



MyZuzah Moments - April 1, 2022

We often tell people that MyZuzah is about more than simply providing access to kosher, fair-trade mezuzah scrolls and putting them up around the world– we aim to build stronger connections for individuals with the Jewish community, inspire people to learn more, and make a positive impact on the world. One of the ways we do this is by providing opportunities for people with financial need to earn money by helping MyZuzah roll and prepare our klafim for distribution. In the **greater DC area**, we have employed teens to help roll klafim, and in **Israel** we have hired other families to do the same. We actively seek out people to compensate as klaf rollers, providing an opportunity for an important work of chesed that allows people to earn money and participate in our meaningful work.

Another act of chesed that is core to our mission of late has been sending mezuzot to **Ukrainian** refugees, wherever they are. This week, we have been coordinating delivery of fifty mezuzot to refugees from **Kiev**, who are currently in **Kiryat Malachi, Israel**. While we hope they will all be able to return home safely soon, we are here to support them and others in the meantime.

Partner Organization Updates:

Valley Beit Midrash, led by Rabbi Shmuly Yankowitz, dedicated their new facility in Scottsdale, AZ with a MyZuzah mezuzah on Purim! They have provided mezuzot to nearly 25 people in their community over the past year.

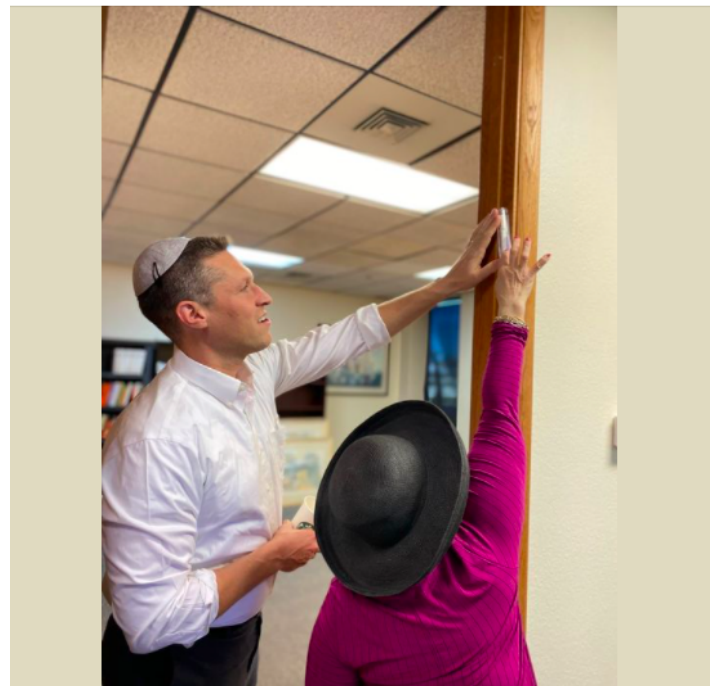
Yosef Gershon, of Bal Harbor, FL, continued his work of putting mezuzot up not only in his community, but with his own partners in Virginia and California! He has helped us to raise **\$7,200** in the last two months!



Shmuly Yankowitz is with Cindy Katzoff and 2 others.

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To celebrate this inaugural Purim day of Torah learning in our new [Valley Beit Midrash](#) learning center, we'd put up a new mezuzah! All are welcome to come & learn with us each week! Purim Sameach!



Jonathan Friedman, Rabbi-Shmuly Yankowitz and 170 others · 26 Comments · 3 Shares

Individual recipient messages:

A couple in Massachusetts who received a mezuzah from us last year asked for another mezuzah to bring to an elderly friend in an assisted living facility, and she shared some words about the experience:

*I delivered the mezuzah to my friend Simmy Korisky yesterday. He had found an old mezuzah in his things and had the facility put it up, but it was turned too far forward and the scroll was not in good condition. He was overcome with what I presented and said: "I can't tell you what this means to me. It is truly beautiful". Notice Simmy's baseball cap on the counter. "Red Sox", who else since we're south of Boston?!! Ed & Linda Leland, **Randolph, MA***



James Orcutt, **Silver Spring, MD**



Leah Wasburn-Moses, **Oxford, OH**

