

Welcome to Nusach Hari B'nai Zion  
Shabbos, August 16, 2008

# Nusach Hari B'nai Zion

## Good Shabbos to Everyone!

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Bruchim Habayim  
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Welcome home Nina!!



★ **Kiddush** ~ Everyone is invited to Kiddush in the Joe Rothman Auditorium following services this morning.

Hop to it! Celebrate your simcha with a Kiddush!!

Thanks to **Irwin Rosen** for enhancing Kiddush today, and sponsoring the cake, in honor of the birthdays of his **wife - Roz**, and son-in-law - **Bobby Levine**, and to say Welcome Home to granddaughter, **Nina Levine**, who has just returned from Israel. **Nina** will be sharing insights and details from her trip at the Kiddush, following the conclusion of davening.

If you would like to sponsor a Kiddush or Shalosh Seudos or add something special, please call 314-991-2100, ext. 2, to make arrangements. Your contribution will help our Nusach Hari B'nai Zion Kiddush-Shalosh Seudos Fund.

★ **Davening** ~ *Parshas Va'eschanan - Shabbos Nachamu*

★ **Thank You For Leading Davening** ~ *Pesukei D'Zimra: Howard Sandler; Shacharis: Dr. Ethan Schuman; Leyning: Dr. Larry Gornish; Haftorah: Ron Makovsky; Musaf: Dr. Ethan Schuman.*

★ **Jr. Congregations:** Jr. Congregation will meet this morning at 10:30 a.m. Girls Jr. Congregation and younger children will meet in the Chapel with **Dodi Smason**. Boys will meet in the auditorium with **Avrumi Smason**.

★ **Mincha & Maariv:** We will daven Mincha this evening at 7:20 p.m. Shabbos concludes at 8:39 p.m.

★ **Shacharis & Mincha ~ Shabbos - August 16 through Friday, August 22:**

	Shabbos	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
Shacharis	8:45	8:00	6:45	7:00	7:00	6:45	7:00
Mincha/Maariv	7:20	7:00	7:00	7:00	7:00	7:00	7:00

★ **NHBZ Coming Events & Dates to Remember**

★ **UPCOMING SHABBOS FESTIVITIES & ACTIVITIES:**

★ **Scholar in Residence Weekend** Next Shabbos, August 23. **Ya'akov Katz**, also known as **Ketzele**, was born in Jerusalem in 1953. His impressive biography contains a run down of his life, with too much fascinating information to mention here. Copies of **Ketzele's** biography can be found in the rear of the sanctuary. Several events are being planned. **Ketzele** will deliver the drasha on Shabbos morning - "Seeing the Good in the State of Israel."

**Yehuda HaKohen**, Director of the Zionist Freedom Alliance, will speak at Shalosh Seudos on the topic: "Jewish Liberation and Social Justice. Then, at Teen Pizza Night - Motzai Shabbos, **Ketzele** will speak with our teens! Pizza at 9:30 p.m.; **Ketzele** speaks at 10:15 p.m. "My Life Experiences in Israel."

★ **Kiddush** will be sponsored on Shabbos, August 23, by **Dr. Craig & Jackie Berkin** to welcome their children and grandsons visiting from Israel and New Jersey.

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★ **A DOUBLE BAR-MITZVAH!!** **Jonathan Yasinev** and **Ari Zakroff** will become B'nai Mitzvah on Shabbos, August 30. **Boris & Alla Yasinev** and **Bert & Tziporah Zakroff** will sponsor Kiddush and Lunch in honor of **Jonathan and Ari**.

★ **COMING IN ELUL: Three Drashas from Rabbi Smason to Prepare us for Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur.**

September 6: Agriprocessors: Business Ethics, Personal Ethics

(September 13: Synaplex)

September 20: Kosher Talk

September 27: Tshuva: Within Our Reach?

★ **School Supply Drive** We are still accepting cash to help kids in our shul and the community who need a little TLC! All donations are needed and very appreciated.

★ **Appreciation Dinner** Sunday, August 24, 5:00 p.m. to say thank you and to honor everyone who pledged and/or has already contributed a Special Gift to Nusach Hari B'nai Zion. Our guest of honor will enjoy an Open Bar and Hors D'oeuvres, Full Course Dinner and a special guest speaker -- **Larry Levin**, Publisher and CEO of the St. Louis Jewish Light, will question the presence of bias about Jews in the press: "The Media ~ For or Against Jews?"

★ **PIZZA PIZZA!!**

★ **Lion's Den Pizza ~ Dine-In and Carry-Out!!**

Our next Pizza Events: Dine-in on Sunday, August 31st, and Carry-Out Night on Wednesday, September 17th. We can always use some new volunteers to staff our Pizza Nights and serve in the buffet line. If you want to join the fun, please call Sandie, 314-991-2100, ext. 2.

★ **Summer Fun for Kids!!**

Next outing -- an afternoon Cardinals baseball game, against the Atlanta Braves, for boys and girls on Sunday, August 24. Space is limited to 30 seats. Kids: \$12.00; Adults: \$22.00. Kids will get first priority!! To reserve your tickets, contact **Avrumi Smason** at [nhbzyouth@gmail.com](mailto:nhbzyouth@gmail.com), or **Rabbi Smason** at 314-991-2100.



★ **4th Annual Kosher Chili Cook-Off!!**

It's not too early to think about our 4th Annual Kosher Chili Cookoff on Sunday, November 16. This year we have been invited to hold it in the Gym at the JCC! So start putting your teams and recipes together.

★ **New NHBZ Computer Program!!** We ask that you return the forms you received recently from NHBZ to our office. Please review all general and yearzeit information and make corrections as needed. It is important for us to have updated, current information for the new program we have begun to use. If you have any questions, call **Gay** at 314-991-2100, ext. 3.

If the Eruv is operational, you may take this Shabbos Bulletin home, if you are walking and live within the boundaries of the Eruv.

☆ **Learning at NHBZ**

☆ **Weekly Learning**

☆ **Shabbos Study Group** For boys ages 10-14 each Shabbos, with Rabbi Smason, **30 minutes** before Mincha. **This evening at 6:50 p.m.**

☆ **Shabbos Study Group** Each Shabbos 1 hour before Mincha. Studying Tanach (currently, Melachim Aleph -Kings I ), **this evening at 6:20 p.m.**; Pirkei Avos study **at 6:50 p.m.** *Everyone at any level of learning is welcome.*

☆ **Sunday Learning** Mishna Shiur every Sunday. **Rabbi Chanon Swidler**, of the St. Louis Kollel, will lead a study of the Mishna following Sunday morning services. Please join us for davening at 8:00 a.m. with Mishna study to follow.

☆ **Lunch & Learn** with **Rabbi Smason**, Meets every Wednesday at 12:15 p.m., in the Joe Rothman Auditorium. Insights for daily living from the weekly Torah portion.

☆ **Monthly Learning ~**

☆ **NHBZ Women's Home Study Group ~ "Women of Valor ~ Our Biblical Mothers."** Next class, **Tuesday, September 2nd**, presented by **Rabbi Shaya Mintz**, of the St. Louis Kollel, at the home of Jackie Berkin. All women are welcome.

☆ **The Morris Lenga Yiddish Club** meets on the 1st Thursday of each month, at 7:30 p.m. in the Joe Rothman Auditorium. **Next Date: Thurs., September 4th.** Join us for a spirited & enjoyable hour filled with Yiddish stories and songs, fun and laughter, **keeping Yiddish alive!** Seasoned "mayvens" (experts), as well as novices are invited to attend. Just show up and bring a friend! You'll have a blast!!!

☆ **St. Louis Descendants of the Holocaust** invite you and your family to a New Year's Brunch & Program, Sunday, September 7th, 11:00 a.m., at the Jewish Federation Building. Bob Schnurman, Holocaust Educator, will speak about the Jewish resistance. *"Like Sheep to Slaughter: Truth or Fiction?"* This is a part of our history that is too seldom known, and important for our younger descendants to learn. Members: \$8.00; Non-members: \$10.00; Kids: \$6.00..

☆ **Kashrus Alerts**

**From the OU**

**Slippery Jacks Marinated Mushrooms** This product may be infested and should not be eaten.

**Harry & David Pepper & Onion Relish with Zinfandel (2.45 oz.)** A limited amount of this product was produced bearing an unauthorized OU symbol and is being withdrawn from the marketplace.

Consumers spotting either of these products are requested to contact the OU at 212-613-8241 or via email at kashalerts @ou.org.

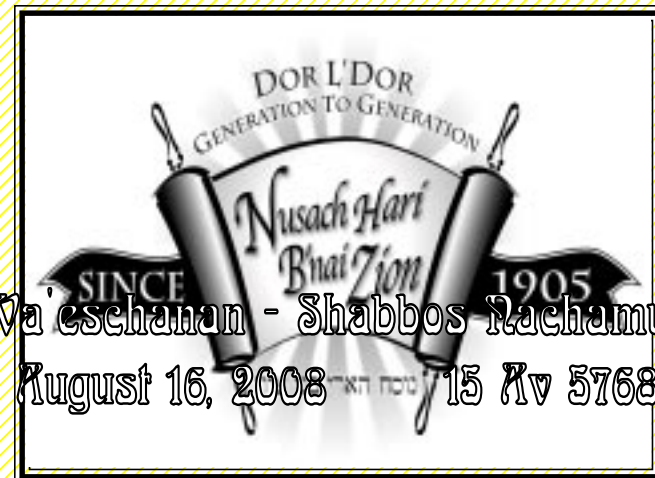
**From the OK**

**Astrix Energy Drink** (Made in Austria) is being sold with an Unauthorized OK symbol. This product is NOT certified by the OK Kosher Certification.

☆ **Always Check on the Eruv Before Shabbos!** Contractors are working throughout the entire area on highway improvements.. We will experience periods when the Eruv may be down in various locations. **Please be sure to check the Eruv hotline each Friday (314-863-1811)! SPECIAL NOTE:** The Eruv boundary west of Hanley Road and south of Clayton Road has been changed to include the Brith Sholom Kneseth Israel Congregation (BSKI) at 1107 East Linden Avenue. The new section includes the sound wall, fences and highway wall running along the north side of I-64 and along the east side of I-170. The new area includes the BSKI Synagogue but not the Residence Inn Hotel located south and west of the Synagogue.

☆ **Our Shabbos Bulletin is ON-LINE!** Just go to our website, [www.nhbz.org](http://www.nhbz.org). If you can't carry this home with you, go on-line for all the upcoming events at NHBZ and the community.

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