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the memo

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Ancient Blueprint for Contemporary Architecture

If you want to build something, you usually start with a plan, and probably, plans. Take Noah. Since the earth had become corrupt, God's plan was to destroy the earth and rebuild it with the help of Noah, his family, and two of each animal. Noah was to build an ark and there were specific plans for the building of the ark – so many cubits high and wide etc. Noah wouldn't know how to design the ark without the plans.

Then there is our building the sanctuary - not our sanctuary - the one in the wilderness. God said, "V'asu li mikdash, v'shachanti b'tocham. Make me a sanctuary that I may dwell among them." The plan was to make a sanctuary. Then, there were specific plans for this, including what kind of wood to use, and in what proportions, as well as what other materials to use and how to use them. Then there is our sanctuary - the one we built. Our plan was to build an open, useful, and environmentally pleasing space. And, we had very clear and detailed architectural plans that we followed, right down to creating enough space to roll the Torah out from one end of our building to the other. We couldn't have done that without a plan and plans.

And think about your own building of things. If you have ever remodeled a living space, you know that you first need a plan and then you need plans. You need to know what you want to do and then, how to do what you want to do. Where would you be without the plan and the plans?

What if you wanted to build something else? What if you wanted to build or rebuild yourself? Where would you start? If you wanted to build yourself physically, you might go to a gym, a fitness center, a Yoga class, or a Pilates studio. You would still probably meet with a trainer or teacher to go over your plan of what to do, and the plans for how to do it.

What if your plan is to build or rebuild your spiritual self? Where would you go to do that? Judaism has much wisdom to guide those of us looking for spiritual building and, as you would guess, also offers the plans to do that spiritual building. One such plan is to study the Ten Commandments and to learn the spiritual practices that are found in the study of those verses. The Ten Commandments aren't just something to memorize. They form the basis of important practices that could change your life.

I invite you to join me for the November, CRC University Series, "Ancient Blueprint for Contemporary Architecture - Spiritual Practices from the Ten Commandments." We will meet on Tuesdays, November 5, 12, 19, 26, 2013, 7:00 – 8:30 pm at CRC. That's the plan. The plans will unfold. I look forward to seeing you in November.

Kol Tuv (All the Best)

Rabbi Ed

Services

Friday Evenings

November 1
Kabbalat Shabbat **7:30 pm**

November 8
Kabbalat Shabbat **7:30 pm**

November 15
Kabbalat Shabbat **7:30 pm**

November 22
Kabbalat/Social Responsibility Shabbat **7:30 pm**

November 29
Kabbalat Shabbat **7:30 pm**

Saturday Mornings

November 2
Toldot **10:00 am**

November 9
Vayeitzei **10:00 am**
Bar mitzvah of Aaron Zoll

November 16
Vayishlach **10:00 am**
Vayeishev **5:00 pm**
Bar mitzvah of Daniel Hochberg

November 23
Vayeishev **10:00 am**
Bar mitzvah of Elijah Ballard
Mikeitz **5:00 pm**
Bar mitzvah of Jake Sher

November 30
Mikeitz **10:00 am**
Bar mitzvah of Cole Padawer

SATURDAY NIGHT NOVEMBER 2

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Mazel Tov to ...

- Ida Streeto on her bat mitzvah
- Noah Greenberg on his bar mitzvah
- Yanna and Christian Hotter on the birth of their daughter, Sabine Leah Goldberg Hotter
- Scott Levine and Margaretta Mendenhall on the birth of their daughter, Eliana
- Bill Sitzer on his selection to the 2014 edition of the nationally recognized publication *The Best Lawyers in America* for his work in the practice area of Trusts and Estates
- Jennifer and Derrick Fishering on the birth of their son, Jasper Ansehl
- Darryl Sagel on joining the board of Crown Center
- Terri and Steve Leyton on the marriage of their daughter Mollie to Jason Glazer

Sincere Condolences to...

- Cynthia Kerman on the death of her father, Wilbur Kerman
- Ferd Isserman and Rick Isserman on the death of their cousin, Ellen Isserman
- Michael Rawitscher on the death of his father, Robert Edward Rawitscher
- Susan Schneider on the death of her mother, Paula Bromberg
- Michelle Mills on the death of her mother, Margalite Abady

Welcome New Members

- Frank and Laura Robbins and Freddy and Tommy
- Barbara and Jay Matthews
- Carolyn Amacher and Ezra and Samuel
- Mike and Amy Wilson and Ryley and Jonah
- Janie and John Burse and Jenna and Jessica
- Anna Roshal and Leon Likhtman and Shimon and Arie
- Rebecca Frazier and Melissa Bennett
- Felice and Gerry Joyce

Pre-Chanukah Tot Shabbat

Friday, November 30, 6:00 pm

Join us for fun with songs, stories, prayer, and food with a special Chanukah twist.

First Night/First Light

Wednesday, November 27, 6:00 pm

Light your first Chanukah candle with us. We'll have latkes, dreidles, and fun. Bring your chanyukiah (Chanukah menorah) and light up the night with CRC.

LGBT Latke Party

Friday, December 6, 6:00 pm

Please join us as we celebrate Hannukkah! Or learn how to spell it!! Let's eat a lotta latkes and share a Shabbat Dinner! Please bring the following to share for about 12 people: A-F (vegetable side dish or salad), G-N (vege main), O-Z (dessert and wine). Feel free to bring your menorah and candles! Please RSVP to maggie@centralreform.org.

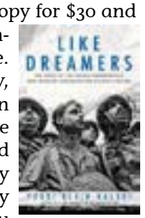
Like Dreamers: The Story of the Israeli Paratroopers who Reunited Jerusalem and Divided a Nation

Tuesday, December 10, 7:00 pm

Join author Yossi Klein Halevi at CRC for a talk about his new book, *Like Dreamers: The Story of the Israeli Paratroopers Who Reunited Jerusalem and Divided a Nation*. After years of research and interviews, Yossi Klein Halevi has produced a humanizing narrative history of Israel from the Six Day War to the present. As author Samuel G. Freedman writes, "Halevi has long been the most incisive and eloquent journalist writing for an American audience. This is his masterpiece."

Do not miss the opportunity to hear first-hand from the author about the incredible journey of the Israeli Para-troopers.

Yossi Klein Halevi's Book is Now Available for Purchase at CRC



The book is available at a discounted price.The publisher's price is $35 but you can purchase your copy for $30 and benefit CRC programming at the same time. To purchase your copy, bring a check or cash in an envelope marked "Like Dreamers" to CRC and one of the office or facility staff can provide a copy of the book for you. If you would like to use a credit card (Visa or Mastercard), call the office in advance during regular office hours, M-F from 9:00 - 5:00, with your credit card number. We'll set a book aside for you to pick up at your convenience.

November University Series with Rabbi Ed

Tuesdays, November 5, 12, 19, 26
7:00 – 8:30 pm

Ancient Blueprint for Contemporary Architecture - Spiritual Practices from the Ten Commandments.

CRC Hosts NFTY Fall Regional Youth Conclave

On the weekend of *November 15-17*, CRC will host over 80 high school students from synagogues in our St. Louis area as well as from synagogues in Illinois and Iowa. Our teens are excited about this opportunity to showcase CRC to their friends from other places and to introduce our congregation to the Youth Group energy. This is always a community effort. If you are interested in hosting some teens from out of town (or those in St. Louis who choose to spend the weekend away from their homes), please contact Rabbi Randy at CRC for more information.

Basic Judaism

Saturday, October 12, noonish

For most of us there must be rite, legend, ceremony, and visible form in our Judaism. What is the mezuzah? What does wearing a tallit mean? Join us as we learn about our Judaica "forms." Call Maggie Duwe at (314) 361-1564 ext. 112 for more information.

Friday Torah Study

Fridays, 1:45-3:00pm

Join us as we discuss Deuteronomy. We emphasize reading the Torah, primarily in English, with Hebrew explanations, but our discussions don't strictly follow the portion. We find enough in every portion to last us several weeks. Contact Maggie Duwe at (314) 361-1564 ext. 112 or maggie@centralreform.org.

Social Responsibility Shabbat with the Lantos Foundation for Human Rights and Justice

Friday, November 22, 7:30 pm
during Friday Night Kabbalat Shabbat

CRC has the privilege of welcoming the Lantos Foundation for Human Rights and Justice to our Kabbalat Shabbat service, thanks to the generosity of the Staenberg Family Foundation.

The Lantos Foundation, very much in-line with CRC's values, has a mission to strengthen the role of human rights in American foreign policy, and to be a vital voice standing up for our nation's most important values of decency, dignity, freedom, and justice in every corner of the world. Through education and advocacy we seek to promote the simple yet profound truth that we are indeed our brothers' keepers. In so doing we hope to carry on Congressman Lantos' remarkable legacy of service to humanity.

Join us for an important evening of drawing attention to human rights violations across the globe. Learn how the Lantos Foundation has worked to alert the media and governments to the importance of making human rights a priority on equal footing with other policy decisions.

Weatherization 2013

Saturday, December 7, 12:00-4:00 pm
Sunday, December 15, 12:00-4:00 pm

As one of Central Reform Congregation's longest community partnerships, we have been helping weatherize in the Grace Hill neighborhood since 1990. Work with a team of other community volunteers to place plastic on interior windows of select area resident homes to keep our neighbors warm this winter. This year we will focus on elderly residents within the Grace Hill service area. Last year we added a community garden project in Peace Park which was a great success. We cleaned and secured the beds for winter so they were ready for spring planting. No special skills are needed, so please bring your friends or family (12 and older) and join us for this worthwhile project.

Meet your team at Grace Hill Business Center, 2125 Bissell, St. Louis 63107 before each shift. If available to you, please bring scissors, hammer, rags, rubbing alcohol and stepstool or small ladder for weatherizing, or gardening tools if working in Peace Park.

Contact: Marcy Brodsky, (314) 302-8957 or marcy.brodsky@aon.com to volunteer, for questions or directions (map will be provided).

Support our Firefighters and Police Officers on Thanksgiving Day

Thursday, November 28

We are collecting grocery gift cards and non-perishable foods (snack type foods for police stations as they do not cook meals there) for gift bags to deliver at fire and police stations in the city and county. Please leave the gift cards with Connie at the front desk, and there is a bin in the oneg for the food donations. On Thanksgiving Day morning, we'll say "thanks" by delivering the baskets. Please meet at CRC no later than 9:45 am to pick up gift bags and addresses of police and fire stations. This is a great opportunity for families and individuals of all ages to do a mitzvah before heading to our Thanksgiving celebrations. RSVP to Mel Goldman at melonpershing@sbcglobal.net.

tikkun olam & more

We are collecting...

✱ Men's, women's, and children's gently worn coats/gloves/hats for the International Institute to assist recent immigrants and others in need.

✱ Yarn to make scarves to be distributed through Centenary Methodist Church and St. Cronin's as they hand out blankets to the homeless.

✱ Grocery gift cards and non-perishable foods for gift bags to deliver at fire and police stations in the city and county on Thanksgiving.

✱ Gently used books appropriate for children ages 3-12 to benefit the students of two St. Louis Public Schools in the Succeeding with Reading (SwR) program.

✱ Toiletries to be distributed on Christmas to Ronald McDonald House at Mercy Hospital.

✱ Non-perishable food and winter clothes for our tikkun closet.

"New Kid"

Sunday, November 24, 3:00 pm at CRC

Welcoming Missouri, a statewide initiative of the Missouri Immigrant & Refugee Advocates presents a Metro Theater Company production of "New Kid"--a play that speaks to the rich diversity of our communities and addresses issues of assimilation and bullying. Recommended for adults, families, and young people age 5 and up. While reservations are required and donations will be accepted with a smile, there will be no charge. Visit us online or call us directly to make yours today.

http://www.welcomingmisouri.org

http://www.mira-mo.org

(314) 669-1288

Jewish-Muslim Day of Service

December 25

CRC will again host the St. Louis Muslim and Jewish community for a Day of Service on Christmas Day. Last year we packaged over 400 individual toiletry bags put together with donations from CRC congregants and members of the community that went to the Ronald McDonald House at Mercy Hospital.

Please donate toiletries. We need individual size personal toiletry items: hand soap, toothpaste, toothbrush, comb, brush, shampoo (travel size), baby shampoo, razors (individual) men and women, shaving cream (travel size), personal hygiene (women), or, a cash donation of any size made payable to JCRC's Muslim Day. For more information, contact Rick Isserman at (314) 807-4330 or richardisserman@yahoo.com.

Community Organizing in St. Louis--Past and Future

Triple Chai + 1 Brunch and Program
(Anyone 55 and Over)

Sunday, November 3, 10:30 am – 12:30 pm

CRC member, Ben Senturia, worked for decades as an advocate for social justice for the Coalition for the Environment, as well as other political and social action efforts. We have been given a wonderful opportunity to hear about his experiences and learn about the future of community organizing in St. Louis.

Join us as he discusses: *"Continuing the Powerful Social Justice Voices in St. Louis: Strategies for the Next Generation of Community Organizers."* Please RSVP so that we can know how many will attend. RSVP to Claire Hyman, at claire.j.hyman@sbcglobal.net or Anita Wilson, anita63146@yahoo.com or (314) 878-3502. Those attending are asked to please bring one dish to share for the brunch: A-L entree; M-Z salad or side dish.

Save the date:Triple Chai +1,
Sunday, December 1, 10:30 am

STL Style Presents:

Brothers Lazaroff Hanukkah Hullabaloo

Wednesday December 4
Show at 8:00 pm | doors at 7:30 pm
Plush, 3224 Locust St., St Louis, MO 63103
(314) 535-2686

Featuring: Brothers Lazaroff, Rabbi James Stone Goodman, and The Eight Nights Orchestra performing "Eight Nights" (with members of the Funky Butt Brass Band, Will Soll's Klezmer Conspiracy, and The Vaad), local Doo-Wop legends Nostalgia. Chosen sets by The Soul Selector - DJ Tom "Papa" Ray. Special readings by author Laura Roodman-Edwards-Ray and poet/spoken word artist, Cheeraz Gormon. Latkes will be fried live on stage! Rabbi Susan and other community rabbis will participate. Ticket prices are undetermined at this time, check later on at www.brotherslazaroff.com. All proceeds go to One Life-Whole World Project of Neve Shalom with programs on addiction, mental illness and prison outreach. http://plushstl.com/

Ashkenazi Genetic Disorders

Tuesday, November 19, 6:30 pm
Performing Arts & Banquet Center in the Arts & Education Building, JCC

An information session about genetic disorders, specifically among individuals in the Ashkenazi Jewish population (descended from Eastern Europe) will be led by Erin Berry, a genetic counselor at Washington University in St. Louis.

tributes & yahrzeits

When making a tribute, specify which fund.

General Fund

NEIL AND WENDY JAFFE
In honor of the marriages of Lee and Lise Bernstein's children,

DANIEL AND EMILY AND RACHEL AND SAM

ROMA B. WITTCOFF
In honor of Lois Caplan Miller's 90th birthday

SUSAN PIONTEK AND FAMILY
With thanks to Rabbis Susan, Randy, Ed, and Dale for all the life and grace they have brought to this community and beyond

ALY ABRAMS
With gratitude to Alan Freed, Leslie Caplan and the CRC choir for their beautiful music during High Holiday services

MICHAEL AND JANE HOLTZMAN
To honor Katie Scherck and Lila Bensky on their bat mitzvahs

ELAINE LAPOFSKY KESTEN
In memory of Millie Silver, "my role model"

HELENE FRANKEL AND GEORGE BONIFACE
In memory of Dr. Bill Boniface

SHARON AND BOB HOLLANDER
With healing prayers for Maia Funkhouser and Anita Walz

With thanks to Rabbi Susan, Rabbi Randy, Rabbi Ed, John Terranova, the CRC choir, all the volunteers, and the St. Louis police officers who made the 5774 holiday experience a memorable one

HARRY AND MIRIAM WEINTROP
In memory of their mothers, Minnie Suffian and Bess Weintrop, and their daughter in law, Lori Beth Weintrop

MICHAEL STOKES AND PATRICIA WENDLING
In memory of Buddy Baum

BARRY AND ANITA WILSON
In memory of Phyllis Braveman

PAUL D. HERSHKOWITZ

Rabbis' Tribute Fund

JOHN AND CYNTHIA WALLACH
With sincere thanks to Rabbi Talve for the wonderful ceremony she conducted for Laura and Scott's wedding

ELLEN AND AARON FRANZEL
With thanks to Rabbi Susan and Rabbi Randy for all their help and support preparing Sarah for her bat mitzvah

MICHAEL AND CAROL STAENBERG
In honor of the marriage of their daughter Rachael and Joel Brightfield

KATHY AND BILL SITZER
With gratitude to Rabbi Susan and her firm and unwavering vision of radical hospitality

ELLEN AND MICHAEL RUMELT
With thanks to Rabbi Talve for the wonderful wedding blessing for Andy and Melison

SAM AND RACHEL KALLISON
With thanks to Rabbi Randy for making their wedding ceremony such a beautiful, heartwarming, and meaningful experience

THE FAMILY OF PAULA BROMBERG
With gratitude to Rabbi Talve

SAMUEL BENSON
In memory of Ruth Benson

Education Fund

STUART AND TOBY EPSTEIN
In honor of Adele Sklar Keffer Epstein on her 95th birthday

yahrzeits

November 1 28 Cheshvan

SAM BLAZER
Uncle of Gail Wechsler

EDWARD F. GRAMLICH
Grandfather of Michael DiPlacido

ALBERT KOLCHINSKY
Great uncle of Linda Cohen

***LORETTA KRAFT**
Mother of Stephen Kraft

BETTY STAYTON
Mother of Karen McCray

November 2 29 Cheshvan

SARA BAHAR
Mother of Dr. Lea-Rachel Kosnik

LOUIS HARRIS
Father of Rabbi Edwin Harris

GRETE UNGER
Mother of Lilli Kautsky

November 3 30 Cheshvan

LENA NEGRIN
Great aunt of Gail Wechsler

SANDRA SAUR
Mother of Craig Saur

LAUREN SCHWARTZ
Daughter of Nancy Rose

DOROTHY SNOW
Mother of Nancy Snow

November 4 1 Kislev

SADIE FALB
Great aunt of Staci Kramer

RUTH SHAPIRO
Mother of Debra Polinsky

ROSE SPITZER
Grandmother of Michael Hess

November 5 2 Kislev

DORIS FLYNN
Mother of Sarah Jappa

FLORENCE HERMAN
Mother of Robert Herman

CLARA SCHEINBART
Grandmother of Laurie Sperling

***BETTY SCHWARTZ**
Mother of Barbara Shaffer

November 6 3 Kislev

***HERMAN "HY" BLUMENTHAL**
Husband of Margaret Phillips

WILLIAM GALE
Father of Rose-Lynn Sokol

HAROLD KEYSER
Father of Marcy Brodsky

SARAH KOLCHINSKY
Aunt of Linda Cohen

ALICE KRATZMAN
Mother of Jane Ettelson

November 7 4 Kislev

MEL LEVINE
Grandfather of Susan Kronemer

JOHN F. MESKIEL
Father of Joan Newman

RUTHELLEN PEGG
Grandmother of Carrie J. Pegg

ARNOLD TOBIN
Father of Mark Tobin

HELEN FELSTINER TREEGER
Mother of Tom Treeger

November 8 5 Kislev

STEFANIE FOLER
Niece of Fran Kepler

ESTHER FRUMA KARABELL
Mother of Harold Karabell

CONSTANTINO MOLINA
Father of Norman Molina

MILTON SNOW
Father of Nancy Snow

***ROSELYN SPERLING**
Mother of Laurie Sperling

RICHARD K. WEIL
Father of Richard Weil

November 9 6 Kislev

LEON BERNSTEIN
Father of Iver Bernstein

AUDREY DEAN BLUMBERG
Mother of Dr. Samuel Blumberg

ANNE SOHN
Grandmother of Staci Kramer

November 10 7 Kislev

EMIL AND FRIEDA JOSEPHI
Grandparents of Miriam Raskin and Susan Spiegel

JOYCE MOHR
Mother of Robert Mohr

November 11 8 Kislev

GERTRUDE IRVING
Aunt of Kathleen Sitzer

ELEANOR MAY ISAACS
Mother of John Isaacs, III
Grandmother of Julie Scherck

SANDRA SHEINBEIN KOSHNER
Sister of Rochelle Enger and Sharon Kirsch

MARIE PAPIN
Mother of Linda Thomson

MORRIS SPERLING
Grandfather of Laurie Sperling

November 12 9 Kislev

***JEAN BAUM**
Our member

HARRY COLLINGER
Grandfather of Lainie Neiman, Lawrence Rosen, and Douglas Collinger

NORMAN EHRLICH
Father of Hedy Ehrlich

NATHAN KRAVIN
Father of Harold Kravin

FREDERICK L. MARX
Uncle of Susanne Stern Glazer

November 13 10 Kislev

JOSEPH GELLMAN
Father of Elliot Gellman

JOE KAUFMAN
Grandfather of Sharron Pollack

SOPHIE KLEIN AND
REEVA KURTZMAN
Grandmothers of Stephanie Kurtzman

FIDELINA MOLINA
Mother of Norman Molina

LILLIAN LEVIN NYMARK
Mother of Niki Nymark

LEOPOLD SILBERSTEIN
Grandfather of Susan Merrick

ROSE STEIN
Mother of Paul Stein

November 14 11 Kislev

RUTH ENGER
Mother of Sheldon Enger and Joyce Weinstock
Grandmother of Marc Enger

***MARTIN LEON**
Our member

November 15 12 Kislev

RUTH BLUMBERG
Grandmother of Karen Tamaren

JOHN E. BROWN
Grandfather of Sarah Molina

JANE FOX
Friend of Brian Vetruba

ROSE FRAGER
Mother of Maris Berg

IRWIN GOLDBERG
Grandfather of Christian Hotter

ESTELLE WATELSKY KALISH
Grandmother of Karen Kalish

DAVID NEUSTADT
Brother of Nancy Goldstein

ROSE SAXON
Grandmother of Lise Bernstein

ETHEL SIEGEL
Aunt of Hannah Roth

November 16 13 Kislev

BECKY ALPER
Mother of Gloria Schonbrun

ELEANOR WEISS
Mother of Marsha Graeber

November 17 14 Kislev

HELEN LESSER ABRAMS
Mother of Aly Abrams

ABRAHAM GIMPELSON
Grandfather of Cecilia Lacks

ARTHUR I. KLEIN
Grandfather of Albert Rose

SONYA SILVERMAN
Mother of Donna Abrams

PEARL SOFFER
Mother of Lois Soffer

DAVID WEINSTEIN
Cousin of Bobby Frauenglas

November 18 15 Kislev

LENORE "LEE" LACKS
Mother of Cecilia Lacks

JOSEPH ROBINSON
Father of Anne Hess

***SAM WAYNE**
Husband of Jane Wayne

November 19 16 Kislev

ROBERT BLAIR
Father of Heather Katz

ALLEN "MOE" SIGOLOFF
Father of Shari Sigoloff

JUNE STUBBE
Grandmother of Nathan Cohen

VITA TOTAH
Father of Vicky Zimmerman

November 20 17 Kislev

MEYER GERSTEIN
Father of Lynda Wilson

ELAINE GRALNICK
Mother of Terri Leyton

MONROE (MONTY) LEVY
Uncle of David Levy

IDA SIEGEL
Mother of Ellie Jacobs

RUDOLPH SINGER
Father of Thomas Singer

SARAH SPOTTHEIM SINREICH
Grandmother of Albert Barton

DAVID SIWAK
Grandfather of Gregory Siwak and Todd Siwak

November 21 18 Kislev

SHIFRA AMSEL
Grandmother of Wendy Bell

ELLY CATS
Grandmother of Susan Merrick

BEN KURTZMAN
Grandfather of Stephanie Kurtzman

EDNA LEVITT
Mother of Sharon Tobin

JEANETTE VESPER ROSENGARTEN
Mother of Ilene Osherow
Grandmother of Ruthellen Osherow

November 22 19 Kislev

FRANK CARPEY
Brother of Dorothy Mayer

BESSIE GIMPELSON
Grandmother of Cecilia Lacks

SANDRA MAYER
Sister of Alan Millner

IRWIN "CHIC" MOHR
Father of Robert Mohr

GERALDINE PORTMAN
Remembered by Carol Portman

EDNA CECELIA ZWEIFEL
Mother of Kaaran Bowden

November 23 20 Kislev

IRVING BELL
Uncle of Wendy Bell

MARVIN EHRLICH
Remembered by Sylvia Ehrlich

RUBEN EPSTEIN
Father of Suart J. Epstein

BOBBIE WILLIAMS
Mother of Michael Williams

November 24 21 Kislev

HERMAN GOLDSTEIN
Grandfather of Risa Brown

***PHYLLIS LEE POTICHA ROSENTHAL**
Sister of Shirley Poticha

ETHEL SHAEFITZ
Mother of Rhea Oelbaum

November 25 22 Kislev

SANDRA KOGGAN
Sister of Beverly Berla

SADIE LINDER
Grandmother of Cynthia Kerman

SADIE PATTIZ
Grandmother of Denise Bogard

DAVE PHILLIPS
Friend of Marcy and Dale Brodsky

November 26 23 Kislev

ABRAHAM EPSTEIN
Grandfather of Daniel Davison

ESTHER FERMAN
Aunt of Bruce Yampolsky

SARAH LOTT FREMDER
Mother of Nada Fremder-Krauss

DOROTHY GRODSKY
Remembered by Gloria Grodsky

November 27 24 Kislev

MILTON HALPERIN
Father of Stewart Halperin

MAE KATZ HORNE
Mother of Marlene Katz

EMILY KOHN
Mother of Edward Kohn

MURRAY LAZARUS
Step father of Alice Bloch

RICHARD MARX
Father of Sarah Jane Marx

HELEN PALKES
Aunt of Mindy Berkowitz

GOLDA WEITZMAN
Mother of Mary Wolf and Nancy Mednik

November 28 25 Kislev

MAX CHERVITZ
Father of Nancy Brown
Remembered by Harold Kravin

HENRY HESS
Father of Michael Hess

DARLENE JACOBS
Mother of Lynn Jacobs

JAY STEPHEN KESSLER
Brother of Sheila Michaels

SIGMUND TRATTNER
Father of Sylvia Ehrlich

ANNA ZARREN
Grandmother of Ruth Zarren

November 29 26 Kislev

DONALD A. FRASER
Father of Spruce Fraser

JOSH HORWITZ
Great uncle of Stephanie Kurtzman

EUGENE NAVARRO
Father of Anna Navarro

BEN SUFFIAN
Father of Miriam Weintrop

November 30 27 Kislev

RABBI ROBERT P. JACOBS
Our friend

IRVING LANG
Father of Fran Lang

VERNA MAY WYNN-SMITH
Grandmother of Karen Watson

New Mount Sinai Opportunity

The cemetery has a new opportunity for members of the Jewish community who purchase property--single graves or family lots, crypts or niches. They will receive 20% off their *pre-need* purchase and the interment fee. This offer is limited as purchases must be paid in full by December 31, 2013. Contact Dan Brodsky at (314) 353-2540.

calendar: november 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27	28 11:30 Adult Beginning Hebrew 12:30 Adult Intermediate Hebrew 12:30 Mahjongg	29 7:00 University Series 7:00 URJ Introduction to Judaism	30 4:00 Religious School	31	1 12:30 Beginning Adult Hebrew 1:45 Torah Study 6:00 Adult Hebrew 7:30 Shabbat Service	2 8:45 Torah Study 9:30 Family Service 10:00 Rainbow Connection 10:00 Religious School 10:00 Shabbat Service 12:30 Lunch and Learn with the Rabbis
3 10:00 7th Grade at Parkside Nursing Home 10:00 9th Grade 10:00 Confirmation 10:30 Triple Chai +1 3:00 5th and 6th Grade B'nai Mitzvah Workshop	4 11:30 Adult Beginning Hebrew 12:30 Adult Intermediate Hebrew 12:30 Mahjongg	5 7:00 University Series 7:00 URJ Introduction to Judaism	6 4:00 Religious School	7	8 12:30 Beginning Adult Hebrew 2:00 Torah Study 6:00 Adult Hebrew 7:30 Social Responsibility Shabbat Service	9 8:45 Torah Study 9:30 Family Service 10:00 Religious School 10:00 Shabbat Service and bar mitzvah of Aaron Zoll 12:30 Talmud Class
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24 3:00 Metro Theatre, "New Kid"	25 11:30 Adult Beginning Hebrew 12:30 Adult Intermediate Hebrew 12:30 Mahjongg	26 7:00 University Series 7:00 URJ Introduction to Judaism	27 4:00 Religious School EREV CHANUKAH **6:00 First Night/First Light**	28 THANKSGIVING CHANUKAH *office closed*	29 CHANUKAH *office closed* 12:30 Beginning Adult Hebrew 2:00 Torah Study 6:00 Adult Hebrew 7:30 Shabbat Service	30 CHANUKAH 8:45 Torah Study 9:30 Family Service 10:00 Shabbat Service and bar mitzvah of Cole Padawer .