

W E L C O M E to B'nai Torah

A House of Prayer
The Study of Torah
The Performance of Good Deeds

Bless all who enter this Sanctuary
in search and in need,
all who bring to this place the offerings of their hearts.
May our worship here lead us
to fulfill our words and our hopes
with acts of kindness, peace and love.

Amen.

Volunteers are urgently needed for the Southeast Lake County Faith in Action Group. We have more people who need help than we can serve. We have provided more than 3500 hours of service in the last two years. Help us to continue to meet the demand.

This is a service provided to its members and the community by Congregation B'nai Torah, Zion Lutheran Church, Holy Cross Catholic Church and Christ United Methodist Church. Our services provide support to disabled, chronically ill and aged persons who need help with daily functioning and activities. We serve anyone in the community regardless of age or religion.

Training will be six 2 hour classes for 3 weeks on Wednesday and Thursday evenings from 7:15- 9:00 p.m. beginning March 22 and ending April 6. All materials are provided. Volunteers are asked to have 2-3 hours a week available for service. Personal schedules are always respected. If you want to sign up or know someone who needs our services, call Hollis at the synagogue at 847-433-7100.

We extend our sincere sympathy to the family and friends of:

Peter Barron, Yetta Bomberg, Allegra Brodsky, Dr. Harry Burstein, Lillian Boos Fetter, Herb Grant, Ruth Peters Grellenberg, Lois Holleb, Rosalind Mann, Bertha Spagat, Isabelle Venezky & Abe White who have recently passed away.(to be changed)

Hosting this evening's Oneg Shabbat will be . . .
The Frazes, Hill & Goldman Families in honor of Cantor Frazes' birthday. Please join them in celebrating this simcha.

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Welcome to Shabbat Services

March 10 2006

This week's Torah portion is Tetzaveh Ex. 27:20-30:10
This portion begins on page 339 of the Hertz Bible.

Most of the *sidrah* describes the obligations of Aaron and his sons and the rituals surrounding the priests and sacrifice. *Parashat Tetzaveh* has the distinction of being the only *parashah* in the last four books of the Torah in which the name of Moses does not appear.

In the midst of the fifth *aliyah* describing the sacrifice which ordains Aaron and his sons, we find the following statement:

The sacral vestments of Aaron shall pass on to his sons after him, for them to be anointed and ordained in. (29:29)

This weekend's services...

Friday March 10, 2006

6:15 p.m. Purim Dinner

7:30 p.m., Purim Family Service,

Rabbi Jonathan Magidovitch, Rabbi Bob Feinberg, Rabbi Debra Nesselson & Cantor Lynda Casden co-officiate

Saturday, March 11, 2006

10:30 a.m., Emily Lelchuk Bat Mitzvah

Rabbi Jonathan Magidovitch & Cantor Lynda Casden co-officiate

4:30 p.m., Alexander Berkowitz Bar Mitzvah

Rabbi Debra Nesselson & Cantor Lynda Casden co-officiate

Upcoming Events in our B'nai Torah Community:

The Basic Judaism course continues to be offered. You are welcome to attend any session. The next topic to be discussed will be History-Ancient to Biblical. This class will be led by Dr. Audrey Gordon on Monday, March 13 at 7:45 p.m. For more information, contact Judy Jury at 847-433-7100 or judy@congregationbnaitorah.org.

Our Sisterhood's Women's Seder will be held on Tuesday, April 4 at 6:15 p.m. It will be led by Rabbi Debra Nesselson and Cantor Lynda Casden. Call the Temple now and reserve a place. Reservations must be received by March 24.

Come and join us for our Purim Carnival on March 12, at 9:30 a.m. Wear a costume and join in the fun.

You are welcome to attend B'nai Torah's first Shushan Purim Megillah Reading on Tuesday, March 14 at 7:30 p.m. in the Social Hall and Sanctuary.

Have Breakfast with Rabbi Magidovitch while studying Talmud on Sundays from 9:30 to 10:45 a.m. The next class will be on Sunday, March 12.

Explore the Rabbinic Mind with Rabbi Feinberg on Saturdays at 9:00 a.m. This class meets to examine Midrash on weekly Torah portions in English translation. The next class will be held Saturday, March 11.

Rabbi Nesselson will continue her "Exploration of Exodus," meeting on Thursdays at 10:00 a.m. The next class will be held on Thursday, March 16.

Study "Contemporary Issues from a Jewish Perspective," with Dr. Audrey Gordon on Sundays at 10:45 a.m. The next class is on Sunday, March 12.

High School students from all North Shore Congregations are invited to submit essays on the topic: "What the Holocaust Means to Me." Essays should be a maximum of 400 words. The submission deadline is Tuesday, April 4, 2006. Email your submission to Rabbi Jonathan Magidovitch at jjrml@aol.com. Authors of the most thoughtful essays will be invited to present their essays at the North Shore Fellowship of Rabbis Yom Ha'shoah Commemoration on Monday, April 24, at 7:00 p.m. The service will be held at B'nai Torah.

Illinois Holocaust Museum and Education Center - Artifacts Sought

The Illinois Holocaust Museum and Education Center is looking for your help in gathering original artifacts related to pre-World War II life in Europe, survival experiences, life in the camps, Jewish GI experiences, liberators, post-war resettlement, emigration to the Chicago area and the Midwest, and the attempted 1970s neo-Nazi march in Skokie. Exhibiting local artifacts and their stories will ensure the legacy of our region's Holocaust survivors. If you, your family, and/or friends have any items such as original photos, documents, passports, letters, postcards, diaries, clothing, memorabilia and Judaica, please contact us. These items tell stories of survival which can inspire future generations and empower young people to carry on the fight against anti-Semitism, hatred, and intolerance. For more information and to donate, please call Bethany Fleming or Jessica Kaz-Hoffman at 847-491-0405.

We would like to extend a special welcome to any guest or prospective member that is present tonight. Please introduce yourself to our clergy and our board members wearing nametags. We'd like the opportunity to welcome you and answer any questions you might have about our B'nai Torah community.

Thank you.

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