

Refuah Shelemah to:

Betty M. Arogeti, Morris Benveniste, Claudine Geduldig, Vickie Cadranel,
Joe Cohen, Eileen Cahn, Jerry Gordon, Lauren Amar Parra

Sisterhood is baking in preparation for the Hanukah Bazaar!!!!

Come cook with us on

Sunday, 11/ 23 and Tuesday, 11/25.

Tues 12/2 & Thurs 12/4 and Mon - Thurs 12/ 8, 9, 10 & 11.

Weekday workers get a yummy lunch for just 1 buck! (Guests \$3.)

Come join the raffle for a dozen burekas to one lucky baker.

This week's winner ~ Sarah Duwell.

Join us...Sisterhood needs you!

Do you want to learn to read Hebrew?

Beginning Hebrew reading is taught on Sundays,

from 9:30 to 10:15 a.m.

33rd Annual Hanukah Bazaar

December 14 ~ 11 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Mark your calendar! Tell your friends and neighbors!

Sisterhood Needs What You've Got!

If you have: sporting event tickets, or art/theater/music tickets...
consider donating a pair for us to auction.

If you have: a mountain or beach house, condo, or other vacation spot...
donate a long weekend, a week or spring break!

If you have: access to hotel packages, salon/spa services, airline tickets,
catering and event services, wine/liquor, jewelry, or other luxury services
...we can auction them!

Help make our Silent Auction a Real Success!

PLEASE be generous!

For more information or donations, contact Lynn Chanin

770-973-2123 or momx4lhc@aol.com

New at the Bazaar this year...

Visit the OVS Talmud Torah table to see what the Sunday School kids
are making to raise money for their *tzedakah* project!

OVS Israel Bonds Brunch ~ January 18, 2009, 10:30 a.m.

Join us as we recognize our honorees Shelley & Neil Cooper.

Plan to attend. Save your pennies to invest in Israel Bonds!

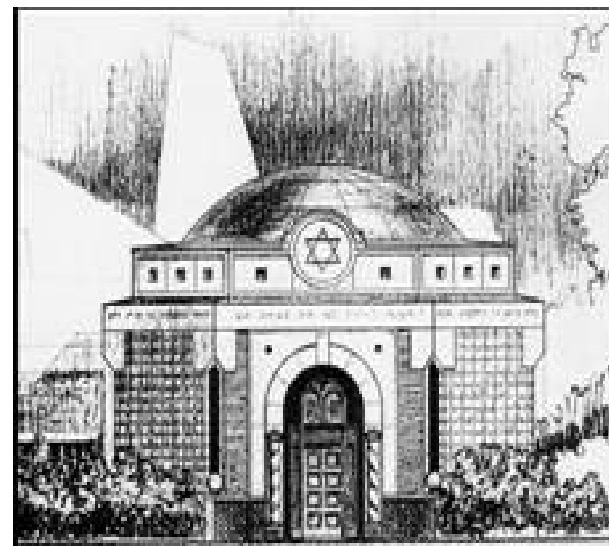
CONGREGATION OR VESHALOM

November 22 – 28, 2008

24 Heshvan - 1 Kislev 5769

Perashat Chaye Sarah

Shabbat Birchat Hahodesh



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The OVS AED (automated external defibrillator)
is located on the stage in the alcove to the left of the Ark.



On Shabbat, Or VeShalom is a cell phone free zone.
Please leave your cell phone at home.

Weekly Services

11/22	Shabbat Morning	8:30 a.m.
	Mincha	5:00 p.m.
	Arvit	5:50 p.m.
	Havdalah	6:05 p.m.
11/23	Sunday Morning	8:30 a.m.
11/24	Monday Morning	7:30 p.m.
11/27	Thursday Morning <i>Thanksgiving</i>	8:30 a.m.
11/28	Friday Morning <i>Rosh Hodesh Kislev</i>	7:30 a.m.
	Friday Evening Services	6:30 p.m.
	Shabbat Candle Lighting	5:11 p.m.

Perashat Chaye Sarah

Perasha:	Genesis	23:1-25:18	(Page 80)
Haftarah:	I Kings	1:1-31	(Page 90)

The Perasha begins by telling us that Sarah died at the age of 127. Abraham makes the arrangements for providing a suitable place to bury Sarah. Abraham, now determined to find a suitable mate for Isaac calls upon Eliezer to swear that he will faithfully carry out his task, that he will return to Abraham's family and hometown, and find a wife for Isaac there. Eliezer asks G-d for a sign - the girl who will offer him drink and also for his camels, she will be the one sent by G-d. Almost before he finished speaking, Rebecca arrives on the scene with her water container on her shoulder. Eliezer runs to her and asks for a bit of water. She immediately gives him his fill and then draws water for his camels. Rebecca then takes Eliezer to meet her father Lavan. Eliezer proceeds to tell the story of his mission, telling of Abraham and Isaac and of being sent to find a wife for Isaac. When he asks for Rebecca's hand on behalf of his master, Lavan accepts all as G-d's will. When they return to Canaan, Isaac takes Rebecca as his wife and she becomes a comfort to him for the loss of his mother. Abraham, having successfully provided for the continuity of the Jewish Nation, now lives out the remainder of his life and takes for himself a wife named Keturah (Hagar). Abraham dies at the "ripe old age" of 175. He is buried in the Cave of Machpelah, next to Sarah.

The Haftarah parallels the Parshat's theme by telling us of the aging King David, with many potential heirs, that it would be his son Solomon who would be the next link in the Davidic line. This fulfillment of a promise made to Solomon's mother, Batsheva, is similar to the promise made to Sarah.

Lunch and Learn with Rabbi Kassorla
Wednesdays at noon in the Library

OVS Annual General Meeting
Sunday, December 7 ~ 10 a.m.



*Please join us for Kiddush
in the Social Hall
immediately following services.*

You can sponsor a Kiddush in honor or in memory of a loved one or for a special occasion. Call Temi in the office for more information.

MELDADOS

We Remember

Heshvan

- 25 11/23 Marianne Baranan, Sophie Falkenstein, Paul Roth, Aziz Kohanshad
- 26 11/24 Eliahu Amiel
- 27 11/25 Mark Habif
- 28 11/26 Leah Codron Amato, Louise D. Habif, Sally Schwartz
- 29 11/27 Mazaltov Benbenisty, Charles Brusco, Joan Fox, Nace Cadranel, Reina Cain Cohen, Alfonso Dreyer, Lillian Snyder, Irving Wolf

Kislev

- 1 11/28 Saul Brown, Annie Hanan, Chana Ilyabayev

OVS Haftarah Taamim Class

Come learn the beautiful Sephardic melodies for chanting from the Prophets.

Sunday, November 23, 10 a.m. in the Library after Shacharit.

OVS Board of Directors Meeting

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23, at 10:00 a.m.

in the sanctuary extension room.

Join Rabbi Kassorla for Sundaes on Thursdays

Come to the OVS Library, grab a scoop of ice cream and load on the toppings. Then sit back and enjoy an enlightening evening chock-full of information about the book of Genesis (*Bereshith*)

Thursday, December 4 at 7:30 p.m.

Family Dynamics in Genesis



The OVS office will be closed for Thanksgiving on Thursday, November 27.