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June / July 2022

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**Friday, June 24**  
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Join us for this jazz-infused  
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## PRIDE SHABBAT

**Friday, July 8**  
**6:00 pm**

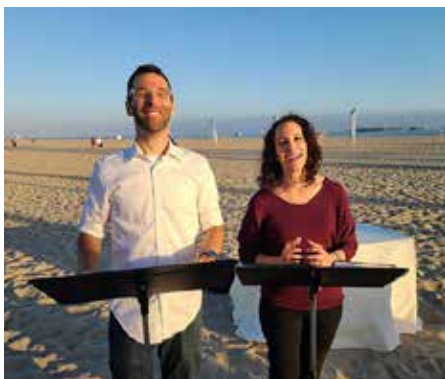
Join us after the Service  
for a Guest Speaker



## SHABBAT AT THE BEACH

**Friday, July 22**  
**6:00 pm**

Join us for this special Service  
at the Beach



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*Mazel Tov*  
*to Kelly Cooper*  
*upon her ordination*  
*from Cantorial School from*  
*Academy for Jewish Religion California*

Join us on Friday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>  
 for a Special Oneg Shabbat  
 in her honor, following the Service



**SHABBAT SERVICES**

**Friday, June 3**

6:00 pm Family Shabbat Service

**Saturday, June 4**

8:45 am Torah Study

10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service

**Friday, June 10**

6:00 pm Sisterhood Shabbat

**Saturday, June 11**

8:45 am Torah Study

10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service

Bar Mitzvah of Kai Manack

**Friday, June 17**

6:00 pm Frank Weinberger Annual Volunteer Recognition & Board Installation

**Saturday, June 18**

8:45 am Torah Study

10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service

**Friday, June 24**

6:00 pm Tot Shabbat

6:00 pm Got Shabbat? Service

**Saturday, June 25**

8:45 am Torah Study

10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service

**Friday, July 1**

6:00 pm Shabbat in the Park

**Saturday, July 2**

8:45 am Torah Study

10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service

**Friday, July 8**

6:00 pm Pride Shabbat Service

**Saturday, July 9**

8:45 am Torah Study

10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service

**Friday, July 15**

6:00 pm Shabbat Evening Service

**Saturday, July 16**

8:45 am Torah Study

10:30 am Shabbat Morning

**Friday, July 22**

5:00 pm Tot Shabbat at the Beach

6:00 pm Shabbat at the Beach

**Saturday, July 23**

8:45 am Torah Study

10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service

**Friday, July 29**

6:00 pm Shabbat Evening Service

**Saturday, July 30**

8:45 am Torah Study

10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service

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**Our Mission Statement** Guided by Reform Jewish values, our mission is to engage in a journey of prayer, learning, and community that inspires us to transform ourselves and the world.

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## WHY WE DO IT!

By Mark Dressner, Temple President



Two of the TI Jewish highlights of last year took place on the same day. These were the Bat Mitzvah of Lilly Keiles and, later in the day, the Adult class B'nai Mitzvah. It was so important for Lilly to have her service at the Temple that she waited an extra year. TI had been such a home to her that leading service in that home was desired to make this most meaningful. I had to leave her celebration luncheon early to get to the adult service. To watch adults,

even in their seventies, leading a service after more than two years of study, is a very inspirational spectacle to behold.

This is a major reason that synagogues exist: to rejoice, confirm, and live our Judaism, from the becoming of a Jewish adult at age 13 to the importance of doing the same 60 years later because of a missed opportunity. This is why congregants step-up and lead, to help make experiences like this possible. With our recent gala, myriad of educational opportunities, Cantor recital, and Make a Difference Day to name a very few events – it is obvious why so many of us lead, govern, organize, do, and live a life of Jewish values.

### What has your Board been doing?

Our last meetings have been involved in discussing and finalizing the budget for next year. We have also finalized and recommended changes to the bylaws that we will vote on in the congregational meeting. We have debated much the creation of a new VP of Social Action and the responsibilities of that role, as well as the chair of the Social Action Committee.

Did you know that every meeting we vote on accepting new congregants and hear about why congregants have resigned their membership (the most common reasons being relocation and death)? Every new member is vetted to be sure there are no red flags (this is exceedingly rare to never happens).

We will be planning our annual summer Board Retreat in order to team build, prioritize, understand the TI organization better, and hone leadership skills. We will be saying goodbye to some of our excellent VP's and we'll be welcoming new ones, as well as saying goodbye and welcoming new board members.

Our Covid Advisory Committee has been meeting monthly, even calling an emergency meeting, to determine an everchanging path forward to protect the health of our congregants.

### What's up next?

Strategic planning for the next 3 years will be the focus of next year. Now that we have a new mission statement and revised bylaws, Rick Burney will be leading our strategic planning effort. There will be many focus groups to discuss where we should be

heading, how to do this, and how to measure our progress. We will be discussing the possibility of revising our bylaws again to allow non-Jewish Temple members to serve on the board. We will be working on a policy and procedure manual for board governance and employee issues. Our social action footprint will be growing even larger over the next year. Most importantly, if you are called upon to be part of a group or to give an opinion PLEASE SHOW UP AND SPEAK UP! TI is all about what we want to make it!

As always, please feel free to contact me at [president@tilb.org](mailto:president@tilb.org).

## TEMPLE ISRAEL'S ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CONGREGATION

**Sunday, June 12**

8:30 am Budget Discussion

9:30 am Coffee on the Patio

10:00 am Meeting

### PROPOSED CHANGES TO OUR BYLAWS

Temple Israel's Bylaws Committee has been working diligently to bring out Bylaws up to date. We held a community Online Town Hall on Sunday, April 10<sup>th</sup>, presenting the Bylaws to the congregation, taking feedback and answering questions. The new Bylaws were then presented to the Temple's Board of Directors, and the changes were accepted by the Board at the meeting held on Tuesday, April 26, 2022. These proposed changes need to be voted on and accepted by the congregation at the Annual Meeting, held on Sunday, June 12, 2022.



## Get Well Wishes

*Laura Bleiberg*

*Mike Brodsky*

*Colleen Carver*

*Joel Epstein*

*Steve Gratch*

*Darrin Hammer*

*Nancy Lentzner*

*Arla Lewis*

*Art Levine*

*Carole Moskovitz*

*David Philips*

*Harriet Reed*

*Michelle Vadon*

*Deborah Wycoff*



**SHAVUOT, THE LOW-KEY FESTIVAL**

By Sheryl Stahl, VP Ritual Practices



Passover includes days of cooking and cleaning, the seder, and 7-8 days of matzah. Sukkot has its bright fall colors and the temporary hut we gather in to eat and sleep for 7-8 days. And then Shavuot, the “other” pilgrimage festival has ...?

Like the other two festivals, Shavuot has roots in history, agriculture, and religious practice. Occurring 50 days (a.k.a. 7 weeks) after the Passover seder, it is one of the pilgrimage festivals

where all the Hebrew men were required to go to Jerusalem to make a tribute to the Temple. For the agricultural aspect, we officially celebrate the wheat harvest. Additionally, this is the earliest the people could bring the “bikkurim,” the first fruits to the Temple. These are the items mentioned in Deuteronomy 8:8 - wheat, barley, grapes, figs, pomegranates, olives, and dates.

The third aspect of Shavuot is the giving of the 10 commandments. Traditionally we think of this as the time that our relationship with God is formalized into the covenant. We celebrate by reading piyyutim (liturgical poems,) eating dairy (perhaps because we did not yet know the kosher laws of eating meat), and studying all night.

Ritualwell.org has several examples of contemporary piyyutim: Revealing Torah, revealing me; We all stood together; The Threshing Floor; and We still had far to go.

Wishing you all a joyous festival!

**TREASURER REPORT**

By Jerry Levy, Treasurer



At the time of the writing, I can report that the financial state of the Congregation is excellent. We have received several extraordinary contributions that eliminated our projected deficit. That coupled with lower expenses due to the Covid induced reduction in facility use, we now anticipate a surplus of approximately \$26,000 for the end of this fiscal year.

The Budget & Finance Committee based next year’s budget on projections from the previous years, modified by the higher-than-expected inflation numbers and the anticipation of greater use of our facilities, as we slowly emerge from the Covid cloud. Next year’s budget will show a budget deficit, in line with our 10-year Sustainability Plan, of approximately \$60,000. All of this will be discussed in greater detail in the hour before the Annual Meeting, where I will be available to answer any questions you may have.

Finally, if you have been to a Next 100 Years Campaign Parlor Party and have already contributed (either in cash or a legacy gift), thank you! If you have not had the opportunity to attend one of these information sessions, please contact the office so they can match you up with one of the future Parlor Parties. Over the next 2 years, we hope that everyone will participate at whatever level is comfortable to help insure the future of Temple Israel for the Next 100 Years!

**SPIRITUAL REVELATIONS  
REUNITING WITH OUR COMMUNITY  
TIKKUN LEIL SHAVUOT**

Coordinated and directed by Jerry Prell

**Saturday, June 4 at 8:00 pm**

An original theatrical event created and performed by members of Temple Israel.

How did the pandemic impact our relationships and connections with friends and family? What does it mean to be back together in our spiritual and personal communities? What did we learn? How have we changed? A program of poems, monologues, scenes, and song/music to express the emotional/human experience of what we missed and longed for during the pandemic. Created and performed by members of Temple Israel.

**This program will be Livestreamed**





## KOL M'YISRAEL / A VOICE FROM ISRAEL

By Jeremy Rosen



Returning recently from California, Etay and I decided to make a layover in Amsterdam. Many of the cheaper flights stopped there; the city is a particular favorite of his, and I had not been. One thing about traveling as an “Israeli” is that we always seem to be prolific in the chosen getaway. In this small country, information on destinations, particularly shopping, partying, or leisure, quickly travels and, as such, the prices of flights

to the destination fall, creating a positive feedback loop, until basically we have annexed it. Amsterdam, while by no means an exclusively Israeli tourist Mecca, has certainly not escaped the flood either. But here I think, a draw, different than the previously mentioned ones, brings the Israeli tourist.

The connection of Israel and the Netherlands begins in geography and history. Both countries were situated on strategically placed trade routes, and as such were fought over, until recently, by much larger empires. After independence, an ethno-religious war divided both countries. In the case of the Low Countries, Catholic Belgium and Protestant Netherlands eventually reached peace with one another. As the Israeli-Palestinian is still yet to be resolved, I think the peace of Western Europe provides the first alluring glimpse into a potential future. Despite their strategically valuable location, the land it provided was certainly of a less desirable quality. The Netherlands, of course, having a major surplus of water, and Israel a major shortage. As the saying goes, “God created the world, but the Dutch created the Netherlands.” Israel, in its own terms, turned its own swamps and deserts into forests, farms, and cities.

Amsterdam itself provides a vision of Tel Aviv, maybe a century in the future. While Tel Aviv replaces Amsterdam's canals with boulevards, both cities take pride in world famous café and nightlife scenes. In Amsterdam, every building is carefully planned in the city's unique style and well maintained. The city once suffered a severe traffic and smog problem, but aggressive government programs created the world's premier cycling haven. Tel Aviv, famous for its White City and eclectic palaces, has certainly failed on the maintenance front, but today boasts its own government programs to combat the neglect and encourage urban renewal. Cars have not gone away here yet, either, but every trip around the city leads to the discovery of another newly built bike path.

Tough landscapes led to pioneering spirits. Neither country has stopped with their terraforming efforts at their own borders but have become world leaders in dealing with their respective water crises. Whereas trade and markets became another Dutch specialty, fostered by their empire, military technology is a huge driver of the Start-up Nation. The Dutch are friendly but also gruff. In Amsterdam, many locals huffed at me for my improper

cycling, a favorite pastime passed along here in Tel Aviv to the suburban driver. The Dutch, I was told, are not known for their management skills (Hello Israel!), a trait proven to the unsuspecting tourist quickly at their respective airports.



**LEAH FACTERMAN**  
MADRICHIM REP.

The Keshher teens had an amazing end to the 2022 school year! The teens put on a beautiful service on May 13, that they spent the entire year working on. It was great to show all our hard work, and recognize all the amazing groups that helped put it together. Before the service, the 12th Grade seniors were able to have a nice dinner and reflect on their time at Temple Israel. Following the Teen Service, ANDI hosted a lock-

in. The lock-in was a night full of fun games and activities. The teens were able to bond until the early hours of the morning and wish the seniors goodbye, as it was their last ANDI event. The ANDI future is looking bright after the recent elections. The new ANDI Board is a group of amazing teens that will lead the group incredibly. The President is Rachel Nisenholtz, the Programing VP is Sadie Brown, the Social Action VP is Kyla Farrell, the Religious and Cultural VP is Lilly Keiles, the Membership VP is Evan Smeltzer, the Financial VP is Shayna Salisbury, the Communications VP is Max Perler, the 11<sup>th</sup> Grade representative is Ethan Barnhart-Ross, the 10<sup>th</sup> Grade Committee is Michelle Alpern, Aravah Marcus and Raquel Turndorf, the 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Representative is Jackson Marshall and the ANDIbassador is Carly Ferdman. This year, Temple Israel has a teen on the NFTY SOCAL Regional Board; Noe Santana is the Regional Financial Vice President. Mazel tov to all of our teens!





**CALLING ALL TI SISTERHOOD MEMBERS!**

*A Special Sisterhood Shabbat*  
is planned for Friday, June 10 at 6:00 pm

Also, on the same evening, please plan to attend our  
**TI Sisterhood Member Appreciation Hour**  
at which we will be serving  
exceptional Hors D'oeuvres and beverages  
**from 5:00 pm- 6:00 pm**  
on the outside patio in front of the Temple.

All Sisterhood members are encouraged to join us!

**RESERVATIONS are essential**  
as this will be a catered event.

Please RSVP to Charmaine Weiner at [clw@tilb.org](mailto:clw@tilb.org)

Debi Felsenthal and Peggy Brady  
Temple Israel Sisterhood Membership Committee.



**SISTERHOOD ANNUAL MEETING  
AND BOARD INSTALLATION**

**Monday, June 13 at 6:30 pm**

**George's Greek Cafe**  
(5252 Faculty Ave, Lakewood)

**Cost: \$ 36**  
Outside seating so dress warm

Please RSVP to Charmaine [clw@tilb.org](mailto:clw@tilb.org) by June 9.



**THE SISTERHOOD  
GIFT SHOP**



The Gift Shop will be open  
by appointment only.



Contact Elyse at (562) 429-8626



**CRAFT FAIR AT TEMPLE ISRAEL!!!**

**Sunday, July 10 from 10 am - 3 pm**  
at Temple Israel

Crafters and hobbyists will be selling their wares both inside and outside the temple. Some items for sale will be Pottery, Glass works, Do Terra Essential Oil, Origami Owl, Jewelry, Paper crafts and Gift Shop items.

Contact Maryse at [3maryse3@gmail.com](mailto:3maryse3@gmail.com) for more information.



**GET READY FOR  
"HONEY FROM THE HEART"  
FUNDRAISER**

The order link will be sent out in mid-June and all orders placed by 8/1/22 will have free shipping and arrive prior to Rosh Hashanah.

**EVERYONE HAD A GREAT TIME AT OUR  
FLOWER ARRANGING DEMONSTRATION**





### **Claudia Amador**

Claudia Amador began exploring Judaism in 2016 while taking an Introduction to Judaism course with Rabbi Stephen Einstein at Temple Beth Sholom in Santa Ana. He encouraged the class to find a local synagogue and participate in the community. Claudia began attending Friday services and Torah Study at Temple Israel and

joined our Mussar Study Group. Then came the “shut down.” She continued to be a familiar face on Zoom at Torah Study, Shabbat Services, and the Social Justice Book Group, and says that the Mussar Group was fundamental in supporting her through the lockdown.

Claudia is married to Manny Sahu and they live in Seal Beach. Manny is a product manager who serves the community as a Seal Beach Lion and a CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocate for foster youth). Claudia grew up in SoCal and graduated from CSULB in 2001. Since moving to Seal Beach in 2013, she has enjoyed much of what Long Beach has to offer: Belmont Pool, 2nd Street, El Dorado Park, Bixby Knolls...etc. Prior to moving to Seal Beach, they lived in Redondo Beach for 15 years.

Claudia began her career as a software engineer, transitioned to become a high school math and computer science teacher, and now is a data analyst for an educational nonprofit funded by the state that enables California's high school students to plan and manage college and career goals.

During her free time, Claudia volunteers at the MOLAA (Museum of Latin American Art) and Compound LB (Multidisciplinary space that embraces the intersection of contemporary art, wellness, and community in Long Beach). At MOLAA, she assists curators and the education team at large events. She enjoys taking improv courses at Held2gether, also in Long Beach.

Claudia grew up in a Catholic family who only went to church on important life events and the occasional Sunday. She is currently working with Rabbi Fox and looks forward to taking Cantor Cooper's classes about prayer. As she embraces Judaism, Claudia hopes to continue to learn how to practice the rituals and welcome Shabbat in her home.

We are so pleased to welcome Claudia as a congregant in our community!



### **Leslie Paluch & Joel Kohler**

Temple Israel extends a warm welcome to Leslie Paluch and Joel Kohler.

Leslie and Joel have attended Friday night services at Temple Israel over the years when visiting their children and grandsons who live in Long Beach. They belong to Temple Sinai in Denver, where

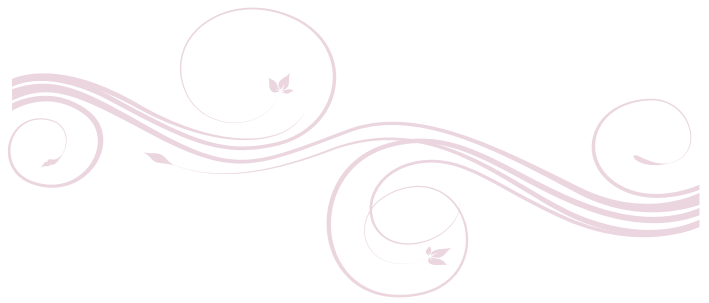
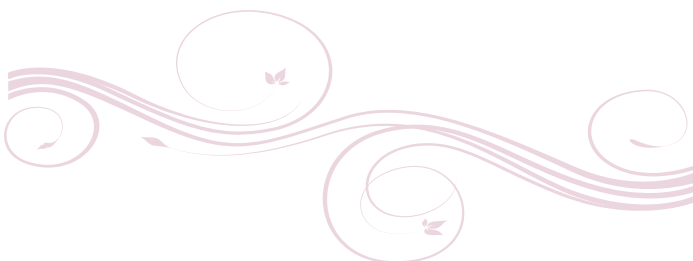
they have been members for 32 years and are part of the Mile High chavurah, which serves as their Denver Jewish family. Concurrently, they belong to Temple Adath Israel in Lexington, Kentucky where they live part time.

On December 30, 2021, they lost their Boulder County home to the Marshall Wildfires. Since that time, they have been living in Long Beach area hotels while trying to find a suitable home in the Long Beach area.

Dawn retired 13 years ago from her career as a Learning Disability Specialist working in hospitals, private practice, as well as at private and public schools. Joel was a nuclear engineer and project manager managing projects at the Los Alamos National Laboratories in Golden, Colorado. He was at Three Mile Island during the 1979 meltdown (yikes)!

Dawn loves gardening. Her garden was featured in the Kenwick Home and Garden Tour of Lexington a few years ago - this after transforming their 1932 bungalow weed garden into an inviting space. She is also interested in stocks and has belonged to a women's investment club for the past 40 years. She was elected to the Retirement Board of the Denver Public Schools. Joel enjoys playing the piano and is a self-taught cartoonist. He publishes a monthly animated cartoon story on Instagram @joelkohler173. Together, Dawn and Joel are travelers and belong to Servas, a world peace organization. They also host travelers from around the world into their home. They genuinely enjoy hosting dinners and celebrations in their homes. Their long time Rabbi, Raymond Zwerin, taught them at their wedding to make their home a welcoming place for friends and family alike, and this has become their mantra!

Dawn and Joel look forward to getting to know other Temple Israel congregants and are happy to volunteer and participate when they are local.





# BOARD NOMINATIONS



**Lea Gerber** was born in Poland to Holocaust survivors and raised in Israel and New York. She has been a Long Beach resident for 29 years, married to Dennis Gerber, a native son.

Professionally, Lea has worked in the area of Risk Management and Investing. As a volunteer in the Long Beach community, Lea has served on the TI's Membership Committee, is a member of the TI Sisterhood, serves on the Long Beach Cancer League

Executive Committee, is Past President of the Jewish Community Foundation of Long Beach and West Orange County, the Past VP of Business and Investments JFCS Long Beach, Cal State Long Beach 49'r Foundation and Investment Committee, Fund Development Committee Jewish Long Beach, and Advocacy Committee Jewish Long Beach.



Hello! My name is **Lisa Hill**. I grew up on the east coast and moved to sunny California with my family just before my 13th birthday. We settled in the San Fernando Valley, where I was Bat Mitzvah at Temple Judea in Tarzana.

I attended FIDM for college and have been in various roles in the schmatta trade ever since. In 2001 I moved to Long Beach when Nathan and I were married. We welcomed our only child, Alexander, in 2009. We enjoy travel,

art, music, and spending time with our family and friends.

After many a Tot Shabbat, we finally joined Temple Israel in 2015 when Alex was in kindergarten. In the years since, I have had the opportunity to read to our children during Torah Center in the library, co-chair at Make a Difference Day events, and help run HUM (our PTA). I look forward to meeting more members of our temple family and getting the opportunity to serve our great community on the board.



**David Jacobson** has been a member of Temple Israel since 2016, when he moved with his family to Long Beach from New York City. An active TI member, he chaired last year's Cantor Search Committee and this year's Annual Gala. He has participated in the annual Purim Shpiel, and helped establish an informal men's social group at TI. His two children, Naomi & Miles, are students in the Torah Center.



**Kathy Kreida**, and her husband Alan (a past president of TI) have been Temple Israel members for over 30 years. Kathy celebrated her adult Bat Mitzvah at TI and the B'nai Mitzvah of both of her children.

Kathy has been very active at the Temple, participating as a board member of Sisterhood, Gala Chair, and member of the Social Action, Women's Weekend, and Ritual Practices Committees.

Professionally, Kathy was a Program Director at the YMCA, as well as tutor and owner of Beach Learning Center. She is currently a volunteer with her BARK trained dog therapy Murphy, specializing in teaching kids to read.



**Gail Levy** has lived in Long Beach for eleven years with her husband, Tom. During that time she has been President of JFCS for two years. She is currently Vice President of Community and Resource Development for JFCS for the second time. She has chaired Visions for the Jewish Federation twice, chaired the Long Beach Cancer League Gala twice and is currently mentoring two women for Pathways to Independence. In college Gail

wrote her dissertation on the Empowerment of Small School Superintendents and believed throughout her 40 year career as a Principal, Vice Principal and Teacher that empowering teachers and students to grow and learn collaboratively together was extremely important. Her involvement with Temple Israel has been limited to attending services, some classes, teaching a study session during high holidays and organizing and participating in the Rosh Chodesh circles. Gail and Tom have four adult children and seven grandchildren and absolutely consider their family their number priority in life.

**VOTE IN OUR NEW BOARD OF DIRECTORS AT TEMPLE ISRAEL'S ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CONGREGATION**





## JUNE BAR MITZVAH



**KAI MANACK**  
June 11, 2022

Hi! My name is Kai Manack and I am a seventh grader at Rogers Middle School. I have a younger sister Kalinda who also goes to Temple Israel. I enjoy swimming with Rocket Fish and competing in butterfly and freestyle races. I also love the beach and this summer I will start Junior Guards. I'm really excited to celebrate my Bar Mitzvah with my family and friends. My grandparents, aunts, uncles, and cousins are coming to California from New York and

Michigan. For my Mitzvah Project, I cooked dinners for the families staying at the Ronald McDonald House in Long Beach. I really enjoyed cooking for other families and knowing that I was helping them. My family plans to continue cooking there once a month. I'd like to thank everyone who helped me prepare, especially Rabbi Fox and Cantor Cooper.



## SOCIAL JUSTICE BOOK GROUP

**Every other Wednesday at 11:00 am**  
**June 15 and 29 (Zoom Only)**

The Social Justice Book Group began in 2020 with a presentation by a local African American minister in response to the Black Lives Matter movement and the explosion of related (including Jewish and Latinx) social/legal justice activities and literature, much of it focused on presenting a more objective and fact-based American history. The Group selects, reads (in increments), and discusses books about these events, with a focus (similar to how many reform Jewish scholars study Torah) on how the issues confronted by these books impact us and what responsibility we might have, and how to address them in our own lives.

To participate, email Jared Goldin  
[jalangoldin@gmail.com](mailto:jalangoldin@gmail.com)

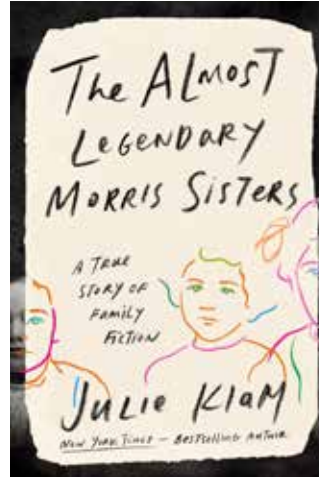


## WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB

Discussing the book,  
*The Almost Legendary Morris Sisters*

by Julie Klam

**Wednesday, July 13 at 7:00 pm (Zoom Only)**



*The Almost Legendary Morris Sisters* is the revealing account of what Klam discovered about her family - and herself - as she dug into the past. The deeper she went into the lives of the Morris sisters, the slipperier their stories became. And the more questions she had about what actually happened to them, the more her opinion of them evolved. Part memoir and part confessional, and told with the wit and honesty that are hallmarks of Klam's books,

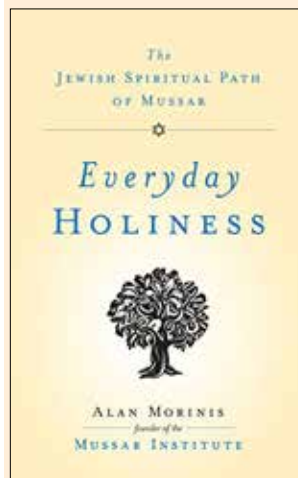
*The Almost Legendary Morris Sisters* is the fascinating and funny true story of one writer's journey into her family's past, the truths she brings to light, and what she learns about herself along the way.

Zoom Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87285748108>

## MUSSAR STUDY GROUP

**Every Other Wednesday at 9:45 am**  
**June 15 and 29**  
**(Zoom Only)**

Facilitator: Trish Goldin



Mussar is a system of introspective practices that can help you identify and break through the obstacles to your inherent holiness, using methods that are easy to integrate into daily life. The program laid out in the book *Everyday Holiness: The Jewish Spiritual Path of Mussar* by Alan Morinis focuses on 26 traits (middot) - such as loving-kindness, strength, generosity, compassion, honor, and equanimity - each of which takes center stage for a week of contemplation and exercises, in order to develop and refine that quality in yourself. Our study

group meets every other Wednesday morning to work on one or more Mussar soul traits. Come join us!

Zoom Link: <https://www.rabbishefagold.com/love-and-truth/>

# MAKE A DIFFERENCE DAY

SUNDAY, MAY 22, 2022



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SUNDAY, MAY 22, 2022



## CELEBRATE SHABBAT WITH US OVER THE SUMMER

### FRANK WEINBERGER LEADERSHIP & VOLUNTEER RECOGNITION SHABBAT

Friday, June 17 at 6:00 pm



*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 2022-2023  
Temple & Foundation Boards

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6:00 pm**

Join us for this jazz-infused musical Service  
Led by Kendra Cogert and  
The Shabbatoners



### TOT SHABBAT

**Friday, June 24 at 6:00 pm**

**at Temple Israel  
Followed by a FREE pizza dinner!**



Tot Shabbat is a fun, informal, child-centered Shabbat Service, designed especially for children, ages newborn to early elementary school age and their loved ones. Through songs, prayers, stories, and Torah time, children love this Service!

### SHABBAT IN THE PARK

**Friday, July 1 at 5:30 pm**  
at El Dorado Park

# CELEBRATE SHABBAT WITH US OVER THE SUMMER



## PRIDE SHABBAT

Friday, July 8 at 6:00 pm

Guest Speaker following  
the Service



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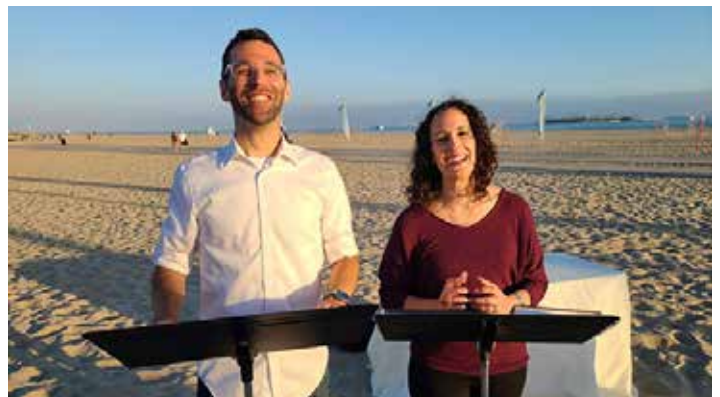
## TOT SHABBAT AT THE BEACH

Friday, July 22 at 5:00 pm

Join Rabbi Fox and Cantor Cooper  
for Tot Shabbat at the Beach!



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## SHABBAT AT THE BEACH

Friday, July 22 at 6:00 pm  
(more information to follow)

## HOME: A STORYBOOK ENDING?

Wednesdays at 7:00 pm

June 1 and June 8

Teacher: Rabbi Fox

Few things have captured the Jewish imagination more than the concept of home. Where we find it and how. Join Rabbi Fox, as we look at the concept of discovering, returning, and creating home through modern Fiction. We will learn and study Jewish stories and tell our own.

Zoom Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85944676560>



## LEAVING HOME AND FINDING HOME

*A Panel Discussion*

*(in celebration of Jewish American History Month)*

Tuesday, June 7 at 7:00 pm

(In Person and Livestream)

Moderator: Adolfo Guzman-Lopez

We are currently witnessing in real time people's pain of leaving and escaping the only home they know.

Come to this event to hear members of our Temple Israel community engage in conversation about their own migration stories. How do current events resonate with people whose migration took place in the recent past or long ago? What can we do as a community to listen to these stories and hold them with compassion?



## ISRAELI CURRENT EVENTS WITH DANNY EHRLICH

Wednesday, June 15 at 9:30 am (Zoom Only)

Israel as the Nation State of the Jewish People. While most Israelis are Jewish, you don't have to be Jewish to be Israeli. Who are the non-Jewish minorities in Israel? What opportunities and challenges do they face as non-Jews in a Jewish Nation State?

Zoom Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82373467389>



## MOVIE AND DISCUSSION:

*A Secret Love*

Thursday, June 23 at 7:00 pm

(Zoom Only)



Terry Donahue and Pat Henschel came together in a different world. The women fell in love in 1947, when norms around living openly as a gay person in the United States were far from what they are today. Though essentially inseparable from the moment they met, Donahue and Henschel kept their true relationship a secret for more than six decades. When the pair met, Donahue was around 22 and playing as a catcher for the All-American Girls Professional

Baseball League—the women's pro organization that inspired the 1992 Penny Marshall film *A League of Their Own*. To family and coworkers, they were simply good friends and roommates; others knew them as cousins who lived together. The couple's remarkable journey and their eventual decision to come out late in life is movingly captured in the documentary *A Secret Love*.

Watch movie ahead of time on Netflix.

Zoom Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82767437517>

Please RSVP for all JJL Programs to Charmaine clw@tilb.org

# June Anniversaries

- 2** Barry & Roberta Rabin - 32 years
- 3** David & Cindy Arana - 43 years
  - Gene & Gail Coster - 35 years
  - Gerald & Sandra Joffe - 60 years
- 4** Jonathan & Michal Loving - 18 years
- 7** Ronald & Sylvia Hartman - 65 years
  - Joel Beder & Joe Yu - 5 years
- 8** Michael & Dale Strok - 54 years
- 9** Nathan & Lisa Hill - 21 years
  - Arthur & Diane Levine - 10 years
- 10** Marc & Ariela Turndorf - 16 years
- 12** Mark & Margo Hoffer - 62 years
- 13** Joel & Ronna Kizner - 43 years
- 14** William & Marian Siegel - 58 years
- 15** Scott & Valeria Dropkin - 20 years
- 16** Donald & Barbara Kaplan - 31 years
- 17** Glenn & Chana Ham-Rosebrock - 49 years
- 20** Bruce & Susie Amster - 51 years
- 21** Donald & Andrea Kaiser - 58 years
- 22** Daniel & Nicole Honigman - 47 years
  - Jay & Nancy Lentzner - 8 years
- 23** James & Nancy Linden - 45 years
- 24** Daniel & Heidee Stoica - 10 years
  - Asher & Heather Edwards - 10 years
- 27** Joseph & Harriet Bennish - 40 years
  - Robert & Laurie Raykoff - 40 years
- 28** Burt & Judith Dubowy - 58 years
  - Joel & Emma Holden - 19 years
  - John & Susan O'Connor - 24 years
- 29** Charles & Michele Goodman - 44 years
  - Marc & Diane Merrick - 47 years
  - Joey Solis & Evelyn Levine-Solis - 25 years

# July Anniversaries

- 1** Mitchell & Evelyn Albert - 49 years
  - Alan & Danielle Van Divort - 21 years
  - Brad & Arelin Levin - 17 years
- 2** John & Marcie Blumberg - 34 years
  - Marcos & Pamela Weinstein - 16 years
- 3** Michael & Elinor Blum - 59 years
- 4** Howard & Karen Ort - 48 years
  - Todd & Vicki Scherwin - 18 years
  - Keith & Leticia Somers - 20 years
- 5** David & Sandra Michaels - 19 years
- 6** Steve Askin & Catherine Hanna - 14 years
  - Lance & Marilyn Valt - 54 years
- 8** Rob & Debbie Feldman - 44 years
- 9** Jan & Norma Stein - 45 years
- 13** Denis & Judy Blumenthal - 36 years
  - Rudy & Christina Kimmerling - 14 years
  - Robert Urling & Mary Ann Morris - 31 years
- 15** Harvey & Roberta Friedman - 21 years
  - Barry & Jean Potter - 17 years
  - Patrick & Lisa Varon - 10 years
- 19** Matthew & Leonora Shahon - 30 years
  - Ross & Dena Moskowitz - 8 years
- 20** Marc & Erica Isaacman - 11 years
- 22** Alan Lowenthal & Deborah Malumed - 27 years
  - Darren & Amy Rosenberg - 16 years
- 23** John-David & Michelle Currey - 16 years
- 24** Michael & Dayna Malone - 29 years
- 25** Joshua Levenshus & Alexis Altamirano - 13 years
- 26** Frank Wyckoff & Deborah Kaplan-Wyckoff - 41 years
- 27** David & Ryan Eagle - 9 years
- 28** Robert Bienenfeld & Linda Pemberton - 31 years
- 29** Eliezer & Karen Ben-Shmuel - 15 years
- 30** Hank & Joyce Feldman - 27 years
  - Aaron & Kimberly London - 6 years
  - Seth & Sara Linden - 11 years



# Yahrzeit Observance

## “Zecher Tzadik Livracha”

*The memory of the righteous are a blessing*



### June 1-7

Charles I. Adelson \*  
 Albert Alcouloumre  
 Polly Alevy \*  
 Sara Benjamin  
 Elaine Bienenfeld  
 Phyllis Bowman  
 Betty Burney  
 Evelyn Cameron  
 Michel Chabanski  
 Eileen Condon  
 Sam Corman  
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 Edith Edelstein  
 Samuel Federman \*  
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 Alfred Friedman \*  
 Lloyd Fromm \*  
 Pauline Grabelle \*  
 Leo Harmatz \*  
 Leon Krieger \*  
 Dennis Martin Kroll  
 Mortimer Lazzar \*  
 Ernest Leb \*  
 Alexander Leff \*  
 Hannabelle Lieberman \*  
 Matthew Locks  
 Daniel Love  
 Barry Lunt  
 Flora Mendelsohn  
 Edward A. Miller \*  
 Abe R. Olinsky \*  
 Jeanette Padway \*  
 Evelyn J. Parker \*  
 Martha Posalski \*  
 Madeline Rabin \*  
 Harry Rubin \*  
 Robin Lynn Wallis  
 Beatrice Wolpow \*  
 Ephraim Zimmerman  
 Barbara Ann Zoller

### June 8-14

Joseph Alban \*  
 Zella Alcouloumre  
 Mr. Raymond Alpert \*  
 Marvin Ansel  
 Anne Schutte Beizer  
 Irving Bragin \*

Bessie Elbert \*  
 Maureen Evans  
 Sarah Fishkind \*  
 Jeffrey Frankel  
 Gertrude Freedman  
 David Goldberg \*  
 Bess Goldstein  
 Millie Hirshfield \*  
 Rose Hoffer  
 Revan Komaroff \*  
 Morris Krinsky \*  
 Jeanette Lerner  
 Stephanie Lovell  
 George Panitz  
 Louis Rabin  
 Nat Rippel  
 Arnold Rosenbluth  
 Thelma Scherwin  
 Michael Schwartz  
 Herman Shalotsky  
 Rosemond Singer  
 Judith Sinowitz  
 Bernard Slatoff \*  
 Robby Slomann  
 Lorraine Sochis  
 Paul Sugar \*  
 Marion Vance  
 Tillie Wisotsky  
 Mark Richard Wolberg

### June 15-21

Frieda Adelman  
 Beatrice B. Baral \*  
 Gertrude Beckerman  
 Gary Blanchard  
 Enes Bussi  
 Sophie Levitt Calechman  
 Stephan Claire \*  
 Ted Cohen  
 John P. Condon  
 Max Engerman  
 Frances Fishbein \*  
 Marion Garbatow  
 Abe Gertler \*  
 Rachel Giser  
 Samuel Hilf \*  
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 Esther Kreida  
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 Jacob Scherwin  
 Herman Schnee  
 Sharon Sloan \*  
 Patti Sramek  
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### June 22-28

Leon Abravanel  
 Lillian G. Ainbinder \*  
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 Max David Baral \*  
 Betty Bender  
 Joan Blickman  
 Doreen Blumenthal  
 Ada Fay Buchalter \*  
 Charles Burlin  
 Oscar Burlin  
 Mollie Cohen  
 Nathan Edelman  
 Ruth Epstein  
 Merle Fisher  
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 Harold Walter Giser  
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 Jane Wildman  
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### June 29 - July 5

Barbara Allison  
 Sylvia Ansel  
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 Gertrude Ball \*

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 Oscar Blesofsky  
 Saul Blum  
 Harry Brown \*  
 Kathleen Catalano  
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 Yonat Swartzon  
 Alice Wisen





# Yahrzeit Observance

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### July 6-12

Anna Alban Jones  
 Grant Besley  
 Joseph Meyer Brooks  
 Sidney Brooks  
 Roland Carr  
 Jacob Cassel  
 Ursula Danziger  
 Minnie Dubowy  
 Donald Ehrenberg  
 Kate Goldsmith Fineman  
 Samuel Goldman \*  
 Susie Harber  
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 June Johnson  
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 Jean Carmel- Schneider \*  
 Milton E Schwartz  
 Arthur Steinberg  
 Sidney Stotland  
 Charlotte Sunshine  
 Helen Ruth Wolowitz  
 Charlotte Wyckoff  
 Frank Wyckoff Sr  
 Belle Zwieback

### July 13-19

Tobi Abelsky  
 Esther Alhadeff  
 Mabelle Avner \*  
 Olive Barnet \*  
 William Berger  
 Susan Spivak Bollingmo  
 Philip Brooks  
 Georgia Brown  
 Mr. Rick Fahlk \*  
 Agusta Falbel  
 Dr. David Feldman  
 Annette Fromm \*

Joseph Geller  
 Elliott Gerber  
 Carol Goldstein  
 Herb Goldstein  
 Charlotte Gordon  
 Sylvia Harmatz \*  
 Robert Heidelberger  
 Hortense Hoffman \*  
 Joseph Kadison  
 Lloyd Lancet  
 Tillie Lentzner \*  
 Anna Levine \*  
 Oscar Philip Lipman \*  
 Bryna Lowenthal  
 Joan Bridgman Martin  
 Charles E. Masback \*  
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 Bessie Paster \*  
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 Lorence Pottebaum  
 Hannah Roth \*  
 Rose Ruttenberg  
 Adele Savage  
 Mrs. Florence Schild \*  
 Jacob Silverman \*  
 Mrs. Nancy Speizer \*  
 Moses Strausberg \*  
 Millie Trattner \*  
 Harry Treidel \*  
 Violet Varon Cairnes  
 Marie Weissburg  
 Annabelle (Bea) Weller

### July 20-26

Thelma Begler  
 Leona Rosenwald Bleiberg  
 Carlos Bosakewich  
 Sandy Brown \*  
 Louis Chester \*  
 Vivienne Dachman \*  
 Eunice Dobrofsky  
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### July 27 - Aug. 2

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 Rose Borowsky  
 Minnie Dorothy Feldheym  
 Walter Firstman  
 William Fox  
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Miriam Spector Kadison  
 Carla Kelson  
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 Henryk Krebs \*  
 Leon Kreida \*  
 Ed London  
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 Avrim Namak  
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 Ronald Joe West \*  
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*\* These names are permanently inscribed on our memorial wall and will be read in perpetuity.*

## Condolences

**Lyn & Joel Epstein**  
 on the death of aunt Celie Angel Helman

**Joanne & Jerry Levy**  
 on the death of aunt Betty Gandel



## WE RECOGNIZE THE GENEROSITY OF OUR SUSTAINING MEMBERS

### LIFE MEMBERS

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Jean Feldman  
Ronald and Sylvia Hartman  
David Tillman and Karen Zoller

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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 Scott Fox**  
*Tzedakah projects at the Rabbi's discretion*
- Cantor Kelly Cooper**  
*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 Temple families in need*
- Nancy Leff and Donald Leff Memorial**  
*Purchases Chanukah 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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*For Sabbath Fellowship senior programming*
- Stan Solomon Building**  
*For building repairs*

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- Rob & Debbie Feldman Family Got Shabbat**  
*Funds quarterly 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**  
*Camperships for those in financial need*

- Lipeles Family Camp & Adult Shabbaton**  
*Fund for Families in need*

- Jewish Campership**  
*Camperships for those in need*

- Miriam Berro Krugman**  
*Helps teens participate in the URJ Mitzvah Corp.*

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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**  
*Assists with Torah Center fees and scholarships*

- 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*
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*Funds adult education programs at the Temple*



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*Please make checks payable to TI Foundation*

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*Funds building beautification and refurbishment*
- The Speizer Youth Development**  
*Funds youth activities*
- Pilger Lectureship**  
*Funds annual guest speaker lectures*
- Lapid-Shapiro**  
*Funds annual lectureship programs and Torah Center educational programs*
- Syd Lemmerman Jewish Camping and Youth Fund**  
*In support of Jewish camping, Israel experiences, and other informal Jewish educational programs*

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Ruth Cooperman in loving memory of her father, Bernard Cooperman.

Alyssa Cohen & Elan Goldmann in loving memory of Alyssa's grandmother, Lorraine Kroll.

Heather & Asher Edwards in loving memory of Heather's grandmother, Margaret Griffin.

Jean Feldman in loving memory of her son, Greg Feldman.

Linda C. Fox in loving memory of her dear sister, Thea Brodtkin.

Jill Fisher Granek in loving memory of her mother, Helene Fisher.

Judith Gale Hardaker in loving memory of her brother, Michael Edward Gale.

Judith Gale Hardaker in loving memory of her brother, Richard Dennis Gale.

Robert & Ronni Kaplan in loving memory of Robert's parents, Shirley and Lou Kaplan.

Ronni & Robert Kaplan in loving memory of Ronni's grandmother, Estelle Schwartz.

Maggie & Larry Kosmin in loving memory of their son, Aaron Kosmin.

Joanne & Jerry Levy in loving memory of Joanne's grandfather, Herman Schnee.

Joanne & Jerry Levy in loving memory of Joanne's grandmother, Agusta Falbel.

Robin & Alan Lilien in loving memory of Linda Calderon.

Aaron Morris & Andrea Karabenick in loving memory of Aaron's mother, Ruth Morris.

Gayle Nachlis in loving memory of her husband, Marvin Nachlis.

Lydia Pinto-Nguyen in loving memory of her husband, Tang Q. Nguyen.

Dale & Mike Strok in loving memory of Dale's sister, Thea Brodtkin.

Gail Webster in memory of her beloved father-in-law, Jack Slomann.

Doreen Wright-Wendell in loving memory of her husband, Michael Dale Wendell.

Ed Zwieback & Mona Panitz in loving memory of Ed's sister, Sylvia Bernard.

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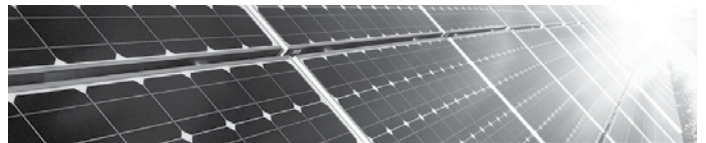
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