



Young Israel of St. Louis

SHABBAT NOVEMBER 29TH 2014 – FRIDAY DECEMBER 5TH 2014

7 KISLEV 5775 – 13 KISLEV 5775

PARSHAT VAYETZE

ANNOUNCEMENT SPONSORS

Sabrina Gornish to thank everyone who supported St. Louis' first Pies for Prevention fundraiser. It was a huge success, raising over \$1000 for a great cause!

Friday November 28th

Candle Lighting4:23 pm

Mincha/Maariv4:25 pm

Saturday November 29th

Hashkama7:30 am

Chumash Shiur8:15 am

Shacharit9:00 am

Sof Zman Kri'at Shema9:24 am

Pre-Mincha Shiur *no shiur this week*

Mincha4:10 pm

Bnei Akiva *no bnei akiva this week*

Shabbat Ends5:23 pm

Hashkama Kiddush: Sponsored by Max & Jerilyn Oppenheimer to welcome their dear friend, David Katz, for Katzgiving 2014.

Kiddush: Sponsors invited.

Seudah Shlishit: Sponsors invited.

Weekday Shacharit

Sunday8:00 am

Monday, Thursday6:30 am

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday6:40 am

Mincha/Maariv4:25 pm

THE ERUV – IS UP!

REFUAH SHELAIMAH

Yehoshua Sommer..... יהושע בן זהבה

Joseph Winkleman..... יוסף בן שיינדל

Ronald Bolker..... ישראל לייב בן סלאווא

Howie Rothman..... חיים יחיאל בן מלכה

..... בנימין זעליג בן סלאווא

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..... שמעון יוסף בן צביה

..... משה בן דאליש רבקה

..... דורון דניאל בן יפה

..... אליעזר חיים בן פריידע

..... ישעיה בן רוחמה

..... צביה בת בריינה

..... רחל לאה בת ייטל

..... הילה בת פייגא חנה

..... חיה הדסה זהבה בת לאה רייזא

..... לאה בת חיה

..... בתיה בת Jane Carol

..... חיה פייגל בת אלטא דינה

..... עליזה ברכה בת דאבי קיילע

Michelle Mufson מערי גיטל בת שרה חנה

Ziva Adler..... זיוה תקווה בת לובה ברכה

Ruth Nitsun..... רות רבקה בת פרומא רחל

Rachel Adler..... רחל בת אסתר

MAZAL TOV

Mazal Tov to **Rich & Maurie Axelbaum** on the engagement of their son, Ari, to Julie Levine of Great Neck, NY.

Mazal Tov to Boaz & Yael Shachak on the birth and *brit milah* of their son, Sinai.

SHUL NEWS

THANK YOU: Thank you to Jonathan & Heather Douek who

are the ushers this Shabbat for the youth groups.

RABBI'S MONDAY MORNING CLASS: will not meet this week.

WELCOME TO PROFESSOR NATHAN AVIEZER:

Professor Nathan Aviezer, the head of the Physics department at Bar Ilan University, is our Scholar-in-Residence, this Shabbat and will be speaking on several occasions. Raised in the US, Dr. Aviezer has written and spoken extensively and internationally on the subject of the relationship between Jewish thought and modern science. Thank you to our sponsors, Rich & Maurie Axelbaum, Stan & Leila Biel, Diane Fredman, Mark & Tammy Friedman, Howard & Jackie Oppenheimer and Heschel & Adinah Raskas.

Friday night Oneg Shabbat: at the home of Rich & Maurie Axelbaum, 7918 Gannon, 8:30 pm. "G-d's Plan for the Universe".

Shabbat morning talk after davening: "On Contradictions Between Torah and Science: The Creation of the Universe"

Saturday night Melaveh Malkah Leil Iyun: at the home of Joe & Izzy Yazdi, 7916 Stanford Ave, 7:00 pm. "The Second Creation Narrative in the Second Chapter of *Bereshit*: What Does it Mean? Why is it There?"

WELCOME DINNER: Come to welcome all of the new people who have moved to our community at the Welcome Dinner on Friday, December 12th. Mincha/Maariv will be at 4:20 pm and the dinner at approximately 6:00 pm. Candle lighting will be available for those coming to Minyan. The cost is: **Before/On Dec 5th** - \$18/adult, \$8/child (ages 3-10) with a \$72 family max. **After Dec 5th** - \$22/adult, \$10/child (ages 3-10) with a \$90 family max, no charge for children under 3. Please RSVP to office with payment so we know how much food to prepare.

PARENT/CHILD MOTZEI SHABBAT LEARNING IS COMING. Stay tuned for more information.

SAVE YOUR BLOOD: The 8th Annual St. Louis Jewish Community Blood Drive will be on January 11, 2015.

WOMEN'S DIVISION

WOMEN'S DIVISION CALENDAR: The Women's Division calendar lists Birthdays, Anniversaries, and *Yahrzeits*. It's only \$3 per listing, or \$2 after the first 25. You will be receiving a letter with all the details. If you put in a list last year, you will also receive a copy of the dates with your letter. Please send your list and your check, made payable to Young Israel Women's Division, to the Shul. If you have any questions call Bryna Kandel at 314-569-5001 or email BrynaK1031@aol.com. The deadline is December 18th.

SCHOOL NEWS

ST. LOUIS CARDINALS CALENDARS: FHA is happy to announce that they are selling 2015 St. Louis Cardinals Calendars! The price is \$15.00 each and they are currently taking pre-orders! \$7.00 of each calendar will be donated back to FHA. Calendars will arrive in the beginning of December, making it the perfect Chanukah gift for the Cardinals fan in your life. Email them at FHA@eha.org to place your order.

PASTRY DECORATING EVENT: Yeshivat Kadimah is pleased to welcome back Gitti Allman for a Chanukah themed cookie and cupcake decorating event, Sunday, December 7th, 7-9 pm, at the home of Ruth Raskas, 7920 Teasdale. Cost: \$36/person. Reservations are required. Please RSVP to: ahraskas@gmail.com.

COMMUNITY NEWS

TOMCHEI SHABBOS COOKBOOK EVENT: Join us for coffee, tea, and sample desserts from our upcoming cookbook! EVERYONE IS ENCOURAGED TO BRING RECIPES!!!! Men and women are invited on Sunday, Dec 14, 1:30-3:00 pm to the Hirschhorn home, 835 Swarthmore. Admission is \$18 or 6 recipes. Sponsors of \$180 or more are admitted free of charge. RSVP to Jackie Oppenheimer, 997-6924 (baubiejackie@gmail.com), or Roz Hirschhorn, 725-1719 (mummyroz@sbcglobal.net).

MOTHER-DAUGHTER EVENT: Eishes Chayll, a division of St Louis Kollel, invites you to the 2nd Annual Mother-Daughter Event for girls in grades 2-8 and their mothers, Sunday, December 14th, 6:30 pm, at U City Shul. Dairy dinner buffet and salad bar, Chinese Auction, and more. Sponsors for this event are Eishes Chayll, Young Israel Women's Division, FHA U City Shul, St Louis Kollel and Torah Prep. Admission: \$7. RSVP to Shoshana Kowalsky at skowalsky@stlkollel.com or Devorah Soroka at devorahsoroka@gmail.com or fha@eha.org.

WOMEN ONLY SWIM RESUMES: Mon & Wed 8:30 - 9:30 am & Tues 9:00 - 10:00 am at the U City High School Indoor Pool, 7420 Shaftsbury Ave. Cost: \$5.00/session. Questions? Call Adi Feen (216) 551-0065.

WOMENS' TEHILLIM GROUP: Will meet this week at the home of Roz Hirschhorn, 835 Swarthmore Lane, Sunday November 30 at 9:15 am. If you cannot participate in person, call 314-725-1719. The following Sunday, December 7, Tehillim will return to Jan Adelman's home, 8032 Amherst Ave, (314) 863-5438. **IMPORTANT!!!** - The Tehillim hotline (names and updates) is changing in order to remove the fees for its upkeep. The new number is (314) 441-6460. The old number just gives the new number. The old number will be completely discontinued as of Dec. 14.

NCSY NEWS

- **Latte and Learning** - Wednesday night at Starbucks on Hanley and Wydown, 7:30 pm.
- **Parsha & Pizza** - for high school boys, every Wednesday, 12 - 12:45 pm, and for high school girls, every Thursday, 12 - 12:45 pm at the NCSY office.

Sr NCSY St Louis Chapter Shabbaton - Dec 5-7 at Camp Nageela. Regional Advisor, Jeremy Schaechter, will be joining us. To register, please contact Sam by Sunday, November 30th (extended deadline). Cost: \$85 and scholarships are available.

TORAH MITZION KOLLEL NEWS

- **Mishnat Pinchas v'Sarah:** 5 minutes after Kiddush.
- **New Series** - Parshat Hashavua from a Women's Perspective, presented by Adi Salomon. Next class: Dec 9th at Adi's home.
- **Mishmar learning:** Thursdays at Young Israel at 8:30 pm. New additions to the program: Eitan Salomon and Joey Rosenfeld.
- **Bnei Akiva:** No Bnei Akiva this week.
- **Save the date:** The Annual Torah MiTzion Gala Dinner will be Saturday Night, December 13th, 7:30 pm, in the Clayton High School Commons. Gala tickets are \$90/person, and donations of \$250 or more include two Gala tickets and a short message (up to 200 characters) in the appropriate donor category in the Gala Program Booklet. Reservations are required by December 1st. To reserve, email: tmk12yeargala@torahmitzionstl.org.

The Annual Torah MiTzion Kollel Shabbaton will be December 10th - December 14th. Details to follow.

Bnei Akiva Chanukah Parties: Cost: \$5. Girls - Monday, Dec 15th, EHA lunch room, 6:30 - 8:00 pm. Boys - Tuesday Dec 16th, Oberlander home, 6:30 - 7:45 pm.

SHUL OFFICE & CONTACT INFO

Shul Office Hours: Mon, Fri 9:30 AM - 2:30 PM.

Tues, Wed, Thurs 11 AM - 4 PM

Deadline for announcements: Noon on Thursday

Deadline for Mazal Tovs 10 AM on Friday

Rabbi Shulman's personal contact info: shulman@milah.net

314-725-6130 (home study), 314-313-3120 (cell)

Young Israel Web-site: www.youngisrael-stl.org

To sponsor a weekly Shul Announcement, for \$36, email Judy (info@youngisrael-stl.org) or call (314-727-1880)