



NHBZ Shabbos Bulletin

Welcome to Nusach Hari B'nai Zion

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Shabbos December 3, 2016

3 Kislev, 5777

Torah Portion: Toldos

Genesis 25:19 -- 28:9

Stone Chumash pages 124-143

Haftorah:

Malachi 1:1 - 2:7

Stone Chumash page 1137-8

Candle Lighting ~ 4:22 pm

Shabbos Concludes ~ 5:25 pm

Our Generous Sponsors This Shabbos . . .

Thank you to Dr. Shayna Scribner for sponsoring this Shabbos bulletin in memory of her mother Edith "Edie" Solomon on the occasion of her yahrzeit.

Thank you to Louis and Rebecca Goldman for sponsoring the cake in honor of their son's Maxwell's birthday!

Thank you to Drs. Jay and Susan Feigenbaum-Pepose and family for the sponsoring the brownies in honor of the birthday of Harold Hoffman.

Erev Shabbos, Friday, December 2, 2016

- Mincha & Ma'ariv ~ 4:20pm

Shabbos, Saturday, December 3, 2016

- Shachris & Musaf ~ 8:30 am ~ *Thank You for Leading Davening!*

- Pesukei D'Zimra: **Howard Sandler**

- Shacharis: **Menachem Szus**

- Leyning: **Max Gornish**

- Haftorah: **Alan Haber**

- Drasha: **Rabbi Ze'ev Smason**

- Musaf: **Max Gornish**

- Learners' Service ~ 9:30 am ~ Led by Rabbi Yosef David in the Rivkin Chapel
- Starting Points: Wisdom For Daily Living, topic "Fear: Why Are we Afraid of Change" 10:15 am ~ Led by Rabbi Ze'ev Smason in the Rivkin Chapel.
- Mincha/Ma'ariv/ Shalosh Seudos ~ 4:05 pm

Happy Birthday this week to: Maxwell Goldman, Harold Hoffman, Emily Wallman, Avi Borow, Mark Wallman, Mayer Taller, Alex Yasinev, Susan Schwartz, Eldad Bialecki, and Brian Klarfeld!

Happy Anniversary to: Leonid & Stella Vladimirov and Milton & Tammy Sallis!

SHUL Events

- Sunday, December 11 ~ The 111th Nusach Hari B'nai Zion Annual Dinner honoring Rabbi Yosef & Mimi David, Rhonnie Goldfader, Dr. Shayna Scribner, and Irl Solomon.

Starting Points: “Wisdom for Daily Living” with Rabbi Ze’ev Smason ~ A program tailor-made for those, regardless of prior educational or observance level, interested in growing Jewishly. Each freestanding session (at 10:15 am every Shabbos, unless otherwise noted) explores a distinct Jewish concept in practical, understandable terms. Join us to learn, explore, and raise your Jewish soul with the following eye-opening sessions:

December 10, 2016: “Grief: Navigating Life’s Disappointments”

December 17, 2016: “Work: Love It, Tolerate It, or Ignore It”

(Starting Points was formerly known as the Learners' Service offered by Rabbi Smason at 10:15 am each Shabbos morning)

***Just in time for Chanukah ~ Cash Cards!** ~ Orders for December are now being taken through Thursday, December 15th. The order form is attached to this week's bulletin. You probably will be shopping at Dierbergs, CVS, or Walgreens (just to name a few cash card possibilities) this month, so why not benefit NHBZ as you shop?*

Sponsorships - If you would like to sponsor a Kiddush or luncheon, Shalosh Seudos, this bulletin, or something unique in honor of a special occasion, or in honor or memory of a loved one, please call 314-991-2100, ext. 2, to make arrangements.

Memorial Plaques ~ Memorial plaques are lovingly mounted in our new building. Remember your loved ones with a plaque; prices are \$180 and \$360. Please call the office for details, 314-991-2100, ext. 2.

Adult Learning at NHBZ

Every Wednesday at 12:15 pm Lunch & Learn with Rabbi Smason. Study Pirkei Avos / Ethics of the Fathers. This class is also available to view from your computer on Wednesday's at 12 pm CST. Visit our website at www.nhbz.org - click on 'media', then 'online classes', then 'ustream_graphic'. Enjoy

Amud-A-Week Program. Join Rabbi Daniel Freund every Wednesday following Ma'ariv (please note the time change) for a weeklyfor a weekly Talmud class/shiur. This class is open to everyone, whether you are unacquainted with Talmud or are on a basic or intermediate level.

Join the Minyan - It's good for us, it's good for you!

This Week's Schedule	Shabbos Dec 3	Sunday Dec 4	Monday Dec 5	Tuesday Dec 6	Wednesday Dec 7	Thursday Dec 8	Friday Dec 9	Shabbos Dec 10
Shacharis	9:00 am	8:00 am	7:00 am	7:00 am	7:00 am	7:00 am	7:00 am	9:00 am
Mincha/Ma'ariv	4:05 pm	4:20 pm	4:20 pm				4:20 pm	4:05 pm
Ma'ariv only				6:45 pm	6:45 pm	6:45 pm		

NHBZ Event Planner

(Check "**Shul News . . .**" for time, date or location changes.)

Call the office, 314-991-2100, ext. 2, to confirm the date and time of any event.

All events will be at NHBZ unless otherwise noted.

WEEKLY at NHBZ

SHABBOS

- Tefillah Class (9:30 am) led by Rabbi Yosef David in the Rivkin Chapel.
- Child Care (10:15 am – Noon) for kids 3 & under in the Children's Room.
- Learners Service (10:15 am) led by Rabbi Ze'ev Smason in the Rivkin Chapel.
- Shabbos Tanach (Bible) (1/2 hour before Mincha)

SUNDAY

- Mishna Learning (after Shacharis) with Rabbi Chanan Swidler.
- "Mystical Moments" with Rabbi Max Weiman. (between Mincha & Maariv.)
- Tanya (8:00 pm) with Rabbi Shaya Mintz, of the St. Louis Kollel.

MONDAY

- Mah Jongg (Mondays, 4-6:00 pm) NHBZ Lower Level. Proceeds benefit The NHBZ Chesed Fund.

WEDNESDAY

- Rabbi Smason's Lunch & Learn (12:15-1:00 pm) Studying Pirkei Avos.

BI-MONTHLY at NHBZ

JUNIOR CONGREGATION & TOT SHABBAT ~

MONTHLY at NHBZ

- Mussar Mondays (First Monday) 7:00-7:45 pm. at the home of Richard & Mindy Woolf.
- Women's Home Study Group (First Tuesday) 2:30 pm with Rabbi Shaya Mintz, of the St. Louis Kollel, at the home of Jackie Berkin.
- Sisterhood (Third Tuesday)
- Dine-In Pizza Night (Last Sunday) 5:00 – 7:00 pm
Place Carry-Out Pizza orders by 10:00 am, 314-991-2100, ext 2. Pick up time 4:30–4:45 pm.

NHBZ Signature Events

- Synaplex Shabbos- Services begin at 8:30am
- Shabbos Lunch & Learn



Saturday

Starting Points:

Wisdom for Daily Living

Shabbat Morning

Join us as we re-envision and enhance
Rabbi Smason's popular 10:15 a.m. Learners Service.

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At this year's NHBZ Anniversary Dinner on Sunday, December 11, in addition to honoring Rabbi and Mrs. Yosef David, Rhonnie Fredlich, Shayna Scribner and Irl Solomon, we are featuring a

Chinese Auction!

What in the world is a Chinese Auction? It is a combination of a raffle and an auction.

In a raffle with many prizes like the Early Bird Raffle, there is one bucket from which all the prize winners' names are drawn. In a Chinese Auction, each prize is on display with its own bucket. This allows ticket buyers to choose which prizes they want to try to win.

The auction tables will be set up in the back of the banquet room. Tickets will be sold in the lobby and downstairs during the cocktail hour, and at the display tables during dinner.

Here is how it works:

1. You buy as many tickets as you like in multiples of 10. The more tickets you buy, the better the value. Tickets prices are as follows:
10 tickets for \$10 ~~~ 20 tickets for \$18 ~~~ 30 tickets for \$25 ~~~ 50 tickets for \$36
2. The first 40 people who purchase auction tickets will receive a gift certificate from Breadsmith for one free loaf of bread.
3. Each prize has its own bucket, and you place tickets in the buckets for the prizes you hope to win.
4. The more tickets you place in a bucket, the better your chance of winning that prize.
5. At the end of the Dinner, we will draw a ticket from each bucket, and announce the winner of each prize. Good luck!

Here are some of the prizes that will be in the Chinese Auction:

Guitar with case from St. Louis Music
One night stay at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel
Pearl pendant & earrings from the Diamond Shop
Reversible purse from Dot Dot Dash
One night stay at the Frontenac Hilton
Pearl necklace from Timekeepers
Gift certificates from Stanley Steemer, Sunshine Drapery, Eyewear Loft and more
Breakfast in bed basket
Artwork, Judaica, Tickets and even more

You can buy tickets with cash or checks, so don't leave home without them!





From Our Families to Yours...

Mussar Mondays

A Program of the NHBZ Children's & Young Families Committee

Definition: Mussar is an illuminating, spiritual yet highly practical set of Jewish lessons for cultivating personal growth and realization in the midst of our everyday, crazy lives.

We're Back!!!!!!

Please join us this coming **Monday, December 5th** for an exciting program and spiritual journey with Rabbi Ze'ev Smason where we explore the most popular and pertinent teachings from Ethics of Our Fathers (Pirkei Avot) and apply them to our everyday lives.

Who: Open to ALL Young Parents, Couples & Individuals
(NHBZ membership NOT required...invite your friends!!!)

When: Monday, Dec. 5th, 2016 **Time:** 7:00 pm to 7:45 pm



Where: The Home of Mindy and Richard Woolf,
828 Woodmoor Drive, 63132

➤ Light Refreshments will be served

---Babysitting available

For questions or to RSVP, please email Richard Woolf at woolfNHBZ@yahoo.com
or call Jeff at NHBZ's office: (314) 991-2100, ext. 2

NHBZ Cash Card Order Form

What is scrip, and how does it work?

- You purchase gift cards from NHBZ at face-value and NHBZ receives a percentage of your purchase from each card as listed below. It's that simple.
- When you use scrip gift cards at your favorite retailers, you're fundraising while you shop. It's time to put your shopping dollars to work!
- Cards are ordered on the 15th of each month, and the cards are usually available to pick up in the office within 5 business days.
- Just fill out a form and mail or drop off at the office . (Questions? Call Laura at 991-2100 x3)

Retailer	Denomination (in Dollars)	%	Qty	Total Amount	Retailer	Denomination (in Dollars)	%	Qty	Total Amount
Amazon.com	\$ 25.00	3.0%			Jewel-Osco	\$ 25.00	4.0%		
	\$ 100.00	3.0%				\$ 100.00	4.0%		
AMC Theatres	\$ 25.00	8.0%			Kohl's	\$ 25.00	4.0%		
AMC Single Admit	\$ 10.50	10.0%				\$ 100.00	4.0%		
Barnes & Noble	\$ 10.00	9.0%			Lowe's	\$ 25.00	4.0%		
	\$ 25.00	9.0%				\$ 100.00	4.0%		
Bath & Body Works	\$ 10.00	13.0%			Macy's	\$ 25.00	10.0%		
	\$ 25.00	13.0%				\$ 100.00	10.0%		
Bed, Bath & Beyond	\$ 25.00	7.0%			Mobil	\$ 50.00	1.0%		
	\$ 100.00	7.0%			Office Max/ Office Depot	\$ 25.00	5.0%		
Best Buy	\$ 25.00	4.0%				\$ 100.00	5.0%		
	\$ 100.00	4.0%			Petco	\$ 10.00	5.0%		
BP Gas Card	\$ 50.00	1.5%			PetSmart	\$ 25.00	4.0%		
Build A Bear	\$ 25.00	8.0%			Pier 1	\$ 25.00	9.0%		
Container Store	\$ 25.00	9.0%			REI	\$ 25.00	8.0%		
	\$ 100.00	9.0%			Shell Gas Card	\$ 25.00	2.0%		
CVS	\$ 25.00	6.0%			Starbucks	\$ 10.00	7.0%		
	\$ 100.00	6.0%				\$ 25.00	7.0%		
Dierberg's	\$ 25.00	2.5%			Stein Mart	\$ 25.00	7.0%		
	\$ 100.00	2.5%			Target	\$ 25.00	2.5%		
Dillards	\$ 25.00	9.0%				\$ 50.00	2.5%		
	\$ 100.00	9.0%			Talbots	\$ 25.00	13.0%		
Famous Footwear	\$ 25.00	8.0%			T.J. Maxx/Marshall's/ Home Goods	\$ 25.00	7.0%		
Gap/Old Navy/ Banana Republic	\$ 25.00	14.0%				\$ 100.00	7.0%		
	\$ 100.00	14.0%			Ulta Beauty	\$ 25.00	4.0%		
Home Depot	\$ 25.00	4.0%			Walgreens	\$ 25.00	6.0%		
	\$ 100.00	4.0%				\$ 100.00	6.0%		
iTunes	\$ 15.00	5.0%			Walmart/ Sam's Club	\$ 25.00	2.5%		
	\$ 25.00	5.0%				\$ 100.00	2.5%		
JC Penney	\$ 25.00	5.0%			Whole Foods	\$ 25.00	3.0%		
	\$ 100.00	5.0%				\$ 100.00	3.0%		
*Krispy Kreme *	\$ 10.00	8.0%			Other**:				

TOTAL THIS ORDER: \$ _____

- Orders & payments to NHBZ may be made by **check or cash only**, and MUST accompany your order form.
- Payments received after the 15th of the month will automatically be placed on the next order date.

Krispy Kreme Donuts - Special treat for Chanukah (St. Louis area Krispy Kreme stores are certified Kosher-Dairy)

****A complete list of participating businesses can be found at ShopWithScrip.com.** If you do not have access to a computer or internet, please contact our office. Please do NOT order directly from the website.

NAME _____
ADDRESS _____ **CITY** _____ **STATE** _____ **ZIP CODE** _____

And please remember to use your Schnuck's Card for NHBZ credit!!!