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CHESHVAN - KISLEV 5778

Grand Givers 2017

Back by Popular Demand with an All New Show!

Neil Berg's *100 YEARS OF HOLLYWOOD*



Saturday, November 4

Doors open 8:00 pm

Show starts 8:30 pm

Dessert reception with chance to
meet entertainers follows performance

Dreiseszun Grand Givers - \$10,000

Grand Givers - \$2,000

Gold Tickets* \$400

Silver Tickets* \$200

913.642.1880 x203 or kisyn.org

***Admits Two**

SHABBAT SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3

Candlelighting*.....5:58 PM
Kabbalat Shabbat.....6:00 PM

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4

Morning Services.....9:00 AM
Basketball, Mussaf & Kiddush.....10:00 AM
Mincha.....5:35 PM
Havdalah.....6:49 PM
GRAND GIVERS.....7:00 PM



FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10

Candlelighting*.....4:51 PM
Kabbalat Shabbat.....4:55 PM

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11

VETERANS DAY SERVICE

Morning Services.....9:00 AM
Mini-Minyan for Kids.....10:30 AM

KIDDUSH SPONSORED

BY MEN'S CLUB

Mincha.....4:30 PM
Havdalah.....5:43 PM



FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17

Candlelighting*.....4:45 PM
Kabbalat Shabbat.....4:50 PM

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18

Morning Services.....9:00 AM
Basketball, Mussaf & Kiddush.....10:00 AM

CHAI ANNIVERSARY KIDDUSH

Mincha.....4:25 PM
Havdalah.....5:37 PM



FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24

Candlelighting*.....4:41 PM
Kabbalat Shabbat.....4:45 PM

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25

Morning Services.....9:00 AM
Mini-Minyan for Kids.....10:30 AM
Mincha.....4:20 PM
Havdalah.....5:35 PM

* NO LATER THAN THESE TIMES

From The Rabbi...



On Saturday evening, November 11, as most of you should know our youngest daughter, Miriam, will be getting married at K.I. We are really pleased that Miriam and her fiancée, Ian, have selected K.I. as the location of their wedding. They are both world travelers, and we really suspected that we would have a destination wedding as we did in the case of our son

Seth some fifteen years ago.

For the 35 years I was your rabbi, I rarely spoke about my kids, even from the pulpit or in this column. However, this is a very special occasion for us to have our youngest child married at my synagogue on my pulpit. Both of our older sons were married out-of-town, so this is a first for us.

Miriam was born in the mid-1980s here in Kansas City and grew up from birth in our congregation, attended the Hyman Brand Hebrew Academy, and was part of everything that went on in our congregational family. Most of you have known her since she was an infant.

Our boys have been married a long time, and we have, thank G-d wonderful grandchildren from them.

People always told me that it would be different when your daughter gets married, and now I know what they mean. It is a very special and unique experience, especially with her being married in our synagogue and by me as her dad.

Our future son-in-law, Ian, ironically is from nearby, namely, Des Moines, where he was born and attended university in the State of Iowa as well. He is a typical laid back Midwesterner. Not only is he a perfect match for Miriam, as they share many interests together, but their personalities match as well.

What more can parents ask for than what appears to be an ideal match for one of their children? We know many of you will be joining us that evening, as we have invited the entire congregation to our *simcha*. It is my wish that all of you have wonderful and joyous events in your family as we are about to do and hope that we all share upcoming *simchas* together.

Shabbat Shalom,

Rabbi Herbert J. Mandl, PhD

Cantor Benjamin Matis' office

hours:

Cantor Matis will be available on a regular basis on Mondays and Thursdays from 10 am until 12 noon, otherwise by appointment. He can be reached at 516.448.7151 or by email cantorben@kisyn.org.

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IN MEMORIAM

May the G-d of Mercy sustain and comfort those who have suffered the loss of dear ones. The Kehilath Israel family extends deepest sympathy to the bereaved families of:

OLGA KRUG

MAURICE SOLTZ

(Husband of Ellen Soltz)

IDA BERNSTEIN

ESTHER HOROWITZ

MONUMENT UNVEILINGS

Friday, November 24

In Memory of

Sally Tranin

11:00 a.m.

K.I. Blue Ridge Cemetery

**DEADLINE FOR THE
DECEMBER FOCAL POINT
WILL BE DECEMBER 8.
EMAIL YOUR INFORMATION
TO ashanberg@kisyn.org**

From The President...



Dear Friends,

We made it through the holidays, and now we begin the new year with a *tabula rasa*, a blank slate. We are in the midst of the Thanksgiving season, which we began with *Sukkot* when we acknowledged our thankfulness for our

bounty--food, crops, family, etc. And, of course, for the blessings we have received throughout the year.

Sukkot was wonderful. People sharing their *sukkahs* with family and friends. Wonderful foods and conversation.

On Sunday, *chol hamoed*, we had the K.I. Synagogue *Sukkot* dinner. We enjoyed a fire-eating, unicycle-riding, juggler to entertain the children, but I think the adults enjoyed it as much, if not more. The food was excellent--a Mexican fiesta. Thank you to **Adrianna Rosales**, who along with her team of **Arlene Abrams, Debbie Adamous, Natalie Cohen, Brenda Fishman, Sheila Ginsberg, Rosemary Gorin, Sharon Noorollah, Ruth Nowack, Debby Pfefer, Dori Quinn, and Linda Silver**, invested a lot of time and effort into making the evening a delicious and wonderful success. If I failed to mention anyone's name who also worked on the dinner, please forgive me.

This is exactly what I meant when I stated in my *Yom Kippur* speech that one of the many ways you can contribute to our synagogue is by volunteering. Whether it be in the office, around the building or in the kitchen for *kiddushim*, synagogue dinners, etc. No matter what you do as a volunteer, your efforts make K.I. better.

I try to have a positive attitude about life. I know that no matter who you are and no matter how badly you feel life is treating you, if you are honest with yourself and think with your mind and heart, you will find that you really do have a lot to be thankful for. The fact that you are reading this article gives you a reason to be thankful.

In a few short weeks, on November 23, we will be celebrating the American holiday of Thanksgiving. This is actually one of my favorite holidays because of its family orientation. We eat way too much wonderful food and remark how big the children have grown since last year. But more importantly, this time of year I realize how truly blessed I am. And sometimes the thought that crosses my mind is, "Do I really deserve all of this?" I'm not sure if I am deserving or not, but I am thankful, because it helps me in my quest to be a better person.

We have two classes going on at K.I., which may be of interest to you: first of all, we have **Rabbi Mandl's** Talmud Class which meets on Monday evenings at 6:45 pm in the library. This class has been meeting for over 27 years and continues to draw a steady attendance. You don't need any prior exposure to the Talmud for this class. Secondly, we have a class lead by **Cantor Matis** which meets on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 pm. Cantor Matis' class, "Jewish Music Mystery Tour" will explore the magical, mystical aspects of Jewish music. This class portends to be a 'do not miss' opportunity.

In closing, I wish you all a happy Thanksgiving. Please make time to come to *shul*.

Be happy and be well,

Marty Gorin,
President

ABOUT K.I. MEMORIAL PLAQUES & THE YIZKOR BOOKLET

Over the course of the recent holy days, there have been many questions about the *Yizkor* booklet that was used during the *Yizkor* service we recited on *Yom Kippur* and *Shemini Atzeret*.

The names listed in the *Yizkor* book are names of those individuals who have memorial plaques in our chapel. Having a memorial plaque is required to have a name listed in the *Yizkor* book.

There are additional advantages of having a memorial plaque for a loved one. 1) The observers of the *yahrzeit* of the deceased will receive notifications of the upcoming *yahrzeit*; 2) the light on the memorial plaque is turned on in the chapel for the day of the *yahrzeit*; 3) the deceased's name is recognized in the *Shabbat* pamphlet on the *Shabbat* preceding the *yahrzeit*; 4) the deceased's name is read from the pulpit at *Shabbat* services preceding the *yahrzeit*; and 5) the deceased's name is read from the pulpit at the *Maariv* service at the start of the *yahrzeit*.

If you have any questions about memorial plaques, contact the synagogue office at 913.642.1880 or events@kisyn.org.

Jewish Music Mystery Tour



What is Jewish Music?

The question has yet to be answered.

Examine the mystery with

Cantor Benjamin Matis



Wednesdays
7:30 pm at K.I.
Nov 1, 15, 29
and Dec 6



NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES



- 2 Tatyana & Arkadiy Katz (33)
Phyllis & Maury Kohn (31)
- 8 Marlene & Ari Lubowicz (25)
Sylvana & Daniel Hammer (19)
- 9 Beverly & Larry Mallin (65)
- 10 Donna & Edward Warren (33)
- 11 Geraldine & Mark Klein (61)
- 13 Clara & Geoffrey Goldman (13)
- 15 Arlyn & Charles Kuluva (47)
- 19 Ida & Craig Kolkin (28)
- 25 Allegra & Kent Shanberg (33)
- 26 Susie & Paul Blackman (34)
- 27 Regina & Jonathan Fink (18)
Gina & Elly Goldstein (15)
- 30 Liz & Brian Friedman (37)

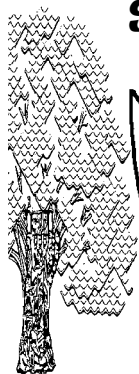
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רפואה שלמה

The congregation expresses sincere wishes for a speedy recovery to **Deanna Martasin**, **Margaret Nerman**, **Shirley Sander**, **Gene Soloff**, **Sandy Weinstein**, and to all other members of the congregation and community who have been ill or hospitalized.

SIMCHA TREE LEAF DEDICATIONS



Mazel Tov Marlene Krakow
 Sukkot Ayshet Chayil
 Love Always and Forever
 Jason-Andrea-Russell-Chava & Families
 Gary-Patti & Families
 Felicia-Seymour & Families

CONGREGANTS' NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

We want to wish a Happy Birthday to all of the following congregants who are celebrating birthdays:

Marcia Karbank, Jackye Goldberg, James Stone, Megan Pener, Patsy Probin, Bonnie Rosen, Bruce Winston, Marcia Tropp, Barbara Glass, Joseph Pfefer, Debby Pfefer, Larry Silverman, Laura Daniels, Richard Gatewood, Stuart Levine, Aron Mandl, Marilyn Morgan, Sonia Warshawski, Alan Gallas, Vicky Kulikov, Deborah Geivett, Deborah Goodbinder, Garry Scharf, Robert Hoffman, Dan Kass, David Kricsfeld, Jeanne Kaplan, Paul Wacknov, Clara Goldman, Phyllis Kogan, Ruth Rosenblum, Todd Agron, Jeffrey Goldenberg, Joseph Goldwasser, Zachary Haith, Gary Levin, Madeline Schiffman, Julie Shaffer, Rochelle Kanter, Robert Katz, William Rosenthal, Doris Gilgus, Robert Friedman, Marlene Lubowicz, Carolyn Braverman, Anzhelika Khalemsky, Allegra Shanberg, Efraim Gershom, Allen Levine, Randa Feder, Greg Nerman.

NOVEMBER YOUTH BIRTHDAYS

Evelyn Pener, Molly Mandl, Delilah Fry, Tali Gortenburg, Keaton Oliver, Jacob Rosales.

מזל טוב

...to **Kelly Vickery** and **Joel Agron** on the birth of a son, Colton David Agron. Also to the grandparents **Frank Agron**, **Rosemary** and **Marty Gorin**.

...to **Debby** and **Bill Schlozman** on the birth of a grandson, Jack Teddy Schlozman to Erin and Richie Schlozman.

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MEXICAN *SUKKAH* DINNER AND ENTERTAINMENT



Amanda and Dr. Shari Sokol





Women of K.I. outing to the Symphony. From left: Phyllis Kohn, Joyce Zeldin, Robin Jaffe, Brenda McKinnon, Sharon Noorollah, Natalie Cohen, Linda Silver, Joyce Organ, Mary Covitz, Katie Rosenbaum, Rosemary Gorin, Dori Quinn, Laura Daniesl, Cheryl Intrater, Sharon Friedman, Sheila Ginsberg, Ann Federman and Patricia Vidal.

Women of K.I.

November



Happy Hour @ LaBodega

Tuesday - Nov 7 5-7 pm

Leawood Town Center Crossing

4311 W 119th St, Leawood, KS 66209

Chesed for JFS Food Pantry

Sunday - Nov 19

8:45 am Bagels and coffee (place TBD)

9:30 am Food pantry tour;

then in pairs, deliver food to clients (Done by noon)



RSVP for both events to Natalie Cohen - 913.341.6622 / natjgc@aol.com

Thursday, **December 14**

Save the date for the Annual Chanukah Dinner



Saturday, Nov 11
during 9 AM
services and
at *kiddush*

sponsored by
K.I. Men's Club

Honoring K.I.
Veterans



ESRIG-GOULD MEMORIAL ALCOVE

With Reverence We Record the Following Yahrzeits

MEMORIAL TABLETS

12 CHESHVAN-NOV. 1

NELLIE GOLDBERG
PHIL HARRIS
ROSE PENER
VICTOR POLLMAN
MORRIS SILVERMAN
DAVE SOLOFF

13 CHESHVAN-NOV. 2

EDYTHE BEREY
REBECCA BOLD
BELLE FINKELSTON
NATHAN GAMPOL
FRANCES HOLLAND
MAX KURS
FANNIE MANDEL
IRVING MYER
HYMAN SHULTZ
ISAAC STEIN
KROSSE TENENBAUM

14 CHESHVAN-NOV. 3

HERTZEL BAUM
IRVING BELZER
SHERMAN SCHWARTZ
CECILLE SIEGAL

15 CHESHVAN-NOV. 4

DAVID EISENBERG
ZVI ESRIG
BARRY GLASBERG
JULIUS MALLIN
SARAH YEDDIS
SAM ZUROVSKY

16 CHESHVAN-NOV. 5

BELLE ALPORT
SARAH GELPHMAN
JACOB GERSHBERG
SARAH HYMAN
IDA KRUG
LENA LEVINE
GOLDIE SCHWEITZER
ARTHUR WACHTEL

17 CHESHVAN-NOV. 6

IDA BLACKMAN
SAM EISBERG
BESSIE FISH
LOUIS GOTTLIEB
ANNA RUBINS
ROSE SIMON
JACOB STERN

18 CHESHVAN-NOV. 7

JOSEPH GOLDBERG
ISAAC GOLDMAN
RASHE KLEVATT
BESSIE KOTELOV
WILLIAM KULUVA
RUBEN LEVITCH
LOUIS STRAUSS
HAZEL TIGERMAN
VIGDOR WISMAN

19 CHESHVAN-NOV. 8

ESTHER AARON
DORA ADELMAN
JEROME FRANKSTEIN
REVA GOODMAN
WILLIAM LEVINE
EVA NACHMAN
KOPPEL NERMAN

20 CHESHVAN-NOV. 9

BERTHA FISHMAN

MOLLIE KRAFT
CECIL MYEROWITZ
PHYLLIS PACK
MARY ROVENSKY

21 CHESHVAN-NOV. 10

LINDA BIRNBAUM
ESTHER DANIELS
DAVID KOCH
ANNA LEVIN
GLORIA PARELMAN
ROSE PFEFFER
KLANA SHVARTSBLAT
EVA TISHK

22 CHESHVAN-NOV. 11

RUBY BERMAN
MARLENE CORCHINE
HARRY HIMMELSTEIN
JOHN LERNER
SARAH ROSEN
MORRIS SPITCAUFSKY
ROSE SPITCAUFSKY
SOPHIA SPITCAUFSKY
IDA VILE

23 CHESHVAN-NOV. 12

SARAH BRATMAN
GUILLERMO CHOPP
DVOSHA LEVINA
ALBERT MIZRAHI
LEONA SOLTZ
BERTHA WAX
JOSEPH WEINSAFT

24 CHESHVAN-NOV. 13

WILLIAM COHN
DENA DELEVE
JENNIE FEINGOLD
ESTHER GOLDFINGER
JULIUS KREGER
SIMON OZAR
ROSE SNITZ
DAVID WOLPER
LUBA ZWILLENBERG

25 CHESHVAN-NOV. 14

MATTHEW DEVOE
JOSEPH EPSTEIN
ESTHER ESTRIN
MAX HYMAN
GELA LEVITCH
ESTHER NERMAN
SAM SHAW
NISSON SHURIN

26 CHESHVAN-NOV. 15

FRANCES CUMONOW
HARRY FRIEDMAN
THOMAS MAGARIEL
SARAH SIESS

27 CHESHVAN-NOV. 16

BERNARD BELZER
DAVID FRANKENSTEIN
FRANK KRUG
FANNY LEVY
MORRIS MALLIN
MORRIS ODESNIK
HARRY STRAUSS

28 CHESHVAN-NOV. 17

REBECCA HARRIS
WILLIAM KALLIS
RUTH KESSLER
BERTHA LEVICH

MICHAEL MOSSERI
BERTHA ROSS
PERLE SHAPIRO
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29 CHESHVAN-NOV. 18

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JACOB JACOBSON
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MANUEL LADERMAN
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MORRIS TENENBAUM
SOL WEDLANSKY

1 KISLEV-NOV 19

SAM ABEND
SAM COROCHOV
YALE EPSTEIN
MAX GERSH
KASIL JABEN
EVA KISLUK
ISAAC KISLUK
ROBERT MALLIN
DENA MNOOKIN
SAMUEL STUDNA
BERL WOLOWSKI

2 KISLEV-NOV 20

ANNA BIRENBOIM
BERNARD BODNEY
SHERMAN GOLDMAN
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SARA MILLER
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LOUIS RUBIN
ROSE STUDNA
HELEN SWEET

3 KISLEV-NOV 21

IDA BRATT
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4 KISLEV-NOV 22

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HARRY SCHWARTZ
WILLIAM SEBERT
MILLY ZEFF

5 KISLEV-NOV 23

ROSE AGRON
SAMUEL EISMAN
CHINKA KAMENESKY
LOIS LEVITCH
ALICE LIEBERMAN
SAMUEL MNOOKIN
LILLY RESNICK
ALAN ROSENBERG

JENNIE WEINER

6 KISLEV-NOV 24

SEYMOUR KATZ
SAM LEVY
BETTY PRICE
EDWARD PRICE

7 KISLEV-NOV 25

GOLDIE BURSTEN
CARL HAMER
D'VORA MILLER
ANNA WICENTOWSKY

8 KISLEV-NOV 26

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WILLIAM KLUGMAN
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AVROM SIEGEL
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MARIA WERTMAN
MAX WINER

9 KISLEV-NOV 27

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AVRAHAM COSNER
MINKA COSNER
FREDL FEDER
NORMAN GOPMAN
HAROLD KATZ
KURT LEVI
MORRIS TURNER

10 KISLEV-NOV 28

LEIZER COPAKEN
JACOB FISHMAN
ISRAEL GALLAS
BERL GOLDSTEIN
HERMAN SCHIFMAN
HERMAN SIESS

11 KISLEV-NOV 29

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BETTY CONE
SOL GOLDBERG
FRIEDA KABRISKY
HARRY KANTOR
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JFS NOV. 5 ANNUAL MEETING HONORS VOLUNTEERS, LEADERSHIP CHANGES

On Sunday, Nov. 5, Jewish Family Services will hold its Annual Meeting welcoming new board president, Fay Balk, and recognize outgoing JFS President, David Kaseff, for his service to the agency.

The JFS Annual Meeting will take place at 10:30 a.m. in the Social Hall of the Jewish Community Campus. The entire community is invited to attend.

During the gathering, several volunteer awards will be given to individuals honoring them for their dedication to supporting JFS' mission. The prestigious Bernstein Humanitarian Award will be given to Rich Hastings for his support and commitment to the JFS family.

While the event is free, reservations are required by Oct. 31. For reservations, please contact JFS Development Director Vanessa Herring at 913.327.8299 or email her at vherring@jfskc.org.

CAREER SKILLS & CONNECTIONS CAN HELP YOU WITH FREE RESUME & LINKED IN REVIEW

Career Skills & Connections (CSC) is offering a special you won't want to miss!

Schedule a 30-minute resume or Linked In review with a CSC professional career coach – FREE! You will also learn about all the services CSC offers in the community.

CSC is a joint program of Jewish Family Services and Jewish Vocational Service that offers a comprehensive array of services, including career coaching, workshops covering basic technical skills, peer support and job development. Its primary focus is to assist the underemployed, unemployed and those in career transition. This summer special on resume review provides people the opportunity to test out the program and see all the benefits it has to offer.

To schedule your free review, contact Cari Boasberg by calling 913.730.1449 or email her at cboasberg@jfskc.org. Appointments are limited. **LINK:** <http://www.jfskc.org/csc-free-resume-review/>

JEWISH SPIRITUAL CONTENT AVAILABLE ONLINE

A wealth of Jewish spiritual content is available literally at your fingertips, with the help of your computer, tablet, television or smartphone. Things such as Hebrew lessons, lectures from 92nd Street Y, news from Israel, Jewish music, and Sabbath and Daily *Minyan* services.

A list of internet resources for viewing and listening to Judaic content can be found on the Jewish Family Services website at www.jfskc.org/judaic-content. These resources are particularly convenient for older adults or those who may be homebound. You also will find tips for accessing content via hi-definition internet television.

For more information on Judaic content online, contact JFS' Chaplaincy program. If you need technical assistance accessing these resources, JFS offers assistance through its Help@Home membership-based program. Both can be reached at 913.327.8250. **LINK:** <http://www.jfskc.org/judaic-content/>

JFS OFFERS VARIETY OF OLDER ADULTS PROGRAMS

As we age, sometimes we need a little assistance maneuvering life's daily tasks. Jewish Family Services offers a variety of services, counseling and more to help older adults. Those resources include Help@Home – providing access to a community handyman to assist with tasks, JET Express – a volunteer driving program, Comprehensive and care management services, as well as counseling. Details on these resources may be easily found at <http://www.jfskc.org/services/older-adult-services/>, or call JFS at 913.327.8250. We're here to help make life easier for you! **LINK:** <http://www.jfskc.org/services/older-adult-services/>

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Jewish Music Mystery Tour with Cantor Matis - 7:30 pm	2	3 15:58	4 H Vayaira In Kings 4:1-37 Shabbos Ends: 6:49 Basketball, Mussaf, Kiddush-10:00 am Grand Givers-Evening
5 Religious School - 9:15-11:30 am	6 Rabbi Mandl's Talmud Class - 7:00 pm	7 Religious School - 4:30-6:15 pm Women of K.I. Happy Hour @ LaBodega 5-7:00 pm	8 K.I. Board Meeting-6:30 pm	9	10 4:51	11 Chayei Sarah In Kings 1:1-31 Shabbos Ends: 5:43 Mini Minyan 10:30 am Veterans Day Services and Kiddush Miriam Mandl's Wedding-Evening
12 Religious School - 9:15-11:30 am	13 Rabbi Mandl's Talmud Class - 7:00 pm	14 Religious School - 4:30-6:15 pm Adult Bat Mitzvah Class - 7:00 pm	15 Jewish Music Mystery Tour with Cantor Matis - 7:30 pm	16 Cub Scout Pack Meeting-6:45 pm	17 4:45	18 Toldos Samuel 20:18-42 Shabbos Ends: 5:37 Basketball, Mussaf, Kiddush-10:00 am Chai Anniversary Kiddush
19 Rosh Chodesh Kislev Religious School - 9:15-11:30 am Women of K.I. @ JFS Food Pantry - 8:45 am	20 Rabbi Mandl's Talmud Class - 7:00 pm	21 Religious School - 4:30-6:15 pm	22	23 Thanksgiving Day OFFICE CLOSED Shacharit Service-9:00 am	24 4:41 OFFICE CLOSED Shacharit Service-9:00 am	25 H Vayitzei Hosea 13:6-14:10 Shabbos Ends: 5:35 Mini Minyan 10:30 am
26 NO Religious School	27	28 Religious School - 4:30-6:15 pm	29 Jewish Music Mystery Tour with Cantor Matis - 7:30 pm	30		



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Sunday Shacharit 9:00 am

Monday-Friday Shacharit 7:00 am

Sunday-Thursday
Mincha and Maariv

Week of October 29 - November 3 6:05 pm

Week of November 5 5:00 pm

Week of November 12 4:55 pm

Week of November 19 4:50 pm

Week of November 26 4:45 pm

ROSH CHODESH KISLEV

Sunday, November 19

Thanksgiving Day, November 23 - Shacharit 9:00 am

Friday, November 24 - Shacharit 9:00 am



NEW CLASS FORMING FOR ADULT WOMEN

Learning with Rabbi Herbert Mandl



First *formative* meeting
Tuesday, November 14th at 7 pm
in the K.I. library

Who should come?

- If you are just starting to learn or want to continue learning
- If you have already had a *bat mitzvah* or have not
- If you would like to give input on what you want the class to be...

**Please RSVP to Rabbi Mandl at hjm18@aol.com
or 913.642.1880 ext. 212**