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BRINGING JUDAISM TO LIFE

THE 2023 LEGACY FUNDRAISER

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Honoring **David and Lorna Isenberg** as the 2023 recipients
of the Bob Zimmerman Community Leadership Award

Saturday, March 11, 2023 at 7:00 PM at Herzl-Ner Tamid

Join us for havdallah, music, food, cocktails and fun at this festive adults only event.

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A Message from Rabbi Jacob Herber



Rabbi Jacob Herber

Judaism has never been a religion. It's a hybrid of religious ethos and belief and peoplehood. This hybrid has core values which include rituals, sacred days, and a mode of living in ordinary time and place. Judaism is *more* than a religion – it's a lens through which we view *all* of life. We're called upon to care about all mitzvot from those related to ritual to how we treat others to how we interact with the natural world around us.

Our tradition has a much to say about our religious obligation to care for the natural world in which we live. Genesis states that Adam's task is "*l'avodah u'leshmorah haaretz*" – to serve and guard the Land. From the very beginning human beings we given the responsibility to actively care for the earth. It's a God given vocation, one as sacred as any other mitzvah. To help us maintain our awareness of the sacred in the natural world Rabbi Meir, one of the great Sages of the Talmud, suggests that we recite one hundred blessings over the course of the day. Rabbi Meir believed that by reciting blessings over the food we eat and the natural wonders we encounter, we'll become more aware of the spiritual dimension of nature and be more likely to take part in its preservation. As the Midrash says, "See My works, how fine and excellent they are! All that I have created, for you have I created it. Consider this and do not destroy and desolate My world, for if you corrupt it, there is no one to set it right

after you." (Ecclesiastes Rabbah 7: 13). God created the world for us as a Divine gift, and we're the ones who have the responsibility to choose whether to preserve it or be indifferent to it. This isn't just a matter of politics or "environmentalism," it's a spiritual matter that must be addressed.

There is also a spiritual *benefit* to caring for the environment. Rabbi Samson Raphael Hirsch, the father of Orthodoxy, once wrote that caring for the natural world will help us realize that there is "one glorious chain of love, of giving and receiving, [which] unites all living beings." In other words, the true essence of the *Shema* and our belief in monotheism is that there is something beyond us that links us all. This spiritual element can be discovered and observed when we care for other living organisms – all of which were ultimately God's creation. Every morning in our prayers we praise God as "the One who in goodness renews the work of Creation daily." We affirm that God is the active provider of the bounties of nature and that God is ever present and in all things. As agents in the preservation of nature we uplift ourselves spiritually in the process.

There are also specific commandments that relate to the mandate to preserve the natural world. For example, we're commanded through the principle of *zza'ar ba'alei hayim*, to be caring and kind to animals. The Talmud

tells us that the true test of the kindness of a person is not how one treats other people, but how one treats animals over which he has ultimate control. Another commandment *baal tashhit*, forbids us to waste things. Needless destruction, even for convenience, is seen as an affront to God. That's why we are expected to do our best not to waste natural resources in our and to oppose both corporate and governmental policies that promote needless waste. At home we can be especially careful when recycling and we can repurpose items by donating them to people in need instead of throwing them away. Reducing our use of natural resources like gas, oil and water is also important. Simple things like not letting the water run while we wash our dishes or brush our teeth or making sure we program your thermostat so that it's only on when you need it can make a big difference in conserving natural resources and reducing our carbon footprint. As Deborah Rubin Fields once wrote, "For the believing Jew, preserving the planet is not an end

in itself, but part of a greater plan that encompasses the whole of one's existence. This greater plan is laid out in Jewish law, based in the Torah. One may feel doubly rewarded by living a life of *mitzvot* [commandments], and, within this context, living an environmentally sound existence."

During the Hebrew month of *Shevat*, which begins in late January it's customary to be focused on the environment because of the *Tu B'shevat*, the holiday of the trees. In this spirit let's try to incorporate a new practice in our life that furthers our commitment to the Jewish value of preserving the natural world. In doing so, we can fulfill a *mitzvah*, help care for our world, and create another opportunity to partner with God. All at the same time!



-RABBI JACOB HERBER

Thank God It's Shabbat (TGIS)

Friday, January 13 • 6:00 PM at HNT

Join us for Thank God It's Shabbat (TGIS) on January 13th at 6:00pm at HNT for Shabbat services and dinner! TGIS builds community and creates new friendships! A special pre-oneg starts at 5:30 PM for those wanting to schmooze before the service. TGIS is for all FRS families. Open to everyone in the congregation and beyond. Bring your family and friends. The expense for TGIS per family is included in the FRS tuition for third through fifth graders and their immediate family. Thanks to Purple Beet Catering and Lirit Maslan-Ziv for dinner! 3rd - 5th graders will lead parts of the Shabbat service. Here's the link to sign up and for more information:

<https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/form/TGIS%20on%20January%202013>



Scholar in Residence Weekend With Imam Abdullah Antepli and Rabbi Jeffrey K. Salkin

March 17-19

Join us for a series of conversations centered around how Muslims and Jews can learn from each other.

Stay tuned for more details.

[Learn more](#)

THE 2023 LEGACY FUNDRAISER

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WELCOME HOME!

COME JOIN THE PARTY!



Join HNT for a fun night of havdallah, music, cocktails and food and a celebration honoring **Lorna & David Isenberg** as the recipients of the **Bob Zimmerman Community Leadership Award**.

Enjoy musical performances, food, cocktails and fun at this festive adults-only event.

We are asking for your financial support as we continue caring for our community. As every year, we need your help to fill the gap between annual commitments (dues) and the cost of our spiritual and community programming.

Your presence is warmly appreciated. We hope you join us!

SATURDAY, MARCH 11, 2023 AT 7:00PM

ABOUT THE ISENBERGS

For Lorna and David Isenberg, creating a physical and spiritual place that welcomes friends and strangers is central to who they are as Jews and community leaders. The Isenberg home is where one gathers to eat, drink, laugh and be together in community. Enter their home and David will have one or two bottles of wine open and Lorna will take a freshly baked challah or a pie (probably both) out of the oven. Considering their enthusiastic and eclectic interests and lifelong volunteering, you will often meet someone new and interesting at "Chez Isenberg."

Lorna has served on the HNT Social Action Committee since its inception and has been deeply engaged with the Jewish Federation's Israel and Overseas work. For many years Lorna was the local Jewish "Mother Goose", organizing and providing home hospitality for the many Israeli teens who spent their summer in Seattle as counselors at the SJCC. David has served as Chair of the HNT Ritual Practices Committee, the Social Action Committee, and currently chairs the Endowment Committee. David has served for the last two years as the Board Chair of the Jewish Federation of Greater Seattle.

Professionally, David has been President of the local chapter of Alpha Omega Dental Fraternity and currently serves as Director of Eastside Oral Medicine Study Club. Most important, David is the Team Dentist for the Major League Rugby team, the Seattle Seawolves. Go Seawolves!

Their proudest moments are witnessing their adult children, Kate and Jacob, create similar welcoming spaces for their own growing communities, generously being the first to extend a hand and an invitation.

SUGGESTED DONATION LEVELS

Leadership - \$10,000+:

Any number of reserved parking spaces as needed for the event

Legacy - \$5,000-\$9,999:

Two reserved parking spaces for the event

Sustaining - \$2,500-\$4,999:

One reserved parking space for the event

Sponsoring - \$1,800-\$2,499:

One reserved parking space for the event

Supporting - \$1,000-\$1,799

Contributing - \$500-\$999

Suggested Minimum Donation - \$180 per person

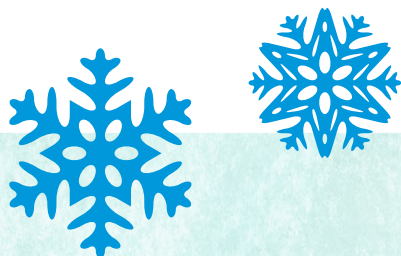
All levels of donations are welcome, however a minimum of \$100 per registrant is appreciated to cover the full cost of the meal, if desired.

RSVP and Donate online at **[H-NT.ORG/LEGACY](https://h-nt.org/legacy)**

HNT's Official Instagram Launch

Do you know that HNT has a new [Instagram](#)?

We're proud to announce the launch of HNT's new Instagram. Follow us to stay connected and learn more about upcoming programs and announcements. Stay tuned for more Instagram stories and posts on your feed. Do you have any suggestions on what we should post on Instagram? Reach out to sosna@h-nt.org for suggestions and comments. <https://www.instagram.com/herzlnertamid/>



Getting To Know You:

Jenn Rosenwald

Member of HNT's Board of Directors

I have been a member of Herzl-Ner Tamid my entire life. I attended FRS and I have the fondest memories of Hebrew High School with those who are still my closest friends today.

My family has always been a supporter of HNT. My dad Bruce was on the Board for many years and likes to volunteer as a greeter during the High Holidays. My mom Marsha was involved with the Sisterhood and owned a favorite HNT catering company, Klass Act Catering. We all love her cooking!!

When my husband Greg and I knew we wanted to raise our children in a community with a strong Jewish identity, we knew HNT was the right place for us. We are surrounded by our families at Herzl-Ner Tamid, and we have always loved that our kids are at FRS with their cousins. That is a very special thing!

I joined the Board of Directors this year with the intent to bring some fresh ideas and thoughts about how to best to involve our young families who are

part of FRS. FRS families want to be involved, want to have fun and want to be part of the overall Herzl-Ner Tamid community. My goal is to help make this happen!

I look forward to continuing to grow our community at Herzl-Ner Tamid. I remember the days of people sitting on the stairs in the sanctuary, and a standing room only in the foyer, because services were so full at the High Holidays. I know we can get back there!

My kids inspire me to work hard for them as a Board of Director member. They love FRS, their teachers and mostly their friends. All 3 of my girls have a strong Jewish identity, and are genuinely interested in learning about their heritage, religion and Israel. Our oldest has become a Bat Mitzvah and we have two more in the coming years. Greg and I want them to continue their HNT journey for many years to come and I hope they choose to be members with their families one day!



B'nai Mitzvah See service times and links on [page 19](#)

Joshua Luis Castellanos • January 28



Joshua is the youngest of 4 children and enjoys, skiing, playing basketball, baseball, football, and golf.... but most of all playing with his dogs Bentley and Louie. Joshua is proud to be a volunteer with the friendship circle www.friendshipcirclewa.org and for his Mitzvah project he is gathering donations of sensory freindly toys and musical instruments for the Freindship Circle team to use during their life changing programs. Donations can be made at www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2QIPB0FGIJTE?ref=cm_sw_em_r_un_un_xnaG9GC2A0Zsk

Eli Benjamin Stoffer • February 4



Eli Benjamin Stoffer, son of Jason & Amanda Stoffer, will be called to the Torah as a Bar Mitzvah on February 4, 2023. He is the grandson of Joel & Diane z”l Druckman and Ronald & Barbara Stoffer, and big brother to Ari and Toby. Eli is currently a seventh grader at Islander Middle School, where his favorite subjects are science, math and computer programming. When not at school he enjoys participating in and watching sports, especially football, where he plays right guard. His other favorite hobbies include swimming, building Legos and watching movies with family.

For his Mitzvah Project, Eli sought to tackle the issue of sports equipment scarcity in less-resourced communities. He collected new and gently used sporting equipment for donation.





Daytimers Lunch & Film Series

Free during the day? Join us for good conversation, tasty lunch, and a Jewish-themed film!

Wednesday, January 18: *The Frisco Kid*

The Frisco Kid is a classic western comedy that follows the adventures of a polish rabbi, Avram Belinski, as he travels from Poland to San Francisco in the 1850s. Avram is sent to serve a congregation in San Francisco, but his journey is filled with unexpected adventures. Along the way, he meets a bank robber, Tommy, who helps him on his journey.

HNT's in-house caterer, Lirit Maslan Ziv of Purple Beet Catering, will prepare the meal for this special program.

Pricing:

Lunch cost \$10/per person early bird (register by January 11) or \$12/per person (when registering after January 11). Lunch is served between 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM, followed by the film.

Film only: free admission, but your registration is still appreciated.

RSVP at <https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/form/Daytimers2023> or call 206-232-8555.

AFFINITY GROUPS

HNT is building community with Affinity Groups, connecting members with shared interests or circumstances. Groups are lay-led, can be virtual or in-person, and can be year-round or seasonal at any frequency.

Current Affinity Groups:

Board Games • Bowling • Challah baking • Cycling • Gardening • Golfing • Hiking • Kayaking • Needle arts (knit, crochet, needlepoint...) • Skiing • Trains (real & model) • Zoom Shabbat Dinners

Sign up at <https://mailchi.mp/h-nt/affinity>



Needlecraft Affinity Group

Thursday, January 12th • 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM in the HNT Skolnick Board Room

Thursday, January 26th • 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM in the HNT Skolnick Board Room

Knit, Crochet and more! The HNT Needle Arts Affinity Group is getting started. This is a wonderful opportunity to socialize with fellow crafters. Bring your projects, learn a new craft or get better at what you know. RSVP to lrok7@msn.com



Message From the President

The Search is on

The search is on for an Assistant Rabbi. This individual will be a critical part of the HNT team, supporting Rabbi Herber and Cantor Kurland in their extensive clerical duties and leading the spiritual growth of the youth of HNT. So, I thought it would be helpful to give you a glimpse of the search process which is well underway.

The first step was to form a committee. We selected a diverse group of congregants, some with extensive experience on previous HNT searches and some with strong connection to the youth of our synagogue. The chair is Aaron Kiviat, Board Executive VP. The other seven members are Aurora Bearse, Michael Berkenwald, Elana Hornstein, Dan Mintz, Judy Neuman, Lindsay O'Neil, and Brooke Pariser. All strong leaders, committed to finding the right person.

As a Conservative synagogue and a member of USCJ – the United Synagogues of Conservative Judaism, we follow the strict Rabbinical Assembly guidelines for rabbinical searches. Essentially, all roads lead through the RA. Potential candidates – both current Rabbis and new graduates from Ziegler or the Jewish Theological Seminary – learn about opportunities and apply through the RA.

The Committee along with extensive input from Rabbi Herber submitted a strong 17-page HNT application borrowing the great work of the last two search teams for the Senior Rabbi and Executive Director and tailoring it to an Assistant Rabbi candidate. This was followed by the Rabbinical Assembly Career Open House which took place remotely via Zoom on December 8th. Each synagogue with a position opening (Rabbi, Assistant Rabbi, or Cantor) was given a three-minute time slot to tease candidates with the attractiveness and uniqueness of their opportunity.

I'm a bit biased, but I thought our presentation went over well. Remember, each synagogue only had 180 seconds to get a message across. Most of the synagogues emphasized how warm and caring a community they have. That's a great message when you're talking one-on-one to a candidate, but it was difficult to differentiate one

synagogue from another with this message. While we did allude to the strength of our community with multi-generational membership and leadership, we focused on the strengths of the Seattle area and the growth of the Jewish Community, especially among the younger Jewish population. We expect this will resonate with a candidate looking to lead our youth.

All presentations were recorded so candidates could listen to them live or view them at their convenience. And they, of course, have access to the 17-page extensive write-up to learn much more about us. We will likely be hearing from the majority of these candidates in January and early February.

I had the privilege of giving our three-minute pitch and thought you would like to hear what we said. So, here it is:

“I'm Mickey Friedman, the President of Herzl-Ner Tamid in Mercer Island, Washington just outside Seattle. I have the privilege of telling you about an Assistant Rabbi position that checks off all the boxes: Challenging clergy responsibilities, leading the youth and our thriving 150 student religious school, mentorship from our Senior Rabbi, autonomy to make your mark by driving exciting youth programs, the opportunity and responsibility to develop deep relationships with our young families and attract new young families to our community, and dedicated support staff to ensure your success.”

What's special about Herzl-Ner Tamid? [Our membership.](#)

We are a traditional, fully egalitarian and welcoming Conservative congregation of 622 member families. There are so many pieces to our thriving community, but I'll name just a few: our mitzvah corps that supports our congregants in need, our social action group that reaches out to the greater community, our core group of minyaners at the morning minyan, a growing set of Affinity group programs that has congregants “playing” together outside of normal HNT activities, and, of course, our thriving religious school.

To give you a flavor of our history and our loyalty, our prior four presidents grew up at HNT, remained in the area, and have had their kids bar or bat mitzvahed here. They grew up in a special community and are committed, as are the rest of our congregants, to keeping it special and evolve with the times.

And then there's the area. We have whatever you like and it's beautiful!

- The Outdoors? We have skiing, hiking, water sports ... all within an hour's drive or less.
- Culture? A grammy-winning symphony, art museums, opera, theatre, and a world class university in UW with all the associated activities.
- Professional sports teams? Seahawks, Mariners, Sounders, Storm, and our newest addition ... the Seattle Kraken hockey team.

As opposed to many communities around the U.S., our young Jewish population is growing. Driven primarily by high tech companies like Microsoft, Amazon, Boeing, satellite offices for Google and Facebook, the number of young Jews attracted to the area continues to rise. As an example, an HNT congregant and Amazon employee started a group called Jews at Amazon which has over 10,000 members. Just great potential.

Why is this Assistant Rabbi opportunity special?

The pandemic brought a rare opportunity to HNT. During Covid, we chose Rabbi Jacob Herber to succeed our Rabbi Emeritus, Jay Rosenbaum. Rabbi Herber has done a tremendous job leading us for these last two challenging years. We hired a new Executive Director who has been with us a year. And we have a beloved Cantor of 38 years to

help us maintain the ties to the past. Coming out of the pandemic, Rabbi Herber is building his team to lead us into the future. We're looking for an Assistant Rabbi to complement this team and really be that strong spiritual connection to the youth of our congregation.

We have an opportunity to build a bridge for young families taking our children from early age through their b'nai mitzvah years and have them become willing, active and engaged members of the congregation. And bringing their parents along with them. We see the Assistant Rabbi as building this bridge.

If you want to roll up your sleeves and plant new seeds, please explore this incredible opportunity with us. ”

So, that was the pitch, and, hopefully, that's a great kickstart to the search.

If you hear from family or friends around the country of any current Rabbis that might be a good fit for HNT, please do not contact them directly but let Aaron or Rabbi Herber know so they can follow-up through proper channels. Also, expect ongoing updates and connections from Aaron and his search Team, the first of which is also in this HaKol. Be on the lookout for how you can be involved in this process and this exciting time at HNT.



– MICKEY FRIEDMAN,
PRESIDENT, HNT BOARD OF DIRECTORS



Rabbi Assistant Search Committee News

We are happy to announce that the Assistant Rabbi Search is underway and moving quickly! At the beginning of December, the Search Committee spent significant time preparing and posting HNT's Questionnaire onto the Rabbinical Assembly's Job Board. This is the website used by the Conservative movement to post vacancies to job seeking rabbis. A delegation from HNT then attended a virtual Rabbinical Assembly Job Fair where we were able to present to a large group of potential candidates. We then had the opportunity to meet with several interested candidates in a breakout room to discuss HNT's posting. Finally, we are pleased to announce that we have already begun the interview process with our first Assistant Rabbi candidate.

We look forward to keeping the community up to speed on how the search progresses in the near future.

Committee members:

Aaron Kiviat
Aurora Bearse
Brooke Pariser
Lindsay O'Neil
Dan Mintz
Mickey Friedman
Rabbi Jacob Herber
Elana Hornstein
Michael Berkenwald
Judy Neuman





Social Action Opportunities

Teen Feed

Captain Needed

Help us provide dinner for 60 homeless teens. Email TeenFeed@h-nt.org to be added to our monthly email list, and to let them know if you want to cook, or purchase, items and deliver to the home of this month's Teen Feed leader. For additional details and location information, check out: <https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/event/teen-feed5.html>

Congregations for the Homeless Shelter Meals

Captained by Kari Hass (date TBD)

The shelter serves 100 men each night and needs lot of help to keep everyone well fed. Food is dropped off outside, so it's easier than ever to help. Sign up to be a captain at <https://tinyurl.com/5n8nyan4> or email ShelterMeals@h-nt.org to learn how easy it is to captain a meal with a group of friends.

Elizabeth Gregory Home Monthly Second Sunday Lunch

Captain Needed!

This facility acts as a permanent address for so many in need of social services, job applications, etc... as well as providing access showers, laundry, computers, and referrals for needed services. We provide a hot lunch for 25-30 which can be dropped off Friday afternoon or Sunday morning by 10:30 AM in the U District, or arrange an earlier drop off with the captain(s). To sign up as a host, please go here: <https://tinyurl.com/5n8nyan4> to participate by bringing a dish

Birthday Dreams for MLK Day of Service

Monday, January 16, 1:30 PM - 4:00 PM in Renton

Birthday Dreams wants to ensure that every child gets to experience this occasion, no matter their circumstances. This organization has fulfilled more than 5,000 birthday dreams for children experiencing homelessness in our community.

Work with your fellow HNT community to help create a great birthday party experience for homeless children by making our custom "Pin the Candle on the Cupcake" party game. Other opportunities to help during the session will depend on needs but may include wrapping gifts, organizing toys, and sorting candy, to name a few.

Register here <https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/event/Birthday-Dreams>





Social Action Shout Outs



Coat Drive for Leschi Elementary & ROOTS Shelter

Thank you to the many families who donated clothing and funds to our collection of:

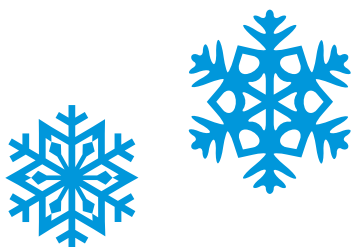
- 116 coats and 23 other warm clothing items for kids at Leschi Elementary School
- 54 coats, 51 pairs of socks, and 19 other warm clothing items for young adults at ROOTS shelter.

Special Thanks to:

- Master shopper **Janet Gray**, who combed through months of sales to find the largest number of high-quality items using our donated funds, is truly impressive. Your efforts have not gone unnoticed, and we are grateful for all you have done to support us. Your contributions have made a significant impact, and we are grateful for your dedication and commitment to HNT.
- Thank you to **Linda Krisher** for coordinating the coat sorting and our volunteers **Tamar Heyman, Lindsay O'Neil, Amy Hartman, Avra Dolan, Jessica and Charley Duitch, Barbara and Joel Konikow, Sharon Sandler, Brook Pariser, Jodi Sternoff** for sorting through the collected items HNT collected. Your contributions have made a significant impact, and we are lucky to have such dedicated and committed individuals on our team.
- **Carly Houlihan** and **Ian Pernick** for delivering everything collected to Leschi and ROOTS.

Teen Feed Shout Outs

Thanks to December Teen Feed **Natalie Levy**, donors, and volunteers for providing a drop-off dinner for 60 homeless teens.



Shelter Meals Shout Outs

Thank you to everybody who contributed funds to help serve 130 meals for Congregations for the Homeless and Elizabeth Gregory Home in December. Special thanks go to **Judy Weiser**, our shelter meal leader. Ask any of these captains – it's easy to do, and we need more of you!

Sign up for future months at <https://h-nt.org/shelter-meals> and we will follow up with details, or email Sosna@h-nt.org for questions.

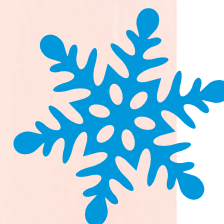
HERZL-NER TAMID Women's League

Book Club

Come join the HNT Women's League Book Club which meets the first Monday of every month at 7:00 PM online on our [Cloud HD Video Meeting](#)

Upcoming meetings for the Women's League Book Club.

- **Thursday, January 5:** *People of the Book* by Geraldine Brooks - discussion leader - **Elana Hornstein**
- **Monday, February 6:** *Lot Six* by David Adjmi - discussion leader - **Astrid Davidson**
- **Thursday March 9:** *The Violin Maker's Daughter* by Sharon Maas - discussion leader - **Helene Rubens**



Judaica Shop

Buy gifts and give twice – proceeds benefit HNT youth programs! We have the largest Judaica Shop in the Seattle area with many beautiful and meaningful Judaica and gifts in all price ranges. The Judaica Shop is open appointment only by contacting Kari Haas: 206-719-2224.

January Anniversaries

4	Richard & Norene Arnold	48	17	Keely & David Berkman	13
6	Mark & Mitzi Adler	28	18	Jeffrey & Judith Greenstein	25
7	Aaron & Alyson Dieckman	6	21	Brian & Kara Schultz	15
8	Charles & Sara McGregor	51	25	Ricardo & Janet Wenger	36
10	Jon & Naomi Newman	19	27	David & Lisa Rosen	16
11	Sanford & Mindy Salzberg	37	29	Shimon & Marta Lowy	62
11	John & Elaine Cohn	64	29	David & Jennifer Adut	18
17	Jeffrey & Sophie Frankel	21			

A Message from Director of Education Dr. Eliyahu Krigel, CJE

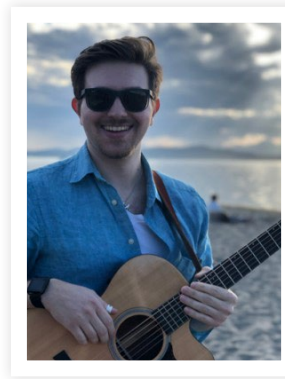


Shabbat is a Celebration of Time

“The meaning of the Sabbath is to celebrate time rather than space.”

-Rabbi Abraham Joshua Heschel, The Sabbath, page 10

Celebrating time, as Rabbi Heschel encourages in the quote above, is our opportunity to relate to the world in a totally different way. Each of the Shabbat candles encourages us to Zachor (to remember) and Shamor (to observe) Shabbat. How do we do that on a personal level? For me, one of my personal Shabbat rituals begins each week before Shabbat. Each week, on Friday afternoon, I set aside precious time to call or video conference with my immediate family and close friends. When the fourth commandment of Shabbat is first mentioned in the Torah in Exodus 20:10, we are reminded of our communal obligation to remember how God rested and ceased to work on the seventh day of creation. When Shabbat is mentioned again in Torah in Deuteronomy 5:14, Moses reminds us to remember our bondage in Egypt. Both aspects of remembering cause us to reflect on our past in a significant way. The way I do this is by connecting in a tangible way with my family and friends. Connecting with our loved ones who live far away is something we all have the potential to do if we create the time and space. By looking at Shabbat as an opportunity to honor time, we create space to recharge and reconnect so we can move forward with greater clarity.



All HNT young families and friends will have an opportunity to come together for the conclusion of Shabbat and honor time for **Spice Night on January 28 from 5:30-7:00pm at HNT!** Orin Reynolds will be our special musical guest. We will begin with a Seudah

Shlishit (third meal) followed by Havdalah and singing with Orin! Enjoy a friendly dairy/vegetarian potluck meal and then join us for Havdalah followed by a special live musical singalong led with Orin. Open to the community. Geared for young families. Bring your Bubbie and Zayde! Dress in your pajamas. Thanks for joining us to celebrate the conclusion of Shabbat together as one community. Please RSVP below:

<https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/form/Spice%20Night%20on%20January%2028>

Dr. Eliyahu Krigel -DR. ELIYAHU KRIGEL



FRS Parent Coffee with the FRS Parent Committee



Sunday, January 8 • 10:00 AM in the Upper Foyer at HNT

Join the FRS Parent Committee for schmoozing and coffee on January 8 at 10:00am after our morning assembly in the Upper Foyer at HNT. Bond with FRS families, share stories and resources, and strengthen friendships and connections with other parents. All are welcome! We will continue holding these informal gatherings all year on the first Sunday of the month when FRS is in session. Just like we want all our students to be best friends, we also want our parents to be in partnership and connected as well. For more information about the FRS Parent Committee, please contact Lindsay O'Neil (lindsayoneil@gmail.com) or Brooke Pariser (brookesidell@hotmail.com).

Garinim Calendar of Events



Garinim is our group for families with young children kindergarten and below at HNT and beyond. Garinim is open to everyone. Non-members are welcome to participate. Join us for any of the programming below. Please sign up to be on the Garinim email list with this link: <https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/form/JoinGarinim>



Tot Shabbat

Presented by Stroum Jewish Community Center, Herzl-Ner Tamid Conservative Congregation, PJ Library, and Jewish Federation of Greater Seattle

Fridays • 9:45 AM - 10:30 AM In Person at the SJCC

Join Chava Mirel and Dr. Eliyahu Krigel for Tot Shabbat at the SJCC! Open to everyone. Bring your extended family. Thank you to the Jewish Federation of Seattle, PJ Library, the SJCC, and HNT for sponsoring this program. Experience the magic and wonder!



Better Together: A Virtual Program For Teens And Participants Over 65 Years Old!

Monthly Sundays, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM on Zoom & In-Person at HNT • Next date: Sunday, January 22

Join us for the Better Together program at HNT. Now is the time to sign up! Better Together is geared towards students ages 11-18 and participants over 65 years old. The FRS fifth grade has joined the group this year. Sign up below to be included in our plans and activities. Please register for the Better Together program for next year with this link: <https://hnt.wufoo.com/forms/better-together/>

Please contact Dr. Eliyahu Krigel with questions at elياهو@h-nt.org about any of the information above. Thanks for your participation and support!



- So fun to melt the snow away with the powerful light of our Chanukiyot with the HNT Garinim crew! Thanks for joining us for the first night of Chanukah at HNT.
- Thank you Merav and Sosna for a fun Chanukah Party at HNT!
- Kol HaKavod, Way to Go, to Josh Niehaus for bringing the ruach for Shechter Ruach at FRS once a month! Thanks to Adam from CSS for visiting us as well and spreading joy for camp!
- Our teaching assistants continue to go the extra mile for our students to make sure everyone is set up for success! Way to go Lyla!
- Fantastic work to our 2nd Graders for an exciting Chanukah program on our final Sunday of the semester.
- It was so wonderful to participate in the launch of the inaugural M² The Institute for Experiential Jewish Education: Educators Studio for Washington State Educators! Thank you Samis Foundation! This retreat was for select Seattle educators and it was held at Camp Solomon Schechter. Thanks HNT for the support and M2 for the thoughtful material!
- Great work to the 1st graders at FRS and Morah Kathy for a meaningful Shabbat and Havdalah program. Great work to Ina, Victoria, and Shey for all the help behind the scenes!
- Thank you to HNT member Nevet Basker for teaching the Masa class in December. We are so excited for our upcoming trip to Israel in February 2023! We continue to show our gratitude and appreciation to Gwenn and Dean Polik for supporting the Masa Program at HNT! Check out Nevet's helpful site all about raising awareness related to Israel: <https://www.broaderview.org/>

USY Seattle Achim

Ice Skating with USY

Sunday, January 8 • 3:00 PM – 5:00 PM at Bellevue Ice Rink

Calling all 8th – 12th graders from HNT and beyond to join us for ice skating at the Sno-Kin give Arena. Dress warmly. Prepare for serious fun together. Skate and play broom ball games with friends. Pay at the door to Bellevue Ice Rink. Click below to RSVP by January 6: <https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/form/Ice%20Skating%20with%20USY%20on%20January%208>



Shabbat Dinner Potluck with USY

Friday, January 27 • 6:00 PM at the home of Bailey Wagner

Shabbat is our time to recharge and gain perspective. Open to all 8th - 12th graders from HNT and beyond. Gather at the home of our USY president for a dairy/vegetarian Shabbat potluck dinner. Click below to RSVP and let us know what you can bring in the comments section to the potluck by January 25: <https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/form/Shabbat%20with%20USY%20January%2027>

With questions about USY at HNT please email USY Advisor Joel Jacobs at USYadvisor@h-nt.org or Dr. Eliyahu Krigel, Director of Education at HNT, at elياهو@h-nt.org.



USY students celebrated Chanukah together at HNT in the youth lounge last month with Joel Jacobs, HNT USY advisor.





Adult Education

Introduction to Judaism

Taught by Rabbi Jacob Herber

Sundays, 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM, in-person & via Zoom

This course is open to all, and is perfect for interfaith couples, those raising Jewish children, spiritual seekers, individuals considering conversion, and Jews who want a meaningful chance to reconnect with their Judaism as an adult. This class will be held in-person and online using Zoom to meet and learn together. Those who register will be sent login information prior to the first class on October 23rd. Please be sure to purchase the books listed on the registration page prior to the first class. Click the registration link below for a list of books to purchase for the course.

Learn more and register with this link:

<https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/form/Introduction-to-Judaism>

Foundations for a Thoughtful Judaism: Faith & Practice

Taught by Rabbi Jacob Herber

Wednesdays, 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM, in-person & via Zoom

Join Rabbi Herber for Foundations for a Thoughtful Judaism, The Shalom Hartman Institute's latest curricular project, which offers a sophisticated yet accessible introduction to philosophical ideas in Jewish peoplehood, practice, faith, and ethics. Click the registration link below for more information regarding the four rubrics we will be exploring which include Peoplehood, Faith, Practice, and Ethics.

Learn more and register with this link:

<https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/form/Foundations-with-Rabbi-Herber>

Lunch & Learn: Walking with Mitzvot

Taught by Rabbi Jacob Herber

Wednesdays, 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM, in-person & via Zoom

Join Rabbi Herber for the series, "The Walking With," created by the Ziegler School of Rabbinic Studies in partnership with the United Synagogue of Conservative Judaism, the Rabbinical Assembly, the Women's League for Conservative Judaism, and the Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs.

Learn more and register with this link:

<https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/form/Lunch-and-Learn>

Adult Hebrew at HNT on Zoom

Taught by Morah Janine Rosenbaum

Take your Hebrew acquisition to the next level during this difficult pandemic. We are open to accepting new students. Now is the time to learn Hebrew! Taught by Janine Rosenbaum virtually over Zoom. Classes include Modern Hebrew, Beginning Hebrew, Prayerbook Hebrew, and Biblical Hebrew. We have the right class for you. If you do not see a class that meets your scheduling needs, please email Janinerosenbaum@comcast.net or call 206-963-4933. Sign up at:

<https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/form/Hebrew-Classes>





Adult Education

The Jew Among the Nations: Where are We Headed?

Next Meeting Thursday, January 19 • Facilitated by Rabbi Jay Rosenbaum • Monthly Thursdays, 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM, via Zoom

For the past two millennia, the Jewish posture toward the nations of the world has been dominated by the need to defend ourselves. Times have changed. With the success of Israel and American Jewry, we have a unique moment of opportunity to have a collective impact for good on the world. Yet, antisemitism and anti-Zionism have not disappeared. If we could formulate a foreign policy for the Jewish people today, how much of it would be shaped by our need to defend ourselves? And, how much of it would be shaped by dreams of transforming the world?

For more information and to register, please click this link: <https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/form/Rabbi-Rosenbaum-class>

The Frankel Library at HNT is open for business!

The library volunteers are delighted to be back in the space, cleaning it out and adding new titles for you to check out. Materials are also available for you to borrow from the blue cart in the Youth Lounge, and the display cases in the foyer.

Recent additions include:

People Love Dead Jews by Dara Horn: Reports from a haunted present, by Dara Horn. A provocative book.

Winner of the 2021 National Jewish Book Award for Contemporary Jewish Life and Practice

Finalist for the 2021 Kirkus Prize in Nonfiction. A New York Times Notable Book of the Year A Wall Street Journal, Chicago Public Library, Publishers Weekly, and Kirkus Reviews Best Book of the Year

Who By Fire by Leonard Cohen: The little-known story of Leonard Cohen's concert tour to the front lines of the Yom Kippur War, including never-before-seen selections from an unfinished manuscript by Cohen and rare photographs. This book was recommended by Rabbi Herber!

Here All Along by Sara Hurwitz: Finding meaning, spirituality, and a deeper connection to life in Judaism, after finally choosing to look there, by Sara Hurwitz. A renowned political speechwriter rediscovers Judaism, finding timeless wisdom and spiritual connection in its age-old practices and traditions. "Sarah Hurwitz was Michelle Obama's head speechwriter, and with this book she becomes Judaism's speechwriter."—Adam Grant, New York Times bestselling author of Give and Take, Originals, and co-author of Option B.

Oedipus In Brooklyn And Other Stories by Blume Lempel: Winner of the Modern Language Association's Fania & Yaakov Leviant Memorial Prize in Yiddish Studies (2018)

All of these titles will be on the blue cart in the Youth Lounge, for easy access. Please just write your name and the title of the book in the blue binder on the bottom shelf.

For more questions about the HNT library or to volunteer please contact Dr. Eliyahu Krigel at elياهو@h-nt.org.

Within the Shul Family

We Celebrate:

- Parents Judy & Nissim Neuman on the engagement of Maya Neuman to Liam Walsh
- Parents Jeff & Sharon Kay on the wedding of Alyssa Kay to Aaron Seavey

* HNT members are listed above. For a complete list email Ashley@h-nt.org

Mazel Tov to:

- Mazel Tov to our Immediate Past-President Ilyse Wagner who was voted in as the District Chair for the Northern Pacific Region of the USCJ (United Synagogue of Conservative Judaism) General Assembly. Her level of leadership and experience will make an impact at the synagogue presidents' meetings she will lead, and beyond.
- Mazel Tov to Audrey Covner, past president of HNT, on her new role as Board Chair for the Jewish Community Relations Council (JCRC) in their coming fiscal year.

We Offer Condolences for:

- Ursula Rychter z"l, mother of Judy Benami
- Leonard Howard Tillis z"l, uncle of Kattey Lagbas
- David Gray z"l, brother of Janet Gray
- Naomi Goldhar Doble z"l, mother of Dana Pruchno
- Tzadik (Dick) Angel z"l, brother of Esther Lott, Louise Kiss & Sylvia Angel; uncle of Sue Solomon, Sharon Kellerman & Kathy Packer

* HNT members who are direct mourners are listed. For a complete list of mourners, email Ashley@h-nt.org

Refuah Shelemah to Congregants:

Marion Aronson, Sandy Bing, Margaret Castellanos, Lore Coe, Larry Epstein, Valerie Epstein, Paula Feldman, Lois Glass, Esther Lott, Joyce Rivkin, Susanne Rosenkranz, Sylvia Siegel, B. Sloan, Jeanne Snyder, Ella Toker

* HNT members are listed above. For a complete list email Ashley@h-nt.org

* If you or someone you know is on the Refuah Shelemah list and no longer needs healing prayers, we would be delighted to remove their name. Please contact the office to request that a name be removed.

January T'filot

Pre-negs: Fridays at 5:30 PM

Kiddush lunch: Saturdays following services
Sponsorship opportunities are available.

Please contact Melanie at Melaniem@h-nt.org
for more information

Friday, January 6th

6:00PM Shabbat Services
Birthday Shabbat

Saturday, January 7th

10:00AM Shabbat Services

Friday, January 13th

6:00PM Shabbat Services

Saturday, January 14th

10:00 AM Shabbat Services

Friday, January 20th

6:00PM Shabbat Services

Saturday, January 21st

10:00AM Shabbat Services

Friday, January 27th

6:00PM Shabbat Services
Anniversary Shabbat

Saturday, January 28th

9:30 AM Shabbat Services
Bar Mitzvah of Joshua Castellanos

Morning Minyan:

Weekdays: 7:30 AM, Sundays & Secular Holidays: 9:00 AM

Ways to Participate in T'filot:

HNT offers both in-person Shabbat services in our Sanctuary, and a virtual option available to view at h-nt.org/youtube

Morning Minyan is also offered both in-person and virtually at h-nt.org/services





IN SUPPORT OF ONE ANOTHER

These generous tributes were made from November 21 through December 20, 2022

BUILDING FUND

For the Yahrzeit of

Ruth Sanft from Louie Sanft
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In Honor of

Rabbi Gelber receiving her honorary Doctor of Divinity
degree from Bob & Sue Solomon

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CAMPERSHIP FUND (AMY MACKOFF)

For the Yahrzeit of

Natalie Fingeroot from Alan Fingeroot

In Honor of

The birth of Carol and Peter Michel's grandson
from Mike & Cheri Levy

In Memory of

Ursula Rychter from Alesa & Harvey Trager
Allan Shumofsky from Aaron & Aileen Okrent

CANTOR'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

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Dorthye Sternberg from Craig & Sheila Sternberg
Emil Sternberg from Craig & Sheila Sternberg
Sam Bernstein from Barry & Judy Schwarz
Dave Wiener from Gail Wiener
Tsilya Ploshchanskaya from Vladi Verlinsky

In Honor of

Rebecca & Jamie Frankel's daughter from Ella Toker

In Memory of

Naomi Josephine Doble
from Aaron & Jane Rosenstein

Ursula Rychter from Doug & Ellie Davis
Ursula Rychter from Jeff & Sophie Frankel
Lloyd Robinson from Barry & Judy Schwarz
Marty Wolf from Barry & Judy Schwarz

DANNY LEWIS FUND

For the Yahrzeit of

Dora Walker from Larry Lemchen
Eileen Mintz Kitchen Fund

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For the Yahrzeit of

Blanche Wurzburg from Gail Wiener

ENDOWMENT FUND DONATIONS

In Memory of

Lloyd Robinson from Janet Gray

FRANKEL LIBRARY FUND

In Honor of

Florence Katz Burstein's birthday
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FRANKEL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

In Honor of

The birth of Patty Willner's and Neil Martin's
granddaughter from Ilyse & Greg Wagner
Toby Diamant's Bar Mitzvah from Ilyse & Greg Wagner
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In Memory of

Julius Scherzer from Aaron & Aileen Okrent





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For the Yahrzeit of

Alexander Kessler from Carolyn Kessler
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 Yetta Shapiro from David & Elaine Lozier
 Fanny Berger from MarciGlor Rogozen

In Honor of

Melissa, Zane and Mira Brown for chairing
 the Holocaust Museum Annual event
 from Al & Lana Finegold
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 The hospitality that the Diamant family provided
 from Gideon Katz
 Rabbi Herber from Sonny Putter

In Memory of

Robert Wilkes from Curran, Joel
 Robert Wilkes from Keith Wills
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For the Yahrzeit of

Manney Berman from Leonard & Louise Berman
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For the Yahrzeit of

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 Florence Brown from Harriet Litt
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 Jeffrey Herrman from Pauline Stern
 Edward Stern from Pauline Stern
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 & Joseph Johnson

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 Wolfe Warshal from Esther Druzman
 Ruth Warshal from Esther Druzman
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 Julius Myers from Esther Druzman
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 & Lisa Halpern
 Nathan Kuznetz from Loretta Kuznetz
 Morton Kuznetz from Loretta Kuznetz
 Shirley Jaffe from Billy Jaffe
 Gary Shapiro from Mike & Cheri Levy
 Dr. Hyman Cohen from Tony & Lynn Wartnik

In Memory of

Ursula Rychter from Dean & Gwenn Polik
 Abe Kriger from Sara Blumenzweig & Family
 Ursula Rychter from Ron & Linda Krivosha

MITZVAH CORPS FUND

For the Yahrzeit of

Samuel Kotkins from David & Karen Rosenzweig
 Nellie Kotkins from David & Karen Rosenzweig

In Memory of

Ursula Rychter z"l from Julia Abelev & Yaakov Cohen



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MORNING MINYAN FUND

In Honor of

The birth of Wendy and Michael Spektor's grandson
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Rabbi Herber receiving an Honorary Doctorate...Mazal
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For the Yahrzeit of

Gertrude Edelheit from Susan & Lonnie Edelheit

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Rabbi Herber receiving his honorary doctorate!
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Rabbi Herber's Doctorate from Ron & Lori Kaufman

Rabbi Herber's honor by USCJ
from Bruce & Peggy Gladner

Rabbi Herber from Ella Toker

Rabbi Herber's Convocation
from Nolan & Pat Newman

Rabbi Herber receiving his award and all that he
does for the H-NT community. from David & Barbara
Goldberg





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Memorialized with Yahrzeit Plaques at HNT

SHABBAT OF January 6/7	SHABBAT OF January 13/14	SHABBAT OF January 20/21	SHABBAT OF January 27/28
7 Shirley Berch Charles Fox Flora F. Maslan Louis Plotkin Jack Polack	14 Nathan Hirsch Robert Roberts	21 Esther Sadick	28 Lucie Goldman Fred Fritz Kahn
8 Moses Kohm Mrs. Ruth Sanft	15 Ben Gula Israel Himelstein Benjamin Malametz Solomon Rossman Nathan Sigman	22 Hayah Bachstuetz Lena Feinberg Fanny Leopold Reizel Pearl	29 Marvin N. Coe Elizabeth Cohn Josephine Kahn Mrs. Eileen Mintz
9 Isaac Ashcanase Frank Morris Cohen Stanley R Litt Henry Lonner Jerome Peretzman Lena Rosenfeld Gordon Sadick Arthur Schwamm Murray Waxman Harold Weinstein	16 Marjory Bryce 17 Jack Berch Abraham Feinberg Anna Feinberg Rebecca Geyer Meier Glazer Gertrude Kirstein Philip Lemchen John MacCormac Sam Miller Mollie Rosenblatt	23 Alvin Lippman 24 Beverly Lemchen Franya Shain Edward Spokoyny 25 Hilda Faye Aronson Asia Wolf Dolgoff Fannie Feinberg Jennie Liff Rachel Metzker	30 Eva Deutsch Retha Evelyn Lewis Rose Rickles 31 Regina Hamburger 1 Deborah Guttman Joseph Losk Carolyn (Carrie) Rosenfeld
10 Veronica Garrie 11 Max Orchinsky Meyer Romanoff 12 Seymour Feinstein Julia Glucksman Jacob Lemberg Jack Pinchev Rosalie Thomas	18 Josephine Becker Louis Caplan Louis Gerber Anne Lillian Landweber Shirley Miller William Schenkar	26 Morris Liff Carol Maslan Jack Schacher 27 Norman Bockow Paul Cohen Avrom Meltzer Fannie Mondschein Alex Sender Elias Solomon	2 Ida Jaffe Lorraine Lebow Maier Moscovici Ruth Warshal 3 Rebecca Coyne Anne Kollin Samuel Mendelsohn Harriett Minkove Esther Mutchler
13 Solomon Barrat Selma Mesher Gertie Nussbaum Robert Polsky Aviva Rappoport Lois Rosen Mr. Jonize Senescu	19 Abraham Margolis Anna Neff 20 Louis Arshon Eugene Okrent		



Herzl-Ner Tamid Conservative Congregation

January 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 (8 Tevet) New Year's Day Minyan 9:00am	2 (9 Tevet) Office Closed Minyan 9:00am	3 (10 Tevet) Fast of Tevet Minyan 7:30am	4 (11 Tevet) Minyan 7:30am Lunch & Learn 12:00pm	5 (12 Tevet) Minyan 7:30am Women's League Book Club 7:00pm	6 (13 Tevet) Minyan 7:30am Candle Lighting 4:15pm Pre-Neg 5:30pm Birthday Shabbat 6:00pm	7 (14 Tevet) Vayechi Shabbat Services 10:00am Kiddush Lunch 12:00pm
8 (15 Tevet) Minyan 9:00am FRS Sundays 9:30am FRS Parent Coffee 10:00am Intro to Judaism 10:30am USY Ice Skating 3:00pm	9 (16 Tevet) Minyan 7:30am	10 (17 Tevet) Minyan 7:30am FRS Tuesdays 4:30pm	11 (18 Tevet) Minyan 7:30am Foundations for Thoughtful Judaism 7:00pm	12 (19 Tevet) Minyan 7:30am Needle Craft Affinity Group 9:30am	13 (20 Tevet) Minyan 7:30am Candle Lighting 4:24pm Pre-Neg 5:30pm Shabbat Services 6:00pm TGIS Dinner 7:00pm	14 (21 Tevet) Shemot Shabbat Services 10:00am Kiddush Lunch 12:00pm
15 (22 Tevet) Minyan 9:00am Women's League Leadership Meeting 10:00am Intro to Judaism 10:30am	16 (23 Tevet) Office Closed MLK Day Minyan 9:00am Birthday Dreams 1:30pm	17 (24 Tevet) Minyan 7:30am FRS Tuesdays 4:30pm	18 (25 Tevet) Minyan 7:30am Lunch & Learn: Walking with Mitzvot 12:00pm Daytimers Lunch & Film Series 11:30am	19 (26 Tevet) Minyan 7:30am The Jew Among the Nations 7:00pm	20 (27 Tevet) Minyan 7:30am Candle Lighting 4:34pm Pre-Neg 5:30pm Shabbat Services 6:00pm	21 (28 Tevet) Vaera Shabbat Mevarchim FRS Saturday School 9:30am Shabbat Services 10:00am Kiddush Lunch 12:00pm
22 (29 Tevet) Minyan 9:00am FRS Sundays 9:30am Intro to Judaism 10:30am Better Together 11:00am	23 (1 Shevat) Rosh Chodesh Shevat Minyan 7:30am	24 (2 Shevat) Minyan 7:30am FRS Tuesdays 4:30pm	25 (3 Shevat) Minyan 7:30am	26 (4 Shevat) Minyan 7:30am Needle Craft Affinity Group 9:30am	27 (5 Shevat) Minyan 7:30am Candle Lighting 4:44pm Pre-Neg 5:30pm Anniversary Shabbat 6:00pm USY Shabbat Dinner 6:00pm	28 (6 Shevat) Bo Shabbat Services Bar Mitzvah of Joshua Castellanos 9:30am FRS Saturday School 9:30am Kiddush Lunch 12:00pm Garinim Spice Night 5:30pm
29 (7 Shevat) Minyan 9:00am FRS Sundays 9:30am Intro to Judaism 10:30am Masa Class 11:00am	30 (8 Shevat) Minyan 7:30am	31 (9 Shevat) Minyan 7:30am FRS Tuesdays 4:30pm				

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16747 Dayton Avenue North, Shoreline, WA 98133

If there is a death in the family, contact the Seattle Jewish Chapel at 206-725-3067.

For more information about the Herzl Memorial Park, contact Elaine Weinstein at 425-455-4703.

In times of loss, or in need of pastoral care, HNT members should call the HNT office at 206-232-8555.



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To always have a well-maintained cemetery, please consider remembering Herzl Memorial Park in your Will, or by contributing to the cemetery's Endowment Care.