UPCOMING EVENTS, ACTIVITIES AND SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Building Our Spiritual Community

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27 – 8 HESHVAN 5:45 PM - Candle Lighting 6 PM - Minha/Kabbalat Shabbat/Ma'ariv

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28 – 8 HESHVAN 9:30 AM - Kol Tefilah – Morning Service 10:45 AM - Family Service – Gan-Gimel 5:30 PM - Minha/Seudah Shlishit/Ma'ariv/Havdalah Bar Mitzvah: ELI FINKEL, son of Cristi & Kevin Finkel 6:43 PM - Shabbat ends

Rabbi Moriah & Rabbi Shawn SimonHazani and their family invite you to join them for Services and Kiddush on Saturday, November 11 as their daughter Shirat becomes a Bat Mitzvah.

Sunday, October 29 starting at 2 PM

First, they wanted your cereal...Now, they want your basketballs! And bats! And rackets! And helmets! And gloves, etc

Norman and Rabbi Shawn are collecting gently used sports equipment. They will come to your house to pick it up!

Email Norman, <u>neinhorn@harziontemple.org</u> or call 610-667-5000 to schedule your pick-up!

Support Har Zion's Tikkun Olam!

Donations benefit Leveling the Playing Field.

Leveling the Playing Field gives underprivileged children the opportunity to enjoy the mental and physical benefits of youth sports participation. This is accomplished through the donation of used and excess sporting equipment to programs and schools serving low-income communities.

Live Performance of

Heir To My Estate: The Afterlife of My Father, Rabbi Gerald Wolpe Tuesday, October 31, 7 PM

Written and Directed by Daniel M. Wolpe

Starring Daniel M. Wolpe and Barry Pogach

81 year-old Rabbi Gerald Wolpe dies and is reunited with his father Benjamin Wolpe, who passed away when Jerry was 11 and Ben was 46. Their reunion opens old wounds and allows them both to finally heal.

Cost: \$5

Please drop off your check at the office or purchase your tickets in advance online. (A small service fee will be charged for online reservations.)

Learning our Liturgy with Dr. Sara H. Cohen

Wednesdays, November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 - 10:30-11:30 AM

A comprehensive study of our liturgy, using the Siddur (Jewish prayer book), as our text. We will explore the history, origins, authors, structures and meaning of our prayers from Biblical times to the present. This "virtual tour of Judaism" will enlighten us, enable us to relate more fully to our prayers and make our attendance at worship services more meaningful and enjoyable.





Open A Book... Open Your Mind Fall Authors

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, <u>openabook@harziontemple.org</u> Purchase tickets online, <u>harziontemple.ticketleap.com</u>

Wednesday, November 1, 7 PM

Francine Klagsbrun – *Lioness: Golda Meir and the Nation of Israel* Admission: \$18 in advance/\$25 day of event

Wednesday, November 8, 11:30 AM

Susan A. Silver – *Hot Pants in Hollywood* Join us for a Special Sisterhood Lunch Admission is Free for HZT Sisterhood members/\$18 non-Sisterhood members **RSVP by November 2 to Sheila Schafer**, **Issch@comcast.net**

Wednesday, December 6, 7 PM Rabbi Daniel Cohen – What Will They Say About You When You Are Gone: Creating a Life of Legacy Admission: \$18 in advance/\$25 day of event

This event is brought to Har Zion Temple in collaboration with the Jewish Book Council.

Rabbi Shawn and the Philosopher's Stone Thursdays, 11 AM-Noon Abraham Joshua Heschel – November 2 Martin Buber – November 9, 16, 30 David Hartman – December 7, 14, 21

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

Current Events with Norman Einhorn Thursdays, November 2, 16; December 7, 11:30 AM-12:30 PM

At the home of Patty Grobman Ripped from the day's headlines, our multi-media classes revolve around issues that are making the news. Whether it's Israeli or American politics, personalities or other pressing issues of the day, we've gotcha covered.

Stay and Play, Shalom Chai and Garinim Shabbat Dinner combined with Shabbat Sha-Blue Jeans Friday, November 3, 5:30 PM Services with Rabbi Allen followed by HSA - sponsored Shabbat Dinner - BYOB (Kosher)

Jeans and Casual Attire Encouraged DON'T MISS IT! We really do need you to RSVP to Debbie Folz, dfolz@harziontemple.org.

Cook for a Friend – Sunday, November 5, 9:30 AM

Do a Mitzvah! Come to the large kitchen to help prepare meals for those in need. For more information, please contact Elaine Stewart, estew23@verizon.net.

Torah Tuesdays with Hazzan Vogel

Tuesdays, November 7, 14, 21, 28; December 5, 12 - 10 AM-11 AM

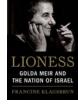
Learn to read Torah in nine sessions. This class will emphasize becoming proficient with Torah trope. Online audio visual aids will be used to reinforce in-class learning. The goal of this class is for each participant to independently prepare and read one Torah portion in a synagogue service.

Experience the Joys of Yiddish with Gerry Spector

Tuesdays, November 7, 21 – 10 AM and 5 PM

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







<u>Wednesday Class Night</u> November 8, 29; December 13 Meet and Greet 7-7:30 PM, Classes 7:30-9:30 PM

Jam Session with Rabbi Allen

Har Zion is getting the band back together! Rabbi Allen is looking for musicians for a jam session. All levels of experience are welcome! Bring your instrument, your voice and your spirit of improvisation!

Balancing Justice and Forgiveness: Some Biblical Insights with Emilie S. Passow, Ph.D.

What is Justice? When does it leave room for forgiveness? These are complex questions on both a personal and a societal level. By analyzing some key Biblical narratives ranging from the Garden of Eden through Moses' career, along with some classical and contemporary rabbinic commentaries, this series will explore Jewish perspectives on these ongoing issues.

Jewish Music and Prayer: Where have we come from and where are we going? with Hazzan Vogel

Tracing the last one hundred years of musical practice in the synagogue this class will examine the everevolving modes and styles of prayer from the beginning of the 20th century through the present time. Through discussion about the meaning of the prayers as well as active listening, participants will be encouraged to think critically about the musical aspects of prayer and how various melodic styles and genres work to enhance the spiritual experience.



Friday, November 10 following 6 PM Services

Come relax and enjoy Shabbat together. *All ages welcome!* \$10 per adult, \$5 per child (under 13) – BYOB (unopened Kosher) **RSVP by Noon on Wednesday, November 8** to Harriet, 610-667-5000 or <u>hzt@harziontemple.org</u> and bring your payment to the front desk.

The Caring Connection needs YOU to SAVE THE DATE -

Sunday, November 12, 10:30 AM - 12 Noon

Please join us as we renew our skills and learn more about BIKUR CHOLIM – VISITING THE SICK At Har Zion Temple we have growing needs for engaging in this mitzvah. Let's respond as the caring community we are! RSVP to Laurie Albert, 610-667-5000, ext. 111



Highlighting New Afternoon Classes...

Bring a dairy lunch to eat before class

The Birth of Israel: Four Approaches with Dr. Ely Levine, PhD Bible, Villanova University

4 Mondays, October 30; November 6, 20 and 27 – 12:30-1:30 PM Course Fee: \$30

Adath Israel, 250 N. Highland Avenue in Merion Station, PA

The Exodus from Egypt is the founding story of the people of Israel. The rich text of Exodus 1-15, familiar from Cecil B. DeMille's The Ten Commandments, can be examined from different perspectives. Each of these seeks information from the details, resolving difficulties in the text and adding layers of meaning. In four sessions, we will understand why the text is written the way it is, what may have happened and how we learn about that, and the implication for Israelite and later Jewish tradition.

Addressing the Alzheimer's Epidemic – Wednesday, November 1, 7 PM

Barbara & Harvey Brodsky Enrichment Center at JFCS 345 Montgomery Ave, Bala Cynwyd Free and open to the community RSVP by October 26, https://tinyurl.com/addressingalz

Men's Club Pub Night – Opening Event – Thursday, November 16, 6:30 PM

Citron & Rose Tavern and Market, 261 Montgomery Ave, Bala Cynwyd Meet us at the Bar - First round is on us! Come and shmooze with your buddies – Food - Beer - Wine All HAR ZION MEN (of any age) are welcome!

Do you need the Har Zion Temple 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. Please contact Laurie Albert, 610-667-5000, ext 111 or lalbert@harziontemple.org. Help us help you!

Sisterhood Floral Fund Donation Cards are available for acknowledging special birthdays, special events, happy occasions, new babies and wishes for a speedy recovery, as well as, memorializing loved ones. Contributions to the Floral Fund provide Bimah flowers throughout the year.

Four for \$30 (\$10 each) – To purchase your donation cards, please contact Michelle Strayer, 610-992-9371 or <u>moibas83@hotmail.com</u>.

Use the Sisterhood Scrip Program for All of Your Shopping Needs!

Stock up on gift cards from Scrip. A percentage of the money you spend on each card benefits the Sisterhood. Why not support Sisterhood while planning your shopping days? Order your Scrip cards and be prepared whenever you shop! Please contact Michele Perlstein, <u>mshoueka@hotmail.com</u> or 610-519-1211 for more information.



INNOVATION UPDATE FROM

Israeli Tech Helps Mexican Rescuers Locate Quake Victims

Radio-wave technology developed by Israeli firm Camero-Tech that can "see" through solid walls is helping rescue workers in Mexico search through rubble for buried victims. Amir Beeri, the CEO of the firm, said "We got reports from our representative in Mexico that our technology is being used there by the rescue workers and he sent us TV images that show our systems in use."

The company's "sense-through-the-wall" imaging technology uses radio waves to map the layout of areas that are blocked by bricks or any other material. The radio waves penetrate the rubble and get signals back from within. These signals are then analyzed by powerful algorithms which are able to detect in real time if there is movement or breathing within the destruction, indicating there is someone alive that needs to be rescued. The system also allows users to pinpoint the location of the person or people trapped within the building, even if they are unconscious, Beeri said. To read more, go to: <u>http://www.israelideas.org/#!current/c1gqf</u>.

Transportation to Har Zion Temple

"Oh, if I'd only known she/he needed a ride to Har Zion." "Oh, I would have been there but I couldn't get a ride."

We are hearing these statements more and more – and would like to help our congregants who would like to attend services, meetings and programs.

Do you need a ride...To Services? To daytime or evening meetings and/or programs?

Can you provide an occasional ride?

What areas would be convenient for you? What Services, meetings, or programs do you usually attend (morning/afternoon/evening)?

Please contact Nanci Goldman, NanciG22@aol.com or 610-664-7987.

Share Your Simha!

We encourage you to sponsor an Extended Kiddush to celebrate any special simha, such as an Anniversary of a Bar/Bat Mitzvah, Baby Naming, Aufruf, Birthday, Anniversary or Graduation, etc. You may also want to consider contributing to our Shabbat Fund in honor of your special occasion. For more information, please contact Executive Director Gavi Miller, ext 105 or <u>gmiller@harziontemple.org</u>.

Bimah Flowers Can Be Sponsored

Bimah flowers can be sponsored in honor of a special occasion such as a Bar/Bat Mitzvah, Anniversary or Special Birthday. Please contact Reisel Weinberger, <u>risey@aol.com</u> or 610-668-1148.

SHOP THE GIFT BOX FOR ALL GIFT-GIVING NEEDS! SPECIAL – Embossed Graphics Sale – Buy One, Get One Free (of matching set) Until October 30

Regular hours: Monday – Thursday, 9:30 AM to 4 PM; Friday, 9:30 AM to 3 PM Sunday, 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM (when school is in session) Additional hours by appointment. For info, please call 610-667-2698, or email giftbox@harziontemple.org.

Regular Daily Minyan

Evenings: 6 PM Mornings: Sunday – 9 AM, Monday and Thursday – 6:50 AM, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday – 7 AM

Minyan Volunteers Needed

"The world stands on three things: on Torah, on prayer and on kindness to others." – Pirkei Avot Please register to be called if we need you for daily minyan. E-mail or call Laurie Albert, ext 111 or lalbert@harziontemple.org, with your name and cell phone number for a text.