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HA KOL IS THE NEWSLETTER OF HERZL-NER TAMID CONSERVATIVE CONGREGATION

ShaPotluck

Friday, August 16th • Service at 5:30 PM, followed by the potluck dinner (note earlier start time) • HNT's Wittenberg Waterfront

After a record-breaking turnout in July, we're ready to bring that energy back again with an uplifting service and a fantastic community potluck dinner! Join us for a lovely outdoor service at the stunning Wittenberg Waterfront, then continue the evening outdoors with another ShaPotluck dinner. Bring your favorite dairy/pareve dish to share (enough for 10+ people).

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HAPPENING THIS MONTH, VISIT [H-NT.ORG/CALENDAR](https://h-nt.org/calendar) OR SEE INSIDE.



A Message from Rabbi Jacob Herber



The High Holy Days are late this year. While we know that the holidays will really appear on time on the Jewish calendar, because this is a leap year we won't be beginning the year of 5785 until early October. This gives us the entire month of September - after a full summer vacation - to prepare properly for Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. Regardless of when they start, early or late on the Gregorian calendar, are we ever really ready?

The late Rabbi Alan Lew, z"l, who famously wrote *One God Clapping: The Spiritual Path of a Zen Rabbi*, also wrote the far less well-known *This is Real and You are Completely Unprepared*. In the book he details the journey from the time preceding the High Holy Days through the days of *Tishrei* themselves. For Rabbi Lew the real purpose of this annual passage is for us to experience broken-heartedness and to open our hearts to God.

In the book's introduction he writes:

"You are walking through the world half asleep. It isn't just that you don't know who you are and that you don't know how or why you got here. It's worse than that; these questions never even arise. It is as if you are in a dream.

Then the walls of the great house that surrounds you crumble and fall. You tumble out onto a strange street, suddenly conscious of your estrangement and your homelessness. A great horn sounds, calling you to remembrance, but all you can remember is how much you have forgotten. Every day for a month, you sit and try to remember who you are and where you are going. By the last week of this month, your need to know these

things weighs upon you. Your prayers become urgent. Then the great horn sounds in earnest one hundred times. The time of transformation is upon you. The world is once again cracking through the shell of its egg to be born. The gate between heaven and earth creaks open. The Book of Life and the Book of Death are opened once again, and your name is written in one of them. But you don't know which one.

The ten days that follow are fraught with meaning and dread. They are days when it is perfectly clear every second that you live in the midst of a chain of ineluctable consequence, that everything you do, every prayer you utter, every intention you form, every act of compassion you perform, ripples out from the center of your being to the end of time. Anger and its terrible cost lie naked before you. Grievance gives way to forgiveness. At the same time, you become aware that you also stand at the end of a long chain of consequences. Many things are beyond your control. They are part of a process that was set in motion long ago. You find the idea of this unbearable.

Then, just when you think you can't tolerate this one moment more, you are called to gather with a multitude in a great hall. A court has convened high up on the altar in the front of the hall. Make way! Make way! the judges of the court proclaim, for everyone must be included in the proceeding. No one, not even the usual outcasts, may be excluded. You are told that you are in possession of a great power, the power of speech, and that you will certainly abuse it - you are already forgiven for having abused it in the past - but in the end it will save you. For the next twenty-four hours you rehearse your own death. You wear a shroud and, like a dead person, you neither eat nor drink. You summon the desperate

strength of life's last moments. A great wall of speech is buried against your heart again and again; a fist beats against the wall of your heart relentlessly until you are broken-hearted and confess to your great crime. You are a human being, guilty of every crime imaginable. Your heart is cracking through its shell to be reborn. Then a chill grips you. The gate between heaven and earth has suddenly begun to close. The multitude has swollen. It is almost as if the great hall has magically expanded to include an infinity of desperate souls. This is your last chance. Everyone has run out of time. Every heart has broken. The gate clangs shut, the great horn sounds one last time. You feel curiously lighthearted and clean.

Some days later you find yourself building a house; a curious house, an incomplete house, a house that suggests the idea of a house without actually being one. This house has no roof. There are a few twigs and branches on top, but you can see the stars and feel the wind through them. And the walls of this house don't go all the way around it either. Yet as you sit in this house eating the bounty of the earth, you feel a deep sense of security and joy. Here in this mere idea of a house, you finally feel as if you are home. The journey is over.

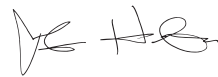
At precisely this moment, the journey begins again. The curious house is dismantled. The King calls you in for a last intimate meal, and then you set out on your way again."

This is a description of the round of Jewish rituals that are observed every year between mid-summer and mid-fall, starting with Tisha B'Av through the month of Elul, Selichot, Rosh Hashanah, the Ten Days of Awe, Yom

Kippur, and finally Sukkot. Rabbi Lew encourages us to recognize that these are very significant moments in the year for each and every one of us, and that we must prepare ourselves physically, spiritually, and emotionally.

In his book Rabbi Lew essentially describes the journey that each of us pursues this time of year. It's a metaphysical trip that includes self-discovery, spiritual discipline, self-forgiveness, and spiritual evolution. "Every one of us," he writes, "needs to move from anger to healing, from denial to consciousness, from boredom to renewal. These needs did not arise yesterday. They are among the most ancient of human yearnings, and they are fully expressed in the pageantry and ritual of the Days of Awe, in the great journey we make between Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur."

It doesn't matter if the holidays are early or late. We still need to prepare for them, and it would benefit ourselves if we did so well in advance. The preparations allow us to experience the holidays in a way that will allow our souls to be healed, our minds to be expanded, and our hearts to be open to all. May it be a much better year for us all.



-RABBI JACOB HERBER





Tisha B'Av

Monday, August 12th at 8:30 PM

Tuesday, August 13th at 7:30AM – Morning Minyan Service

Tuesday, August 13th at 2:00 PM – Mincha Service

Tisha B'Av commemorates the destruction of both the First and Second Temples in Jerusalem. Over the centuries, other catastrophes have befallen the Jewish people on this date and also came to be associated with this day of mourning. Tisha B'Av services will be held in-person. Join us this year for a meaningful and solemn commemoration of these tragedies, as we go from darkness to light.



HNT Goes to the Ballgame!

Jewish Community Day at T-Mobile Park • Sunday, August 4th • 1:10 PM

The HNT family will be rooting for the Mariners at Jewish Community Day at T-Mobile Park on August 4th at 1:10 PM. Registration through HNT is now closed but we can't wait to see you there!



AFFINITY GROUPS



New Affinity Group: Shabbat Dinner Group

Friday, August 23rd at 7:30 PM & Friday, September 27th at 7:30 PM - Address given upon registration

Participation in this group is limited to HNT members only. Immediate family or a companion is welcome. Dinners will be held monthly on every fourth Friday (except haggim) at 7:30 PM (or 4:30 PM for younger families). Hosts provide challah, wine, beverages and Shabbat candles. **Hosts may limit the number of seats they can accommodate.** Guests will need to coordinate with the host to bring vegetarian/dairy or parve dishes to share.

Register below to participate and join our new group.

<https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/form/friday-night-shabbat-dinners>

Mah Jongg Affinity Group

Thursdays, August 8 & August 22 - 12:30 PM to 2:30 PM

Dragons, Flowers, and Cardinal Directions, oh my! Please join us for Mah Jongg affinity group on Thursdays at HNT! There is an opportunity to learn if you are new to the game too! Please contact Judy Weiser at weiserfam@comcast.net for more details.

Needlecraft Affinity Group

Thursdays at 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM - Upper Foyer

Knit, crochet and more with the HNT Needlecraft Affinity Group! This is a wonderful opportunity to socialize with fellow crafters. Bring your projects, learn a new craft or get better at what you know.

Sukkah Hop - Save the Date

Sunday, October 20th • Early Evening, Time TBD

We're bringing back the Sukkah Hop! We will have several sukkahs to hop to within a few hours. We hope to see you there for drinks, snacks, community and fun!

Sign Up Now to Host

We are looking for 4 or 5 additional homes with sukkahs that people can pop into, open house style. If your sukkah can fit 10+ people and you'd like to host a stop in the Sukkah Hop, please email Jessica (Jessica@h-nt.org).

More details to come but save the date!

Memorial Book/Yizkor Book

Renewals & Updates Due August 15th

At each Yizkor service we distribute our annual Memorial Book, inscribed with names of our loved ones no longer among the living. To add a new entry, or renew or make changes to your current entry, please reply by August 15th at h-nt.org/mb or email Rebecca@h-nt.org.

Rosh Hashanah College Packages

Addresses Due by Wednesday, September 18th

If you have an undergraduate college student, fill in their information at h-nt.org/college so they can receive some goodies for a shanah tovah!

Selichot Program & Service

Faith and Tragedy: Preparing for the Days of Awe

Saturday, September 28th • 8:00 PM - 10:00 PM

When tragedy strikes, people of faith need a way to understand their relationship to God. This need is all the more relevant during the High Holy Day season when we confront the losses we've sustained and grapple with prayers in the Mahzor which challenge our notions of sin, repentance and punishment. Jewish thought offers many approaches for the faithful to consider who and where is God in moments of crisis and soul-searching. Join Rabbi Herber for an evening of text study and discussion as we explore what it means to maintain a relationship with God when are struggling and searching for God.

Stay tuned for more High Holiday information in your mailbox soon.

Within the Shul Family

We Celebrate:

- Adam & Ana Apter on the birth of their son, Azariah Ze'ev Apter
- Barbara Rappoport on the birth of her granddaughter, Noa Yael Gross

We Offer Condolences for:

- Larry Amkraut z"l, brother of Robert Amkraut and sister-in-law of Polly Amkraut
- Al Spokoiny z"l, husband of Pauline Spokoiny
- Anne Finegold z"l, niece of Al & Lana Finegold and cousin of Melissa Brown and Zane Brown Jr.
- Esther Duitch z"l, mother of Zach Duitch, mother-in-law of Jessica Duitch and grandmother of Charley Duitch and Bayley Duitch
- Pam Feld Heuman z'l, sister-in-law of Alan Fingeroot
- Melvan Lessing z"l, uncle of Yoel Lessing and Robin Lessing
- Dick Dobrow z"l, father of Rachel Dobrow Stone, father-in-law of Scott Stone and grandfather of Hannah Stone, Karenna Stone and Fiona Stone
- Israel Rosen z"l, husband of Betsy Gail Rosen
- Martin Levy z"l, husband of Joey Levy

Refuah Shelemah to Congregants:

- Baila bat Gavriel v'Chaiya
- Chaiya Devorah bat Pesiya Brynna
- Lori Kaufman
- Shmuel ben Y'rachmiel v'Hannah
- Daniel ben Y'rachmiel v'Hannah
- Shayna Chaiya bat Enya
- Tzvi Hirsch
- Moshe ben Devorah
- Tom Livingston
- Yisrael Falk ben Zev Wolf v'Simka
- Aviv Moshe ben Yitzchak v'Lara
- Sara bat Avner v'Shoshana
- Kathy Goff
- Pinchas ben Shoshanna
- Yehudit bat Ruth
- Yochanan ben Yitzchak v'Tzipporah
- Shaindel bat Avraham v'Sarah
- Michal bat Ephraim v'Rivka

* HNT members are listed above, to add a name to the list email Aviva@h-nt.org

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

August T'filot

See this month's B'nai Mitzvah on [page 7](#)

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

Friday, August 2

6:00 PM Services

Birthday Shabbat

Saturday, August 3

10:00 AM Services

Friday, August 9

6:00 PM Services

Saturday, August 10

9:30 AM Services & Bar Mitzvah of Ariel Apter

Monday, August 12

8:30 PM Tisha B'Av Services

Tuesday, August 13

7:30 AM Morning Minyan Tisha B'Av Services

2:00 PM Mincha Tisha B'Av Services

Friday, August 16

5:30 PM Services at the Wittenberg Waterfront

Saturday, August 17

10:00 AM Services

Friday, August 23

6:00 PM Services

Saturday, August 24

9:30 AM Services & Bat Mitzvah of Rachel Packer

Friday, August 30

6:00 PM Services

Saturday, August 31

9:30 AM Services & Bar Mitzvah of Jacob Hasson

B'nai Mitzvah See service times and links on [page 6](#)

Ariel Apter • August 10



We are overjoyed to celebrate Ariel Apter as he is called to the Torah on August 10th, 2024. Ari is the son of Ana and Adam Apter and is the oldest of his siblings - Avi (11), Asher (8), Abbie (5), Amir (3), and Azariah (1 month). He is the grandson of Mike Grossman and Holly Church, Eilie Johnson, and Abbot and Pascha Apter.

Ari will be starting 8th grade at Cavelero Mid-High in Lake Stevens this fall. Ari has always been fascinated by space and science, and he aspires to go into the field of astrophysics. He also enjoys playing his trombone, running track and cross-country, and spending time with his siblings and friends. For his Mitzvah Project, Ari is reading to toddlers and preschoolers at his two youngest brothers' daycare.

Rachel Packer • August 24



Rachel is the daughter of Kathy and Jeff Packer and the sister of Aaron (16). She is the granddaughter of Sylvia Angel of Issaquah, Robert and Karen Epstein of Kirkland and Stuart z"l and Patty z"l Packer formerly of Fredericksburg, VA. Rachel will be starting 7th grade at Maywood Middle school in the fall.

Rachel enjoys performing in musical theater, drawing, reading and being with friends and family. She also loves attending Camp Solomon Schechter which she calls her happy place. For Rachel's Mitzvah Project, she has volunteered at The Sammamish Animal Sanctuary and is raising money to rebuild the Bunny Barn, which recently burned down.

Jacob Hasson • August 31



Jacob Hasson is the son of Eric and Sarah Hasson and brother to Rayna (11). He is the grandson of Don and Janine Hasson and Gregg (z"l) and Estelle Rebenstorf.

Jacob will be a seventh grader this fall at Cougar Mountain Middle School in Issaquah. He is an avid baseball and football fan and loves to track sports stats. He also plays baseball; his favorite positions are pitcher and third base. In his free time, he enjoys playing board games, video games, reading and loves to spend his summers at Camp Solomon Schechter. For his mitzvah project he volunteered with Friendship Circle to buddy with kids with special needs.



Finding Our Way in a Morally Confused World

Led by Rabbi Jay Rosenbaum, Rivy Kletenik, Beth Huppin, and Dikla Kafka

Sunday Morning, September 22, 10:15 AM - 12:15 PM • HNT

This has been a momentous year for the Jewish people. In a short period of time we have experienced the birth of **the Israel Democracy Movement**; **the trauma of October 7th** in Israel and all the losses and heartbreak that have followed in Israel, in Gaza and on the West Bank; **the alarming growth of antisemitism and anti-Zionism** on the college campus, in our local communities and globally; and **the deepening divide between liberal and conservative forces** in Israel, in America and globally.

Through text study, panel discussion and small group conversation we will reflect on the enormous decisions facing the Jewish people in the coming new year. We will explore the following questions:

- **What have we learned** about Israel, the Jewish people, America and the world in the past year?
- **How do we decide right from wrong** in a world that seems to have lost its moral bearings?
- **How do we fight for the disadvantaged when many of our allies in social justice causes have turned against us?**
- How can the Jewish people be open to the world while being true to ourselves? **What are the best things the Jewish people can offer the world right now?**
- **What can give us hope?**



The community is welcome. There is no charge. Please pre-register using this link:

<https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/event/finding-our-way-in-a-morally-confused-world.html>

Stay tuned for details on Rabbi Herber's adult education classes this fall

Todah Rabbah to...

Jenn Rosenwald and Ilene Sloan for using their design pizzaz and connections to improve the cottage Shabbat house even more
 Gail Wiener, Ed Margolis, Will Quantz and the entire Membership Committee for planning and promoting the record breaking ShaPotluck program
 Mindy Landsman for using her many talents to assist with a special project during ShaPotluck

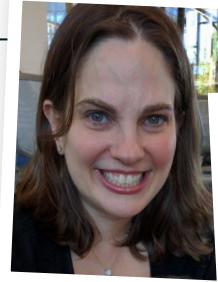
A Message from Director of Education Irit Eliav Levin

Infusing Magic into HNT

"Mom, can you pinch me? I can't believe this place is real." These were the words spoken by my eight-year old son as we entered Legoland last month. The magic and the wonder on all three of my children's faces lasted throughout the day as they spoke to Lego characters walking through the park, took pictures with Lego statues, and were immersed in the magic of the rides. It got me thinking about ways we can bring some of that same joy, magic, and wonder into everything that we do in FRS and at HNT.

It wasn't the first time I had that thought. I recently had the privilege of reading a wonderful book called "The Nonprofit Imagineers" by Ben Vorspan. The United Synagogue of Conservative Judaism is encouraging synagogues and other Jewish organizations to read this book, written by a Jewish professional whose expertise is in bringing creativity and innovation to the nonprofit sector. I attended a USCJ workshop Vorspan led several months ago and was impressed with his ideas. The book encourages using the principles of Disney Imagineers to bring change into nonprofit organizations.

As someone who grew up in South Florida, I was lucky that trips to Disney World were a very frequent part of my childhood. I remember vividly the magic of staring up at Cinderella's castle, of watching the dolls singing "It's a Small World," and even the simple joy of laughing with my friends and family while we waited in line for the rides.



Vorspan encourages us to try to find that magic in our everyday lives, and to always be thinking about how to raise the bar in everything that we do. And so of course, I wonder how we can apply those ideas to HNT. How can we make programs more meaningful? How can we make Religious School fun and engaging? How can we increase opportunities for congregants to develop true friendships with one another? How can we enhance our social action projects to make a bigger difference in the world?

One thing I know for sure - our ability to infuse magic and wonder into HNT depends on all of us working together. Do you have ideas to make us stronger? Dreams you wish could happen? Share your thoughts with our staff, our board, or better yet, step up to chair or volunteer for that program or committee. If your ideas have anything to do with making HNT better for our children, I'm all (Minnie Mouse) ears! Call or email me anytime! I look forward to wishing upon a star with you and then working to make our dreams come true!

-IRIT ELIAV LEVIN



Registration for the Frankel Religious School Is Now Open!

Registration for the 5785 (2024-25) Frankel Religious School is now open! Come join in the fun as we bring Judaism and Jewish values to life! Students age three* through seventh grade are welcome!

Click here to enroll: https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/school_enrollment.php.

If you have any questions, please contact Irit Eliav Levin, Director of Education at Irit@h-nt.org.

*All students must be potty trained.





Tot Shabbat at SJCC

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

Grab your 'bim' and your 'bam,' along with your kiddos or grandbabies, and join us for Tot Shabbat at the J! Everyone is welcome. Thank you to the Jewish Federation of Greater Seattle, PJ Library, SJCC, and HNT for sponsoring this program.

Frankel Religious School Employment Opportunities

The Frankel Religious School is seeking dynamic part-time Judaic studies teachers for the 5785 (2024-25) school year. Job openings include fourth grade (Sunday/Tuesday) and seventh grade (Shabbat/Tuesday). Pay range: \$40-\$50/hr DOE. If interested, please send a cover letter & resume to: Irit Eliav Levin, Director of Education at Irit@h-nt.org



Stay Cool at Shul

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Tuesday, August 6th • 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM • HNT's Wittenberg Waterfront

Join us at the Wittenberg Waterfront for some fun splashing in water and enjoying some time together. Bring a dairy or pareve dinner for your own family for a picnic by the lake! We'll provide some popsicles for all to enjoy! We hope to see you there!

If you have any questions, please contact Irit Eliav Levin, Director of Education at Irit@h-nt.org.





Social Action Opportunities



Leschi Toiletry Drive

Thursday, August 1 - Tuesday, August 20

At Leschi Elementary School in Seattle, good health and hygiene are important for every student. This year the school has identified a significant need of appropriate hygiene products to ensure students feel good about themselves when entering the classroom. As Leschi has a large population of students/families who are homeless, this is how our congregants can help.

From August 1st through August 20th please bring in *regular size* items from the list below and drop into bins located in the upper and lower foyers. Volunteers will then be asked to help put the items into *Hygiene Kits* to be delivered to Leschi.

Our goal is to assemble 50 kits that include: **toothbrushes, toothpaste, floss, bar of soap, shampoo and conditioner, hairbrush, comb, pocket mirror, washcloth, hand towel**

Monetary donations can also be made by clicking [here](#).

Thanks so much for your support of this project. **Please note:** This drive is in place of the Backpack Drive we have done in the past.

Hygiene Kit Sorting Party

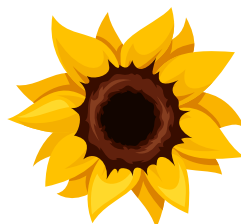
Thursday, August 29 • 1:00 PM

Come join Linda Krisher and other volunteers to help sort and pack up the hygiene kits for the Leschi elementary students. Sign up at the link so we know how many to expect: <https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/event/hygiene-kit-sorting.html>

Teen Feed

Sunday, August 25th & Sunday, September 22nd

Each month a dedicated crew of HNT volunteers prepares and serves meals to homeless youth in the University District. Email our Teen Feed leaders at TeenFeed@h-nt.org to help this month, for questions, or to be added to the Teen Feed volunteer list.





Social Action Committee Updates

I am pleased to have taken on the role of Social Action Committee (SAC) Chair as of June 1st, replacing Cheryl Cohen and Dafna Tarlowe, and aspiring to fill their shoes on a job well-done this past year. SAC is in full swing with the planning of what we intend to accomplish during the coming year. Our projects will include both long-standing ones as well as new undertakings.

A few examples:

Leschi Toiletry Drive in August
Leschi Coat Drive in November
Porchlight (Bellevue Men's Shelter) Meals
Ruby Room Formalwear Drive
Page Ahead Book Drive
Teen Feed



Kidvantage and Treehouse - special kid-centric projects with FRS so that the students can be directly involved

Inviting speakers from the various organizations we support, to educate the congregation on the needs of the community and to better understand the reasons behind the *why* we give to these organizations

And we are working on possibly *marrying* Mitzvah Corps and SAC on selected projects. Even though each is a different type of entity on its own, and each provides different kinds of help to particular groups, we feel they are *mishpucha* in that they both take care of the needs of others and therefore can collaborate when it is useful.

SAC has a dedicated group of members but we need more of you who want to help make a difference in our society. So please contact me with any questions, ideas for new projects, and to learn about volunteer opportunities.

-Judy Ziedman

SAC Chair, Mitzvah Corps Chair, jraez@comcast.net

Women's League Judaica Shop

The shop is open by appointment - call **Kari** at **206-219-2224** to schedule your visit. We have everything you need, including tallitot, kippot, and kid sized shofarot.



MITZVAH CORPS

MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN YOUR COMMUNITY

HNT Mitzvah Corps' mission is to provide caring and compassion to our fellow congregants while giving generously of ourselves.

New volunteers and new ideas for providing mitzvot are always welcome. If you'd like to become a part of Mitzvah Corps, and/or learn how we function, contact Judy Ziedman, Mitzvah Corps Chair, at jraez@comcast.net or 425-883-6482.

Mitzvah Corps Happenings

Time to get ready for our annual High Holiday Goody Bag Outreach Project. Bag distribution will be on **Sunday, September 22nd, at HNT**. For those of you who have previously participated in this event, you know the drill.

For anyone who would like to join us this year, here's how it works:

A list of congregants is compiled and passed on to Mitzvah Corps. These congregants are chosen because they need a bit of TLC. They might have lost a loved one, might be recovering from an illness, or might just have had a rough year. And we want them to know that we are thinking of them.

Each chosen congregant receives a bag containing a kosher jar of honey and an apple for a sweet New Year, along with a traditional kosher round challah.

Mitzvah Corps volunteers pick up the bags at HNT and deliver to the congregants before the start of Rosh Hashanah, which begins on Wednesday evening, October 2nd.

The Corps is always looking for new volunteers; contact me to join our group, ask questions, or to submit names of congregants who you would like to receive a goody bag. Anyone who delivers a bag receives a challah and a sweet treat!

Shanah Tovah, here's to a happy and healthy New Year!





August Anniversaries

August 1	Mike Raskin & Susie Kupferman	20	August 16	Effie Toshav & Ben Magnano	21
August 1	Elan & Emily Shapiro	14	August 17	Paul & Sheri Druckman	22
August 1	Sharon & George Woolcott	32	August 17	Sara & Melanie Boehler	11
August 2	Henry & Paula Feldman	54	August 18	David & Janet Gilman	39
August 2	David & Lorna Isenberg	38	August 18	Michael & Kelly Hershey	39
August 2	Michael & Shainie Schuffler	60	August 18	Sean & Tracy Sigmon	28
August 2	Charles & Molly Sherer	15	August 18	David & Gillian Witus	33
August 3	Scott Jarol & Nancy Cohen-Vardy	16	August 19	Darlene & Dennis Fague	45
August 5	Jeff & Kathy Packer	17	August 20	Jessica & Jeremy Lott	7
August 6	Phillip & Judy Koppel	64	August 20	Mark Feldman & Myriam Alhadeff Feldman	38
August 6	Mitchell & Nedra Schwamberg	52	August 20	Richard & Barrie Galanti	35
August 7	Irvin & Beverly Benzion	69	August 21	Allan & Tamar Boden	30
August 7	Lev & Isabella Novik	29	August 21	Chuck & Marilyn Caplan	58
August 7	Ilyse & Greg Wagner	30	August 21	Larry Kalman & Ellie Halevy	19
August 8	Arik & Rebecca Cohen	20	August 21	Yoel & Robin Lessing	30
August 8	Valerie & Larry Epstein	53	August 21	David Rosenbaum & Miri Cypers	13
August 8	Ilya & Marilyn Poleschuk	42	August 21	Todd & Adina Segal	19
August 8	David Rabinovitch & Marsha Karr Rabinovitch	44	August 22	Susan & Lonnie Edelheit	59
August 8	Leslie & Dan Shapiro	21	August 22	Joanne & Larry Glosser	48
August 8	Peter & Bettina Weiss	31	August 24	Werner & Lois Glass	72
August 9	Steve & Kathy Berman	26	August 24	Dov & Tamara Schiff	21
August 9	David & Julie Chivo	26	August 25	Tony & Steph Harris	22
August 9	Jim & Lee Keller	55	August 25	Mark & Susanne Rosenkranz	28
August 10	Jay & Barbara Bakst	50	August 27	Michael Adler & Michelle Goldberg	36
August 10	Larry & Roz Piha	49	August 27	Danielle Flatt-Eisenberg & Michael Eisenberg	7
August 10	David & Lauren Lessman	10	August 27	Craig & Joy Pearl	35
August 11	Gabriela & Andrew Bloom	13	August 27	Scott & Joan Perry	35
August 11	Bob & Sue Solomon	39	August 28	Nate & Rachel Klee	19
August 12	Michael & Sara Berkenwald	17	August 28	David & Joy Stiefel	47
August 12	Jon Sandler & Jamie Jessup	3	August 29	Andrew & Janine Jacobs	42
August 14	Itay & Nathalie Bentov	30	August 29	Kelly & Dan Piha	14
August 14	Ben & Amy Hartman	13	August 30	James & Shelley Dillon	43
August 14	Jeff & Sharon Kay	36	August 30	Naaman & Tamar Heyman	12
August 14	Joel & Michelle Younker	30	August 31	Robert & Polly Amkraut	38
August 15	Jonathan & Shaina Green	4	August 31	Eric & Sarah Hasson	16
August 15	Jeff & Rivka Klaff	20	August 31	Jason & Lisa Kravitz	10
August 15	Michael & Debbie Kovsky	59	August 31	Brandy & Brian Moss	38
August 15	Aaron & Jane Rosenstein	31	August 31	Jeff & Elysa Piha	21
August 16	Jerry & Michelle Hahn	54	August 31	Daniel & Laurie Seidel	44
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 Al Spokoiny from Harry & Cindy Rubin
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For the Yahrzeit of

Selva Armagno Stordeur from Astrid Davidson
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SHABBAT OF August 2/3

Aug. 3 *Joseph Bamberg*
 Aug. 3 *Max Esfeld*
 Aug. 3 *Maurice Glucksman*
 Aug. 3 *Anna Markow*
 Aug. 3 *Lillian Witenberg*
 Aug. 4 *Julius Green*
 Aug. 5 *Rose Ashcanase*
 Aug. 5 *Jonah Minkove*
 Aug. 5 *Marlene Polack*
 Aug. 6 *Alec Barrat*
 Aug. 6 *Abraham Reiter*
 Aug. 7 *Florence Maslan*
 Aug. 7 *Harry Mutchler*
 Aug. 8 *Sarah Abrams*
 Aug. 8 *Alvin U. Leibsohn*
 Aug. 8 *Sam Levin*
 Aug. 8 *Max Stalín*
 Aug. 8 *Max Steiner*
 Aug. 9 *Joseph Farber*
 Aug. 9 *Louis Glaser*
 Aug. 9 *Ellen Hogan*
 Aug. 9 *Kaye Levine*

SHABBAT OF August 9/10

Aug. 10 *Rachel Pesia Bahat*
 Aug. 10 *Godel Goldstein*
 Aug. 11 *Ruth Polsky*
 Aug. 11 *Jack Reiter*
 Aug. 12 *Bessie Schulman*
 Aug. 12 *Helen Sherman*
 Aug. 12 *Laura Weiss*
 Aug. 13 *Julius Falk*
 Aug. 13 *Esther Silverstein*
 Aug. 14 *Gertrude Warshal Friedman*
 Aug. 14 *Philip Samuelson*
 Aug. 15 *Rose Farber*
 Aug. 15 *Susie Winegrad*
 Aug. 16 *Irving Bamberg*
 Aug. 16 *Victor Putter*
 Aug. 16 *Gail Sovern*



SHABBAT OF August 16/17

Aug. 17 *Boris Dolgoff*
 Aug. 17 *Vivian Marie Kliot*
 Aug. 17 *Allen Rosen*
 Aug. 17 *Mark Stern*
 Aug. 18 *Eva Arshon*
 Aug. 18 *Getta Baron*
 Aug. 18 *Joe Egnal*
 Aug. 18 *Sol Gold*
 Aug. 18 *Norton Pinchev*
 Aug. 18 *William Rivkin*
 Aug. 18 *Marsha Rosenblatt*
 Aug. 18 *Edwin Trager*
 Aug. 19 *Ruth M. Solomon*
 Aug. 19 *David Tapper*
 Aug. 20 *Evelyn Berman*
 Aug. 20 *Norman Griff*
 Aug. 20 *Martin Edward Nudelman*
 Aug. 20 *Debra Shira Putter*
 Aug. 20 *Mordecai Rubinowitz*
 Aug. 21 *Harry Walker*
 Aug. 22 *Ann Marie Putter*
 Aug. 22 *John Sherman*
 Aug. 22 *Rose Siegel*
 Aug. 23 *Joseph H. Bernstein*
 Aug. 23 *Hyman Newman*

SHABBAT OF August 23/24

Aug. 24 *Leonard Charles Epstein*
 Aug. 24 *Esther Wise*
 Aug. 25 *Merle Cohn*
 Aug. 25 *Joel Goldhar*
 Aug. 25 *Fannie Jaffe*
 Aug. 25 *Reuben Kaganowicz*
 Aug. 25 *Louis Tepper*
 Aug. 26 *Mark Litt*
 Aug. 26 *George Rosefield*
 Aug. 27 *Joseph Jaffe*
 Aug. 28 *Beatrice Miriam Covner*
 Aug. 28 *Mildred Tepper*
 Aug. 29 *Albert Rosengarten*
 Aug. 30 *Toba Goldbarg*



SHABBAT OF August 30/31

Aug. 31 *Max Roth*
 Aug. 31 *Rachael Solomon*
 Sept. 1 *Louis Berkus*
 Sept. 2 *Hans Cohn*
 Sept. 2 *Harry Fineman*

Sept. 2 *Sam Hoffman*
 Sept. 2 *Anna Oseran*
 Sept. 3 *Deana Mondschein*
 Sept. 3 *Harold Schildkraut*
 Sept. 3 *Norma N. Wartnik*

Sept. 4 *Katie Malin*
 Sept. 4 *Ruth Roos*
 Sept. 5 *Breina Barrat*
 Sept. 5 *Max Binder*
 Sept. 5 *Jacob Kahn*

Sept. 6 *Steven Fischler*
 Sept. 6 *Hyman Goldburg*
 Sept. 6 *Lewis Vinikow*

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Herzl-Ner Tamid Calendar of Events - August 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 (26 Tammuz) Minyan 7:30am Needlecraft Group 9:30am	2 (27 Tammuz) Candle Lighting 8:22pm Minyan 7:30am Tot Shabbat at SJCC 9:45am Pre-Neg 5:30pm Birthday Shabbat Services 6:00pm	3 (28 Tammuz) Matot-Masei Shabbat Mevarchim Shabbat Services 10:00am
4 (29 Tammuz) Minyan 9:00am HNT Goes to the Ballgame 1:10pm	5 (1 Av) Rosh Chodesh Av Minyan 7:30am	6 (2 Av) Minyan 7:30am Stay Cool at Shul 4:30pm	7 (3 Av) Minyan 7:30am	8 (4 Av) Minyan 7:30am Needlecraft Group 9:30am Mah Jongg 12:30pm	9 (5 Av) Candle Lighting 8:12pm Minyan 7:30am Tot Shabbat at SJCC 9:45am Pre-Neg 5:30pm Shabbat Services 6:00pm	10 (6 Av) Devarim Shabbat Hazon Bar Mitzvah of Ariel Apter Shabbat Services 9:30am
11 (7 Av) Minyan 9:00am	12 (8 Av) Erev Tisha B'Av Erev Tisha B'Av Services 8:30pm	13 (9 Av) Tisha B'Av Tisha B'Av Services 7:30am Tisha B'Av Services 2:00pm	14 (10 Av) Minyan 7:30am	15 (11 Av) Minyan 7:30am Needlecraft Group 9:30am	16 (12 Av) Candle Lighting 8:00pm Minyan 7:30am Tot Shabbat at SJCC 9:45am Shabbat Services at the Wittenberg Waterfront 5:30pm Shapottuck 6:30pm	17 (13 Av) Vaetchanan Shabbat Nachamu Shabbat Services 10:00am
18 (14 Av) Minyan 9:00am	19 (15 Av) Tu B'Av Minyan 7:30am	20 (16 Av) Minyan 7:30am	21 (17 Av) Minyan 7:30am	22 (18 Av) Minyan 7:30am Needlecraft Group 9:30am Mah Jongg 12:30pm	23 (19 Av) Candle Lighting 7:47pm Minyan 7:30am Tot Shabbat at SJCC 9:45am Pre-Neg 5:30pm Shabbat Services 6:00pm Shabbat Dinner Group 7:30PM	24 (20 Av) Elkev Bat Mitzvah of Rachel Packer Shabbat Services 9:30am
25 (21 Av) Minyan 9:00am Teen Feed 5:30pm	26 (22 Av) Minyan 7:30am	27 (23 Av) Minyan 7:30am	28 (24 Av) Minyan 7:30am	29 (25 Av) Minyan 7:30am Needlecraft Group 9:30am Hygiene Kit Sorting 1:00pm	30 (26 Av) Candle Lighting 7:33pm Minyan 7:30am Tot Shabbat at SJCC 9:45am Pre-Neg 5:30pm Shabbat Services 6:00pm	31 (27 Av) Re'eh Shabbat Mevarchim Bar Mitzvah of Jacob Hasson Shabbat Services 9:30am



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