

Shabbos Bulletin

Welcome to Nusach Hari B'nai Zion

Affiliated with Union of Orthodox Congregations of America

August 31, 2019 ~ 30 Av 5779 Candle Lighting 7:16 pm Shabbat Ends 8:18 pm

Torah Portion: Re'eh -- Deuteronomy 11:26 - 16:17 Chumash pages.998 - 1023
Maftir: (Rosh Chodesh): Numbers 28:9-15 Chumash pages 890 - 892
Haftorah: Isaiah 66: 1-24, 1 Samuel 20:18, 42 Chumash pages 1208 - 1210

Our Sponsors:

Thank you to **Stuart Klamen** for preparing and sponsoring the Kiddush luncheon in observance of the yahrzeit of his father, Edward Klamen z'l.

Erev Shabbos, August 30

Mincha & Ma'ariv ~ 7:00 pm

Shabbos, August 31

• Shabbat Services ~ 9:00 am

- Pesukei D'Zimra: **Howard Sandler** - Haftorah: **Lenny Alper**

- Shacharis: **Menachem Szus** - Drasha: **Rabbi Ze'ev Smason**

- Leyning: **Stu Klamen** - Musaf: **Menachem Szus**

• Learners' Service ~ 9:30 am ~ led by Stuart Klamen

■ Babysitting and Junior Congregation ~ 10:00 am

 Starting Points ~ Led by Rabbi Ze'ev Smason ~10:15 am ~ Topic: "Walking Life's Tightrope: How Can We Balance Priorities?"

Mincha / Ma'ariv /Shalosh Seudos ~ 7:00 pm

This Week and Beyond

Minyan Times	Shabbos Aug 31 *	Sun. Sept 1	Mon. Sept 2 [^]	Tues. Sept 3	Wed. Sept 4	Thurs. Sept 5	Fri. Sept 6	Shabbos Sept 7
Shachris	9:00 am	9:00 am	8:00 am	7:00 am	7:00 am	7:00 am	7:00 am	9:00 am
Mincha/Ma'ariv	6:55 pm	7:00 pm	7:00 pm	7:00 pm	7:00 pm	7:00 pm	7:00 pm	6:45 pm

Happy Birthday to: Norma Rubin, Michelle Goldstein, Jonah Bialecki, Eli Bialecki, Howard Sandler, Faith Waxman, Miriam Tzadok and Meira Ganel

Anniversaries- Sergio Chayet & Nancy Lisker and Louis & Rebecca Goldman

- Monday, September 9 ~ 7:45 pm ~ Home Discussion Group topic: Rosh Hashana & Yom Kippur hosted at the home of Amy & Denny Feit. RSVP for address 991-2100 Ext. 2
- Tuesday, September 10 ~ Yizkor <u>Book of Remembrance</u> listings due. Call the office for help.
- Shabbos, September 14 ~ Synaplex ~ speakers TBA
- Shabbos, September 14~ Family Shalosh Seudos with speaker Rabbi Eisenberg of the St. Louis Kollel.
- Sunday, September 15 ~ SAVE THE DATE ~ Elegant BBQ Dinner ~ LOW & SLOW smoked beef ribs, brisket and chicken. Full course dinner. RSVP only.
- Wednesday, September 18 ~ NHBZ Sisterhood ~ Craft Central Art Project ~ create your own Star of David from stained glass.

Need help choosing which Torah sections may be appropriate for you or your family? Call Rabbi Smason at 314-991-2100. He would be happy to help!

Parshas Re'eh

Moses informs the Jewish people that we each face a choice; choose to observe G-d's directions for living (i.e. the Torah) and receive blessings, or choose to ignore G-d and experience estrangement and its consequences. Moses then turns to describing a number of religious, civil and social laws relevant once the Jewish people enter the Promised Land. Included in this listing are:

- Don't imitate the ways of the nations surrounding you
- A false prophet who attempts to entice you to idolatry should be put to death
- Since the Torah is complete and perfect, nothing may be added to or subtracted from it
- Self-infliction of wounds on the body as a sign of mourning is prohibited
- As a holy people, refrain from eating non-kosher food
- Be particularly warm-hearted and charitable. Many laws and guidelines concerning tzedaka (righteous giving) are found in this week's portion
- The three pilgrimage festivals (Passover, Shavous and Sukkos) are opportunities to ascend (make Aliyah) to Jerusalem and the Temple to celebrate our blessings

Adult Learning at NHBZ

Every Wednesday 12:15 pm ~ Study with Rabbi Smason- Study Pirkei Avos / Ethics of the Fathers.

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:

August 31: Walking Life's Tightrope: How Can We Balance Priorities?"

September 7: "Ideas That Can Change Your Life"

September 14: "Making the Most of Criticism"

September 21: "Do You Believe in Angels?"

September 28: "A New Year: Where Should You Begin?"

October 5: "What Excuses Are Holding You Back?" (Yom Kippur)

Every Shabbos ~ Tanach (Bible) Study (3/4 hour before Mincha)

Every Sunday ~ Mishna Learning (after Shacharis) with Rabbi Chanan Swidler Every Monday ~7:40 pm (after Minyan) ~ 'Amud-of-the Week' with Rabbi Perlman (for men only) First Tuesday of each Month ~ 2:30 pm ~ Women of the Torah ~ at the home of Jackie Berkin facilitated by Rabbi Yaakov Berkowitz of the St. Louis Kollel~ Open to all women

The Shabbat Buddy System

As announced last Shabbat, NHBZ is forming a buddy system for those who would like to have a "buddy" help guide them through the Siddur and Chumash during services. We are looking for those who can serve as the "Buddy" and those looking for assistance. Please contact Alan Zarkowsky through the office at 991-2100.

~ This Week's Torah Trivia ~

Last Week's Question: A very famous saying comes from this parsha that is even used today. What is it?

Answer: "Man does not live by bread alone ... but by all that comes out of God's mouth" (Deut.8:3).

This Week's Question: In Re'eh we find the section which will make a missionary cringe and stop trying to convert Jews. What is it?



Summer is nearly over, and Rosh Hashanah is just around the corner!

It is time to review and update the reserved seating chart for Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. According to our By-Laws, each "Synagogue member shall be entitled to one seat for the High Holidays". We have reserved seats for **Full Members** so that they can sit with friends and family, and so they can come and go throughout services while being assured that they can return to the same seat. *To guarantee that you have a seat reserved for you, please make sure that your dues are paid or that you have a payment plan in place.*

If you are a **new Full Member** this year, we will assign you a reserved seat for the holidays. If you want to sit in a particular location - front, back, side, near a friend or relative please contact Jeff in the office, and we will try to accommodate your preference.

If you were a **Full Member** last year and were satisfied with your seat, you will most likely have the same seat this year. If you would like to change your seat, please contact Jeff in the office at 314-991-2100, ext. 2.

On Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur, we will display the reserved seating chart in the lobby, along with an alphabetical cross-reference list to help you find your seat. Before entering the Sanctuary, please find your name and seat number on the cross-reference, and then look up your seat number on the chart to find its location. Greeters will be available to help you if needed.

Visitors, Friends and Associate Members may sit in any of the seats which have not been reserved, and they should refrain from sitting in a member's reserved seat. Unreserved seats are marked as 'Available' on the seating charts.





Torah Campaign Giving Levels

There are many ways to participate in the writing of the **NHBZ TORAH**. You can make dedications in honor of family members or friends, in memory of loved ones, to commemorate a special occasion, your birthday, an anniversary, Bnai Mitzvah, or life cycle event. Consider including your children and grandchildren in the writing of our Sefer Torah so that they, too, can fulfill the Mitzvah. When the Torah is nearly complete, we will have a completion and dedication ceremony at NHBZ on Sunday, December 8.

Please reserve the following dedications by circling your choice(s) and filling in your selections on the Order Form (prices are for each individual item, but you may select more than one of an item):

1.	One complete book of the Five Books of	the Torah\$5400	
2.	Beginning or ending verses of the Torah		
3.	Special Torah Selections	\$2500	
	Suggestions:		
	Blessings for our Children Shema Yisrael The Ten Commandments Az Yashir - Song at Splitting of the Sea Birchat Kohanim - Priestly Blessings	Vayehi Binsoa - Prayer at the Ark Opening Chazak - Final verse of one of the first 4 books Hashem Hashem - G-D's 13 Attributes of Mercy Your favorite or significant selection	
4.	Weekly Torah Portions(s) – Sedra(s)	\$1800	
5.	Yom Tov / Special Holiday Torah Portion(s)\$1000	
6.	Torah Sections - Aliya/ot or Maftir	\$540	
	Suggestion: Select one of the seven aliyot of from a Bnai Mitzvot or wedding	of a weekly Torah portion or the Maftir	
7.	Torah Verses – Pasuk(im)	\$180	
	Suggestion: Select a verse that has a speci	al meaning to you	
8.	Letter(s) in the Torah Suggestion: Select letters of a family name	\$36	

The scribe always leaves a few letters of a new Torah incomplete so that he can finish them at a dedication ceremony. If you dedicate \$500 or more, you and your family will be entitled to 'inscribe' one of these unfinished letters (along with the scribe) at our dedication ceremony.

List the specific name, number or letter of your selection(s)
1. Book(s) of the Torah
2. Beginning or Ending Verse(s) of the Torah
3. Special Torah Selection(s)
4. Weekly Torah Portion(s)
5. Yom Tov Torah Portion(s)
6. Torah Section(s)
7. Torah Verse(s)
8. Letter(s)
Specify the text of your dedication(s)
Ex: The Book of Bereishis is dedicated in memory of my father Chaim Yenkel by Motke Habad and family CREDIT CARD FORM * indicates required fields
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Credit Card: □MasterCard □Visa □Discover □AmEx
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Expiration Date *: 3-Digit Code *:



Women's Home Study Group

"Women in the Torah"

First Tuesday of each Month, 2:30 pm at the home of Jackie Berkin

facilitated by Rabbi Yaakov Berkowitz of the St. Louis Kollel

- Open to all women
- Each class is self-contained
- No background knowledge needed



To RSVP, contact **Jeff** at **314-991-2100** or <u>jeff@nhbz.org</u>. We will provide host address & phone number at time of RSVP Check the latest NHBZ Shabbos Bulletin for any time changes



Craft Central Art Project benefitting NHBZ's Torah Campaign

NHBZ Sisterhood Presents a Stained Glass Workshop

Create your own

Stained Glass Star of David

Wednesday, September 18

6:00 -8:30 pm

at Craft Central 8500 Delmar

Hosted by our own Lisa Gellman

\$36 donation per person

Add \$2 processing fee if paying by credit card

RSVP by Friday, September 13

call 314-991-2100-ext. 3 ~ email: <u>sisterhood@nhbz.org</u> Space is limited ~ Open to NHBZ Sisterhood Members Only

Not yet a Sisterhood Member?
Annual Membership is \$25 ~ RSVP and join Sisterhood to attend Craft Central!











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Starting Points: Wisdom for Daily Living

Join us for these sessions designed for those who are interested in growing Jewishly, regardless of education or level of observance. Each session explores Jewish concepts in practical, understandable terms.

Sessions are held every Shabbat at 10:15 in the NHBZ chapel on the lower level, unless otherwise noted.



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October 12: "What Does It Mean to Live a Happy Life?" (Sukkot)

October 19: "Great Ideas Judaism Gave the World" (Simchas Torah)

October 26: "The Naked Truth: Relationship Lessons from Adam & Eve"



The NHBZ Sisterhood wishes you and your loved ones Health, Happiness & Prosperity in the New Year

Our Sisterhood invites you to wish L'Shana Tova Tikatevu to everyone in our NHBZ family.

Make your check payable to NHBZ, and write 'Sisterhood Greeting' on the memo line. (\$5 minimum donation, please – **no maximum**!)

Names will be published in the 5780 Rosh Hashanah Bulletin.

Send your contribution, along with the form below, by Sept. 16 to:

NHBZ Sisterhood 650 North Price Road St. Louis, MO 63132

Or, you may email your greeting information directly to laura@nhbz.org

FOR QUESTIONS, CALL THE NHBZ OFFICE, 314-991-2100, EXT. 3

Name	EETING ~ FOR KOSH HASHANAH 5/80 BULLETIN
Phone	Email
Amount enclosed \$	(\$5 per name minimum – no maximum!)
Proceeds benefit NHR7's Passport to Israel Program and	A Good and Sweet Year Shana Tova Umetukah

YIZKOR

Each year before Yom Kippur, **NHBZ** offers two ways to memorialize your loved ones. You can list their names in our annual **Book of Remembrance** and you can add their names to the **List of Names Read Aloud** during the recitation of the Yizkor prayer, or both.

We are starting to work on the Book of Remembrance now and ask that you complete the enclosed form and **return it us by September 10th**. You may also call Jeff at 991-2100 Ext. 2 or email jeff@nhbz.org to complete your form.

We request a \$10 donation for each name listed (or group of names such as "and family" in the **Book of Remembrance**, and an additional \$36 donation for each **Name Read Aloud** during Yizkor. The Book of Remembrance is used throughout the year for Yom Kippur, Shemini Atzeres, Passover and Shavuos, after which you may take one home.

If you have email, you should have received an email announcement containing this same letter with a link to the **2018 Book of Remembrance** if you wish to review the names you listed last year.

2019 / 5780 NHBZ Book of Remembrance & List of Names Read Aloud

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To list the SA	ME NAMES AS LAST YEAR, check here
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	Services on Yom Kippur, Shemini Atzeres, Pesach and Shavuos.
To read the S	AME NAMES AS LAST YEAR, check here
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