

*Refuah Shelema* to :

Albert Antebi, Joe Cohen, Claudine Geduldig, Raymond Smith

*Condolences* to :

The family of Max I. Benator

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*700,000 women are diagnosed with CANCER each year  
and most will lose their hair from chemotherapy.*

*So...Hadassah wants to know...*

**DO YOU HAVE 8 INCHES OF HAIR TO SPARE?**

If your hair is long enough to make an 8-INCH PONYTAIL,  
join us for a FABULOUS FREE CUT.

On June 1st, Hadassah & the Stan Milton Oasis salon are  
**CUTTING FOR THE CURE.**

It takes 6 ponytails to make one wig -- WE NEED YOUR HAIR!!

DON'T HAVE THE HAIR TO SPARE??

Then call 678-443-2961 to find out about other giving opportunities to  
support cancer research programs at Hadassah hospitals in Jerusalem.

Call Hadassah today at 678-443-2961  
to schedule your FREE haircut!

Call to make an appointment today, space is limited!

\*HAIR REQUIREMENTS: Hair must be 8 inches measured from elastic band to  
end of the ponytail; wavy/curly hair may be straightened to measure. Hair can't be  
bleached, permanently colored, chemically treated or more than 5% gray.  
Call 678-443-2961 for more info.

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**Tikkun Shavuot ~ All Night Study  
Sunday night, June 8**

Shavuot is the holiday of the giving of the Torah.

Here at OVS, we have a tradition of staying up all night studying,  
and praying at sunrise.

Those who have joined us before know the joy of learning,  
the spicy fish, strong Turkish coffee, and the early morning prayer.

*Sunday, June 8 from midnight 'til 5 a.m. Monday*

**Shavuot is Monday and Tuesday, June 9 and 10.**

The OVS office will be closed on Shavuot.

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***Lunch and Learn with Rabbi Kassorla  
every Wednesday at noon in the OVS Library.***

# CONGREGATION OR VESHALOM

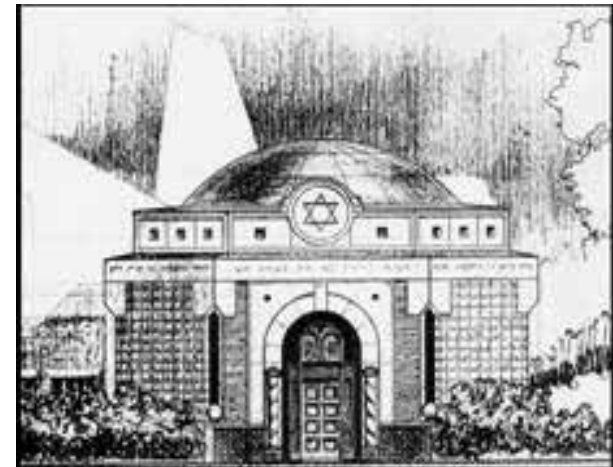
**May 24 – 30, 2008**

**19 – 25 Iyar 5768**

***Perashat Bechukotai***

***Bat Mitzvah of Mariele Berkowitz***

*Today is the 34th day of the Omer*



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On Shabbat, Or VeShalom is a cell phone free zone.  
Please leave your cell phone at home.

## Weekly Services

5/24	Shabbat Morning	8:30 a.m.
	Talmud Class	7:15 p.m.
	Mincha	7:55 p.m.
	Arvit	8:55 p.m.
	Havdalah	9:13 p.m.
5/25	Sunday Morning	8:30 a.m.
5/26	Monday Morning	8:30 a.m.
5/29	Thursday Morning	7:30 a.m.
5/30	Friday Morning	7:30 a.m.
	Friday Evening Services	6:45 p.m.
	Shabbat Candle Lighting	8:24 p.m.

## Shabbat Bechukotai

Perasha:	Leviticus 26:3-27:34	(page 542)
Haftarah:	Jeremiah 16:19-17:14	(page 551)

In this week's Perasha we are taught that if we keep the Torah and Mitzvot, then G-d will provide benefit for us in our own land. Further reward for following the Torah will be peace and tranquility in the land of Israel. However, it also contains the "tochacha", where we find G-d's detailed admonition to the people, warning of the dire consequences that will result from disregard of the Torah and Mitzvot. Our Perasha ends with the personal pledging of funds or property to the Mikdash.

The words of the prophet contain warnings and admonitions which echo the tochacha contained in the Perasha. The Haftarah ends with a prayer for G-d's help in keeping us faithful to him and his Torah.

## The OVS office will be closed on Monday, May 26 for Memorial Day

Mark Your Calendars!  
(it'll be here before you know it...)  
**Annual OVS Mitzvot Auction**  
Sunday, September 14, 2008

## Mazal Tov

*to Mariele Berkowitz on becoming a Bat Mitzvah.*

*Mariele's parents are São & Richard Berkowitz.*

*Her grandparents are*

*Maria Luisa Ricardo of Fall River, MA*

*and Elaine Berkowitz of Boynton Beach, FL.*



Our Kiddush today is hosted by Mariele's parents and grandmothers in honor of her Bat Mitzvah.

## On the OVS Calendar:

- Board of Directors Meeting, Sunday, June 8
- Shavuot, Monday and Tuesday, June 9 and 10
- Women's Rosh Hodesh Group, Wednesday, June 11, 7:30 pm

## MELDADOS

### We Remember

#### Iyar

19	5/24	Jack Rahn, Rivkah Frank
20	5/25	Israel Barocas, Seanne McLay
21	5/26	Gabriel Capelouto, Rachel Habib, Ezra Hannon, Baruch Israel
23	5/28	Rabbi Joseph Cohen, Isaac Geydman, Bunia Pekhotnik
24	5/29	Morrill Barron, Ralph V. Benator, Blanka Hartstein, Max Knox, Benyamin Izmailov
25	5/30	Aziz Azarian

## Sisterhood is cooking on Tuesdays ~ June 3, 17 and 24.

We serve a yummy lunch for just a buck!

Come join the raffle each week for a dozen burekas to one lucky baker.

This week's winner was Renee Arogeti.

**Your at-home students are welcome to come and cook!**

**Join us...Sisterhood needs you!**

### Burekas for Sale

Freshly baked potato, rice, eggplant and spinach burekas are available!

Stock up for the summer now!

Contact Sandra Russo or come by the OVS office.