



SHABBAT SHPIEL

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

This week's Kiddush Luncheon is sponsored by the congregation in honor of Carol Valoris! For more details, please see next column. Dessert is sponsored by Mark & Peggi Rabinovitch and Steve & Leah Roth in honor of Samson Roth's 3rd birthday and upsherin. Happy birthday, Samson!

We are saddened to announce the passing of Ruben Silverman z"l, father of Sharon Lieberman. Shiva begins in Lakewood, NJ, on Friday and will resume at the Lieberman home, 7711 Mary Cassatt Drive in Potomac, MD, on Monday morning. The family requests no visitors from 4:30—7 PM.

We welcome our newest synagogue members!
Steven Swedberg
Jared Polis & Marlon Reis

Mazal tov to Gavri-Tov Yares and Laura Tomes on their wedding!

Upcoming Kiddush Schedule

1/23: Kiddush

1/30: Kiddush sponsored by Gabriel & Ellen Roth, with Dessert sponsored by Sam Spinner & Hanna Abrams

2/6: Kiddush

2/13: Kiddush

Happy Birthday to...

Pete Davidson, Judah Eisenman, Shira Goldenholz, Edward Kott, Rebecca Leener, Noa Lipman, Jessica Miller, Ellen Reinach, Matiyas Rotati, Tammy Rotati, Samson Roth, Gilad Skromne, Malvy Solomon, Samantha Stadler, Eva Stock, Robert Sultan, and Ben Wildavsky



Please keep an eye out next week for an important mailing including 2015 tax statements and 2016 membership information!

THIS SHABBAT

Kiddush Luncheon in Honor of Carol Valoris

Please join us for a Kiddush Luncheon after services sponsored by the congregation in honor of Carol Valoris, who is retiring as Executive Director after 9+ years of dedicated service. While Carol will continue to operate the cemetery, we want to thank her for all that she did to build Ohev over the last decade.

The lunch will be baseball-themed (especially Washington Nationals!) so bring your favorite jersey or hat to wear!

We'd like to thank the following supporters: David & Naomi Balto, Naomi Brodsky, Eric Brown & Aliza Levine, Harris Cohen, Ellen Epstein, Martin & Belle Davis, Yoni & Ruth Friedman, Harold & Diana Furchtgott-Roth, Shmuel & Rhanni Herzfeld, Ronnie Kleinfeldt & Barbara Zakheim, Nate Lesser & Chani Bloom, Eitan Levisohn & Dina Epstein, Jeff & Lea Mendelsohn, Josh Milner & Aliza Sperling, Nancy Nelkin, Roanne Pitluk, Helene Reisler, Scott Reiter & Rachel Weintraub, Judy Ross, Peshah Rubinstein, Tom & Jill Sacks, Sarah & Ben Shapiro, Daniel Silverberg & Sarah Gershman, Starr Stixrud, Marueen Stone, Chaim & Ann Sultan, Michael & Avril Weisman, Stephan & Ann Werner, Rivka Yerushalmi

THIS WEEKEND AT A GLANCE

Parsha — Bo

Friday, January 15

Candle Lighting — 4:53 PM

Mincha & Kabbalat Shabbat — 4:55 PM

Saturday, January 16

Mashkimin — 7:30 AM

Shacharit — 9:15 AM

Mincha — 4:35 PM

Havdalah — 5:55 PM

Sunday, January 17

Shacharit — 8:30 AM

Mincha/Maariv — 4:55 PM

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Saturday, January 16

7:30 AM | Mashkimin

9:15 AM | Shacharit, with a Dvar Torah from Maharat Ruth on "It's Just Money"

(followed by a Kiddush Luncheon)

3:35 PM | Daf Yomi

4:05 PM | Shiur with Chaim Fruchter

4:35 PM | Mincha, followed by Seudah Shlishit with a Shiur from Maharat Ruth on "May Women Carry a Sefer Torah?"

5:55 PM | Havdalah

Sunday, January 17

8:30 AM | Shacharit

4:55 PM | Mincha/Maariv

Monday, January 18 (MLK Day—Offices closed)

6:30 AM | Shacharit

5:00 PM | Mincha/Maariv

Tuesday, January 19

6:30 AM | Shacharit

7:00 PM | JFGH Event

7:30 PM | Maariv

8:00 PM | Board Meeting

Wednesday, January 20

6:30 AM | Shacharit

7:30 PM | Maariv

Thursday, January 21

6:30 AM | Shacharit

7:30 PM | Maariv

Friday, January 22

6:30 AM | Shacharit

5:00 PM | Candle Lighting

5:00 PM | Mincha & Kabbalat Shabbat

Saturday, January 23

9:15 AM | Shacharit, with a Dvar Torah from Rabbi Herzfeld

(followed by a Kiddush)

3:40 PM | Daf Yomi

4:10 PM | Shiur with Chaim Fruchter

4:40 PM | Mincha, followed by Seudah Shlishit with a Shiur from Rana Bickel

6:03 PM | Havdalah

Sunday, January 24

8:30 AM | Shacharit

1:30 PM | East Rock Creek Village Training

5:00 PM | Mincha/Maariv

7:30 PM | OSTNS Book Club

MORE UPCOMING EVENTS & SCHOLARS

Camp Kibbutz 2016 Registration Open

Registration for this summer's Camp Kibbutz is now open at www.campkibbutz.org!

Day Camp Session 1: June 27—July 8

Day Camp Chesed Week: July 11—July 15

Day Camp Session 2: July 18—July 29

Adventure Overnight Camp: August 1—August 4

Developmentally Different Adults Program | Tuesday, Jan. 19, 7 PM

Residents of local group homes join with our congregation for arts & crafts and music. Dinner will be served. No RSVP is required.

OSTNS Board Meeting | Tuesday, Jan. 19, 8 PM

Open to all members who want to attend.

OSTNS Book Club | Sunday, Jan. 24, 7:30 PM

Ben Mintz will lead a discussion on *The Lady in Gold* by Anne Marie O'Connor. All are welcome to join.

Scholar-In-Residence Rabbi Uri Topolosky | Saturday, Jan. 30

We are excited to welcome Rabbi Uri Topolosky as our Scholar-In-Residence! Rabbi Topolosky and his wife, Dahlia, are doing incredible work building the community in Aspen Hill, and we are delighted to welcome their whole family to our community. We view the community of Aspen Hill as our "sister" community, and we share a joint mission and vision.

Rabbi Uri and Dahlia Topolosky moved to Aspen Hill (Rockville) from New Orleans where they helped revitalize a community shattered by Hurricane Katrina. They are putting their community organizing skills to work once again, seeking to grow a diverse, open-minded community, centered on modern orthodox values, in the affordable neighborhood around the Berman Hebrew Academy. If you are interested in learning more about Aspen Hill and meeting the Rabbi and Rebbetzin who are inspiring the growth, please find the time to meet or learn with Rabbi Uri and Dahlia over Shabbat!

Good Deeds Day Food Drive | Through March 1

The Jewish Federation of Greater Washington presents Good Deeds Day! Help our community create 400 packages for local Holocaust Survivors in need. Bring items to Ohev Sholom through March 1. Packages will be delivered on Good Deeds Day, April 10. To view the list of items needed, please visit:

<http://ostns.org/Calendar/Detail/454/2016-01-12>

ONGOING CLASS SCHEDULE

Daf Yomi

Meets daily; contact RabbiShmuel@ostns.org for times

Parsha Class for Women with Rabbi Herzfeld

Weekly on Mondays, 12:30 PM

Downtown Torah Study with Rabbi Herzfeld

Weekly on Wednesdays, 12:30 PM
(meets at 607 14th Street, NW, Suite 800)

Proverbs Class with Sherri Vishner

Weekly on Wednesdays, 7:45 PM

Shabbat Shiur with Chaim Fruchter

Weekly on Saturdays, 30 minutes before Mincha

Class with Rabbi Ben Mintz

Weekly on Sundays, 9:30 AM

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