

For over twenty years, we have taught children to have a deep sense of pride in their heritage. We offer the first foundations of an education that will continue to develop throughout adulthood.

Family is an integral part of our community. We encourage the entire family, Jews and non-Jews alike, to learn with the children. Each family can then make an informed decision on how to incorporate Jewish values into their lives.

With insight and joy, we teach Jewish traditions. Through learning and knowledge, a sense of pride in being Jewish is acquired.

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We welcome the opportunity for you to be a part of our Samuel Zilman Bazarsky Religious School family.



**The Samuel Zilman
Bazarsky Religious
School**

We give our students the tools with which to become knowledgeable and committed Jewish adults, capable of making informed choices about how they will live within a Jewish context.

School Curriculum

- Fluency in Hebrew reading skills
- Understanding of the Shabbat service
- Celebration of holidays
- Reading Jewish stories from the Torah, Prophets and Writings
- American and Israeli Jewish history
- Jewish ethics and beliefs
- Tzedakah and mitzvot



- Purim play, costume party
- Mitzvah Day, car wash
- Picnics, bagels and shmoozing

Affiliation

Though we follow many of the guidelines of Conservative Jewry, we are not affiliated with the movement. This allows us the freedom to be flexible with our education, according to the needs of our families.



Family Programming

The most exciting part of our school is the family programming. These are open discussions on a wide variety of topics. Sometimes we talk. Sometimes we sing and dance. We always eat. A selection of some of our activities includes:

- Shabbat observance – Challah baking, Havdalah
- Sukkah decorating, Simchat Torah dancing
- Holiday discussions and parties
- Book clubs
- Field Trips

Class Schedule

Wednesday 3:45-5:45 weekly

Saturday 10:00-12:00 once per month

Sunday 10:00-12:00 twice per month

We encourage families to attend as a unit Friday night services. These services may include reading a children's story, discussion of the weekly portion, or a light dinner. Following worship there is time for socialization at the Oneg Shabbat. This is a wonderful opportunity for people to spend time together in conversation and discussion, bringing families together. We take a breath and begin anew.

Non-observant and Non-Jewish Parents

We strongly encourage all family members to attend services and other synagogue events. All prayers have an accompanying translation and transliteration. Many of our current family members have enjoyed socializing with each other, sharing in a common experience. The students take pleasure in attending Temple Shalom when the entire family is included.

