

## Shabbos Vayeishev/ Shabbos Mevarchim

### Shabbos Davening

- Mincha **5:02 pm**
- 18 minutes before sunset **5:02 pm**
- Shacharis **9:00 am**
- Latest Shema **9:44 am**
- Shabbos Mincha **4:45 pm**
- Maariv **5:56 pm**
- Havdallah **6:10 pm**

### Shabbos Classes

- Laws of Muktzah **8:30 am**  
“Under what circumstances can one wear a watch outside of an Eruv on Shabbos?”
- Beis Medrash Learning **3:45 pm**
- Talmud Kiddushin **4:00 pm**

### Rosh Chodesh Teves/ Molad

Rosh Chodesh Teves will begin Friday evening, December 7 and concludes Sunday evening, December 9. The molad, which is the precise time the new moon appears over Jerusalem, will be Friday evening, December 7, 29 minutes and 13 chalukim after 10 pm.

### Cholent Kiddush

We thank Mordechai and Susan Edery for sponsoring this week's Shabbos Cholent Kiddush in appreciation to Hashem for Gabe's miracle.

### Shalosh Seudos

We thank Alan and Ettie Ehrenberg for sponsoring this week's Shalosh Seudos in memory of the yahrtzeit of Alan's late father, Moshe ben Betzalel, A.H.

### The Shabbos Morning Children's Groups

Groups will be from **10:00 am - 11:15 am**.

3 - 5-year-old group will be led by Naomi Schranz and Shira Ringelheim in the middle classroom.

1<sup>st</sup> -4<sup>th</sup> grade girls' group will be Elisheva Jaspan and Shalva Neeland in the front classroom.

K- 5 grade boys' group will be led by David Goldenberg in the Beis Medrash.

We ask that all adults remember that the children's classrooms must be available for the children's groups from 10:00 – 11:15 am. Please pick up your children from groups before Kiddush starts. There should be no children in the social hall until Kiddush starts.

### Vesane Tal Umatar Levracha

We begin saying *Vesane Tal Umatar Levracha* in Maariv Shmonei Esrai on Tuesday night, December 4.

### Daf Yomi

We are happy to announce that Daf Yomi has started and meets at 9:00 pm.

We express our heartfelt appreciation to Rabbi Ranaan Broderick for being the Maggid Shiur.

### TTI Thursday Night Learning resumes December 13

We are happy to announce that the TTI Bais Medrash students will learn at the Ohev Shalom Joseph Moskowitz Beis Medrash Thursday night, **December 13**, from 8:10 pm – 9:50 pm.

Our Rabbi will give a Talmud Shiur from 8:15 pm- 9:05 pm.

Rabbi Kaufman will give a Minchas Chinuch shiur from 9:10 pm – 9:50 pm.

### Thank You

Mindi Friedman and family would like to thank Rabbi and Rebbetzin Rodin and the Ohev Shalom community for the tremendous support and acts of kindness shown to them during the recent loss of their husband and father, Judah Friedman.

**For Those who Died Al Kiddush Hashem in Pittsburgh, HYD**

This Motzai Shabbos Kol Hanearim program and Sunday morning learning will be dedicated in memory of the eleven Jewish people who were murdered because they were Jewish.

**TDSB Book Fair**

Torah Day School will hold its 2018 Book Fair this Sunday from 11:00 am – 4:00 pm, and Monday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm.

**Amud Hashavuah**

The new Mesechta for our Amud Hashavua is, "Meseches Taanis." The cycle will begin Sunday, December 16, after the second Shacharis minyan. Bagels and cream cheese will be served. Amud Hashavuah continues Thursday night at **8:30 pm**, and Shabbos afternoon one hour before mincha. Please join us for all or a portion of this learning. Other days and times can be arranged to fit your schedule. Be a part of those who complete the Mesechta. If you would like a Chavrusah or if you have any questions, please see Rabbi Tzvi Wachsman.

**Women's Class Hilchos Shabbos**

The Ohev Shalom Sisterhood invites all the women to attend a class given by Rabbi Mordechai Shmueli, Wednesday night, December 12 from **8:00 pm – 8:45 pm** in the Joseph Moskowitz Beis Medrash, entitled, "Intro to the Melachos of Shabbos." A 3-part series will follow in January.

**One- on- one with Rabbi Yitzchak Glazer**

We appreciate Rabbi Yitzchak Glazer for agreeing to learn one – on – one with individuals of all levels. Subjects include Talmud, Chumash, Halacha, or Mussar If you would like to make the most of this opportunity, please contact Rabbi Glazer at 410-499-9685

**WOMBS Support Workshop**

The next WOMBS infertility support workshop will take place Tuesday, December 4<sup>th</sup>, at 8:00 pm at JFS building 2. Contact Nikki Friedman for more information at [wombs@nafshiwellness.org](mailto:wombs@nafshiwellness.org)  
Or visit [nafshiwellness.org/wombs](http://nafshiwellness.org/wombs)


**Davening Times**


**Week of December 2 – December 7**


<b><u>Shacharis</u></b>		<b><u>Mincha/ Maariv</u></b>
<b><u>Sun</u></b>	<b><u>Monday – Friday</u></b>	<b><u>Sunday- Thursday – 5:06 pm</u></b>
1 <sup>st</sup> Minyan <b>8:00 am</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> Minyan <b>6:30 am</b>	
2 <sup>nd</sup> Minyan <b>8:30 am</b>	<b><u>Monday - Friday</u></b>	
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Minyan <b>6:50 am</b>	


## *The Laws of Chanukah*


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 Chanukah is celebrated for eight days beginning on the 25<sup>th</sup> of Kislev coinciding with Sunday evening, December 2<sup>nd</sup> , and concluding Monday afternoon, December 10<sup>th</sup>. We say full “Hallel” every day, and recite “Al HaNisim” in Shmoneh Esreh and in Birkas Hamazon. One need not repeat these prayers if “Al Hanisim” is forgotten.

 Chanukah candles must burn at least thirty minutes after three medium stars appear which will be from **6:10 pm** until at least **6:40 pm**. On Friday night, Chanukah candles must be kindled before Shabbos candles are lit at **5:02 pm** and must burn until **6:40 pm**. Consequently, we must light extra-long Chanukah candles or place enough oil in the menorah to burn for this time.

 It is best to place the Menorah on the windowsill facing the street or on a table opposite the Mezuzah.

 On the first night, the candle is placed in the candleholder on the far right of the menorah and then lit. Each night a new candle is added to the left of the previous night’s candle. The candles are lit from left to right.

 By custom, we eat food fried in oil to honor the Chanukah miracle when one vial of oil lasted eight days. It is also traditional to eat dairy foods on Chanukah.

 One must light the Menorah in his home or apartment. If one is invited out to dinner or will be away during the proper time to light the Chanukah candles, please consult our Rabbi as to when to light them.



## **HANUKAH BURN & SCALD PREVENTION**

The following information comes courtesy of Rabbi Stephen Roberts, Coordinator of Jewish Chaplaincy at New York-Presbyterian Hospital: New York Weill Cornell Medical Center:

- Keep the menorahs away from curtains or any other flammable objects.
  - Keep the menorahs away from the reach of small children.
  - When making latkes, keep ALL children away from the hot oil.
- When making latkes, remember to turn frying pan handles away from the edge of the stove, so that they do not get knocked over and cause the oil to be spilled.

## **SHABBAT and HOLIDAY CANDLES -**

### **GENERAL BURN PREVENTION REMINDERS:**

- Never place candles near or under anything flammable.
- Keep *Shabbat, Yom Tov, Hanukah and Yahrzeit* candles on sideboards, out of the reach of small children.
- If candles are on the table, keep them in the center where they are less likely to be pulled down by a small child.
- The following are common locations in which candles are placed and which cause household fires - under kitchen cabinets, near window curtains, any location a young child can easily reach to pull the candles down, any location a family pet can knock candles over.
- When lighting and blessing candles, women in particular need to insure that they do not accidentally set their sleeves on fire when they put their hands over the flames. They must be very careful of their hair.
- When lighting multiple *Shabbat* candles, families need to be aware of the high amount of heat the candles generate. Create a safe place in the house in which multiple candles can be lit. Sometimes a safe place might need to be built which is nonflammable and away from small children's hands.