

the sephardic temple



CONGREGATION EMETH VE'SHALOM

WEEKLY BULLETIN

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שבת שלום SHABBAT SHALOM

DAILY MINYAN IN TEMPLE: MONDAY-FRIDAY...8:00 AM, SUNDAY...9:00 AM

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2023

LIGHT CANDLES: 4:11 PM

SERVICES 4:15 PM

מנחה וערבית



SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2023

(19 KISLEV 5784)

PARASHAT VAYISHLAH

פרשת וישלח

SHABBAT SERVICES 8:45 AM

שחרית, קריאת התורה, ומוסף



December Birthday and Anniversary Shabbat

December birthdays and anniversaries will be celebrated during services and with a special kiddush



NOSH & DERASH

Please join us after the kiddush for a learning session with Rabbi Golden, entitled: 'Do Anachronisms Exist in the Torah?'

HAVDALAH AFTER: 5:02 PM



Parashat VAYISHLAH... After twenty tension filled years living with his father-in-law in the land of Padan Aram, Jacob finally returns to his homeland. Canaan promises to hold new challenges and threats for the third patriarch. Before Jacob can settle peaceably in the promised land, he must wrestle with a mysterious individual, confront his brother, and make a place for himself among the Canaanites.



MELDADOS

SHABBAT, DECEMBER 2, 2023

FIRST YEAR
EDWARD ALCOSSER

DR. HARRY QUAIN	ISAAC JACOB COHEN
JULIA SEVY	IDA FINKLEMAN
SARAH ISRAEL SOLOMON	ESTHER ABRAHAM ELIAS
SAMUEL SAUNDERS	SHAUL COHEN
DR. BERNARD KAMHI	SOLOMON D. CANDIOTTI
BETTY KNOPF	AZRIEL RAFAEL MATALON
ESTHER (ETTY) OZSARFATI	SIMON A. CRESPI
SHELDON KAMHI	RACHEL ABRAHAM LEVY
DORA MEVORACH	ESTHER BECKER
IRVING L. ROUSSO	JUDAH M. BAROCAS
LOUIS E. ROUSSO	ELIAS STRASSHEIM
ESTHER ELIAS	MEYER MAZZA
ALBERT B. CAMHI	BECKIE COHEN
LEON A. KLEIN	SOPHIE COHEN
VICTOR ROMANO	MURRAY ANGEL
ROSE GREEN	SOLOMON MITRANI
CHARLOTTE ELIAS	RACHEL KAMHI
BENI C. ELIAS	JACK CAMHI
BENJAMIN A. BARUCH	RACHEL VALENSI
ANNA SPIVAK	RAY NACHMAN
MICHAEL ISAAC NEGRIN	ABRAHAM MEEZAN
DORA TABOH	LOUIS ELIAS
NISSIM COHEN	LEON N. BENADO
SOPHIE BOHORUCHA COHEN	DAVID ZACHARIA
VICTORIA SAPORTA	JENNIE VENTURA
BEN METRANO	LUNA HAIME
MORRIS ADLER	ABRAHAM SAM
ABRAHAM HAYIM BENDAHAN	BELLE ORIEL
CARRIE SCHWARTZ	ESTHER JETTE
DORA N. MENAHEM	MOLLIE GORDON



IN THE TEMPLE FAMILY

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Shabbat, December 2



December Birthday and Anniversary Shabbat

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*Nosh and Derash with Rabbi Golden entitled:
'Do Anachronisms Exist in the Torah?'*

Please contact the Temple office to let us know if you
have a birthday or anniversary in December that you
would like to be acknowledged



SAVE THE DATE:

*Tuesday, January 16, 2024
Sephardic Temple Florida Gathering*

Join Rabbi & Rabbanit Shira Golden and Temple family members
in Florida for a special get-together at
a kosher restaurant in Boca Raton.

Please contact the Temple office to sign up.
More details to follow!

Ladino Phrase of the Week

Caras vemos, corasones no conesemos

Faces we see, hearts we do not see through



MOVIE NIGHT

AT THE SEPHARDIC TEMPLE

Thursday, December 14

Join us on Hanukkah!

Save the date - more details to follow



HAPPY HANUKKAH

חנוכה שמח

Lighting the Menorah

Hanukkah is a joyous festival. It is marked by the lighting of candles in the home, beginning with one candle on the first night, and add one on each following night of the holiday.

The center candle acts as the **Shammash** - which means 'one who serves'. Since we are forbidden to make use of the Hanukkah lights, the light from the Shammash provides the legal fiction whereby we may read, etc. in the proximity of the Hanukkah lamp.

So that everyone knows Hanukkah is here, we place the candles near a window facing the street. The lighting ceremony is accompanied by blessings and followed by song.

On Friday night, the lighting of the menorah precedes the lighting of the Shabbat candles.

On Saturday night, the menorah is lit after Havdalah is recited.

Before kindling the lights, say these blessings:

(1) "Blessed are You, O L-rd our G-d, King of the universe, Who has sanctified us by Your commandments, and commanded us to kindle the light of Hanukkah."

ברוך אתה ד' אלהינו מלך העולם אשר קדשנו במצותיו וצונו להדליק נר של חנוכה.

Baruch ata Adonai, Eloheynu Melech ha'olam. Asher kideshanu be'mitzotav ve'tzivanu le'hadlik ner shel Hanukkah.

(2) Blessed are You, O L-rd our G-d, King of the universe, who wrought miracles for our fathers in days of old, at this season.

ברוך אתה ד' אלהינו מלך העולם, שעשה נסים לאבותינו בימים ההם בזמן הזה.

Baruch ata Adonai Eloheynu Melech ha'olam. She'asa nisim la'avoteynu ba'yamim hahem bazeman hazeh.

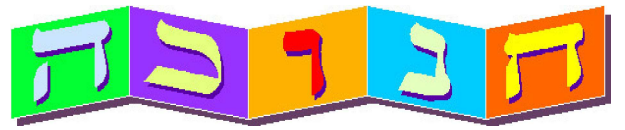
***When kindling the Hanukkah lights on the First night recite: Blessed art Thou, L-rd our G-d, Ruler of the universe, that Thou hast given us life and sustenance and brought us to this happy season.**

ברוך אתה ד' אלהינו מלך העולם שהחיינו וקיימנו והגיענו לזמן הזה.

Ba-ruch A-tah Ado-nai E-lo-he-nu Me-lech Ha-olam she-heche-ya-nu ve-ki-yi-ma-nu ve-higi-a-nu liz-man ha-zeh.

After the candles are lit, recite the following:

During all the eight days of Hanukkah, these lights are sacred and it is not permitted to make any profane use of them, but we are only to look at them, in order that we may give thanks unto His name for His miracles, His deliverance and His wonder.



HANUKKAH CANDLE LIGHTING SCHEDULE

Kislev/Tevet 5784 - December 2023

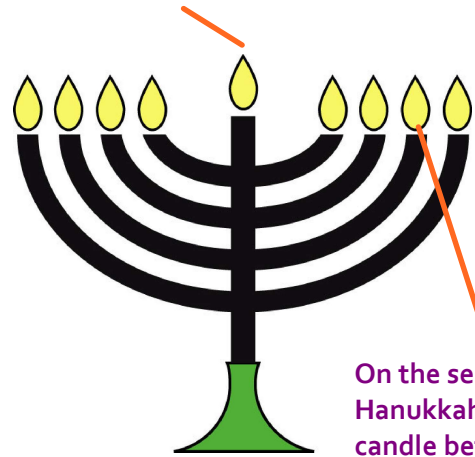
Light candles after sunset
(except before/after Sabbath - see below)

1st Candle	Thursday Eve	December 7 (after 4:28 pm)
2nd Candle	Friday Eve	December 8 Light BEFORE Sundown, before lighting Sabbath Candles (in Cedarhurst = 4:10 pm)
3rd Candle	Saturday Eve	December 9 Light after Havdalah (Havdalah in Cedarhurst = 5:02 pm)
4th Candle	Sunday Eve	December 10 (after 4:28 pm)
5th Candle	Monday Eve	December 11 (after 4:28 pm)
6th Candle	Tuesday Eve	December 12 (after 4:28 pm)
7th Candle	Wednesday Eve	December 13 (after 4:28 pm)
8th Candle	Thursday Eve	December 14 (after 4:28 pm)

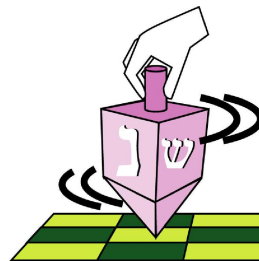
HANUKKAH MENORAH (HANUKKIYAH)

SHAMMASH -

In the Sephardic tradition, we kindle the lights first, and light the Shamash last



On the second eve of Hanukkah, light this candle before lighting the candle to its right, etc.



A Great Miracle Happened There

