



# SHABBAT SHPIEL

OHEV SHOLOM — THE NATIONAL SYNAGOGUE

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mazal Tov to...  
Samantha Tenenbaum and Benjy Freedman on  
their recent engagement!

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Mazal Tov to...  
Miriam Rieger and Alain Jachiet!  
Yael Sarit was born on Sunday, November 25.

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Happy Birthday to...  
Fran Hisler (December 1)  
Joy Cohen (December 2)  
Randi Neff (December 2)  
Yaniv Sacho-Tanzer (December 2)  
Phyllicia Tanenbaum (December 3)  
Rachel Stadler (December 5)  
Amy Eisner (December 6)  
Julie Katzman (December 6)  
Elana Orlofsky (December 6)

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OSTNS is saddened to announce the passing of  
Shafik David ben Masuda v'Menashe, father of  
Revital Schwartz.

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Please join OSTNS in participating in the Bikur  
Cholim of Greater Washington Toy Drive. Each  
toy that is collected will be sent to children in  
surrounding hospitals as well as to those in the  
New York area that were affected by Hurricane  
Sandy. A toy drop-off box will be located just  
outside the main shul office until December 5.

## 2012 END OF YEAR APPEAL

*Dedicated to the Neshama of Lila Morse*

Every year, our congregation holds an “end of year  
appeal” that is about much more than simply raising  
money. The appeal is always connected to a spiritual  
need and goal of our community. The mitzvot we  
are dedicating ourselves to this year is the mitzvah  
of *nichum aveilim* (comforting mourners) and  
*hakamat matvevah* (establishing a memorial to the  
deceased).

A family from our congregation, Michael Morse and  
Miriam Achtenberg, recently suffered the ultimate  
tragedy — the passing of their young daughter, Lila.  
This unique tragedy touched all of our lives in a  
profound way. For this reason, Ohev is dedicating  
our end of year appeal to the *neshama* of Lila  
Morse. Please check your mailboxes next week for  
more information about this appeal and how you  
can contribute.

## SERVICES AT A GLANCE

Parsha Portion — Vayishlach

Friday, November 30

Candle Lighting — 4:29 PM

Mincha & Kabbalat Shabbat — 4:30 PM

Saturday, December 1

Shacharit — 9:15 AM

Mincha — 4:10 PM

Havdalah — 5:32 PM

Sunday, December 2

Shacharit — 8:30 AM

Mincha/Maariv — 4:25 PM

Monday — Friday

Shacharit — 6:30 AM

Maariv — 7:30 PM (*only Monday—Thursday*)

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### Saturday, December 1

- 9:15 AM Shacharit with a Dvar Torah from Rabbi Herzfeld: "Kol Isha and the Drowning Out of a Woman's Voice" (followed by a Kiddush Lunch)
- 4:10 PM Mincha with a Shiur from Rabbi Ben Mintz (followed by Seudat Shelishit)
- 5:32 PM Havdalah

### Sunday, December 2

- 8:30 AM Shacharit
- 4:25 PM Mincha/Maariv

### Monday, December 3

- 7:45 PM Board Meeting (open to the entire congregation)

### Friday, December 7

- 4:29 PM Candle Lighting
- 4:30 PM Mincha & Kabbalat Shabbat

### Saturday, December 8 (1st night of Hanukkah)

- 9:15 AM Shacharit with a Dvar Torah from Rabbi Herzfeld (followed by a Kiddush lunch)
- 4:10 PM Mincha with a learning session led by Eli and Yedidya (followed by Seudat Shelishit)
- 5:32 PM Havdalah

## ONGOING CLASSES

### Monday, 12:30 – 1:30 PM

Rabbi Herzfeld's Parsha Class for Women

### Wednesday, 12:30 PM – 1:30 PM

Rabbi Herzfeld's Downtown Class  
(607 14th St, NW)

### Wednesday, following services

OSTNS Beit Midrash

### Thursday, following services

Understanding Prayer with Rabbi Herzfeld

### Saturday, 1 hour before Mincha

Parsha + Ping Pong with Rabbi Herzfeld  
(for children of all ages)

### Sunday, 9:30 AM

Class with Rabbi Ben Mintz

## Upcoming Events –

### HANUKKAH FESTIVAL

*Presented by Ohev Sholom & MJBHA*  
December 9, 2012 @ 11 AM

Location: Ohev Sholom

Featuring: moonbounce, obstacle course, arts & crafts, soufganiyot, facepainting, Hanukkah games & music, cotton candy, latkes, giveaways & more!

Please contact [OSTNSyouth@gmail.com](mailto:OSTNSyouth@gmail.com) for more information.

### MENORAH LIGHTING PARTY AT SUMMIT HILLS

*Presented by Ohev Sholom, Summit Hills Residents, Ohr Kodesh, and the Mekor Chaim Steinsaltz Ambassadors*  
December 10, 2012 @ 8:00 PM

Location: Summit Hills picnic area (near the pool)

Featuring: a menorah lighting ceremony, joyful songs, dancing, donuts, latkes, and tons of fun! Bring your friends and musical instruments!

Please RSVP to [csupowit@gmail.com](mailto:csupowit@gmail.com) or contact [engleli6@gmail.com](mailto:engleli6@gmail.com) for more information.

### SHABBAT HANUKKAH DINNER In Honor of Ohev's Newest Members December 14, 2012 @ 5:45 PM

Location: Ohev Sholom

Cost: FREE for new members who have joined OSTNS since January 1, 2012; \$18/person for everyone else (children under 12 are free)

Sign up today by contacting [cvaloris@gmail.com](mailto:cvaloris@gmail.com) or (202) 882-7225.

