



# NHBZ Weekly News

Welcome to Nusach Hari B'nai Zion

Affiliated with Union of Orthodox Congregations of America



**November 21-22, 2025**  
**Candle Lighting 4:26 PM**

## PARSHAS TOLDOS

Genesis 25:19-28:9

**1-2 Kislev 5786**  
**Shabbos Concludes 5:27 PM**

### Announcements

- Kiddush this week is sponsored by Ed Levitt in honor of the 1<sup>st</sup> yearzeit of Helayne Levitt, Chaya bas Berel z"l.
- The bulletin this week is sponsored by Marcie, Nathan, and Eliana in honor of Alan's special birthday.

- There will be a stone dedication for Helayne Levitt this Sunday, November 23rd at Beth Hamedrosh Hagodol cemetery (9125 Ladue Rd) at 11am.
- Save the Date: The St. Louis Jewish Community Blood Drive will be at Congregation Young Israel on Sunday, January 11, 2026 from 10 AM - 4 PM. Please come and participate in this life saving chessed.
- The Jewish Federation of St. Louis One Happy Camper program is now accepting applications for Summer 2026. One Happy Camper grants range from \$700-\$1,000 for first time overnight campers. Campers must be enrolled in a session that is at least 12 consecutive days at one of the 150+ nonprofit Jewish overnight camps listed on the Foundation for Jewish Camp website. Families are encouraged to apply as soon as possible at [OneHappyCamper.org](http://OneHappyCamper.org).

### Yahrzeits Observed This Week

<u>Nov 21 - 1 Kislev</u>	<u>Nov 24 - 4 Kislev</u>
Clara Kovinsky	Rae Izenson
Helayne Levitt	
<u>Nov 23 - 3 Kislev</u>	<u>Nov 26 - 6 Kislev</u>
Libby Mankovsky	Max Stein
Julius Saltzman	Rosalind Rosen
	Louis Niedelson
<u>Nov 27 - 7 Kislev</u>	
Benjamin Horwitz	Henry Stein
Norvel Levine	

### Ongoing Classes

Sundays  
Rabbi Swidler's "Learning Mishna"  
after Shacharis

Mondays  
Partners in Torah  
8:00-9:00 PM

Tuesdays  
Rabbi Sentell's  
"Chumash in the Original"  
12:00-12:45 PM

Wednesdays - **Not this week**  
Rabbi Feigenbaum's "The Torah's  
Wisdom For Our Everyday Life"  
6:45 PM Downstairs

Thursdays  
Rabbi Hess's Amud-a-Week  
after Maariv

Mondays-Thursdays  
Rabbi Smason's "The Book of Judges"  
Zoom Class 3:15 PM

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/78974795850?pwd=tw7lOVumZ8QeIPxHvApYZsox8VUem.1>

### Upcoming Events

- November 22 - Melava Malka
- November 24 - NHBZ Book Club
- November 30 - Pizza Night
- December 6 - Tot Shabbos
- December 10 - NHBZ Gala120
- December 13 - Cohen Bar Mitzvah
- December 27 - Birthday Kiddush

### Prayer Times

#### Friday, November 21

Mincha/Maariv 4:20 PM

Candle Lighting 4:26 PM

#### Shabbos, November 22

Shacharis/Mussaf 9:00 AM

Latest Shema Time 9:19 AM

Mincha 4:10 PM

Shalosh Seudos After Mincha  
and Learn

Shabbos Concludes 5:27 PM

#### Weekday Schedule

Shacharis (Sun & Thurs) 8:00 AM

Shacharis (Mon-Wed, & Fri) 7:00 AM

Mincha (Sun-Thurs) 4:25 PM

Mincha (Fri) 4:20 PM

### Shabbos Programming

Soul Building with Rabbi David  
10:00 AM

Childcare  
10:00-11:30 AM

### Shul Contact Information

phone: 314-991-2100  
Devorah- Office Administrator  
email: [office@nhbz.org](mailto:office@nhbz.org)

Rabbi Rubin:  
[rabbirubin@nhbz.org](mailto:rabbirubin@nhbz.org)

Hindy- Bookkeeper  
[bookkeeper@nhbz.org](mailto:bookkeeper@nhbz.org)

### Happy Birthday!

- Ezra Cohen - November 21
- Evan Garmaise - November 21
- Erol Amon - November 22
- Alan Brook - November 22
- Jay Umansky - November 25
- Sandra Greenberg - November 27
- Shirley Hollander - November 27

### Happy Anniversary!

- Marvin & Doris Lerner - November 20

**JOIN US FOR A**

# **MELAVA MALKA**

**"An after Shabbos meal and get together"**

**AT  
NUSACH HARI  
B'NAI ZION**



**Motzei Shabbos,  
November 22, 2025**

**6:30 PM - 9:00 PM**

**650 N. Price Rd.**

**Suggested Donation \$10  
Sponsorships Welcome**

**Enjoy food\* , music, and joyful company!  
Everyone is welcome!**

**\*Pizza and more**

# EMUNAH ON THE FRONT LINES

A SOLDIERS STORY OF FAITH

STAFF SERGEANT  
**YOSEF GREEN**

GRANDSON OF MARLENE GREEN  
AND RABBI ALAN GREEN שליט

YOSEF GREEN IS A FRONTLINE MACHINE  
GUNNER AND WAS ACTIVE DURING THE  
RECENT WAR IN ISRAEL



7:30 PM  
U.City Shul  
700 North and South Rd

For men and women

Sponsored by Richard Senturia



Nov  
**23**  
2025



# Kosher Thanksgiving Police and Firefighters Feast

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**NHBZ loves the security and protection that the Olivette Police and Firefighters provide, and is grateful for their superior service!**

Let's show our appreciation by cooking and serving a traditional Thanksgiving Dinner for Police Officers and Firefighters who must spend Thanksgiving on call at the station rather than at home with their families.

To make this happen, [We Need Sponsors](#) to defray the cost of the meal. Please consider becoming a sponsor for any amount of money. Contact [office@nhbz.org](mailto:office@nhbz.org) or call 991-2100

[We Also Need Volunteers on Thanksgiving Day](#) to do the following: Deliver and serve the Thanksgiving Feast to the Police and Firefighters on Thanksgiving Day. Come and bring your kids or grandkids. Kids will be able to see Police and Fire Station, and talk to police officers and firefighters.

**It will be lots of fun!**



**If you want to help and volunteer, Please contact Bob Kaiser at (314)-420-5641**

Nusach Hari B'nai Zion

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2025**

**5-7 PM**

**DELICIOUS ALL YOU CAN EAT KOSHER BUFFET**

**"NEW PIZZA DOUGH FOR THE NEW YEAR"**

**PIZZA**



**PASTA**



**LOADED**

**SALAD BAR**



**PRICING:**

**ADULTS: \$15**

**KIDS AGES 3-12:**

**\$8**

**KIDS UNDER 3:**

**FREE**

**CHOLOV YISROEL CHEESE; GLUTEN FREE CRUSTS UPON REQUEST. ALL FOOD IS CERTIFIED UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF RABBI RUBIN**



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650 North Price Rd. St.  
Louis, MO 63132



# Tot Shabbat & Groups at NHBZ!

**DECEMBER 6, 2025**

**10:30AM-11:30AM**

**DAVENING, SONGS, PARSHA,  
ACTIVITIES AND MORE!**

**AGES 0-4: BABYSITTING ROOM**

**AGES 5-12: YOUTH LOUNGE**





ST. LOUIS COMMUNITY KOLLEL PRESENTS

PRE-KESHER

# ice skating event

FOR CURRENT AND NEW  
KESHER GIRLS (K-5<sup>TH</sup>) &  
KESHER KREW (6-8<sup>TH</sup>)  
AND THEIR MOMS

**MOTZEI SHABBOS**  
**DECEMBER 6<sup>TH</sup>**  
**7:00-8:00 PM**

**BRENTWOOD SKATING RINK**  
2505 S BRENTWOOD BLVD  
BRENTWOOD, MO 63144

SAVE THE DATE!

**\$5 PER SKATER**

*Come spend time with your Kesher freinds. Learn more about the Kesher Program and sign up! Get excited for another great year in store- Kesher 2026!*

FOR MORE INFORMATION  
YFARKAS@STLKOLLEL.COM



PRE-  
KESHER  
EVENT  
DEC. 6<sup>TH</sup>

LOOK OUT FOR  
MORE DETAILS

KESHER IS BACK THIS WINTER!

**Kesher**

CONNECTING GENERATIONS

**Mother Daughter  
Program**

*save the  
dates!*

SUNDAY MORNINGS • 10:30 - 11:45 AM  
JANUARY 4 & 11, FEBRUARY 1 & 8

FOR GIRLS: KINDERGARTEN - 5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

WITH KESHER KREW FOR GRADES 6+

Delicious Brunch • Creative Craft • Engaging and Interactive Learning

A PROGRAM OF  
ST. LOUIS  
COMMUNITY  
**Kollel**



## Giving & Dedication



Giving & Dedication Opportunities to Nusach Hari B'nai Zion provides you with an opportunity to fulfill the important mitzvah of contributing tzedakah (charity). We offer many ways to say Mazel Tov to relatives and friends in honor of simchas celebrated, or to remember loved ones by making a dedication in their memories.

### ***Contributions & Dedications for Building & Campus***

- Small Stained-Glass Window - \$10,000
- Large Stained-Glass Window - \$25,000
- Yahrtzeit Board Header - \$6,000
- Main Bimah (Spiritual Dedication) - \$150,000
- Main Aron Kodesh (Spiritual Dedication) - \$150,000
- Sanctuary or Auditorium Window - \$18,000
- Dedication of Building – Please call office
- Campus Dedication – Please call office

This is a sample of available opportunities.  
For extra information, please call our office, 314-991-2100, ext. 2.

### ***Inscribed Bricks/Pavers & Plantings***

\$250.00 for 4"x8" inscribed Brick/Paver; \$500.00 for 8"x8" inscribed Brick/Paver

### ***Tree of Life – In the Alper Lobby***

\$360.00 per Brass leave inscribed, in memory or in honor of a special person(s) or occasion.

### ***Cast Iron Memorial Plaques – In the Feigenbaum-Pepose Learning Center***

\$360.00 Bronze Plaque - name in raised lettering. Molay is recited on each yahrtzeit.

### ***Kaddish***

Important mitzvos to be observed in memory of relatives or dear friends.  
\$360.00 Kaddish recited daily for eleven months after the passing of the individual.  
\$360.00 Kaddish recited each yahrtzeit in perpetuity.

### ***Book Funds – Dedications Inscribed***

- \$60.00 Nusach Hari Daily Siddur
- \$75.00 Artsroll – Stone Edition Chumash
- \$60.00 Rosh Hashana & Yom Kippur Machzorim

### ***Shabbos Bulletin Sponsorship***

\$54 includes your specified dedication listed in the NHBZ Weekly News  
Call or email the Shul office, 314-991-2100, ext. 2 or [office@nhbz.org](mailto:office@nhbz.org)

### ***Tributes – Honor Simchas, Wishes for Good Health, Condolences***

Call or email the Shul office, 314-991-2100, ext. 2 or [office@nhbz.org](mailto:office@nhbz.org)  
\$10 donation per card; \$25 pack of 5 cards. We have "In memory...", "In honor ...", Speedy Recovery, and Rose Ragin Chesed Fund\* cards. (\*Sold only in packs of 5)

### ***Kiddush Sponsorship – Defrays Costs of Shabbos & Yom Tov Kiddushim***

Please call our office for menu selections and pricing, 314-991-2100, ext. 2.

***NOTE: The above prices, effective January, 2025, are subject to change.***

# GALA 120

*You are invited!*

*An Evening of  
CELEBRATION*

1905 - 2025



*Wednesday, December 10, 2025*  
*7:15 in the evening at*  
*Nusach Hari B'nai Zion*



Rabbi Aron Rubin

Join us for a Dessert Reception  
as we celebrate our first 120 years  
and welcome our new spiritual leader  
**Rabbi Aron Rubin and Family**  
and thank our HONOREES for their  
dedication and support to NHBZ.



Rabbi Yosef &  
Rebbetzin Mimi David

**\$54 per person ~ RSVP by November 17**

**Honorees:** Rabbi Dov Nimchinsky, Rabbi Shimmy Fried, Rabbi Avi Feigenbaum, Rabbi Yaakov Berkowitz, Rabbi Yitzchok Shimon Hess,  
Rabbi Shmuel Miller, Rabbi Avi Bin-Nun, Rabbi Daniel Sentell, and Rabbi & Mrs. Yosef David



Rabbi Nimchinsky



Rabbi Fried



Rabbi Feigenbaum



Rabbi Berkowitz



Rabbi Hess



Rabbi Miller



Rabbi Bin-Nun



Rabbi Sentell