Shabbos Times
Candle Lighting: 8:19 PM
Mincha: 7:00 PM
Rav Nachman: 8:45 AM
Shacharis: 9:00 AM by David Joseph
Latest Shema: 9:26 AM
Torah Reading: Chukas page 856 read by Rabbi Bendicoff & Dr. Todd Burstyn
Haftorah: Page 1189 read by Ray Rosenblatt
Mussaf: David Joseph
Chumash Class: 7:15 PM
Mincha: 8:05 PM
Maariv/Havdallah: 9:26 PM

Weekday Times
Fast of 17 Tammuz: Sunday July 1st
Begin: 4 AM
Ends: 9:27 PM
Mincha 8:10 PM
Shacharis
Sunday 8:30 AM
Monday & Thursday 6:30 AM
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 6:45 AM

Mincha
Monday-Thursday: 6:50 PM
Friday: 7:00 PM

Classes Times
Talmud: No class
Chassidus: Every morning after Shacharis
Chabura: No Class
NEW! The book of Bereishis: Thursday mornings at 11 AM
Parsha in the PM: No Classes for the summer

Sermons and classes can be found @ nertamid.net and on iTunes

Parshas Balak
Kiddush is sponsored by:
Myron and Sylvia Bagan in memory of Myron's mother, Pearl Bagan, and in honor of Myron and Sylvia's new granddaughter, Shoshana

Shalosh Seudos is sponsored by:
Sylvia and Robin Karlin in memory of their beloved mother, grandmother and great-grandmother Goldie Gindes and Ida Hoss

The office will be closed for drop off the entire week during the renovations. We will be available to answer calls and emails.

There are a few more slots available for the renovation project, please sign up @ nertamid.net/office-renovation-project/
No experience necessary.

Upcoming Lecture Series:
#ME TOO
1st Lecture will be held on July 9 at 7:45 PM at the home of Naomi Lazerow 3021 Fallstaff Road #606B
**Membership News**

**Condolences** to the Berlin family on the passing of our member Rose Berlin

**Mazel Tov** to Ayala Weinberg on her son Dr. Yosef Tzvi Weinberg graduating from Technion Medical School, and on his recent marriage to Dr. Sophie Esther Nemzow Weingrod

We observe the following Yahrtzeits:

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**Kidz Corner**

**Tiny Tots** 2-3 year olds  
*Morah Margalit Tiede in Classroom 1*  

**Gan 4 year olds** - Kindergarten  
*Morah Rachel Shar in Classroom 11*

**Junior Minyan** 1st and 2nd Grades  
*Morah Naomi Kastner in Classroom 6*

**Tween Minyan** 3rd-6th Grades  
*Daniel Fialkoff in Classroom 9*

**Cocoa and Mishnah** 10 AM  
*Shmuz and Snacks in Room 7*

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**Children's Jewish Book Drive**

Ner Tamid Youth is looking for new and gently used children's books (age appropriate for preschool and elementary school) for the Ner Tamid Children's book nook in the upstairs hallway. Please drop the books in the box under the flyer rack in the hallway youth corner.

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**Experienced Group Leaders Needed - Referral fee available**

Ner Tamid Congregation, which is in the Greenspring neighborhood in Baltimore, is looking for Shabbos/Holiday morning group leaders for preschool, and 3 - 6 grade coed group. The jobs may also include an option for extra work as assistant to the youth director. Pay is commensurate with experience.

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**Boy Scout Scholarship Fund:**

Ner Tamid's Troop 1299 runs an all-volunteer program for boys which gives them leadership skills, confidence and more. The summer camp program is an important part of the troop. Many of their achievements are accomplished at summer camp. We need your help for boys whose families can afford to pay for part but not all of the camp costs.  
[https://www.youcaring.com/boysintroop1299nertamidcongregation-1179531](https://www.youcaring.com/boysintroop1299nertamidcongregation-1179531)
Events Continued

Office Demo and Rebuild  
*July 1-5*

Roll up your sleeves and come help us as we redo our shul office TOGETHER! No experience necessary.

Call or email the office at nertamid613@comcast.net to sign up for a time slot or register online at nertamid.net/office-renovation-project/

Ner Tamid Vegetable Giving Garden
We need your help to keep it going!
Please contact Dr. Michael Klaff at mbklaff@comcast.net

Ahavas Yisrael Donor Matching Campaign  
*Launching on July 2!*

Call center volunteers are still very much needed! Please consider giving an hour of your time to help by signing up here:https://www.volunteersignup.org/YRYFA
Your support on July 2nd will help ensure that Baltimore community members receive assistance when they need it most with utmost discretion and sensitivity.

Tizku L’mitzvos!

Bike Race for Bikur Cholim  
*Sunday July 29*

Bruce Blumenthal will be Bike riding and would like to be the captain of the Ner Tamid team. If you can't ride, any donation will be appreciated.

Ner Tamid Mother-Daughter Chavrusa Program  
*Tuesday, October 9th at 7:30pm at Ner Tamid*

Girls aged 10-13 and their mothers will study great Jewish women based on the internationally acclaimed MATAN curriculum, a mix of text-based learning and hands-on activities.

10-session weekly program
Cost is $150 for members, $175 for non-members
Space is limited to 10 mother-daughter pairs, so sign up now!
nertamid.net/mother-daughter-chavrusa-program/
Questions? Email debbie@blankpageadvisory.com
Thank you to all those who made donations this week!

**Synagogue Fund:**
Susan Hochberg in memory of her beloved father, Elmer Newhouse
Ruth Greenfeld in memory of her beloved father, Richard Hellman
Stuart Renbaum in memory of his beloved father, Isaac Morris Renbaum
Bernard and Esther Cohen in memory of Theodore Setren
Philip Marcus in memory of his beloved brothers, Michael, Hershel, and Gilbert Marcus
Cookie Pass in memory of her beloved mother, Hannah Tannebaum, her beloved brother, Stanley Bernard Tannebaum and her beloved mother-in-law, Katie Pass
Nancy Benson in memory of her beloved father, Paul Heller
Nelida Maslow in memory of her beloved husband, Jack Maslow
Mary Siegel in memory of her beloved husband, Marvin Siegel
Wendy Klein-Schwartz in memory of Bertha Klein, Ethel Klein, and Abraham Klein
Dena Polsky in memory of her beloved father, Jack Markow
David Eppel in memory of his beloved brother, Sidney Eppel
Harry Burstyn in memory of his beloved aunt, Frimet Burstyn; beloved uncle, Dovid Tzvi Burstyn; and beloved grandmother, Esther Burstyn
Marilyn Holzman in memory of her beloved father, Morris Kessler
Miss Adele and Miss Marsha Pashen in memory of their beloved grandmother, Ida Rosenbloom
Bluma Saks in memory of her beloved husband, Jacob Saks

**Max and Irene Jacob Fund:**
Henry and Fran Reitberger in honor of Max Jacob, Refuah Sheleimah, we miss you

**Youth Fund:**
Bill Saks in memory of his beloved father, Jacob Saks

Looking for a Shabbos meal? Look no further! Contact Deborah Hamburger at dhamburger@comcast.net for a fabulous Shabbos meal at one of our members.

Need a ride? Would you like a visit? Look no further! Contact Harriet Jacob at 301-758-8829 for more details.
Meet Kenneth and Susan Besser!

How did you first hear about NT?
We checked out NT when we moved to Baltimore in 2005. We were fully frummed-up at that time and landed in Shomrei where Ken davened until we moved back to Memphis in 2008. When we moved back to Baltimore, we wanted to be wherever Rabbi Motzen was because he impressed us at our daughter’s wedding to a Baltimore boy Ephraim Rose.

What is your religious background? Susan’s mother died when Susan was 8, so she was reared with almost no Jewish practice except her father made sure they had Friday night dinner where Susan lit candles, after which her little brother made kiddush and her little sister said Hamotzi. Not much more. Ken’s father was raised Orthodox in Little Rock, Arkansas, but their family moved to Natchez, Mississippi, which only had a temple. Ken’s mother, who was not Jewish, kept a kosher home for Ken’s dad by shipping meat and chicken down from Kipper’s Deli in Memphis. When it came time for Ken’s bar mitzvah, the rabbi in Natchez wouldn’t teach him to daven and lain, so Ken went to the Memphis Hebrew Academy for two and a half years and lived a shomer kashrus and shomer shabbos life in yeshiva. After his bar mitzvah, Ken was recalled back to a less observant life in Mississippi, where he graduated high school a year and a half early and then started his first business in Jackson, Mississippi. Ken didn’t know it, but his b’sheret, Susan, was going to medical school and signing in the temple choir in the same city. A nice lady named Shirley Webber fixed the couple of singles up into a single couple and the rest, is history. Seven years later, Ken and Susan moved to Nashville got makereved into Chabad for two years and then leaned closer to modern orthodoxy after moving back to Memphis. Since then, we have swung on a pendulum; sometimes on the “mo” side and other times on the “dern” side of modern orthodoxy. We have labels, however, and we much prefer to say, “All Jews are Jews; some just choose to observe more or less or different halachot than others.”

What do you do for a living? Susan practices family medicine. Ken practices lifecycle law, he helps people integrate their personal, work and legal spheres, from the cradle to the grave and before and beyond Anything unusual you could tell us about yourselves? When we married, we intended to never have children. Then, somehow, we ended up having six. Julius went to Israel for shana alef and got a Sarah, his wife, semicha, and our first grandchild in shana hey, vuv, and zayin and their second kid three years ago. Now he practices law with Ken in Memphis. Yitzchak just finished his first year of law school at UBalt Law. Gittel is a Master Social Worker who is married to a Phillie boy and they live in Bergenfield, New Jersey, where they are raising two daughters. Shmuel, skipped high school, graduated from Landers College at Touro, married a Staten Island shaitel macher and photographer, Danielle, and they have graced us with two more grandkids. Tzipporah lives and practices interior design and architecture in Baltimore and her husband, Ephraim is in home construction. Binyamin got a fire protection engineer degree from College Park, married a federal analyst, and they live in DC.

What part of NT are you most excited about getting involved? Rabbi Motzen is the first rabbi who does not put Susan to sleep during his Shabbos drasha, so we are quite passionate about hearing him whenever we can. We catch his podcast as much as we can when we miss his talks. We are both looking forward to being more active in the Brotherhood and Sisterhood.