

THE SOCIAL JURISPRUDENCE PROJECT

SUNDAY, JANUARY 22
AT 10 AM



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details

UPCOMING IN FEBRUARY

*SISTERHOOD
SHABBAT*

PARSHAT BO

*SATURDAY,
FEBRUARY 4*

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MARILYN TELEKY
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**MEN'S CLUB
WORLD WIDE WRAP
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5
AT 9 AM
IN THE WHITE CHAPEL**



Daily Service Schedule

Monday & Thursday
6:45am & 7:30pm

Tuesday
7:00am & 7:30pm

Wednesday
8:00am & 7:30pm

Sunday & Legal Holiday
9:00am & 7:30pm

Friday Morning 7:00am

Rosh Chodesh 6:30am

Shabbat Mornings 9:00am

January at HHJC

January 4, 11, 18, 25
Adult Education - Introduction
to the Jewish Bookshelf

January 5
Sisterhood Planning Meeting

January 21
Simcha Shabbat

January 22
The Social Jurisprudence
Project - See page 12
Upcoming in February

February 4
Sisterhood Shabbat

From the Desk of Rabbi David Wise Hillbilly Optimism



I have lived in the United States for 25 years, but really only know two of them—New York and New Jersey. So much of what we've all read in recent years, especially after the election, points to the disconnect between the Americans who live on the coasts and those who live in the flyover states. East-coasters were encouraged to get to know our fellow Americans better. So for this month's installment of *The Rabbi's Nightstand*, I'll share thoughts about one of those books I rushed to buy so I could brush up on the rest of our country.

Hillbilly Elegy is the bestselling memoir from J.D. Vance, a young man from a working-class family in the Rust Belt—Kentucky and Ohio—who went on to Yale Law School and success at a Silicon Valley investment firm. He admits that his life is really not memoir-worthy, but he wrote the book anyway to understand “what happens in the lives of the poor and the psychological impact that spiritual and material poverty has on their children” (p. 2).



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monthly calendar of events
and service times



Shabbat Schedule



Friday, January 6, 2016

Candle Lighting 4:25 PM
Mincha 4:25 PM

Saturday, January 7, 2016

Vayigash 9:00 AM
Mincha 4:10 PM
Havdalah 5:29 PM

Friday, January 13, 2016

Candle Lighting 4:32 PM
Mincha 4:35 PM

Saturday, January 14, 2016

Vayechi 9:00 AM
Mincha 4:15 PM
Havdalah 5:37 PM

Friday, January 20, 2016

Candle Lighting 4:40 PM
Mincha 4:40 PM

Saturday, January 21, 2016

Shemot 9:00 AM
Mincha 4:25 PM
Havdalah 5:45 PM

Friday, January 27, 2016

Candle Lighting 4:49 PM
Mincha 4:50 PM

Saturday, January 28, 2016

Vaera 9:00 AM
Mincha 4:35 PM
Havdalah 5:53 PM

Junior Congregation

January 21
10:30 - 12 PM

★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★
★ The next few months are a ★
★ time for many joyful occa- ★
★ sions: weddings, engage- ★
★ ments, B'nai Mitzvah, etc. ★
★ It's just the right time to ★
★ sponsor a *Kiddush* after ★
★ Saturday services and ★
★ share your *simcha* with the ★
★ Temple family! Call the of- ★
★ fice and confirm your date. ★
★ ★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★

We now have a list of mem-
bers who will help give rides to
doctor's appointments during
the week and to synagogue on
Saturday morning. If anyone
needs help please contact the
synagogue office. If anyone
else is interested in signing up
to help, please contact the
office.

Handicap Access

We have an operating handi-
capped lift. This is available for
all who may need access to
any level of the building.
Please contact the center of-
fice to arrange for one of our
staff to assist you in its opera-
tion. There is also a handi-
capped restroom located past
the Menchel Social Hall.

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Notices

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If you are bringing pre packaged food into the Synagogue, please consult with Rabbi Wise.

Bereavement Support

The Bereavement Support Group meets the First and Third Monday night of the month at 7:30 PM with compassionate, caring, warm and concerned friendly people. Refreshments are always served and are complimentary. All faiths are welcome. Led by Rabbi Dr. H. Joseph Simckes and Marty Kevelson.



Cantor Sol Zim



Our Cantor's Voice

Warm Reflections for the Winter

I was thrilled you were all able to experience and hear the many talents of my AJR Cantorial & Rabbinical students at our Gala Celebration Concert. They all have their own individual styles & sounds that enrapture us. Whether it is Chazzanut, Yiddish (fiddler style), Ladino, Opera or Pop...they are all gifted and love expressing themselves through song. They are also very respectful of each other and the Jewish culture. I am so proud of them! How about my friend Herschel Fox...He is truly one of a kind! He is not only a marvelous Cantor but he is on the level of some of the best comedians. He tells a story like no other and he can even tell a story through song. Not only is he an incredible talent but he is also a true mensch and loving soul. Thank you for welcoming him to our synagogue. Michal Reshef's voice is powerful and sweet at the same time. She has tremendous talent and I am confident she will be successful at launching her solo career. Thank you all for so warmly welcoming our featured artists. They were truly able to understand why I love my congregation.

Our HHBJC WINTER FAMILY COMMUNITY DINNER was

Fantabulous! The room looked beautiful & festive! Everything was perfect! **MARIS BLECHNER**, what can I say? You made it happen. *Yasher Koach* to you and your fantastic Committee...**JOYCE FOGEL, JOAN GREEN, JANET HILLER, JO ANN LUQUIS, AMANDA MENZIE, ROBYN ROSENBERG, JAYE SOLO-MOWITZ** and last in alphabetical order but certainly not least, **MARILYN TELEKY**. You are all special people and invaluable members of our community. Everything you did was so well organized, planned and with incredible involvement. What a **NIGHT TO REMEMBER & SHARE with COMMUNITY!** We had this special time to bond with family, neighbors & friends. The warmth throughout the room was beautiful.

We had a great attendance and I think the children were very captivated by the Magician. Wow! There was truly something for everyone. The children (and adults) loved the Face Painting. We had magnificent music by the **LANDAU TRIO** (our home grown talent)! *David & Jeremy*, both of you have great talent! *Arnie*, you were fantastic and I love how you learned to play the bass in such a short period of time! *Diane and Grandma Norma*, you should be so proud!

The food was fantastic & plentiful from "Fortune Kosher Chinese Food" (they are located at 180-26 Union Tpke.). Even I really enjoyed and I am so picky! There was something



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Vance's story is touching and inspirational, not because he did something extraordinary, but because he's quite ordinary. His mother struggled with addiction to drugs and unstable romantic relationships, so J.D. knew never to get too attached to the latest male figure in his life. He could easily have succumbed to feelings of hopelessness, but his grandparents pushed him to succeed. After a tour of duty in Iraq as a marine, he went on to graduate in less than two years from Ohio State before earning a spot at Yale, where he enjoyed the mentorship of Amy Chua and others. But what most impresses me about Vance is his introspectiveness.

It would be easy for someone like Vance to blame the struggles of the white working class America of his childhood on the elitist, privileged out-of-touch America that governs them. It would be easy for him to express mistrust of politicians, media, and other expressions of liberal elitism, as others from his background have done with frequency in recent years. But Vance refreshingly turns his questions and challenges inward. "I believe we hillbillies are the toughest...people on this earth...But are we tough enough to do what needs to be done to help [vulnerable children]? Are we tough enough to build a church that forces kids like me to engage with the world rather than withdraw from it? Are we tough enough to look ourselves in the mirror and

admit that our conduct harms our children?" (p. 255)

When the gap between the aisles seems to be widening, *Hillbilly Elegy* offers something we all need—in fact, it's the ingredient that enabled J.D. Vance to fulfill the American Dream: optimism. Working-class whites are statistically the most pessimistic group in America. Vance offers this critique of the political movement that claims to speak to them: "Here is where the rhetoric of modern conservatives (and I say this as one of them) fails to meet the real challenges of their biggest constituents. Instead of encouraging encouragement, conservatives increasingly foment the kind of detachment that has sapped the ambition of so many of my peers...the message of the right is increasingly: It's not your fault that you're a loser; it's the government's fault" (p. 194).

We are witnessing an era of limited self-awareness and introspection. That can be cause for despair. But the hallmark of *Hillbilly Elegy* is hope. I hope J.D. Vance's hope can be contagious.

Bivrahkah—in blessing,

Rabbi David Wise

Temple Family

Laura and Marty Brodsky are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter Genna Blaine to Kiera Naomi Phoebe Chase

Mazal Tov to Felice & Ira Margulis on the birth of their first grandchild, Emery Kate Margulis, to Keith and Ashley

Mazal Tov

We need your help with our daily Minyan.

Please join us mornings or evenings!

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Friday Morning 7:00am

Rosh Chodesh 6:30am



Ohr Chadash News

Ohr Chadash Fall Round-Up
By Morah Shari Zuber

With the conclusion of the holidays of Tishrei celebrations, one of the central focuses of our Ohr Chadash classes' began, the studying of the Parashat HaShavuah (the weekly Torah portion). Each class, on age-appropriate levels, studied the myriad multifaceted stories of Bereshit (Genesis), beginning with the miracle of Creation, continuing with Adam and Eve, the murder of Abel at the hands of his brother Cain, Noach and the destruction of earthly life by means of the Flood, and the advent of Judaism through our Patriarchs and Matriarchs.

With the dearth of Jewish holidays in the month of Cheshvan, our younger Sunday-only classes were able to devote vital class time to the study of Shabbat and its important role in weekly Jewish life. Morah Emily and Morah Miriam conducted a joint Gan-Katan and Shorashim activity, preparing challah in class for baking at home for Shabbat.

At the core of our curriculum is the learning of Hebrew. For Gan-Katan, Shorashim, and Mechina, this involves learning the names, sounds, and the print versions of the consonants and the names and sounds of the nekudot (vowels). The children also learn certain preliminary words upon which they will build their future vocabulary lexicons.

For Aleph through Hey, there are reading groups based upon each student's capabilities, not chronological age. Each teacher gears her twice-a-week class to her students' fluency, hoping to provide an ever-increasing capability as the school year progresses. Additionally, our reading specialist, Morah Cherie, provides the opportunity for individualized Hebrew enrichment, so that each child can realize his/her full potential of the language.

In Gesher, our post-Bar/Bat Mitzvah students read short stories in Hebrew, study Israeli newspapers, and write stories, with the aspiration that the students will become completely fluent in the Hebrew language.

With the passing of Elie Wiesel, our Dalet class' year-long Holocaust studies curriculum took on a special added concentration, with a look at the Nobel Prize winner's contribution to increasing global awareness of the genocide of the Jewish people during World War II.

On specially designated Sundays, our Aleph through Hey classes meet en masse and

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Sisterhood

Happy New Year! Sisterhood ended 2016 on a high note. We had a very successful Chanukah bazaar with over 20 vendors. There was a myriad of gifts at all prices for children and adults, and everyone came away with something special.

We are feverishly preparing for the next Sisterhood event, our Sisterhood Shabbat on Saturday, February 4th. Each year our members lead the service with a part which is comfortable for them. Rabbi Wise will provide instructions and support in Torah or Haftorah readings, while Cantor Zim will be available to assist those who want to participate in another part of the service. We also need volunteers to introduce the Torah and Haftorah portions. Please contact Marilyn Teleky or Lisa Azo with your desired role. As usual, a delicious Kiddush will follow.

We want to thank those women who bought their mah jongg cards through the Sisterhood. If you play mah jongg, please contact Ida Weisser to purchase cards through the Sisterhood.

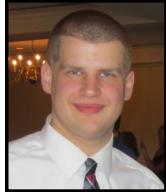
In March, we will celebrate the joyous holiday of Purim. On Sunday, March 5th at 10 AM, volunteers are welcome to help put together a new and creative basket, and a little breakfast will be provided to energize us. Purim baskets will be given out on Saturday evening, March 11th after the Megillah reading.

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HHBJC - Sisterhood Gift Shop



For all your Judaica needs!



**Youth Director
News**

Dan Bacharach

Although it's hard to believe that the year has already come to a close, our final month of 2016 programming at H2I Youth was nothing short of great! We started off the month with a "Hands-On The Environment Program," which allowed our younger groups to participate in some of the best programs from our USY Social Actions Shul-In about the environment. We learned how to turn newspaper into recycled paper following a few easy steps, and engaged in a team-building gym activity that simulated the struggles animals face as their environment becomes increasingly polluted. That afternoon, our USYers headed to Bryant Park for an afternoon of ice skating with their peers from across NYC. Later in the month, we had programs like Cake Wars and Mitzvah Stations as well, but our highlight was our Chapter Kadima Shabbaton. Our middle schoolers came together for a relaxing, fun, and meaningful Shabbat together, full of delicious food, great friends, and amazing programming.

As we start 2017, we have some great programs planned for the month of January. On January 8, our younger groups will be taking part in a special program – but at the time this is being written, details are not yet ready to be made public. Later in the month, our 8-12

graders will have the opportunity to join teens from across NY at Sababa Kinus at Kane Street Synagogue in Brooklyn, and all of our groups will have the chance to participate in programs like Iron Chef and Messy Game Night.

If you have any questions about H2I, as always, feel free to reach out to me! Happy secular new year!

Grocery Gelt

Shoprite

All Locations

Stop & Shop:

All Locations

Dan's Keyfood:

73rd Ave./ Bell Blvd.
105-02 Queens Blvd.

Danny's Drive In Cleaners:

190-05 Union Turnpike

Fairway Supermarket:

242-02 61st Avenue, Douglaston



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We will continue our tradition of our Women's Seder. This event is a social, as well as a learning, event. Watch for information and please join us.

Our April event is still in the planning stage and will be fun for all. In May, we are working on a joint Men's Club – Sisterhood country western hoe-down. More news will be forthcoming. Several additional events are in the planning stage, so stay tuned.

Our June 14th event will close out the year with a real challah bake. Don't miss any of the fun. Stay tuned.

Please join us at our planning meetings on January 5th and February 2nd at 8 PM. We always appreciate your participation.

Marilyn Teleky
347-453-1189

Lisa Azo
917-282-8701

Co-Presidents

**OUR DAILY MINYAN
NEEDS YOU!
PLEASE DO A MITZVAH AND
SUPPORT OUR DAILY
MINYAN A COUPLE OF DAYS
A WEEK EVEN IF YOU DO
NOT HAVE A YAHRZEIT.**



Queens Village
Chit Chat 'Bout This & That
By Sue Heppenheimer

Our Holidays have come & gone,
 Our elections have been lost or won,
 Let's hope everything will be for the best,
 And all of us will be happy & blessed.

We want to wish a Happy Birthday to Dr. Richard Kops, and all others in our congregation who are celebrating another year of life.

News from the Pitkow family is that Nephew Robert Gray is getting married. Rianna Rosenberg is finishing her first semester at Fordham University. We also wish a speedy recovery to Dr. Pitkow's sister..

Our best wishes to all of you for the coming year.

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JUDITH LESNIK
CHESED COMMITTEE

Although it's a bit early to announce our Health Fair in May, I wanted to call your attention to it as I reach out for some help.

On Sunday, May 21st from 11:00 AM-1:00 PM we are planning on having representatives from health organizations set up a table, in the ballroom, where he/ she will talk about various health care.

For example, we will have someone from Sinai Chapels give information on pre-planning a funeral. We have a nearby business owner to talk about home health care services; ambulance corps, women's health, dental health, and vision therapy, among, many other areas of expertise. We also hope to have local officials to help with information about free services.

If you, or anyone you know, would like to help with representing a company, medical office, or non-profit organization related to health care, please contact me.

We have a wonderful committee working to make this happen, but I wanted to reach out to all of the congregation members.

Refreshments will be served.

Please, let me know if you have any questions. I look forward to hearing from you.

Many thanks in advance,

Laura Brodsky
 laujean1@aol.com

We are now established with "Terracycle", a recycling organization that makes new things out of old. Our team is the "HJR Memorial Environment Fund" and the charity we support is the Hollis Hills Bayside Jewish Center. Please send in your old cell phones as soon as possible and let's start collecting, recycling and earning money for the HHBJC now!

Cut Out and Save

Contact Information
(in confidence): Leave or Send a Message to Our Support Lines

To Reach the Congregational Nurse
Linda Liederman, R.N.
Phone: 646-598-2974

Email:
nurse@hollishillsjc.org

To reach the office:
 718-776-3500

To reach Rabbi Wise:
 Enter option "3"
 Or: rabbewise@hollishillsjc.org

Chesed Committee Chair
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Nichum Avelim

MAY G-D GRANT CONSOLATION TO
THOSE WHO HAVE SUFFERED A
LOSS IN THE FOLLOWING FAMILIES:

Irving Schnitzer, long time
congregant and father of
Amy Schnitzer

MAY THEY BE COMFORTED AMONG
THE OTHER MOURNERS OF ZION
AND JERUSALEM

GENERAL FUND

In memory of Frieda Rosenfeld
Greta & Martin Margolis

In memory of Laurie Sparrow
Palumbo

In memory of Dorothy Sparrow
In memory of Rose Galler Levy
Marcia & Robert Sparrow

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Arlene Schwartz

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Jeannette & Ira Goller

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In memory of Daniel Fuchs
Helene & Jack Levy

In memory of Eleanor
Roseman
Rosalie & Stephen Roseman

In memory of Esther Balter
In memory of Abraham Balter
Edith Waxenberg

In memory of Jean Siegel
In memory of Martha Smith
Barbara & Steven Siegel

Thank you to the Fogel Family
for the lovely Kiddush in
memory of Rose Fogel
Harriet & Bernd Bildstein

In memory of Charlotte Borko
In memory of Ruth Schulsinger
In memory of Yetta Gold
Nancy Borko, Steve Fufeld,
Adam & Julia

In memory of Franklyn Geltman
In memory of Rosemarie
Singer
Marilyn & Alan Geltman

In memory of Max Margolis
Greta & Martin Margolis

In memory of Roselyn Miller
In memory of Max Miller
Esther & Alan Beckoff

In memory of Julia Sandell
Jerry Sandell

In memory of Lena Stumer
Susan & Frank Stumer

In memory of Pearl Rosenfeld's
husband
Susan & Alvin Deutch

In memory of Anna Rabinowitz
Adrienne & Jan Glaubiger

In memory of Irving Schnitzer
Suzanne & Nathan Heilweil
Greta & Marty Margolis
Lisa & Ken Rudolf
Ida & Daniel Weisser
Rosalie & Stephen Roseman
Maris & Stewart Blechner
Marilyn Schwartz
Beate Axelrad
Barbara & Steven Siegel
Harriet & Bernd Bildstein

Wishing Refuah Shelemah to
Judith Greenspan
Suzanne & Nathan Heilweil

In honor of the birth of Linda &
Arthur Liederman's new
grandson, Alexander Cole, to
Joshua & Leah
Rita & Scott Zipper
Adele & Martin Goldman

In memory of Gerda Schoen
Jerry Sandell
Beate Axelrad

Wishing Refuah Shelemah to
Jack Cohen
Ronnie Gersten

In memory of Rosa Rimsky
In memory of Rosa Goldowski
Anita Goldowski

In memory of Aaron Krauss
Ida & Daniel Weisser

In memory of Ethel Wershaw
Felice & Ira Margulis

In memory of Irving O. Lasner
Barry M. Lasner

In memory of Milton
Waxenberg
Edith Waxenberg & Family

In memory of Rose Fastow
Melvin Fastow

In memory of Eileen Ruth
Horowitz
Naomi & Irwin Horowitz



*In memory of Lillian Breslaw
Irene & Daniel Grapel*

*In memory of Jacob Goldman
Adele & Martin Goldman*

*In memory of Mae Strongin
Ilene & Lewis Strongin*

*In honor of the marriage of
Mira Clivner's grandson, Oren
to Noa
Joan Green*

*In memory of Daniel
Soroushfar
Sorour Yerushalmi*

*In memory of Fannie
Krumerman
Rita & Martin Krumerman*

*In memory of Jack Gross
Lillian & Murray Garbowitz*

*In memory of Charles Naftol
Janet Naftol*

Rabbi's Fund

*Thank you to Rabbi Wise for
everything he has done for the
Glaubiger and Domroe families
Adrienne & Jan Glaubiger*

*Wishing Refuah Shelemah to
Helen Benson
Charlotte & David Karsch*

*In memory of Irving Schnitzer
Charlotte & David Karsch
The Sackett Family*

*Happy Chanukah. We miss our
Shul and Friends
Greta & Marty Margolis*

*In honor of Linda Liederman for
her wonderful advice
Judy Fluss*

*In memory of Imar Krell
Eleanor & Joseph Rosenberg*

Cantor's Fund

*Thank you to Cantor Zim for a
lovely evening at the concert
Charlotte & David Karsch*

*In honor of Cantor Zim's
Concert
Beate Axelrad*

*Thank you Cantor Zim for your
wonderful concert
Natalie Winter*

*In honor of June & Sol Zim
Helene Agatstein & Gerald
Bressner*

*In honor of Cantor Sol Zim
Marilyn & Steven Teleky*

*In honor of Cantor Zim, for lift-
ing up our hearts with his
concert. Mazal Tov!
Nelly & Jerry Belopolsky*

*In honor of Joan Waxgiser, for
her hard work on the concert
Nelly & Jerry Belopolsky*

Judith Lesnik Chesed Fund

*In memory of Gerda Schoen
Carol & Joel Lieber
Harriet & Bernd Bildstein*

*In memory of Irving Schnitzer
Flo & Bob Gropper
Jaye & Ben Solomowitz
Carol & Joel Lieber*

*In memory of Judith Lesnik
Sheri Lesnik*

Samuel Schneider Building Fund

*Wishing Refuah Shelemah to
Ruth Janko*

*Wishing Refuah Shelemah to
Jack Cohen
Henry Gerber*

*In memory of Irving Schnitzer
Henry Gerber*

*In memory of Gerda Schoen
Henry Gerber*

MEANINGFUL GESTURES

Dateline prints "acknowledgements" for not only the recording of social and personal events, but also as a recording of acts of Tzedaka (Charity) and Chesed (Kindness). Please note your tribute will be made public in Dateline for a minimum contribution of \$20. Also the cost of the Etz Hayim Chumash is \$65 and the Sim Shalom Siddur is \$36.



LOOKING BACKWARD AND LOOKING FORWARD

Thank you to everyone who was part of our recent drive collecting new toys and books for needy children. Some of us were at the event where those new items were distributed - and it felt really good to be part of something so important.

Now it is time to think of other items that we don't need, but others can use. American Martyrs Church would like to do a coat drive with us again this winter - so look in your closet and be ready for a collection date. We are also considering collecting shoes in good condition for a local foundation that reuses them - so think about shoes you no longer want. We will announce both collections when the time is right.

Also, please remember our ongoing collection items: eyeglasses you no longer need, for the Lion's Club, and the aluminum snap tops of soda and beer cans, for the Shriners' Children's Hospital. There are always small stacked white collection boxes in the hall outside the office.

Thank you for always caring.

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each teacher conducts a discussion on a certain topic which is her expertise. Morah Judy talked about Eli Wiesel and the Holocaust, Morah Carmela led a seminar on Israel, and Morot Zehava and Simcha related stories of the lessons of the weekly Parshiyot. The children sat enthralled at each presentation, ever ready with pertinent questions and comments.

The weekly Wednesday sessions of **Ask The Rabbi** provide our students with added insights into that week's Torah portion and form the foundation for lively interaction between our clergy and our children. The rabbis also conduct tefillah learning, which enriches the school prayer curricula.

As the month of Kislev begins, both teachers and students look forward to an in-depth study of Chanukah, concentrating on the struggle of the Maccabees to retain the Jewish way of life and the miracle God afforded our people, which we yearly commemorate with the lighting of the Hanukkah.

Our Education Director, Ruth Merrill, and the Morot of Ohr Chadash wish all our families an illuminating and bright Festival of Lights, filled with joyous celebration and familial warmth.

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for everyone...*Jelly Bean Contest, Grab Bag Pick and Chanukah Gifts* were given to the children.

Thank you so much to our **SISTERHOOD** for having your gift shop available to everyone! You are the best!

Our wonderful **RABBI WISE** started off the evening and I was happy to close our beautiful community dinner by singing some Chanukah songs.

Thank you to our **TONY**. He is always there for us!

Oh, I almost forgot...we also delighted in the scrumptious **SUFGANIYOT** (my favorite)!

Well, winter is really here...It's time to break out the hot chocolate, sugar free of course. Let's keep ourselves warm by huddling together at shul. Come join us for Shabbat services. We'll pray together and sing together and then well schmooze a little and laugh a little and maybe eat a little. A great way to get over the winter blues.

June and I wish all of you a Happy New Year. I pray for everyone's health and peace.

See you in shul!

Cantorially always,

Cantor Sol Zim



Below is a monthly calendar for posting on bulletin boards and refrigerators

January 2017						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Tevet 3 Minyan Times 9 AM and 7:30 PM New Years Day	2 Tevet 4 Minyan Times 6:45 AM and 7:30 PM	3 Tevet 5 Minyan Times 7 AM and 7:30 PM	4 Tevet 6 Minyan Times 8 AM and 7:30 PM Adult Ed – Introduction to the Jewish Bookshelf - 8 PM	5 Tevet 7 Minyan Times 6:45 AM and 7:30 PM Sisterhood Planning Meeting- 8 PM	6 Tevet 8 Morning Minyan 7:00 AM Candle Lighting 4:25 PM Mincha - 4:25 PM	7 Tevet 9 Vayigash 9 AM Mincha 4:10 PM Havdalah 5:29 PM
8 Tevet 10 Minyan Times 9 AM and 7:30 PM	9 Tevet 11 Minyan Times 6:45 AM and 7:30 PM	10 Tevet 12 Minyan Times 7 AM and 7:30 PM	11 Tevet 13 Minyan Times 8 AM and 7:30 PM Adult Ed – Introduction to the Jewish Bookshelf - 8 PM	12 Tevet 14 Minyan Times 6:45 AM and 7:30 PM	13 Tevet 15 Morning Minyan 7:00 AM Candle Lighting 4:32 PM Mincha - 4:35 PM	14 Tevet 16 Vayechi 9 AM Mincha 4:15 PM Havdalah 5:37 PM
15 Tevet 17 Minyan Times 9 AM and 7:30 PM	16 Tevet 18 Minyan Times 6:45 AM and 7:30 PM Martin Luther King Jr. Day	17 Tevet 19 Minyan Times 7 AM and 7:30 PM	18 Tevet 20 Minyan Times 8 AM and 7:30 PM Adult Ed – Introduction to the Jewish Bookshelf - 8 PM	19 Tevet 21 Minyan Times 6:45 AM and 7:30 PM	20 Tevet 22 Morning Minyan 7:00 AM Candle Lighting 4:40 PM Mincha - 4:40 PM	21 Tevet 23 Shemot 9 AM Mincha 4:25 PM Havdalah 5:45 PM Simcha Shabbat- 9 AM Junior Congregation 10:30AM –12PM
22 Tevet 24 Minyan Times 9 AM and 7:30 PM The Social Jurisprudence Project- 10 AM	23 Tevet 25 Minyan Times 6:45 AM and 7:30 PM	24 Tevet 26 Minyan Times 7 AM and 7:30 PM	25 Tevet 27 Minyan Times 8 AM and 7:30 PM Adult Ed – Introduction to the Jewish Bookshelf - 8 PM	26 Tevet 28 Minyan Times 6:45 AM and 7:30 PM	27 Tevet 29 Morning Minyan 7:00 AM Candle Lighting 4:49 PM Mincha - 4:50 PM	28 Shevat 1 Rosh Chodesh Shevat Vaera 9 AM Mincha 4:35 PM Havdalah 5:53 PM
29 Shevat 2 Minyan Times 9 AM and 7:30 PM	30 Shevat 3 Minyan Times 6:45 AM and 7:30 PM	31 Shevat 4 Minyan Times 7 AM and 7:30 PM				

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the many problems facing our world today and must be negotiated by our youth in the near future.

How, if at all, can Halachic and U.S. law help guide us to meet and defeat these challenges?

How will you participate in molding your future?

We invite our teens, 8th – 12th Grade, to join us in an exploration

of some of these important issues, help theorize possible resolutions and present our findings to the general population.

We also invite adults interested in learning and exploring these issues collaboratively with our youth.

**Sunday morning, January 22,
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Linda Silverman	1/9
Sandie Baker	1/10
Norma Brooks	1/10
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Ivan Tantleff	1/12
Alexis Ludwig	1/14
Lawrence Katz	1/15
Tova Oko	1/15
Paul Reich	1/16
Alan Geltman	1/17
Steven Menzie	1/17
Alfred Weisz	1/17
Hon. George Heymann	1/18
Roberta Andreoli	1/19
Eleanor Ulrich	1/19
Lisa Ajzenman	1/21
Bernd Bildstein	1/27
Beth Cohen	1/27
Susan Deutch	1/27
Dr. Marc Sternberg	1/27
George Rubin	1/28
Renee Kaplan	1/29
Ruth Saken	1/30
Viviane Verstandig	1/30

January Anniversaries

Yevgeniya & Radim	
Teplitskiy	1/10
Sheryl & George Rubin	1/17
Beth & Neil Cohen	1/18
Viviane & Steven	
Verstandig	1/18
Esta & Gary Newman	1/26
Marilyn & Stanley	
Seidenfeld	1/27
Irene & Michael Borman	1/30

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Thursday Recreation Hour, 6:30-7:30 PM

Kadima-Students in grades 6, 7 & 8-Meeting Sunday, 6:15-7:00 PM

Thursday Recreation Hour, 6:30-7:30 PM

USY-Students in grades 9-12-Meeting Sunday, 7:30-9:00 PM
Thursday Recreation Hour, 7:30-8:30 PM

For more information email us at h2iyouth@gmail.com or check out our website <http://www.h2iyouthgroup.org/>



Have you visited our website lately? The web address is www.hollishillsbaysidejc.org.

The site has been given a new look with more up-to-date information. There is a section where you can find Shabbat hours for the coming weekend. There is an events section to keep you informed on all of our exciting programs. There is a section for Loss and Shiva information.

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