



NHBZ Weekly News

Welcome to Nusach Hari B'nai Zion

Affiliated with Union of Orthodox Congregations of America

September 21, 2024, • 18 Elul 5784 • Candle Lighting 6:42 pm • Shabbos Concludes 7:39pm

Parashas Ki Savo
Haftorah Ki Savo

Deuteronomy 26:1– 29:8
Isaiah 60:1-60:22

Chumash p. 1068 – 1085
Chumash p. 1201-1202

- We thank **Sharon Summers** for sponsoring Kiddush this week in celebration of her birthday!
- We thank **Bryson Hartranft** for sponsoring sweet treats this Shabbos in honor of **Jennifer Hartranft's** birthday!
- We thank the **Morgensztern Family** for sponsoring the bulletin this week in honor of all those who helped make Michael's Bar Mitzvah a lovely event!
"Thank you **Anna Rose Tandler, Jackie Berkin, Vivian Zarkowsky, Lori Goldman, Nancy Rush, Marcie Brook, Debbie Barash, Margo Tzadok, Theretha Carter and Kevin Nelson.** An extra special thank you for **Norma Rubin** and **Stella Vladimirov** for preparing such a delicious kiddish!"

Prayer

Friday, September 20

- 7:00 am Shachris
- 6:40 pm Mincha/Ma'ariv
- 6:42 pm Candle Lighting



Shabbos, September 21

- 9:00 am Shachris - Torah Reading – Musaf
- Distinguished Rabbi of the Week:
Rabbi Miller
- 10:00 am **Soul Building with Rabbi Feigenbaum**
- 6:20 pm Mincha- Shalosh Seudos - Ma'ariv
- Third Meal and Learn with **Rabbi Nimchinsky!**
- 7:48 pm Shabbos concludes

Minyan Times September 20 – September 28:

	Fri Sept 20	Shabbos Sept 21	*Sun Sept 22	Mon Sept 23	Tues Sept 24	Wed Sept 25	Thu Sept 26	Fri Sept 27	Shabbos Sept 28
Shachris (am)	7:00	9:00	8:00	7:00	7:00	7:00	7:00	7:00	9:00
Mincha/Ma'ariv (pm)	6:40	6:20	6:30	6:30	6:30	6:30	6:30	6:30	6:20

*First day of fall!

Congregation News

Happy Birthday!

Sharon Summers
Jennifer Hartranft

Sep 20
Sep 21

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Yahrzeits Observed This Week:

Thurs eve Sep 19– Fri Sep 20

17 Elul Myron Pollack

Sat eve Sep 21– Sun Sep 22

19 Elul Samuel Bressler
19 Elul Albert Gordon
19 Elul Dora Sherp

Mon eve Sep 23 – Tue Sep 24

21 Elul Pinya Kerner
21 Elul Bernard Cook

Fri eve Sep 20- Sat Sep 21

18 Elul Harris Londe
18 Elul Julia Frieda Weinhaus

Sun eve Sep 22 -Mon Sep 23

20 Elul Sarah Kalmes
20 Elul Paul Spritz

Tue eve Sep 24–Wed Sep 25

22 Elul Anita Hulbert
22 Elul Sidney Silverman
22 Elul Bess Zeff

Wed eve Sep 25–Thurs Sep

26 23 Elul Stuart Raskas

SAVE THE DATE

- ✧ **Sunday, September 22 at 12:00 pm at Berger Memorial Chapel Service for Dr David Reisler z"l**
- ✧ **Sunday, September 22 at 10:00 am** Monument dedication for **Samuel Bluestein** at Beth Hamedrosh Cemetery
- ✧ **Sunday, September 22 from 7:00 – 8:30 pm at the J** a Pre-High Holiday talk: “One People, One Heart: Optimism in a World of Uncertainty” register at ShowMeChabad.com/One
- ✧ **Thursday, September 26 at 2:00 pm** Mimi David’s women only class “Masquerade!”
- ✧ **Friday, September 27.** Lively musical Kabbalat Shabbat Service followed by a Community Shabbos Dinner for the entire family. See flyer for details!
- ✧ **Sunday September 29 10:30 – 4:00 pm** Sababa Jewish Arts and Cultural Festival. Staenberg Complex, Outdoors.

Seeking volunteers for

sababa

Want to help spread the word about NHBZ?

Looking for a fun community activity?

Jewish Arts & Culture Festival
SAINT LOUIS

We need you!

SABABA – Jewish Arts and Cultural Festival – will be held SUNDAY, SEPT. 29, 10:30am – 4:00pm at the Staenberg Family Complex (outdoors in back parking lot).

Enjoy food, music, art, and informational booths from community organizations. We are looking for volunteers to sit at the NHBZ table to represent our shul, chat with festival attendees, and promote our events.

Volunteer hours run from 9:00am to 5:00pm, but each shift is only 2 hours. Please call the office at 314-991-2100 to sign up for a shift of your convenience.

Thank you for helping spread the word about NHBZ.



Learning at NHBZ

Do you have a question for a Rabbi?

Rabbi David can be contacted and will make himself available for rabbinic counsel as well as life cycle events (e.g., deaths, bar mitzvahs, stone unveilings, bris, baby namings, etc.) and halachic questions or other Jewish emergencies.

He can be reached at 314-920-9270 or yddavid@aishstl.com

Ongoing Classes

- **Journey Through the Chumash with Rabbi Daniel Sentell.** Tuesdays at 12:00 pm. Take an amazing journey of learning, step by step we will explore the Chumash.
- **The Inside Story with Rabbi Avi Feigenbaum:** The Torah's Wisdom for Our Everyday Life. Wednesdays at 7:45 pm.
- **“Soul Building” Series with Rabbi Yosef David,** Shabbos mornings, 10:00 am
- **Mahjong** in the youth lounge Tuesdays at 1:00 pm
- **Mishna Learning with Rabbi Chanan Swidler,** Every Sunday morning, after Shachris



THE SISTERHOOD SCOOP

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Sisterhood wishes Mazel Tov to *Sharon Summers* in celebration of her special birthday!

Time is Running Out!

Everyone is invited to participate in Sisterhood's



New Year Greetings

Fundraiser for 5785

NHBZ Sisterhood wishes you Health, Happiness & Prosperity in the New Year...

...and invites you to wish *L'Shana Tova Tikatevu* to everyone in our NHBZ family!

Send in your donation (\$10 min / NO max) to NHBZ Sisterhood today and your name will be published in the 5785 Rosh Hashanah Holiday Bulletin! See flyer for details.

Hurry... Time is running out...

KI SAVO: Drawing Down G-d's Blessings

Moses promised the Jewish people, "If you remain faithful to G-d's covenant, all the following blessings will pursue you and overtake you." Deuteronomy 28:2

We are taught that on the Jewish New Year (*Rosh HaShanah*), G-d decrees our livelihood and health for the coming year. And yet, we pray every day for health, sustenance, and many other Divine blessings. Is this daily prayer necessary, in that all has already been decreed on *Rosh HaShanah*?

This verse provides the answer to this question: G-d's blessings both "pursue" us and "overtake" us. On *Rosh HaShanah*, all the blessings necessary for their respective purposes descend ("pursue" us) to a certain level of reality where they wait in storage to be drawn down further ("overtake" us) into our physical world. The vehicle for bringing blessings down to us is our daily prayer and devotion to G/d.

– from the Lubavitcher Rebbe; adapted by Moshe Wisniefsky, www.chabad.org

Next Book Club Meeting is November 18!

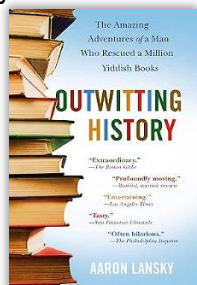
The book selection for September 23 — *Gates of November*, by Chaim Potok — has been postponed to a future date (watch this space for new date) and there will be **no Book Club meeting for September**. The Book Club will resume on **November 18**, with the discussion of the book, *Outwitting History: The Amazing Adventures of a Man Who Rescued a Million Yiddish Books*, by Aaron Lansky.

Everyone is invited to attend the Nov. 18 meeting when we will discuss "Outwitting History" and also select the next books that we will read and examine in January and March of 2025!

Watch this space for details!

For more information, email fran.alper@outlook.com or sisterhood@nhbz.org

All women are welcome to join!



Limits to Sadness

"The beauty of Judaism is that it did not become traumatized by tragedy. Despite their suffering, Jews did not let themselves become defined by it. They mourned on *Tisha B'Av* and the other specified fasts but did not allow the rest of their days to be darkened by grief. They set limits to sadness. During the rest of the week, they might be toiling, but on Shabbat they ate as if at the royal table. During the rest of the year, they might be in exile but on festivals they rejoiced."

– Rabbi Lord Jonathan Sacks ZT"L

Judaism's Greatest Challenge (Ki Tavo, Covenant & Conversation)

There was once this fellow who did not own a watch. Whenever he wanted to know the time, he would simply ask someone.

"Why don't you just buy a watch?" a coworker finally snapped at him after being asked one time too many.

"Why should I buy a watch, when I can simply ask!"

"Well," asked his coworker, "What do you do in middle of the night?"

"I use a Shofar!" said the fellow.

"A Shofar?"

"Yes. Whenever I want to know the time, I go to the window, I blow the Shofar, and all my neighbors start yelling, 'What are you doing? It's two in the morning!'"





New Year Greetings fundraiser

The *NHBZ Sisterhood* wishes you
Health, Happiness & Prosperity in the New Year...

...and invites you to wish *L'Shana Tova Tikatevu*
to everyone in our NHBZ family!

Make your check payable to **NHBZ** – write ‘*Sisterhood Greeting*’ on the
memo line – suggested minimum donation is \$10 per name – no maximum!

Names will be published in the 5785 Rosh Hashanah Newsletter

Send your contribution, along with the form below ASAP to:

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

**Deadline approaching.
Help us reach our goal.
Send your donation today!**

or you may email your greeting information directly to bookkeeper@nhbz.org
or visit the website www.nhbz.org to make a payment

FOR QUESTIONS, CALL THE NHBZ OFFICE, 314-991-2100, EXT.3, OR EMAIL: sisterhood@nhbz.org

NHBZ SISTERHOOD NEW YEAR GREETING ~ FOR ROSH HASHANAH 5785 BULLETIN

Name _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Amount enclosed \$ _____ [suggested minimum donation is \$10 per name – no maximum!]

Please list my name as follows:

Proceeds benefit NHBZ's Passport to Israel Program and other NHBZ Sisterhood projects

Wishing you a Good and Sweet Year!





NUSACH HARI PRESENTS

Family Shabbat Dinner

Singing. Inspiration. Friends. Family

ADULTS- \$30

TEENS- \$15 (AGES 13-17)

CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER ARE FREE

**Friday
Sept 27th**

6:20pm- Mincha

6:35pm- Candle Lighting

Carlebach Musical style Kabbalat Shabbat led by MTI students. Dinner to follow.

Rabbi Yosef and Mimi David will be in attendance with their recently engaged daughter Ahuva and fiance Akiva Jacobs.

RSVP by 9/19 at office@nhbz.org or (314) 991-2100
sponsorships for any amount are greatly appreciated

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Rosh Chodesh Elul is September 3-4
Erev Rosh Hashanah is October 2
Erev Yom Kippur is October 11

High holiday Seating

Rosh Hashanah is just around the corner! All full members of NHBZ are entitled to request a reserved seat for the High Holidays, to come and go as much as needed.

If you had a reserved seat last year and are happy with it, you are good to go! If you were not entirely happy with your seat last year (too noisy? too cold? too close to the front?) you can request a change! If you are a new member and you want a reserved seat, we can help you pick one to your liking. Please contact Lenny Alper at lenny.alper@outlook.com to review your seating options or contact Nora at office@nhbz.org. **Deadline to reserve seats: Wed., September 18.**

Yizkor Book of Remembrance

Watch your mail for information about this year's Yizkor Book. As in the past, we will request a \$10 donation for each name listed (or group, such as "and family") in the published Book of Remembrance, and an additional \$36 donation for each name read aloud during Yizkor. The Book of Remembrance is used on Yizkor throughout the year for Yom Kippur, Shemini Atzeres, Pesach, and Shavuot. **Deadline to submit Yizkor names: Sunday, September 15.**

Sisterhood's New Year Greetings Fundraiser

Everyone is invited to participate in Sisterhood's annual New Year Greetings fundraiser to wish "**L'Shana Tova Tikatevu**" to everyone in our NHBZ family! Simply send your donation (\$10 minimum / NO max) to NHBZ Sisterhood and **your name** will be published in the 5785 Rosh Hashanah Bulletin! Proceeds benefit NHBZ's Passport to Israel Program and other NHBZ Sisterhood projects. **Deadline to submit your name and donation: Sunday, September 15.**

Lulav & Esrog Sets

It is also time to place your orders for Lulav & Esrog sets. Please email your orders to Nora at office@nhbz.org, or call 314-991-2100, ext. 2. Please be sure to leave your name, call back phone number and your order. Prices are as follows:

- Basic Lulav & Esrog set \$60
- Standard Lulav & Esrog set \$70
- Deluxe Lulav & Esrog set \$80
- Premium Lulav & Esrog set \$95

All orders must be received and paid for on or before **Sunday, September 15, 2024**. No exceptions, as order will be placed first thing Monday morning.

Begin your Holiday Preparations NOW!



Weekday Classes

Mimi David will be teaching an ongoing women's only class titled:

Masquerade!



Women are invited to join us for a deep dive into the book of Esther. This text based class will reveal the secrets of this famous story and uncover what really happened then, and how it resonates until today. Participants need to bring their own copy of the ArtScroll Megillah.

**The first two classes will be held at NHBZ
Thursdays at 2:00pm,
September 5th
and September 26th.**



Marking One Year 
October 7th 

Join Us



JFedSTL.org/Oct7

From Darkness to Light

We — the St. Louis Jewish community — stand with the Israeli people today, tomorrow and always.

On October 7, we will provide space for our community to gather, mourn and stand together in support of Israel.

Monday, October 7

6:00 pm Doors Open | **7:00 pm** Program to begin promptly

The program will be at a convenient location.

The exact address will be shared before the event.

A virtual option will be available.

No cost to attend.

Pre-registration is mandatory.

Register Now

For more information, call 314-442-4018.

Thank You to our Jewish Community Partner Agencies for your Commitment and Support.

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Jewish Arts & Culture Festival

SAINT LOUIS

JOIN US AT



September 29, 2024

10:30am - 4pm

Staenberg Family Complex

Creve Coeur

Music, Art, Entertainment & Food!

Music Including

Gili Yalo

Joe Buchanan

Klezundheit!

Charlie Kramer, Lucy Greenbaum &

Greta Rosenstock



Certified Kosher Food by

Zelda's Catering
from Chicago

Family Pavilion Featuring

Serengeti Steve
Circus Harmony Entertainment
Family Yoga
And more!



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jccstl.org

A program of the Jewish Community Center



Weekday Classes

"The Torah's wisdom for our everyday life"

**Exploring the weekly Torah portion
in a transformational way.**



Join us every Wednesday evening at 7:30 as Rabbi Feigenbaum inspires us with insights into the weekly Torah portion that will give us inspiration in our daily lives. Open to the entire Jewish community. Learning for every level. Come for one class or come every week.

**Class will meet downstairs at NHBZ
Wednesday Evening at 7:30.**



Weekday Classes

"Chumash in the Original"

**Taught by Rabbi Daniel Sentell,
every Tuesday from 12:00-12:45PM**



Join us for an in-depth class that will explore the deeper lessons of each verse, how the major commentators - (Rashi!) - developed their commentaries, and the traditions the Rabbis received for biblical exegesis.

Hebrew reading is not necessary for this class.

**Class will meet downstairs at NHBZ
Tuesdays at Noon to 12:45 PM.**