



# NHBZ Weekly News

## Welcome to Nusach Hari B'nai Zion

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October 30, 2021 • 24 Cheshvan 5782 • Candle Lighting 5:46 pm • Shabbos Concludes 6:48

Parshas Chayei Sarah  
Haftorah

Genesis 23:1 – 25:18  
1 Kings 1:1 – 1:36

Stone Chumash pp. 106 – 123  
Stone Chumash pp. 1136 - 1137

**ATTENTION: The Eruv is down for this Shabbos** As of publication (Thursday, October 28), **the Eruv is DOWN for this Shabbos**. Please verify its availability weekly at 314-863-1811.

## Prayer

### Erev Shabbos, Friday, October 29

- 5:45 pm Mincha, Kabbalat Shabbat, Ma'ariv
- 5:46 pm Candle Lighting

### Shabbos, Saturday, October 30

- 9:00 am Shachris followed by Musaf  
Pesukei D'Zimra: **TBD**      Haftorah: **Moshe Pinto**  
Shacharis: **TBD**      Sermon: **Rabbi Ze'ev Smason**  
Leyning: **Stuart Klamen**      Musaf: **TBD**
- 5:25 pm Mincha, Shalosh Seudos, Ma'ariv
- 6:48 pm Shabbos concludes



### Minyan Times October 28 – November 6, 2021

	Thu Oct 28	Fri Oct 29	Shabbos Oct 30	Sun Oct 31	Mon Nov 1	Tues Nov 2	Wed Nov 3	Thur Nov 4	Fri Nov 5*	Shabbos Nov 6
Shachris (am)	7:00	7:00	9:00	8:00	7:00	7:00	7:00	7:00	6:45	9:00
Mincha/Ma'ariv (pm)	5:45	5:45	5:25	5:35	5:35	5:35	5:35	5:35	5:35	5:20

\* Rosh Chodesh

**SHABBOS MORNINGS KIDS' PROGRAMS:** Every Shabbos, from 10:00 am until Kiddush is served, NHBZ offers programs for elementary and middle school students. Bring them into the beauty of honoring Shabbos with their community. Families do NOT need to be members of NHBZ to participate. RSVPs appreciated. See you Shabbos!

### Call for Minyanim

A few of our "regulars" are travelling or otherwise unavailable for the next several weeks. Your attendance is needed, please. Check in with Rabbi Smason and find a time when you can help. There is no such thing as too many people attending a minyan. We hope you will join us, soon and often!

## Weekly News Deadline 🕒

Gentle Readers, The **deadline** for submissions to the NHBZ Weekly News is **Tuesday, 12:00 Noon**. Items received after 2:00 pm Tuesdays will NOT be included in that week's publication. Your attention to and cooperation with this is greatly appreciated by your hard-working Weekly News Crew.

## Congregation News

### Mazel Tov on Simchas This Week! October 31 – November 6, 2021

#### *Happy Birthday*

Reuven Tzadok	October 31
Alana Minoff	November 1
Jeff Baker	November 2
Ethan Belau-Rush	November 5
Rabbi Aaron Borow	November 6

#### *And a belated Happy Birthday to*

Ellen Rosen	October 25
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## Events

### **Coming Soon**

- Saturday night, November 13 – Havdalathon (Motzai Shabbos – Saturday night)
- Sunday, November 14 – All-Congregation meeting via Zoom
- Monday, November 15 – "14 Days Living in Eshkol, Israel"
- Thursday, November 25 – Thanksgiving Parent/Child Learning & Gratitude Program
- Sunday, December 5 – Family Chanukah Party
- Sunday, December 12 – 116<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Event – LIVE & In-Person at the Clayton Plaza

### **On-Going**

- Online Classes – See listing on Page 8
- Every Shabbos, 9:15 am – Learners' Service with Rabbi David
- Every Shabbos, 10:00 am – Shabbos Morning Kids' Program
- Every Shabbos, 10:15 am – Starting Points with Rabbi Smason
- Every Monday, 8:00 pm – St. Louis Kollel Amud-A-Week
- Every Wednesday, 12:15 pm – Pirkei Avos Class with Rabbi Smason
- Every Thursday, 7:30 pm – Mishmar Learning with Rabbi Okin – back next week!
- Every Sunday, 9:00 – Teen Schmooze with Rabbi Okin – back next week!

## Rabbi Okin – Vacation and Chag HaSmicha

**MAZEL TOV** to our own Rabbi Okin as we rejoice in his upcoming *Chag HaSmicha* -- the celebration of rabbinic ordination -- taking place at Yeshiva University on Sunday, October 31, 2021. And, we are all invited!

The Live-Streamed event will begin at 12pm CDT, and may be viewed at <https://www.yu.edu/chag>

Rabbi Okin will be out of the office from Wednesday, October 27 through Tuesday, November 2. Enjoy your time off, Rabbi! We will have PLENTY for you to do when you return. And, may you and your entire family go from strength to strength.

## Annual Membership Meeting and Election of Officers Sunday, Nov. 14, 11:00 am



Did you ever wonder how the officers of NHBZ are elected?  
Do you want to have a say in the future direction of NHBZ?  
Do you want to express your opinions to the Board of Directors?

*You are invited to attend the Annual Membership Meeting and Election of Officers on **Sunday, November 14, at 11:00 am.** We will publish a Zoom link soon.*

Each November, we hold a Membership meeting to give a 'state of the shul' report and elect officers and members of the Board of Directors. This is an opportunity for you to interact directly with the Rabbis, President and other officers and Board members about the business of the shul. If you would like to give your opinion, make suggestions or just listen, this is your chance.

Here is how the election works. We have a nominating committee that consists of all past presidents. That committee deliberates throughout the year, and it comes up with a proposed slate of officers that is presented to the Board of Directors. At the November Membership meeting, the slate is officially nominated, *and other nominations are accepted from the floor.* *You can even nominate yourself.* Members in good standing may nominate others and may have the privilege of voting. Nominees must be members in good standing for at least one year at time of nomination. The Officers and new Board members take office on January 1.

We have eight officers and fifteen Board members. Officers serve for one year and can be re-elected. Board members serve for three years, with one third of the Board up for election each year. Sometimes we have a vacancy mid-term and must nominate somebody to fill the remaining time of a term. We will publish the nominees for this year's election when they are announced to the Board.

### We Are Listening!

Just in time for the All-Congregation Zoom Meeting, we'd like your feedback regarding the High Holidays!

What functioned well? What changes would you like to recommend? Any special requests?

Please email your comments and feedback, using "Review of 2021 High Holiday Services" as the subject, to [office@nhbz.org](mailto:office@nhbz.org). The sooner the better.

Editor's request: Constructive feedback with **recommended solutions** appreciated.

## **DOLLAR-A-DAY PUSHKE CAMPAIGN**



Thank you for your continuing participation in the NHBZ Pushke Campaign. We collect Pushkes every three months, and the next deadline is Friday, October 29. At that time, or a few days before, please drop off your Pushke at the shul office. We will credit the amount of the contents to your account as a donation, and return the empty Pushke to you. Alternatively, you can send in a check for the amount saved in your Pushke. Please call in advance (314-991-2100, Ext 2) to schedule a time to drop off your Pushke, or to arrange for us to pick it up your home. If you return your Pushke by Friday, October 29, we will enter your name in a drawing for a \$25 Target gift card.

### **Mikvah Dedication**

Both MEN and WOMEN are invited to the Chanukas Habayis Dedication of the Staenberg Family Mikvah Building! Mark your calendars for October 31, 2021, at 1:00pm. Please see the flyer attached to this Weekly News for additional information. Mazel Tov!

### **Missouri Torah Institute – Melave Malka**

Missouri Torah Institute invites the entire community to a Melave Malka on Motzei Shabbos, November 6th at 8:30 PM at the Yeshiva- 1809 Clarkson Road in Chesterfield. Rabbi Noach Orlowek and Rabbi Avrohom Stulberger will speak on “How can we connect to Hashem and pass it on to the next generation?”.

Dairy buffet and kumsitz with the Yeshiva talmidim to follow. The event is complimentary. For more information, please email [events@missouritorah.org](mailto:events@missouritorah.org) or call 636-778-1896 x100

### **STL Jewish Book Festival Event**

Please join Natan Sharansky and Gil Troy as they discuss their co-written memoir of *Sharansky's Never Alone: Prison, Politics and My People*, dealing with Mr. Sharansky's years in Soviet prison. The event takes place Sunday, November 7, 2021 at 7:00 pm. Reserve your space for either online or in-person attendance. Tickets available at [stljewishbookfestival.com](http://stljewishbookfestival.com).

### **St. Louis Kollel Amud-A-Week at NHBZ**

Mondays, 8:00 p.m. All men are welcome! See flyer for additional locations and details.

## A Letter from Rabbi Berkowitz (of the St. Louis Kollel)

Rabbi Smason and R' Menachem,

Thank you so much for such a warm welcome this past Shabbos.

For me, personally, it was just great to be back, but for the new Rosh Kollel and Kollel Rabbis, it was a first. I've got to tell you - they were simply blown away. They so much enjoyed interacting with your membership and felt such a positive vibe in the room. One of them candidly remarked to me "When are we going to do this again?"

All of us here at the Kollel appreciate the history of a terrific relationship with NHBZ and look forward to working together for many years to come.

All the best,  
Yaakov Berkowitz  
Director of Programming  
St. Louis Kollel

## Youth Programming

### Shabbos Morning Kids' Program, Shabbos

NHBZ invites you to its Shabbos Morning programming!

NHBZ offers Shabbos morning programs for elementary and middle school students. Programs offered **every Shabbos**, from 10:00 am until Kiddush is served. All program content will be personally designed and coordinated by Rabbi Okin.

Families do NOT need to be members of NHBZ to participate. Please contact Rabbi Okin at [aviokin@nhbz.org](mailto:aviokin@nhbz.org) with any questions. See you on Shabbos!



**Teen Schmooze, Sundays - Rabbi Okin on vacation; watch his *Chag HaSmicha* (see p. 2) "Teen Schmooze"**, a special opportunity just for teens in an informal group setting, is now underway. This program meets every Sunday – middle school students start at 9:00 am, and high school students at 9:30 am. **Join us on the patio at the back of the NHBZ Sanctuary.** Breakfast will be served! For details, contact **Rabbi Okin** at [aviokin@nhbz.org](mailto:aviokin@nhbz.org).

## IT'S HAVDALATHON TIME! Saturday Night, November 13

The Second Annual Havdalathon, "Light the Night!" is only 2 weeks away! A fun and informative time for the whole family! Under the guidance of Rabbi Okin, we will learn how to transition out of Shabbos. Learn HOW and WHY we do what we do.

If the learning is not enough, there is also PIZZA and CRAFTS (each family will decorate its own Havdalah set) and SONGS and FUN. Open to all – NHBZ membership not required.

Mark your calendars and RSVP ([office@nhbz.org](mailto:office@nhbz.org)).

**Sponsorship opportunities available!**

# Learning at NHBZ

## ● Parashas Chayei Sarah – By Rabbi Smason

Chayei Sarah begins with Sarah's death at the age of 127 and Abraham's search for a proper burial place which would be worthy of her greatness. Abraham is conned by Efron (a member of the Hittite nation who lived in the land of Israel) into paying an extremely large sum of money for her place of burial. Sarah is buried in *M'arat HaMachpelah* - the Tomb of the Patriarchs - in Hebron. Do you know who else is buried there? (Answer: Adam & Eve, Isaac & Rebecca, Jacob & Leah ....in addition to Abraham and Sarah). Abraham sends his faithful servant Eliezer back to the old country (Aram Naharaim) to find a suitable wife for Isaac. Eliezer devises a plan by which he will find a modest, generous and kind girl fitting for his master's son. Eliezer decides to stand by the town's well, waiting for a girl to offer water to him and his camels. Suddenly Rebecca appears and exerts great effort to draw water for a stranger and his ten camels. She brings Eliezer to her father's house, whereupon Abraham's servant asks that Rebecca return with him to marry Isaac. She accepts, and they are married. The Torah states that "Isaac married Rebecca ....and he loved her." This teaches us that true love comes after marriage, not before.

## ● Rabbi Smason's Starting Points

Join Rabbi Smason for a 45-minute presentation/discussion of relevant, contemporary topics every Shabbos at 10:15 am in the Feigenbaum-Pepose Multi-Purpose Room. Upcoming topics:

October 30	Feeling the Pain of Others
November 6	Living with Fascination
November 13	The Antidote to Boredom
November 20	Thanksgiving: An Attitude of Gratitude
November 27	Chanukah: Do Miracles Still Happen?

## ● Rabbi Smason's Wednesday In-Person Class

Same place, same time, same health and safety rules.

## We're Having a Chanukah Party! – Volunteers and Sponsors Needed

Dust off your dreidels, it's PARTY TIME!! Sunday, December 5, 12:00 – 3:00 pm

There are a limited number of seats, and NO walk-ins, so RSVP early, and certainly before Sunday, November 21, 2021 (Costs increase after 11/21/21). Please see attached flyer for all of the details.

In the meantime, how about sponsoring this sweet occasion?  
Sponsorships available, \$54 - \$360.

We also need VOLUNTEERS for the event itself:

- Set up (the evening before, after Shabbos)
- Registration/Receiving Table (no money will change hands, just checking the RSVP list!)
- Kitchen food preparation
- Clean up



Please call (314-991-2100, ext. 2) or email ([office@nhbz.org](mailto:office@nhbz.org)) with your sponsorship or how you would like to volunteer.

# Learning at NHBZ (con't)

- **Rabbi David's Learners' Service**

Every Shabbos at 9:15 am. Just starting out? No worries. Rabbi David teaches the basics of Shabbos prayers.

- **NHBZ Mishmar – Rabbi Okin is on vacation; back next week**

Join Rabbi Okin and young men from all over St. Louis for Mishmar, an evening gathering of Torah and Camaraderie on Thursday Nights from 7:30 pm – 8:00 pm. **We will meet indoors at the back of the NHBZ sanctuary** with a text-based and interactive learning session. If you are interested, please contact Rabbi Okin at [aviokin@nhbz.org](mailto:aviokin@nhbz.org).

- **Rabbi Smason's Shabbos Shoutout**

The complete list of Shabbos Shoutouts, with most recent listed first, can be found at [https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLI\\_MFI0zsmKlImpR3KpHROrHDWIDNbqsN](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLI_MFI0zsmKlImpR3KpHROrHDWIDNbqsN)

- **Rabbi Okin's Torah Thoughts**

The complete list of Torah Thoughts, with most recent listed first, can be found at: [https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLI\\_MFI0zsmKJG-HuXMG1Ej2aUImgQHkJ-](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLI_MFI0zsmKJG-HuXMG1Ej2aUImgQHkJ-)

## Ask our Rabbis

Q; Why do men only wear a Tallis for Shachris, but not for Mincha and Ma'ariv?

A: The Mitzvah of wearing a Tallis is limited to the daytime hours, based on the verse "*Urisem Oso* -when you see them" (Bamidbar 15:39) which according to Chazal indicates that wearing a Tallis and Tzitzis is required to be worn by males during the day. In fact, the time for wearing a Tallis for davening is dependent upon when there is enough daylight to be able to see the Tzitzis clearly, which is known as *MiSheYakir*, from when the Tzitzis can be recognized (Shulchan Aruch O.C. 18:3).

In contrast, the ideal time for Mincha is after the time referred to as Mincha Ketanah, 9.5 hours into the Halchic day (Shulchan Aruch O.C.233:1) although it can be concluded after Shkiah, Sunset, in extenuating circumstances (Aruch Hashulchan 110:5).

The ideal time for Maariv is after *Tzeis Hakochovim*, the time when the stars come out, also known as Nightfall (Mishnah Berurah 235:12). As a result, there was no enactment to wear a Tallis during these Tefillos, prayers, as they do not correspond to the time of the Mitzvah of Tallis. (The reason for the exception to this rule on Yom Kippur Eve will be discussed in a future Ask the Rabbi article.)

## Israel

### 14 Days Living in Eshkol, Israel

Reserve the evening of Monday, November 15 for a program entitled "14 Days Living in Eshkol, Israel" to take place at NHBZ. The program will be presented by Lieutenant Colonel Keith Isaacson and a security official from the Eshkol Region of Israel. We thank Irl Solomon, of Friends of Israel, and Pastor Bryan Sharp for enabling us to host this event.

## **On-going Covid Guidelines *Shul Policy***

NHBZ requires that all people attending tefila (prayer services), classes or other NHBZ programs and activities show proof of vaccination. You may show your vaccination card to Rabbi Smason whenever convenient for you both, or on Shabbos as you enter the shul. Once you have shown Rabbi Smason your vaccination card, there is no need to do so again.

**If we have no proof of vaccination**, you are welcome to join Shabbos services from the Kaiser Terrace on the West side of the synagogue. You are also welcome to enter the synagogue to ask a question of the rabbis and staff, conduct business in the office, pick up or leave an item, or for any other reason that might last for a brief period of time.

Masks required of all inside attendees, age 3 and older; masks are strongly encouraged for those outside, too. Children aged 12 and older have the same vaccination requirements as adults.

Here's to good health, peace, and prosperity. With our efforts and cooperation, may we help end this pandemic.



## **NHBZ Online Classes**

Rabbi Ze'ev Smason will keep you connected during this challenging time. The classes listed below are easy to join and you can drop in on one without having previously attended. All classes are offered through Zoom video conferencing on your computer or smart phone (you do not need to download the Zoom application to see the class) AND through audio only on your telephone.

### **Instructions to Attend Classes**

**For audio** through your telephone, connect in one of two ways:

1. *Preferred option* - Call 312-626-6799 which connects you to the ZOOM audio number and will enable you to participate fully, except for the video. Toll Free.
2. Or call 314-325-8791 for our old audio connection. We encourage you to use the *preferred option* since this way might become unavailable soon.

**For Zoom video**, each class has a Zoom link shown underlined in blue below. Click or tap on the link, or copy and paste the link into your browser to join the class.

### **List of Rabbi Ze'ev Smason's Zoom Classes**

1. Weekdays, 8:15 am (Sun 9:15 am) ~ New topic "Tehillim Tips: Insights Into Our Prayers". Sessions are approximately 30 minutes.  
Zoom video link: <https://zoom.us/j/99013706617>
2. Monday thru Friday, 3:00 pm - 3:30 pm ~ "King Solomon: His Wisdom, Wealth and Wives".  
Zoom video link: <https://zoom.us/j/136785930>
3. Fridays, 8:15 am ~ Discussion of the "Haftorah of the Week"  
Zoom video link: <https://zoom.us/j/99013706617>



# THE SISTERHOOD SCOOP

# OCTOBER 30



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## Book Club Back Together In-Person for Discussion of "The Third Daughter"

Many thanks to **Rhonnie Goldfader** for hosting Sisterhood's October Book Club on Monday, Oct. 25 at her home. And thanks also to **Ilene Brooks Scharnhorst** for leading the illuminating discussion of Talia Carner's powerful novel about young Jewish women who were trafficked into prostitution at the turn of the 20th century in Buenos Aires.

The next Book Club Meeting has been changed to **Monday, January 24**. The book is "**The Ghost of Hannah Mendes**," by Naomi Ragen.

For more information or to **RSVP** call **Terri Schnitzer** at 314-518-4107 or email [terrischnitzer@yahoo.com](mailto:terrischnitzer@yahoo.com)



## 100% Not Genuine

**Chayei Sarah (Genesis 23:1-25:18)**

*I have given you the field, and as for the cave that is in it, I have given it to you; in the view of the children of my people have I given it to you. (Gen. 23:11,15)*

Avraham set out to buy the Cave of Machpela and the field surrounding it from Efron Hachiti. Efron said to Avraham "Don't bother paying for it. I'll give you both the field and the cave as a gift!" Shortly after, Efron changed his mind and set the price at 400 silver shekels. What happened?! Why did he suddenly change from being overly generous to being a greedy man?

Many years ago the Rambam had a debate with philosophers. The philosophers claimed that a cat's nature could be altered to be like that of a human being. The Rambam said, "An animal will always remain an animal." The philosophers went about proving their theory. They took a cat and spent weeks training it, and were finally ready to present their case. Everyone gathered to see what would happen. In walked a cat dressed as a waiter, carrying a tray with wine and glasses. Everyone was amazed. The Rambam, on the other side of the room, took a bag out of his pocket, opened it, and a mouse came out. The cat saw it, dropped the tray and dashed across the room to catch the mouse! Everyone then agreed with the Rambam; you can definitely *train* a cat, but you can't *change* a cat's nature.

Efron was the same. When Avraham asked him for the cave, they were in front of all the B'nei Cheis. Therefore Efron said that it was free, thinking, "Why not let everyone think that I am a nice guy?" When Avraham wanted to pay for it and was holding a wad of bills, Efron saw the money and forgot about everything he had said. He just wanted the cash, so he charged Avraham an enormous amount.

Some people appear very pleasant and friendly, but if someone steps on their toe or spills something on them they go berserk. These people never truly changed their nature. When things are calm and going their way they are able to *act* nicely, but inside they are capable of exploding at the slightest infraction. By contrast, a person who truly changes his nature - through self-introspection, examination and work - will be in total control of his attitude in every *single* situation. He won't be affected by external circumstances. - by **Rabbi Eli Scheller** ([www.aish.com](http://www.aish.com))

**"Reality is only a memory  
ahead of its time."**

- Noah benShea

## THIS WEEK IN JEWISH HISTORY

### The Flood Ends (2104 BCE)

On the 27th of Cheshvan of the year 1657 from creation (2104 BCE) "the earth dried" (Genesis 8:14) completing the 365-day duration of the great flood that wiped out all life on earth save for the eight human beings and the animals (2 of each species) in Noah's ark; on this day G-d commanded Noah to "Come out of the ark" and repopulate, settle and civilize the earth.



**Your dinner invitation is in the mail.**  
*It's not too soon to RSVP and send in your Ad!*

# 116<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Banquet

## Honoring



HaKaras HaTov  
Award  
Alan Haber



Guests of Honor  
Lenny & Fran Alper



Israel Advocacy  
Award  
Shaving Israel

# Sunday, December 12, 2021

## Clayton Plaza Hotel

7750 Carondelet Ave  
Clayton, MO 63105

Hors d'oeuvres at 5:30PM / Dinner & Program at 6:30PM

**\$136.00 per person**

**RSVP by Nov. 12 to be entered in the EarlyBird Raffle to win prizes!**

Anniversary Dinner Committee

Sandie Abrams, Fran & Lenny Alper, Jesse Barash, Teree Farbstein, Marsha Feenberg, Rhonnie Goldfader, Fran Hoffman, Dr. Eliot Katz, Bobby Levine, Robin Rickerman, Nancy Rush, Nancy Stenn, Anna Rose Tendler

To ensure everyone's health and safety, attendees should be fully vaccinated and follow the hotel's latest Covid-19 guidelines, including wearing masks in public spaces: <https://www.cplayton.com/covid-19>. NHBZ is carefully monitoring the changing Covid situation. Please consult [www.nhbz.org](http://www.nhbz.org) for updates.

**Don't miss out on NHBZ's biggest celebration of the year!**

10.07.2021

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# Chanukas Habayis Dedication

OF THE NEWLY RENOVATED



**STAENBERG FAMILY  
MIKVAH BUILDING**

*Mikvah Shaindel Malkah*

**OF ST. LOUIS**

*Join us 7:00 PM*

*31 October 2021 • 25 Cheshvan 5782*

- Greetings from Community, Rabbinic & Lay Leadership  
& Our Benefactors at Mikvah USA •
- Refreshments • Ribbon cutting • Tour the new facility •

A COMMUNITY EVENT  
FOR MEN & WOMEN

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Great time to join!  
**NEW Masechta!**



• Amud-A-Week •

LEARN. UNITE. GROW.

**BEGINNING SUNDAY 4 CHESHVAN – OCTOBER 10!**

*Live chaburos, chavrusa & podcast options*

**Maseches Ta'anis**  
*One Amud at a time.*

*Learn the Amud.  
Unite with community.  
Grow in Torah.*

- Agudas Israel**  
Sunday evening - 8pm  
R' Yaakov Klein
- Nusach Hari B'nai Zion**  
Monday evening - 8 PM  
Rabbi Chezky Freund
- U. City Shul**  
Tuesday evening - 8pm  
Rabbi Avi Bin-Nun
- Young Israel**  
Thursday evening - 8:30pm  
Rabbi Moshe Shulman
- Shiurim without borders**  
Gemara of the Amud & "Short & Sweet" shiurim at  
[stlkollel.com/amud-a-week-podcast](http://stlkollel.com/amud-a-week-podcast)  
or search "Amud-a-Week" wherever you podcast.

*For more information or for assistance finding a chavrusa for the Amud  
please contact Rabbi Chezky Freund at [cfreund@stlkollel.com](mailto:cfreund@stlkollel.com)*

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**NHBZ INVITES YOU TO JOIN US FOR  
2ND ANNUAL HAVDALATHON  
LIGHT THE NIGHT!**

**A NIGHT FILLED WITH:  
MUSICAL HAVDALAH  
DELECTABLE TREATS  
DIY HAVDALAH KIT  
AND MORE!!!**

**NOVEMBER 13**

**6:30PM**

**FREE!!!**

RSVP by 11/09/2021 to [office@nhbz.com](mailto:office@nhbz.com)  
Reach out to [aviokin@nhbz.com](mailto:aviokin@nhbz.com) with questions

\*13 years and up must show proof of vaccination

\*Proof of vaccination and masks required to participate inside

\*Seating available outside for those who prefer

\*Masks must be worn at all times except when eating

**PLUS A FUN RAFFLE!**





# JOIN US FOR A FAMILY Chanukah Party!

## Sunday December 5th, 2021 12:00-3:00 pm

Kids Games - Prizes



Chocolate Gelt For all

## Festive Chanukah Lunch

Food supervised by Rabbi Smason



Bingo with prizes for kids and adults • Music by Howard  
Way Cool Balloons Donated by Mike Geerlof



Adults-\$18 • Kids 10 and under-\$11 • 3 and under no charge • \$62 Family cap

*AFTER NOVEMBER 21 costs are \$25, \$16 and \$87*



### PLEASE RSVP BY NOVEMBER 21



There are a limited number of tables. No walk-ins.

at: [office@nhbz.org](mailto:office@nhbz.org) or call 314-991-2100.

Consider being a sponsor for \$54 to \$360



**Covid protocols in place and proof of vaccination for those 12 and over.**