UPCOMING EVENTS, ACTIVITIES AND SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Har Zion Annual Dinner with a Special Joy of Shabbat Dinner – Friday, June 14, 6 PM

Please join us as we honor our leaders at Services and stay for Joy of Shabbat Dinner **Dinner by reservation only**

Special Shabbat Services – Saturday, June 22, 9:30 AM

Join us to honor Larry Walowitz as he receives the Dr. Sara H. Cohen Dedication to Education Award for his commitment to the Milton Pomerantz Interactive Torah Study and the Rudofker Library.

Our Services Are Made Holier by Your Participation!

Do you know how to read Torah or Haftarah? Would you like to practice your skills in a low-pressure environment? Then email Ely Levine at <u>RitualCommittee@harziontemple.org</u> to sign up. There are readings of all sizes; we will find the right one for you!

Camp Counselors Needed

Har Zion Day Camp is looking for motivated, enthusiastic counselors (ages 16 and above) – Must be available June 24 through August 16. Please e-mail Diane Halpren at <u>harziondaycamp@harziontemple.org</u>, or call 610-667-5000, ext 198.

Volunteers Needed for Cook for a Friend – Summer Dates Monday evenings – July 1 and August 5, 5:30-7:30 PM

Please join us in preparing meals for the needy. For more information, contact Elaine Stewart, <u>estew23@verizon.net</u>

New Daytime Card Group Starting at Har Zion

Ernie Posner would like to see if men in our congregation would like to start a men's daytime card group at Har Zion. For those interested, he can be reached at <u>paernie@aol.com</u>.

Early Bird Sign Up!

Volunteer to be a High Holiday usher and get special perks and benefits. For more information, please contact Alan Workman, 610-649-5731 or <u>ajworkman@aol.com</u>.



Have you heard about Community Portrait?

It's a population study, commissioned by the Jewish Federation of Greater Philadelphia once every 10 years that will help us to most effectively evaluate and support the

needs of our local Jewish communities. Your answers will help us to direct our resources to

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answers will help us to direct our resources to where they're most needed so our entire Jewish

community can continue to grow and thrive! Keep an eye out for the survey in the mail to see if you've been selected to take part in the survey. Learn more here!



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Har Zion Landau Gift Box

We are now online! Visit us at <u>harziontemple.org/giftshop</u> SUMMER HOURS BEGIN JUNE 18 – Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 9:30 AM to 3 PM CLOSED SUNDAYS Additional hours by appointment – 610-667-2698

This Week...

Talmud with Rabbi Sarra Lev, PhD - Monday, 11:15 AM - Last class

The rabbinic prohibitions against shaming another often lie in stark contrast to stories of shaming and competition among those very same rabbis. This class begins by examining texts on monetary compensation for shaming (Who must pay? How much? For what kinds of shaming?) and then moves on to examine stories of rabbis shaming one another. The course asks the overarching question – what is the Talmud trying to tell us about shame/shaming?

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

D'var T'filah (a "teaching about prayer") – Hazzan Vogel will offer brief insights into the spiritual dynamics of prayer focusing each time on why prayer is difficult and what we can do about it.

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

Adult Education at HZT...

Here's a full list of our upcoming Adult Education offerings

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Tikkun Olam...

-HIAS PA has some urgent needs for incoming refugee families...

Box fans, diapers and trash cans. We have added these items to our <u>Target Registry</u>. For more information, please contact Kerry Coughlin, <u>kcoughlin@hiaspa.org</u>

-Volunteers Needed for Federation's Mitzvah Food Program – <u>Click here</u> for more information.

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 <u>lalbert@harziontemple.org</u>. 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 or \$10 each – To purchase your donation cards, please contact Janice Katz, 610-525-1101 or nthilo.com.

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 Floral Fund. Why not support Sisterhood while planning your shopping days? Order your Scrip cards and be prepared whenever you shop! Please contact Susan Kochman, 215-272-0475 or sbkochman@aol.com.





INNOVATION UPDATE FROM *Israel/bea* A Device that Aims to Clean up Your Air

If you suffer from pollen allergies or are concerned about "indoor pollution" from sources such as cleaning materials, furniture glue and mold, you might have considered buying an air purifier. And if you're a safety-concerned home owner, you probably already have a few smoke and carbon monoxide alarms installed. Israeli startup Aura Air asks: Why buy two devices when you could have it all-in-one? The Tel Aviv-based company launched a crowd-funding campaign earlier this year to build its indoor air-quality detector and air purifier combo. The goal was a modest \$15,000, but backers pledged close to \$300,000. That's on top of the \$1.5 million the company received from private angel investors when it launched in 2017. To read more, go to: http://www.israelideas.org/#!current/c1gqf.

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, <u>nancigoldman22@gmail.com</u> 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 Emily Berton, ext 109 or <u>eberton@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.

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.