



Congregation Shir Chadash

Friday/Saturday
Oct. 5/6, 2007
23 Tishrai 5768

Service Times

Mornings: Shabbat: Chevre Torah 9:00 AM, followed by Shacharit at 10 AM

Minyans: Sunday- 9 AM - Thursday 8:30 AM

Evenings: 7:30 PM except 1st Friday Night of the month at 6 PM, 3rd Friday Night at 7 PM

SH'MINI ATZERET/SIMCHAT TORAH

Wednesday	October 3	(NO SERVICE)	7:30 p.m. Erev Sh'mini Atzeret
Thursday	October 4	9:00 a.m.	Sh'mini Atzeret (YIZKOR)
		7:00 p.m.	Erev Simchat Torah
Friday	October 5	9:00 a.m.	Simchat Torah

Simchat Torah Shabbat

Introduction to Judaism

- ◆ Appropriate for anyone 16 years of age or older.
- ◆ A good refresher for Jews
- ◆ A necessary preparation toward conversion, for those considering becoming Jewish.
- ◆ A terrific way for people who aren't Jewish, and aren't interested in conversion,
- ◆ to learn the basics of one of the worlds oldest and most influential religions.

Instructor: Rabbi Howard Laibson

Begins Sunday, October 7, from 1:00 - 3:00 pm



Mini-Course: 18 week duration

**Cost: (includes books & materials) \$175 per person
\$225 per couple**

RSVP: Please Let Us Know You Will Be There!

The Five Scrolls

These five scrolls – *Kohelet* (Ecclesiastes), *Esther*, *Shir HaShirim* (Song of Songs), *Ruth* and *Eicha* (Lamentations) – are read during various holidays on the Jewish calendar. Come join us as we learn why these texts are associated with specific holidays and what wisdom they have to offer us.

Rabbi Howard Laibson will teach this course.

Wednesday evenings: October 10, 17, 31, & November 7, from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Yahrzeits Occuring this Simchat Torah/Shabbat & Coming Week

Philip Center	10/4	Fortune Sara Benudiz	10/7
Abe L. Egherman	10/4	Isadore Kohen	10/7
Esther Leib	10/4	Gabriella Cooper	10/8
Lou Roska	10/4	Karl Fischel	10/10
Mary Croll	10/5	Hersz Jalowitz	10/11
Arthur Irvin Peale	10/5	Isaac Levich	10/11
Rose Feldman	10/6	Clara Lobel	10/11
Marvin B. Goldstock	10/6	Abraham Isaac Lutch	10/11
Lillyan Hardin	10/6	Stephen Wanger	10/11
Arthur Herman	10/6		
Leonard Morris Itkoff	10/6		



Congregation Shir Chadash

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9 A.M.—3 P.M.

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Havdalah 7:08

**Candle
Lighting:
6:14**



We commemorate the Fallen soldiers and civilians who have lost their lives defending the State of Israel, as well as, our American Soldiers who have passed away this week.



Shir Chadash Community Calendar

- **Friday, Oct. 5th...**after Simchat Torah morning service which begins at 9 am: A special ***Kiddush*** in honor of Maurice Moore & Sheldon Pordy who will be honored as our Chatan Torah & Chatan B'reisheet. Kiddush hosted by Rita Moore.
- **Friday, October 5th..*****Twilight Shabbat Service & Dinner***..6:00 PM...Come welcome Shabbat in a calming, restorative manner. This prayer experience is filled with contemporary and traditional melodies (accompanied by guitar) and many opportunities to privately, and silently, contemplate the meanings of the prayers. A wonderful dinner to follow, please RSVP asap. \$10 chicken, \$12 fish.
- **Sunday(s) beginning October 7th..*****Introduction to Judaism***..1:00-3:00 PM..An 18- week course covering holidays, theological issues, values, history.. THE WORKS! A good refresher for Jews. A necessary preparation toward conversion, for those considering becoming Jewish. A terrific way for anyone wishing to learn the basics of one of the world's oldest and most influential religions. Instructor: Rabbi Howard Laibson: cost includes books and materials \$175 per person, \$225 per couple Please let us know you will be there.
- **Wednesday evenings beginning Oct. 10, 17, 31 & Nov. 7th..** 7:00 - 8:30 PM..***The Five Scrolls***...This adult in-depth Mini-Course taught by Rabbi Howard Laibson will cover Ecclesiastes, Esther, Song of Songs, Ruth & Lamentations. Come learn why these texts are associated with specific holidays and what wisdom they have to offer.
- **Saturday, Oct. 13th ..**Following Saturday morning services, ***Special Kiddush*** to honor Ralph Finkelstein & Joseph Pinto. Please join us in honoring Ralph and Joseph for their many years of hard work and dedication as members of our synagogue.
- **Sunday, Oct. 14th..*****Art Spectrum Auction***..Both Silent & Live.. **Preview: 4 PM, Auction 5 PM.** Wine & Cheese.. Donation \$10 at the door. Don't miss this opportunity to schmooze and view some lovely art items for your home and office.

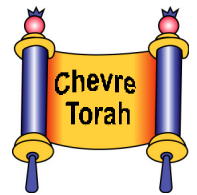


Friday,
October 5th
6 PM



Chevre Torah
Shabbat mornings,
9:00 - 10 a.m.,

Rabbi Laibson facilitates a very participatory discussion related to one or more aspects of the weekly Torah portion.
Be sure to join him.



Shabbat Shacharit
Service to follow conducted by
Rabbi Laibson & Cantor Yehuda Keller.

Adult Education !

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The Shofar

Due to the many activities of our Holy Days, our monthly newsletter, the Shofar, will be published at the end of October and will include information for November. Please submit your articles for November by Oct. 19th.

If you or a loved one have a birthday, anniversary, or a celebration to share,
please send a picture by e-mail or snail mail.

SCRIP

Sisterhood would like to remind everyone that we have scrip. Grocery store cards are registered very easily, and scrip gift cards are available for purchase. We have cards for *gasoline, grocery /retail stores, and restaurants.* We can help you *Sign Up* for e-scrip, just swipe your store's discount card and CSC gets a percentage. Need help Call Ettie at (562-425-3464) or Phyllis at (562-795-1658) to place an order or for more information.