



# שבת פרשת כי תבוא

כ"ג אלול תשפ"ב

September 16-17, 2022

6500 Baythorne Road | Baltimore, MD 21209

## WEEKDAY ZMANIM

Minyanim in red take place in the tent

6:15 (M-F), 6:45, 7:15, 7:45, 8:15, 8:45, 9:15, 9:45	שחרית
1:32, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00, 6:00	מנחה
7:00pm	מנחה/מעריב
8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00	מעריב

## MAZEL TOV

### Rabbi & Mrs. Menachem Braun

on the engagement of their son Yosef Eliezer to Chana Shayndel Leder of Baltimore. They invite the oilam to a Ichaim this Sunday (9/18) at the Braun home, 2307 Rogene Drive, from 2-4pm.

### Mr. & Mrs. Asher Sondhelm

on the marriage of their daughter Tirtzah to Sruli Schachter.

### Rabbi & Mrs Josh Livingstone

invite the oilam to a kiddush for their daughter Elisheva at their home, 6103 Stuart Ave., at 11:30.

## זמנים

5:50pm	פג מנחה/קבלת שבת
6:53pm	הדלקת נרות
7:03pm	מנחה/קבלת שבת
7:13pm	שקיעה
8:00am R' Moshe Hefter	דף יומי 1
8:15am	שיעור מאת הרב
8:50am	שחרית
9:55am	סוף זמן ק"ש
11:15am After Davening Dr. Moshe Stern	דף יומי 2
2:30pm	אבות ובנים
5:50pm R' Yonah Zahler	דף יומי 3
6:20pm Rav	פרקי אבות דרשה
6:50pm	מנחה ושלוש סעודות
8:11pm	מעריב מוצש"ק
8:23pm (72)	Shabbos Ends
9:15pm R' Dovid Charnowitz	דף יומי 4
9:15pm	מלוה מלכה
1:01am	סליחות

## SELICHOS

### MOTZEI SHABBOS

- Selichos begins this Motzei Shabbos at 1:01am.
- Prior to selichos there will be a seder limud at 12am The Rav will deliver Divrei Hisorerus 10 minutes before the start of selichos

### SUNDAY

- There will not be selichos before any of the Shacharis minyanim

### MONDAY- FRIDAY

- Selichos begins 20 minutes before the regular start of each Shacharis minyan
- Selichos takes place in the old shul for all minyanim (except 6:15 & 6:45). Shacharis is at the regular times in the usual locations.

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With tremendous appreciation and Hakaros Hatov to the Rav for all the support he provided to the entire Raczkowski Family.

## YOMIM NORAIM

Last call for seats, please see the link on the top of the email to make your reservations.

The Rav is available once again this year prior to Rosh Hashanah to meet with families in anticipation of the new year. To make an appointment, please contact R' Shmuel Boruch Chesir (845-499-7817).

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## FEATURE: CHOVOS HALVAVOS CHABURA

*It was around October 2020, with the pandemic still raging, COVID precautions in full force, and business being challenged, that R' Dovid Addi felt compelled to embark on a journey to strengthen his Bitachon by learning through Chovos HaLevavos Shaar HaBitachon. He started learning b'Chavrusa with his brother Yoni, and over time this developed into a proper daily Chaburah. The Chaburah meets S-F from 9:30-10:15am. They have since finished Shaar HaBitachon 3 times, and recently started Shaar Avodas Elokim.*

**Q (to Dovid Addi): What is the attraction of Shaar HaBitachon? Why do you think your Chaburah keeps growing?**

A: I think Bitachon is the # 1 thing people need today, in a world filled with uncertainty. Many people become very anxious by everything going on, whether it's COVID or other challenges, and Bitachon provides a certain serenity and calmness.

**Q: When and why did you join the Chovos HaLevavos Chaburah?**

A: (Raphael Mifsud) I had a deal which was wrapping up and I was going to make \$50,000! Ultimately the deal fell through, and I felt like my life was over. I cannot describe the mood I was in but suffice it to say I was miserable. The next day I looked myself in the mirror and thought – you're letting this control your life? I realized I need to work on my Bitachon. I can't allow my circumstances, particularly money, to dictate my mood. Logically I knew that Hashem determines how much money I will make, but I needed to drill into my heart. That's when I decided to join the Chaburah learning Shaar HaBitachon. I'm working on another deal now, and I can see what a difference the study and work on Bitachon can make. I'm feeling much calmer than I would have a year ago. It will go through if Hashem wants it to go through!

A: (Mendel Wax) I love Dovid Addi! But seriously, Bitachon is very close to my heart. I'm a regular listener to the Bitachon Hotline, and it's really changed my life. Bitachon taught me that there's nothing to worry about in life, because Hashem is running the world. This Chaburah strengthens this Avoda.

**Q: Give us one take-away from what you've learned in the Chaburah.**

A: (Dov Munk) I've learned that being successful in business is being honest. That's what Hashem wants. Sometimes people think they will make more money but cutting corners here or there, but the truth is that what we actually make is not up to us.

A: (Yoni Addi) I've learned to let go and let Hashem run things. You can't control everything.

A: (Mendel Wax) When you go through Shaar HaBitachon properly, you'll discover that the "Common Wisdom" about Bitachon and Hishtadlus is often wrong. Shaar HaBitachon is like the "Shulchan Aruch" on Bitachon!

A: (Dovid Addi) Everyone in the Chaburah are entrepreneurs. We finish at 10:15, and we've learned that you don't need to be at work at 9 to make money!

**Q (to Dovid Addi): Any final thoughts?**

It's not enough to learn about Bitachon. To really grow in your Bitachon you need put it into practice. You'll have to find something in your life where you can give up some control, such as pushing yourself to give more Tzedaka beyond your comfort zone.

*For more information, please reach out to R' Dovid Addi at 443-604-0312.*



Chovos Halvavos Chaburah with a special visi from the Bostoner Rebbe of Beitar



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