**Weekly Highlights**

**January 3, 2014 / 12 Teves, 5775**

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**Parshas Vayechi**

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Drasha: Abraham Lincoln and Menachem Mendel of Kotzk: Transforming Psychological Faults into Spiritual Strengths by Rabbi Dr. Tzvi Hersh Weinreb, Scholar in Residence

**Musaf**

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**Welcome Scholar-in-Residence Rabbi Dr. Tzvi Hersh Weinreb to Ner Tamid Synagogue**

Rabbi Dr. Weinreb is the Executive Vice President Emeritus of the Orthodox Union

**Shul-wide luncheon - Reservations Required**

Lunch: The Three Greatest Problems Facing the American Orthodox Jewish Community and What You Can Do About Them

There will be babysitting available during the lecture

No Navi Class this week—Early Mincha—extended Shalosh Seudos

Shalosh Seudos: Restoring our Faith in G-d and Faith in Man in a Difficult World

Jewish Culture... with a Twist—Next Event on January 11th at 6 PM

Israeli style dinner and film

“Under the Same Sun” on the Palestinian-Israeli conflict

http://nertamid.net/under-the-same-sun-thought-provoking-dinner-and-movie/

RSVP by January 5. Sponsored by the Ner Tamid Brotherhood

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**Schedule of Services**

**Saturday, January 3**

**Shacharis** 9:00 am

Kriyas Shema by 9:48 am

No Navi Class this week

Early Mincha

Rabbi Weinreb speaking during Shalosh Seudos

Maariv 5:41 pm

**Sunday, January 4**

Shacharis 8:30 am

Mincha/Maariv 4:45 pm

**Monday, January 5**

Shacharis 6:30 am

Mincha/Maariv 4:45 pm

**Tuesday, January 6**

Shacharis 6:45 am

Mincha/Maariv 4:45 pm

**Thursday, January 8**

Shacharis 6:30 am

Mincha/Maariv 4:45 pm

**Friday, January 9**

Shacharis 6:45 am

Mincha 4:50 pm

Candle Lighting 4:43 pm

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It is critical that everyone make an effort to attend the daily minyanim. Thank you!
### Youth Services & Sephardic Minyan

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### Yahrzeits We Observe This Week

**Jan. 3–9, 2015 / 12–18 Teves, 5775**

**January 3/12 Teves**
- Max Berman
- Ethel Anne Fine
- Louis Friedman
- Sylvia Gelvar
- Hilda Matuszak
- Leon Mazor
- Samuel Moses
- Gertrude Rose Ostrow
- Richard Keith Shelter

**January 4/13 Teves**
- Sylva Bondroff
- Natalie Kieffer
- Evelyn Schulman
- George Smulson
- Florence Zapolisky
- Hilda Zulver

**January 5/14 Teves**
- Sally Berkovich
- Alma Lois Brooks
- Dvorah Gutterman
- Pauline Orenstein
- Ida Reuben
- Bernard Smith
- Aron Zell

**January 6/15 Teves**
- Solomon Abraham Eppel
- Edward Gamson
- Fitzie Koteen
- Norton Milstein
- Nathan Pashen
- Elaine Rhody

**January 7/16 Teves**
- Sara Gertrude Ashman
- Pearl Gorbaty
- Freda Pashen
- Walter Rubin
- Leon Shapiro
- Frank Watzman

**January 8/17 Teves**
- Pearl Balin
- Larry Marc Baum
- Abraham Gaponoff
- Philip Perlberg
- Ethel Rose

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**Ner Tamid Cemetery**

For further information regarding the Ner Tamid Cemetery in Rosedale, contact the cemetery director, Abby Sattell at 410-764-6971 or by email at asattell@comcast.net.

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**Welcome New Members**
- Joyce Kirshenbaum
- Ahuva and Dr. Saul Weinreb & Family

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**Purim Carnival Sponsors Needed!**

We’re looking for sponsors for the Ner Tamid Purim Carnival which will be on March 1, 2015 from 1-4 pm. Members who are interested should contact Reeut Singerman or Marina Klaff at ntpurimcarnival@gmail.com

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**Save the Date: Annual Donor Dinner**

Sunday, March 22

NER TAMID SISTERHOOD INVITES YOU TO OUR PAID-UP MEMBERSHIP DINNER AND A MOVIE

Monday, January 19, 2015, 6:30 pm at Ner Tamid.

We will be showing “Everything is Illuminated” by Jonathan Safran Foer. Dinner will be from David Chu’s China Bistro.

Admission: $10.00 for members who have paid their membership dues in full and $15 for non-members/husbands.

**RSVP by Thursday, January 15 2015.**

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**Honor a special occasion or the memory of a loved one by sponsoring a Kiddush or Shalosh Seudos.**

For more information, call Max Jacob at 410-358-6500
Weekly Classes

- **Shabbos morning:** Parsha overview before davening at 8:45 am
- **Shabbos afternoon:** 50 minutes before Mincha. We will study the Book of Melachim (Kings) - NO CLASS THIS WEEK EARLY MINCHA AND EXTENDED SHALOSH SEUDOS. OUR SCHOLAR IN RESIDENCE WILL BE SPEAKING

Sunday morning **Talmud class** after Shacharis
- **Sunday Kuzari class** will take place at 7 PM.
- Every morning following Shacharis: **Daily Halacha** and 15 minutes on **Chassidic thought**.
- Every evening following Maariv: Five Minutes of **parsha preparation** with the commentaries of Rabbi Naftali Tzvi Yehuda Berlin (The Netziv) with Rabbi Motzen.
- For men of the Young Adults and Families—**The Book of Bereshis**—Wednesdays at 8:30 pm in the Youth Lounge.

**Rabbi's Blog:** New Topic on the Rabbi's Blog! Around 150 years ago, a scholar by the name Rabbi Shlomo Ganzfried wrote a revolutionary book, the Kitzur Shulchan Aruch/ The Abridged Version of the Jewish Code of Law. He somehow managed to capture the essence of all the sections of Jewish Law and condensed it into one small volume. I will be posting an abridged version of each law and will mention when other major authorities disagree with his opinion.

You can find the Rabbi’s blog on our website, [www.nertamid.net](http://www.nertamid.net). Be sure to sign up for a daily email of the blog.

Contributions

Please support our Shul with your donations to the various contribution funds that we have. They all should be supported for your various simchas and memorable occasions. Contact the office at (410)358-6500 to do so. **We really appreciate your donations!!**

**Ner Tamid Synagogue Fund:**
- Gloria Galperin, in memory of her beloved mother, Bessie M. Schleider
- Roberta Goldman, in memory of her beloved mother, Evelyn Schuman
- Bunny Rosenthal, to Paul Venze and family, in memory of your beloved daughter
- Marsha Pashen, in memory of her beloved aunt, Freda Pashen and father, Nathan Pashen
- Flora Smith, in memory of her beloved mother, Betty R. Sosner
- Myrna Claire, in memory of her beloved son, Stuart Dennis Portney
- The Plunka Family, to Mindy and Marc Dickler, wishing them Mazel Tov on the marriage of their daughter Shoshana to Adam Leo
- Abraham Kaplansky, in memory of his beloved mother, Tauba Kaplansky
- Sheila Silver, in memory of her beloved mother, Pearl Gorbaty

**Rabbi Herschel Leibowitz Sefer Torah Fund:**
- Ruth Leibowitz, to Stephanie Yoffee, wishing her a Happy Birthday; and to Bunny Rosenthal, wishing her a Refuah Shelaima, a speedy and complete recovery

**Ner Tamid Youth Fund:**
- Sybil Barer, to Stephanie Yoffee, with love and wishes for a Happy Birthday

**Ner Tamid Pulpit Fund:**
- Marsha and Herman Glassband, in honor of their granddaughter Laura Seiden's safe return from Israel

Note: Contributions received later than Wednesday afternoon may not appear until next week's Shabbos Sheet
Ner Tamid Events & Information

Kid Chefs - Sunday mornings 9:30 - 11 am, Students ages 6 - 12, Cooking classes for children in a safe learning environment that encourages discovery and creativity. $7.50 for individual classes. Register on http://nertamid.net/kid-chefs-2014-2015

January 11 - Rolled Lasagna  February 1 - Dips & Sauces (Guacamole, Salsa etc.)

January 10 — Saturday night learning at Ner Tamid, 7 pm with Ohr Chadash Academy

Sunday, January 25 — Coppermine Fieldhouse party

Lil’ Sisterhood Meetings: January 4, February 1, March 1, and March 22

Monday, January 19 — Sisterhood Paid Members Dinner and a Movie

Sunday, January 18 — Red Cross Blood Drive, 9 am—2:30 pm, contact Dr. Stan Gelber, 410-653-0122

Upcoming Brotherhood Event: Jewish Culture... with a Twist
1/11  Israeli style dinner and thought provoking film @ 6pm “Under the Same Sun” on the Palestinian-Israeli conflict @ 7pm
http://nertamid.net/under-the-same-sun-thought-provoking-dinner-and-movie/
2/21  60’s night—with lecture by Rabbi David Katz
3/15  Chagall, Wine and Cheese
6/14  Night of Klezmer

Upcoming Lil’ Sisterhood Meetings: January 4, February 1, March 1, and March 22

We are planning a Kiddush in honor of Henry Robinson’s retirement on January 17. We welcome sponsorships of $18 and up. The sponsorships will cover the cost of the Kiddush and a monetary gift to Henry for his years of service at Ner Tamid. Call the office to be a sponsor!

(If you already paid toward the proposed kiddush in 2013 we have kept a record. Please call the office to see if we already have your payment recorded.)

Women’s Dance Class
Ladies, Come join us on TUESDAY evenings for Israeli Folk Dancing!!

7:30 - 8:30: Beginner
8:30 - 9:30: Intermediate
9:30- 10:30: Advanced

Come join in at any time, we’re always reviewing and teaching new dances. If you’ve never seen Israeli Dance before, come just to see what it is and feel free to join in. Come with a friend. Contact Lyn Bendicoff, (410) 764-8322 or bendicoff@gmail.com for more information.

Please Visit our Members

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On-Going Fundraisers:
Amazon Smile Fundraiser
Ner Tamid is pleased to continue our partnership with Amazon Smile. Amazon.com will contribute .5% of your purchase to Ner Tamid. Log onto www.smile.amazon.com when purchasing from Amazon and identify Greenspring Valley Synagogue and Center as the non-profit to which you wish to contribute. Then follow the prompts to purchase.

Ner Tamid History Project
The committee working on the Oral History Project is collecting photos and any memorabilia you have about Ner Tamid. The sooner you can get it to us the better. Over the next several months, we will be doing an oral history and retrospective of Ner Tamid. We will be interviewing our members and collecting artifacts. The end product will be a book or video. People from the committee will be calling you for interviews. If you would like to help, please contact Cerrill Meister at 410 274 6879 (cell) or cmeister6651@aol.com.

Capital Improvements Fund
Ner Tamid has a new and operational Capital Improvements Fund for which donations are requested. Projects, such as the boiler project, are funded by these donations. Please donate what you can and help keep the infrastructure of Ner Tamid remain sound on an ongoing basis.

Lil' Sisterhood at Ner Tamid
The Ner Tamid Sisterhood has initiated the creation of a Lil' Sisterhood to empower our young girls as future leaders and the creative life force of Ner Tamid's future generation.

The Lil' Sisterhood will engage young girls' (age 5-12) creative and imaginative energies in exciting new ways strengthening their Jewish identity. Special crafts projects related to the Chagim, family celebrations, and Shul events will not only heighten their participation, but provide them with a sense of pride and accomplishment. Lil' Sisterhood participants will join together by expressing their Jewish identities, develop a positive experience in Jewish observance, and have FUN!

The Lil' Sisterhood will be open to all daughters of Ner Tamid Sisterhood members in good standing. (Membership dues are presently $25 a year). Special craft projects are not only scheduled throughout the year to coincide with Jewish holidays, but on-going projects are envisioned to beautify the shul building.

For more information or to assist in Lil Sisterhood programs contact:
Marina Klaff barash615@yahoo.com or Janet Birman vintagerose2@comcast.net

New Sisterhood Cookbook
Love to cook? Think you make the best chicken in town? Do you read cookbooks from cover to cover like they are a novel? Then this project is for you! The Ner Tamid Sisterhood is putting together a new shul cookbook! We are looking for all kinds of recipes - your grandmother's famous stuffed cabbage, your cousin's favorite salad, the dessert your guests rave about and come back to your house for week after week! We want everything, and we mean everything. Vegan, meat, allergy-free, dairy, pareve, Ashkenaz, Sephardic, we want it all! Don't forget to give us your name and where the recipe is from so we can credit you appropriately.

Sonia Ostrow will be collecting the recipes, and you can send them to her two ways: email - hostrow@verizon.net, and snail mail - Sonia Ostrow 3021 Fallstaff Rd. Unit 208 B Baltimore, MD 21209.
NEW MEMBERSHIP PRICES

Membership Rates are increasing as of January 2015.

Rates for 2015
- Family: $680
- Single: $500
- Under 35: $350
- Associate: $330

Join Ner Tamid!
Get your first year of Membership at a discount:
- Family: $455
- Single: $335
- Under 35: $200

Do a Mitzvah and Get Paid
Help an elderly couple attend the Sefardic Minyan
Walk them to and from Ner Tamid on Shabbos
Must be able to push a wheelchair

For details call Bahareh Imanoel
443-540-2849

To Reach Rabbi Motzen:
Office: 410-358-6500 Cell: 410-775-6689
Email: yisrael.motzen@gmail.com
To schedule a meeting with the Rabbi, please call or email.

- Sisterhood Mitzvah Cards: To have a Sisterhood mitzvah card sent, contact Rona Raskin at (410) 486-3305. Prices: $3/card or $8/pack of 5.
- Ladies Tehillim Group Needs You! Every Tuesday at 7 pm. For more information call Sybil Barer (410) 358-1695 or Ruth Leibowitz at 410-358-4253.