Weekly Highlights

March 21, 2015 / I Nisan, 5775

Parshas Tzav / Shabbos HaGadol

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Shabbos HaGadol Drasha Part 1: “Four Sons and their Questions”, Part 1 of 4

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Welcome the Boy Scouts to Ner Tamid this Shabbos!

This Shabbos Afternoon: “Exploring the Meaning of the Haggadah” at 6:10 pm
Rabbi Motzen will review the Haggadah with classic as well as contemporary commentaries. The class will take place 50 minutes before Mincha. (no Navi class)

Don’t forget to get your Sale of Chametz forms to the office ASAP

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<td>FRIDAY, APRIL 3 -</td>
<td>Last Time Eating Chametz: 10:29 AM</td>
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<td>Last time to Burn Chametz: 11:42 AM (see Page 2 for information)</td>
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For more Pesach information please see visit this link: [http://baltimorejewishlife.com/pdfs/Pesach2015_compressed2.pdf](http://baltimorejewishlife.com/pdfs/Pesach2015_compressed2.pdf)

**It is critical that everyone make an effort to attend the daily minyanim. Thank you!**

**Second Seder at Ner Tamid**
Led by Rabbi Yisrael Motzen
Saturday night, April 4th @ 8 PM

If you are eligible to receive the free box of Matzah from Giant or whichever stores are giving it away, Ner Tamid will be happy to accept the Matzah for our Second Seder. Thank you!
Welcome New Member:
Rachel and Joel Avrunin and family

Condolences:
To Neil Frater on the passing of his beloved father, our member, Dr. Alvin Frater

To Bernice Sakols on the passing of her beloved son, Dr. Eliot Israel. In mourning at 6205 Lincoln Avenue

Annual Chametz Burning
The Chesed Fund/Project Ezra invites the community to the Annual Baltimore Chametz Burning.

Where: Pimlico Race Course Clubhouse Parking Lot
When: Friday, April 3, 2015 from 6:30-11:30 am
Suggested Donation: $4

Only chametz and food trash will be accepted. Bulk trash must be brought to your district's drop-off center. We ask that chametz be burned either unwrapped or wrapped in paper bags, not plastic, styrofoam, or aluminum foil.

Unopened containers of unexpired chametz will be collected by Park Heights Renaissance to distribute to needy families in Southern Park Heights. This collection is approved by Rabbi Moshe Heinemann. Many thanks to the Vaad Hakashrus for sponsoring the Chametz Burning for the past 32 years. For more information, please call 410-733-2754 or visit our website chesedfund.com.

New Shul Directory
The new 2015 Membership Directory and Ad Journal from the Donor Dinner is now available for pick up in the Shul office.

Ner Tamid Groups
Tiny Tots (Room 1 downstairs). Morah Sandra Burstyn, Morah Leah Marks, Morah Cindy Richards
Gan (Room 11). Pre-K and Kindergarten. Morah Rachel Shar
Junior Minyan (Room 6). 1st and 2nd grade. Morah Orit Gnatt
Tween Minyan (Room 9). 3rd – 6th grade Chaim Wolfish

All groups will run as normal on Pesach, with the exception of the 3 - 6 grade group, which will not be open on the first 2 days of Pesach.

In order to serve our shul, we must have sponsors for the kiddush and Shalosh Seudos

To sponsor a Kiddush or Shalosh Seudos
In honor of a special occasion or in memory of a loved one
Or for ANY OCCASION
call Max Jacob at 410-358-6500

Member price $700
Non Members $800
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:
Hanna Berger, in memory of her beloved mother, Claire Sanford
Harriet Cohen, in memory of her beloved husband, Bernard Cohen
Ina Schwob, in memory of her beloved grandfather, Jacob Klotzman
Harold Lieber, in memory of his beloved brother, Jack William Lieber
Harry Deitchman, in memory of his beloved mother-in-law, Annie Scheinen
Berry Alpern, in memory of her beloved father, Solomon Oletskey
Jerome Scherr, in memory of his beloved brother, Herbert Scherr and wife, Beatrice Scherr
Melinda McCaferty, in memory of her beloved grandfather, Samuel Milstein
Beth Marrus, in memory of her beloved husband, Marc Marrus
Michael Scherr, in memory of his beloved mother, Beatrice Scherr
Gilbert Zemlak, in memory of his beloved father, Alex Zemlak
Elliott Schwartz, in memory of his beloved mother, Goldie Schwartz and father, Henry Schwartz
Bunny Rosenthal, to Neil Frater, in memory of his father, Dr. Al Frater
Dr. and Mrs. Michael Feinstein, to Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Gelber and family, in memory of Alan Lewis Gelber
Fran and Henry Reitberger, to Sarah and Gurion Rosendorff, in honor of their new grandson; to Naomi and Carl Lazerow, in honor of their new grandson; to Jill and Bruce Blumenthal, in honor of the engagement of their son Avi
Cerrill Meister, to Neil Frater, with sympathy on the loss of his father, Dr. Alvin Frater
Suzanne Keilson Friedman and family, condolences to the Gelber family on the passing of Stan’s brother, Alan Gelber; congratulations to the Maine family on their recognition at the Donor Dinner; congratulations to the Scherr family on their recognition at the Donor Dinner; condolences to Neil Frater on the passing of his father, Dr. Al Frater; congratulations to Naomi and Carl Lazerow on the birth of a grandson; congratulations to Jill and Bruce Blumenthal on the engagement of their son Avi
Sylvia and Myron Bagan, to Neil Frater, in memory of his father, Dr. Alvin Frater
Harry Ostrow, in memory of his beloved brother, Morton Ostrow
Paula Porter, in memory of his beloved brother, Abraham Glazer
Harriet Eppel, in memory of her beloved sister, Shirley Shpritz, and in memory of her beloved father, Benjamin Meyers
Jerrold Keilson and Ellen Silver, in memory of his mother, Estelle Keilson, and in gratitude to Rabbi Motzen for his support of Sheldon and Suzanne and family

Ner Tamid Youth Fund:
Sybil Barer, to the Gelber family, in memory of their beloved Alan Gelber; to Jill and Bruce Blumenthal, in honor of the engagement of their son Avi to Elana Drabkin

Ner Tamid Pulpit Fund:
Martin Sussman, to Stanley Gelber, condolences on the loss of his brother
Michael Benson, in memory of his beloved father, Rabbi Arthur Benson, his brother Leslie Alan Benson, and his stepfather, Augustus Selis
Suzanne Keilson Friedman and family, to Rabbi Motzen and family, with condolences on the passing of his grandfather, Chazzan Rosenblatt

*The Keilson Family expresses gratitude for all of the support we have received from the Ner Tamid community during this difficult time.*

Contributions received after 12:00 PM on Wednesday, March 26 will appear in the Shabbos Sheet of April 17.

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Weekly Classes

- Shabbos morning: Parsha overview before davening at 8:45 am
- Shabbos afternoon: 45 minutes before Mincha. We will study the Book of Melachim (Kings)
- There will be no Talmud class until April 19th at which point the class will focus on an in-depth understanding of the laws of Berachos
- Sunday Kuzari class - AFTER MINCHA AND MAARIV
- Every morning following Shacharis: Daily Halacha and 15 minutes on Chassidic thought.
- Every evening following Maariv: Five Minutes of parsha preparation

Rabbi's Blog: Around 150 years ago, a scholar by the name Rabbi Shlomo Ganzfried wrote a revolutionary book, the Kitzur Shulehan 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. Be sure to sign up for a daily email of the blog. This week’s topic is the Laws of Passover

Upcoming Pesach Classes with Rabbi Motzen

4/4 - The teachings of Rav Avraham Yitzchak Kook
4/5 - The teachings of Rav Aharon Kotler
4/10 - The teachings of Rav Yosef Soloveitchik

Contributions, Continued

Max and Irene Jacob Fund:
Mark and Karen Schwartzman, to Neil Frater, in memory of his father, Dr. Al Frater

Rabbi Herschel Leibowitz Sefer Torah Fund:
Lilane and Abraham D. Elgamil, to Dr. Stanley and Gwen Gelber and family, in memory of Stan’s brother Alan
Binyamin and Stephanie Yoffee, to Bernice Sakols, in memory of her beloved son, Dr. Eliot Israel

Burstyn Holocaust Education Fund:
Dina and Arie Glazer, to Neil Frater, in memory of his father, Dr. Alvin Frater; to Linda Burstyn and family, wishing a Refuah Shelaima to her sister Leah bat Esther

Capital Improvements Fund:
Mark Goldman, in memory of his beloved mother, Estelle Goldman

Important Notice: The Shul Office will be closed for Pesach, starting Wednesday, April 1. The office will reopen Monday, April 13.

If you have an emergency, please contact the Rabbi on his cell phone (410) 775-6689.
**Book Club**
Everyone is invited to the next Shul Book Group, April 25, 2015 after Kiddush. We will be discussing “Ishmael's Oranges” by Claire Hajaj. Please come prepared with your questions and insights. Light lunch will be served. The cost is $7 and a check should be sent to the Shul office or check the website to pay by PayPal no later than Monday, April 20th.

**Women's Dance Class (Israeli Folk Dancing)**
Ladies, Come join us on TUESDAY evenings
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.

**Donor Dinner**
Thank you to the co-chairs of this year's Donor Dinner, Sharie Blum and Barry List, the office staff, and all the volunteers for making the dinner a great success! Congratulations to our honorees, Jerry Scherr, Michael and Janet Scherr and the recipients of our Young Leadership Award, Dr. David Maine and Dr. Rachelle Smith-Maine

**Ner Tamid Office News**
We would like to publicly thank Devorah Messing and Milana Rabinowitz who have been the behind-the-scene force of the shul for many years. We sincerely appreciate their dedication and their hard work to make sure everything was always done professionally and smoothly. Thank you and continued success in all of your endeavors!!

We would also like to welcome Yehudis Gruber to our shul office. Yehudis comes to us with solid office experience and has worked with various Jewish organizations. We look forward to having her on our team. Please stop by and introduce yourself!

**Community Notice**
Fire and Safety Presentation
Hosted by the Office of Council President Bernard C. “Jack” Young, Office of the Fire Marshall and Fire Prevention Bureau, and JewishFirePrevention.org

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**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](http://www.amazon.com) will contribute .5% of your purchase to Ner Tamid. Log onto [www.smile.amazon.com](http://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.

**Youth Programs:**
**Pre School Toy drive on Toys R Us web page.** There is a Ner Tamid Wish List to order toys. [www.Toysrus.com/wishlist/index.jsp](http://www.Toysrus.com/wishlist/index.jsp) and enter wish list # 36507360
The toys can be shipped directly to Ner Tamid or we can pick them up at the Owings Mills Toys R Us

**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 created 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 engages 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 is 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**
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 Road, Unit 208B, Baltimore, MD 21209.

**What is the Sisterhood?**
The Ner Tamid Sisterhood is an all volunteer organization dedicated to promoting Jewish values, education, and social connections within the shul and surrounding community. With our new Lil’ Sisterhood our membership ranges from 5 years old to 120 years old! Our programming includes mitzvah projects, museum trips, family bingo, dinners, community wide lunches and more.

For more information, contact Gabrielle Burger, Sisterhood President at 443-929-6747 or gabrielle.burger@gmail.com
NEW MEMBERSHIP PRICES

Membership Rates have increased as of January 2015.

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

NEW MEMBERS—FIRST YEAR PRICES
Get your first year of Membership at a discount:
Family: $455
Single: $335
Under 35: $200

All members will pay $10 per month toward the
Building Renewal as voted on in November 2014

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.