



NHBZ Shabbos Bulletin

Welcome to Nusach Hari B'nai Zion
Affiliated with Union of Orthodox Congregations of America

June 24, 2017 ~ 30 Sivan 5777 ~ Candle Lighting 8:11 pm ~ Shabbos Ends 9:14 pm

Torah Portion: Korach: Numbers 16:1 - 18:32
Maftir: Numbers 28:9-15
Haftorah: Isaiah 66:1-24, 1 Samuel 20:18, 42

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Erev Shabbos, Friday, June 23

- Mincha & Ma'ariv 7:00 pm

Shabbos, Saturday, June 24

- Shachris & Musaf 9:00 am ~ Thank You for Leading Davening!
 - Pesukei D'Zimra: **Howard Sandler**
 - Shacharis: **Menachem Szus**
 - Leyning: **Max Gornish**
 - Haftorah: **Dr. Naftali Kadosh**
 - Drasha: **Rabbi Ze'ev Smason**
 - Musaf: **TBA**
- Learners' Service 9:30 am ~ Led by **Rabbi Yosef David** in the Rivkin Chapel
- Starting Points: Wisdom For Daily Living 10:15 am ~ topic: "The Spiritual Power of Names" Led by **Rabbi Ze'ev Smason** in the Rivkin Chapel
- Mincha /Ma'ariv/ Shalosh Seudos ~ 7:55 pm

This Week & Beyond

Minyan Times	Shabbos June 24*	Sun. * June 25	Mon. June 26	Tues. June 27	Wed. June 28	Thu. June 29	Fri. June 30	Shabbos July 1
Shachris	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	7:55 pm	7:00 pm	7:00 pm	7:00 pm	7:00 pm	7:00 pm	7:00 pm	7:55 pm

*Rosh Chodesh Shabbos-Sunday

Today's Shabbos greeters ~ Julie Eisenberg and Tere Farbstein

Anniversaries this week ~ Alan & Vivian Zarkowsky, Boris & Alla Yasinev, Jeff & Irena Scheer, and Keith and Karen Zeff (last week)

Birthdays this week ~ Daniel Givon, Gary Benson, Zev Rosenberg, and Barry Solomon (last week)

- Sunday, June 25 ~ Nusach Hari B'nai Zion's Second Annual Kosher BBQ Cook-Off!
- Shabbos, July 8 ~ Tot Shabbat with Kate Friedman

- **Shabbos, July 8 - 9 ~ Synaplex Weekend with Rabbi Daniel Cohen and Joshua Hahn** (*Rabbi Cohen is the Senior Rabbi at Congregation Agudath Shalom, Officer of Rabbinical Council of America, member National Council of AIPAC, Board of ADL and Mr. Hahn is the AIPAC Director, Kansas-Missouri-Wisconsin Area*).

Saturday 11:15, following services and prior to lunch:

- ❖ **Session 1:** “A Look Ahead at the US-Israel Relationship,” led by **Joshua Hahn**
- ❖ **Session 2:** “Discovering Your Elijah Moment: The Secret to the Redemption,” led by **Rabbi Daniel Cohen**, as well as the following:
- ❖ **Shabbos Afternoon:** “Living Inspired: Maximizing Your Moment and Mission”
- ❖ **Shalosh Seudos:** “Bilaam vs. Moshe: Answering the Call”
- ❖ **Sunday Morning:** “What Will They Say About You When You Are Gone? Creating a Life of Legacy”

- **Monday Nights, July 17 - August 21 ~ Hebrew Reading Crash Course 7:30-9:00 pm ~ Taught by Louis Goldman.** This program uses a professionally designed curriculum from NJOP and has taught more than 250,000 people to read Hebrew! This innovative introductory Hebrew program is designed for people with little or no background in Hebrew and concentrates on the Hebrew alphabet and reading skills. See flyer in this issue.

Thank you to **Aida Greenberg, Jay Umansky, Peggy Umansky, Lenny Alper, Jim Pollock, Susan Schwartz, Mike Minoff, and Marcela Morgensztern** for volunteering and organizing the NHBZ information table at this year's Tour de Fun at the JCC.

Parshas: Korach

This week's Torah portion begins with the infamous rebellion led by Korach against his cousins, Moses and Aaron, claiming that the two of them had usurped power from the rest of the Jewish people. Korach, motivated by jealousy and a desire for honor, rejected Moses' authority and claimed that the appointment of Aaron as *Kohen Gadol* (Head Kohen) was motivated by nepotism. Korach cleverly persuaded 250 judges and others from disaffected groups to become his followers in the rebellion. A frequent theme in the Torah is: Sooner or later G-d always gets the last word. In Korach's case, it was sooner. What was the result of the rebellion? G-d made the earth open up to swallow Korach, the ringleaders of the rebellion, and their families. Fire consumed the remainder of the 250 rebels. The story of Korach's rebellion concludes with an act of reconciliation -- and surprisingly, a U.S. Presidential reference. The staffs of the leaders of the 12 tribes were placed near the Ark of the Covenant. To prove that the tribe of Levi and Aaron was Divinely chosen, Aaron's staff sprouted leaves, almond blossoms and even almonds. I suppose you could say that this miracle made AaronChief of Staff!

Haftorah for Shabbos Rosh Chodesh

When Rosh Chodesh occurs on Shabbos the regular Haftorah is replaced by the special Haftorah for Rosh Chodesh; a selection from Isaiah 66:1-24. When Erev Rosh Chodesh occurs on Shabbos, the Haftorah is referred to as Machar Chodesh ('Tomorrow is Rosh Chodesh'), a selection from the first book of Samuel. What happens when a 2-day Rosh Chodesh occurs with the first day on Shabbos and the second on Sunday? The first and last verses of Machar Chodesh are read, along with the standard Rosh Chodesh Haftorah.

Tributes ~ Show your friends you care; a tribute is a donation in honor of a birth, a birthday, an anniversary, a healthy recovery, or in memory of a loved one, or for any reason to show you care; tributes will be listed in this bulletin monthly. For **Shul Tributes** contact Jeff at jeff@nhbz.org or 991-2100 ext. 2; for **Sisterhood Tributes** call Phyllis Silverman, 314-434-2482; for **Libby Needle Fund** call Sally Needle, 314-991-2575; for **Chesed Fund Tributes** come by the office and pick up a package of cards!

Adult Learning at NHBZ

Every Shabbos ~ 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:

July 1 (No Starting Points or Learners Service: Instead a new program called "Shabbos Morning Live!" Details to follow.

July 8: "Why Do We Do Dumb & Irrational Things?"

July 15: "How To Turn Your Enemies Into Friends"

July 22: "What Are the Most Attractive Character Traits?"

July 29: "Living with Faith after Setbacks"

Aug. 5: "Comforting the Pained"

Aug. 12: "Habits That Make You Happier"

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'.

Amud-A-Week Program. Join Rabbi Daniel Freund every Monday following Ma'ariv (please note the time change) for 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

Memorial Plaques ~ Remember your loved ones with a memorial plaque; prices are \$180 and \$360.



NHBZ Event Planner

(Check “This Week and Beyond . . .” 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.
- **Starting Points (10:15 am)** led by Rabbi Ze'ev Smason in the Rivkin Chapel.
- **Child Care (10:15 am – Noon)** for kids 3 & under in the Children's Room.
- **Shabbos Tanach (Bible)** (3/4 hour before Mincha)

SUNDAY

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

MONDAY

- **Mah Jongg** (Mondays, 4-6:00 pm)
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

- **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.
- **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

Annual Kosher BBQ Cook-off ~ June 25, 2017





Holy Smokes!

Prizes for 2017!

\$100 Cash for
Grand Champion

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Winners of each of
4 Meat Categories



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Sunday, June 25, 2017, Noon – 4 pm

BBQ Competition * Sponsor Booths * Tasting Booths
Kids' Activities * Car Show * Live Music

Interested in being a Sponsor or one of the selected cook-off Teams?

Apply on-line at www.nhbz.org ~ a limited number of teams is available

For more information and rules, contact Mindy Woolf at mwoolf2002@gmail.com

or visit <http://www.nhbz.org/index.php/home/kosher-bbq-competition/>

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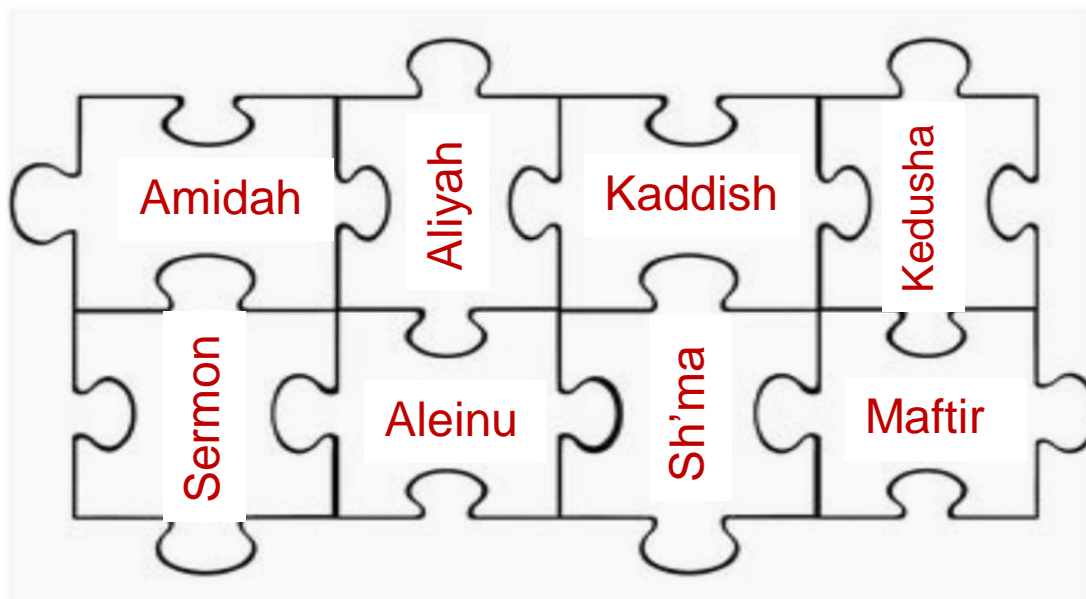


New! New! New!
Shabbos, July 1, 9:00 am

SHABBOS MORNING LIVE!

With Rabbi Ze'ev Smason

Join us for a complete Shabbos morning service with commentary and explanations that will provide an enhanced understanding of the order and meaning of the prayers, with helpful tips, questions and answers





Shabbat Weekend

July 8 - 9, 2017

A weekend with *Rabbi Daniel Cohen*

Senior Rabbi at Congregation Agudath Shalom,
National Officer of the Rabbinical Council of America,
Member of the National Council of AIPAC, and Board of ADL

This Synaplex Shabbat Weekend is sponsored by Peggy and Jay Umansky

Saturday

- 8:30 am Traditional Services - in the sanctuary
- 9:15 am Prayer Learners Service - in the chapel
led by Rabbi Yosef David of Aish HaTorah
- 10:00 am Starting Points: Wisdom for Daily Living - in the chapel
led by Rabbi Ze'ev Smason

11:15 am Synaplex Breakout Sessions

- "A Look Ahead at the U.S.-Israel Relationship"
led by Joshua Hahn, AIPAC Kansas, Missouri, Wisconsin Area Director
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12:15 pm Kiddush Lunch for All - in the Social Hall

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Moment and Mission"

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***NHBZ Synaplex Shabbat is free and open to the Jewish public.
Home hospitality is available. Call the NHBZ office at 314-991-2100 ext. 2 for details.***



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Shabbat Morning

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LEARN TO READ HEBREW NOW!

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Hebrew Reading Crash Course

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Led by Louis Goldman

July 17 and 24 *(no class on July 31)*

August 7, 14, and 21

This program uses a professionally designed curriculum from NJOP, and has taught more than 250,000 people to read Hebrew!

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Participants in last fall's Hebrew Reading Crash Course are welcome to attend any or all of the sessions as a refresher at no additional charge.

Please remember to bring your course book from last year!

אבגדה

Please register and provide your payment of \$18 for the entire course and materials by July 10.

To register and pay, call Jeff at 314-991-2100 ext. 2 or mail your payment to:

Nusach Hari B'nai Zion, 650 N. Price Road, St. Louis MO 63132

Please indicate on the check that it is for Hebrew Reading Crash Course.