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my father. R' Meir Zlotowitz z"l. made sure his family was up to date on from the mundane, to the profound, to the 'thanks for reminding me!'



Parashas Terumah 5783 February 24th • 3 Adar

🎍 Reminders

The first opportunity for Kiddush Levana is Thursday night, February 23rd. The final opportunity is Monday night, March 6th 11:41 PM Eastern Standard Time.

Daf Yomi: Erev Shabbos is Nazir 32. Daf Yerushalmi: Pe'ah 9.

Mishnah Yomis: Erev Shabbos is Eiruvin 7:4-5.

Make sure to call your parents, in-laws, grandparents and Rebbi to wish them a good Shabbos. If you didn't speak to your kids today, make sure to do the same!

Next on the Calendar

Taanis Esther is on Monday, March 6th. Purim is on Tuesday, March 7th. Shushan Purim is Wednesday, March 8th.

📕 Parshah in a Paragraph

Terumah: Campaign to collect building materials for the Mishkan • "They shall make for Me a sanctuary and I will dwell among them" • The Aron • The Kappores and Keruvim from upon which Hashem's voice is heard • The Shulchan • The Menorah • The curtain layers of the roof and walls • The beams and the supporting sockets • The Paroches • Arrangement of the k'lei haMishkan • The outside Mizbe'ach • The courtyard's construction of pillars, sockets, and curtains

Haftarah: The Parashah records the donations and the building of the Mishkan. Melachim I (5:26-6:13) details the assembling of the material for the Beis Hamikdash and its construction, led by Shlomo Hamelech.

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Terumah: 96 Pesukim • 2 Obligations • 1

Prohibition

1) Assemble the Mishkan and its accompanying vessels. 2) Do not remove the Aron's poles from its rings. 3) Arrange the Lechem Hapanim on the Shulchan each week.

Mitzvah highlight: When one performs a mitzvah, Hashem bestows His blessing in a manner that corresponds to the means with which the mitzvah is performed. By performing the mitzvah of Lechem Hapanim with bread, we draw Hashem's blessings on our bread so that we will have sufficient food and sustenance.

For the Shabbos Table

"And they shall take for Me a donation" (Shemos 25:2)

The Parashah discusses the donations of Bnei Yisrael toward the construction of the Mishkan. However, instead of the pasuk stating "veyitnu li terumah", 'and they shall give to Me a donation,' the Torah says "veyikchu" 'and they shall take'. Why say that every Jew will "take" his donation for Hashem's Mishkan?

R' Moshe Feinstein zt"l explains: The pasuk is teaching us that while it appeared on the surface that the Bnei Yisrael contributed their own wealth for the construction, the truth is that all wealth belongs to Hashem; He grants wealth for safekeeping, until the time that it could be contributed for a worthy cause, in this case the building of the Mishkan. When one dedicates his wealth to the Mishkan or other worthy causes with a full heart, he is fulfilling the original purpose for which he took the money into his possession in the first place - to allocate it in accordance with its Owner's wishes. Therefore, the *pasuk* accurately states that Bnei Yisrael 'shall take for Me a donation'.

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When you have nothing to say, say nothing.

-Rabbi Meir Zlotowitz z"l







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	ר״ת	שקיעה שבת	סקש גר״א שבת	סקש מ״א שבת	שקיעה Friday Night	הדלקה עש״ק	פלג מנחה עש״ק
Atlanta	7:42	6:30	10:00	9:24	6:29	6:11	5:19
Baltimore	7:06	5:54	9:32	8:52	5:53	5:35	4:43
Boston	6:40	5:28	9:11	8:30	5:27	5:09	4:18
Catskills	6:55	5:43	9:25	8:44	5:42	5:24	4:33
Chicago	6:47	5:35	9:17	8:36	5:34	5:14	4:25
Cleveland	7:24	6:12	9:53	9:13	6:11	5:53	5:02
Detroit	7:28	6:16	9:59	9:18	6:15	5:57	5:06
Lakewood	6:55	5:43	9:23	8:43	5:42	5:24	4:33
Los Angeles	6:57	5:45	9:16	8:39	5:44	5:26	4:34
Miami	7:32	6:20	9:40	9:06	6:19	6:01	5:07
Monsey	6:54	5:42	9:23	8:42	5:41	5:23	4:32
Montreal	6:47	5:35	9:23	8:40	5:34	5:16	4:26
New York	6:54	5:42	9:22	8:42	5:41	5:23	4:32
Orlando	7:34	6:22	9:46	9:11	6:22	6:04	5:10
Passaic	6:54	5:42	9:23	8:42	5:41	5:23	4:32
Philadelphia	6:59	5:47	9:27	8:47	5:46	5:28	4:37
Toronto	7:12	6:00	9:46	9:03	5:59	5:41	4:51
Yerushalayim	6:50	5:33	9:02	8:25	5:32	4:57	4:21

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