

UPCOMING EVENTS, ACTIVITIES AND SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Building Our Spiritual Community

Saturday, September 5

9:30 AM – Shabbat Morning Service

9:45 AM – *Lilmod U'Leamed* (to Learn and to Teach) – Learning Service

Are you looking to deepen your prayer experience? Do you seek a better understanding of the Siddur and the Jewish practice of prayer? Then *Lilmod U'leamed* is for you! We will join together with Rabbi Allen for *Shacharit* services to explore the prayer book, expand our spirituality and raise our voices in song and conversation.

11:00 AM following the Learning Service – Parashat HaShavua – (Shabbat Torah Study)

Join us for an opportunity to study the weekly Torah portion with a rotating group of teachers including our clergy and others.

Friday evening, September 11

5:30 PM – Lay-led Traditional Service

6:00 PM - Instrumental Kabbalat Shabbat and Maariv Service

With the ABC Trio

9:30 AM – *Kol Tefilah* (The Voice of Prayer) – Morning Service

10:30 AM – *Kol Mishpacha* (The Voice of Family) – Family Service

Come celebrate as a whole family to sing, dance, play, and explore Shabbat together.

Our service will focus on the joy of Shabbat and being together as family. We will have our own Kiddush before joining the rest of the congregation for refreshments and socializing.

Facilitated by Rabbi Allen – energized by you!

GIFT BOX HIGH HOLIDAY WINE SALE

The only dates available to purchase your Kosher Wine for the holidays are:

Thursday, September 10, 9:30 AM-7:00 PM

Friday, September 11, 9:30 AM-3:00 PM

Order forms are available in the Gift Box, on the tables in the hallways, or ask at the office.

Regular hours:

Monday – Thursday, 9:30 AM to 4:00 PM

Friday – 9:30 AM to 3:00 PM

Sunday – 9:45 AM to 1:00 PM (when school is in session)

Additional hours by appointment.

For info, please call 610-667-2698, or email giftbox@harziontemple.org.

The Gift Shop is now accepting credit cards – giving you more flexibility to shop!

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**KEHILLAH OF LOWER MERION SELIHOT PROGRAM AND SERVICES

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2015 • 21 Elul 5775

8:30 PM – Main Line Reform Temple, 410 Montgomery Avenue, Wynnewood, PA 19096

Participating Synagogues: Adath Israel, Beth David Reform Congregation, Har Zion Temple, Main Line Reform Temple, and Temple Beth Hillel-Beth El

We invite you to be with us for a moving and meaningful evening of study, conversation and worship. Our neighborhood clergy will challenge and enlighten us, leading us in concurrent study sessions on relevant topics related to the themes of the season. This will set the perfect stage for our Selihot (the Hebrew for forgiveness), which are special penitential services that serve as a prelude to the High Holy Day season.

8:30 pm - Reception and Havdalah

9:00 pm - Concurrent Learning

You choose: A variety of sessions to choose from taught by our congregational clergy

10:00 pm - Concurrent Worship

- Participatory Traditional Davening Service
- Contemplative Service: Chanting and meditation
- Gates of Forgiveness Service with the Community Choir: Traditional prayers, contemporary readings and stirring High Holy Day music

11:00 pm - Evening Concludes

Free and open to the community

For more information, contact Rabbi Leah Richman, Irichman@jfgp.org or 215.832.0558

****USHERS ARE NEEDED FOR THE HIGH HOLIDAYS**

Interested in serving as a High Holiday usher? Please contact Alan Workman at ajworkman@aol.com or 610-649-5731.

****HOLIDAY HELP FROM SISTERHOOD FOR AREA STUDENTS**

Jewish college and graduate students in our area would greatly appreciate having holiday dinner (first and second night Rosh Hashanah and Break the Fast) with you. Don't miss this opportunity to offer home hospitality to those young people who are far away from their families.

For more information, please contact Madelyn Karasick, 610-505-6131.

****TALMUD STUDY WITH RABBI ALPERT – MONDAY MORNINGS, 10:00 AM**

This class is studying the sixth chapter of Bava Metzia (Labor Law).

****MINYAN & TISCH WITH RABBI ALLEN – WEDNESDAY MORNINGS**

FOLLOWING 7:00 AM MINYAN

Halakha Yomit (daily halakha) with the Mishnah Berurah – Join us each week as we study a different halakha and ask ourselves about the underlying values that inform our practice.

****VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO HELP WITH ROSH HASHANAH LUNCHEONS!**

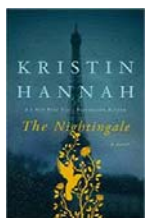
Saunders House – Wednesday, September 9, 11:00 AM-1:00 PM

Please call Maxine Waxman (610-896-8071)

Inglis House – Thursday, September 10, 10:30 AM-12:30 PM

Please call Barbara Berkowitz (610-664-8335) or Gladys Shubin (610-667-7546)

Say "yes!" and put a smile on the faces of the residents at Saunders House and Inglis House and help serve them a Rosh Hashanah luncheon.



****SISTERHOOD BOOK CLUB – WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1:00 PM**

Sisterhood Book Club will discuss...*The Nightingale* by Kristin Hannah

Dessert will be served.

Hosted by Louise Steerman - RSVP to her at wsteerman113@comcast.net

FRANCE, 1939 - In the quiet village of Carriveau, Vianne Mauriac says goodbye to her husband, Antoine, as he heads for the Front. She doesn't believe that the Nazis will invade France ... but invade they do. When a German captain requisitions Vianne's home, she and her daughter must live with the enemy or lose everything. Without food or money or hope, as danger escalates all around them, she is forced to make one impossible choice after another to keep her family alive.

****SISTERHOOD CAKES & CHALLAHS PICK-UP – THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 11:00 AM TO 7:00 PM**

If you have any questions, please call or email: Sheila Schafer, 610-645-5461 or Issh@comcast.net or Adriene Levick, 610-664-4409 or akatzpt@aol.com

Can you volunteer to help on the day of distribution at 9:00 AM? Please email Sheila or Adriene, and we will contact you!

Proceeds will help support the Har Zion Sisterhood Shabbat Kiddushes during the year.



****SISTERHOOD OPENING EVENT – THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 7:00 PM**

MUCHAS MARGARITAS, TACOS & TALKING

Sisterhood's welcome back event! Dress colorfully – sombreros encouraged!

Sisterhood's newly elected Trustees, Reisel Weinberger, Barbara Berkowitz, Shelby Ford, Joy Landau, and Phyllis Weinstock will be honored.

RSVP to Sherry Pearlstein, 610-246-8838 or sherrypearl1@gmail.com

\$36/paid-up member, \$45/non-member

Pay at the Door (In addition to couvert, you are welcome to pay your Sisterhood dues if you have not already done so by mail)

Questions or to Volunteer: Melissa Sayer, msapirosayer@gmail.com

****FRIDAY MORNING MEN'S CLUB MINYANNAIRES WITH RABBI ROSENBERG
FOLLOWING 7:00 AM MINYAN**

Jeopardy Rashi Style – This class will examine the commentary of Rashi on the Torah to deepen our appreciation of the issues Rashi saw in the text and to understand how his commentary maintains relevance through today.



****SHAKE A LULAV!**

Blessing the Lulav and Etrog is the Jewish way of thanking God for the blessings of the earth on the holiday of Sukkot. **Your order needs to be submitted no later than Monday, September 21.** To purchase a Lulav and Etrog (\$45), contact Rabbi Robert Alpert, rralpert@harziontemple.org.

****SAVE THE DATE TO CELEBRATE!**

**HAR ZION MEN'S CLUB OPENING DINNER WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 7:00 PM
in the Maurice Kendall Sukkah**

Free to all paid-up members. Come and feast with us! RSVP to Morris Kurtzman, mkurtz2718@aol.com
50/50 Raffle - Top Shelf Liquor - High Quality Dinner

****HAR ZION OPEN - 8TH ANNUAL MEN'S CLUB GOLF TOURNAMENT**



AT BALA GOLF CLUB – TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13

8:00 AM arrival – 8:30 AM tee off. Register and reserve your spot now!

\$150/golfer - \$500 for a foursome!

For more info and to RSVP, contact Josh Klein, joshk3@verizon.net.

****USE THE SISTERHOOD SCRIP PROGRAM FOR ALL YOUR SHOPPING NEEDS!**

It's a busy time of the year! 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 – 610-519-1211 for more information.



INNOVATION UPDATE FROM  ISRAEL IDEAS

Saving crops worldwide with a new safer solution

One of the biggest dangers to many fruits and vegetable crops are nematodes – otherwise known as roundworms. However, those worms may now have met their match with Nimitz, a new worm-killer from the Israeli company, Adama. More than one out of every ten tomatoes, cucumbers, melons, okra plants, potatoes, and many more species are completely destroyed by roundworms...and when that happens, the rest of the infected crop is often too damaged to sell.

These roundworms have been the bane of farmers around the world, but a new solution from Adama Agricultural Solutions could end their reign of agri-terror. Nimitz, based on a newly-discovered molecule called fluensulfone, will get rid of the most common nematodes - without the use of heavy chemicals!

For more information: <http://www.israelideas.org/#!current/c1gqf>

****TRANSPORTATION TO HAR ZION**

"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 at NanciG22@aol.com or 610-664-7987.

****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. Call 610-667-5000, ext 178 or caring@harziontemple.org. Help us help you!

****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. Please contact Shonnie Lebovitz, Program and Events Coordinator (ext 106 or slebovitz@harziontemple.org) for more information.

****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.

REGULAR DAILY MINYAN

Evenings: 6:00 PM

Mornings: Sunday – 9:00 AM, Monday and Thursday – 6:50 AM,
Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday – 7:00 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 (610-667-5000, 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