

April 20th, 2018/5th of Iyyar, 5778

Dear chevreh,

There are so many wonderful, exciting happenings at KHN and in our area coming up!

Please join me this evening for Kabbalat Services at 7:30 pm. I will speak about Israel, as this is the 70th anniversary of the modern Jewish State. I will also be putting out a box for the "Heart and Sole" campaign, so that we can donate gently-used shoes to raise money for a cardiac hospital in Israel, the Kaplan Medical Center in Rehovot.

1) Tomorrow evening at 7:30 pm we will begin with Havdalah and move into an evening of joyous klezmer music. Whether you are dancing, or taking in the scene sitting on a chair, this promises to be a wonderful event! Bring friends.

2) This Sunday morning put on your comfortable clothes and get out in the sun and help beautify our grounds for Spring Clean-Up! I will be on the Lower East Side with 22 KHN folks (our Confirmation class, 6th graders and their families) so we need YOU to be there to help.

3) This coming Wednesday morning April 25th, please join us at Centenary Methodist or cook a dish or donate some funds. It's an important mitzvah! See the e-bulletin for details.

4) Next Friday evening, April 27th, our Education Director Stacey Frank will be sharing her Jewish Journey!!! Please come and hear Stacey's fascinating Hineini journey.

5) On Sunday, May 6th, after the ANNUAL MEETING at KHN, the Philadelphia Jewish Federation will be hosting a huge Israel's 70th Celebration in Valley Forge. Yes, it's a shlep. But it will be worth it. See the e-bulletin and try to come!

6) On Tuesday, May 15, from 7 - 8:30 p.m. KHN is hosting a showing of the film Living While Dying. Filmmaker Cathy Zheutlin tells the stories of four friends and loved ones with terminal illness who chose to live out their final days at home with creativity, humor and courage. See the e-bulletin for details.

7) On May 19th, New Hope Celebrates will host its annual LGBTQ Pride Parade. The march will begin in Lambertville at 11:30 and march across the bridge. I asked the organizers if we could march with a Kehilat HaNahar banner. We can! I'm not leading services that morning, so I can be there holding the banner. Who is going to join me, celebrating Pride and having a KHN presence? Please email me at rabbidianamiller@gmail.com

Wishing everybody a wonderful weekend on this gorgeous (if cool), sunny day and weekend ahead. Get out there and enjoy the stunning trees!

Shabbat shalom,

Rabbi Diana