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CONGREGATION TORAT EL ~ JERSEY SHORE JEWISH CENTER
DECEMBER 2024 ~ CHESHVAN/KISLEV 5785

Congregation Torat El

CHANUKAH

PARTY



Sunday, December 15 11:00am-1:00pm
Men's Club's Famous Latkes • 50/50 Drawing
Yummy treats • DJ and Dreidel Games

All are welcome to attend!
Bring your family and friends along to join the fun!

No RSVP necessary, No charge

Visit upcomingevents.torat-el.org to order latkes
(\$15 per bakers dozen)

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December Service Announcements

Friday, December 6, 2024 **Erev Shabbat Service ~ 6:15 pm** **Candles 4:10pm**

Yahrzeits: Herman Adler, Marcia Barrett Baker, Debra Birn, Betty Casper, Ray Cohen, Hilda Cohen, Bernard Cook, Jacob Droisen, Gerald Frances, Albert Gerechhoff, Moses Goldman, Cynthia Latish Gould, Estelle Joseph, Irving Kalika, Alex Kaufman, Peggy Kaufman, Janet Kramer, Zina Lapidés, Frances Morris, Hilda Nagrod, Joseph Nelson, Seymour Rachles, Rose Rosen, Selwyn Rosenheck, William Rubin, Mildred Rubin, Esther Schulman, William Shorr, Morris Tauber, Emil Weiss, Bess Wizansky, Leo Zimmerman, Mala Zolty

Saturday, December 7, 2024 **Shabbat Morning Service ~ 9:00 am**

Parsha: Vayetse 31:17-32:3 (p. 181)

Haftarah: Hosea 12:13-14:10 (p. 189)

Kiddush Lunch is sponsored by Sharon Jacob in honor of Sharon & Mali's first mother/daughter Torah reading, and in appreciation of Rabbi & Ben for helping them get there

Friday, December 13, 2024 **Erev Shabbat Service ~ 6:15 pm** **Candles 4:11pm**

Yahrzeits: Arnold Ansell, Arnold Bienenstock, Rabbi Jacob Friedman, Ethel Friedman, Bertha Froot, William Gelfond, Theodora Granoff, Irving Granoff, Hilda Greenstein, Morris Handel, Belle Horenstein, Morris Kantrowitz, Esther Kaplan, Maurice Karasic, Norman Krompfer, Harry Luria, David Nagrod, Ruben Pellmar, Sondra Pickelny, Jakob Safier, Harriet Schletter, Claire Schwartz, Harriet Strauss, Dora Sulkin, Messody Thomas, Phyllis Weinstock, Lea Weiss, Norman Weiss, Sylvia Wilk, Ben Zimmern

Saturday, December 14, 2024 **Shabbat Service ~ 9:00 am**

Parsha: Vayishlah 35:16-36:43 (p. 214)

Haftarah: Obadiah 1:1-21 (p. 222)

Friday, December 20, 2024 **Erev Shabbat Sisterhood Service & Dinner ~ 6:00 pm** **Candles 4:13pm**

Yahrzeits: Peter Bass, Helayne Berger, Manny Berkowitz, Donald Brodie, Sylvia G. Colby, Dr. Maxwell Colby, Alex Cotler, Esther Deitelbaum, Nelson Farber, Jack Flamendorf, Marvin Friedman, Sadye Goldstein, Charles Goldstein, Adrian Goldstein, Warren Goode, William Kronengold, Rose Laskowitz, Sharon Mandel, Hyman Marowitz, Iris Maurer, Minnie Miller, Joseph Rediker, Charlotte Rediker, Sylvia Reich, Marilyn C. Rosset, Sadie Schlam, Irene Schreiber, Audrey Silverstein, Kate Sokoloff, Marilyn Spiera, Wesley L. Steinman, Arlene Wiener

Saturday, December 21, 2024 **Shabbat Morning Service ~ 9:00 am**

Parsha: Vayeshev 39:1-40:23 (p. 238)

Haftarah: Amos 2:6-3:8 (p. 247)

Friday, December 27, 2024 **Erev Shabbat Service ~ 6:15pm** **Candles 4:17pm**

Yahrzeits: Judie Chalfin, Celia Cohen, Harry Cooper, Joseph Crawford, Vivian Forman, Rita A. Friedman, Joseph Gaffin, Adrienne Gordon, Rosalyn Haratz, Jessie Ingber, Emanuel Joseph, Shirley Kantor, Benjamin Mayerowitz, Cecelia Ostroff, Betty Parness, William Parness, Albert S. Rediker, Yoseph Reuven, Reuben Samuel, Herbert Schimel, Harry Schutzer, George Schwartzstein, Victor Shain, Roz Weinstein, Shirley Yaskulka, Bernard Yeaman, Roslyn Zimmerman

Saturday, December 28, 2024 **Shabbat Morning Service ~ 9:00 am**

Parsha: Mikketz 43:16-44:17 (p. 265)

Haftarah: Zechariah 2:14-4:7 (p. 1270)

Join Services In-Person and Online

Shabbat: Friday, 6:15pm and Saturday, 9:00am

In-Person or Livestreamed at <https://livestream.torat-el.org>

Morning Minyan: Monday-Friday, 8:00am, Sunday, 8:30am

In-Person or Livestreamed at <https://livestream.torat-el.org>

Evening Minyan: Monday-Thursday, 7:00pm

Zoom Meeting ID 859-0261-9504 - Service held on Zoom only

BRINGING LIGHT INTO OUR DEMOCRACY



There is a famous debate in our tradition about the lighting of the Hanukkah and the proper order in which we should light the candles (Babylonian Talmud, Shabbat 21a). Shammai teaches that we should light all eight candles on the first night, and then take away one candle each night. But Hillel disagrees, teaching that we should start with one candle and increase the number of candles that are lit as the holiday progresses. Ultimately, our tradition sides with Hillel, choosing to have the Hanukkah symbolize the holiday's message that we should strive to increase light that we bring into the world around us.

This teaching has been on my mind in these weeks following perhaps one of the most contentious and divisive elections we have seen in our American history. Regardless of the candidate that you supported, both during the campaign and following the election, it seems very clear that we are living in a nation that is divided, fearful, anxious, and filled with individuals and groups of people who are simply not doing enough to listen, value, and care for one another. It is clear that many people are in pain and struggling to find glimpses of light during moments of darkness and despair in their everyday lives.

Hanukkah is a reminder of our Jewish mandate to bring that light into the world each and every day. Hanukkah is a reminder that no matter how dark it seems, all it takes is one candle, one kind act, one act of justice, one act of listening to our neighbor, to bring more lightness into the society in which we are blessed to live.

This Hanukkah, as our country prepares to swear in its 47th president, let us celebrate both our democracy and our Jewish heritage, by remembering that we always have the power to bring more light into the world. Regardless of whether your candidate of choice won or lost, let us remember, in particular during this moment in our American history, that as Jews we have both the responsibility and the privilege to bring more light into our neighborhoods, our communities, and our society through our daily actions.

This year, as each night of Hanukkah approaches and we gather by the light of our Hanukkiyot, let us ask ourselves some very concrete questions: What did I do today to bring more light into the world? Have I thought about ways that I can, personally, help to improve our American society this coming year? What are some tangible ways that I can help our country move through these divisive times? What relationships do I need to nurture, and how might I engage with those with whom I vehemently disagree, in order to bring a little bit more light into our society, into my life? What tangible activities can I do to help the most vulnerable, neglected, and impoverished members of our society; or any individuals who are hurting and have felt "ignored" by the political establishment on both sides of the aisle? In short, who do I know that needs my help and what can I do to bring more light into their lives?

Adonai, our God, these are very challenging days in America, in Israel, and around the world. May our leaders and government be blessed with wisdom and compassion. May we, as citizens, be blessed with enough strength, determination, dedication, and care for our country, and for one another, that we somehow find a way to come together to work through our intense differences, to see the divine light that runs within each of us, and between all of us. May we be blessed with the courage to listen to one another, to seek to understand one another, to love one another, and to learn from one another. May we always, as the prophet Micah (6:8) taught, strive to do what is just and right in your eyes, acting with humility and an appreciation for all of God's creation.

May we never lose hope in ourselves, in one another, and in you. *And, on this Hanukkah, may we always remember* that we have the ability to fill this world with our light, each and every day – taking it one action and one relationship at a time.

Hag Urim Sameach, this Hanukkah, may our society be filled with light that we bring forth to one another as Jews, as Americans, and as all of God's creatures, through the work of our hands.

**Originally written in 2016!!; slightly adapted, and as relevant as ever. Take care everyone.*

ADULT ED ZOOM SERIES WITH RABBI AND FRIENDS

Timeless Texts & Tales To Live By:

Every rabbi has a favorite piece of Torah that guides their life. Come join Rabbi Schonbrun, and many of his friends, as they share their favorite Torah with you. With ancient and modern teachings from rabbis across the country and across the denominational spectrum, this class will prove to be a unique opportunity to gain insight and deepen our appreciation for the relevance of ancient wisdom in our daily lives. An opportunity to learn from teachers offering differing and unique perspectives on Jewish life and living, we hope that you will be inspired by their shared connection and commitment to bringing the wisdom of Torah into the modern world. Please note, this is a Zoom series. Link and meeting information will be provided during the first week of January.

Register at upcomingevents.torat-el.org

Wednesdays, January 8-March 5, 7:30pm

ADULT ED TRIP TO JTS

We're visiting the Jewish Theological Seminary on ***Wednesday, March 5!***

We invite you to join us on an exciting journey to JTS! We'll begin our visit with a tour of the lovely facility followed by a boxed lunch conversation with a JTS guide. We'll then wrap up our time at the seminary's world-class Rare Book Room for an enriching educational discussion. The Rare Book Room offers a special opportunity to see materials of quality, depth and breadth, including the largest collection of Hebrew manuscripts on earth, the most complete collection of early Hebrew printed books, 43,000 fragments from the Cairo Genizah and much more. Don't miss it!

Please register at upcomingevents.torat-el.org **no later than January 31**. Registration is first come, first served, as this trip can accommodate 20 attendees. **Cost is \$100 per person and includes door-to-door bus transportation and a boxed lunch.**



OUR SYNAGOGUE FAMILIES

Mazel Tov to:

Dr. Lisa Hanna on receiving her Doctorate in Education
Lori Schuldiner Schor and Joshua Schor on the birth of their newest grandson
Lori & Steven Shery on the marriage of their son Zachary Shery to Samantha Santiago

Welcome:

Rich Rieders & Allison Barofsky

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL CHAI LITES

While we didn't have much classroom time in November, we made the most of it! We are happy to have Library Time once again, as our students can explore and check out their own books. All of our students did a wonderful job at our second Family Friday Night Service.

With Chanukah just around the corner, we hope you will all attend our annual Chanukah party on Sunday, December 15. It's always great fun!

We will celebrate Chanukah in school on Wednesday, December 18 with treats and crafts! All students are invited to attend!

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| ◇ Wednesday, Dec. 4 | Religious School |
| ◇ Saturday, Dec. 7 | Shabbat School |
| ◇ Wednesday, Dec. 11 | Religious School |
| ◇ Saturday, Dec. 14 | Shabbat School (Library books returned) |
| ◇ Sunday, Dec. 15 | CTE Chanukah Party (11:00 am) |
| ◇ Wednesday, Dec. 18 | Religious School/Chanukah celebration
<i>(all students invited)</i> |
| ◇ Saturday, Dec. 21-Wednesday, Jan. 1 | NO SCHOOL (Winter Break) |
| ◇ Saturday, Jan. 4 | Shabbat School |

RITUAL ENGAGEMENT CHAI LITES

During the month of October, the following individuals performed the Mitzvah of reading Torah, chanting the Haftarah, and/or leading Shacharit and Musaf. The asterisk (*) indicates that the individual led and/or chanted during the High Holidays:

Alana Barofsky*
Talia Binns-Somma*
Julia Comer*
Mark Engel*
Sam Fields*
Steven Fineberg
Cantor Wendi Fried*
Rachael Goldman*
Mike Gordon

Randi Kervick*
Ben Laskowitz*
Alana Malek*
Richie Marlieb*
Shoshana Meyer*
Gabrielle Michel*
Fran Nudelman*
Jack Nudelman*
Steven Nudelman*

Larry Ozarow*
Monica Reidenbach*
Helene Santo*
Rabbi Aaron Schonbrun*
Joshua Schor*
Lori Schuldiner Schor*
Joel Schulman
Steven Schwaber*
Neil Weitzenkorn*

Yasher Koach To All!!!!

If you are interested in chanting your Bar/Bat Mitzvah Haftarah, or if you are interested in learning to become a CTE Leader/Reader, please contact Ben at benlaskowitz@torat-el.org or 732-861-7450.

SISTERHOOD CHAI LITES

Thanksgiving Food Collection: Thanks to Peggy Gaber-Casey and Janet Cohen for chairing the collection of apples and yams and cash for Jewish Family & Children's Service. We were able to support many needy families in our community this Thanksgiving. Thanks to all who participated in this effort.

Book Club: Thanks to Kathleen Burke for chairing this event on December 1, and Carri Silverberg for hosting. The book we read was *Unearthed* by Meryl Frank. The next book club will be in May 2025. Details will follow.

Min Pincow Raffle: Congratulations to our October winner, Carol Amrany! The letters to join the 2025 raffle for the year will be mailed soon. Please renew your number or choose a new number or get in the game for the first time when you are contacted. Thanks to Toby Sukinik for continuing to chair this important fundraiser for us. This has become one of our major sources of funding for Sisterhood and the temple. Tickets are \$100 for 10 chances to win throughout the year. Thanks to everyone in advance for your participation.

Shabbat Dinner: Mark your calendar for the Sisterhood Shabbat Service and Dinner which will be held on December 20. Laurie Gross has worked tirelessly to make this night memorable. Paid reservations are due by December 10. Please see below for the details.

Torah Fund: This year's Torah Fund event will be on December 12 at 7:30pm. The guest speaker will be Rabbi Margie Cella, who in a second career, tells the story of converting to Judaism in 1982 with her husband and two children. She ultimately was ordained at JTS. Her Jewish journey gradually led to a deeper commitment to Torah Study. Your donation of \$18 via check (made payable to *CTE Sisterhood*) or cash is the covert for this event. Light refreshments will be served. Please RSVP to Eva Wiener by December 5 at 908-309-5969 or nanaeva@optonline.net. Thanks to Eva Wiener and Lynn Zimmerman for chairing this event.

2025 Mah Jongg Cards: Standard Cards - \$14; Large - \$15. Please make checks payable to *CTE Sisterhood* and **mail them to Ellen Shuzman, 17 Whistling Straits Drive, Monroe, NJ 08831** by January 10. Please note that the November Bulletin had the incorrect contact and address listed.

Knitting Circle: Members and friends are gathering at the Temple to knit blankets, hats and other items that are donated to Israel and local hospitals. This program is held on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at 2PM. This month they will only be meeting on December 11 due to the holidays. Yarn and materials are provided. New members are always welcome. Yarn and cash donations to buy supplies would be greatly appreciated. Contact Judy Cohen at 732-567-7200 to let her know of your interest or for more information.

Sisterhood Luncheon: We will learn about Pilates and do basic moves in a chair (or participants can bring their own mat). No Pilates experience is necessary. All levels are welcome. The cost is \$18. More information to follow. **Thursday, January 9, 12:00pm**

**Save the Dates: February 13 – Night Program; February 23 – Hamantashen Bake-a-thon
March 30 – Mah Jongg Tournament ... and more!!!**

SISTERHOOD SHABBAT SERVICE AND DINNER

Friday, December 20, 6:00pm

Sisterhood invites you to join us for our annual Shabbat Service and Traditional Shabbat Dinner.

Adults (13+) \$36 per person
Children (5-12) \$18 per person
Children (4 and under) no charge

Paid reservations due by December 10
upcomingevents.torat-el.org



MEN'S CLUB CHAI LITES

MEN'S CLUB MAN OF THE YEAR & YOUTH OF THE YEAR

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8, 11:00AM
Temple Beth Ahm Yisrael in Springfield

Congregation Torat El has elected

Warren Epstein, Man of the Year
Sam Fields, Youth of the Year

Mazel tov to both! A very well deserved honor!!

Please contact Neil Becourtney for reservation
and ad journal information.

nedzelnz@yahoo.com or 973-896-7923

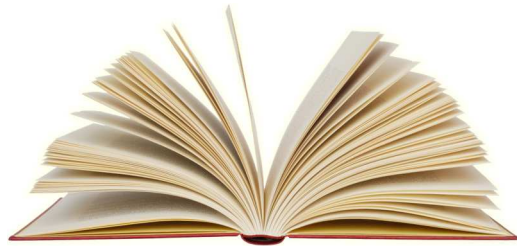
A poster for a comedy night event. The background is a dark, textured surface with vertical lines, illuminated by several bright spotlights from above, creating a dramatic, stage-like atmosphere. The text is centered and written in a bold, white, sans-serif font.

COMEDY NIGHT

SAVE THE DATE!

Saturday, March 1

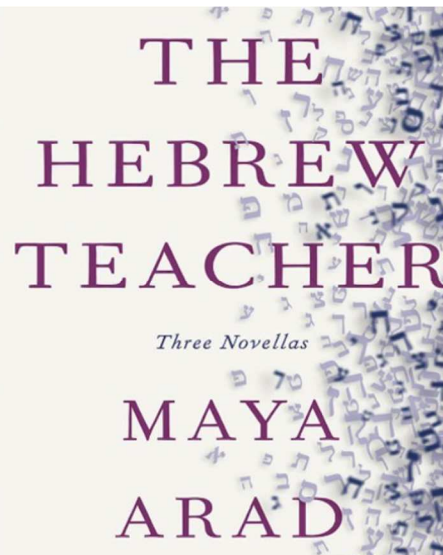
MEET THE AUTHOR ZOOM EVENT!!



CONGREGATION TORAT EL

Sunday, December 8, 1:00pm

Meet Maya Arad, author of *The Hebrew Teacher*



Three Israeli women, their lives altered by immigration to the United States, seek to overcome crises. Ilana is a veteran Hebrew instructor at a Midwestern college who has built her life around her career. Miriam, whose son left Israel to make his fortune in Silicon Valley, pays an unwanted visit to meet her new grandson and discovers cracks in the family's perfect façade. Efrat, another Israeli in California, is determined to help her daughter navigate the challenges of middle school.

In these three stirring novellas which make up *The Hebrew Teacher*, celebrated Israeli author, Maya Arad probes the demise of idealism and the generation gap her heroines must confront.

Maya Arad is the author of eleven books of Hebrew fiction as well as studies in literary criticism and linguistics. Born in Israel in 1971, she received a PhD in linguistics from University College, London and for the past twenty years has lived in California where she is currently writer in residence at Stanford University's Taube Center for Jewish Studies.

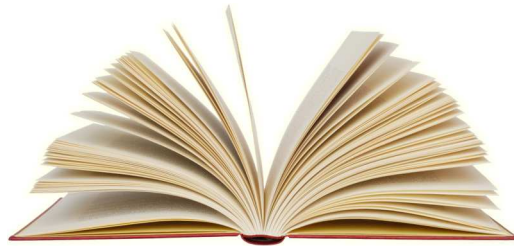
Buy your copy of her book from Bookshop.org (to support independent bookstores) or amazon.com.

There is no charge for this program but reservations are required in order to receive the Zoom link and meeting information.

Reservations at www.mta.torat-el.org

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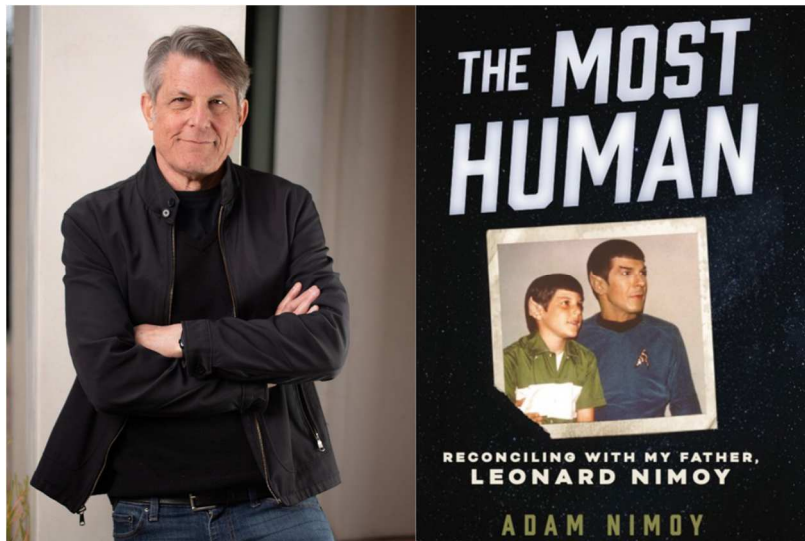
MEET THE AUTHOR IN PERSON & ZOOM EVENT!!



CONGREGATION TORAT EL

Sunday, January 12, 11:00am

Meet Adam Nimoy, author of *The Most Human*



Featuring Jewish themes and biblical allusions to the Akedah (Binding of Isaac) and Jonah and the Whale, *The Most Human* describes the ever-changing nature of parent-child relationships — both in and out of the spotlight. The book reminds us that our relationships are always going to be complicated, but that does not negate their significance in our lives. It reminds us that, though we might struggle to admit it, our parents are just as human as we are.

Adam Nimoy takes care to be as fair as possible to his father, Leonard Nimoy, the other important people in his life, and himself. He describes his childhood during the era of Star Trek, his career shifts, his experience starting his own family, and his recovery from addiction.

Discover how the son of Spock learned to navigate this tumultuous relationship -- from Shabbat dinners to basement AA meetings -- and how he was finally able to reconcile with his father, and with himself.

Adam Nimoy is a graduate of UC Berkeley and Loyola Law School. He left the practice of law to pursue a directing career in network television. He directed the critically acclaimed film about his father, *For the Love of Spock*.

Buy your copy of his book from Bookshop.org (to support independent bookstores) or amazon.com.

Pre-Paid \$15 per person/\$20 at the door Zoom \$10 per screen / A lovely brunch will be served

Reservations at www.mta.torat-el.org.

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Oh What A Night!

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Bingo	Invite	Night	Games	Outstanding
Cards	Your	Out	To Play	Time
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Markers		Beats a	Gifts	By All
Provided		Nosh	To Win	

Fill a table with your friends

\$18 per person (receive up to 5 cards)

Saturday, January 25

Doors open 6:45pm - Games 7:00pm

Laughter, Prizes, Tons of Fun, BYOB

RSVP to upcomingevents.torat-el.org by January 15

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In Honor of:

Mindy Wisner-Estin's special birthday by *Harriet Wisner, Stu & Abbe Leff, Allison Hull, Jason Van Brunt, Bill & Carole Kaufman, Sharon & David Butterfield, Erica & Phil Calise*

Bobbi & Stan Meckler's 70th wedding anniversary by *Michele Schlisserman, Lesli & David Poznak, Harriet Haddad*

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In Memory of:

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Rabbi Schonbrun's Discretionary Fund

Judy Rosner, Aileen Woloshin, Michael Wilinsky

In Honor of:

Len Rokaw's 103rd birthday by *Lewis & Cynthia Fisher & Family*

Mindy Wisner-Estin's special birthday by *the Geller & Miller Family*

In Memory of:

Neil Schulman – son of Joel & Madeline Schulman by *Rose Schulman*

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Garden Fund

In Honor of:

Marcia Weitzenkorn's speedy recovery by *Marjorie & Stanley Cotler*

David & Tessie Krivins Memorial Fund

In Memory of:

Nathan Comer – father of Marc Comer by *Marc, Brad & Julia Comer*

Thelma Ruskin Krivins – mother-in-law of Marc Comer by *Marc, Brad & Julia Comer*

Paul & Sheila Morris Liturgical Music Fund

In Memory of:

Ruth Grayson – mother of Leila Grayson by *Leila Grayson*

Susan Samuel Memorial Fund

In Honor of:

Marcia Weitzenkorn's speedy recovery by *Ellen & Myron Samuel*

Warren Epstein being named CTE Men's Club's Man of the Year by *Ellen & Myron Samuel, Judy Sherman*

In Memory of:

Roz Fisher – sister of Myron Samuel by *Ellen & Myron Samuel*

Esther Miller – mother of Ellen Samuel by *Ellen & Myron Samuel*

JNF Trees

A tree has been planted in memory of Ezra Rishty by *Margo Gelfman*

Contribution Cards

To Marcia Weitzenkorn with wishes for a speedy recovery from *Beverle Richelson*

To Sheryl Goldstein and Cindy Sherman in memory of their mother and mother-in-law Joyce Goldstein from *Beverle Richelson*

Temple Grams

To Sheryl Goldstein in memory of her mother Joyce Goldstein from *Susan Herzog*

To Dr. Alan Haratz & Barbara Haratz and family in memory of his father David Haratz from *Joyce & Martin Luria*

To Alison Friedman in memory of her brother Bruce Koyner from *Beverle Richelson, Eva Wiener*

To Myron & Ellen Samuel in honor of their granddaughter Shari's engagement to Sefi Greenwood from *Eva Wiener*

To Andy and Michelle Samuel in honor of their daughter Shari's engagement to Sefi Greenwood from *Eva Wiener*

To Marcia & Neil Weitzenkorn in honor of their 50th anniversary from *Eva Wiener*

To Jackie Rosenheck in memory of her mother Betty White-Dodd from *Eva Wiener*

To Sheila Kasson in memory of her husband Al from *Beverle Richelson*

YAHREIT DONATIONS

SAM ADLER by Rich & Barbara Boden
MAX ANDERMAN by Ellie & Michael Breslow
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NATHAN ROSANOFF by Olga Rosanoff
SOPHIE ROTHENBERG by Toby & Martin Sukinik
BELLA RUCHAEVSKY by Jerry Ruchaevsky
YAKOV RUCHAEVSKY by Jerry Ruchaevsky
BENJAMIN SACHER by Jeanine Nagrod
ALBERT SALKA by Laurie Salka Kutosh
CHARLES SCHULMAN by Joel & Madeline Schulman
NEIL SCHULMAN by Joel & Madeline Schulman
KITTY SECOL by Dorothy Secol
BARBARA SEGNER by Pamela Segner
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1	2	3 <i>Board of Trustees Mtg 7:30pm</i>	4 <i>Lunch & Learn 12:00pm</i> <i>Religious School 4:15pm</i>	5 <i>Sisterhood Mtg 7:30pm</i>	6 <i>Candle Lighting 4:10pm</i> <i>Shabbat Service 6:15pm</i>	7 <i>Shabbat Service 9:00am</i> <i>Shabbat School 9:15am</i> <i>Sponsored Kiddush Lunch</i>
8 <i>Meet the Author On Zoom 11:00 am</i>	9	10 <i>Ritual Mtg 7:30pm</i>	11 <i>Lunch & Learn 12:00pm</i> <i>Knitting Circle 2:00pm</i> <i>Religious School 4:15pm</i> <i>Men's Club Mtg 7:30pm</i>	12 <i>Sisterhood Torah Fund 7:30pm</i>	13 <i>Candle Lighting 4:11pm</i> <i>Shabbat Service 6:15pm</i>	14 <i>Shabbat Service 9:00am</i> <i>Shabbat School 9:15am</i>
15 <i>Annual Chanukah Party 11:00am</i>	16	17 <i>Exec Board Mtg 7:30pm</i>	18 <i>Lunch & Learn 12:00pm</i> <i>Religious School 4:15pm</i>	19	20 <i>Candle Lighting 4:13pm</i> <i>Sisterhood Service and Shabbat Dinner 6:00pm</i>	21 <i>Shabbat Service 9:00am</i>
22	23	24	25 <i>Temple Office Closed</i> <i>Happy Chanukah!</i> <i>Chanukah 1 candle</i>	26 <i>Temple Office Closed</i> <i>Chanukah 2 candles</i>	27 <i>Temple Office Closed</i> <i>Candle Lighting 4:17pm</i> <i>Shabbat Service 6:15pm</i> <i>Chanukah 3 candles</i>	28 <i>Shabbat Service 9:00am</i> <i>Chanukah 4 candles</i>
29 <i>Chanukah 5 candles</i>	30 <i>Temple Office Closed</i> <i>Chanukah 6 candles</i>	31 <i>Temple Office Closed</i> <i>Chanukah 7 candles</i>				