



Kol Yisra'el THE VOICE OF TEMPLE ISRAEL

JUNE/JULY 2018 • Sivan/Tammuz/Av 5778

First Annual *Frank Weinberger Leadership & Volunteer Recognition Shabbat*



Friday, June 22 at 6:00 p.m.

In memory of Frank Weinberger, Board President from 1985-1987 and office volunteer for more than 25 years, join us as we honor the many volunteers of our congregation who give their time each year to help make Temple Israel a special place. We will also install our new Board of Directors.



SHABBAT N THE PARK

Friday, July 20 at 5:30 p.m.

*El Dorado Park - Willow at Studebaker
(NO SERVICE AT THE TEMPLE)*

Join us as we light candles, share kiddush and challah and joyfully welcome Shabbat together. Afterwards we will enjoy the music of the Long Beach Municipal Band **Bring your own dinner, drinks, chairs and blankets and look for the Temple Israel banner!**

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SHABBAT SERVICES

Friday, June 1

7:00 p.m. Family Shabbat Service

Saturday, June 2

8:45 a.m. Torah Study

10:30 a.m. Sabbath Fellowship Service

Friday, June 8

7:00 p.m. Shabbat Service led by our Teens

Saturday, June 9

8:45 a.m. Torah Study

10:30 a.m. Shabbat Morning Service

Friday, June 15

6:00 p.m. Tot Shabbat honoring Kelly Cooper Perler

7:00 p.m. Shabbat HaNefesh

Saturday, June 16

8:45 a.m. Torah Study

10:30 a.m. Shabbat Morning Service

Bar Mitzvah of Lucas Moore

Friday, June 22

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Leadership & Volunteer Recognition Shabbat

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6:00 p.m. Shabbat Evening Service

Saturday, June 23

8:45 a.m. Torah Study

10:30 a.m. Shabbat Morning Service

Bat Mitzvah of Danielle Jackson

Friday, June 29

7:00 p.m. Got Shabbat? Service

Saturday, June 30

8:45 a.m. Torah Study

10:30 a.m. Shabbat Morning Service

JULY SHABBAT SERVICES

Fridays - 6:00 p.m.

(Except Shabbat in the Park, July 20 at 5:30 p.m.)

Saturdays - 10:30 a.m.

TORAH STUDY

Saturdays at 8:45 a.m.



Saturday, June 2 at 10:00 a.m.

at Marina Vista Park (near tennis courts)



Come join us for our next Shabbat ShaPARK Shalom! This gathering at Marina Vista Park is designed for families with young children. Come meet other parents and celebrate Shabbat with us at the playground. Kids can play...Parents can chat. Shabbat singing and challah too! **See you at the park!**

All are welcome to attend. **FREE OF CHARGE**

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PROFESSIONAL STAFF

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Our Mission Statement:

To actively engage in a journey of Jewish spiritual, educational and social growth.

Our Vision Statement

A vibrant, caring Reform congregation of living Judaism that embraces the rich legacy of Jewish thought, practice and spirituality.

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MEMORIES

By Joyce Feldman, Temple President



Happy Summer! As we coast into our summer months, it seems an appropriate time to discuss memories. The months go so fast that we often don't take the time to cherish the memories we are collecting upon the way. As the summer months heat up, take a moment (or moments!) to capture your memories in either photos or journal so you can revisit them in the upcoming months and years. As a matter of fact, this is your *Gemilut Chasidim* (nurturing act of kindness) for the months of June/July.

The act of recording memories in this way is a true gift for yourself, your friends, and your family. My father, Brownie Brown, will turn 90 on July 2nd. I have been busy in the last months editing the journals of his life to publish into a book for our family. Such a wonderful gift my father has given us! Your memories can include your travel, like those of us about to embark on the Congregational trip to Israel, or just the simple daily memories of your life. My dad did this in his journals. By reading them I get a glimpse into his life in his younger years. Your memories and stories will serve as inspiration for generations.

There are many opportunities to create memories in the upcoming months. On June 2nd, our young families will gather for "Shabbat Sha-Park Shalom." Join us for our Annual Congregational Meeting on June 3rd as we celebrate our community, review the highlights of the past year, get a glimpse into the next year and vote to add two new board members. On June 10th, don't miss the performance of "Bagels the Musical." As mentioned earlier, a group of us will travel to Israel on June 24 - July 6, we will bring back our memories to share with you! Speaking of memories, in March we had to say goodbye to a key volunteer in our Temple Israel Family: past president Frank Weinberger. Frank so embodied the spirit of a true volunteer that the Board of Directors voted to rename our annual Leadership Shabbat in his memory. Please join us on June 22nd, as celebrate the "Frank Weinberger Leadership and Volunteer Recognition Shabbat." We will honor the many volunteers of our congregation who give a few hours, or in the case of Frank, hundreds of hours, each year to help make Temple Israel a special place. We will also install our 2018-19 Board of Directors.

In memory of Frank, I asked the members of our Board of Directors to share their memories of the inspiring Frank Weinberger:

Our board Secretary Mark Dressner shared these memories, *"I have two prominent memories of Frank: Several years ago, Matt and I were one of three couples honored at the Gala. Matt and I were honored for the future, what we held promise to do. Alan and Robin Lilien were honored for their work in the present. Most important was that Frank and Harriette Ellis were being honored for all the work in the past that they had done. It was such an honor to be on the same stage as Frank, realizing the awesome responsibility that Matt and I had to give and do as much in the future equal to what*

Frank had accomplished for decades. My funny memory of Frank is when he was helping Harriette take photos of Matt, Trevor, and I making latkes for a photo spread of a Jewish Journal. We were in our kitchen about three years ago. Harriette thought the best shot would be if she got up on a step stool. She climbed up on this 4-rung step ladder. Frank gallantly stepped over to hold her and give support. None of this looked safe at all. Matt and I were both thinking 'Oh my, both Frank and Harriette are going to fall and break their hips in our very own kitchen.' Fortunately, they left our house safely, lovingly supporting each other."

Board member Lysa Saltzman, like so many on the board past and present, remarked, *"Although I only knew Frank for a short time, it was evident that he was a true parliamentarian, board bylaw expert and the historian of Temple Israel. Frank led by example, always offering a rich history and perspective to support his opinions. I will remember him fondly and am sad to have missed the opportunity to learn more from him and about him. The Temple Israel community has been blessed by his unwavering commitment and support. May his memory continue to inspire all of us!"*

Board member (and incoming VP of Ritual Practice) Rick Burney recalls, *"One of my favorite people. Truly a great person. Aside from the fact that Frank was a very decent man, I will most remember Frank from our Temple board meetings where he had the uncanny ability to cut through a long discussion and simplify everything down to basics. Frank always got to the point of things but he did so respectfully. We miss him greatly. What a loss for our community."*

Treasurer Steve Gordon shared, *"Frank was an inspiration to all of us who had the honor of serving with him. His commitment to detail and the greater good is a lesson for all."*

Freda Ross, VP of Education, expressed, *"So grateful to have had the opportunity and privilege of serving with him. His seat at the table will be impossible to fill..."*

Board member Evan Braude shared, *"He will be remembered with great fondness, and I doubt anyone will be able to match his stamina for Temple Board meetings."*

Deborah Fabricant, VP of Ways and Means, summed up many of our feelings, *"The sun will never be as bright. I will really miss him, as I know the whole Community will."*

Board Member Bobbi Horowitz, *"Memories of Frank Weinberger will always stay in my heart. He is greatly missed. I recall my first days at Temple Israel with Frank sitting at his desk in the office, always greeting me (and everyone) with a kind heart and a huge smile. He was happy to talk about his role in the office, history at the Temple and answer any questions. I miss his focus at Board meetings to help keep us on procedure and on track. Frank was a true treasure within our Temple Israel community!"*

May your summer be filled with many moments to cherish in your memory! Happy Memory Making!



THE 9TH OF AVE

By Jennette Fackler, VP *Ritual Practices*



Traditionally, Tish'a B' Av (the 9th of Av) commemorates the destruction of the first and second Temples; the first one by the Babylonians in 423 B.C.E. and the second one by the Romans in 69 C.E.

Other tragedies that also happened on the 9th of Av are as follows:

- The defeat of the Bar-Kokhba Revolt in 133 C.E. by the Romans
- Expulsion of the Jews from England in 1290
- Expulsion of the Jews from Spain in 1492
- Beginning of World War I in 1914

The commemoration of the events was done through fasting. The three-week fasting starts on the 18th of Tammuz, this year in the Gregorian Calendar it's on July 1, 2018, leading to July 22, 2018 (Tish'a B' Av).

Here are some traditional customs that apply to Tish'a B' Av: Tish'a B'Av is the culmination of a three-week period of incrementally increasing mourning, beginning with the fast of the 17th of Tammuz that commemorates the first breach of the walls of Jerusalem, before the First Temple was destroyed. During this three-week period, weddings and other parties are not permitted, and many Jewish people refrain from cutting their hair. From the first to the ninth of Av, it is customary to refrain from eating meat or drinking wine (except on the Sabbath) and from wearing new clothing.

The restrictions on Tish'a B'Av are similar to those on Yom Kippur: to refrain from eating and drinking (even water); washing, bathing, shaving or wearing cosmetics; wearing leather shoes; and engaging in sexual relations. Work in the ordinary sense of the word is also restricted. People who are ill need not fast on this day. Many of the traditional mourning practices are observed: people refrain from smiles, laughter and idle conversation, and sit on low stools.

In synagogue, the Book of Lamentations is read and mourning prayers are recited. Some synagogues cover the ark where the Torah is kept in black.

The Talmud states that God marked this day for tragedy because of the incident in Numbers 13-14 that took place in the wilderness on this day. Moses had sent spies to scout the Promised Land, and based on their report, the people wept at the prospect of entering such a formidable land full of giants. God declared to them, "You wept without cause; I will therefore make this an eternal day of mourning for you." The Talmudic tractate Taanit states that God then decreed that on the ninth of Av the Temple would be destroyed and Israel would go into exile.

There is a lot of Jewish literature that focuses on the destruction of the respective Temples, including books of the Bible, i.e., Eicha (Lamentations), various prophets, numerous Psalms, and Talmudic and midrashic literature. Even the names of our prayer services, like Minchah (the afternoon service) and Musaf (additional service), reflect offerings in the Temple. Traditional views on a future messianic age include visions of a rebuilt Temple in Jerusalem and a restored *kohanim* (priesthood).

Zechariah had prophesied the messianic hope that the Eternal One will return to Zion to dwell in the midst of Jerusalem, and in Jerusalem old men and women will sit with staff in hand, watching the children at play. The prophecy of Zechariah was realized, it seems, with the birth of Israel in 1948, and therefore some Jews believe that the second part of the prophecy – which envisioned a time when fast days would be observed as joyous festivals – should be fulfilled.

Today, most of the customs for the three week fast and Tish'a B' Av are not ritualized, but Tish'a B' Av reminds us of the sacrifices and sufferings of exile of our ancestors. It also leads us to reflect on the sacrifices and losses of the present. Sometimes, it may even inspire us to find other ways of honoring the sacrifices by recreating ourselves on how to be the source of joy.

GOT SHABBAT? SERVICE

Generously sponsored by Rob & Debbie Feldman

FRIDAY

June 29 at 7:00 p.m.

A Jazz-Infused Musical
Shabbat Service
with Kendra Cogert and
The Shabbatoners





**THANK YOU • INTRODUCTION •
A TAX REDUCTION HINT**

By Don Fike, *Foundation President*



After seven years on the Foundation Board and a little more than 18 months as Board President my term is expiring, I am leaving the Board as is our First Vice President, Ken Gertz. Thank you for allowing me to be involved with the Temple in this intimate fashion. My involvement with the Board has spurred me to grow and has provided the opportunity to make a difference. The Board has always been and is now comprised of caring, quality individuals. In a period where the importance of character is under attack, it is a pleasure to report that Temple Israel's members have it in abundance.

Speaking of quality, our new Board President is Michael Rosen. Michael is a CPA, Forensic Accountant and has a long history of involvement with Temple Israel and the Jewish Community including a stint as President of the Alpert JCC Board.

A Tax Reduction Hint – For those of you with IRA's, rollover IRA's or any of a variety of qualified plans who are taking Required Minimum Distributions (RMDs) from your plans (this starts at age 70½) a "huuuge" tax reduction opportunity is available.

The new tax law makes it increasingly difficult to accumulate enough itemized deductions to make your Temple contributions fully tax deductible. However, those of you taking RMD's from your IRA's can have checks written directly from the IRA to the Temple. These funds, up to a maximum of \$100,000 in any given year, go toward meeting your RMD requirement for the year but are not reported as income on your tax return. Each and every dollar you give in this manner is effectively deductible and not subject to itemized deduction treatment. **You get to take mandatory distribution money out of your IRA, pay no taxes on it and benefit the Temple you love and support.**

These contributions can be made to Temple operating funds (think annual commitment) or to the Temple Israel Foundation. Note: The check(s) need to be made directly from the IRA account to "Temple Israel" or to "Temple Israel Foundation." If the check is written to you, and you then write a check to the Foundation, the distribution to you is included in taxable income, and the charitable deduction goes through the itemized deduction calculation. You should check with your tax advisor to confirm this description.

Thanks again for the opportunity to serve. I think the Board has made strides in better communicating with our donors and Temple members and this will only get better.

TEMPLE BOARD OF DIRECTORS NOMINEES



JARED GOLDIN

Jared was born and raised in Long Beach and attended Temple Sinai. He was on the staff of Camp Komaroff at Lake Arrowhead when it was started. He received his BA from UC Berkeley and his JD from UC Hastings College of the Law. He is a past president of Congregation B'nai Tikvah in Walnut Creek, CA and a VP/general counsel/co-developer of Gan Shalom, Inc.) Contra Costa County's sole Jewish cemetery.) Since returning to Long Beach in 2016 and joining Temple Israel, Jared has served as a Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) for Children. He has recently written essays on Jewish learning and culture that can be found at the Reform Movement's website: www.URJ.org



SHERYL STAHL

Sheryl Stahl joined Temple Israel in 2001 along with her wife and their two children. Sheryl quickly became involved in H.U.M. - our Torah Center's parent/teacher organization, where she was an active member for several years. She also served on the Torah Center Committee and on one of the Strategic Plan Committees. She has taught Hebrew in the Torah Center and also taught an Adult Hebrew Class for our Joys of Jewish Learning.

Sheryl earned a bachelor of science, Math/Computer Science and Bachelor of Arts, Linguistics, from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign in 1985. After working for a year, she continued her education at the Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion in Cincinnati where she earned a master of arts in Bible and Cognate Studies. After working at the library at HUC in Cincinnati, she earned a masters of library and information science degree at the University of Kentucky in December 2000. She then transferred to the Los Angeles campus in 2001 where she is now director of the Frances-Henry Library.

**ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING
Sunday, June 3 at Temple**

- 8:15 a.m. Budget Discussion**
- 9:00 a.m. Bagel Breakfast**
- 9:30 a.m. Annual Meeting**

Please join your Temple Israel family at our Annual Congregational Meeting. It is essential that we have 50 members in good standing* to conduct business

**Must be current in all Temple obligations 5 days prior to the Annual Meeting to vote.*



Spring time in Paris!

TEMPLE ISRAEL
Sisterhood
ANNUAL MEETING AND
BOARD INSTALLATION

Monday, June 11 - 6:30 p.m.

Peris Restaurant - 12155 Carson St. Hawaiian Gardens
 (corner of Carson and Norwalk Blvd.)

MEDITERRANEAN CUISINE
\$35 - Buffet Style

Please RSVP to Charmaine
 clw@tilb.org

TI SISTERHOOD GAME DAY FUNDRAISER!

Have you ever wondered why a Temple Israel Sisterhood Game Day could be so much fun? Just ask the forty women who attended the event on April 27th at Temple Israel where the games included bridge, mahjong, and rummi kube. Players also enjoyed a bevy of snacks, a light breakfast, and a delicious brunch, plus they were able to win prizes as well.

A big thank you to those who participated in the event, as well as the Temple Israel Sisterhood Fundraising Committee consisting of Eva Lowenstein, Judy Blumenthal, Elyse Gordon, Paula Avchen, Bobbi Horowitz, and Debi Felsenthal.



**SLATE OF NOMINATIONS FOR THE
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Sisterhood Gift Shop

Looking for the perfect birthday gift,
 b'nai mitzvah gift, or hostess gift?
 Shop at our Gift Shop!

THIS MONTH'S B'NAI MITZVAH



LUCAS MOORE

June 16, 2018

My name is Lucas Moore. I am a 7th grader at McAullife Middle School. I love to play football and work out at cross-fit.

I will be called to the Torah on June 16 and am excited to celebrate with my friends and family from all over the country. My favorite thing about being Jewish is making some new friends, both girls and boys at Temple Israel. I look forward to continuing my Jewish education even after my Bar Mitzvah.

My Mitzvah Project was spending time at the Long Beach Animal Shelter reading to the animals that have been rescued from the streets or abandoned. I think it made the animals happy because they have someone to keep them company.



DANIELLE JACKSON

June 23, 2018

My name is Danielle Jackson, and I am in the 7th grade b'nai mitzvah class here at Temple Israel. I am humbled to have this opportunity to be called to the Torah on Saturday, June 23.

During my free time I enjoy playing soccer. I was on the school team for my middle school, Marshall Academy of the Arts, when the coach asked me to help in her special needs class the following year. So, everyday of the 2017-2018 school year for 48 minutes a day, I volunteer in her class helping 6th graders with special needs. I have grown close

with them, becoming more than just their student aide. Also, this past summer I volunteered at my preschool at the Alpert JCC. I worked as a class aide, playing with the kids, going on field trips with them, and bonding with the entire class (teachers included.) The pre-k students were thrilled to see me and I greatly enjoyed spending the summer with them. I am looking forward to my Bat Mitzvah and celebrating this very special day with my family and friends. I'd like to thank all of my teachers, family and friends for preparing me and encouraging me throughout my Jewish studies.



ANDI TEMPLE ISRAEL'S 9-12 GRADE YOUTH GROUP

By Owen Sweeney, *ANDI President*



After a bittersweet last NFTY SoCal event of the year in late April, it was time for our own bittersweet moments at home. On May 6th, ANDI held elections for our new Board. We are proud to announce our 2018-19/5778-79 ANDI Board of Directors:

- President – Abby Harmatz
- Programing Vice President - McKenzie Malone
- Social Action Vice President – Sasha Pullman
- Religious and Cultural Vice President – Trevor Davis-Dressner
- Membership Vice President – Johanna Brown
- Financial Vice President – Amanda Berman
- Communication Vice President – Chloe Pullman
- ANDIbassador – Olivia Lerer
- 10th Grade Representative – Samantha Rosenfeld
- 9th Grade Representative – Brandon Brown

We are all excited to see what the new board will do. In a beautiful ceremony at the Brown home, we installed our new board and had tasty dinner. Earlier that day, ANDI held a bake sale in celebration of the last day of Torah Center. We are extremely grateful for all the contributions to our youth group. **Coming up on June 8th at 7:00 p.m., we have our final event of the year: The 8th - 12th Grade Shabbat Service.** We invite EVERYONE able to attend this special service, as we celebrate the high school program and honor our graduating seniors. Afterwards, we will host our bi-annual lock-in for all teens. Hope to see you there!

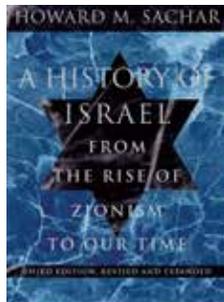


NEWS FROM THE LIBRARY

by Joan Leb

Going to Israel? The following books, recommended by Rabbi Moskovitz and the Jewish Book Council, are available in the Temple Israel Library. Check one out before you go, or take one for the long, long flight:

Israel History



A History of Israel: From the Rise of Zionism to Our Time, by Howard Sachar.

A comprehensive volume on the development of modern Israel. (827 SAC)
The Zionist Idea, by Arthur Hertzberg.

A classic reader with a variety of writings on the development of Zionism. (802.2 HER)

The Zionist Ideas: Visions for the Jewish Homeland, by Gil Troy. (802.2 TRO)

Note the "s" after Idea; this is an update of the Hertzberg book.

Israel: A History, by Martin Gilbert. A British historian with a clear and interesting style. (827 GIL)

O Jerusalem! by Larry Collins and Dominique Lapierre. (837 COL)

The classic retelling of the 1948 war.

Jewish Concepts

The Nine Questions People Ask About Judaism,

by Joseph Telushkin and Dennis Prager. (200 PRA)

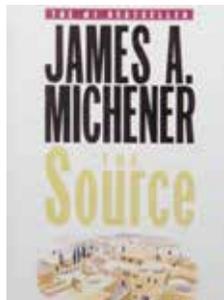
Jewish Literacy: The Most Important Things to Know about the Jewish People, the Jewish Religion, Its People and Its History,

by Joseph Telushkin (200 TEL)

Radical Then, Radical Now: The Legacy of the World's Oldest Religion, by Sir Jonathan Sacks.

Insights into what Judaism is about.

Novels



The Source, by James Michener (F MIC)

Exodus, by Leon Uris (F URI)

See Under Love, by David Grossman (F GRO)

To the End of the Land,

by David Grossman (F GRO)

Young Readers

Israel: The Founding of a Nation, by Maida Silverman

(YR 820 SIL)

Daily Life in Ancient and Modern Jerusalem, by Diane Slavik

(YR 837.14 SLA)

Even if you aren't going to Israel, these are great books.

Have a happy summer.



INTERFAITH GREETINGS

by Roni Love, SCIC member

This is What a Sikh Child Faces in America

(This article was written by Winty Singh, Social Justice Fellow at the Sikh Coalition, the largest Sikh civil rights organization in the US.)



Two decades ago, when I was in the second grade, a substitute teacher asked me to stand in front of my class and talk about my religion: Sikhism (*the world's 5th-largest religion*). I tried to explain it as best I could and avoid being ridiculed. I remember feeling totally unprepared and struggling afterward with the fear of being

exposed like that again. At 7, I was already afraid of public speaking.

Later that year, returning from recess, a classmate pinned me down and intentionally blew his nose on my turban. He was lightly admonished for his actions, but what I remember most was that nobody, including my teacher, understood how devastating it was to have my turban, a sacred religious article of faith in Sikhism, desecrated by a bully.

In sixth grade, on my first day of school, a teacher asked me to remove my "beanie." After a chorus of laughter from my classmates, I stumbled to explain that it wasn't a beanie, and that I would not take it off. She relented without apology, but my classmates didn't, and "beanie" became the common word for my turban for the rest of the school year.

As I got older, this bullying intensified, and one student tried to cut my unshorn hair (*also an article of my faith*). By the time I got to high school, I no longer felt safe in unsupervised places. I hid the depth of the problem from my parents for years, but when they discovered the truth, we approached educators, and I was forced to name the names of my fellow students. This news spread like wildfire, and the only result was that I was further ostracized.

My childhood stories will sound tragically familiar to many religious minorities in classrooms across America today. Yet, if there is one thing that I have learned as an adult, it's that when we afford ourselves the opportunity to educate each other about our differences, we can begin to address the underlying problems that are at the root of this bigotry.

Watch Kamau Bell's United Shades of America (CNN), exploring communities across America, including Sikhs and Jews.

...Peace, Shalom, Salaam, Paz, Shanti, Her Ping...

TEMPLE ISRAEL INVITES YOU TO JOIN US FOR



FRIDAY, JULY 6, 2018 *

Shabbat at Home is a unique program that gives us an opportunity for our Temple Israel family to share the joys of Shabbat with a potluck dinner in the warmth of congregants' homes.

How you can participate in "Shabbat At Home"

BE A HOST: Please know that you are performing a Mitzvah by welcoming other congregants into your home. All you have to do is to provide the table settings; your guests will bring dinner.

Temple Israel will provide to you a list of your guests and their contact information, sample menus, some helpful hints for celebrating Shabbat in your home.

Please indicate your willingness to host by completing and returning the bottom of this form to Temple Israel on or before **Wednesday, June 20**

PLEASE NOTE: There will be NO Shabbat Service at Temple on July 6th. For those observing yahrzeits on this Shabbat, the Mourner's Kaddish is included in the Shabbat at Home Service, or you may attend the Shabbat Morning Service on Saturday, July 7 at 10:30 a.m.

BE A GUEST: If you prefer to participate in this wonderful program by providing a portion of the Shabbat meal and attending as a guest, please complete and return the bottom of this form to Temple Israel on or before **Wednesday, June 20**



SHABBAT AT HOME - Please Return to the Temple Office by June 20

FOR HOSTS:

Yes, I will open my home on Friday, July 6th for the Shabbat At Home dinner and Service from approx. 6 – 9 p.m.

Please check the appropriate box:

- I can accommodate _____ guests for a total of _____ people, including my own household.
- I would like to host families with children
- I would prefer adults only.
- I have pets: dog cat other _____
(this information is needed for matching hosts with guests)

FOR GUESTS:

Yes, I would like to participate by attending as a guest in another congregant's home. I will bring the portion of the potluck meal assigned to me.

- _____ adults will be attending,
- _____ children will be attending, whose ages are _____
- One or more of us is allergic to pets: dog cat other _____
(this information is needed for matching guests to hosts)

FOR EVERYONE:

Name(s): _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

- I am able to offer a ride for _____ additional passengers. *(in addition to me and my family)*
- I will need a ride.

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IN MEMORY OF FRANK WEINBERGER

September 18, 2016 - March 15, 2018

(Edited from our 2012 Annual Gala Tribute Book where Frank and Harriette were honored as Long-Time Members and Volunteers)

If you ever visit the Temple office any time in the afternoon, every afternoon, you are sure to see Frank Weinberger. He is truly a “Johnny – on-the-spot,” and “indispensable” to the daily happenings in our Temple. He installed the Temple’s original computer network system, and continues to be a problem solver for all Temple issues, both technical and mundane. But this former President (1985-1987) never stands on ceremony. He’s a straight shooter, friendly, but will tell it like it is. However, he never turns down a chance to do a helpful deed.

Arriving in California from Chicago with his wife Beatrice and his sons Alan and Bruce, the little family settled in Rossmoor, and wanting to be involved in the Jewish community, they joined Temple Israel in 1964. An engineer by vocation, he became associated with Rockwell, Intl., where he remained until his retirement in 1996, around the same time he achieved his doctorate. Always a “family man,” wherever they traveled on vacations or weekends, he and Bea were always accompanied by their children. Sadly, their youngest, a daughter Cheryl, passed away years ago, and Bea died in 2007 from a prolonged illness. The three siblings all attended Temple Israel’s Torah Center.

When they joined the Temple, Frank immediately became involved in the Library Committee, and later joined the Education Committee. Noting his excellent management skills, the Board of

Directors elected him to serve as President. A real stickler for protocol and detail, Frank now serves as Parliamentarian of the Board, chairs the House Committee—certainly helpful now that we are engaged in renovating our Temple, serves on the Capital Campaign Committee and is a member of the Men’s Club. At services, he is often called on to adjust the sound system or distribute the assisted listening devices. On the High Holy Days or Shabbat, Frank is right there serving as an usher. In the greater Long Beach

Jewish community, he has served on the Federation Annual Super Sunday fundraiser for many years.



Frank says his hobby is information management and his prodigious library at home is ample evidence, but he has many other interests. He loves the theater, archeology, shopping, doing “handyman” things around the house (he’s always available to help his kids in South Pasadena or in Tollhouse, CA, or his many friends), visiting museums (a recent discovery) and watching TV. A father of two, father-in-law of two, proud grandfather

of two, and great grandfather of two, he stays a busy man. Most friends have observed the broad smile he’s been wearing lately, as he’s partnered with Harriette Ellis. The twosome are members of the Temple’s longest-functioning havurah, and needless to say, as the group each watches a video featuring a well-known rabbi speak on the history of Judaism, guess who sets up the video equipment at members’ homes on Sunday night? You guessed it.

*Temple Israel's Annual Gala
Chai Society*





AN EXPLORATION OF LEADERSHIP

Thursdays, 7:00 p.m.

June 7, June 21

Teacher: Rabbi Moskowitz

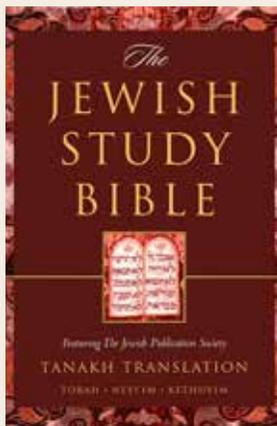
Moses prayed that the next generation of leadership would be people “who will go out in front of the people and come back in front of them, who will bring them out and bring them back.” What do each of these elements mean? Is there one style of leadership that is best in all circumstances? Through a combination of classical and contemporary sources we will explore three models of leadership: Disruptive Leadership; Adaptive Leadership; and Tzimtzum, a mystical approach.

Cost: none

**THE STORY CONTINUES:
 PROPHETS & PROVERBS**

Thursdays at 10:15 a.m.

Facilitator: Joan Leb



The Tanakh class is starting the fifth year of reading the rest of the Hebrew Bible after the Torah. So far, we have entered the Promised Land with Joshua, lived during the period of the Judges, seen the establishment of two kingdoms, and gone into exile. We have read all of the 12 Minor Prophets and the three Major Prophets. We are now immersed in the Psalms and loving reading through this beautiful piece of work. This is a lay-led group so everyone has an opportunity to participate. No previous knowledge

or experience is required, just curiosity and a desire to learn. Come and join us. We have fun!



**PERFORMANCE OF
 “BAGELS!” THE MUSICAL
 AND**

**JJL PATRONS RECOGNITION
 Sunday, June 10 at 10:00 a.m.**

Bagels! is a musical based on a truly momentous event in Jewish history – the invention of the bagel machine! For years, Ronny Kaplan has worked at his Father Izzy’s side helping him to accomplish his lifelong dream of inventing the first automated bagel-making machine. But when, unbeknownst to Izzy, Ronny comes up with a more practical design and wealthy Cousin Howard decides to invest and take it “big,” it causes a huge rift between Ronny and his father, misery for his mother, and friction with his wife – the whole “schmear” – not to mention some pretty unhappy members of the local Bagel Bakers Union.

Join us for a delightful performance, followed by a bagel brunch and Q&A with the playwright Chana Wise and composer Carl Johnson. **Cost: \$15 (FREE for JJL Patrons)**



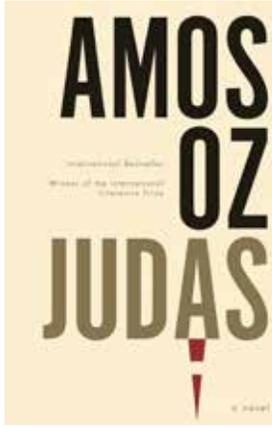
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Temple Israel's
Joys of Jewish Learning
ADULT EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB

Wednesday, July 11 at 7:30 p.m.

Discussing the book,
Judas by Amos Oz, Nicholas de Lange (Translator)



Winner of the International Literature Prize, the new novel by Amos Oz is his first full-length work since the best-selling *A Tale of Love and Darkness*. Jerusalem, 1959. Shmuel Ash, a biblical scholar, is adrift in his young life when he finds work as a caregiver for a brilliant but cantankerous old man named Gershom Wald. There is, however, a third, mysterious presence in his new home. Atalia Abarbanel, the daughter of a deceased Zionist leader, a beautiful woman in her

forties, entrances young Shmuel even as she keeps him at a distance. Piece by piece, the old Jerusalem stone house, haunted by tragic history and now home to the three misfits and their intricate relationship, reveals its secrets. At once an exquisite love story and coming-of-age novel, an allegory for the state of Israel and for the biblical tale from which it draws its title, *Judas* is Amos Oz's most powerful novel in decades.

BEGINNING HEBREW

Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m.

July 24, 31, August 7, 14, 21, 28
September 4, 11, 25, October 2

Teacher: Janet Liss

After this ten-week Beginning Hebrew class, students will be able to recognize all the Hebrew letters and vowels, read on a beginning level, follow along in the prayer book, and even read from the Torah on the last day of class! The text we will be using will give students the opportunity to practice reading Hebrew through the use of games, puzzles, and various reading drills. If you want to learn Hebrew in a warm, fun and non-threatening environment, this class is for you!

Cost: \$100, including textbook



**HAVE A BLAST LEARNING
TO SOUND THE SHOFAR!**

**Thursdays, July 26 and/or
August 9 at 7:00 p.m.**

(two identical sessions being offered)

Teachers: Jerry Levy, Wayne Slavitt,
Mark Levinstein, David Hillinger

In this class, we will answer these questions: What is a shofar? Where is it mentioned in the Bible? What key parts does the shofar play during the High Holy Days?

You will have the opportunity to try different shofars or practice on your own if you have one. You will learn the different notes used during the service: Tekiah, Shevarim, Teruah, Tekiah Gedolah. All "graduates" are welcome to join the Shofar Choir, either at the Temple or at Adventure in the Park for Rosh Hashanah and/or Yom Kippur. This class will be taught by current Shofar Choir members. You can attend one or both classes for extra practice. **Cost: none**



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Yahrzeit Observance

"Zecher Tzadik Livracha"

The memory of the righteous are a blessing



June 6-12

Zella Alcouloumre
Raymond Alpert
Marvin Ansel
Irving Bragin *
Eileen Condon
Bessie Elbert *
Maureen Evans
Gertrude Freedman
Bess Goldstein
Pauline Grabelle *
Leo Harmatz
Ronald Hertz
Rose Hoffer
Revan Komaroff *
Jeanette Lerner
Charles Memel
Flora Mendelsohn
Dorothea Perrie *
Louis Rabin
Nat Rippel
John Rutherford
Thelma Scherwin
Herman Shalotsky
Rosemond Singer
Judith Sinowitz
Bernard Slatoff *
Robby Slomann
Walter Stein
Marion Vance
Ruth Vogel
Robin Lynn Wallis
Tillie Wisotsky
Mark Wolberg
Lewis Yaffe
Gitel Bat Chaim Y'Hashar
Watz*

June 13-19

Joseph Alban *
Augusto Angel
Beatrice B. Baral *
Gertrude Beckerman
Anne Schutte Beizer
Cecile Brown

Sophie Calechman
Stephan Claire *
Ted Cohen
John P. Condon
Gary Jay Dickter *
Erella Dimenstein
Joan Fishbein *
Jeffrey Frankel
William Friedman
David Goldberg *
Samuel Hilf *
Millie Hirshfield *
Philip Hoffer
Lydia Jacobs
Gertrude Jacoby
Elinor O. Leff *
Ben Lewis *
Glenna Cherry Martel
Leonard Mullins
George Panitz
Ellis Rosenberg *
Arnold Rosenbluth
Eva Sachs
Herbert Savage
Olga Savitz *
Jacob Scherwin
Herman Schnee
Michael Schwartz
Paul Sugar *
Jacob Sukman *

June 20-26

Max David Baral *
Andrew Barra
Joan Blickman
Doreen Blumenthal
Israel Bromberg
Ada Fay Buchalter *
Charles Burlin
Enes Bussi
Mary Cadis
Mollie Cohen
Max Engerman
Merle Fisher
Davida Gersten

Abe Gertler *
Harold Walter Giser
Mildred Goldberg
Esther Kreida
Ruby Lichtig *
Jack Marder
Joseph Meyerson
Milton Moskowitz
Myla Musicant
Pauline Neukirk
Suzanne Padway
Judy Parmet
Ben Rose *
Fay Rosenfeld
Sam Schneidman
Bertha Sherman *
William Van Der Most *
Israel Ammon Yost

June 27-July 3

Leon Abravanel
Lillian G. Ainbinder *
Esther Alhadeff
Barbara Allison
Sylvia Ansel
Betty Appel *
Gertrude Ball *
Betty Bender
William Berger
Harry Brown *
Oscar Burlin
Joseph Coleman
Harold Elbert
Dorothy Engerman
Peter Fisher
Irwin Friedberg M.D. *
Charles Front
Sylvia Garber
Marilyn Gasman
Solomon Goodman *
George Gordon
Mort Harris
Robert Heidelberger
Jennie Heller *
Minnie Hiken *

Alan Horn
Fay Jones
Bernard Kass *
Celia Katz
Irving Klein
Betty Kohl *
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Cynde Levy
Frida Livne
Everett Mondt
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Mark Myers
Sylvia Navra
Ada Phillips *
Esther B. Rodecker *
Sarah Rofheart
Dorothy Samuel
Elena Schleich
Jack Schwartz
Lois Smith
Marie Weissburg
Alice Wisen

July 4-10

Meyer Berke *
Grant Besley
Oscar Blesofsky
Saul Blum
Donald E. Brown
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Kathleen Catalano
Vivienne Dachman *
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Ira Kipnis
 Al Levin *
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 Elias Lowenthal
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 Norman Michlin *
 Arnold Nachlis
 Evelyn Neumann
 Fannie Phillips *
 Mala Plotnik
 Josephine Pollack
 Arthur M. Reicher
 Jeanette J. Rigler *
 Brian Ross
 Melvin Ross
 Hannah Roth *
 Hilda Sands
 Harry Schumow
 Esther Seifer
 Jeanne Silver
 Sidney Stotland
 Charlotte Sunshine
 Alice Tustin
 Paul Tustin
 Helen Ruth Wolowitz
 Charlotte Wyckoff

July 11-17

Tobi Abelsky
 Anna Alban Jones
 Jack B. Alhadeff
 Olive Barnett *
 Susan Bollingmo
 Earl Dollar
 Rick Fahlk *
 Augusta Falbel
 Samuel Goldman *
 Carol Goldstein
 Charlotte Gordon
 Sylvia Harmatz
 Hortense Hoffman *
 Joseph Kadison
 Henryk Krebs *
 Edyta Krebs *

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 Tillie Lentzner *
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 Frieda Marx Mikels *
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 Jennie Reiner
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 Jeffrey Schindler
 Jean Carmel- Schneider *
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 Harry Singer
 Merle Sommer *
 Arthur Steinberg
 Millie Trattner *
 Frank Wyckoff
 Belle Zwieback

July 18-24

Harry Avirom
 Leona Bleiberg
 Sandy Brown *
 Jaime Calderon
 Miles Efron
 Jean Epstein
 Milton Feldman
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 Eugene Fisch
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 Annette Fromm *
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 Gloria Jarquin
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July 25-31

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Melissa & Tut Campbell

on the death of her step-father, Steven Goldzman

Carol, Emily and Claire Jimenez

on the death of father and grandfather, Harold Small

Bob & Ronni Kaplan

on the death of his mother, Shirley Kaplan

Barbara & Leon Shoag

on the death of their nephew, Jonathan Safier

Linda & Sanford Simmons

on the death of their grandson, Rafael Yitzhak Quezada

June

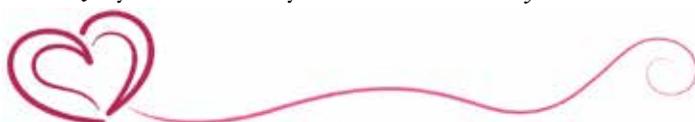
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- 2 Greg and Jennifer Manlowe - 16 years
Barry and Roberta Rabin - 28 years
- 3 David and Cindy Arana - 39 years
Gene and Gail Coster - 31 years
Gerald and Sandra Joffe - 56 years
- 4 Jonathan and Michal Loving - 14 years
- 7 Ron and Sylvia Hartman - 61 years
- 9 Nathan and Lisa Hill - 17 years
Arthur and Diane Levine - 6 years
Vic and Daisy Schneidman - 55 years
- 12 Mark and Margo Hoffer - 58 years
- 13 Garth Begler and Laura Snyder - 36 years
Joey and Elizabeth Damiano - 9 years
Joel and Ronna Kizner - 39 years
Rabbi Steven and Ana Moskowitz - 19 years
- 14 Bill and Marian Siegel - 54 years
- 15 Scott and Valeria Dropkin - 16 years
- 16 Don and Barbara Kaplan - 27 years
- 17 Glenn and Chana Ham-Rosebrock - 45 years
- 18 Sy and Reva Alban - 64 years
- 19 Ed and Florine Karabenick - 63 years
- 20 Bruce and Susie Amster - 47 years
Howard and Susan Snyder - 48 years
- 21 Matt and Chris Gold - 26 years
Don and Andrea Kaiser - 54 years
- 22 Mark and Heidi Hardy - 21 years
Jay and Nancy Lentzner - 4 years
- 23 Eyal and Hadas Dvir - 23 years
Jim and Nancy Linden - 41 years
- 24 Asher and Heather Edwards - 6 years
Daniel and Heidee Stoica - 6 years
- 26 James and Paula Ewing - 2 years
- 27 Harriet and Joe Bennish - 36 years
Robert and Laurie Raykoff - 36 years
- 28 Joel and Emma Holden - 15 years
John and Susan O'Connor - 20 years
- 29 Chad and Michele Goodman - 40 years
Marc and Diane Merrick - 43 years
Joey Solis and Evelyn Levine-Solis - 21 years

July

Anniversaries

- 1 Mitch and Evelyn Albert - 45 years
Alan and Kathy Gordon - 34 years
Brad and Arelin Levin - 13 years
Jeffrey and Lena Shupper - 11 years
Alan and Danielle Van Divort - 17 years
- 2 John and Marcie Blumberg - 30 years
David and Caryl Cohn - 62 years
- 3 Michael and Elinor Blum - 55 years
- 4 Howard and Karen Ort - 44 years
Joseph and Susan Posard - 16 years
Todd and Vicki Scherwin - 14 years
Keith and Leticia Somers - 16 years
- 5 David and Sandy Michaels - 15 years
- 6 Steve Askin and Catherine Hanna - 10 years
Lance and Marilyn Valt - 50 years
- 8 Rob and Debbie Feldman - 40 years
- 9 Sanford and Linda Simmons - 51 years
Jan and Norma Stein - 41 years
- 13 Denny and Judy Blumenthal - 32 years
Rudy and Christina Kimmerling - 10 years
- 14 Robert and Andrea Friedenthal - 18 years
- 15 Harvey and Roberta Friedman - 17 years
Barry and Jean Potter - 13 years
- 19 Matthew and Leonora Shahon - 26 years
- 22 Alan Lowenthal and Deborah Malumed - 23 years
Darren and Amy Rosenberg - 12 years
- 23 Ruth Bookstaber and Brent Ellerbroek - 18 years
John and Michelle Currey - 12 years
- 24 Michael and Dayna Malone - 25 years
- 25 Joshua Levenshus and Alexis Altamirano - 9 years
- 26 Frank Wyckoff and Deborah Kaplan-Wyckoff - 37 years
- 27 David and Ryan Eagle - 5 years
- 28 Adam and Jodi Leiter - 18 years
- 29 Eli and Karen Ben-Shmuel - 11 years
- 30 Hank and Joyce Feldman - 23 years
Aaron and Kim London - 2 years
Matt and Sharon Sloan - 57 years



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Tzedakah is a central mitzvah of Judaism. It humanizes both the giver and the recipient.

It acknowledges an important occasion, honors a person for a job well done, or pays tribute in sympathy.

TEMPLE ISRAEL FUND

- General Fund**
For the support of on going congregational activities

DISCRETIONARY FUNDS

- Rabbi Steven Moskowitz**
Tzedakah projects at the Rabbi's discretion
- Cantor Sara Hass**
Tzedakah projects at the Cantor's discretion
- Educator**
For benefit of the Torah Center and its teachers
- President**
For special projects at the President's discretion

COMMUNITY FUNDS

- Homeless Assistance**
Helps those in need pay first and/or last month's rent
- Caring Community**
Funds programs for families in need
- Nancy Leff and Donald Leff Memorial**
Purchases Hanukkah gifts for children of needy families
- Yad B'Yad**
Purchases kitchen and catering supplies for Yad B'Yad

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- Library Fund**
Purchase of library books

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- Rabbi Wolli & Sarah Kaelter Sabbath Fellowship**
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For building repairs

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- Rob & Debbie Feldman Family Got Shabbat**
Funds quarterly Friday Shabbat alternative music service.
- Music Patrons**
Funds musical programs

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- Paula & Michael Avchen Campership**
Camp/trip program for children in financial need
- Lester Elbert and Corinne Van Boemel Memorial Campership**
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- Lipeles Family Camp & Adult Shabbaton**
Fund for Families in need
- Jewish Campership**
Camperships for those in need

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- Torah Center Fund**
- Polly Alevy Memorial Education**
Funds for Torah Center
- HUM (Horim U'Morim)**
Funds Torah Center projects
- A. Estin Comarr Memorial Torah Scholarship**
Funds scholarships for Torah Center
- Torah Center Scholarship**
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- Roselle & Herbert Sommer Scholarship Fund**
Assists with Torah Center fees and camp scholarships

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- ANDI**
Programs for our teens
- Jack Bard Memorial**
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- Social Action**
For social action and programming needs
- Joys of Jewish Learning**
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Funds building beautification and refurbishment
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- Syd Lemmerman Jewish Camping and Youth Fund**
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Judy & Denny Blumenthal in loving memory of Judy's grandmother,
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Judy & Denny Blumenthal in loving memory of Judy's uncle,
Ben Sreiberg.
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Alan & Rosecarrie Brooks in loving memory of Alan's mother,
Allegra Brooks.
Rosecarrie & Alan Brooks in memory of Rosa Magnus, beloved
grandmother.
Susanne Cameron & Jackie Fritz in loving memory of their
grandmother, Hulda Schallamach.
Joy & John Fisher in loving memory of Joy's father, Daniel Palmquist.
Joy & John Fisher in loving memory of Joy's grandmother, Bessie Denner.
Carol Glow in loving memory of her husband, Mervin Glow.
Carol Glow in loving memory of her father-in-law, Louis Glow.
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Albert & Blanche Mittleman.
Michelle & Steve Gordon in loving memory of Michelle's mother,
Beverly Fleishman.
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Judith Gale Hardaker in loving memory of her brother, Richard
Dennis Gale.
Judith Gale Hardaker in loving memory of her brother,
Michael Edward Gale.
Dorothy Levin in loving memory of her father, Nicholas Roth.
Dorothy Levin in loving memory of her sister, Belle Shaffer.
Mark & CJ Levinstein in loving memory of Mark's mother,
Dena Levinstein.
Mark & CJ Levinstein in loving memory of Mark's father,
Abraham Levinstein.
Steve & Nancy Levy in loving memory of Steve's father, Ernest Levy.
Ann Martin in loving memory of her father, Irving Sacks.
Barbara & Art Miller in loving memory of Barbara's aunt,
Rebecca Willner.
Melinda & David Perez in memory of beloved grandmother,
Pearl Silverman.
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Jeanetta Marie Alexander.
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Louis Rubin.
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Eva Barsimantob.
Norman Slomann & Gail Webster in loving memory of Norman's father,
Jack Slomann.
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Elaine Warren in loving memory of her father-in-law, Joseph Warren.
Rose Ziskrout in loving memory of her brother, Michael Obodov.
Ed Zwieback & Mona Panitz in loving memory of Ed's sister,
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The Bellettini-Gallien family in appreciation of Ana Moskowitz for all
of her work 'behind the scenes' and to all who have served as members of
a Beit Din committee and hold open Jacob's tent with a welcoming heart.
Karen Calechman & Jerry Prell in memory of Frank Weinberger,
beloved partner of Harriette Ellis.
Karen Calechman & Jerry Prell in memory of Michael Fleisher,
beloved brother of Rabbi Moskowitz.
Sondra M. Cohen in loving memory of her husband, Steven B. Goldzman.
Lyn & Joel Epstein in honor of Jim Linden on his birthday.
Cantor Marvin & Hannah Finnley in memory of Frank Weinberger,
beloved partner of Harriette Ellis.
Cantor Marvin & Hannah Finnley in memory of longtime member,
Helga Fultheim, beloved mother of Leon Fultheim and Gary Fultheim.
Linda Gale Gordon in memory of Frank Weinberger, beloved partner
of Harriette Ellis.
Linda Gale Gordon in memory of beloved member, Linda Calderón.
Gary & Ellen Phillips in memory of Gary's cousin, Dan Spellens,
beloved husband of Melanie Spellens.
Melanie Spellens in gratitude for Rabbi Moskowitz's participation in
the making of a beautiful day.
Melanie Spellens in memory of Mort Stuhlbarg, beloved husband of
Susan Stuhlbarg.
M. Quentin Turner & Katherine M. Taber-Turner.
Myron Wollin & Cynthia Gordon in memory of Frank Weinberger,
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Paula Avchen in loving memory of her husband, Michael Avchen.
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Melanie Spellens in gratitude for the Caring Community member's
participation in the making of a beautiful day.
Elaine Warren in memory of Frank Weinberger, beloved partner of
Harriette Ellis.
Elaine Warren in memory of beloved member, Linda Calderón.
Elaine Warren sent loving get well wishes to Nancy Speizer.

LESTER ELBERT & CORINNE VAN BOEMEL MEMORIAL CAMPSHIP FUND

David & Joanne Feldman in loving memory of David's aunt, Vivian
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Melanie Spellens in gratitude for Charmaine Weiner's participation in the making of a beautiful day.

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Elaine Warren sent healing & loving wishes to her lifelong friend, Barbara Miller.

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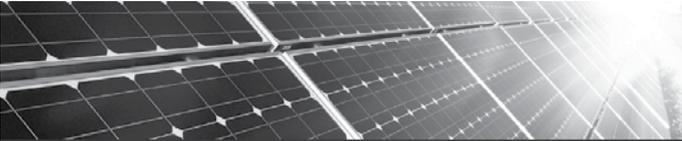



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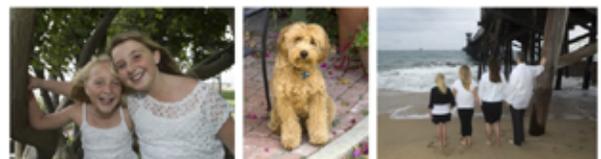


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