



# Har Sinai - Oheb Shalom Congregation



## HANUKKAH BLESSINGS

Candles are added to the Menorah from right to left and are kindled from left to right. The newest candle is lit first. On the Shabbat of Hanukkah, light the Hanukkah candles first and then the Shabbat candles.

Light the shamash (helper candle) first, and use it to light the rest of the candles.

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם, אֲשֶׁר קִדְּשָׁנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתָיו,  
וְצִוָּנוּ לְהַדְלִיק נֵר שֶׁל חֲנֻכָּה.

*Baruch atah, Adonai Eloheinu, Melech haolam, asher kid'shanu b'mitzvotav v'tsivanu l'hadlik ner shel Hanukkah.*

Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Sovereign of All, Who makes us holy through our deeds, and commands us to kindle these Hanukkah candles.

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם, שֶׁעָשָׂה נִסִּים לְאַבוֹתֵינוּ  
וְאִמּוֹתֵינוּ בַּיָּמִים הָהֵם בְּזִמַּן הַזֶּה.

*Baruch atah, Adonai Eloheinu, Melech haolam, she-asah nisim laavoteinu v'imoteinu bayamim hahaeim baz'man hazeh.*

Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Sovereign of All, Who performed wonders for our ancestors in days of old in this season.

### For first night only:

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם, שֶׁהֵחֵינּוּ וְקִיַּמְנוּ  
וְהִגִּיעָנוּ לַזִּמַּן הַזֶּה.

*Baruch atah, Adonai Eloheinu, Melech haolam, shehecheyanu v'kiy'manu v'higiyanu laz'man hazeh.*

Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Sovereign of All, Who has kept us alive, sustained us, and allowed us to reach this sacred moment.