Treats for First Responders Wednesday, December 25
Spread the season’s cheer by bringing special treats of your choice to area first responders working on Christmas. Go to bit.ly/FirstRespondersTreats2019 to sign up.

JFS Grief Support Group
For adults who have experienced the recent loss of a loved one. Six, 90 minute sessions over six weeks. Registration is required. If you are interested in participating please call Rona Rosen, LISW, at 614-559-0167, or Josh Lorch, LISW, at 614-55-0203.

Upcoming Programs & Events
Chanukah Dinner & Bring Your Own Chanukiah Sunday, December 22
There will be latkes, sufganiot, dreidle contests, ugly sweater judging, and more for the whole family. Minyan at 5:00 pm, candle lighting at 5:45 pm, and dinner at 6:00 pm. Please RSVP by Tuesday, December 17, to bit.ly/2019ChanukahDinner.

Hebrew Reading Crash Course Level II Tuesdays, January 7-February 11 @ 6:00 pm
Review your reading skills while learning basic Hebrew prayer vocabulary, grammar, and phrases as we study familiar prayers like Adon Olam and Lecha Dodi. Offered in partnership with the National Jewish Outreach Project. Taught by Pamela Feldman-Hill. Space is limited. Course is FREE but registration is required. Register online at bit.ly/2020HebrewCrashCourseII or call 614-253-8523.

Gene Wilder & Chinese Sunday, January 12 @ 3:30-8:00 pm
Children of all ages are invited to enjoy a Gene Wilder flick, or two, and a delicious Chinese dinner. At 3:30 pm, families with pre-school and school-age children can come and make a box “car” for a drive-in experience. At 4:00 pm, we will show “Willy Wonka & the Chocolate Factory.” Dinner is scheduled for 5:40 pm, followed by a screening of “The Frisco Kid.” The movies are free and dinner is $15 for adults, $7 for children age 4-12, free for children 3 and younger, and a maximum of $45 per family. Please RSVP by Thursday, January 9, at bit.ly/GeneWilderandChinese.

Dinner, Drinks & Drash Wednesday, January 15 6:00 pm
Twice a month, grab a FREE nosh and drink then stick around to study with Rabbis Skolnik and Braver. This time, we welcome Cantor Ramon Tasat to speak on, “The Music of the Jews of Italy.” To sponsor a night of learning in honor or memory of a loved one, reach out to Rabbi Braver for more information. Complimentary meal guaranteed for those who RSVP to bit.ly/DDDJan152020. For more information, contact Joy Contreras at jcontreras@tiferethisrael.org or 614-928-3291

MAY THEIR MEMORY be for a blessing
Join us at minyan on the date of your loved one’s yahrzeit to pray with the community, hear their name read, and recite the mourner’s kaddish. This occurs at services the evening before, as well as the morning and afternoon of the date of the yahrzeit. On Shabbat, all those observing a yahrzeit in the coming week are invited to the bimah for the honor of an aliyah and to share the name of their loved one.

Sunday, December 22/24 Kislev Ray Lee, Samuel Luper, Rose Norban, Rebecca Paine

Monday, December 23/25 Kislev Morris Hackman, Sara Oseff, Cathy Beth Stone

Tuesday, December 24/26 Kislev Brunette Bamberger, Myra Ginsberg, Simon Barry Karas, Albert H. Rose

Wednesday, December 25/27 Kislev Anna Horowitz, Isadore Moses, Blanche Rings, Walter Steiner


Friday, December 27/29 Kislev Sam Chinjer, Lewis Prizant, Dina Rozenbojm, Margaret Schuster

NOW ISRAEL LOVED JOSEPH BEST OF ALL HIS SONS, FOR HE WAS THE CHILD OF HIS OLD AGE; AND HE HAD MADE HIM AN ORNAMENTED TUNIC.

–GENESIS 37:3

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23 Kislev 5780 / December 20-21, 2019
Anniversary Shabbat
Shabbat Shalom!
Shabbat Vayeishev

Joseph offends his brothers with his dreams of grandeur. They sell him into slavery and lead Jacob to believe his son is dead. Yet Joseph, in Egypt, finds favor with his master. Even when thrown into prison, Joseph's abilities are recognized. He interprets the dreams of his fellow prisoners, the steward, and the chief baker of Pharaoh.

Torah Reading:
From Genesis

Haftarah:
Amos 2:6-3:8

& Phyllis Katz, Frederick & Carol Luper, Susannah Sagan & Andrew Katz, Bernie & Reta Sigal, Gabriel & Sue Steiner, Robert & Susan Stone, Bradley & Julie Wasserstrom

The Week Ahead

Sunday, December 22
Minyan 9:00 am & 5:00 pm
Chanukah Dinner & Candle Lighting 6:00 pm, RSVP at bit.ly/2019ChanukahDinner, please note there will be no minyan at Kensington Place

Monday, December 23
Minyan 7:30 am & 5:30 pm I Can't Believe My Ears! 6:30 pm

Tuesday, December 24
Minyan 7:30 am & 5:30 pm Perek Yomi 8:30 am, with Rabbi Skolnik
Synagogue Offices Closed starting at 3:00 pm

Wednesday, December 25
Minyan 9:00 am
Synagogue Offices Closed

Thursday, December 26
Minyan 7:30 am & 5:30 pm Rashi+ 8:15 am

Friday, December 27
Morning Minyan 7:30 am & 5:30 pm
Shabbat Begins/Light Candles 4:55 pm

Saturday, December 28
Shabbat Warmup 9:00 am, Mah Chadash
Shabbat Morning Services 9:30 am Shabbat Clubhouse 10:30 am Shabbat Ends/Havdalah 5:56 pm

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Cemetery Plot Discounts Available
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Sisterhood Gift Shop
Shop is open by appointment only through Monday, January 6. To take advantage of current sales on a variety of merchandise, make an appointment by calling Sheila Chodosh at 614-736-8713.

Holiday Gift Card Drive
The Social Action Committee is collecting $25 gift cards for three local community organizations: Central Community House, the YWCA Family Center, and the Van Buren homeless shelter. Bring $25 gift cards to big box stores (Target, Walmart, etc.) or grocery stores to the Chanukah dinner on December 22. Contact Maddy Fleisher at mpfleisher@gmail.com or 857-636-0371 with questions or to arrange alternative drop-off options.

Shabbat Schedule
Shabbat Warmup - Mah Chadash 9:00 am
Shabbat Morning Service 9:30 am
Childcare (ages 0-5) 9:30 am
Shabbat Clubhouse (K-6) 10:30 am
Shabbat Ends/Havdalah 5:52 pm

Blessing of the New Month
The congregation responds to the announcement of the new month in the third passage on page 150 with the words: Rosh Chodesh Tevet Yihyeh B’yom Shabbat Kodesh Ulmocharato B’yom Rishon Haba Aleinu V’al Kol Yisrael L’tovah!

Todah Rabah!
Today's kiddush luncheon is sponsored by the congregation. Flowers for the bimah are provided by the Tifereth Israel Sisterhood.

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