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### Shabbat Shalom!

**Torah portion:** Parashat Vaera

**Candle lighting:** Friday 4:22 p.m.

### Calendar of Events



#### Friday, January 4

6:00 p.m. Family Shabbat Service

#### Saturday, January 5

##### [Schedule of Shabbat children's services](#)

8:45 a.m. Iyyun Tefila

9:00 a.m. Morning service/Lowell Hunt Bar Mitzvah

10:30 a.m. Kitah Dalet (4th grade) leads the Junior Congregation service in the Daily Chapel

3:45 p.m. Mincha/Ma'ariv/Seudah Study

5:45 p.m.

[USY & Kadima Present: Army Hockey at West Point](#)

7:30 p.m.

[Marry Me Medieval: Mayhem, Madness, No Murder?](#)

#### Sunday, January 6

10:30 a.m. Purimspiel rehearsal

6:30 p.m. Children's Choir

#### Monday, January 7

11:00 a.m. Caregivers Journey Group

12:30 p.m. [Lost Wooden Synagogues of Eastern Europe](#)

7:00 p.m. [OJC's Helping Hands Host the Homeless](#)

**Tuesday, January 8****Rosh Chodesh Shevat**

**5:00 p.m.** Hebrew Literacy Class (Beginners)

**[An Afternoon and Evening with Our Sofer, Rabbi Zerach Greenfield](#)** in Celebration of the **[Dr. Seymour Cohen Memorial Torah Project](#)**

**4:30-6:15 p.m.** Program for Religious School children and parents

**6:30 p.m.** Dinner with Na'aseh participants

**7:00-8:30 p.m.** Program for Na'aseh and entire OJC community

**Wednesday, January 9**

**6:15 p.m.** Support Group for Parents of Adult Children

**6:30-7:30 p.m.**

**[Jewish World Watch Task Force - First Meeting](#)**

**7:30 p.m.** Hebrew Literacy class (Intermediate)

**Thursday, January 10**

**10:00 a.m.** Text and Context

**Reminders**

**[The Tiles to Treasure Project](#) deadline has been extended until January 4.** Please submit your tiles to the OJC school office on or before January 4. Honor your family in the OJC forever!

**Sunday, January 13**

**10:00-11:30 a.m.** PACT Parents & Children Together  
For families with children in **Grades 4 and 5**

**[Family Roots and Branches](#):** Fun for your entire family as you learn how the legacy of grandparents and great grandparents shapes who you are today as a family!

**RSVP by Jan 10** to [Rabbi Drill](#) at 845-359-5920 x8

**Sunday, January 13**

Our Rabbis suggest checking out "[God, Torah, & Israel](#)," a day of learning at TempleIsraelCenter in White Plains.

**For Your Information**

**[The Jewish Americans - A Series by David](#)**

**[Grubin](#)** premieres on PBS on January 9, 16, and 23 at 9:00 p.m. This series explores 350 years of Jewish American history and promises to be very interesting and enlightening.

**Don't Forget to Visit Our New Photo Galleries**  
**[Nursery School in Action 2007 -2008](#)**

[The Meal of Many Blessings  
and so many more...](#)

**Please help out if you are able to attend minyan at 7:30 p.m. any evening throughout the winter.** Prior experience not required. It's a satisfying and meaningful way to participate in our community and you'll be fulfilling an important mitzvah by assisting those congregants who need to say kaddish.

**Save the Dates**



**Friday, January 18 - Saturday, January 19**

**[Sisterhood Shabbat-Learn, Pray, and Celebrate!](#)**

Join us for the full Shabbat experience: Friday night for services and teaching, Shabbat morning for services and learning, kiddush, and later in the afternoon for more study and learning.

We will host a special Sisterhood Shabbat dinner on Friday evening (call [Carolyn Wodar](#) at 845-352-1825 with your reservation), a lovely kiddush after services on Saturday, and many other small, interesting groups during the weekend.

If you are currently a Sisterhood member or would like to be a member and participate in the services, call [Rosina Hirsh](#) at 845-365-3096.

**Thursday, January 24**

**4:30 p.m. [3rd Grade Siddur Cover Decoration](#)**

Come join your 3rd grader, help decorate your child's siddur cover, and inscribe a parents' prayer. This is in preparation for the **3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Siddur Presentation** at our Friday Night Shabbat Dinner and Services on **February 1 at 6:00 p.m.**

**Friday, February 8 - Saturday, February 9**

**[Scholar in Residence - Rabbi Daniel Nevins](#)**, dean of the Rabbinical School of The Jewish Theological Seminary. The **[Dr. Seymour Cohen Memorial Torah Project](#)** *ruach* (spirit) continues with an exciting, stimulating and informative Shabbat. Contact: [Tova Adesnik](#) at 845-638-3615.

**Saturday, February 9**

**7:30 p.m. [Comedy Central Comes to OJC](#)**

Come and see comedians Jon Fisch, Sherry Davey, & Eric McMahon. Reserve your spot in advance - \$35.00 donation per person / \$45.00 at the door. Contact: [Shari Cooperman](#) at 845-365-0567 or [Lisa Zwerling](#) at 845-359-4485.

**Sunday, February 10**

**11:00 a.m.** The OJC Sisterhood invites you to come

**[Enjoy the Best of Israel - Israeli Food](#)**

Dina will prepare her delicious Israeli dishes: soups, pastas and more. **Please R.S.V.P.** to Nina Tarley at 845-357-0645 or Dina Yucht at 845-613-7092.

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