

Refuah Shelema to:

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Beginning Hebrew Literacy for Adults

Sundays at 9:30 a.m.

First class is FREE / \$15 one-time fee for registration and materials / \$5 per class
All fees are covered for parents of currently enrolled Talmud Torah students.

For more information, please contact Zahavah Stilman, Director of Education
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Sisterhood will be baking on Tuesdays, March 2, 9 and 16!

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

Bakers get a chance to win a dozen burekas.

This week's winner was Janet Galanti.

On the Sisterhood Agenda...

March 2 – Cooking, followed by lunch and a visit to the Anne Frank Museum, located at 5920 Roswell Road, Sandy Springs; meet at 1:00 p.m.; free admission and parking.

March 7 – Sisterhood Board Meeting, 10:00 a.m. in the OVS Library.

March 16 – Women's Rosh Hodesh Group, 7:30 p.m. at Clare Habif's home.

March 23 – (no cooking) Visit to the Princess Di Exhibit; meet at OVS for coffee at 10:00 a.m., or meet at the Atlanta Civic Center at 11:00 a.m.; admission \$16, parking \$5. RSVP to Clare at 770-394-3507 or clarehabif@yahoo.com

2010 Atlanta Hunger Walk ~ Sunday, March 14

Registration opens at noon; walk/run begins at 2:00 p.m.
at the Green Lot at Turner Field; park closes at 4:00 p.m.

Our Jewish community is a proud partner of the Atlanta Community Food Bank and other non-profit organizations to help fight hunger in Metro Atlanta through Hunger Walk/Run 2010. Hunger is a very real issue in our Atlanta Jewish community, with approximately 4,800 Jewish families living below the poverty level. And these numbers are rising during the continuing economic downturn.

COST: Free to walk, \$25 to run.

Donate \$25 and GET A HUNGER WALK T-SHIRT!

To join or form a team, donate to support a friend, or to register for the walk or run, contact Alana Zavett Green at 404-309-5137.

Coming Soon!

“Images of a Lost World: Pictures and Stories of Sephardic Jewish Life”

Presented by Centropa.org and the Spanish Embassy in Washington, D.C.

Opening Reception and Preview: Sunday, March 21 ~ 3:00 – 5:00 p.m.

RSVP by March 18.

This beautiful photo exhibit will remain on display at OVS through March 31.

Admission is free; donations are appreciated.

Call the office for information on public viewing hours.



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

CONGREGATION OR VESHALOM

February 27 – March 5, 2010

13 - 19 Adar 5770

Perashat Tetzaveh Shabbat Zachor Hag Purim Sameach!



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Weekly Services

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| 2/27 | Shabbat Morning Services | 8:30 a.m. |
| | Mincha | 5:45 p.m. |
| | Arvit | 6:45 p.m. |
| | Havdalah and Megillah reading | 7:15 p.m. |
| 2/28 | Sunday Morning – Purim | 8:30 a.m. |
| | Megillah reading | 9:00 a.m. |
| 3/1 | Monday Morning | 7:30 a.m. |
| 3/4 | Thursday Morning | 7:30 a.m. |
| 3/5 | Friday Morning | 7:30 a.m. |
| | Shabbat Candle Lighting | 6:20 p.m. |
| | Friday Evening Services | 6:30 p.m. |

Shabbat Perashat Tetzaveh

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| Perasha: | Exodus | 27:20-30:10 | (Page 339) |
| Maftir: | Deuteronomy | 25:17-19 | (Page 856) |
| Haftarah: | I Samuel | 15:2-34 | (Page 995) |

The Perasha opens with the commandment to use pure olive oil in lighting the Menorah. Aaron and his four sons were selected to be the Kohanim. Tetzaveh describes the special garments that the Kohanim had to wear. The seven day ceremony consecrating the Kohanim into their priestly service is detailed along with the consecration of the Mizbayach (altar). The last vessel to be described is the inner, golden altar, used to burn the daily incense offering.

This week's Maftir contains the Mitzvot to remember what Amalek did, to destroy the remnant of Amalek from "under the heavens", and to never forget.

The Haftarah consists of the command via the prophet Samuel to King Saul to destroy Amalek, and of Saul's incomplete compliance with his orders. The Maftir tells us what we must do. The Haftarah shows us what happens when it isn't done properly. Purim and Megillat Esther shows us what happens when it *is* done right.

Friday, March 12 – Sunday, March 14

OVS Scholar-in-Residence Program featuring Rabbi Dr. Marc Angel,
Rabbi Emeritus of the Spanish/Portuguese synagogue of New York,
and founder of the Institute for Jewish Ideas and Ideals.

Program:

After Friday evening services, Rabbi Dr. Angel will be speaking on
“Losing the Rat Race, Winning at Life: Musar for Moderns”.

Join us for a traditional Sephardic Shabbat dinner.

\$15 adult members, \$20 adult non-members, \$10 for all children under 13
RSVP for Friday night dinner by March 8.

Shabbat morning during services, the topic will be

“Jews and Non-Jews: Judaism’s Universal Teachings”

Following Sunday morning services and a complimentary breakfast,
Rabbi Dr. Angel will discuss and sign personal copies of his new novel
“The Search Committee”,

dealing with the conflicting ways Traditional Judaism copes with modernity.

*Today's Kiddush is sponsored by Georgette & Leon Cohen
in memory of her son Etan Fizouaty.*

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| 14 | 2/28 | Jack Amato, Benjamin Amuyev, Rahamim Borna, Leah Shapiro, Milton Pergament |
| 15 | 3/1 | Aron Franco, Obie Handmacher, Vital Haim Saranga |
| 16 | 3/2 | Jay Cohen, Etan Fizouaty, Howard Gleichman, Elonora Hasson, Rosalie Rich |
| 17 | 3/3 | Sidney Bahl, Hizkiya Eskenazi, Mack Frankel, Charles Gordon, Anatoliy Pekhotnik, Mollie Cohen Sacolick, Jared Neil Seligson |
| 18 | 3/4 | Barney Bernstein, David Bernstein, Gerald Orlin |
| 19 | 3/5 | Luna Amato, Murray Camhi, Harry Cure, Anita Mehler |

Purim Palooza!

Come join us on **Saturday, February 27** at 7:15 p.m.
for Havdalah and Megillah reading.

For those who have reservations for our dinner celebration,
we look forward to an evening of fun and merriment!



The Four Main Mitzvot of Purim

1. **Megillat Esther** - we read the story of Purim, in the evening and the next day. And whenever Haman is mentioned, we make as much noise as possible to blot out his name and his memory!
2. **Sending Gifts of Food “Mishloach Manot”** - to at least one friend or relative, because Purim is a time of love and friendship between Jews.
3. **Giving Charity to the Poor** - because Purim is a time of sharing, caring and helping.
4. **Eating a Festive Meal** - the special holiday meal eaten on Purim day.

James Arogeti-Or VeShalom Scholarship

You are invited to submit an application to the Scholarship Committee.

The scholarship consists of an annual stipend or award of \$2,500
to be used toward a qualifying Jewish educational experience.

Last week to apply!!

Application deadline is March 3 for the 2010 scholarship.

Information on the scholarship is available on the OVS website
or pick up a flyer in the OVS lobby.

Making Pesach preparations? Include the OVS 2nd Seder in your plans!

Why cook when you can share the holiday with your OVS family?

Join us on Tuesday, March 30 for a true Sephardic celebration!

This year, the same delicious menu with new, lower prices!

Look for our Passover flyer with details.