



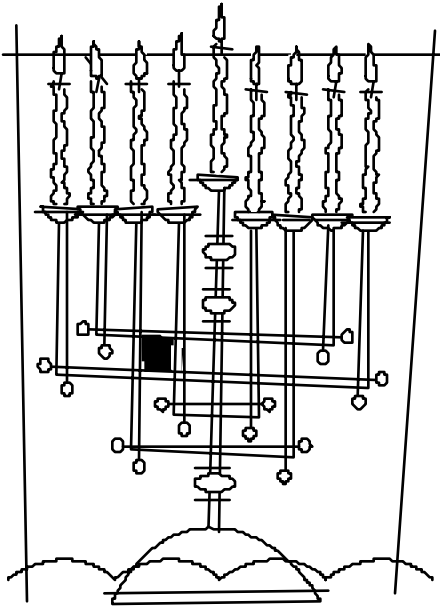
Green Road Synagogue
An Orthodox congregation that embraces
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HA CHODESH TEVET 5766

ZOT HANUKKAH



Hanukkah is the only holiday in the Jewish calendar that straddles two months: Kislev & Tevet. This year Rosh Chodesh will occur on the seventh day of Hanukkah — Sunday, January 1st. On this day we will read from two Torahs.; from the first, we will read the portion for Rosh Chodesh. The Hanukkah portion, which deals with the special sacrifices at the time of the dedication of the Mishkan, is read afterward from the second Torah. Rosh Chodesh comes first following the principle, “Tadir Ve Eino Tadir, Tadir Kodem” — “The frequent (Rosh Chodesh) and the infrequent (Hanukkah), the frequent comes first.”

On the eighth day of Hanukkah we read an especially long reading from the Torah (for a weekday), which includes the dedicatory sacrifices of the eighth to the twelfth day of the dedication of the Mishkan, a summation statement: “Zot Hanukkah” — “this is the dedication,” and the instructions for lighting the Mishkan’s Menorah.

Fast of Tevet

Tevet is the Hebrew month which occurs in the height of the winter season. On the tenth of Tevet we observe a fast lasting from dawn until dusk. This is one of the four fasts commemorating the destruction of the Temple. On this day the Babylonians laid siege to Jerusalem and the result of that siege was the destruction of the Temple on the ninth day of Av, 586 B.C.E.

After the Second World War, the Chief Rabbinate in Israel declared this day to be a perpetual memorial to the victims of the Holocaust.

The prophets tell us that when the Messiah comes these mournful days will become days of gladness and joy. May we witness that time speedily in our own days. The tenth of Tevet falls on Tuesday, January 10th.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Weekday Morning Services 6:40 am
 Sunday Morning Services 8:00 am

Parshat Vayigash Candle Lighting 4:54

Friday, January 6
 Kabbalat Shabbat 5:00 p.m.
 Saturday, January 7
 Morning Service 9:00 a.m.
 Mincha 4:40 p.m.
 Motsaei Shabbat 5:53 p.m.
 Weekday Services 5:00 p.m.

Parshat Vay'chi Candle Lighting 5:01

Friday, January 13
 Kabbalat Shabbat 5:05 p.m.
 Saturday, January 14
 Morning Service 9:00 a.m.
 Mincha 4:50 p.m.
 Motsaei Shabbat 6:00 p.m.
 Weekday Services 5:15 p.m.

Parshat Sh'mot Candle Lighting 5:09

Friday, January 20
 Kabbalat Shabbat 5:15 p.m.
 Saturday, January 21
 Morning Service 9:00 a.m.
 Mincha 5:00 p.m.
 Motsaei Shabbat 6:09 p.m.
 Weekday Services 5:15 p.m.

Parshat Va'era Candle Lighting 5:18

Friday, January 27
 Kabbalat Shabbat 5:20 p.m.
 Saturday, January 28
 Morning Service 9:00 a.m.
 Mincha 5:10 p.m.
 Motsaei Shabbat 6:17 p.m.
 Weekday Services 5:25 p.m.

Fast of Tevet

Tuesday, January 10
 Fast Begins 6:40 a.m.
 Mincha 4:45 p.m.
 Fast Ends 5:53 p.m.

MAZEL TOV

TO JONATHAN & ELANA GISSER ON THE BIRTH OF
 A BABY GIRL, LILA HADAS.

TO AARON & ELANA COMROV ON THE BIRTH OF A
 BABY BOY, AMRAM YAIR (EVAN).

TO DAVID & HELEN INGBER ON THEIR 60TH
 WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

TO NATHAN & BETTY BERLINER ON THEIR 60TH
 WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.



November 26th

*Harvey & Carol Splaver in memory of
 Harvey's mother, Ruth Splaver*

December 3rd

*Louis & Sarah Radzeli in memory of their son,
 Michael Ben Ami*

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WORKING THROUGH

A brown-bag discussion group for Holocaust
 survivors and family members Led by
 experienced social workers: Mrs. Jane Belkin,
 MSSA and Mrs. Irene Marocco, LISW.

First and Third Mondays of the month

Green Road Synagogue — 12:00-1:00 p.m.

For further information, please contact Mrs. Belkin
 at 216-292-6566 or Mrs. Marocco at 216-292-2165.



As our community continues to
 grow, we feel certain that there are
 individuals that would enjoy
 sharing a Shabbat meal with a
 family. Anyone interested in
 participating in this program either
 as a host or guest, please contact:
 Elizabeth Sunshine 321-8504 or
 Hadassa Meyers 297-1375.

Schedule of Classes

TALMUD CLASS

Tuesday evening after services.

PARSHAT HASHAVUAH

Tuesday lunch: 11:15 am - 12:15 pm

SHABBAT BLATT SHIUR

One hour before Mincha on Shabbat afternoons.

15 MINUTES OF NAVI

Each morning following Shacharit.

ALL ARE
 WELCOME!

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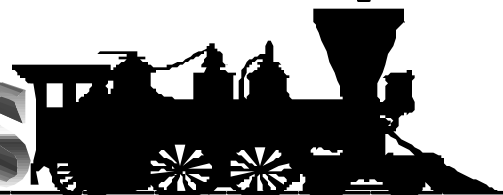
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AM YISRAEL NEEDS YOU TO VOTE FOR TORAH JUDAISM!

Every four years, delegates to the World Zionist Congress meet to decide on the priorities of world Jewry and the funding that Jewish organizations will receive.

Who attends is up to you.

The Religious Zionist Slate is the voice of Orthodoxy in the World Zionist Congress.

By voting for the religious Zionist slate, you will ensure that the Orthodox community worldwide receives its fair share of these funds. Over \$1 billion for Jewish education, aliyah and outreach is at stake.

To Register: Visit www.votetorah.org/register, pick up a registration form at the Synagogue, or call 888.9.VoteTorah.

SAVE THE DATE! Motsaei Shabbat, Jan. 28th: First showing of The 'REEL' Jewish Experience