

NHBZ Sukkos - Shabbos Bulletin

Sept. 19-20-21, 2013 *Welcome to Nusach Hari B'nai Zion* 15-16-17 Tishrei 5774

Affiliated with the Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations of America

Erev Sukkos ~ Wednesday, September 18

- **Mincha & Maariv (6:45 pm)**
- **Light Candles (6:47 pm)**

1st Day Sukkos ~ Thursday, September 19

| | | |
|--|---------------------|------------------------|
| Torah Portion: Leviticus 22:26 – 23:44 | Siddur pp 471 – 473 | Chumash pp 680 - 691 |
| Maftir: Numbers 29:12 - 29:16 | Siddur p 473 | Chumash p 894 |
| Haftorah: Zachariah 14:1 – 14:21 | Siddur pp 473 – 474 | Chumash pp 1241 - 1242 |

- **Shachris & Musaf (9:00 am) - Thank you for leading services:**
 - Pesukei D'Zimra: **Howard Sandler**
 - Shacharis: **Dr. Ethan Schuman**
 - Leining: **Max Gornish**
 - Haftorah: **Dr. Ethan Schuman**
 - Drasha (Sermon): **Rabbi Ze'ev Smason**
 - Musaf: **Dr. Ethan Schuman**
- **Mincha & Maariv (6:45 pm)**
- **Light Candles (7:48 pm)**
- **Kiddush~ We will make Kiddush in the Sukkah on both days of Yom Tov and on Shabbos.**

2nd Day Sukkos ~ Friday, September 20

| | | |
|--|---------------------|------------------------|
| Torah Portion: Leviticus 22:26 – 23:44 | Siddur pp 471 – 473 | Chumash pp 680 - 691 |
| Maftir: Numbers 29:12 - 29:16 | Siddur p 473 | Chumash p 894 |
| Haftorah: I Kings 8:2 – 8:21 | Siddur pp 474 – 475 | Chumash pp 1242 - 1243 |

- **Shachris & Musaf (9:00 am) - Thank you for leading services:**
 - Pesukei D'Zimra: **Howard Sandler**
 - Shacharis: **Menachem Szus**
 - Leining: **Asher Zarkowsky**
 - Haftorah: **TBA**
 - Drasha (Sermon): **none today**
 - Musaf: **Menachem Szus**



Erev Shabbos – Friday, September 20

- **Mincha & Maariv (6:45 pm)**
- **Candle Lighting ~ Friday night, for Shabbos (6:44 pm)**

Shabbos Chol Hamoed, September 21

Shabbos Torah Portion: Parshas Chol Hamoed Sukkos

| | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|
| Exodus 33:12 – 34:26 | Siddur: pp 478-479 | Stone Chumash pp 505-513 |
| Maftir: Numbers 29:17-22 | Siddur: p 475 | Stone Chumash pp 895-896 |
| Haftorah: Ezekiel 38:18 – 39:15 | Siddur: p 480 | Stone Chumash pp 1243-1244 |

- **Shachris & Musaf (9:00 am) - Thank you for leading services:**
 - Pesukei D'Zimra: **Howard Sandler**
 - Shacharis: **Dr. Ethan Schuman**
 - Leining: **Max Gornish**
 - Haftorah: **TBA**
 - Drasha (Sermon): **Rabbi Ze'ev Smason**
 - Musaf: **Dr. Ethan Schuman**
- **Mincha, Shalosh Seudos, Ma'ariv (6:25 pm)**
- **Shabbos Concludes (7:45 pm)**

MINYAN! IT'S GOOD FOR US & GOOD FOR YOU, TOO!!!

| <i>This Week At a Glance</i> | Shabbos Sept. 21 | Sunday Sept. 22 | Monday Sept. 23 | Tuesday Sept. 24 | Wed. Sept. 25 | Thurs. Sept. 26 | Friday Sept. 27 | Shabbos Sept. 28 |
|--|--|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|--|--|---|
| Shachris | 9:00 am | 8:00 am | 6:45 am | 6:45 am | 6:30 am | 9:00 am | 9:00 am | 9:00 am |
| Mincha/ Ma'ariv | 6:25 pm | 6:30 pm | 6:30 pm | 6:30 pm | 6:30 pm | 6:30 pm | 6:30 pm | 6:15 pm |
| Events – see times in Event Planner Box | <i>Chol Hamoed Sukkos! Good Shabbos to Everyone</i> | <i>Chol Hamoed Sukkos!</i> | <i>Chol Hamoed Sukkos!</i> | ORDER CASH CARDS! | <i>Hoshana Rabba Erev Shemini Atzeres</i> | <i>Shemini Atzeres: Yizkor <u>10:30 am</u> Simchas Torah: <u>7:15 pm</u> Maariv, Hakofos & Dinner</i> | <i>Simchas Torah Hakofos & Lunch by Julie & Don Eisen- berg</i> | <i>Good Shabbos to Everyone</i> |

HIGH HOLIDAYS!

- **SUKKAH RAISING** at NHBZ!!! **PLUS SANCTUARY SEATING – BACK TO ORDER!!!** A REALLY BIG Thank You to all our helpers: Lenny & Fran Alper, Dr. Craig Berkin, Mati Elmaleh, Alan Haber, Harold Hoffman, Eliot & Sally Katz, Bob Kaiser, Bobby Levine, Jack Maram, Mark Ragin, Menachem Szus, Reuven Tzadok, Boris Yasinev and Jonathan Yasinev.
- **Simchas Torah Night** ~ Thursday, September 26: Mincha at 6:30 p.m., Maariv and Hakofos at 7:15 p.m., followed by an All-You-Can-Eat Spaghetti Dinner **FREE** to everyone! **Reservations are a MUST.** Sisterhood will, once again, provide delicious candy apples, and there will be flags for all the children. Thanks to our sponsors (so far) for this dinner ~ **Ruth Novack Alper, Bob & Sandie Abrams, Andy & Ellen Berg, Sam & Shirley Bluestein, Dr. Susan Feigenbaum & Dr. Jay Pepose, Alan & Janet Haber, Bob & Joni Kaiser, Bobby & Sheryl Levine, Rachael Pevnick, Mark Ragin & Gail Rose, Jon & Naomi Shanker, Sid & Phyllis Silverman, Gary & Trudy Sudin, and Menachem & Linda Szus.** **Please RSVP, 314-991-2100, ext. 5.**
- **Simchas Torah Lunch** ~ Thanks to **Julie and Don Eisenberg** who will sponsor a light lunch on Simchas Torah day in memory of their beloved fathers, Harold Eisenberg, הר"ל, and Stuart Raskas, הר"ל. **Please RSVP by Sunday, September 22nd, 314-991-2100, ext. 5.**
- **It is customary to make a contribution to the synagogue for both Yizkor and honors received during the Yomim Tovim. Your donations are very much appreciated.**
- **Men's Mikvah Schedule** ~ The Millstone Mikvah will be open with an attendant for men, 9:00 am to 5:00 pm, to use during the Yomim Tovim. After 5pm the mikvah door will be on combination, Aleph, Gimmel, Hey. **The fees are:** Adults: \$7.50; Pre-Bar Mitzvah boys: \$5.00; "Klei Kodesh": \$5.00; Yeshiva Bochorim: \$5.00; Sons of "Klei Kodesh": Free.

Schedule of Men's Use of Shabbos Mikvah at Young Israel During the Yomim Tovim: Tuesday, 9/17 to Friday, 9/20, the 2st day Succos -Not Available. Shabbos, 9/21 to Monday, 9/23 –Available. Tuesday, 9/24 to Friday, 9/27 Simchas Torah -Not Available. Shabbos, 9/28 –Available. **Regular schedule resumes Sept. 28.**

COMING EVENTS

- **Lion's Den Pizza Night** ~ Our regular "Last Sunday of the Month" All-You-Can-Eat Pizza Buffet - Sunday, September 29. Please place carry out orders by Sunday morning at 10:00 a.m. 314-991-2100, ext. 2.
- **Bi-Monthly Women's Tefila Class** ~ Led by **Rabbi Ze'ev Smason**, the class meets on the 2nd and 4th **MONDAYS** of the month, at 7:00 p.m. Classes will resume on October 14, at NHBZ. The focus of our class is the structure and deeper meaning of the Shabbos morning service and prayers, and how prayer can be used as a basis for our own communication with G-d. All women welcome.
- **Next Synaplex** ~ Shabbos, October 19. Learners' Service at 10 a.m., Synaplex break-out classes at 11:00 a.m.: "**The 10 Commandments of How to Get Along With People**" led by **Rabbi Ze'ev Smason**; "**The New Challenges in Egypt: What it all means for the Middle East?**" led by **Dr. Morris Kalliny, St. Louis University Professor of International Business and Marketing**; "**Genesis: In the Footsteps of the Patriarchs and Matriarchs**" led by **Rabbi Yaakov Berkowitz, of the St. Louis Kollel**; **Youth Programming:** For kids 4 and over; and **Tot Shabbat.** Lunch at noon, following the Synaplex Sessions, in honor of September and October Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries.
- **Our FIFTH Annual RABBI RIDE-AROUND** will take place on Sunday, October 20, in Forest Park!! Please become a sponsor for Rabbi Smason's 50-Mile Ride Around Forest Park: We ask a minimum pledge of 25c per mile, which equals a total donation of \$12.50; 50c = \$25; \$1.00 = \$50; \$2.00 = \$100.00!!! Call our office, 314-991-2100, ext. 2, to make your pledge. And please come to cheer Rabbi Smason on, and to enjoy a Picnic-In-The-Park! We will meet at Pavilion #5, SW corner of the park by Clayton Road & Hwy. 40. Rabbi Smason begins his Ride at 10:00 a.m.; Picnic at 12:30 p.m. Robin Rickerman is planning a great lunch at \$10.00 for adults, and \$5.00 for kids. Other plans are in the works – so stay tuned!!!
- **Semi-Annual Shul Meeting and Election of Officers** will be held on Tuesday evening, November 19TH. Each year, one-third of the 15-member Board rotates off, and 5 new or returning members are elected. If you are interested in becoming an officer or member of our Board, please call Bob Kaiser (314-342-4153), chairman of the nominating committee, and your name will be placed in nomination.
- **108TH Anniversary Banquet** ~ We are proud to present our Honoree for 2013 -- our own **Dr. Ethan Schuman**. Dr. Schuman has served as our chazzan since 2002. He is noted for his community work, right here in St. Louis – most recently pioneering the first on-line Shechita course for men in St. Louis to learn the halachos, customs, and art of the ritual slaughter of animals for kosher consumption, and his creation and regular leadership of the NHBZ Yiddish Club. His many projects around the world include Matzah baking in Tunisia, Uganda and Kenya; davening for congregations in Nairobi, Bucharest and Cuba; Shechita in Kenya, Cuba and Uganda; speaking and learning with communities in Torino, Italy; Bris Milah for the communities of Riga, Metamoros Mexico. It is with great pleasure that we give well-deserved kovod (honor) to Dr. Schuman on Sunday, December 15, 2013, at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Clayton. When you receive the Ad Journal order forms, please respond with your business ads, as well as your personal greetings and messages to our honoree.

Meetings

- **Board of Directors Meeting** ~ Tuesday, October 8 (Second Tuesday)
- **No Sisterhood meetings in September & October; no Social Club in September**
- **Irvin Alper Social Club** ~ Next get-together – Sunday, October 6
- **Executive Committee Meeting** ~ Tuesday, October 22 (Fourth Tuesday)
- **Sisterhood Luncheon** ~ Next meeting – Tuesday, November 12 (The 2nd Tuesday)

NHBZ Event Planner (Check 'Coming Events' for time, date or location changes.)
Call the office at 314-991-2100, ext. 2, to confirm the date and time of any event.

Weekly at NHBZ

SHABBOS

- Child Care (10:00 am – Noon) kids 3 & under in the Children's Room
- Youth Programming (10:15 am – 11:00 am) children 4-8, in the Youth Lounge.
- Learners Service (10:15 am) led by Rabbi Ze'ev Smason in the Chapel
- Shabbos Tanach (Bible) Study Group (45 minutes before Mincha)

SUNDAY

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

MONDAY

- Women's Tefila Class (2nd & 4th **Mondays**, 7:00 pm with Rabbi Smason. Classes resume on October 14 at NHBZ

WEDNESDAY

- Rabbi Smason's Lunch & Learn (12:15-1:00 pm) now studying Pirkei Avos. No classes on 9/18 or 9/25. Weekly classes will resume on Oct. 2.

Monthly at NHBZ

- Irvin Alper Social Club (First Sunday) (**No Sisterhood or Social Club meetings in September**)
- Women's Home Study Group (First Tuesday, 2:30 pm) with Rabbi Shaya Mintz, of the St. Louis Kollel at home of Jackie Berkin (**no Study Groups in September**); Study groups will resume on the first Tuesday in October (Oct. 1)
- Morris Lenga Yiddish Club (First Thursday, 7:30 pm) (**No Yiddish Club in September**)
- Dine-In Pizza Night (Last Sunday 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm) Carry-Out Pizzas also available. Pick up time 4:30 pm. Place orders: 314-991-2100, ext. 2.
- Sisterhood (Third Tuesday) ***** (No Sisterhood or Social Club meetings in September)**

NHBZ Signature Events

- Synaplex Shabbos
- Shabbos Lunch & Learn

Reminders

- **Buy and Use Cash Cards** – call the office ASAP to order your cards and **earn free money** for NHBZ!
- **Schnucks E-Scrip Card** - Use your Schnucks Card *every time you shop!* Make it count!!!
- **Sponsorships** - If you would like to sponsor Kiddush, Soda, Shalosh Seudos, this Bulletin, or something unique in honor or in memory of a loved one, please call 314-991-2100, extension 2, to make arrangements.
- **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 call Gloria Waxman, 314-872-3296; for Sisterhood call Phyllis Silverman, 314-434-2482; for Libby Needle Fund call Sally Needle, 314-991-2575.
- **Buy a Brick Online or by Phone** - Our website now accepts online donations for the Brick and Planting Campaign; go to <http://www.nhbz.org/dedications.asp> or call the office at 314-991-2100.
- **Synagogue Honors** - It is customary to make a donation to the shul for Aliyos or other honors received.
- **Shalosh Seudos**, The 3rd Meal of Shabbos ~ To sponsor Shalosh Seudos on Shabbos, which takes place between Mincha and Ma'ariv, please call the office to make arrangements. We are very grateful to those of you who sponsor the Third Meal as you observe the yahrtzeits of your dear family members.
- **Mi Shebarach List** ~ Prayers will be said for a Refuah Shelayma for your loved ones and friends. Please call the office, 314-991-2100, ext. 2, by 10:00 a.m. Friday mornings so we can include the names on our Mi Shebarach list for Shabbos. We need the names of the person who is ill AND his/her mother's name in Hebrew, or English--if Hebrew names are unavailable. Your contributions are greatly appreciated.

- **Memorial Plaques** ~ Memorial plaques from our former location are lovingly mounted in our new building. Remember your loved ones with a plaque; prices range from \$150 to \$275. Call the office for details.
- **Mishna Study** ~ Learning Mishnayos in memory of a loved one or for a Refuah Shelayma for a person who is ill is an age-old Jewish Tradition. The word Mishna (learning) is closely related to the word Neshama (soul), and we believe that learning Mishnayos in someone's name acts as a Spiritual Elevation for that person or that person's soul. Our NHBZ Mishnayos Shiur learns every Sunday following morning minyan, carrying on this tradition by dedicating the Mishnayos to our loved ones. You may dedicate Mishnayos for 1 year: \$250; 6 months: \$150; 3 months: \$96; 1 month, \$50. *May your loved one be bound up in the bond of eternal life. May HaShem be filled with compassion to restore the health of your loved one.*

Simchas, NEWS & FEATURES

- **MAZEL TOV ON SIMCHAS** September 21-28. **Happy Birthday to Emma Mufson, JoAnn Raskas, Sandy Segall, and Asher Zarkowsky! Happy Anniversary ~ Dr. Alan & Marcie Brook and Vitaly & Alla Gipkhn!** Show your friends you care ~ send a tribute. Shul: Gloria Waxman 314-872-3296; Sisterhood: Phyllis Silverman 314-434-2482; Libby Needle Fund: Sally Needle 314-991-2575; For Chesed Fund: Drop by the office for a Card Pack.
- **Adult Bar & Bas Mitzvos** ~ Whether for the first time, or for your second time around, here is a golden learning opportunity, and your chance to celebrate with family and friends!! A ten-week course that will provide you with the knowledge, skills and experience that a Bar or Bas Mitzvah is really all about. Members: \$99; Non-members: \$125. Reservations are a MUST! Please call 314-991-2100, ext. 2. **Welcome to our first students ~ Marshall & Steffani Brockman, Julie Eisenberg, Rhonnie Goldfader, Joyce Hochberg, Kurt & Sandy Kahn, Howard & Phyllis Loiterstein, Jason & Nicole Loiterstein, and Robin Rickerman!!!**
- **BECOME ENERGIZED!!! Sponsor Your Own Solar Panel!!!** Lock in the 2014 price of just \$216 for a full year. Introductory Offer ~ For the remainder of 2013, your cost will be pro-rated to only \$108 through the end of December. Your sponsorship will appear on the lobby monitor with an individual display with your personal or business name. Sponsor a panel for yourself, your friends, your business, or dedicate one in honor of a loved one. If you are interested in sponsoring a solar panel, please call 314-991-2100, ext. 2 and we will send you the form to complete with your wording! **Thanks to Jeff & Terri Schnitzer who became our very FIRST Solar Panel Sponsors!!! And, to Marvin & Jackie Gitel for becoming our SECOND sponsors!!! And now, our FIRST LIFETIME SPONSORS: Dr. Susan Feigenbaum and Dr. Jay Pepose are dedicating 4 solar panels to their children as follows: 1. Dedicated to David Pepose: The LIGHT of our lives; 2. Dedicated to Morissa Pepose: She brings SUNSHINE on a cloudy day; 3. Dedicated to Max Pepose: Our shining STAR; and 4. Dedicated to Sam Pepose: He dazzles us with his BRILLIANCE.**
- **Kashrus Alerts** ~ **The OK** has released the following Kashrus Alert: Please be advised that **Mott's Apples White Grape Juice** sold by Dr. Pepper Snapple Group (St. Louis, MO) was mistakenly labeled with the OK kosher symbol. **Mott's Apples White Grape Juice is not certified by OK Kosher!** Corrective measures are being taken.
- **Help Ethan Belau with his Mitzvah Project ~ "Torah & Turf" ~ Ethan Belau** is becoming a Bar Mitzvah, and is asking for your help with his Mitzvah Project. He is collecting used sports equipment such as cleats, baseball gloves, shin guards, etc., that can be donated to lower income families. In combining his passion for football and Torah learning, Ethan has developed an idea to have both available for boys who are past bar mitzvah age. Currently there is a group of young professionals who study Torah followed by a game of flag football. They apply their learning to their everyday life such as work ethics or personal relationships.

Ethan has decided to help create a Junior League of "Torah and Turf." The learning will apply to their age group focusing on sportsmanship and character development, and the fun will continue out on the field. In the meanwhile, Please bring all donations to the lower level (north) entrance of Nusach Hari B'nai Zion until October 14. A box is waiting for your donations just outside of the shul office.

- **Yeshivat Kadimah High School** opened its doors on Monday, August 26! The rigorous, college prep YKHS program focuses on student-centered learning, and uses a variety of tools including traditional, interactive, experiential and online resources. YKHS is an Orthodox school, open to the entire community, serving grades 9-12. If you would like more information or would like to be a part of the community e-mail list, please contact us at admin@YeshivatKadimah.org, or at 314-942-3166.
- **Celebrate Sukkos** ~ Chol Hamoed Carnival sponsored by Block Athletics: Celebrate Sukkos with the entire family at the Chol Hamoed Carnival featuring rides and games for all age groups, as well as kosher concessions, including funnel cakes, cotton candy, snow cones and more. Located at 8020 Olive Blvd., just east of 82nd St., in the Seafood City parking lot. Open to everyone on Monday, September 23 from 4 pm, and on Tuesday, September 24 from 6 pm. Also on Tuesday, the carnival will be open for girls only from 12-3 pm, and for boys only from 3-6 pm. Ride tickets available on-site. *A photographer will be available to take family photos. Monday evening will feature a special appearance by a surprise local celebrity.*
- **Tomchei Shabbos!!** Families need extra assistance with non-perishable food. Please pick up a bag available at NHBZ in the office, and fill it with your choices of non-perishable food items. Money donations are always welcome! **CHAGIM FOOD DROP-OFF:** Please help our families prepare for the Chagim! If you need items for the chagim picked up at your home, please call Merle at 725-1192, or Jackie Oppenheimer at 997-6924. AND, Please Save This Date --- The Tomchai Shabbos annual event will be held Sunday, Oct. 13th!! New project kickoff will be announced! For more details, or to arrange other pick ups at your home, please call Sally Needle at 991-2575.
- **The St. Louis Jewish Light Celebrates Half Century** ~ "The *Light's* history is the local Jewish community's history," says Myrna Meyer, Light Trustee. "If it has been important to Jewish St. Louisans, then it's been in the *Light.*" A community-wide event, the Golden Light Gala, is slated for the evening of October 6 at the Ritz Carlton Hotel. Meyer, the event chair, says that the evening will be filled with fun and exciting samples of the last half-century's news. Contact the *Light* at 314-743-3660 for more information about attending the event.
- **Senior Health & Wellness Fair ~ Free & Open to the Public!** Wednesday, October 1, 10:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., Covenant House Apts, Building One, 10 Millstone Campus. Free blood pressure screenings, exercise demonstrations, balance screenings, vision tests and much more. Product promos and giveaways, "Knit Witts" craft sale. Flu & Pneumonia shots available. For more information call Jenny, 314-432-1610.
- **INVITATION FROM BOBBY LEVINE!!! Opening Reception and Exhibit** ~ *One of a kind, original graphic artwork by Robert X. Levine, 8:30 p.m. on Sunday, October 13, 2013. Graphic Design, Drawings and Ceramics!!! "Please come and check out my gallery show in the Feigenbaum-Pepose Learning Center in the Lower Level of Nusach Hari B'nai Zion. It's all for sale, and available immediately following the reception. Fine Art prints are also available." Proceeds to benefit the Nusach Hari B'nai Zion Capital Campaign.*

*Beyond Twelve Gates by Rabbi Ze'ev Smason
Will Resume in October*

Rabbi Ze'ev & Chani wish you a Joyous Sukkos!

*Nusach Hari B'nai Zion Congregation
108th Anniversary Celebration*

Sunday Evening, December 15, 2013
At the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Clayton

*We are proud to present our Honoree for 2013
Our Own Dr. Ethan Schuman*

MARK YOUR CALENDAR & SAVE THE DATE!

The Deadline to submit new information to appear in our Shabbos Bulletin is Wednesday, at 12:00 noon each week. The bulletin is printed first thing every Thursday morning.

Next week before Shemini Atzeres/Simchas Torah, the deadline for new information to appear in our Yom Tov/Shabbos Bulletin will be Monday, September 23rd, at 12:00 noon.

The bulletins during the High Holidays will be printed first thing Tuesday mornings.