

UPCOMING EVENTS, ACTIVITIES AND SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Building Our Spiritual Community

FRIDAY, JUNE 16 – 23 SIVAN

6 PM - Minha/Kabbalat Shabbat/Ma'ariv

7 PM - Congregational Oneg Shabbat

8:14 PM - Candle Lighting

SATURDAY, JUNE 17 – 23 SIVAN

9:30 AM - *Kol Tefilah* – Morning Service

8:15 PM - Minha/Seudah Shlishit/Ma'ariv/Havdalah

9:17 PM - Shabbat Ends

Engaging Jerusalem

"If I forget thee, O Jerusalem..."

Jerusalem has captured the imagination of Jews for centuries. It's the direction to which we pray, it's the aspiration of centuries of dreamers, it holds hope and promise for many. In honor of the 50th anniversary of the Six Day War, Har Zion will engage our *kehillah* in a celebration of the city of our eternal city of hope. This year, we have explored the diverse role Jerusalem has played for us as a people, from biblical times to present day. Each month was assigned a verb that will guide our exploration – **June is Building Jerusalem.**



All programs labeled with this icon will include *Engaging Jerusalem* content.



JNF and Israel's Water Solutions with Talia Tzour-Avner

Tuesday, June 20, 7 pm

No charge – Open to the community

With more than 25 years of dedicated service, Talia Tzour-Avner has played an instrumental role in implementing KKL-JNF's vision for the land and people of Israel. As Jewish National Fund's Chief Israel Emissary, Talia fosters a close connection between the American Jewish community, the Israeli people and KKL and JNF operations. She oversees JNF Task Forces on water solutions and cutting-edge development of Israel's Arava region. A Sabra born in Jerusalem, Ms. Tzour-Avner continues the Zionist legacy of her family, who made Aliyah from all over the world to play their part in establishing the State of Israel.



Sisterhood Book Club – Wednesday, June 21, 12:30 PM

The Beauty Queen of Jerusalem by Sarit-Yishai-Levi

For more information and to RSVP, please contact Elaine Stewart, estew23@verizon.net.



Pajamarama: Jewish Story Time

Kehillah of Lower Merion invites you to put on your pajamas, grab your teddy bear and join us for story time. For additional information, contact Cheryl Barish Erlick:

cheryl.barish.erlick@gmail.com

Wednesdays at 6 PM

July 5 - Sponsored by Congregation Beth Hamedrosh and Chabad of Penn Wynne
Penn Wynne Library, 130 Overbrook Parkway, Wynnewood

July 12 - Sponsored by Temple Beth Hillel-Beth El
Poolside at Kaiserman JCC, 45 Haverford Road, Wynnewood

July 19 - Sponsored by Kaiserman JCC and jkidphilly
Poolside at Kaiserman JCC, 45 Haverford Road, Wynnewood

August 9 - Sponsored by Har Zion Temple
Har Zion Pool, 1500 Hagys Ford Road, Penn Valley

August 16 - Sponsored by Beth David Reform Congregation
Gladwyne Park, 921 Youngs Ford Road, Gladwyne

August 23 - Sponsored by Main Line Reform Temple
Children's Book World, 17 Haverford Station Road, Haverford

August 30 - Sponsored by Beth Am Israel Congregation
Poolside at Kaiserman JCC, 45 Haverford Road, Wynnewood

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**Devotion by the Ocean – Kabbalat Shabbat Friday evening services at 6 PM
Newport Ave and the Beach, Ventnor, NJ (behind the Ventnor library)
July 7, August 4 and 18**

Join us for music, inspiration, prayer and joy. Sponsored by area synagogues including Har Zion Temple.
For more information, call Karen at 609-822-7116, ext 101

Volunteers Needed for Cook for a Friend – Summer Dates

Monday evenings – July 10 and August 7, 5-7 PM

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

This Summer – Give a D'var Torah at Shabbat Services...

Why are Bar/Bat Mitzvah students the only Har Zion Temple members who share thoughts on the weekly Torah portion or Haftarah with the community? **Now through August 25-26**, we encourage all members to step forward and prepare three to five minutes of Torah or Haftarah commentary to present at Friday night or Saturday morning services. Please contact Rabbi Allen ruallen@harziontemple.org to select a date. All of our clergy are more than ready to help you prepare and present your D'var Torah.

Both Cantor Vogel and Rabbi Alpert are more than willing to help you prepare to read Torah or chant a Haftarah this summer. If you are interested in either or both, let Rabbi Alpert rralpert@harziontemple.org know as soon as possible.

All are wonderful opportunities to grow Jewishly, and the congregation looks forward to hearing your insights or chanting.

NEW DATES – BETTER FOR FAMILIES!

Israel Adventure – December 20 to December 31, 2017

Join Rabbi Rosenberg and Norman Einhorn for an amazing trip to Israel

- * Family friendly itinerary
- * Bar/Bat Mitzvah celebrations
- * First-timer and veteran tracks
- * A very "hands on" itinerary
- * Wonderful hotels and amazing food!



Limited to 30 participants. Reservation needed soon!

For more information, contact Norman Einhorn, 610-667-5000, ext 150 or neinhorn@harziontemple.org

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 moibas83@hotmail.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. Why not support Sisterhood while planning your shopping



days? Order your Scrip cards and be prepared whenever you shop! Please contact Michele Perlstein, mshoueka@hotmail.com or 610-519-1211 for more information.



INNOVATION UPDATE FROM ISRAEL ideas

New Israeli Technology Can Predict Resistance to Chemotherapy

NewStem, a biotech startup based in Jerusalem, is developing a novel diagnostic kit for predicting resistance to chemotherapy treatments. The problem to be addressed is that chemotherapy, still the mainstay in cancer treatment, often results in the tumor developing resistance to the drugs, rendering the therapy ineffective. It also unnecessarily subjects patients to powerful pharmaceuticals that are no longer effective. The technology is based on the pioneering research of Prof. Nissim Benvenisty of the Azrieli Center for Stem Cells and Genetic Research at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. To read more, go to: <http://www.israelideas.org/#!/current/clgqf>.

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 Program and Events Coordinator Shonnie Lebovitz, ext 106 or slebovitz@harziontemple.org.

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, risey@aol.com or 610-668-1148.

SHOP THE GIFT BOX FOR ALL GIFT-GIVING NEEDS!

SUMMER HOURS BEGIN JUNE 20

CLOSED Monday, Friday and Sunday

OPEN Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday – 9:30 AM – 3 PM

Regular hours: Monday – Thursday 9:30 AM - 4 PM, Friday 9:30 AM - 3 PM

Sunday 9:45 AM - 1 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.

An active member of our local Jewish community desperately needs a kidney – blood type B or O

To learn how you can save a life or for more information about kidney donation, please call, (718) 431-9831 or email, R718@renewal.org. Visit WWW.RENEWAL.ORG