

Refuah Shelemah to:

Joyce Alhadeff, Salvador Barrocas, Jake Alhadeff, Blanchette Ichay

Mazal Tov to:

Scoutmaster Josiah Benator for receiving the first annual Community Service through Scouting Award from the Rotary Club of Stone Mountain. The award was presented on October 13 at the Rotary meeting at Smoke Rise Country Club. With the award comes a cash prize of \$250 for Troop 73!

Are you looking to get involved? Are you bursting with good ideas?

OVS is pleased to have added Mitchell Gersten to our office staff as Director of Member Programs. Now, he needs a committee! If you want to help plan our upcoming events and bring exciting programs to OVS, contact Mitchell at 404-633-1737 or mitchell.gersten@orveshalom.org.

DO YOU HAVE A COMPUTER at home

and have a little bit of time to help our COLLEGE OUTREACH program?

Nancy Galanti is looking for someone to handle sending the e-greetings to our OVS college students throughout the year.

It will involve sending emails for about 8 holidays to all the kids and individually on their birthdays.

If you're interested and can get started right away, please contact Nancy Galanti at nmgalanti@mindspring.com or 404-847-0387.

Sisterhood is baking on Tuesdays, Oct. 27 and Nov. 3, 10, and 17.

Our weekday workers get a yummy lunch for just a buck! (Guests are just \$3.)

Bakers get a chance to win a dozen burekas.

This week's winner was Susan Levy.

Join us...Sisterhood needs you!

Volunteers Needed for Shearith Israel Women's Shelter

OVS will once again be preparing our famous dinners for the ladies

November 16 – 22, 2009

Please contact Deborah Maslia 404-307-1834 or email masliad@yahoo.com to help cook, deliver food or donate toiletries and other goods to the Shelter.

City Wide Blood Drive

Sunday, November 8 ~ 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Ahavath Achim Synagogue, 600 Peachtree Battle Avenue

Walk-ins are always welcome but donors with appointments are given priority. To make an appointment, visit <https://www.givelife.org/index.cfm?Sponsor=jwv> and enter **JWV** as the sponsor code.

If you have questions about your eligibility to give blood please call the American Red Cross at 1-866-562-7156.

OVS Annual Bazaar ~ Sunday, December 6

To volunteer at the Bazaar please call Lynn Simon at 770-396-1996.



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

CONGREGATION OR VESHALOM

October 24 - 30, 2009

6 - 12 Heshvan 5770

Perashat Noach *Bar Mitzvah of Davis Apseloff*



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

Weekly Services

10/24	Shabbat Morning Services	8:30 a.m.
	Talmud Class	5:40 p.m.
	Mincha	6:15 p.m.
	Arvit	7:15 p.m.
	Havdalah	7:25 p.m.
10/25	Sunday Morning	8:30 a.m.
10/26	Monday Morning	7:30 a.m.
10/29	Thursday Morning	7:30 a.m.
10/30	Friday Morning	7:30 a.m.
	Shabbat Candle Lighting	6:29 p.m.
	Friday Evening Services	6:30 p.m.

Shabbat Perashat Noach

Perasha:	Genesis 6:9-11:32	(Page 26)
Haftarah:	Isaiah 54:1-55:5	(Page 41)

Noah, a righteous man, is introduced in contrast to a generation that "has perverted its ways." G-d instructs him to build and outfit the Ark. Noah is told to enter the Ark along with pairs of all the animals. For 40 days and nights the waters increased, destroying all living things. When the rain finally ceased and the Ark "landed" on dry land, Noah sends out the raven. When the raven returns unsuccessful from his mission, Noah sends out a dove that discovers dry land. G-d promises never again to destroy the world and designates the rainbow as the symbol of that covenant. The Perasha ends with the story of the Tower of Babel.

This Shabbat we read from Isaiah, which describes Israel, in the aftermath of the destruction of the Beit Hamikdash, as afflicted, barren, and inconsolable. The prophet assures the people that G-d's kindness and love for them is ever present, protecting, and sustaining. This week's Haftarah is a good match for our Perasha since it refers to the destruction of Jerusalem as "...this is like the waters of Noah..." The prophet then concludes with the reassurance that G-d remembers His covenant with the world and the Chosen People.

It's Apple Pickin' Time!

If you've made your reservation, we'll see you at 9:30 on Sunday morning, October 25, to travel with your OVS family to **Hillcrest Apple Orchard in Ellijay.**

Join us at the home of Shelley & Neil Cooper on **Wednesday, November 4** to learn about the "**March of the Living**", an extraordinary 2-week experience to Israel and Poland. This trip is for teens and adults and will take place from April 8-22, 2010.
Location: 9 Ball Mill Place, Atlanta
Time: 7:30 - 9:00 p.m. Please RSVP by November 2.

The new OVS B'nai Mitzvah Prep Program begins Wednesday, November 11
All upcoming B'nai Mitzvah must register as soon as possible.

Mazal Tov to Davis Apseloff on becoming a Bar Mitzvah.

*Davis' parents are Sharon & David Apseloff.
His grandparents are Enid & Albert Apseloff.*



Today's Kiddush is hosted by Davis' parents in honor of his Bar Mitzvah.

MELDADOS

We Remember

Heshvan

6	10/24	Minnie Glazer Kalfin
7	10/25	Yale Jurin
8	10/26	Leonard Madans, Samuel Resnick, Estraya Tarica
9	10/27	Pearl Arnovitz, Benjamin Aronov, Moshe Behar, Joel Levine, Marilyn Meyer, William Pressman
10	10/28	Sally Berger, Golda Fayner
11	10/29	Jean Beck, Katherine Beton, Gamilla Harari, Catherine Israel
12	10/30	Flo Friedman, Jane Kellman, Shlomo Khodzabekov

ATTENTION ALL HIGH SCHOOL JUNIORS and SENIORS

Are you planning visits to colleges and universities that you are considering or have applied to? Our OVS **College Outreach** program keeps in touch with 94 students at 47 different colleges and universities coast-to-coast.

We'd be happy to put you in touch with our OVS students on the following college campuses:

American Univ, Bard College, Brenau, California College of Art, College of Charleston, DePaul, Emory, Gainesville State, George Washington Univ, Georgia Perimeter College, Georgia State, Georgia Southern, Georgia Tech, Goucher College, Guilford College, Indiana Univ, Kennesaw State, Kingsborough Community College, Lincoln Tech, Lynn Univ, Medical College of Ga, New England College, New England Conservatory of Music, Ogeechee Tech, Ohio State, Oxford Univ, Southern Polytechnic Inst, Temple Univ, Thomas Cooley Law School, Troy Univ, Tufts, Tulane, UCLA, Univ of Alabama, Univ of Arizona, Univ of Florida, Univ of Georgia, Univ of Maryland, Univ of Miami, Univ of Michigan, Univ of New England, Univ of South Carolina, Univ of Vermont, Univ of Virginia, Vanderbilt, Washington Univ, Yeshiva

For the inside scoop on your potential college choices, when you visit or just to chat...let us know and we'll hook you up with other OVS college students.

For more information, contact Nancy Galanti at nmg55@mindspring.com or (404) 847-0387

Lunch and Learn with Rabbi Kassorla
Every Thursday at noon in the OVS Library!