

SHABBAT SHAMOT

Friday, January 5 – 19 Tevet

4:31 PM Candle Lighting
6 PM Kabbalat Shabbat/Ma'ariv – DOGOLE CHAPEL
7 PM Congregational Oneg Shabbat – MAIN LOBBY

Saturday, January 6 – 19 Tevet

9:30 AM *Kol Tefilah* – Morning Service – DOGOLE CHAPEL
TORAH READING: EXODUS 3:1 Page 326
MAFTIR: EXODUS 4:14 Page 334
HAFTARAH: ISAIAH 27:6 Page 343
10:45 AM *Parashat Hashavua* with Rabbi Moriah SimonHazani – LEVIN-BAILIS ROOM
10:45 AM Nosh with Norman – Teen Discussion – RUDOFKER LIBRARY
10:45 AM *Parsha* and Popems – RMS 101, 103, RUDOFKER LIBRARY

Kiddush: Congregation and guests are cordially invited to join us in the FISHMAN/TOBIN AUDITORIUM. We are grateful for this week's donation to the Shabbat Fund by Sisterhood.

Milton Pomerantz Interactive Torah Study Group: Following the Kiddush, join Charlotte Muchnick for an interactive Torah study session in the BAILIS ROOM.

3:30 PM Talmud Study with Rabbi Gary Charlestein – RUDOFKER LIBRARY
4:30 PM Minha/Ma'ariv/Havdalah – DOGOLE CHAPEL
5 PM HSA/NCCECE PJ Havdalah - BERKOWITZ FAMILY AUDITORIUM
5:34 PM Shabbat ends

IN MEMORIAM – BARUCH DAYAN HA-EMET

The Congregation extends its deepest sympathy to the families of:

ADAM LEVITT, son of Dr. Robert & Linda Levitt, December 22, 2017 (4 Tevet 5778)

JUDITH WACHS, wife of David Wachs, mother of Rachel Wachs and Martin Wachs,
December 23, 2017 (5 Tevet 5778)

ELAINE WOLPE, wife of Rabbi Gerald Wolpe (z"l), December 27, 2017 (10 Tevet 5778)



LANDAU GIFT BOX

January Sale – 10% OFF 50% Off Selected Items

Monday – Thursday, 9:30 AM to 4:00 PM; Friday – 9:30 AM to 3:00 PM

Sunday – 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM (when school is in session)

610-667-2698

Mi Shebeirach

Mi shebeirach avoteinu

M'kor hab'racha l'imoteinu

May the source of strength,
Who blessed the ones before us,
Help us find the courage to make our
lives a blessing, and let us say, Amen.

Mi shebeirach imoteinu

M'kor hab'rachah l'avoteinu

Bless those in need of healing with
r'fuah sh'leimah,
The renewal of body, the renewal of spirit,
And let us say, Amen

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Sunday, January 7 – 20 Tevet

9 AM Morning Service
10 AM Sisterhood Executive Board Meeting
10:30 AM Sisterhood General Board Meeting
6 PM Minha/Ma'ariv

Monday, January 8 – 21 Tevet

6:50 AM Morning Minyan
12:30 PM Sisterhood/HSA Mah Jongg & Canasta
6 PM Minha/Ma'ariv

Tuesday, January 9 – 22 Tevet

7 AM Morning Minyan
6 PM Minha/Ma'ariv
6:30 PM Executive Committee Meeting

Wednesday, January 10 – 23 Tevet

7 AM Minyan and TISCH – *Halakha Yomit* (daily *halakha*) with the *Mishnah Berurah* – conversation & breakfast with Rabbi Shawn
9:15 AM HSA Meeting
4:30 PM Youth Committee Meeting
6 PM Minha/Ma'ariv
7 PM Open a Book...Open Your Mind with author Marie Benedict

Thursday, January 11 – 24 Tevet

6:50 AM Morning Minyan
8:50 AM Sisterhood Chair Yoga
10 AM *Popular Commentaries on Genesis* with Rabbi Rosenberg
11:30 AM *Current Events* with Norman Einhorn – at the home of Patty Grobman
6 PM Minha/Ma'ariv

Friday, January 12 – 25 Tevet

7 AM Minyan and Men's Club Minyanners – Join Rabbi Rosenberg for "Jeopardy Rashi Style." This morning's breakfast is sponsored by Joy Landau in honor of her Bat Mitzvah anniversary.
4:38 PM Candle Lighting
5:45 PM* Kabbalat Shabbat/Ma'ariv (*change of time)
5:45 PM* *Kol Zimra* – Instrumental Service
7 PM Joy of Shabbat Dinner (by reservation only)
8 PM Special MLK-ADL Program

**Mah Jongg & Canasta Mondays
with Sisterhood and the HSA
Come Play! Come Learn!**

**Every Monday, 12:30 PM and
Monday, January 29, 7-9 PM**

Join the Sisterhood and HSA in
weekly/monthly community open

Mah Jongg play

Canasta players welcome!

You may bring a Kosher dairy lunch or
dairy/parve Kosher snacks.

Mah Jongg instruction available

\$10 per person

FEEL FREE TO INVITE

YOUR FRIENDS!

Questions and to RSVP:

**Nina Greberman, 610-733-1399
or ninagrebs@gmail.com**

תהיינה נפשותיהם צרות בצרור החיים:

May their souls be bound
up in the bond of life.

The following yahrzeits will be observed during the coming week.

Max Brodsky
David Bubis
Hillel Chaiken
Morton Clayman
Paul M. Cooper
Max Heller
Kevy Kaiserman
George M. Kohn
Celia Leonard
Liba Snyderman
Henrietta Weiss
Eva Zayzeva
Sylvia Wapner Dietz
Mary Fishman
Harry Gornish
Sidney Levin
Philip E. Panzer
Minnie Segall
Dorothy S. Werner
Esther Amon
Anita Berman
David Freedman
William Goldschlager
Bessie Kahn
Frances Nerenberg
Edith Plitnick
Fanny F. Segall
Sydney Waldman
Bernard Weinberg

Lisa Aronin
Esther Berez
Anna Glassman
Paul Janoff
Richard Kelman
Irwin Lipstein
Finnie Mandelcorn
Sandra Lee Robbins
Norma Schwarz
Julia Boroff Stillman
Murray Weisberg
Mark Appel
Alice Brazina
Max Bressler
Michael Caplan
Jordan Seth Charlestein
Salomon Goldszmidt
Anne Greenbaum
Alan Isen
Esther Kauffman
Joseph Milestone
Moe Singer
Joshua Stone
Percy Berkowitz
Esther Molly Landau
Hilda Levinthal
Isadore Miller
Betty Olster

Jessie Porton Pries
Hannah Raichlen
Anne Saul
Helene Steinberg
Vivian Stile
Solomon Bronstein
Sylvia Bronstein
Harry Elitzky
Bernice Faust
Henry Herman
Mary Farbman Kliger
Joseph N. Landsburg
Benjamin Moss
Esther Roth
Jerome Shatzman
Lewis Waldman
Reda Wallner
William Becker
Sol Berney
Edith Brenner
Tobie Kessler
Reba Matter Robinson
Arthur Shesser
William Shore
Jacob Sporkin
Nat Sporkin
Morris Weiner
Leah Zatuchni

Open A Book . . . Open Your Mind
Wednesday, January 10, 7 PM

Marie Benedict – *The Other Einstein*
Admission: \$18 in advance/ \$25 day of event



Presented by the Sisterhood of Har Zion Temple and the Jane Fishman Grinberg Religious School.
For more information about this and/or our spring lineup, openabook@harziontemple.org or
610-667-5000. Purchase tickets online, harziontemple.ticketleap.com

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**Hello Past and Hopefully New Shpielers! Purim Shpiel Rehearsals will be every
Thursday from 7 - 8:30 pm starting Thursday, January 11 in Room 215**

Michael Jackson's "The Thriller Megiller"

Do you enjoy singing, acting, dancing? Are you looking for fun, laughs and camaraderie?
We hope you will take a part in this year's Purim Shpiel which will take place
the **evening of Wednesday, February 28**. You can give as much or as little time as your
schedule allows! Bring along any friends whom you think might be interested. We hope to
see you there! Questions? Contact: dfolz@harziontemple.org

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Special MLK Weekend Program – Friday, January 12

In celebration of the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Weekend,
join us for Joy of Shabbat Dinner followed by an engaging program
with the Black-Jewish Alliance of the ADL

5:45 PM* – *Kol Zimra* (Instrumental Service) and Kabbalat Shabbat/Ma'ariv
(*please note change of time)

7 PM – Joy of Shabbat Dinner

All ages welcome – \$10/adult, \$5/child under 13 – BYOB (Kosher unopened)
RSVP by Noon Wednesday, January 10 – Contact Harriet, 610-667-5000 or hzt@harziontemple.org
and bring your payment to the front desk

8 PM – Join us in the Dogole Chapel for our Program with the ADL
Dessert to Follow



INNOVATION UPDATE FROM *ISRAEL IDEAS*
Helping Users Get A Second Opinion On Ct Scans

CT scans don't always provide all the answers patients are looking for, but getting a second medical opinion costs time and money. Now Israeli startup Zebra Medical Vision has machine learning platform that can provide those second opinions. Zebra's online software, called Profound, reads data from CT scans, analyzes the information and produces medical reports with 90 percent accuracy, the company said. "Usually when you go to the hospital for a visit, for example, if you have a chest pain, you go for that particular symptom. The doctor looks for that specific sign looking for the cause, but there is always something that he can't find, and often he doesn't have the time to look at the entire scenario," said Zebra's CEO Elad Benjamin. To read more, go to: <http://www.israelideas.org/#!current/c1gqf>.

23RD ANNUAL GREATER PHILADELPHIA MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY OF SERVICE MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 1-3 PM

BRING YOUR DONATIONS NOW

Collecting items for:

Shul Stitches – Yarn, yarn needles, scissors

Narberth Food Bank – Non-perishables – cereal, peanut butter, rice, mac & cheese, soy milk, etc

Philly Reads – K thru 6th grade children's books

Golden Slipper – Toiletries, toothbrushes, toothpaste (any sizes welcome)

Philadelphia Veteran's Comfort House – **NEW** Thermal long johns, winter scarves, Keurig K-cups, protein bars

Home at Last Rescue – Pet supplies, leashes, canned or dry pet food, towels

HIAS – salt & pepper shakers, pop-up laundry baskets, paper towels, **NEW** pillows

Nationalities Service Center – Cleaning/household supplies, laundry detergent; cold weather clothing - coats, hats, scarves, gloves, shoes for children thru adults; gently used blankets

Philly AIDS Thrift – Children (all sizes), women's and men's clothing (casual/sports)

Career Wardrobe – Women's professional - suits, skirts, pants, blouses, blazers, shoes, handbags, belts, jewelry, belts, scarves; men's professional – suits, shirts, slacks, blazers, ties, belts, shoes

New Horizon Senior Center – Raffle prizes like mugs, frames, stationery, personal care items, notepads, key chains

Free the Girls – New or gently used bras – all sizes and styles

Pajama Project – **NEW** pajamas for infants thru size 16 must be **labelled flame retardant**

Maternity Care Coalition – Onesies, diapers, wipes, formula, infant first aid items, receiving blankets, pacifiers, baby books

GENTLY LOVED or NEW stuffed animals

Bring your donations to the front desk and mark your calendar to join us!

Fishman Institute Visiting Scholar – February 9-11

RABBI JONATHAN SLATER

***Shifting from Performance to Practice:
What Are We Doing When We 'Do Jewish'?***

An introduction to the idea of Jewish practice as making "unifications" – internally, with others and the world; to speak about what it means to engage in "prayer as practice;" and living a life of intentionality as the goal of Jewish practice.



FRIDAY EVENING

"Shabbat As Incubation" – During 6 PM Services

Shabbat can be a time in which what we've done in the past week is transformed and raised up, allowing us to enter the coming week with energy and determination. We will reflect on the previous week, and sing our way into Shabbat.

"To Live Torah Today" – 8 PM following Joy of Shabbat Dinner*

What is the purpose of our Jewish religious practice? Of course it is to preserve tradition, and to fulfill the mitzvot. But, what are the mitzvot for? We will investigate together one way to answer this question.

***Join us for the Joy of Shabbat dinner and stay for the lecture.**

All ages welcome – \$10/adult, \$5/child under 13

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at harzientemple.ticketleap.com**

A small service fee will be charged for online reservations.

SATURDAY MORNING

"What is Prayer?" – Following Kiddush

Prayer is a central component of Jewish religious life. But when "going to services" is all that we know of prayer, it may feel alien, far from our own hearts. How else might we conceive of prayer, and find it in our own lives?

SUNDAY MORNING

"Prayer as Practice" – Following 9 AM Services, during breakfast

What do we have to do to cultivate a personal prayer practice? How might doing so change how we understand, find our place in and seek satisfaction from our communal worship?

For teachings from *A Partner in Holiness*, go to <http://www.harzientemple.org/harzion/ehighlights/18Partnerinholiness.pdf>

Rabbi Slater's books are available in the Landau Gift Box.

*Rabbi Jonathan Slater co-directs the Clergy Leadership Program and participates as staff in many other programs at the Institute for Jewish Spirituality. He is a graduate of the Institute's first rabbinic cohort. He is the author of *A Partner in Holiness: Deepening Mindfulness, Practicing Compassion and Enriching Our Lives through the Wisdom of R. Levi Yitzhak of Berdichev's Kedushat Levi* (Jewish Lights Publishing, 2014) and *Mindful Jewish Living: Compassionate Practice* (Aviv Press, 2004). Jonathan received his ordination at the Jewish Theological Seminary of America in 1979, and served as rabbi at Beth Am in Santa Rosa, California, for 19 years. He is on the faculty of Makom: Center for Mindfulness at the JCC in Manhattan, teaching and leading mindfulness meditation.*

"I am constantly amazed and inspired at how the focused, sustained and honest inner work of our participants generates such deep personal transformation, inspired leadership and strong commitment to ease human suffering and sustain the world."



HZT Adult Education

Department of Lifelong Learning

Upcoming Classes

Current Events with Norman Einhorn

Thursday, January 11 – 11:30 AM-12:30 PM

At the home of Patty Grobman

Jerusalem and how it is divided between various groups and how those divisions came to be. Is Jerusalem part of the West Bank?

Experience the Joys of Yiddish with Gerry Spector

Tuesdays, January 16, February 13, 27

10 AM and 5 PM

Do you love Yiddish language, literature, poetry, song, theater, or cinema? Then this is the class for you!

Rabbi Shawn and the Philosopher's Stone

Thursdays, January 18, 25, February 1 – 11 AM-Noon

A Covenantal Chosen People

Join Rabbi Shawn as we explore modern Jewish philosophy – without getting too academic (that will be the alchemy involved).

HZT AFTER DARK

Wednesday Night Adult Ed Series

6:20-7 PM - light fare and refreshments, 7-8 PM - Classes

January 17, 24 and February 14

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Ariela Barlas – Judaic Art

Come get messy and creative with Ariela – Art Room (Rm 200)

Ben Rotenberg – Competing Visions for the Jewish State

We will be exploring the words by important early Zionist thinkers and sharing our responses to their own dreams and concerns about Israel. We will be using Arthur Hertzberg's book, "The Zionist Idea," along with images and articles from the late 19th and early 20th centuries.

 Denotes Israel @ 70 program

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Adult Education of Har Zion Temple
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Come learn. Come connect. Come home.

Speakers - Israel@70

Thursday, January 18, lunch at 12 PM, lecture at 1 PM

Rabbi Arie Hasit

From Talking to a Wall to Building Bridges: The Quest for Jewish Pluralism in Israel

With the collapse of the Kotel Compromise Agreement, the continued monopoly of the Ultra-Orthodox Rabbinate, and a series of disparaging remarks by Israeli government ministers, it sometimes seems like fighting for religious pluralism is a constant battle. At the same time, Conservative rabbis and community leaders on the ground are finding new ways to build bridges to Israelis thirsty for an open-minded approach to Judaism. Come join Rabbi Arie Hasit, the founding rabbi of a new Masorti community in the town of Mazkeret Batya, to learn about the challenges and opportunities of creating a dynamic community in Israel that celebrates pluralism.

Wednesday, January 31, Nosh 6:30-7 PM, Class 7-8:15 PM

Rachel Korazim

On a Silver Platter - The Birth of an Iconic Text

Among the many beautiful literary works created in Israel, there are a few that acquired an iconic position. Of those, Alderman's "The Silver Platter," is in a unique position as the ritual text of commemoration for soldiers fallen for the defense of the state. It is recited in ceremonies all over Israel every Yom Hazikaron and is included in many siddurim. This session will explore the circumstances and events that brought about the composition of this outstanding text. We will study the poem in depth uncovering references to the past and prophetic visions of the future for the State of Israel.

Tuesday, February 13, 8 AM after minyan and breakfast

Yaakov Malomet from the Reut Institute

Jewish Peoplehood and Israel's Relations with World Jewry

Wednesday, February 21, Nosh 6:30-7 PM Class 7-8:15 PM

Bat El Trabelsi - *Why is Peace in the Middle East so Complicated?*

Israeli Emissary for the Jewish Community of Greater Philadelphia

Have you ever wondered why the conflict seems to be never ending? Popular Israeli philosopher Micha Goodman deeply researched Israeli attitudes on the struggle with Palestinians and offers new ways to frame and discuss the issue and we will discuss his proposal in this program.

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March 14, 21, and 28

Aviva Habib

Hebrew Music and Poetry - Cultural Development

A closer look into how Israeli culture has developed over the last 70 years.

May 9, 16, 23, and 30

Norman Einhorn

Trending News and Events in Israel Today

This class tackles those topics talked about at the water cooler and dinner table. Past classes have dealt with BDS, Israeli-Palestinian Conflict, Anti-Semitism, Immigration, US Elections, Israeli Advocacy and the future of American synagogues.

Programs - Israel@70

Sunday, March 4 – 10AM – 12PM @HZT

My Israel Story

Sunday, April 15

JFGRS Israel Day celebration of both Yom Hazikaron and Yom Ha'atzmaut

Tuesday, April 17- 7PM

Community-Wide Yom Hazikaron Commemoration at Har Zion

Sunday, April 29 - 10AM-12PM. Kaiserman JCC

KLM Israel Games - Har Zion children from second-fourth grades will participate in a "Macabia" style program

Sunday, May 6 - 12-5PM at Valley Forge Event Center

Philadelphia Community-Wide Yom Ha'atzmaut Celebration

These programs are generously sponsored by the Shirley & Norman Greenbaum Yom Ha'atzmaut Fund

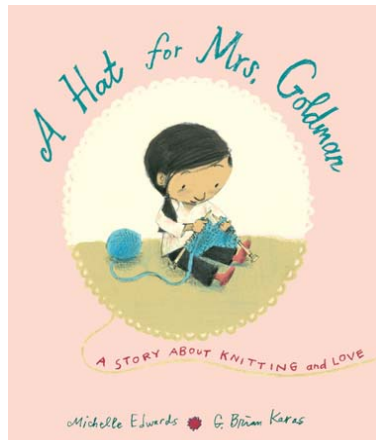


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Come connect. Come home.

Save the Date
Monday, January 15
Martin Luther King Day of Service
1-3 PM

Special Open a Book...Open Your Mind Program
with Michelle Edwards



Join us for a very special intergenerational program as we welcome Michelle Edwards, author of *A Hat for Mrs. Goldman: A Story About Knitting and Love*. Plan for a joyful book presentation followed by doing a mitzvah... making pom-poms for hats for those in need.

An event not to be missed!

FREE and Open to the Community



American Red Cross

January is **National Blood Donor Month**.
A whole month dedicated to celebrating you!

Blood Drive
Har Zion Temple

Gorson Auditorium
1500 Hagys Ford Road
Penn Valley, PA 19072

Monday, January 15, 2018
1:30 PM to 6:30 PM
Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Har Zion Temple's - MLK Jr. Blood Drive

To make an appointment please call 1-800-RED-CROSS or visit www.redcrossblood.org and enter sponsor keyword: har zion temple penn valley



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