
SHABBAT YITRO

Friday, February 14 – 20 Shevat

5:17 PM Candle Lighting
6 PM Instrumental Shabbat – LEVIN-BAILIS ROOM
6 PM Kabbalat Shabbat/Ma'ariv – DOGOLE CHAPEL

Saturday, February 15 – 20 Shevat**JFGRS No School**

9:30 AM Morning Service – DOGOLE CHAPEL
TORAH READING: EXODUS 18:1 Page 432
MAFTIR: EXODUS 20:19 Page 449
HAFTARAH: ISAIAH 6:1 Page 452
Kiddush: The 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.
1 PM Milton Pomerantz Interactive Torah Study with Dr. Peter Gross – BAILIS ROOM
4:15 PM Study Session with Dr. Ely Levine – RUDOFKER LIBRARY
5:15 PM Minha/Ma'ariv – DOGOLE CHAPEL
6:17 PM Shabbat Ends

IN MEMORIAM – BARUCH DAYAN HA-EMET

The Congregation extends its deepest sympathy to the families of:

SHIRLEY COHEN, mother of Mona Kolsky and Francine Bernstein, February 5, 2020 (10 Shevat 5780)
WILLIAM STEERMAN, husband of Louise Steerman, father of Suzin Levy and David Steerman, February 5, 2020 (11 Shevat 5780)
HINDA KERSTEIN, mother of Gary Kerstein, February 8, 2020 (14 Shevat 5780)
RENEE ZURITSKY, mother of Anna Boni, February 10, 2020 (15 Shevat 5780)

“Awake, my glory; awake, psaltery and harp; I will awake the dawn.”

**9-9:30 AM – 30 minutes of warm up with Rabbi Moriah SimonHazani
prior to Sisterhood Shabbat Services**

Be Prepared. All are welcome!

NEXT SHABBAT

Friday, February 21 – 27 Shevat

5:25 PM Candle Lighting
6 PM Sisterhood-led Evening Service – DOGOLE CHAPEL

Saturday, February 22 – 27 Shevat

9 AM Preparation for Prayer with Rabbi Moriah SimonHazani
9:30 AM Sisterhood-led Morning Service – MAIN SANCTUARY
5:25 PM Minha/Ma'ariv – DOGOLE CHAPEL
6:25 PM Shabbat Ends

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Sunday, February 16 – 21 Shevat**JFGRS No School**

9 AM Minyan
6 PM Minha/Ma'ariv

Monday, February 17 – 22 Shevat**Presidents' Day – NCCECE and Synagogue Offices Closed**

9 AM Minyan
6 PM Minha/Ma'ariv

Tuesday, February 18 – 23 Shevat

7 AM Minyan and *D'var T'filah* with Hazzan Vogel
6 PM Minha/Ma'ariv
7 PM Special Congregational Meeting

Wednesday, February 19 – 24 Shevat**NCCECE VIP Day**

7 AM Minyan and TISCH – *Halakha* (legal text) study from the Rambam's *Mishneh Torah* – conversation & breakfast with Rabbi Shawn
12:30 PM Sisterhood Book Club – out of the building
6 PM Minha/Ma'ariv

Thursday, February 20 – 25 Shevat**NCCECE VIP Day**

6:50 AM Minyan
10 AM Popular Commentaries on Genesis with Rabbi Ira Flax
6 PM Minha/Ma'ariv
7 PM Men's Club Meeting

Friday, February 21 – 26 Shevat

7 AM Minyan and Men's Club Minyannaires with Dr. Ely Levine. This morning's breakfast is sponsored by Michael Abiri in honor of his granddaughter Emma's birthday.
5:25 PM Candle Lighting
6 PM Sisterhood-led Evening Service – DOGOLE CHAPEL
7 PM Sisterhood Shabbat Dinner (by reservation only)

**Congregational Meeting
Tuesday, February 18
7:00 PM**

We expect the meeting to be less than an hour, but it is an important meeting to discuss two amendments to the By-Laws which were proposed to improve Har Zion's governance. We need 50 congregants present to make a quorum to vote.

Please join us – your vote helps determine how Har Zion will run. And we'll even provide dessert afterwards.

Har Zion Landau Gift Box

**WINTER SALE FOR FEBRUARY – ADDITIONAL 10% OFF ALREADY DISCOUNTED PRICES
FOR EVERYTHING EXCEPT BOOKS, CARDS, WINE, FOOD AND SPECIAL ORDERS.
COME IN AND SHOP OUR 50% OFF SECTION!**

PLEASE NOTE:

**NEW Regular Hours – Monday-Thursday – 10 AM to 3:30 PM; Friday – 10 AM to 3 PM;
Sunday – 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM (when JFGRS is in session)
Additional hours by appointment, 610-667-2698**

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.

Edith Berger
Mark B. Feldman
George Levitt
Joseph Lieberman
I. Jerome Milgrim
Bertel Peine
Thelma Rosset Golder
Belle Swartz
Rebecca Weiss
Samuel Zatuchni
Judith W. Cohen
Shalom Ogens
Saul Schildhorn
Selma E. Silverman
Abraham Stander
Warren Weiner
Allen J. Beckman
Sylvia W. Bernstein
Leonard D. Gilberg
Roslyn T. Gilbert
Harriet Hankin
Florence Harris
Beatrice Last
Earl S. Lazarus
Bernard Magen
Harry E. Robinson
Nathan G. Stein
Amalia Hallman Bleiberg
Vadim Glozman
Dr. Bernard L. Miller
Marcia Picus
Rivka Bas Baruch Berkowitz
Janet Forman Cohn
Anna Lieberman
Anne G. Moss
Abraham Rothseid

Harvey Silberstein
David Vogel
Anna Arovitch
Beatrice T. Brown
Morris Brownstein
Thelma Farber
Milton Lundy
Jack Magun
Ada Marder
Samuel Puder
Jorge Salazar
Yetta Dubin
Steve Ellis
Eve Feldman
Bertram H. Horowitz
Gladys Kleiman
Leonard Lafair
Norman Linefsky
Arthur Spieler
Morton B. Weinstein
Constance Yaros
Frances Berkowitz
George Fleisher
Lucille Allen Galpern
Louis Gerbarg
Bebe Glass
Henry Goldman
Minerva Kaminsky
Samuel Matlin
Rebecca Matusow
Freda Pearl
Tallu Rosen
Selma Sachs
Harry Snyderman
Louis Weinberger

Joy of Shabbat Dinner – Friday, March 13 following 6 PM Services

All ages welcome! BYOB (Kosher unopened)

\$10/adult, \$5/child (under 13) if you RSVP by March 6

\$15 per adult, \$10 per child (under 13) after March 6

RSVP by 5 PM on Wednesday, March 11 to guarantee your reservation.



SPECIAL SERIES SPEAKER AT 8:15 PM (Free and open to the community)

Dr. Itzhak Brook

“In the Sands of Sinai, a Physician’s Account of the Yom Kippur War”

Sponsored by the Fishman Institute for Adult Jewish Studies

RSVP to Emily Berton, eberton@harziontemple.org

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International Keynote Speaker Neil Lazarus Comes to LMAHH

Sunday, February 23, 10 AM

At Har Zion Temple

Understand what is happening in Israel and the Middle East

Open to the community – Free of charge – Breakfast served

Sponsored by Lower Merion Area Hebrew High and funded in part by the Jewish Federation of Greater Philadelphia’s Israel Engagement Grant Program

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LMAHH Night Out – Saturday, February 29 – Expedition Escape in KOP

Bus leaves HZT at 7 PM, returns at 10 PM – \$25/LMAHH students, \$30/non-LMAHH students (must be 8th-12th grade). For questions and to sign up by Thursday,

February 14: Sara Lefkowitz, slefkowitz.lmahh@gmail.com

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STAND OUT FROM THE CROWD – Thursday, March 19, 7:30 PM

FEATURING Rabbi Leor Sinai, Co-CEO, AMHSI-JNF

Celebrate Alexander Muss High School in Israel’s (AMHSI-JNF) history in the Greater Philadelphia area, and learn how this transformative study abroad program can enrich your teenager’s high school experience. A multi-generational panel of alumni discusses how AMHSI-JNF changed their lives.

RSVP: Rabbi Greg Litcofsky, National Director of Recruitment, at glitcofsky@amhsi.org

Charlestein Family Shabbat Dinner at Har Zion Temple

In Memory of Malvina & Morton Charlestein

Friday, March 27, 7 PM following 6 PM services

Join us as we celebrate the spirit of volunteerism at HZ

RSVP to Patty Kita at 610-239-6004 or pkita@premusa.com.

\$15/adult, \$10/ages 6-25 – Israeli wine included

Make check payable to “Gary Charlestein” and mail to Gary Charlestein, Premier Dental, P.O. Box 4500, Plymouth Meeting, PA 19462 **by Monday, March 23.**

Sponsored by the Charlestein/Phillips/Benjamin Families

Sisterhood

Sisterhood Mishloah Manot Volunteers Needed for Assembling Packages – Sunday, March 1 at 10 AM, and Tuesday, March 3 at 3:30 PM And Delivery – Sunday morning, March 8 Contact us ASAP!

If you would like to volunteer to pack and/or make deliveries, please contact Reisel Weinberger, risey@aol.com, 610-420-6902, Lynne Landsburg, lpl27@comcast.net, 610-996-6545 or Dorene Karasick, dorene.karasick45@gmail.com, 215-290-7570.

Sisterhood Pink Shabbat – Friday and Saturday, February 21 and 22

Honoring Sisterhood Past Presidents

Sisterhood-led Friday evening services at 6 PM followed by dinner

Saturday morning services at 9:30 AM led by Sisterhood followed by Kiddush

RSVP for dinner needed by February 14.

Until the end of February, we are collecting new or gently used bras to donate to Mathilde's Mentionables.

Men's Club

Men's Club Meeting – Thursday, February 20, 7 PM

Help us in planning upcoming events and programs.

RSVP to Jordan Landau, jordan.landau@gmail.com

Poker Night with Men's Club and HSA – Sunday, February 23

5:30 PM Registration, 6 PM Tournament begins

Texas Hold'em – \$60 buy in, \$20 re-buys – BYOB Kosher – Dinner included

Table sponsor - \$54, Dinner sponsor - \$180 – Walk-ins welcome

RSVP by February 17 to Emily Berton, eberton@harzientemple.org



Join Hazzan Eliot & Karen Vogel and the Cantors Assembly for A Jewish Musical Journey through Italy (Rome | Florence | Venice) – June 22 — July 2, 2020

For over two thousand years, Jewish communities have existed in Italy. We'll explore the roots and routes of our ancestors – historic, religious and, of course, musical! Join us as we sing, study, sightsee and celebrate together in inviting, intriguing Italy.

On our adventure together we will... Delight in Jewish Music with an operatic Italian flare, featuring the soaring voices of the Cantors Assembly; Explore Italian history through a Jewish prism, with scholarly presentations by noted scholar Prof Stephen Berk throughout; Enjoy a gondola ride through Venice, visit Rome's old Jewish Ghetto in the Trastevere area, tour the gorgeous Duomo of Florence...and so much more!

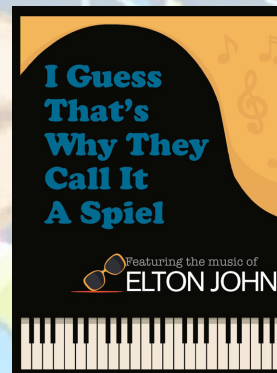
Full itinerary, pricing and registration at: secure.ayelet.com/CA2020Italy.aspx

Please choose the Deluxe category when registering to join this group.

For more info, contact Hazzan Vogel, 610-667-5000, ext 102, cevogel@harzientemple.org

Purim 2020

**MONDAY AND TUESDAY,
MARCH 9 AND 10**



MONDAY, MARCH 9

7:15-9:30 PM – Ma'ariv, Dinner Theatre with The Har Zion Purim Players in "I Guess That's Why They Call It a Spiel," Full Megillah Reading, Dessert Reception

Catered Dinner: \$18/adult, \$10/child 12 and under

RSVP by Tuesday, March 3 to Emily,

610-667-5000 or eberton@harzientemple.org

For online reservations: <https://harzientemple.ticketleap.com/purim-2020/details>

TUESDAY, MARCH 10

6:50 AM – Shacharit, Megillah Reading and Special Breakfast

4:15 PM – Special JFGS School Activities

5:15 PM – Shul-wide Festive Family

Creative Megillah Reading

Geared for elementary and middle school-aged children and their families – but all are invited!

6 PM - Dinner reception



HAR ZION
TEMPLE

HZT Adult Education

Department of Lifelong Learning

Classes This Week

D'var T'filah with Hazzan Vogel – Tuesdays after 7 AM Minyan

TISCH with Rabbi Shawn – Wednesday after 7 AM Minyan

Popular Commentaries on Genesis with Rabbi Ira Flax – Thursdays, 10 AM

Men's Club Minyannaires with Dr. Ely Levine – Friday, after 7 AM Minyan

Siddur Study with Dr. Sara H. Cohen

Resumes February 26, March 4, 11, 18, 25 and April 1 at 11 AM

Har Zion After Dark with

Open a Book...Open Your Mind author

Monday, March 2, 7 PM with Dorice Horenstein,

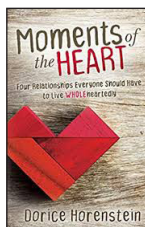
"Moments of the Heart"

Join us at the Barbara & Harvey Brodsky Center of JFCS

345 Montgomery Avenue, Bala Cynwyd

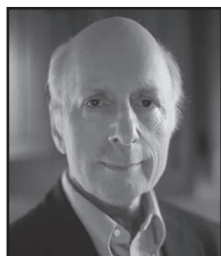
Admission \$18

For reservations, call 610-667-5000, ext 109, email us at eberton@harziontemple.org or go to harziontemple.ticketleap.com.



Joy of Shabbat Friday Night Speaker Series, 8:15 PM

Sponsored by the Fishman Institute for Adult Jewish Studies



March 13

A Physician's Personal Account of the Yom Kippur War

Dr. Itzhak Brook

Author of the book, *In the Sands of Sinai, a Physician's Account of the Yom Kippur War*

LIFELONG LEARNING AT A GLANCE

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SHABBAT
Talmud with Rabbi Sarra Lev 11:45 AM	D'var T'fillah: A Teaching on Prayer with Hazzan Vogel after 7 AM Minyan	TISCH with Rabbi Shawn after 7 AM Minyan	Popular Commentaries on Genesis with Rabbi Ira Flax 10-11 AM	Men's Club Minyannaires with Rabbi Haaz after 7 AM Minyan	Parashat Hashavuah with Rabbi Moriah 10-11 AM See dates below
Wisdom of the (S)Ages with Dr. Ely Levine 1-2 PM	Joys of Yiddish with Gerry Spector 10-11:30 AM See dates below	Parashat Hashavuah for the Sandwich Generation with Rabbi Shawn 11 AM-12 PM	Holiday Learning with Rabbi Ira Flax 11:15 AM-12:15 PM See dates below	Teen Dinner, Dessert and Discussion with Rabbi Shawn and Norman 6:30-8:45 PM See dates below	Milton Pomerantz Interactive Torah Study Various leaders 1 PM
Har Zion After Dark 6:30-7:30 PM or 7-8 PM		Siddur Study with Dr. Sara H. Cohen 11 AM-12 PM See dates below	Sisterhood Rosh Hodesh Group Out of the building 7:30-9 PM	Joy of Shabbat Speaker Series 8:15 PM See speaker and date below	Talmud Study with Rabbi Gary Charlestein One hour before Minha

Joys of Yiddish with Gerry Spector: February 25; March 17, 31; April 14, 28

Siddur Study with Dr. Sara H. Cohen: February 26; March 4, 11, 18, 25; and April 1

Holiday Learning with Rabbi Ira Flax: March 5, 12, 19, 26 – Passover

Teen Dinner, Dessert and Discussion with Rabbi Shawn and Norman Einhorn: March 6

Joy of Shabbat Speaker Series: Dr. Itzhak Brook – March 13

Parashat Hashavuah with Rabbi Moriah: February 29; March 14, 28; April 18

Coming in April...

Ancestral Journeys: Ancient Biblical Myth and End-of-Life Wisdom in Torah and Midrash - Part II

with Rabbi Simcha Raphael

Tuesdays, April 21, May 5, 19 and June 2, 10-11:30 AM

A four-part mini course exploring sacred moments of transition in the lives of our Biblical ancestors. Through study of texts, conversation and reflection we shall discover helpful guidelines for dealing with end-of-life transitions and challenges in our times.



Har Zion Poker Night!

Joint event by Men's Club and HSA

Sunday, February 23, 2020

1500 Hagys Ford Road, Penn Valley

5:30 PM registration

6:00 PM tournament begins

Texas Hold'em

\$60.00 buy in • \$20.00 re-buys

BYOB Kosher
Dinner included
Benefits Project
Hope and the
NCCECE

Table Sponsor
\$54

Dinner Sponsor
\$180

Walk-Ins Welcome



RSVP to eberton@harziontemple.org by Feb. 17

Sisterhood Pink Shabbat

Friday and Saturday,
February 21 and 22, 2020
27 Shevat 5780

Honoring Sisterhood Past Presidents

Friday, February 21 at 6 PM

Sisterhood-led Services followed by a catered dinner
(RSVP for dinner needed by February 14 – see below)

Saturday, February 22 at 9:30 AM

Services led by Sisterhood followed by a special Kiddush



Please wear something pink in honor of Sharsheret, an organization improving the lives of women at a genetic risk for breast and ovarian cancer.

Sisterhood Shabbat Dinner - Friday, February 21

RSVP no later than Friday, February 14

Please make checks payable to: Har Zion Temple, 1500 Hagys Ford Road, Penn Valley, PA 19072

Name _____

Phone _____ Email _____

_____ adults @ \$40 _____

_____ 6-12 years old @ \$18 _____

_____ 2-5 years old (complimentary) _____

Seating Preference

Total enclosed \$ _____