



# HaKol

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

## *Hanukkah* **HAPPY HOUR**

**Sunday, December 29<sup>th</sup> 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM**

*Oh HNT Hanukkah  
Come light the menorah  
Let's have a lava flow  
And watch the candles glow  
Gather round the table for a nosh or two  
The kids can join downstairs to watch a moovie*

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FOR AN INTERACTIVE, PRINTABLE CALENDAR OF ALL HNT EVENTS  
HAPPENING THIS MONTH, VISIT [H-NT.ORG/CALENDAR](https://h-nt.org/calendar) OR SEE INSIDE.





## A Message from Rabbi Jacob Herber



Between March 10 – May 4, 2025, American Jews will vote for their delegates to the 39th World Zionist Congress (WZO), the “parliament of the Jewish people”, which will convene in Jerusalem in October 2025. The election serves as the unifying force for world Jewry, with Israel at its center. Participate in the process to make decisions regarding key institutions that allocate nearly \$1 billion annually to support Israel and Jews around the world. It’s critical, now more than ever.

Ballots are cast for slates of candidates submitted by Zionist groups. Voting is done primarily online and via mobile devices.

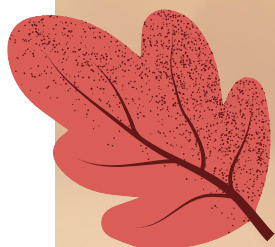
The election is administered by The American Zionist Movement (AZM), which is comprised of 46 national Jewish Zionist organizations and works across a broad ideological, political and religious spectrum linking the American Jewish community together in support of Israel, Zionism and the Jewish people.

The Conservative/Masorti Movement is an active participant in the elections. Here in the United States MERCAZ USA is the party of our Movement and will represent us as part of Mercaz Olami at the WZO.

It’s very important that we take these elections very seriously, which is why we make an early concerted effort to encourage our synagogue members to register and vote for MERCAZ USA. Our vote affects the size of our Conservative delegation and the influence that we have at the Zionist Congregation, at the Jewish Agency, at Keren Kayemet L’Yisrael. Since the Conservative/Masorti Movement doesn’t receive state support and operates largely on donations, funding for the WZO and JAFI are a very important part of the Masorti Movement in Israel. Masorti Olami, which is the worldwide Conservative movement, is also very dependent on WZO funds in order to maintain its program of outreach and education in Jewish communities throughout the world.

This is our opportunity to be involved in international Jewish issues beyond the current war in Gaza and to show our pride in being Conservative/Masorti Jews. You can find information about how to vote for MERCAZ USA [here](#). I hope that you will vote and that you will also encourage all the members of your family and your friends to vote as well.

-RABBI JACOB HERBER



## Hanukkah HAPPY HOUR



Sunday, December 29 • 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM • Drinks, Food and Candle Lighting in the Foyer - Movie in the Youth Lounge

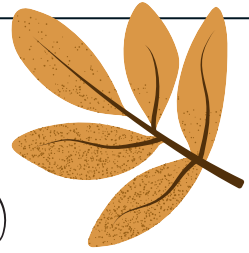
Bring your hanukkiah and candles to light with everyone! We will have latkes, sufganiyot, alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages, a movie for the kiddos and plenty of snacks!

Registration is encouraged but not required: <https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/event/hanukkah-happy-hour>





## New Cantor on the Block



I am so honored and excited to join the HNT family as your new cantor. A little bit about me -- I am originally from Minneapolis but have made my home in Montreal for the last 14 years. Before deciding to become a cantor, I studied theater and dance, did research on the re-emergence of Jewish life in post-communist Poland, worked in the oral history archives of the United States Holocaust Museum and even was a preschool teacher for a few years. Together with my husband, Steve Winkelman, I am the proud parent of Benny – who is currently studying jazz drumming at McGill University. You can expect to see both of them around HNT over the next few months, as Steve gradually shifts to a life in Seattle and Benny flies out for visits.

A few passions of mine are communal singing, dance, languages and teaching. The intersection of creativity and spirituality is especially compelling to me, and I recently completed a second master's on the topic of Hasidic dance as an embodied spiritual practice. I am certified as a yoga instructor, as well as a Jewish Mindfulness and Meditation Teacher (IJS-JMMTT).

HNT is a shul that not only has a rich history but is also vibrant and full of potential. There is so much that I am looking forward to exploring with you – amping up the communal singing in our services, bringing our FRS kids

up on the bimah, recruiting and training new Torah and Haftarah readers, tapping our Jewish musical heritage (both Sephardi and Ashkenazi), as well exploring outdoor Jewish experiences that connect us with Washington's awe-inspiring natural environment.

Though my first several weeks have been primarily focused on our current (very large!) cohort of b'nai mitzvah students, I have been truly moved by the warm welcome that I have received from the entire HNT community. It is rare to find a community that faces change with such a spirit of open optimism, especially during these very challenging times. We have faced losses and hostility that would have been unimaginable just a few years ago. But I believe that the precious metal of our Jewish tradition was forged in times just as these, and if we hold fast to this tradition together – loving it even as it continues to change and evolve in our hands – that we will find the strength we need to grow and thrive in the face of history's challenges.

I feel blessed and honored to have been chosen to undertake these adventures with you.

- CANTOR HEATHER BATCHELOR



### Cantor Batchelor Welcome Events!

We are excited to have Cantor Batchelor join us and want to offer as many chances as possible for everyone to spend time with and get to know her!

**Friday, December 6 at 5:00 PM:** Enhanced Pre-neg before Friday evening services with a longer time to visit with Cantor Batchelor. Special enhanced pre-neg for the occasion with services following being led by Alexa Berkenwald on the eve of her Bat Mitzvah.

**Sunday, December 15 at 10:00 AM: Bagel Brunch:** Please join us for a bagel brunch and an opportunity to get to know Cantor Batchelor and the many ideas she has to connect with congregants of all ages.



## Check out the New Barnabie Point Website!

**We're now LIVE!** HNT has a new section on the website dedicated to the Barnabie Point Initiative. The site includes summary information on the project, a recording of a Town Hall Meeting, and FAQ. Check the site for regular updates as new developments occur.

If you missed the Barnabie Point Town Hall Meetings in late October, attendees were enthusiastic about the project direction and the amount of detail provided. Topics ranged from the HNT and JDS visions and how the project is a critical component of those visions, to project benefits, building design concepts, future timelines, and everyday project impacts during construction and after completion.

The Sunday Oct. 27th Town Hall recording and set of slides are available on the [site](#). You'll hear directly from the Project Chair, Project Architect, and HNT & JDS Board Chairs. The slides contain larger, more readable versions of the schematics seen at the sessions. And the excellent Q & As at the end of each Town Hall Meeting have been integrated into the FAQ.

If there are any questions or comments, just shoot an email to [Barnabiepoint@h-nt.org](mailto:Barnabiepoint@h-nt.org), and your request will be channeled to the most knowledgeable person for response.

[Website link →](#)



## Todah Rabbah to...

Thank you to everyone who made the Holiday Shuk happen! A big thank you to **Linda Krisher** and **Susan Amira Weinstein** who worked to find vendors and build this program from the ground up.

**Effie Bar-Caspi, Ori Bar-Caspi, Bettie Baroh, Joshua Beder, Susan Ben-Rubin, Leanne Berkenwald, Robbie Caggiano, Susan Edelheit, Fran Farber, Amy Hartman, Rivka Klaff, Barbara Konikow, Efrem Krisher, Susan Glicksberg, Kari Hass, Steffie Lash, Miriam Marinelli, Jeff Marinelli, Sean McElroy, Melissa Mazor, Ilan Mazor, Laura Miller, Dan Mintz, Elaine Mintz, Brandy Moss, Aileen Okrent, Laurie Powazek, Judy Schwarz, Fiona Stone, Karenna Stone, Ameer Sherer, Barbara Sherer, Sue Solomon, Sherri Westman, Gail Wiener**

**Todah Rabbah to - Robert Peha** for putting together the Sukkah Kits for this year's purchasers

**Todah Rabbah to - Robert Glowitz** for his weekly work with the yahrzeit plaques

**Todah Rabbah to - David Beder, Ed Margolis, Peter Michel, Dan Mintz, Larry Stern, Scott Stone, Wayne Morse, Jerry Weiser** for breaking down the new sukkah with spirit and strength.



## HIGH HOLIDAY ANNUAL APPEAL

*Thanks to your generosity and support this High Holiday season, your pledges exceeded our goals for this year's annual appeal!*

*Thank you the families below who pledged to support HNT this new year!*

Jerome Adam, Robert & Polly Amkraut, David & Deborah Beder, Susan Ben-Rubin, Keely & David Berkman, Leonard & Louise Berman, Steve & Kathy Berman, Carl & Joann Bianco, Marv & Lisa Brashem, Tom & Stacey Brody, Zane Brown Jr. & Melissa Brown, Paul Burstein & Florence Katz Burstein, David & Julie Chivo, Elaine Cohn, Gary & Sharon Constantine, Marilyn Corets & Adam Mhlstin, Astrid Davidson, David & Elizabeth Director, Susan & Lonnie Edelheit, David & Julie Ellenhorn, Valerie & Larry Epstein, Alan Fingeroot, Kelly & David Finkel, Mickey & Cathy Friedman, Marc & Gina Gonchar, Kaitlyn & Tyler Graham, Dena & Drew Herbolich, Nancy Highiet Morse & Wayne Morse, Eric & Elana Hornstein, Kellie Israel, Toby Israel, Linda & Dick Jacobs, Arne & Lena Josefsberg, Larry Kalman & Ellie Halevy, Jeff & Sharon Kay, Carolyn Kessler, Eric & Leslie Kinder, Jeff & Rivka Klaff, Les & Denise Klaff, Harris & Jean Klein, Joel & Barbara Konikow, Lance & Sandy Korb, Efrem & Linda Krisher, Loretta Kuznetz, Ari Lackman & Michelle Farber, Bob & Janet Lackman, Mindy & David Landsman, Will & Lauren Leahy, Larry Lemchen, Mike & Cheri Levy, Beth Lippman, Marty & Sharon Lott, Alan & Andrea Lubner, Brian & Abby Marcus, Bob Maslan, Yuval & Melissa Mazor, Ann & Jim Meisner, Sarita R Moss, Nissim & Judy Neuman, Janet Neumann & Ricardo Wenger, Nolan & Pat Newman, Sam Newson & Geri Schnitzer-Newson, Aaron & Aileen Okrent, Salvador Orozco Villalever, Jeff & Kathy Packer, Robert & Donna Peha, Alan & Elaine Peizer, Faye Plum & Art Rider, Marc & Sue Policar, Sonny Putter & Rochelle Roseman, Barbara Rappoport, Arny & Anita Reich, Carol Reynolds, Brad Rind & Janet Gray, Renee Robbins, Ann Lee Rogel, Adam & Wendy Rosen, Doug & Deborah Rosen, Jay & Janine Rosenbaum, Ellen Rosenstein Brin, Aaron & Jane Rosenstein, David & Karen Rosenzweig, Helene Rubens, Jeff & Mimi Rubenstein, Armani Salary, Sandy Samuel, Sari Schneider, Joe & Judy Schocken, Mitchell & Nedra Schwamberg, Barbara Sherer, David & Stephanie Shujman, Sean & Tracy Sigmon, Ted & Andrea Simons, Nison Simontov, Neville & Gwenda Smith, Bob & Sue Solomon, David & Joy Stiefel, Michael & Dafna Tarlowe, Corbin & Debbie Tudor, Ilyse & Greg Wagner, Amy Wasser & Marvin Stern, Craig Weinstein, Jerry & Judy Weiser, Sherri & Steven Westman, Carolyn & Eldon Wexler, Court & Michelle Will, Patty Willner & Neil Martin, Jeff & Judy Ziedman, Becky Zimmerman, Noam Zohar

## SOCIAL ACTION APPEAL

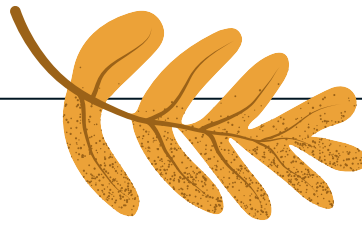
*Thank you the generosity of the following families, who contributed to our Social Action Appeal this year.*

*We raised over \$7,000 to support our efforts to help those in need in our community.*

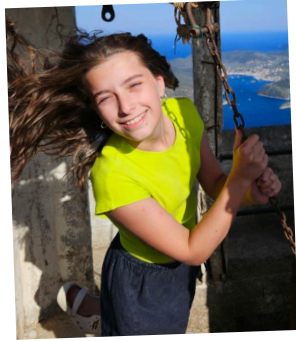
Ken & Jen Alterman, Robert & Polly Amkraut, Debby & Neal Applefeld, David & Deborah Beder, Carl & Leanne Berkenwald, Gary & Sharon Constantine, Marilyn Corets & Adam Mhlstin, Astrid Davidson, David & Elizabeth Director, Susan & Lonnie Edelheit, David & Julie Ellenhorn, Valerie & Larry Epstein, Marc & Gina Gonchar, Kaitlyn & Tyler Graham, Ken & Rebecca Heller, Dena & Drew Herbolich, Nancy Highiet Morse & Wayne Morse, Toby Israel, Scott Jarol & Nancy Cohen-Vardy, Martha & Dan Javnoz, Eduardo & Vivian Kassner, Joel & Barbara Konikow, Efrem & Linda Krisher, Loretta Kuznetz, Ann & Jim Meisner, Becky Minsky, Lev & Isabella Novik, Salvador Orozco Villalever, Jeff & Kathy Packer, Robert & Donna Peha, Brad Rind & Janet Gray, Renee Robbins, Ellen Rosenstein Brin, David & Karen Rosenzweig, Armani Salary, Sandy Samuel, Mark & Sharon Sandler, Sari Schneider, Michael & Shainie Schuffler, Barry & Judy Schwarz, Barbara Sherer, Bob & Sue Solomon, David & Joy Stiefel, Corbin & Debbie Tudor, Christopher Voss, Ilyse & Greg Wagner, Jerry & Judy Weiser, Becky Zimmerman, Noam Zohar

THANK YOU  
SO MUCH

# B'nai Mitzvah



## Alexa Berkenwald • December 7



Alexa Berkenwald is the daughter of Michael and Sara Berkenwald and sister to Avi and Elan. She is the granddaughter of Carl and Leanne Berkenwald and Mark and Nancy Kiviat. Alexa is a seventh grader at Islander Middle School in Mercer Island. She has many hobbies and interests, including soccer, skiing, rock climbing, running, drill team, playing clarinet, and spending time with friends and family. She also loves spending summers at Camp Solomon Schechter in Tumwater, Washington. Alexa enjoys helping kids, and in addition to baby sitting, she has carried out her mitzvah project by helping out with specific students at Herzl-Ner Tamid's Frankel Religious School.

## Jacob Gabriel Moss • December 14



Jacob Gabriel Moss "Jack" is the son of Al and Rachael Moss and the grandson of Sarita and Michael (z"l) Moss, Mark and Sharon Vinegar, and Laura and Brad Marks. Jack is a seventh grade student at Seattle's Asa Mercer International Middle School. He has many hobbies and passions including hockey, playing with his three dogs, camping and backpacking, cooking, photography, and spending time with his family, friends, and teammates. He is also an avid collector of sports memorabilia and major Seattle Kraken fan. Jack has been a summer camper at Solomon Schechter for many years, and is proud to be a student of Frankel Religious School. Jack's Bar Mitzvah project was to work with The Friends of the Seattle Public Library, an organization important to him and his family, whose mission is to support the Seattle Public Library by spreading the love of reading across Seattle's communities. He spent many hours packing and sorting books for teachers, students, and veterans, assisting readers at multiple Friend's Pop-Up and Banned Book events across the Seattle area – including the remodeled Greenwood Branch, and raising funds to support their mission and make books accessible to all.



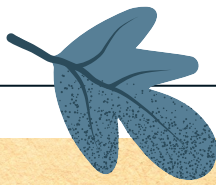
## Abigail Pernick • December 21



Abigail (Abby) Pernick is the daughter of Rebecca McKenzie and Ian Pernick, and sister of Charlotte (Charlie). She is the granddaughter of Suzan and James McKenzie and Susan (z"l) and Matthew Pernick (z"l). Abby is a seventh grader at Snoqualmie Middle School where she plays Saxophone. She has many after school activities including Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu and First Lego League. She also enjoys camping, fishing and attending Camp Solomon Schechter.







## Notification - Rooms Temporarily Closed

The **Skolnick Board Room** and **Danny's Den** are being evaluated for potential damage due to heavy rains and a misdirected roof spout. The cause has been identified; we are working on resolving the issue. Both rooms are temporarily closed out of an abundance of caution. Availability of the two rooms won't definitively be known until the evaluation is complete. However, preliminary findings anticipate Danny's Den to open within a couple of weeks with the Board Room opening timeframe still pending.



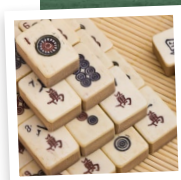
## AFFINITY GROUPS



### Needlecraft Affinity Group

Thursdays, December 5, 12, 19, 26 • 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM

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.



### Mah Jongg Affinity Group

Thursdays, December 5, 12, 19, 26 • 12:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Dragons, Flowers, and Cardinal Directions, oh my! Please join us for Mah Jongg Affinity Group on Thursdays at HNT! The second Thursday of each month we will welcome new learners. Please contact Judy Weiser at [weiserfam@comcast.net](mailto:weiserfam@comcast.net) for more details.



### Shabbat Dinner Group

Friday, December 27 • 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>

# Within the Shul Family

## We Offer Condolences for:

- Dean Polik z"l, beloved husband of Gwenn Polik
- Sylvia Siegel z"l, beloved mother of Carolyn Siegel Wexler
- William 'Billy' Jaffe z"l, beloved husband of Shirley Jaffe z"l
- Mike Bovarnick z"l, beloved husband of Ruth Bovarnick
- Elisabeta Lascu z"l, beloved mother of Claudia Noagi
- Eva Safarti z"l, beloved wife of Itshak Sarfati
- Leo Speckman z"l beloved father of Dafna Tarlowe

## Refuah Shelemah to Congregants:

- Baila bat Gavriel v'Chaiya
- 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
- Aviv Moshe ben Yitzhak v'Lara
- Sara bat Avner v'Shoshana
- Kathy Goff
- Pinchas ben Shoshanna
- Michael Ben Sarah Rochel
- Shimon ben Shia v'Chanah
- Krendel bat Miriam
- Sara Rachel bat Yaakov Kopel v'Shifra
- Gill ben Bashah
- Rahel Rivka bat Gittel v'Baruch
- Reuven Lei ben Esther
- Hadassa bat Raquel

\* HNT members are listed above, to add a name to the list email [Aviva@h-nt.org](mailto: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.

## December T'filot

See this month's B'nai Mitzvah on [Page 6](#)

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

**Friday, December 6**

6:00 PM Birthday Shabbat Service

**Saturday, December 7**

9:30 AM Shabbat Service & Bat Mitzvah of **Alexa Berkenwald**

**Friday, December 13**

6:00 PM Shabbat Service

**Saturday, December 14**

9:30 AM Shabbat Service & Bar Mitzvah of **Jacob Moss**

**Friday, December 20**

6:00 PM Shabbat Service

**Saturday, December 21**

9:30 AM Shabbat Service & Bat Mitzvah of **Abigail Pernick**

**Friday, December 27**

6:00 PM Shabbat Service

**Saturday, December 28**

10:00 AM Shabbat Service

## Morning Minyan:

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

Morning Minyan is also offered both in-person and virtually at [h-nt.org/services](https://h-nt.org/services)

## Judaica Shop New Open Hours!

First Sunday of Each Month

December 8 • 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM

We have everything you need, including tallitot, kippot, and kid-sized shofarot.





## Daytimers Lunch & Film Series

Wednesday, December 18th: *As They Made Us*  
11:30 AM - 2:30 PM • HNT Feinberg Social Hall

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

**As They Made Us:** A divorced mom tries to make peace with her dysfunctional family as she finds a second chance at love.

**Pricing:** \$10/per person early bird (register by December 11th) or \$12/per person for lunch, served 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM, followed by the film.

**Film only:** free admission, but your registration is still appreciated. Because we pre-order food, refunds cannot be issued after Friday, December 13th.

Register at <https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/event/daytimers-lunch-film4.html>



## December Anniversaries

Dec. 1	Suzanne & Ronald Gould	56 years
Dec. 11	Susie & Arthur Goldman	36 years
Dec. 14	Clive & Lynne Brazg	47 years
Dec. 15	Bob & Cindy Abramowitz	28 years
Dec. 15	Peter & Carol Michel	40 years
Dec. 15	Robert & Donna Peha	39 years
Dec. 16	Mike & Tracy Fishman	34 years
Dec. 17	Michael & Susan Becker	41 years
Dec. 18	Michele & Andrew Appelbaum	33 years
Dec. 19	Nolan & Pat Newman	42 years
Dec. 19	Alan & Elaine Peizer	42 years
Dec. 21	Stan & Michele Rosen	49 years
Dec. 22	Paul Burstein & Florence Katz Burstein	48 years
Dec. 22	Mike & Cheri Levy	51 years

Dec. 22	Phil & Susan Miller	50 years
Dec. 23	Efrem & Linda Krisher	51 years
Dec. 23	Michael & Wendy Spektor	45 years
Dec. 23	Craig & Sheila Sternberg	57 years
Dec. 23	Amy Wasser & Marvin Stern	6 years
Dec. 24	Allen & Olga Karpman	24 years
Dec. 26	Jack & Sara Goodstein	48 years
Dec. 27	Perry & Sandy Bloch	43 years
Dec. 27	Ron & Linda Krivosha	54 years
Dec. 27	Lewis Malakoff & Michelle Feder	27 years
Dec. 28	Doug & Deborah Rosen	49 years
Dec. 29	Alan & Andrea Lubner	39 years
Dec. 29	David & Stephanie Shujman	11 years
Dec. 31	Jordan & Andrea Lott	19 years

## Kosher Group

Are you interested in the latest Kosher finds? Or the latest “not-Kosher-anymore” info?

If so, contact Judy Ziedman at [jraez@comcast.net](mailto:jraez@comcast.net) to be added to the HNT Kosher Group email list and be kept up-to-date on what’s happening throughout the Seattle Kosher scene.



Thank you to everyone who joined us for the *Holiday Shuk* event on Sunday, November 24th!





# MITZVAH CORPS

MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN YOUR COMMUNITY

The mission of HNT's Mitzvah Corps is to provide a caring and compassionate resource to our fellow congregants while giving generously of ourselves. The Corps is always looking for new volunteers.

Please reach out to Judy Ziedman at [jraez@comcast.net](mailto:jraez@comcast.net) or 425-883-6482 to ask questions or to join the group.



*Thank you to everyone who joined us for the New Member Brunch on Sunday, November 10th*







## Adult Education



### Adult Ed Classes Taught by Rabbi Herber

#### Introduction To Judaism

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. Registration is no longer available.

#### **Together & Apart: The Future of Jewish Peoplehood** - Thursdays, Dec. 5, 12 • 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM

In the aftermath of October 7th and Israel's military response to free its hostages and defeat Hamas, we have been attacked, besieged, and isolated at home. Join us for this compelling, text-based Shalom Hartman Institute video series which will explore and consider how to understand what it means to be a member of the Jewish people, the core values that animate Jewish peoplehood, and the contemporary challenges to Jewish unity in the face of unprecedented antisemitic and anti-Israel activism and hate.

Learn more and register:

<https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/event/adult-education-with-rabbi-herber.html>

### How to Change Your Mind Without Losing Your Soul

*With Rabbi Jay Rosenbaum*

**Sunday, December 8 • 10:15 AM - 11:45 AM**

Jews are taught to question. It's in our spiritual DNA to challenge the status quo. But 'change' is not the whole Jewish story. In asking Abraham to chart a new path, God also requires of his descendants a multigenerational commitment. In fact, the most meaningful changes in history incorporate a sense of purpose and continuity across the generations. What does the Jewish people have to offer a world that seems both overwhelmed by change and fearful of commitment?

Learn more and register:

<https://h-nt.shulcloud.com/event/how-to-change-your-mind>



### Year Round Hebrew Classes Taught By Janine Rosenbaum

Classes Available Now

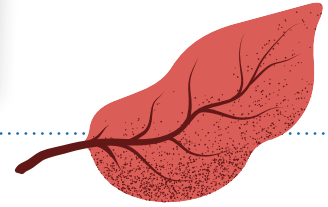
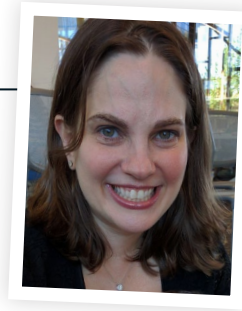
Janine Rosenbaum, the wife of Rabbi Emeritus Jay Rosenbaum, has been teaching modern, Biblical and Prayerbook Hebrew to adults and young people for over fifty years. She holds a B.A. in English and K-12 Education and a Master's Degree in Library and Information Science. please reach out to Janine at

[janinerosenbaum@comcast.net](mailto:janinerosenbaum@comcast.net) to inquire about this years options





# A Message from Director of Education Irit Eliav Levin



*“In spite of everything, I still believe people are really good at heart.”*

– Anne Frank

For my seventh birthday, my parents took a group of my friends to see a theater production of Pollyanna. I loved the Disney movie and was even brought onto the stage to light a little sparkling candle, while the whole theater sang “Happy Birthday” to me. I still love Pollyanna, since as anyone who knows me will tell you, I tend to be an optimistic, hopeful person. This is a trait I definitely inherited from my father. We often tease him by saying that for him, the glass isn’t half full, it’s half full - with potential for growth.

But lately, it has been harder than usual for me to look at the world in an optimistic light. The events of October 7th and its aftermath weigh heavily on my heart. I think constantly of the hostages and was especially devastated by the loss of Hersch Goldberg-Polin z”l. The election cycle we just went through was ugly and complicated. We have neo-Nazis proudly marching through the streets. I worry for the safety of my own children and all of the children here at Herzl-Ner Tamid, especially when they are out in the world.

I know I’m not alone in feeling this way. I’ve lost count of the number of FRS parents who have pulled me aside or asked to speak with me, and shared that they were feeling lost, worried, and alone. It is a hard time to be Jewish right now. It’s an especially hard time to be a Jewish parent right now, as we wonder about the world in which we are raising our children. Many of us feel as though we haven’t had a chance to just be “normal” parents, between Covid, the rise of antisemitism, and the general unrest happening throughout the world.

But despite all of this unease and worry, there are so many moments of hope. I watch our students playing together at recess, laughing and enjoying being with other Jewish children. I see their eyes light up as they think about a Jewish text in a new way or gain mastery over a particular prayer they have been working on. I watch the devotion and care that our teachers put into their lessons, their love for our students and for our people palpable. I see the dedication of the HNT staff and volunteers, working tirelessly to make our community stronger, to keep building for our Jewish future. And I tuck my own three sweet children into bed at night, the sight of their sleepy faces filling my whole being with love. And I am so grateful for all of it.

Rachel Goldberg-Polin z”l, despite the unimaginable loss she has faced, still teaches that hope is mandatory. Her [beautiful column](#) in the Times of Israel last month is a worthwhile and important read (Make sure you have tissues nearby). She reminds us that despite everything, we must continue to work on *Tikkun Olam*, repairing the world. And if she can, then I have to as well. We all do.

May we work together to build a better future for HNT, for the entire Jewish community, and for the world as a whole. *Ken Yehi Ratzon*. May it be God’s will.

– IRIT ELIAV LEVIN,  
DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION



## Tot Shabbat at SJCC

Fridays (Excluding Dec. 27 & Jan. 3) • 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 - Pre-Gan Class

Fun Opportunity for 3-5 year olds!

Did you know that the Frankel Religious School starts at age three? We are looking for a few more students for our Pre-Gan class at FRS! Come join Morah Cindy each week for a fabulous morning of singing, doing art projects, and learning about Judaism in a fun and meaningful way! Class meets from 9:30 AM - 12:15 PM! Please help us spread the word about this fabulous program!

(Note: Students must be potty trained to participate.) If you are interested in learning more, please contact Irit Eliav Levin, Director of Education, at [Irit@h-nt.org](mailto:Irit@h-nt.org).

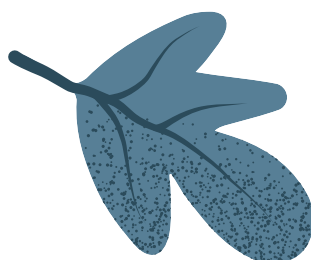


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January 25th - 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Join us for Havdalah, a concert by **Josh Niehaus**, explosions (safe!) in the social hall as part of the Radical Reactions program from the **Pacific Science Center**, snacks, and Science and Jewish themed art projects and more! This event is co-sponsored by the Jewish Day School and PJ Library.

Registration forms coming soon. For more information, please contact Irit Eliav Levin, Director of Education, at [Irit@h-nt.org](mailto:Irit@h-nt.org).





# Social Action Opportunities



## Stay Tuned for Information on Upcoming Projects Through the Social Action Committee

### Coming up in January

HNT will be collecting comfort items for distribution to Jewish students through Hillel at the University of Washington. Please stay tuned for instructions on how to donate games and art supplies to Hillel UW in January.

Besides the UW Hillel project, SAC will also be focusing on other Jewish organizations in the forthcoming months:

- Supporting a guide dog program in Israel and, locally, the Israeli Scouts. At our January meeting we will be discussing additional projects that will benefit the Jewish community.
- SAC will continue its Teen Feed every month, as this is an important endeavor that helps many kids on an ongoing basis. We will also be organizing a couple of meals at Porchlight, the eastside men's shelter.
- The Social Action Committee is always looking for new members to join the committee and we welcome any new ideas you might have. Contact **Judy Ziedman** at [jraez@comcast.net](mailto:jraez@comcast.net) or 425.883.6482.



## Teen Feed

**Sunday, December 22 • 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM**

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](mailto:TeenFeed@h-nt.org) to help this month, for questions, or to be added to the Teen Feed volunteer list.







# IN SUPPORT OF ONE ANOTHER

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## AMY MACKOFF CAMPSHIP FUND

For the Yahrzeit of  
Helen Chaiken Blum from Vivian & David Blum

## BUILDING FUND

For the Yahrzeit of  
Barney Siegel from Larry Lemchen  
George Siegel from Larry Lemchen

In Memory of  
Billy Jaffe from Louie Sanft

## CANTOR'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

In Memory of  
Billy Jaffe from Nancy Highiet Morse

## DANNY LEWIS FUND

In Memory of  
Bill Jaffe from Robin Zambrowsky  
Dean Polik from Robin Zambrowsky

## DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

In Memory of  
Dean Polik from Sandy Samuel

## EILEEN MINTZ KITCHEN FUND

In Memory of  
Sylvia Mae Siegel from Ziad and Ralda Elias

## FLOWERS FUND

In Memory of  
Sylvia Siegel from Larry Lemchen

## FRANKEL RELIGIOUS SCHOOL FUND

In Memory of  
Sylvia Siegel from Bob & Sue Solomon  
Dean Polik from Bob & Sue Solomon

## FRANKEL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

In Memory of  
Mike Bovarnick from Bruce & Peggy Gladner  
Beatrice Schaner from Ilyse & Greg Wagner

## GENERAL FUND

For the Yahrzeit of  
Fanny Berger from Marci Rogozen  
Ted Rosenblume from Marci Rogozen

In Honor of  
Sylvia Angel's Big Birthday  
from Diana and Ron, Galit and Sol Schneeweiss

In Memory of  
Elisabeta Lascu from Ilyse & Greg Wagner  
Mike Bovarnick from Peggy Bernstein  
Mike Bovarnick from Nancy Highiet Morse & Wayne Morse  
Dean Polik from Jewish Day School of Metropolitan Seattle  
Michael Moss from Sarita R Moss

## MEMORIAL FUND

For the Yahrzeit of  
Julius Deutsch from Jerald Weiner  
Louis Ostroff from Gertrude Ostroff  
Alice Nossen from Amy Wasser & Marvin Stern  
Herman Nossen from Amy Wasser & Marvin Stern  
Shirley Rosenblum from David & Sharron Hartman  
Jerry Rosenbloom from David & Sharron Hartman  
David Sidell from Craig & Sheila Sternberg  
Amy Sidell from Craig & Sheila Sternberg  
Ronald Weinstein from Devorah Weinstein  
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Edward (Socco) Stern from Pauline Stern  
Ellis Corets from Marilyn Corets & Adam Mhlstin  
Arthur Norman Marsh from Muriel Epstein

## MEMORIAL FUND

Annette Axelrad Cohen from Ronald Cohen  
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Morton Kuznetz from Loretta Kuznetz  
Nathan Kuznetz from Loretta Kuznetz  
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Tillie Berch from Marcy Berch  
Anita Tobias from Robbie Caggiano  
Sadie Roth from Stan & Fran Schill  
Edward Rosenblatt from Jackie Rosenblatt & Gary Johnson

In Appreciation of  
Chuck Caplan from David & Sharron Hartman

In Memory of  
Mike Bovarnick from Ron & Lori Kaufman  
Mike Bovarnick from Bob & Sue Solomon  
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### For the Yahrzeit of

Jacob Siegel from Larry Lemchen  
Samuel Kotkins from David & Karen Rosenzweig  
Nellie Kotkins from David & Karen Rosenzweig

### In Honor of

Charles and Louise Kiss' 60th Anniversary  
from Mollie Launer

### In Memory of

Mike Bovarnick from Chuck & Marilyn Caplan  
Dean Polik from Carl & Joann Bianco  
Mike Bovarnick from Carl & Joann Bianco  
Dean Polik from Susan & Lonnie Edelheit

## MORNING MINYAN FUND

### For the Yahrzeit of

Elsie Greenberg Rosenstein from Ellen Rosenstein Brin  
Miriam Samuel from Sandy Samuel  
George Siegel from Carolyn & Eldon Wexler  
Jacob Siegel from Carolyn & Eldon Wexler  
Barney Siegel from Carolyn & Eldon Wexler

### In Memory of

Elisabeta Lascu from Sandy Samuel  
Dean Polik from Mike & Cheri Levy  
Mike Bovarnick from Mike & Cheri Levy  
Sylvia Siegel from Mike & Cheri Levy  
Mike Bovarnick from the Wagner Family  
Mike Bovarnick from Elaine Cohn  
Mike Bovarnick from Larry Lemchen  
Mike Bovarnick from Craig Weinstein  
Mike Bovarnick from Craig & Sheila Sternberg  
Dean Polik from Marilyn Corets & Adam Muhlstein  
Dean Polik from Ilyse, Greg, Shayna, Risa & Bailey Wagner  
Dean Polik from Anita and Arny Reich  
Dean Polik from Craig & Sheila Sternberg  
Dean Polik from Jerry & Judy Weiser  
Dean Polik from Larry Lemchen  
Sylvia Mae Siegel from Carolyn & Eldon Wexler

## RABBI HERBER'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

### In Appreciation of

Rabbi Herber from Carolyn & Eldon Wexler

## RABBI ROSENBAUM'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

### For the Yahrzeit of

Marshall Chernin from Ralph & Lisa Katsman  
Harold Siegel from Carolyn & Eldon Wexler

### In Honor of

Rabbi Rosenbaum's Birthday from Larry Lemchen

## SOCIAL ACTION FUND

### In Appreciation of

The Social Action Committee from Neville & Gwenda Smith

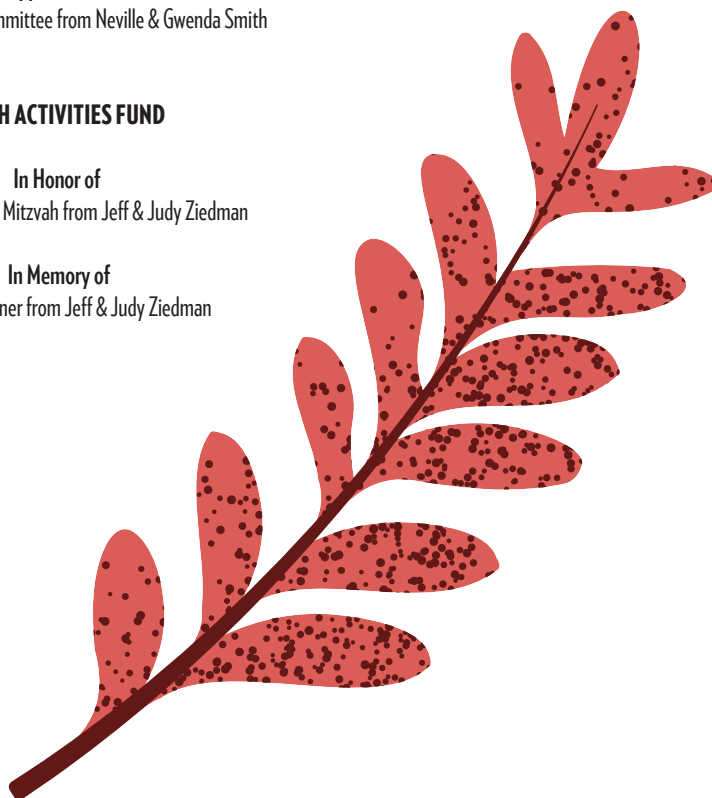
## YOUTH ACTIVITIES FUND

### In Honor of

Bentley Harris' Bar Mitzvah from Jeff & Judy Ziedman

### In Memory of

Beatrice Schaner from Jeff & Judy Ziedman







# BELOVED DEPARTED

Memorialized with Yahrzeit Plaques at HNT

## SHABBAT OF December 6/7

Dec. 7 *Beatrice Gula*  
Dec. 7 *Charles Balter*  
Dec. 7 *Irving Greenberg*  
Dec. 7 *Julia Frankfurt*  
Dec. 8 *Ellis Corets*  
Dec. 9 *Henry Schocken*  
Dec. 10 *Samuel Epstein*  
Dec. 10 *Sophia Ross*  
Dec. 10 *Ursula Rychter*  
Dec. 11 *Ellis Davis*  
Dec. 11 *Jacob Glesin*  
Dec. 12 *Ada Liberman*  
Dec. 12 *Hyman Cohen*  
Dec. 12 *Rebecca Burstein*  
Dec. 13 *Albert Benezra*  
Dec. 13 *Gertrude Rosefield*  
Dec. 13 *Jake Gold*  
Dec. 13 *Stella Fein*

## SHABBAT OF December 13/14

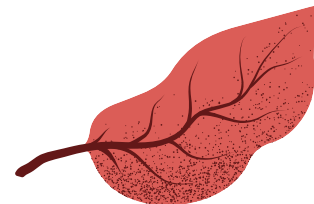
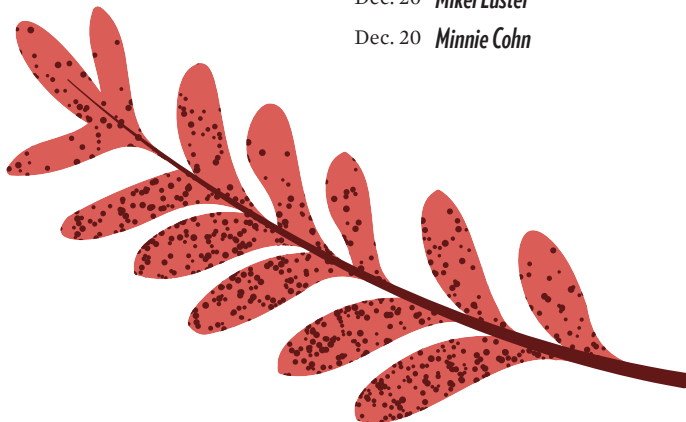
Dec. 14 *Issac Lurie*  
Dec. 14 *Izhack Nagel*  
Dec. 14 *Jacqueline Barish*  
Dec. 15 *Isaac Davis*  
Dec. 15 *Phyllis Danz*  
Dec. 16 *Gisa Spektor*  
Dec. 16 *Harvey Bernstein*  
Dec. 17 *David Neff*  
Dec. 17 *Fanny Leopold*  
Dec. 17 *Ida Kushner*  
Dec. 17 *Rose Mutchler*  
Dec. 18 *Eva Getzen*  
Dec. 18 *Sarah Cohen*  
Dec. 19 *Ben Powazek*  
Dec. 19 *Herman Klatzker*  
Dec. 19 *Louis Ostroff*  
Dec. 19 *Max Kahn*  
Dec. 19 *Rosalind (Roz) Mintz*  
Dec. 19 *Sofii Moscovici*  
Dec. 20 *Herman Nossen*  
Dec. 20 *Isaac Markow*  
Dec. 20 *Lynne Coe*  
Dec. 20 *Mikel Luster*  
Dec. 20 *Minnie Cohn*

## SHABBAT OF December 20/21

Dec. 21 *Bessie White*  
Dec. 21 *Isidore Dwoskin*  
Dec. 21 *Luba Lackman*  
Dec. 21 *Shamay Thomas*  
Dec. 21 *William Reich*  
Dec. 22 *Harry Lerner*  
Dec. 22 *Ida Kline*  
Dec. 22 *Olga Schiller*  
Dec. 22 *Sam Senescu*  
Dec. 22 *Virginia Kahn*  
Dec. 23 *Amy Sidell*  
Dec. 23 *Ellen Friedman*  
Dec. 23 *Frieda Kiksmann*  
Dec. 23 *Salo Kiksmann*  
Dec. 23 *Tsirl Rosenberg*  
Dec. 24 *Ida Liff*  
Dec. 25 *Anna Klatzker*  
Dec. 25 *Nat Rubenstein*  
Dec. 25 *Rae Tover*  
Dec. 26 *Felix Katschke*  
Dec. 26 *Herbert Stein*  
Dec. 26 *Julius Deutsch*  
Dec. 26 *Lucille Wallace Lazarus*  
Dec. 26 *Nathan Kuznetz*  
Dec. 26 *Paula Rose*  
Dec. 27 *Gordon Lamken*  
Dec. 27 *Philip Tworoger*  
Dec. 27 *Rahel Marcus*

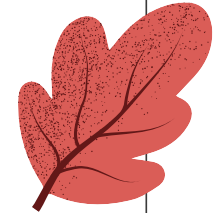
## SHABBAT OF December 27/28

Dec. 28 *Bessie Neshaver*  
Dec. 28 *Dora Baker*  
Dec. 28 *Fanny Wienir*  
Dec. 28 *Louis Zeidman*  
Dec. 28 *Morton Kuznetz*  
Dec. 28 *Tessy Goldberg*  
Dec. 29 *Bernard Gladstein*  
Dec. 29 *Gladys Pruchno*  
Dec. 29 *Rabbi Philip Langh*  
Dec. 30 *Jack Weiskind*  
Dec. 30 *Sarah Paloy*  
Dec. 31 *Albert Bienn*  
Dec. 31 *David Zweig*  
Dec. 31 *Dora Winikoff*  
Jan. 1 *Heather Cohen*  
Jan. 1 *Mike Cohen*  
Jan. 1 *Myer Grashin*  
Jan. 1 *William Barrat*  
Jan. 2 *Anna Poll*  
Jan. 2 *Max Lewin*  
Jan. 2 *Mildred Lowy*  
Jan. 2 *Morris Ringold*  
Jan. 2 *Saul Burston*  
Jan. 3 *Dick Angel*  
Jan. 3 *Gordon Gaponoff*  
Jan. 3 *Louis Lott*  
Jan. 3 *Marcy Backer Schwartz*



Herzl-Ner Tamid Calendar of Events - December 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>1 (30 Cheshvon)</b> <b>Rosh Chodesh Kislev</b> Minyan 9:00am	<b>2 (1 Kislev)</b> <b>Rosh Chodesh Kislev</b> Minyan 7:30am Modern Hebrew 1 9:30am	<b>3 (2 Kislev)</b> Minyan 7:30am Modern Hebrew 2 9:30am Prayerbook Hebrew 11:00am Modern Hebrew 1 7:00pm	<b>4 (3 Kislev)</b> Minyan 7:30am Biblical Hebrew 9:30am Modern Hebrew 3 7:00pm	<b>5 (4 Kislev)</b> Minyan 7:30am Needlecraft Group 9:30am Modern Hebrew 2 9:30am Together & Apart 7:00pm Beginning Hebrew 7:00pm	<b>6 (5 Kislev)</b> Candle Lighting 4:00pm Minyan 7:30am Tot Shabbat at SJCC 9:45am Cantor Batchelor Welcome & Pre-Neg 5:00pm Birthday Shabbat Service 6:00pm	<b>7 (6 Kislev) Vayetzei</b> Bat Mitzvah of Alexa Berkenwald Shabbat Services 9:30am
<b>8 (7 Kislev)</b> Minyan 9:00am Judaica Gift Shop 9:30am Modern Hebrew 2 9:30am How to Change Your Mind 10:15am Introduction to Judaism 10:30am	<b>9 (8 Kislev)</b> Minyan 7:30am Modern Hebrew 1 9:30am	<b>10 (9 Kislev)</b> Minyan 7:30am Modern Hebrew 2 9:30am Prayerbook Hebrew 11:00am Modern Hebrew 1 7:00pm	<b>11 (10 Kislev)</b> Minyan 7:30am Biblical Hebrew 9:30am Modern Hebrew 3 7:00pm	<b>12 (11 Kislev)</b> Minyan 7:30am Needlecraft Group 9:30am Modern Hebrew 2 9:30am Together & Apart 7:00pm Beginning Hebrew 7:00pm	<b>13 (12 Kislev)</b> Candle Lighting 4:00pm Minyan 7:30am Tot Shabbat at SJCC 9:45am Pre-Neg 5:30pm Shabbat Services 6:00pm	<b>14 (13 Kislev)</b> <b>Vayishlach</b> Bar Mitzvah of Jacob Moss Shabbat Services 9:30am
<b>15 (14 Kislev)</b> Minyan 9:00am Modern Hebrew 2 9:30am Welcome Cantor Batchelor Bagel Brunch 10:15am Introduction to Judaism 10:30am	<b>16 (15 Kislev)</b> Minyan 7:30am Modern Hebrew 1 9:30am	<b>17 (16 Kislev)</b> Minyan 7:30am Modern Hebrew 2 9:30am Prayerbook Hebrew 11:00am Modern Hebrew 1 7:00pm	<b>18 (17 Kislev)</b> Minyan 7:30am Biblical Hebrew 9:30am Daytimer's Lunc. 11:30am Modern Hebrew 3 7:00pm	<b>19 (18 Kislev)</b> Minyan 7:30am Needlecraft Group 9:30am Modern Hebrew 2 9:30am Beginning Hebrew 7:00pm	<b>20 (19 Kislev)</b> Candle Lighting 4:02pm Minyan 7:30am Tot Shabbat at SJCC 9:45am Pre-Neg 5:30pm Shabbat Services 6:00pm	<b>21 (20 Kislev) Vayeshev</b> Bat Mitzvah of Abigail Pernick Shabbat Services 9:30am
<b>22 (21 Kislev)</b> Minyan 9:00am Modern Hebrew 2 9:30am Introduction to Judaism 10:30am Teen Feed 5:30pm	<b>23 (22 Kislev)</b> Minyan 7:30am Modern Hebrew 1 9:30am	<b>24 (23 Kislev)</b> Minyan 7:30am Modern Hebrew 2 9:30am Prayerbook Hebrew 11:00am	<b>25 (24 Kislev)</b> <b>Erev Chanukah</b> Office Closed Christmas Day	<b>26 (25 Kislev)</b> <b>Chanukah</b> Minyan 7:30am Needlecraft Group 9:30am	<b>27 (26 Kislev)</b> <b>Chanukah</b> Candle Lighting 4:06pm Minyan 7:30am Tot Shabbat at S. 9:45am Pre-Neg 5:30pm Shabbat Services 6:00pm Shabbat Dinner Group 7:30pm	<b>28 (27 Kislev) Miketz</b> <b>Chanukah</b> Shabbat Mevarchim Shabbat Services 10:00am
<b>29 (28 Kislev)</b> <b>Chanukah</b> Minyan 9:00am Minyanaire Brunch 10:15am 4:00pm Hanukkah Happy Hour	<b>30 (29 Kislev)</b> <b>Chanukah</b> Minyan 7:30am	<b>31 (30 Kislev)</b> <b>Chanukah</b> <b>Rosh Chodesh Tevet</b> Minyan 7:30am				



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## HERZL MEMORIAL PARK

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.

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