

## **תשפ"א – Erev Pesach on Shabbos** **(times listed are for Yerushalayim)**

### **ז' ניסן – Shabbos**

- Rav's Shabbos Hagadol drasha – to review the basic halachos of Pesach
- No צדקתך is said by mincha

### **י"ב ניסן – Thursday**

- תענית בכורים – Fast of the firstborn

### **אור ל"ג ניסן – Thursday night**

- Bedikas chametz – searching for chametz with a bracha – in the very beginning of the evening
- Bitul chametz – to nullify the chometz
- All chametz which is to be eaten on Friday and Shabbos must be stored in a safe place away from children's reach
- Chametz to be sold should be put away and marked

### **י"ג ניסן – Friday**

- In shacharis we say מזמור לתודה and למנצח
- Burning the chametz – ביעור חמץ – preferably before 11:28 a.m. or חצות (12:45)
- No ביטול חמץ is said
- מכירת חמץ should preferably be done before 11:28 (or at least 12:45), but can be done all day in case of need
- One who holds back from doing certain forms of מלאכה (similar to chol hamoed) is praiseworthy
- Many have the minhag to bake matzos mitzvah in the afternoon
- All kashering should be finished before Shabbos and preferably before 11:28
- Preparations for the seder – roasting the זרוע and egg, grinding the horseradish, washing the leaves, חרוסת, salt water

### **י"ד ניסן – שבת הגדול – Friday night**

- Seudah with לחם משנה – bread
- It is forbidden to eat matzah which can be used to fulfill the mitzvah of matzah at the seder
- Egg matzah may be eaten if one does not want to use challah (find out how much must be eaten).
- Suggestion: pitas make less crumbs than challah

## **Shabbos day – י"ד ניסן**

- Many daven early – some say שבת הגדול פיוטים
- Some divide the morning meal into two meals – kiddush, wash, eat a little more than a כביצה of challah and something cold like fish, liver etc. and birchas hamazon. Then leave the table, wait a short while (take a short walk or learn something). Then wash again and eat a minimum of a כביצה of challah. (A כביצה is the size of two small matchboxes)
- Time to be finished eating chametz – 10:11
- Get rid of any leftover chametz before 11:27 (into the toilet)
- Wash hands and rinse mouth
- Say ביטול חמץ – nullify the chametz
- Some have the minhag to say the הגדה in the afternoon
- No צדקתך by mincha
- In the afternoon one should eat something – meat, fish, eggs, fruits, vegetables, etc.
- For those that eat gebrochts, one may eat food cooked from Pesach matzah such as kneidlach, but not baked – such as cakes or cookies.
- After the tenth hour (3:50 p.m.), one may only eat light snacks such as fruit and vegetables

## **Motzai Shabbos – Shabbos ends 7:32, רבינו תם – 8:12**

- Havdalah in ma'ariv: ותודיענו
- Women should say ברוך המבדיל בין קודש לקודש  
Begin preparations for the seder
- Light the candles for Yom Tov with 2 brachos: שהחיינו and להדליק נר של יו"ט
- Kiddush – יקנה"י
- In the second bracha of the seder (אשר גאלנו), some say מן הפסחים ומן הזבחים