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The Bulletin

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Madregot Fundraiser

SIX13

In Concert



Sunday, January 10, 4:00 PM

Reservations in advance: Adults \$18, Children (under 12) \$12

At the door: Adults \$25, Children (under 12) \$18

Checks payable to Har Zion Temple, Attn: Madregot
RSVP to Marcy Gubernick, mgubernick@harziontemple.org

OR go to harziontemple.ticketleap.com

Questions can be sent to madregot@harziontemple.org or call the school office: 610-664-5746

Message from Rabbi Rosenberg



It is hard to believe that it was one year ago that we, as a sacred community, were completing the meetings and conversations that led to the development of our current Strategic Map. At that time, thanks to your input, we identified areas of strategic focus for our community, and set forth a plan that contained both short and long term goals designed to make us stronger. As I reflect on the past nine months since our Strategic Map was approved by the Board, we have made some good progress towards creating a better Har Zion Temple for our community.

Our Strategic Map set out four areas for short term focus: Community Building, Shabbat and Worship, Schools and Youth, and Leadership and Organizational process. Within each of these categories, we established specific goals that we hoped would be both attainable and beneficial.

This fall, for example, thanks to the hard work of both our lay committee led by Morria Pedowitz and our professional team led by Hazzan Vogel and Rabbi Marshall, we introduced a new B'nai Mitzvah program to the Har Zion community which offers a new design and approach on how we guide our families through this meaningful milestone on their Jewish journey. This new program is designed to strengthen not only the learning that our students experience as they approach their B'nai Mitzvah, but also the sense of community for them and their families that is so critical to all of us.

Another area of Har Zion life where change is evident is in our Shabbat experience. Our Friday night program has expanded to include *Kol Zimra*, our instrumental service on the second Friday night of each month. We have increased the number of social opportu-
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"One hand cannot clap on its own but it needs the other hand to make a clap. Many hands make light work."

- Maasai tribal saying

GIVE US A HAND ON MLK DAY...YOU'LL BE GLAD YOU DID

MONDAY, JANUARY 18

12:30 - 1:30 PM - ANTI-DEFAMATION LEAGUE WORKSHOP:

"ADL Honors the Legacy of Dr. King: Building the Beloved Community"

(For middle schoolers and up)

1:30 - 2:00 PM REGISTRATION

2:00 - 4:00 PM INTERGENERATIONAL VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

Fun-a-thon Children's Carnival - \$5 donation for charity

Blood Drive: 2:00 - 6:30 PM

Cook for a Friend

Sorting and Packaging Collection Donations: Sorting and Packaging items for Veterans, HIAS, JFCS, Nationalities Center, Lions Club, New Horizon's Senior Center, Impact Thrift, Philly Reads, Friends of the Philadelphia Library, District 4 Philadelphia Health Center, Career Wardrobe

Filling Snack Bags with dried fruits and nuts for seniors

Shul Stitchers: Knit and sew blankets for veterans and shelters

Writing Letters to U.S. and Israeli soldiers

Francisvale: Table sharing pet donation information

Pals for Life: Therapy animals working with children with disabilities

Craft Activities: Cases for Smiles, Golden Slipper, Saunders House

RELIGIOUSLY SPEAKING . . .

SHABBAT SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES

Friday, January 1 – 21 Tevet 5776

5:30 PM Shabbat Sha-Blue Jeans
6:00 PM Minha/Ma'ariv

Saturday, January 2 – 21 Tevet 5776

9:30 AM Kol Tefilah
9:45 AM Lilmod U'Lelamed
11:00 AM Parashat Hashavua
4:30 PM Minha/Kabbalat Shabbat/Ma'ariv

Friday, January 8 – 28 Tevet

6:00 PM Kol Zimra
6:00 PM Lay-led Traditional Service

Saturday, January 9 – 28 Tevet

9:30 AM Kol Tefilah
10:30 AM Tefilot Noar
10:30 AM Rock & Roll Shabbat Shacharit
11:00 AM Kol Mishpacha
4:35 PM Minha/Kabbalat Shabbat/Ma'ariv

Friday, January 15 – 6 Shevat

6:00 PM Minha/Ma'ariv
7:00 PM Congregational Oneg Shabbat

Saturday, January 16 – 6 Shevat

9:30 AM Kol Tefilah
Bat Mitzvah Laney Gold-Rappe, daughter of
Drs. Barri & Andrew Gold-Rappe
9:45 AM Lilmod U'Lelamed
11:00 AM Parashat Hashavua
4:40 PM Minha/Kabbalat Shabbat/Ma'ariv

Friday, January 22 – 13 Shevat

5:30 PM NCCECE Shabbat Service and Dinner
6:00 PM Minha/Ma'ariv

Saturday, January 23 – 13 Shevat

9:30 AM Kol Tefilah
10:30 AM Tefilot Noar
10:30 AM Rock & Roll Shabbat Shacharit
11:00 AM Kol Mishpacha
4:50 PM Minha/Kabbalat Shabbat/Ma'ariv

Friday, January 29 – 30 Shevat

Scholar in Residence – Rabbi Kieffer
6:00 PM Minha/Maariv
7:00 PM Scholar in Residence Dinner

Saturday, January 30 – 30 Shevat

Scholar in Residence – Rabbi Kieffer
9:30 AM Kol Tefilah
10:30 AM Junior Congregation
5:00 PM Minha/Kabbalat Shabbat/Ma'ariv

Shabbat Sha-Blue Jeans – Friday Night Family Service and Dinner

Join us on **February 5 at 5:30 PM**
for lively services with guitar and a delicious dinner
with options for kids and adults. Geared for families
with children, from infants to six years old, but all ages
are welcome. Jeans and casual clothes encouraged.
Reservations required – please contact Marcy at
mgubernick@harziontemple.org.

Rock & Roll "Shabbat" Shacharit

(A Junior Congregation Experience)
with Rabbi Marshall and Jacob Schatz
Come sing and dance as we celebrate Shabbat!
Geared towards families with children in
grades 1-7, but ALL are welcome!
Saturdays, January 9 and 23
10:30-11:45 AM



Kol Mishpacha – A "Tot Shabbat" Experience

Geared for young families
Saturdays, January 12 and 26
11:00 AM in the Benjamin B. Levin Room

*Babysitting takes place every Shabbat
beginning at 9:30 AM at the same location.*



Milton Pomerantz Interactive Torah Study

Every Shabbat following services and
kiddush join in an informal discussion of the
day's Torah portion.



Talmud Class

Study Talmud with Rabbi Charlestein in the
Rudofker Library one hour before Minha.



Minha Study Session

Join the Har Zion Clergy for brief study
between Minha and Maariv.

TISCH

After Wednesday morning minyan.
Join Rabbi Allen for breakfast and inspirational learning.



Friday Morning Minyannaires

Join Rabbi Rosenberg for morning minyan and
then stay for a bite-size portion of Torah along
with your coffee and bagel.

Rabbi Rosenberg *(continued from page 1)*

nities that take place on Friday night as well. In November, over 120 people joined us for our Shabbat in a Box dinner, and our Guess Who is Coming to Shabbat? and Friday night Oneg program are also generating interest and increased community spirit. On Shabbat morning, in addition to changing the starting time of our services, we now offer different prayer and study options each week. Our traditional Sanctuary service is now supplemented with either *Lilmod U'Leamed* (a learning service), *Parashat Hashavua* (weekly Torah study), *Kol Mishpacha* (a family service), our new *Tefilot Noar* (our Teen service) and Junior Congregation. Of course, our congregational Kiddush punctuates all of our services. I know I speak on behalf of all our clergy and educators when I say our Kiddush is really a nice time for our community to spend time together.

Our community building efforts are part of all that we are doing. I know many of you have taken advantage of the new social space that was created in the Rudofker Library. It is nice to see our members having a drink, talking, watching TV or using the WiFi. As a result of our envisioning conversations, this is just one step in a larger, longer term process that will help us better understand and utilize our facilities. To this end, we have engaged an architectural firm (Brawer & Hauptman) to help us better envision our physical plant. We are having conversations with constituent groups to talk about our auditoriums, lobby area, bathrooms, gift shop and library, as well as other public spaces.

Community building, as we all know, is not just about physical space. It is about relationships and the way we work together to bring the sacred into our lives. It is about creating access and helping each of us grow in our understanding of ourselves, our family and friends, our community and our faith. It is about knowing each other and respecting each other, and for us as a synagogue it is

about creating space for us to live our Jewish lives in ways that add holiness and meaning to us as individuals and as a community. It is about respecting our diversity while maintaining our unity.

As Senior Rabbi of Har Zion Temple, it is a true privilege to work with our team of devoted professionals and lay leaders to build our sacred community. All of us truly care about you, our members, and we want Har Zion to remain strong as we serve the needs of our community. As we looked at our Strategic Map and considered the challenges of Leadership and Organizational process, we decided that we would be a stronger community if one of our professionals could serve as a membership concierge, program director and volunteer coordinator. We have seen a great improvement in the work we have been doing with B'nai Mitzvah families since Beverly Goldberg, our B'nai Mitzvah Coordinator, became the single point of contact for families in the B'nai Mitzvah process. What would our community look like, how would it feel, if we had a concierge for all areas of congregational life? Based on your input from the Strategic process, we believe that such a person will allow us to be more responsive to the needs of our members and our community. To this end, after much discussion with our Officers and a presentation to our Board of Directors and Trustees, I am pleased to welcome Norman Einhorn, a person who has been a devoted leader, teacher and High School principal at Har Zion Temple for over 30 years, to our senior staff team. Norman will begin his new role this month, and I know he looks forward to helping us empower Har Zion Temple to go from *Chayil L'Chayil*, from strength to greater strength. Please stop in and say hi to Norman and know that we are all here to build our sacred community together.

Guess Who's Coming to Shabbat?

Friday, February 26

GWC2S is an initiative that uses the power of Shabbat meals to strengthen our synagogue's sense of kehillah or community.

Participants can host Shabbat dinner (on Fridays) or Shabbat lunch (on Saturdays) in their own homes or be guests at someone else's home.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us at GWC2S@harziontemple.org!



**Joy of
Shabbat
Dinner**

(Formerly known as Shabbat in a Box)

Come relax and enjoy
Shabbat together
following evening
Services.

**All ages
are welcome!**

Friday, January 8

**Dinner following
6:00 PM Kol Zimra (Instrumental) Services**

**\$10 per adult, \$5 per child (under 13)
BYOB (unopened Kosher)**

**RSVP by Monday, January 4
with your choice of chicken or salmon,
to Marcy Gubernick at 610-667-5000
or mgubernick@harziontemple.org**

ADULT JEWISH LEARNING . . .

Classes with Rabbi Rosenberg

Popular Commentaries on Genesis

Thursday mornings, 10:00 AM

We will study the commentaries found in the Hertz Chumash, the *Etz Hayim* Chumash and the commentaries of modern biblical scholars to deepen our understanding of the first book of the Bible.

Men's Club Minyannaires

Friday mornings, following 7:00 AM Services

Jeopardy Rashi Style

We will examine the commentary of Rashi on the Torah to deepen our appreciation of the issues Rashi saw in the text, and to understand how his commentary maintains relevance through today.

Class with Rabbi Allen

TISCH

Wednesday mornings following 7:00 AM services

Halakha Yomit (daily halakha) with the Mishnah Berurah

Join us each week as we study a different halakha and ask ourselves about the underlying values that inform our practice.

Classes with Rabbi Alpert

Adult Bible Study

Sunday, January 17, 2:00 PM at Har Zion

Book of Joshua – We will examine in depth the process of the conquest of the Land of Canaan and Joshua's leadership style in the aftermath of Moses' passing.

Talmud Study

Mondays at 10:00 AM

Continuing our study of the sixth chapter of Bava Metzia.

Sisterhood Davening Skills

Thursday mornings, 11:00 AM

Learn how to lead the weekday service and feel more at home at Minyan. The class is open to all who know a bit of Hebrew. For info, please contact Debbie Golden, goldendagg@gmail.com.

Classes with Rabbi Marshall

Ladies and Lattes

Thursdays, 9:15 AM at Har Zion Temple and

12:00 PM at Starbucks, Bala Cynwyd

January 14, February 18, March 17, April 14, May 19

Ask The Rabbi: Women Rabbis Respond to

Modern Jewish Law Questions

Have you ever wondered if it is permissible to drive on Shabbat to shul? Make a snowman on Shabbat? Or even dance on Shabbat? Come discuss with Rabbi Marshall what the women rabbis of our time have to say.

One-on-One Learning with the Clergy

All of our clergy would enjoy the opportunity to spend one-on-one time teaching whatever topic or aspect of Judaism you would like to study.

Some suggested topics available are: Hebrew language, Torah reading, Text study, chanting Torah or Haftarah. Call Laurie Albert, 610-667-5000, ext 111, to make an appointment!

Rabbinical Assembly Lunch and Learn

For more information, call Rabbi Gary Charlestein, 610-239-6003.

Tuesdays in Center City, 12:00-1:30 PM

Offices of Cozen & O'Connor, One Liberty Place, 1650 Market Street, Philadelphia

Rabbi Robert Alpert teaches at this location on 1/19.

Tuesdays in Plymouth Meeting, 12:30-1:30 PM

Offices of Premier Dental, 1710 Romano Drive – off Ridge Pike and Belvoir Road

Rabbi Charlestein teaches at this location.

Adult Education Movie Series

Wednesday, January 6 and 13, 7:00 PM



January 6
GETT: The Trial of
Viviane Amsalem



January 13
The Other Son

Free admission – Discussion following movie
Refreshments will be sold to benefit USY

RSVP requested to Marcy Gubernick,
mgubernick@harziontemple.org or 610-667-5000.

Save the Date!

Wednesday, March 2, 7:00 PM

Jewish Principles in the Workplace

The Torah is Your Guide to
Ethical Business Practice

Join us for an evening of discussion, where we will explore the importance of Jewish business ethics. Along with a leading Talmudic authority on Jewish Business Ethics, our panel will include Har Zion members who are business leaders locally, nationally and internationally. This evening proves to be informative and entertaining as we explore obligations and responsibilities of running a successful ethical business!

Winter Scholar in Residence



Rabbi Samuel Kieffer January 28 - 31

Heart, Mind, Body and Soul

The emotions of war, the intellectual investigation of responses to tragedy, giving in to the temptations of the flesh as in the case of King David, and music as an outpouring of the soul.

**Thursday, January 28, 7:00 PM –
Men's Club Cafe Presentation**

*"King David: Fifty Shades of the Greatest King in
Jewish History"*

Open to the Har Zion community.

Dairy Cafe in Bala Cynwyd - \$10 Couvert

**Friday, January 29 – Dinner and Discussion
following 6:00 PM Services**

*"Fifty Days of War and Blessings, Living through
Last Year's Wars"*

\$30/adult, \$15/child 3-12

RSVP needed by January 22:

mgubernick@harziontemple.org

Saturday, January 30 – Discussion after Kiddush

"Top Ten Ideas Torah Has Taught the World"

Saturday, January 30, 8:00 PM – Evening of music

**Sunday, January 31 – Breakfast following
9:00 AM Services**

"Three Unlikely Heroes of the Bible"

Co-sponsored by Adult Education, Sisterhood and Men's Club

B'bayit

Behind the Scenes of Shabbat...

Candles, Wine, Challah

Wednesday, February 17 at 7:00 PM

Our B'bayit series brings Torah into our homes. Come learn about the customs of Shabbat – candle meditation, Kiddush wine tasting, and challah baking.

**Wine Tasting and Kiddush
with Rabbi Scott Rosenberg
hosted by Aliza & Alan Remer**



RSVP to Beth Krouse, beth@ert-title.com.

Message from Norman Einhorn

*I would like to begin by extending a warm invitation
to all of you.
Save the date!*

*Join Us - Sunday, September 21, 1986 at 8PM for the
Opening Meeting of Har Zion Families and Meet Rabbi
David Barnett, New Assistant Rabbi and Mr. Norman
Einhorn, New Junior Congregation Leader. At the home
of Brett & Susan Schlossberg. Refreshments Served.*

There you have it – my first mention ever in a *Har Zion Bulletin* – the September 1986 issue.

This is the part where I yell, "I'm baaaaack!" . . . but, in fact, I never left.

Here I am, just about thirty years later still "psyched" and "pumped up" about working at Har Zion Temple, only this time as senior staff.

Despite the decades that have led up to the many "didn't you use to have red hair?" comments, I would like to still believe that I am on the exact same mission as I was the day that Dr. Sara H. Cohen sat in the back of Room 213 to watch my model lesson before carefully considering hiring me:

I want to give my students (and now congregants) a positive, meaningful Judaism built upon three things: **Attitude, Identity and Education.**

Attitude: Like it here. Feel connected, inspired. Belong, volunteer, contribute. Smile, laugh, enjoy! Stay, relax, have a nosh!

Identity: "Proud to be HZT!" We have a cherished history and legacy that will only be outdone by our future! Let's build that future together as part of a beautiful, cohesive HZT community!

Education: Let's learn Jewishly together, live Jewishly together and pray Jewishly together. We have all the finest ingredients at Har Zion – let us help you find a recipe that tastes just right for you! We're ready!

As Director of Member Engagement, I will work with the congregation as well as lay and professional leaders to help insure personal, positive congregant experiences. I'm thinking of using the Beatles "I Wanna Hold Your Hand" as my theme song. I mean, that really pretty much sums it up. I want to be there for you, my congregation, every step of the way!

And that brings me to the end of my first *Bulletin* article. (I know, very emotional.)

I can't even begin to tell you how much I am looking forward to my full-time efforts of continuing to build positive, meaningful relationships and a strong, vibrant, happy Har Zion community!

I have a feeling you will hear from me again – at least before the January, 2046 *Har Zion Bulletin*, anyway. :-)



EDUCATION . . .

Messengers of Hope

Message from

Rabbi Nogah Marshall, Educational Director

Every evening we recite the *Hashkivenu*, a prayer that teaches that we are partners with God. We, the Jewish people, are messengers of hope and in this prayer we ask God to help us find peace. "Help us, O God, to lie down in peace, and awaken us to life on the morrow." And throughout our lives, we meet people who are true messengers of hope. One summer afternoon in the summer of 1992, I met some true messengers of hope.



I took in a baseball game with my family. Not at a major league park, and not even at a minor league park, rather the game was located at the local field of dreams out in Manlius, New York, a suburb of Syracuse. The league holds the name of the Challengers, six teams in a league. The game is a very demanding yet exciting game to watch, because everything has to do with the participants. The first baseman, a young eight-year-old girl, Elizabeth, full of enthusiasm, has Spina Bifida. Chad, the shortstop, is a little guy, also energetic with a beautiful smile, is confined to a wheelchair from Cerebral Palsy. The center fielder, Chris, another enthusiastic ballplayer especially when making contact with the ball, is eleven years old. He is blind and hits a baseball that beeps as it comes over the plate to let him know when to swing. And then there is Eyal, my brother, at the time a twelve-year-old third baseman, a quadriplegic, ventilator dependent.

At first I was in awe. Parents and siblings are facilitating and enabling these players to play baseball. Children lifted from their wheelchairs, shuttled about the bases, and lots of cheering. Watching this game you recognize and realize and appreciate that something very special, remarkable and uncommon takes place on the ball field. The hope that these children almost lost is found on this field. A field where nine kids on a baseball team, some who cannot see, some cannot talk, and some cannot move, play baseball in North Syracuse. This is a miracle and this is called having hope and making one's dream come true.

But Syracuse, New York, is not the only place where hope can be found. Here at Har Zion Temple at the Jane Fishman Grinberg Religious School, a group of incredible people spread the message of hope every day in our Madregot Program. The Madregot Program is a community program that is hosted at Har Zion Temple. The Madregot program caters to the needs of families in the greater Jewish Philadelphia area and the western suburbs with children with all types of special needs from the ages of 5 to 21. It is the only Religious School program of its kind on the Main Line. Our program provides individualized, academic instruction together with a positive exposure to Judaism. Our students leave our school each day with a feeling of warmth and acceptance coming
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Jane Fishman Grinberg Religious School/PTA

- January 2** No Davening and Donuts, No Junior Congregation
- January 3** No School – School resumes January 5
- January 7** USY Board Meeting
- January 9** Rock'n Roll *Shacharit*, Teen Service
- January 10** Yom Pajama, Dalet Siddur Decorating Program, PTA Meeting, Shabbat Shalom Club Ice Cream Party, Madregot Six13 Concert, Haverim/Garinim Program
- January 16** No Davening and Donuts, No Junior Congregation
- January 17** No School
- January 23** Rock'n Roll *Shacharit*, Teen Service
- January 24** Madregot Meeting
- January 31** Bet Family Program

Challah for Hunger

Sunday, January 24, 10:00 AM



The Har Zion High School, along with Sisterhood, will bake and sell challah and donate our earnings to non-profits working to end hunger around the world.

Challah for Hunger is a model for young people to meet, explore their mutual responsibility to heal the world through activism and philanthropy, and engage in community and Jewish tradition.

For more info, contact Norman Einhorn,
neinhorn@harziontemple.org.

Youth Update

USY has had a great year so far! The Linvilla hayride and bonfire was lots of fun and there were so many people from across the Main Line USY chapters. Fall convention was really amazing as well. It set a great energy for the rest of the year! There were lots of new faces and a very welcoming atmosphere. It built excitement for everyone for Hagesher Region's next convention, Mid-Winter Kinnus on January 29-31. But before Mid-Winter, come to Har Zion on MLK Day for the Fun-a-thon on January 18 to run the tables with other USYers. The Main Line USY chapters are also going to Comedy Sportz on January 23, a comedy show with opposing teams that is sure to be lots of fun! This year has been so much fun so far but would be so much better with new friends, so don't be shy and come out to any or all of HZT USY's upcoming events!

– Michelle Herzberg, USY Chapter President



Register Your Child in
The Noreen Cook Center
For Early Childhood Education
of Har Zion Temple Today!

Classes for ages 18 months through Kindergarten
Early morning drop-off,
Kids' Knowledge College,
Stay & Play (6 to 24 months), and
Extended Care till 5:30 PM (Mon.-Thurs.)

Call **DEBBIE FOLZ, DIRECTOR,**
610-667-6534 to be warmly welcomed into
our school community.

The Noreen Cook Center for Early Childhood Education/HSA

Thanks to all the parents of HSA and PTA who supported our very successful Latke sale! Thanks to Meredith Moss for spearheading the sale! A big *Todah Rabah* to Samantha O'Malley for chairing our festive Hanukkah celebration! Thanks to Tracy Waasdorp for overseeing the Pajama Havdalah. We truly appreciate all the hard work our volunteers put into these events and we couldn't have done it without them.

HSA Board Meeting

Thursday, January 7, 9:15 AM

Everyone welcome, please come out and join us and hear what we are planning for the upcoming year and get involved.

Martin Luther King Day of Service

Monday, January 18

NO SCHOOL – Come to Har Zion and do a mitzvah!
Many activities planned!

Stay and Play, Shalom Chai and Garinim Shabbat Dinner

Friday, January 22, 5:30 PM

We look forward to welcoming Shabbat with a children's service and delicious dinner for our Stay and Play, Shalom Chai and Garinim students and their families.

Save the Date: "For Our Children" Fundraiser

Thursday, March 10, 2016

Join us for an exciting evening of scotch and sirloin, a fabulous auction and fun galore!

Your 2015-2016 HSA Board

Jen Goodbinder, Avi Koffler, Kimberly Kimmel, Meredith Moss, Tracy Waasdorp, Amy Katzeff, Melissa Rand, Kimi Sokol, Tracy Friedman, Elana Weinstein, and Rebecca Michels

Where Would You Like to Be This Summer??

Message from **Debbie Folz,**
Early Childhood Education Director

It might be winter and cold outside,
But all I keep thinking about is the water
slide!

Where you ask, can this be found?

At Har Zion Day Camp – FUN is all around!

What does Har Zion Day Camp have in store?

Laughter, smiles, new friends and more!

At camp you get to play with friends,

There are activities and games that never end!

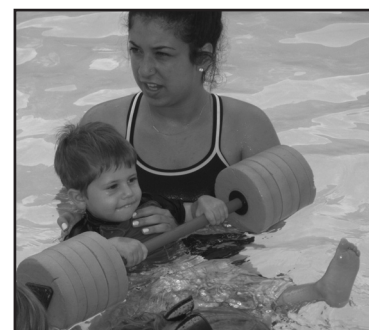
Music, art, gymnastics, soccer, karate to name a few

Don't forget movement, ponies, T-ball and swim too!

Sign up now so you don't miss out...

On the best summer ever, without a doubt!

*Har Zion Day Camp is the Place to be Seen...
In the Summer of 2016!*



SISTERHOOD . . .

Getting to Know Your Sisters

By **Norma Dworkin**, Sisterhood Co-President

This month, I had the privilege to interview a relatively newer member of our Sisterhood, although not to our synagogue. Barbara Gross joined us about two years ago and expressed to me how much she appreciates the kinship and comradery that she feels from participating in Sisterhood activities and with the "Open a Book...Open your Mind" committee. Barbara's enthusiasm for life and boundless energy could be felt throughout our interview.

Barbara was born in Altoona, Pennsylvania near Penn State University. She grew up in a very small town and belonged to a Conservative synagogue, where she went to Hebrew school. At that time, girls were not able to be a Bat Mitzvah, but she did take additional classes. She went on to college at West Chester University for education and taught first and second grade for a time. However, Barbara grew restless, and didn't want to take additional courses in education. When a friend of hers mentioned a master's program in Library Science at Drexel University, she decided to pursue this. Barbara proceeded to get certified as a school and public librarian.

During this time, Barbara met Larry Gross at a bar in Atlantic City when she was working as a waitress during the summer. She was only 21 years old. They fell in love and were married six months later! Larry is a pharmacist and owned and operated the Rosemont Pharmacy for 26 years and then worked for CVS for 18 years. He is now retired. They have belonged to Har Zion Temple since 1965 when it was located in Radnor. Their two children, Benjamin and Halley, went to Hebrew school and had their Bar/Bat Mitzvah there. Benjamin now has two children and works as tenured art professor at Salem University and is also a print maker. Halley also has two children and lives in Florida, and works as a merchandising stylist and buyer for Michael Kors.

Barbara loves new stimulation and challenges. She has held numerous jobs as a librarian in schools and with the Philadelphia Free Library. In 1985, when she worked at the Baldwin School, she started a program called B.E.A.R. Day - "Be Excited About Reading." This program continues to this day. Barbara went on to head the Children's Department at the Montgomery County - Norristown Public Library, and was the children's consultant for 32 public libraries within the county. She helped with book choices, infant and preschool story hours, and other children related activities. Barbara eventually decided to go back to being a school librarian for Norristown Elementary School and then Gladwyne Elementary School for 13 years until she retired in 2012.

Barbara is an avid reader and loves all books! She feels passionate about exposing children to books as early as infancy, and strongly believes that reading provides children with their first exposure to language and art. Also, it's a

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Sisterhood Calendar of Events

Sisterhood Adult Ed

Wednesdays, 10:00-11:30 AM at Har Zion Temple

All are welcome. Classes are free of charge.

February 3, 17 and 24

Unpacking the Haggadah

Join Dr. Sara Cohen as we learn about the Hagaddah, its history, writers, content, liturgy and the ideas inherent in it. We will examine the story of Moses' life and the women who influenced him.



General Meeting - Mah Jong Night

Monday, January 11, 7:00 PM

Join us to play - join us to learn.

Nina Greberman will facilitate the games.

Dessert - Sisterhood members free; non-members \$5

RSVP to Nina at zoneman@aol.com by January 5.



Volunteers Needed for Mishloah Manot

Assembling Packages and Distribution

Contact Shelley Brietling, sbrietling@comcast.net,

610-896-8922, Madelyn Karasick,

madsk1410@gmail.com, 610-505-6131 or

Dorene Karasick, gingeralegal45@aol.com,

610-664-2807.

SISTERHOOD FLORAL FUND

Norma & Jerry Dworkin

Michele & Adam Sherman in honor of

Mackenzie's Bat Mitzvah, Marla & Gary

Kerstein in honor of Jacob's Bar Mitzvah

Floral Fund Donation Cards

Minimum contribution: \$10.00

Four for \$30

Questions? Please contact Emily Schwartz at

610-660-0609 or emilyruth@gmail.com.

Cards are also available in the Gift Shop.

wonderful way for parents to bond with their children and promotes social emotional growth. She has no doubt that reading is crucial to cognitive and language development. Barbara worries that with technological advancements, communication skills are being hampered rather than enhanced.

Barbara is not a big movie goer or traveler. She and her husband feel that they have "the best trip not taken" on their walls. They love art and collect from many artists and galleries that they have become familiar with. Hence, they have surrounded themselves with beauty and especially enjoy Abstract Minimalism. Now that she has grandchildren, Barbara will tolerate airplane travel to visit them.

Although she is retired she maintains a very busy schedule: She volunteers at the National Museum of American

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MEN'S CLUB . . .



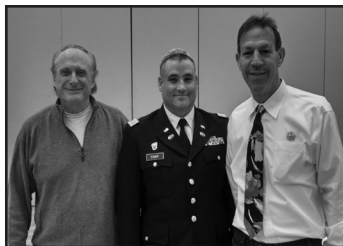
**Har Zion Men's Club
We've Got It Covered**

Message from
Jack Marine, Men's Club Co-President

I started writing this column on November 14, while I was enroute to visit my son in Tel Aviv, Israel - less than 24 hours after the terror attacks in Paris on Friday, November 13. The state of Israel is going through one of its toughest times as defenseless Israelis are being stabbed to death by Palestinians daily. Terror abounds, but in the city of Tel Aviv, after being here two days, I miraculously feel safe.

People in Tel Aviv are definitely aware of what's going on in their country. They lead an active lifestyle, involved in many industries, from start-ups to established businesses. Tel Aviv is thriving with young singles from all around the world, and families bringing up babies and young children. They all seem totally committed to Israel and her future.

Visiting Israel at this time has re-affirmed my connection and I think back to our Men's Club November Veteran's Day Brunch. This year, we welcomed Sergeant Dan Fisher who served in the US Navy during Operation Enduring Freedom in Kuwait. All those in attendance listened to Sergeant Fisher recount his experience as sometimes the lone Jewish soldier. Dan told us about his training in Texas Boot Camp and of his service in Kuwait. He shared how fellow soldiers called upon him in unusual circumstances because they believed he was definitely fulfilling his mission of being a representative of "The Chosen People." He recounted his story about the Hanukkah Miracle when he was in Kuwait with several soldiers, Jewish and non-Jewish, who were about to travel as a convoy to a centralized Seder. His commanding officer asked Dan to recite a prayer for their safe travel across a dangerous desert. Although he didn't have his soldier's prayer book handy, he remembered and recited the prayer for lighting the Hanukkah candles! His commander was extremely impressed and thankful for his prayers and the subsequent eventual safe travels for the troops.



Upon reading this installment of the *Bulletin*, we have had several Men's Clubs events. Our successful Men's Club Shabbat was phenomenal. We extend our thanks to Howard Herzberg for helping plan the spiritual aspects in services, and Doug Sayer and Gary Novick for planning the delicious Friday Shabbat dinner. We want to thank all our members who participated and families who attended. Also, we had the pleasure of attending the Federation of Men's Clubs Man of the Year dinner honoring our past president, Roy Stander. We send our best wishes for Happy 2016, and as you are making your New Year's resolutions, put on your list to join us on Thursday, January 28 at the Dairy Cafe in Bala

RUDOFKER LIBRARY . . .

IMPORTANT DATES

January 10 - Erev Rosh Hodesh Shvat
January 18 - Martin Luther King Jr. Day
January 25 - Tu B'Shvat

Tu BiShvat or Tu B'Shevat or Tu B'Shvat is a minor Jewish holiday, occurring on the 15th day of the Hebrew month of Shevat. It is also called "The New Year of the Trees" or (Hebrew Rosh Hashanah La'Ilanot). Tu B'Shvat is one of four "New Years" mentioned in the Mishnah.

Tu B'Shvat begins at sundown on Sunday, January 24.

BOOK OF INTEREST

Wrestling with Angels: What the First Family of Genesis Teaches Us about Our Spiritual Identity, Sexuality, and Personal Relationships by Naomi H. Rosenblatt and Joshua Horwitz.

Rosenblatt advances no particular religious agenda; instead, she asks that we reacquaint ourselves with those profiled in Genesis, the people who dreamed and struggled, triumphed and failed, just as we do today, and that we seek to understand, rather than to prove. Throughout, Rosenblatt skillfully interweaves her own insights with the wisdom of a variety of writers and thinkers, from Abraham Heschel and Paul Tillich to M. Scott Peck.

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You can borrow a book even if staff is unavailable to check it out to you in person. Please **PRINT** your name on the book card and include your **PHONE NUMBER**. If you borrow a book on Shabbat and choose not to write your name, **YOU MUST CALL (610-667-5000) OR EMAIL US AS SOON AS POSSIBLE**. Thank You! Our email address is rudofker@harziontemple.org.

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LIBRARY HOURS

Tuesday, 4:00 - 6:15 PM
Wednesday, 6:30 - 8:30 PM
Sunday, 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Monday by appointment.

Cynwyd at 7:00 PM, as the Men's Club welcomes beloved past interim rabbi, Rabbi Sam Kieffer. Having settled in Jerusalem after his stint at Har Zion Temple, this will be his first time back to the Har Zion community. Rabbi Kieffer will be talking about the legacy of King David, a king of many talents and legacies.

Happy New Year - from Doug and Jack!

Expect the Unexpected


By **Gerald Spector**, HAZAAC Chair

In the **HAZAAC** article in last November's Bulletin about the elder law educational seminar with **Ricki Goodstein** scheduled for our November 18 luncheon meeting, I urged everyone to "be a good scout and be prepared." Nevertheless, I was unprepared when the unexpected happened.

On the morning of November 18, as I was about to leave for Har Zion to prepare for the lunch and seminar, I received a phone call informing me that due to a family medical emergency **Ricki Goodstein** regrettably had to cancel the seminar. What to do? It was too late to cancel our luncheon and no alternative program had been planned. When I told **Rabbi Rosenberg** about my problem, he had an idea for a possible solution. He called **Norman Einhorn**, **Co-Principal of Har Zion's High School of Jewish Studies/ Midrasha**, who with less than two hours notice, graciously offered to present an interactive discussion about **Current Events from a Jewish Perspective**.

There is a Jewish saying, "גַּם זוֹ לַטּוֹבָה" (*gam zu letovah*) "it is all for the best." Those who attended **HAZAAC's** November meeting were not disappointed. **Norman Einhorn's** presentation was highly informative, provocative, and stimulating and left us wanting more. I and all who attended that meeting were grateful to **Rabbi Rosenberg** and **Norman Einhorn** for saving the day.

Happily, **Ricki Goodstein's** family medical emergency also ended well. We have re-scheduled her educational elder law seminar for our next meeting which will be on **Wednesday, March 16**. Everyone is invited to attend and learn about steps to take to protect your assets while providing for your loved ones.



"Oh, if I'd only known (s)he needed a ride to Har Zion."

"Oh, I would have been there but I couldn't get a ride."

DO YOU NEED A RIDE... To Services?
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**Please contact Nanci Goldman at
NanciG22@aol.com or 610-664-7987.**

Rabbi Marshall *(continued from page 6)*

from the school's teachers, students, and administration.

In order to continue our success and welcome more students, we require the support of the entire community. Part of that support is shown by opening our doors to all children and by helping to shoulder the financial part of the program. Our Madregot Fundraiser this year is called, "Making Music Together." We kickoff our fundraiser with a concert with a cappella group Six13, on Sunday, January 10 at 4:00 PM. Six13 is a six-man vocal band that brings an unprecedented style of Jewish music to the stage with songs ranging from hip-hop dance tracks to rock anthems. The members of the band sound like a full band, while only using their voices. Tickets in advance are \$18 for adults and \$12 for children under the age of 12. Tickets at the door will be \$25 for adults and \$18 for children. **See page 15 for details.** We hope you will join us for this concert and support our program by making a donation for music notes that will be posted on the walls of our building.

One of the basic fundamentals of Judaism is that of *Kol Yisrael Arevim Zeh Lazeh* – all Jews are responsible for one another. At Har Zion Temple strive hard to look out for one another. Let's work together to be those messengers of hope.

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TIKKUN OLAM . . .

Har Zionites Prepared Forty-Four Thanksgiving Meals for the Needy

On November 22, our Tikkun Olam committee, along with other caring Har Zionites, lovingly filled baskets with homemade turkey and stuffing, vegetable soup, kugel, rolls, canned goods, fresh fruit, cookies, candy and more! The spirit of giving was palpable that morning as meals were lovingly packaged and then delivered to community members in need. This was a

Har Zion community effort led by co-chairs Francine Bernstein and Judy Solomon. Others who "rolled up their sleeves" in doing this



mitzvah included: Roni Feierstein, Deena Goldstein, Carol Kaplan, Fran & Gary Kaar, Elaine Stewart, Marilyn Becker, Charlotte Muchnick, Leta Shubin, Lydia Gesoff, Eileen Chonnick, Jackie Allen, Adriene Levick, Mona Kolsky, Maxine Waxman, Judy & Hank Shrager, Joy Keiser and Andy Coren. That morning, our goal was to provide a plentiful and happier Thanksgiving for community members in need. This goal was achieved and had the added benefit of making connections with grateful recipients – a fulfilling and enriching experience for the recipients and deliverers alike!

Many arms of the shul played a part in seeing to the success of this project. "Canned goods galore" were donated by our congregants, JFGRS students, and preschoolers. Shari Feldman and her Hebrew School students put on their "chef hats" and cooked nutritious and delicious soup for each of our recipient families. With the help of Debbie Folz and her little ones, and Rabbi Marshall's students, cardboard boxes were artistically transformed into magnificently decorated baskets. Doing mitzvot gave all students participating a lesson in values – "doing for others" is a worthy deed.



Lastly, a warm thank you goes to Nancy Gorelick who provided each basket with a lovely handmade turkey display and card which was used as a centerpiece for the Thanksgiving meal. Each one was signed, "With love from Har Zion Temple." Donations from our caterers allowed each meal to have a home-cooked and holiday quality that seniors so long-for and relish. Thank you to **BOSCOV'S CATERERS** and **FOOD DESIGNS** who generously provided each basket with ample pieces of their delicious kugel, **6 POINTS KOSHER EVENTS** provided wonderful muffins, **GREENWALD CATERER** baked their special chocolate chip cookies, **BETTY THE CATERER** donated delicious cookies, and **LESLIE ROSEN CATERING** made certain that the meals included challah rolls. We want to give "A Shout-Out" to Har Zion staff. We couldn't have done this without you!! **TODAH RABAH!!**

- Andy Coren

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Tikkun Olam Highlights JFCS

Jewish Family and Children's Service (JFCS) of Greater Philadelphia has a unique and vital mission: to strengthen families and individuals across generations and cultures to achieve stability, independence and community. Jewish Family and Children's Service (JFCS)... provides comprehensive programs and services to families, children and individuals from birth through death throughout the Philadelphia area regardless of religious affiliation, while continuing also to be the social service "safety-net" for the Jewish community.

HELP make the mission statement of JFCS a reality by contributing: Small tool sets or individual tools, puzzles and games, towels, sheets, children's clothes and shoes, adults and children's hats, gloves and scarves.

NACHES, ETC . . .

BIRTHS

Welcome to the world to

Chase Branson Govberg, son of **Chelsea & Brian Govberg**, grandson of **Lenny & Jill Govberg Feinberg** and **Daniel & Ashley Govberg**, great-grandson of **Shelley & Stanley (z") Kramer**.

Addi Jordyn Katsnelson, daughter of **Holly & Michael Katsnelson** and sister of **Nomi and Raya**.



ENGAGEMENT

Mazel tov to

Valerie Carpey, daughter of **Nancy & Dan Carpey**, and granddaughter of **Cece & Frank Kessler**, who became engaged to **Jason Dabrow**. An October 2016 wedding is planned.

WEDDING

Rachel Michell, daughter of **Lisa & Rand Michell**, married **Abe Haupt**, son of **Ellen & Dr. Donald Haupt** in November.

Remember to call or email Jane F. Kontopodias, 610-667-5000, ext 107 or jfetscher@harziontemple.org, with all your happy news!

DO YOU NEED THE HAR ZION CARING CONNECTION?

Do you know about the Har Zion Temple Caring Connection? We are a community, a network of fellow congregants who would like to hear from you if you have a need in your good times and bad. We encourage any congregant to contact us if you know of a fellow congregant who is ill or has had a loss.

Please don't assume we know. Help us help you!

Call 610-667-5000, ext 178 or email caring@harziontemple.org to connect with us.

Sisterhood *(continued from page 8)*

Jewish History running events like the Second Sunday program held each month, and participates in Sisterhood activities such as the monthly book club (and two other reading groups) and "Open a Book...Open your Mind." In addition to this, Barbara serves on the Women's Committee for the Philadelphia Museum of Art's Craft Show.

Barbara's passion for children's development, especially through children's literature and books, is the joy that makes each day a welcomed blessing. She also wishes to express, that not all things come to pass immediately, but with perseverance and drive one can make dreams a reality. She hopes that everyone can find their own passion to make every day something to look forward to. Thank you so much Barbara for sharing yours!!



On February 21, 2016, please help the Jewish Federation of Greater Philadelphia's 2016 Campaign get off to a bright start by making the calls that make the difference on SUPER SUNDAY, our Greater Philadelphia Jewish community's single largest day of fundraising. We are STRONGER TOGETHER...let's prove it.

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Thanks to Dr. Joe Carver and Rabbi Alpert for their delicious latkes

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Nicole & Alan H. Klein in honor of Jacob Kerstein becoming a Bar Mitzvah

Men's Club in honor of Men's Club Shabbat

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We gratefully appreciate the generosity of the following for their sponsorship of the Wednesday Morning TISCH:

Eileen & Steve Chopnick in memory of Eileen's aunt, Margaret Monahan (z"l) and Steve's grandfather, Sam Chopnick (z"l)

Lita Cohen in honor of her 75th birthday

MEN'S CLUB MINYANNAIRES' FRIDAY MORNING BREAKFAST

We gratefully appreciate the generosity of the following members for their sponsorship of the Men's Club Minyannaires' breakfast:

Morris Kurtzman and Jack Marine in honor of their birthdays
Ellis Weinberger on the occasion of his mother and mother-in-law's yahrzeit

Josh Klein on the occasion of his mother's yahrzeit

CHAI SIMCHA WALL PLAQUES

There is no greater joy than the celebration of Jewish life cycle events. The meaning and memory of your event is heightened when it becomes a permanent part of our synagogue's Chai Simcha Tablet. The Tablet is a beautiful reminder of Bar/Bat Mitzvot, baby namings, weddings, anniversaries, and other happy occasions shared with family and friends. For more information, please call the synagogue office, 610-667-5000.

CONDOLENCES

We extend our heartfelt condolences to the following members:

Anne Walowitz on the loss of her brother Irwin Wagman

Judy Lundy on the loss of her mother Peggy Ashner

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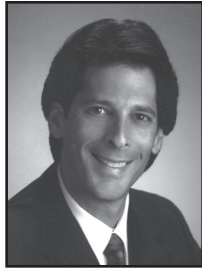
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7:00 AM

**Evening
(Minha)**

6:00 PM
6:00 PM
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6:00 PM

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Saturday 9:30 AM

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**Minha
Ma'ariv**

4:30 PM

4:35 PM

4:40 PM

4:50 PM

5:00 PM

**Shabbat
Ends**

5:31 PM

5:37 PM

5:44 PM

5:52 PM

5:59 PM

3 22 Tevet

JFGRS Closed - Classes
resume 1/5

4 23 Tevet

10:00 AM Talmud Class
w/Rabbi Alpert

5 24 Tevet

Executive Committee
Meeting

6 25 Tevet

7:00 AM Minyan & Tisch
w/Rabbi Allen

7 26 Tevet

9:15 AM HSA Meeting
10:00 AM Popular Commentaries
w/Rabbi Rosenberg

1 20 Tevet

NEW YEAR'S DAY
9:00 AM Morning Minyan
5:30 PM Shabbat Sha-Blue

2 21 Tevet

9:30 AM Kol Tefillah
9:45 AM Lilmod U'Leilamed
No Jr. Congregation
11:00 AM Parashat Hashavua

10 29 Tevet

10:00 AM PTA Meeting
10:00 AM Zion Class
4:00 PM Madregot Six13
Concert

11 1 Shevat

Rosh Hodesh Shevat
10:00 AM Talmud Class
w/Rabbi Alpert

12 2 Shevat

7:00 PM Sisterhood General
Meeting - Mah Jong
Night

13 3 Shevat

7:00 AM Minyan & Tisch
w/Rabbi Allen

14 4 Shevat

9:15 AM Davening & Donuts
6:50 AM Ladies & Lattes at HZ
9:15 AM Popular Commentaries
w/Rabbi Rosenberg

8 27 Tevet

7:00 AM MC Minyamaires
w/Rabbi Rosenberg

9 28 Tevet

9:30 AM Kol Tefillah
10:30 AM Tefilot Noar
10:30 AM Rock & Roll Shacharit
11:00 AM Kol Mispacha

17 7 Shevat

JFGRS CLOSED
10:00 AM Zion Class
12:30 PM Kadima Miztvah
Activity

2:00 PM Adult Bible Study
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18 8 Shevat

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19 9 Shevat

12:00 PM RA Lunch & Learn
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20 10 Shevat

7:00 AM Minyan & Tisch
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21 11 Shevat

10:00 AM Popular Commentaries
w/Rabbi Rosenberg

15 5 Shevat

7:00 AM MC Minyamaires
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16 6 Shevat

BAT MITZVAH:
LANEY GOLD-RAPPE
9:30 AM Kol Tefillah
9:45 AM Lilmod U'Leilamed
11:00 AM Parashat Hashavua

24 14 Shevat

10:00 AM Challah for Hunger
10:00 AM Zion Class

10:15 AM Sist Exec Mtg

10:45 AM Sist Board Mtg

12:00 PM Madregot Com Mtg

25 15 Shevat

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10:00 AM Talmud Class
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26 16 Shevat

7:30 PM Joint Board of
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27 17 Shevat

7:00 AM Minyan & Tisch
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28 18 Shevat

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29 19 Shevat

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9:30 AM Kol Tefillah
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