018 Scroll of Honor.
Even if you cannot attend, please send us listing information for your graduates, and consider co-sponsoring our graduation kiddush for $180 or just $36.

Annual Chatham Square Memorial Service
Chatham Square Cemetery | 55 St. James Place
Memorial Day, THIS Monday, May 28 | 10:30 am
Dedicated to the memory of our past Parnas, Dr. Dennis Freilich, Lt. Commander US Navy
With remarks from his son, Dr. Benjamin Freilich
This Memorial Day, join us at our Chatham Square Cemetery, the first Jewish cemetery in the United States, to honor members of our congregation who participated in the Revolutionary War. This unique ceremony includes the participation of a color guard, special presentations and memorial prayers, and the decoration of the graves of Revolutionary War veterans with American flags. Veterans are encouraged to attend in uniform!
To register (and sign up for transportation), visit shearithisrael.org/memorial-day-chatham-square by 12 PM on Sunday, May 27.

THE SISTERHOOD PRESENTS
Jr. Book Group (ages 11-13)
Shabbat, June 9 | 4:30 pm
At a private home on the UWS
Led by our member Lina Sion, a former book scout of Middle Grade and Young Adult books
Come join with friends as we discuss Girl in the Blue Coat, by Monica Hess, a gripping mystery that unfolds in the middle of a war-torn continent and a war-torn year. Kids, read the book and be ready to share your thoughts and impressions. And don’t forget to come with your own recommendations for future books or subjects you would like to talk about!
To register and get location information, email Rose Edinger at rgedinger@gmail.com

SHEARITH ISRAEL IS A PROUD CO-SPONSOR OF
Happier Together:
A CommUnity Conversation with Tal Ben-Shahar
at The Temple Emanu-El Streicker Center, 10 East 66th St
Tuesday, June 12 | 7:00 PM
Tal Ben-Shahar will share his unique insights into the importance of happiness and positivity within our communities as well as his experiences living in both America and Israel.
Tal Ben-Shahar teaches positive psychology at Harvard, and has also authored several books, including New York Times Bestseller Happier.
To register, visit shearithisrael.org/happier.
Shearith Israel Toddler Summer Camp  
June 19-August 16  
Tuesdays & Thursdays 9:30-11:30am  
AND 2 DAY OPTIONS AVAILABLE,  
PLUS OUR NEW 90-MINUTE MINI-SESSION OPTION  
For ages 16-34 months | Caregiver attendance required  
Join our wonderfully fun and educational Toddler Summer Camp, held in the new Fidanque Youth Room, with pool time on our Portico. 
Led by the marvelous Liz Rios.  
To learn more and apply, visit shearithisrael.org/toddler-summer-camp.

Shearith Israel is a Proud Co-Sponsor of  
6th Annual Israel Film Center Festival  
June 5 - 12 | Marlene Meyerson JCC Manhattan, Kaplan JCC in Tenafly, Silvana’s Harlem  
Come celebrate 70 years of Israeli cinema with a week of the best Israeli films of the year. Join us for a week of screenings, red carpets, and special events!  
Use Shearith Israel’s special discount code of IFCCSI18 for 20% off all general admission screenings.  
For more information and tickets, visit shearithisrael.org/film-festival.

**Registration Deadline: This Thursday, May 31**

**Don’t forget to sign me up!**

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**CONGREGATION SHEARITH ISRAEL**

The Spanish & Portuguese Synagogue

**Shabbat Naso**

**May 25-26, 2018**

Hertz Pentateuch: p. 586; Haftarah: p. 602  
Kaplan Living Torah: p. 676; Haftarah: p. 1184

**Candle Lighting** | 7:57 pm  
**Evening Services (Minnah & Arbit)** | 6:45 pm | Small Synagogue

**Zemirot** | 8:15 am | Main Sanctuary  
**Shaharit (Nishmat)** | 9:00 am  
**Tot Shabbat** | Ages 0-4 | 10:00 am | Fidanque Youth Room  
**Youth Groups** | Ages 5-12 | 10:00 am | Elias Room  
**Jr. Congregation** | Ages 5-12 | 10:30 am | Little Synagogue  
**Kiddush Luncheon** | Levy Auditorium | Sponsored by Dr. Rebecca Chaplan & David Nathan in honor of the forthcoming marriage of Dr. Daniel Nathan & Melissa Rutman.

**No Shabbat Afternoon Shuir This Week.**

**Minnah/Arbit** | 7:50 pm  
**Habdalah** | 8:57 pm

**Weekday Service Times**  
**Mornings:**  
Sunday & Monday (Memorial Day): 8:00 am  
Tuesday-Friday: 7:15 am  
**Evenings (Minnah & Arbit):**

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**Community Announcements**

*Thank you to the Sisterhood for sponsoring the flowers that enhanced our Sanctuary during Shabbat, as they do each year.*

*Mazal tov to Paola & Richard Kulp* upon their grandson, Ryan Cameron Kulp, becoming a bar mitzvah.

*Mazal tov to Dr. Daniel Nathan* on his forthcoming marriage to Melissa Rutman. Congratulations to his parents, Dr. Rebecca Chaplan & David Nathan, and his grandmother, Ruth Nathan.

*Condolences to Andre Guenoun*, on the passing of his father, Salomon Guenoun.

*Condolences to Jay Iron*, parent of our PTTS Hebrew School student, David Iron, on the passing of his mother, Gloria Iron.

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**Don’t Be Shy, Come Say Hi—At Kiddush!**

If you are new to Shearith Israel, welcome to our congregation! Kiddush is when we socialize, and we are eager to meet you and introduce you to our community. Please come up and introduce yourself to the Rabbi, Parnas (President), or any one of us.

Our next public tour is **Wednesday, June 12 at 11:00 AM**  
Meet with Our Parnas  
Louis Solomon would be delighted to meet with you. Please schedule a visit by email: parnas@shearithisrael.org.