

## FIRST DAY OF PESAH

### FRIDAY, APRIL 22 – 15 NISAN

6:00 PM Minha and Ma'ariv for Yom Tov – DOGOLE CHAPEL  
7:29 PM Candle Lighting

### SATURDAY, APRIL 23 – 15 NISAN – FIRST DAY OF PESAH

9:00 AM *Kol Tefilah* – Morning and Pesah Service – DOGOLE CHAPEL  
10:30 AM *Tefilot Noar* – Teen Service – BERKOWITZ FAMILY AUDITORIUM  
11:15 AM *Kol Mishpacha* – Family Service – BENJAMIN B. LEVIN ROOM  
TORAH READING: EXODUS 12:21 Page 385  
MAFTIR: NUMBERS 28:16 Page 931  
HAFTARAH: JOSHUA 3:5 Page 1300

**KIDDUSH:** Congregation and guests are cordially invited to join us in the GORSON 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 Rabbi Gary Charlestein for an interactive Torah study session in the BAILIS ROOM.

1:30 PM Minha (no Ma'ariv due to Second Seder) – DOGOLE CHAPEL  
Light candles after 8:31 PM

### IN MEMORIAM – BARUCH DAYAN HA-EMET

The Congregation extends its deepest sympathy to the families of:  
BETTY SAGOT, mother of Joan Saltzburg, April 3, 2016 (25 Adar II)  
CHARLOTTE HIRSCH, grandmother of Marten Hirsch, April 13, 2016 (5 Nisan 5776)  
NED LEVINE, father of Ely Levine, April 19, 2016 (11 Nisan 5776)

### PASSOVER RESTAURANT – WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 5:00-8:00 PM

*Catered by Betty the Caterer*

Soup and Salad Bar, Entrees, Kugel, Veggies and Dessert

**\$40/Adult - \$20/Child 12-5 years old - \$110/Family of 4 (2 adults, 2 children)**

**RESERVATIONS ARE REQUESTED – Call Marcy Gubernick, 610-667-5000 or email, [mgubernick@harziontemple.org](mailto:mgubernick@harziontemple.org) – Payment at the door and make checks payable to Betty the Caterer – Har Zion cannot bill you.**

### *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 habrachah 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, APRIL 24 – 16 NISAN – SECOND DAY OF PESAH

**JFGRS CLOSED – CLASSES RESUME 5/1**

9:00 AM YOM TOV SERVICES  
7:30 PM MINHA/MA'ARIV  
8:32 PM YOM TOV ENDS

### MONDAY, APRIL 25 – 17 NISAN – THIRD DAY OF PESAH

**NCCECE CLOSED – CLASSES RESUME 5/2**

6:50 AM MORNING MINYAN  
10:00 AM TALMUD CLASS with Rabbi Alpert  
6:00 PM MINHA/MA'ARIV

### TUESDAY, APRIL 26 – 18 NISAN – FOURTH DAY OF PESAH

6:50 AM MORNING MINYAN  
11:00 AM PASSOVER SEDER AT INGLIS HOUSE  
6:00 PM MINHA/MA'ARIV

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27 – 19 NISAN – FIFTH DAY OF PESAH

6:50 AM MINYAN & TISCH – *Halakha Yomit* (daily *halakha*) with the *Mishnah Berurah* - conversation & breakfast with Rabbi Allen  
5:00 PM PASSOVER RESTAURANT  
6:00 PM MINHA/MA'ARIV

### THURSDAY, APRIL 28 – 20 NISAN – SIXTH DAY OF PESAH

6:50 AM MORNING MINYAN  
6:00 PM MINHA/MA'ARIV FOR YOM TOV  
7:35 PM CANDLE LIGHTING

### FRIDAY, APRIL 29 – 21 NISAN – SEVENTH DAY OF PESAH

**SYNAGOGUE OFFICES CLOSED**

9:00 AM YOM TOV SERVICES  
6:00 PM MINHA/MA'ARIV FOR YOM TOV  
7:36 PM CANDLE LIGHTING

### APPROACHES TO TORAH – TUESDAY, MAY 3, 6:15-7:30 PM

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Join with Rabbi Rosenberg after evening minyan for light dinner and discussion.

**There is no cost for dinner and rsvps are required: [mgubernick@harziontemple.org](mailto:mgubernick@harziontemple.org).**

# 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.*

Ethel Goldstein  
Samuel Handler  
Samuel Himmelstein  
Edward Krantz  
Freda Lurie  
Joseph Lazar (Bob) Lurie  
Eva Makadonsky  
Benjamin Pollin  
Morris Rasner  
Joseph A. Rosen  
Dora Schreiber  
Abraham Zappel  
Rae Baylinson  
Irving Goldstein  
Kalman Goldstein  
Sidney L. Jacobs  
Sarah Kliger  
Pesa Leah Kobrin  
Jay Lewis  
Beatrice Margolis  
Eileen Moskowitz  
Esther L. Ponnock  
Zippa Rosenblum  
Anita N. Weinstein  
Samuel M. Dash  
Philip J. Essner  
Leonard Hoffman  
Sarah Lewis  
Gittel Lieberman  
Shirley Milliner  
Ellie Sall Schlager

Martin Schechter  
Rhoda S. Auerbach  
Anna Goldberg  
Esther Harmelin  
Shirley Harmelin  
Norman Herman  
Estelle Kardon  
David Last  
Samuel Lichtenfeld  
Joseph Mirsky  
Rose Porter  
Louis Russock  
Coleman Sayer  
Miriam Bush  
Max Edelson  
Anna Friedman  
Stephen Hutton  
Celia Kauffman  
Anna Kolchins  
Jerome Miller  
Theresa Miller  
Sarah Nisenson  
Joan Ricefeld  
Sylvia Sutzky  
Nathan Sobelman  
Anne Luria Stein  
Isadore Wolson  
Harry Chopnick  
Marie Corson  
Mildred Dlott  
Clara Goldenberg

Sarah Kleiman  
Benjamin Kliger  
Max Kramer  
Betty Joyce Liss  
Dr. Stephen Milliner  
Myer Rednor  
Frances Sutker Schulman  
Rose Solomon  
Joseph Weinstein  
Nettie Cohn  
Samuel Exstein  
Edward S. Fenkel  
Gita Greenberg  
Rose Gubelbank  
Enrique Guzman  
Anita Kelman  
Herbert Levin  
Frances J. Marcus  
Ilonka Roth  
Harry Sall  
Bessie Stein  
Adolph Dworkin  
Betty Dym  
Robert Goldberg  
Sidney Lundy  
Albert Meran  
Joseph Saltz  
Morris Soroka  
Max Stone  
Florine Waxman

**POPULAR COMMENTARIES ON GENESIS WITH RABBI ROSENBERG**  
**THURSDAY MORNINGS, 10:00 AM**  
**THERE IS NO CLASS ON APRIL 28**

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**FRIDAY MORNING MEN'S CLUB MINYANNAIRES WITH RABBI ROSENBERG**  
**FOLLOWING 7:00 AM MINYAN**  
**THERE IS NO STUDY SESSION ON APRIL 29**

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### **ISADORE L. KIRSCHNER TEACHER APPRECIATION AWARD**

We will be honoring ALL of our teachers whose energy, service and dedication create excellence in the development of Jewish Education and Jewish traditions for our synagogue's children.

**JFGRS celebration - Sunday, May 1 at 11:15 AM**

**NCCECE celebration - Friday, May 6 at 10:30 AM**

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### **YOM HASHAOH COMMEMORATION - SUNDAY, MAY 1, 5:00 PM** **FOLLOWED BY SERVICES AT 6:30 PM**

*With Special Guests Dachau Survivor Ernest Gross and Don Greenbaum, his American Liberator  
This program made possible through the Sauer Family Yom Hashoah Fund.*

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### **Shabbat ACROSS THE MAIN LINE - FRIDAY, MAY 20, 5:00-7:00 PM**

**Ashbridge Park - 1301 Montgomery Avenue, Rosemont, PA**

BYO Picnic, chairs and blankets - Live Music for All Ages - Limited number of tables available

There is no cost for this event; pre-registration is requested.

Register at [jewishphilly.org/mainlineshabbat](http://jewishphilly.org/mainlineshabbat)

**For question, contact Rabbi Allen 610-667-5000 or Rabbi Leah Richman 215-832-0558**

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### **DO YOU NEED THE HAR ZION CARING CONNECTION?**

We are 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.

Call Laurie Alpert, 610-667-5000 ext 111 or [lalbert@harziontemple.org](mailto:lalbert@harziontemple.org). Help us help you!

## ***Come Sing with Me***

**Hazzan Eliot Vogel**

At the Patrons event on Sunday, June 5, I will be marking my 25th year as cantor of Har Zion Temple. As part of the program for that evening, my **dream** would be to sing two songs with an **inter-generational** choir (age 12 through adult) comprised of members of Har Zion.

If you have had some experience in singing in any sort of choir, I ask that you honor me through your participation.

Of course there will be a commitment of attending most of the rehearsals between now and then (see below). Please contact me [cevogel@harziontemple.org](mailto:cevogel@harziontemple.org) or Laurie Albert (610-667-5000 x111) if you would like to lend your voice to

**Hazzan Vogel's 25th Anniversary Choir.**



**Potential** rehearsal dates and times:

Thursday, May 5, 7 PM

Wednesday, May 11, 7 PM

Sunday, May 15, 12:15 PM

Sunday, May 22, 12:15 PM

Tuesday, May 24, 7 PM

Wednesday, June 1, 7 PM

Sunday, June 5, 5 PM, (performance at 7:30 PM)

Rehearsals will be one hour in length. When you respond, please let us know your availability. We will choose the five or six most convenient dates.

## ***Toiletry Drive***



**for Golden Slipper Mother's & Father's Days**

**Collecting regular and sample-sized items now through April 28.**

**Please leave donations at the Main Office.**



**JOIN HAZZAN ELIOT & KAREN VOGEL FOR  
THE SEPHARDIC SOUNDS AND SITES OF SPAIN  
JULY 3-14, 2016**

**Featuring concerts & special events created by the Cantors Assembly**  
Tour the world famous Prado Museum and stroll through beautiful Retiro Park in Madrid ~ Visit the Grand Toledo Cathedral and Transito Synagogue in Toledo ~ Enjoy a special Ladino program at Casa De Sefarad in Cordoba ~ Visit the Moorins Alcazar Palace and Old Jewish Quarter in Seville

**Brochures available in the lobby, through Hazzan Vogel or at [www.ayelet.com](http://www.ayelet.com).**

**INNOVATION UPDATE FROM   
American Commuters Get a Low-Cost Shared Ride**

The days of hailing a cab and searching for change are coming to a halt. Today's commuters can schedule and pay for cabs and ride-shares from their mobile devices. Via, a ride-sharing app which launched in 2012 offers on-demand shared rides driven only by licensed taxi drivers. Book a ride through the free iOS or Android app, and the algorithms match you with a "Via-cle" already headed your way with up to five other passengers. So far, the service is available in parts of Chicago and New York City.

For New York City users, rides cost \$5 plus tax if prepaid or \$7 plus tax, if not prepaid, and is charged automatically to a credit card or commuter benefits debit card. The rides pick you up on the nearest corner of a street that flows in the direction of your destination and drops you off within a couple of blocks of where you want to go. The company reports that the average wait time for a Via-cle is five minutes. Users get an estimate of pickup time before booking and can use the app to track the van's progress. To read more go to: <http://www.israelideas.org/#!current/c1gqf>.



**THE PASSOVER PROJECT**  
*A Jewish Campaign Against Slavery*



This year, Har Zion Temple joins an ever-growing number of Jewish institutions across the country bringing awareness to the plight of slaves around the world today. Slavery is not legal anywhere, but it is practiced everywhere. Slavery is found wherever goods or services depend on manual labor. Worldwide, an estimated 21 to 36 million people are trapped and working without pay, under threat of violence. According to the International Labour Organization (ILO), slavery generates about \$150 billion a year in profits for human traffickers.

Each week between now and Pesah, the Festival of Our Freedom, we will present you with materials which will both enhance your seder experience as well as to suggest things that you can do to relieve the plight of slaves in the world today.

For more information you may go to this website: [www.freetheslaves.net/Judaism](http://www.freetheslaves.net/Judaism).

**THE OTHER SIDE OF THE SEA:**

*A Haggadah on Fighting Modern-Day Slavery*

Available online from T'ruah: The Rabbinic Call for Human Rights • [www.truah.org](http://www.truah.org)

*All faith begins with the act of questioning. From God's first question to Adam and Even in Eden – Ayekah, "Where are you?" – to Abraham's challenge to God concerning Sodom and Gomorrah, to Sarah's exasperating and agonizing question about whether she would ever bear children, to Moses questioning Pharaoh's authority, the Jewish people have always been intoxicated with the art of questioning. Perhaps we who were slaves are constantly in a state of remembering the degradation and seeking never to forget. It is the privilege of free people to ask questions; this is the birthplace of our compassion and our zeal for justice. Why else might a motley band of former slaves have taken it upon ourselves to demand that humanity live up to its sacred promise for equality and dignity for all God's creation? - Rabbi Michael Adam Latz, Shir Tikvah Congregation, Minneapolis, MN*

**Four Questions About Modern Slavery**

We start the seder by noticing what is out of the ordinary and then investigating its meaning further. How is this night different from all other nights?

**On all other nights**, we depend on the exploitation of invisible others for our food, clothing, homes, and more. **Tonight**, we listen to the stories of those who suffer to create the goods we use. We commit to working toward the human rights of all workers.

**On all other nights**, we have allowed human life to become cheap in the economic quest for the cheapest goods. **Tonight**, we commit to valuing all people, regardless of their race, class, or circumstances.

**On all other nights**, we have forgotten that poverty, migration, and gender-based violence leave people vulnerable to exploitation, including modern-day slavery. **Tonight**, we commit to taking concrete actions to end this exploitation and its causes.

**On all other nights**, we have forgotten to seek wisdom among those who know how to end slavery—the people who have experienced this degradation. **Tonight**, we commit to slavery prevention that is rooted in the wisdom and experience of workers, trafficking survivors, and affected communities. When the seder has ended, we will not return to how it has been "on all other nights." We commit to bringing the lessons of this seder into our actions tomorrow, the next day, and every day to come.



**Shabbat**  
**ACROSS THE MAIN LINE**

**May 20, 2016/12 Iyar 5776**

**5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.**

Sponsored by the Kehillah of Lower Merion

*Featuring:*

**Live Shabbat-themed Music for All Ages**

BYO picnic, chairs and blankets • Playground on-site  
 Limited number of picnic tables available • No pets, please

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*\*Rain location: Beth David Reform Congregation, 1130 Vaughan Lane, Gladwyne*

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