



# ISLAND SYNAGOGUE

Rabbi Jonathan Horowitz

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER OF THE WILLIE & CELIA TRUMP SYNAGOGUE

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## SHABBAT SHEMINI -PARAH

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March 21 – March 22, 2014

Friday Night Candle Lighting	7:14 PM
Mincha/Evening Services	7:00 PM
Shacharit/Morning Services	9:00 AM
Women's Torah Study Group	5:30 PM
Rabbi's Torah Class	6:30 PM
Mincha/ Afternoon Services	7:14 PM
Maariv / Havdala	8:18 PM

"Approach the altar." (9:7)

Imrei Emes offers an alternative means to help us understand Aharon's reluctance, based on the Midrash that notes that when Aharon was about to begin his Divine service, an apparition of the golden calf appeared on the altar and he was therefore afraid to approach. Rav Chaim Vital writes that every one of us has a specific weakness which we are duty-bound to work on and correct. Because these deficiencies are specific to the person, they are hard to discern and the Yetzer ha-ra (evil inclination) does all that it can to prevent one from accomplishing what he has to do. By examining the relative level of difficulty that one faces, one can determine where his efforts are best directed, for the fact that there is a difficulty indicates that one has discovered the trait that he was meant to work on. If one finds that he is faced with numerous obstacles in his service to G-d, he should understand that these are signs that his service is desired by G-d. If he perseveres, he will be successful.

Shabbat Shalom,

*Rabbi Jonathan Horowitz*

### Weekly Services Schedule

#### Morning Services

Monday-Friday 7:00 AM

Sunday and Holidays 8:00 A.M.

#### Evening Services

Sunday–Thursday 7PM

**Friday evening: Services for the duration of spring & summer will take place at 7PM.**

#### Shabbat

Shabbat Morning Services:9:00 A.M.

Shabbat: (Saturday) evening services will take place at the same time posted for Friday evening's candle lighting.

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#### BAR MITZVAH

##### LESSONS

If you are a Williams Island resident and have a child that needs to be prepared for his Bar Mitzvah, Rabbi Jonathan Horowitz is available to provide such instruction.

If interested please call Rabbi Horowitz at  
(305)932-1388

#### Mechirat Chametz (Sale of Chametz)

Beginning Sunday March 30, Rabbi Horowitz will be available before and after morning and evening services for the sale of chametz.

Sale of Chametz/ Authorization forms will be made available at the synagogue.

Visit our website :

[www.wctsynagogue.com](http://www.wctsynagogue.com)

Kiddush

The Kiddush this week is sponsored by Dr. & Mrs. Alexander Coch in honor of Sander Hirth (Hashem should bless him with a complete and speedy recovery)

Everyone is invited

Board Meeting

The next Board Meeting will take place Tuesday April 1 at 7:30 PM at the Synagogue  
All members are invited

If you wish to celebrate a simcha or commemorate the yahrtzeit of a loved one let us know. You do not have to be a Synagogue member.  
Call Rabbi Jonathan or Janice Horowitz (305) 932-1388.

Mazal Tov

Mazel Tov to Mildred Kagan on the birth of twin great grandchildren  
Mazal Tov to our Honorees  
Joan Ehrlich & Rabbi Abraham Mann,  
and  
Ann & Dr. Joseph Singer

Book Review

Join Rabbi Horowitz at the synagogue Wednesday April 30, 7:00 PM for a review of journalist Yossi Klein's Halevi's book  
Like Dreamers:  
The story of the Israeli Paratroopers Who Reunited Jerusalem and Divided A Nation

Yahrzeits

THE FOLLOWING YAHRZEIT WILL BE OBSERVED IN THE COMING WEEK (March 23 – March 29)

Tzvi Hersh (Grandfather of Miriam & Jose Tabacinic)  
12 Adar II (March 24)

Maot Chitim

Once again we will be conducting our annual tzedakah drive to help provide South Florida's Jewish poor with necessities for the Yom Tov of Pesach. Please participate in this important mitzvah.

Send your checks to the Synagogue office (attention Rabbi Horowitz) made out to WCTS Rabbis Discretionary Fund.

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Contact Menucha Meinstein  
(305) 788-6302

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If you wish to be included in this group, please contact Liza Bekerman at wcts@atlanticbb.net