**Giving**

**Give from the Heart — Please Give to LEV Today**

During her High Holy Day appeal, Renee Sidman, Board member, Vice President of Preschool Education, and CJE parent, told you about an exciting opportunity for a gift match: if we reach our $200,000 goal, your donation will be directly matched by a few very generous and strong supporters of our shul. These donors believe in our future and are committed to our success.

The good news is that we are nearly there — 2/3 of the way toward our goal!

Please do your part now to help us reach 100% by the end of our fiscal year on April 30. If you love what Shirat Hayam stands for, please help us continue.

If you have already given to LEV, thank you so much for your generosity and commitment! If you have not had a chance to do so yet, please consider a gift to LEV, or any of our other funds. Support the services and programming you love that make our Jewish community a meaningful spiritual home for so many.

Thank you again for all you do for Shirat Hayam!

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**Holidays**

It’s a 70s Purim Party!

**That 70s Purim Spiel and megillah reading!**

Join us as we lay down the boogie with the Ruach Rally Band, Chai Notes, and Dondo the Clown!

Rabbi Michael and Cantor Elana will take us through a groovin' megillah reading, spiel, and costume parade followed by Hamantaschen and Mitzvah shot.

**Come in your best 70s threads and get down with us!**

**At Shirat Hayam, 55 Atlantic Ave., Swampscott Saturday, March 11, 2017 — 6:00 pm**

**FREE!**

Please RSVP by emailing CSH@shirathayam.org
The Past, the Present, and the Future

Rabbi Michael

How do we honor our past, stay present with each other today, and embrace the future with new ways to communicate within our beloved community? I invite and encourage you to join the conversation.

When Theodotus, son of Vettenus, built a synagogue in Jerusalem in the mid-1st century CE, he carved his dedication prominently into 25-by-17-inch limestone. The inscription expressed the purpose of Theodotus’ synagogue: 1) this synagogue is built for the reading of the Law and the teaching of the commandments, and 2) the guest-house and the rooms and the water supplies are for the lodging of strangers in need.

Essentially, Theodotus built a sanctuary and social hall. But, at that time, instead of using them for worship and banquets, the rooms were dedicated to the study of Torah and hospitality to strangers, presumably Jews from the diaspora who had come to Jerusalem on pilgrimage.

Over the centuries the needs of the Jewish people changed. When Theodotus built his synagogue, the 2nd Temple stood and served as the place for Jewish worship. After the Temple’s destruction, the Jewish people needed a place for worship and found a home in the synagogue. Today, our sanctuary is not only for the reading of the Torah, but also reflection, prayer, and community gathering. Our social hall no longer hosts pilgrims, but fills tables for fellowship and celebration.

Despite the changes in purpose over the centuries, the synagogue has remained true to its name. Synagogue is a Greek translation of the Hebrew term, בית כנסת, house of gathering. Throughout time, the synagogue has been the heart of the Jewish community, the physical place where we convene, the place that holds our community together. No other place offers the breadth of meaning and purpose, joy and blessing.

Today, people are searching for communities that promote human flourishing and nurture independent, empathetic children. They’re searching for purpose and meaning. Through word and music, thought and sound, synagogue life uplifts the spirit, unburdens the heart, and enriches the mind. Shirat Hayam will continue to evolve and refine itself to meet these contemporary needs.

Just as Theodotus built his synagogue for a particular purpose, so too must Shirat Hayam name its purpose. As, if not more, important than all we offer for adults is our sacred responsibility to our children, the Jewish future. We must light the flame of yiddishkeit (Jewishness) that burns for a lifetime, inspiring our children to remain committed Jews into the year 2050 and beyond. We must raise children capable of drinking from the well of Jewish identity and tradition, who walk through life with pride, because of their Jewish heritage, and who know the joy of being a Jew.

Though our professional team is new — in the past 13 months we have hired a new Executive Director, CJE (Religious School) Director, CEE (Preschool) Director, Membership and Engagement Director, and Communications Coordinator — we are coalescing as a team. Look for heart-touching, mind-opening, child-inspiring experiences throughout the spring.

From our Israeli lecturer on “The Ethical Warrior” to a women’s seder, from Shabbat morning class breakfasts at my home to performances by iShir and Chai Notes, watch the calendar closely in the spring for a breath-taking variety of moments designed to touch the heart, expand the mind, and deepen the souls of our children.
As I started to think about this column, I realized that it is the last time I will be writing in this space as your congregational president. It has been a busy, challenging and in many ways fulfilling term, and I feel honored to have been allowed to serve in this capacity, and want to thank all of you for this special opportunity. We have been able to accomplish a good deal including welcoming a new rabbi and several new senior staff members, making a number of improvements to different areas of our aging building, instituting evaluations and accountability across our organization, continuing our culture of radical hospitality, producing an astounding concert by an international artist, and addressing needed infrastructure changes on a number of levels.

One thing I don’t think we have done well enough is to acknowledge the hard work, passion and dedication of the many people who have helped make us successful. Our terrific clergy and staff carry the lion’s share of the day-to-day operations, but I want to especially list the Board of Directors who have served with me this past year. They are: Brian Cohen, Michael Cohen, Larry Goldberg, Larry Groipen, Jessica Heller, Yoni Hipsh, Jason Levine, Fran Levy-Freiman, Karyn Needel, Jerry Rosen, Janna Schwartz, Hal Schwartz, Alex Shube, Renee Sidman, Wayne Trebbin and Nathaniel Weiss. In addition, we have had the benefit of the wisdom of our ex-officio members Melissa Kaplowitch, David Rosenberg and Joe Selby. All of them have stepped up to put in the time needed to review, discuss, debate and vote on the many important issues that came before us. CSH is the beneficiary of their efforts.

But that is not all they have done. This is the group that has been called on to take leadership roles on the many committees and operational areas that are needed to keep us going. They are the ones who make Shabbat happen, make sure our budget and financial operations are up to snuff, oversee the complicated renovations of the building, lead our Brotherhood, develop future leaders, improve our security systems, create adult learning opportunities, upgrade our human resources functioning, help connect with senior singles, organize our recent Purim Basket project, make sure our Preschool is headed in the proper direction, work on important strategic changes to our dues structure, help address ways to improve our critical fundraising efforts and so much more.

This has not been a group that has sought recognition, and as a result, I suspect that many of you have little idea about or appreciation of their efforts. We would not be CSH without them, and I want to publicly and wholeheartedly thank them for their service. I hope that you will let each of them know that their work has not gone unnoticed. They deserve no less.

L’shalom,
Howie
Cantor Elana

The Music of Infinite Light

Rabbi Schneur Zalman of Liadi said, “If words are the pen of the heart, then song is the pen of the soul.” He further taught that the pen of the heart and the pen of the soul work in opposite directions: Words, the pen of the heart, travel from God, downward through people into their hearts, and music, the pen of the soul, travels from a person’s soul upwards into the “infinite light,” aka God.

My role as cantor is, in many ways, to help the members of my congregation find that music, the pens of their souls, and to encourage them to let that music out so it can reach the heavens. I accomplish that through leading our kids choir, iShir, our teen choir, Chai Notes, our ever growing Ruach Rally Band, our services and our musical programs. And this spring, the pens of our souls will be very very busy.

Here are some coming attractions:

March 11@ 6pm: That 70s Purim Spiel and megillah reading!
Join us as we lay down the boogie with the Ruach Rally Band, Chai Notes, and Dondo the Clown! Rabbi Michael and Cantor Elana will take us through a groovin’ megillah reading, spiel, and costume parade. Come in your best 70s threads and get down with us!
Cantor Elana will release Shirat Hayam’s first CD entitled: Hallelu! The Music of Cantor Elana Rozenfeld and Congregation Shirat Hayam. Look out for a CD release party and concert later this year!
Enjoy the music, and let it raise you up toward the “infinite light.”

With music and blessing,
Cantor Elana

Diane J. Levin, Executive Director

Balancing Radical Hospitality with Safety

Jews around America have all heard about and been justifiably concerned by the phoned-in bomb threats and acts of vandalism against Jewish Community Centers and synagogues around the US in recent weeks. Because of these events, we at Congregation Shirat Hayam would like to update you on security here at home in Swampscott.

The good news is that we have received no threats via phone, email, or social media. But that does not mean that we have been complacent. We have been proactive regarding security procedures and systems. Last fall, thanks to the generosity of a congregant who has asked to remain anonymous, security cameras now provide 24/7 monitoring of our congregational home. In addition, one of our board members, Jonathan Hipsh, an expert in access control, intrusion, and security management services, has been playing a leadership role in assessing and improving our security procedures. Last fall we hosted a security training conducted by the ADL New England featuring experts from the law enforcement community, designed for and attended by synagogue staff, clergy, lay leaders and volunteers from across the North Shore. Meanwhile every staff member remains vigilant and alert, and of course the outstanding members of the Swampscott Police Department keep an eye on us, encouraging us to report without hesitation any activity that raises concerns. We also keep in touch with our counterparts at Jewish organizations within our community as a way to share information and remain connected.

Balancing radical hospitality with safety and security is an ongoing process here. Ensuring that our synagogue is welcoming and friendly for congregants and visitors alike is part of our congregational DNA. At the same time we will continually strive to provide a safe space for the many adults and children who pass through our doors in search of community engagement, meaningful worship experiences, and learning.
Celebrating Purim and Other Ways to Give Back

Sherri Crowley, Director of Membership and Engagement

My 4 year olds and I were recently discussing Purim. The conversation revolved mostly around which costumes they would like to wear. As I tried to figure out how a Monkey and a Cow could fit into Shirat Hayam’s 70’s themed spiel this year, I began to think about the different themes of Purim, overall. Not surprisingly, there were pages and pages of articles on this topic.

One of the themes, social justice, stuck out to me. Social justice work can take many forms. It can be taking part in organizing and planning in community grassroots organizations. It can also be as simple as sharing your story and experience with someone. Becoming vulnerable and honest allows us to connect with one another on a deeper level, or sometimes to connect with someone we would never have thought we would connect with from first assessment.

We are told during Purim to “give to the poor and engage in justice.” Besides tangible giving, when we invite people to celebrate with us, we are giving of our spirit – perhaps even just helping someone get out of their head for a few minutes and experience some joy.

Of course, “giving back” and contributing to society is an integral part of Judaism, and not just something to do on Purim. Here at Shirat Hayam, we are continuing the tradition of sending Mishloach Manot (baskets of goodies) to one another on Purim, but did you know we also have a Social Justice Committee that is actively engaged in work throughout the community? We would love to welcome new participants at our next meeting on Thursday, March 16, at 7:30 pm. You can join us for the Social Justice Committee’s Nosh & Drash, on Saturday, March 28, at 10:00 am.

Welcome to Our Newest Members: Moshe & Bethany Rodin and Adam & Emily Packer

Barri Stein, Director of Events and Facility

Something’s Cooking

Food. It’s the one thing that indisputably brings us together. We’ve been putting on our weekly Shabbat Café now for over 10 years and for those who partake week after week or those who come only once in a while, it doesn’t seem to get old. In past articles I’ve written about how our lunches bring people together, give them a chance to reconnect and even see friends that they haven’t seen in years, especially when we have visitors here for a simcha.

As you now know, we’ve recently taken a break from our community Shabbat Cafes to do some much needed renovations in our social hall from storm damage from the winter of 2014-2015. We hope to be back up and running and hosting our lunches very soon. I know many of you miss sitting with each other and catching up. We thank you for your patience and understanding.

In the meantime, we still are enjoying each other’s company with our enhanced Boker Tov Café each Shabbat in our newly refurbished lobby. It doesn’t have the tuna that we’ve become famous for, but it’s still enough so you won’t leave here hungry. When you leave Shirat Hayam, we hope your soul is renewed, your Judaism is refreshed, your belly is somewhat full, and you’ve made a new friend. We look forward to hosting you again really soon in our updated space. Feel free to contact me if you’d like to sponsor a Shabbat Café for an upcoming simcha. You know we love to celebrate with you!
It’s been a busy winter in the Center for Jewish Education. In preparation for Hanukkah, the students in grades 2 through 7 made, glazed, and fired ceramic Hanukkioth with which to celebrate. The 6th grade made working oil lamps to correspond with their study unit about the Real Story of Hanukkah and their explorations into the miracle of the oil. The younger students also created their Nature Hanukkiah which could be seen on display in the Lobby during and after Hanukkah.

After Winter Break, the 4th grade invited the rest of the CJE and their own parents to a very special event in their Lifecycle studies unit – the Brit Milah and baby-naming of the “Blackman” and “Rosenthal” children. The students had made the quilt used as the wimple for wrapping the “babies” in Omanut (Art) class and practiced the roles and rituals they will hopefully get to experience for real when they become parents. After the ceremony, the whole school celebrated the simcha together.

Tu B’shevat came along and the students attended a Tu B’shevat seder held in the Chapel. Using the model of the Passover seder, the students asked and answered 4 questions about the holiday. They tried different samples of fruits grown in Biblical Israel and likened them to different personality types as the Kabbalists did. They said brachot over juice and fruit and barley, they nibbled carob chips and heard stories of Honi the Circle-drawer from the Talmud. Even though it was snowing as we talked about the New Year of the Trees and the coming of Spring, there was a palpable sense of anticipation for the first green leaves.

We have begun using a tool called “Visual Tefilah” during our Tuesday afternoon Tefilah (Prayer) with the Rabbi and Cantor. The prayers have been transformed into a Powerpoint slide stack and projected onto the large screen TV in the Chapel. As the students move through the service, they can look and read the words of the prayers in Hebrew, English or even transliteration. Often, the prayers are superimposed on pictures that capture the essence of the prayer. We sing, we clap, we chant and recite, we ask the Rabbi tough questions about God and Jewish tradition, we pray and we meditate together.

On Shabbat mornings, we begin the morning (after a hasty donut or two) with Shabbat morning Tefilah in the Chapel. Many mornings, the students begin with singing with Spencer Garfield. There is a sense of ruach (spirit) when the kids are singing Hinei Ma Tov in a three part round. Often, we conduct a Torah service
with our own school-sized Torah. The 6th grade has become very proficient at leading the Torah service and acting as gabbayim when I read Torah. Other mornings, we focus on a specific prayer in the morning liturgy and discuss its meaning and hear a story based on a theme in the prayer or the weekly parashah (Torah portion).

Second Graders have been taking a “trip” to Israel and have just completed the creation of their own vision of the Kotel (Western Wall) in Jerusalem. A Google Earth trip around Israel is in the near future. Fourth and Fifth Graders are practicing and learning the Birchat Hamezor so that they will be ready for meal times when they go to Jewish camp this summer. Sixth grade Hebrew students have been reviewing the Torah service and making certain that they know how to recite the entire Ashrei as they look toward the near future when they and their friends will stand on our bimah as B’nai Mitzvah and lead the congregation in prayer. They are working hard toward a Shabbat in late April when they will have the opportunity to lead with Rabbi Michael and Cantor Elana.

We are preparing for Purim and looking forward to Pesach and our school Candy Haggadah!

**DONATION Opportunity**

We are looking for iPads for use by CJE students to review Hebrew and other lessons. If you have one in good working order that you wish to donate, please contact Janis Knight for a donation letter.

*Todah Rabbah (Many Thanks!)*

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**Rabbi Michael, Sarah, Noam and Liora hosted Noam’s CJE class for Shabbat breakfast of Ragomuffins (cinnamon rolls).**

**(above) Rabbi Michael and 7th grade boys wearing tefillin.**
Thank you to all of the Shirat Hayam Brotherhood’s Christmas Day Volunteers

Once again the Brotherhood of Congregation Shirat Hayam and friends delivered meals on Christmas Day to the recipients of the GLSS Meals on Wheels program, so that their usual staff could enjoy the day off with their families.

Thank you to all of the wonderful volunteers: Leo and Debbie Burke, Judy White, Howie Abrams, Margie Shapiro, David Fink, Helena Spear, Margarita Spear, Lee and Jayne Goldman, Susan Sinrich, Sammi Sinrich, Ron Kafker, Sandy and Jeff Hirshberg, Barbara and Alan Sidman, David and Susan Kauder, Faith Kramer, Michael Kramer, Ann Segal, Richard and Dan Whitehill, David Kaufman, Naomi Dreeben, Ed Smith, Susan Wallen, Michelle Myerson, Deanna Mazina, Scott and Marlene Conroy, Devin Conroy, Max and Cheryl Sontz, Gillian Sontz, and Eli Sontz.

Also a huge special thank you to CSH member and GLSS Dietician, Ellen Goldman, who collected the names of the recipients that requested Christmas Day meals, developed the routes based on the number of volunteers, and was on hand to distribute the routes and directions.

Pictured (from left to right): Sammi Sinrich, Susan Sinrich, Michael Kramer, Gillian Sontz, Cheryl Sontz, Max Sontz, Eli Sontz, and Deanna Mazina

Becky’s Book Club

is named after a beloved congregant of blessed memory, Becky Shepard, an educator and book lover. It meets monthly to share and explore works of literature and non-fiction.

Meets at 7:30 pm at CSH

For questions, call or email Sherri Crowley at 781-599-8005, sherri@shirathayam.org

NEXT MEETING — MARCH 20 at 7:30pm

The Dancing Girls of Lahore: Selling Love and Saving Dreams in Pakistan’s Pleasure District, by Louise Brown
In each upcoming issue of the Wave, we will be featuring one of our members in our new Member Spotlight series. This month, we had the opportunity to chat with Scott Kaplowitch after his new appointment as Managing Partner at Edelstein and Company, LLP.

SHERRI: So you just got a promotion to partner; tell us a little bit about your journey here. Did you know as a kid what you wanted to be when you grew up?

SCOTT: I have been the Managing Partner for just over a month now. And yes, I knew I wanted to be an accountant since a class I took in high school.

SHERRI: Did you grow up here in the area? Do you have any relatives here?

SCOTT: Yes, I grew up in Marblehead. Went to Marblehead High School. I have a brother who does not live in the area, and my parents are now deceased.

SHERRI: How did your parents most influence you?

SCOTT: My parents promoted hard work; they pushed school and studying as being very important. There was one point where I thought about leaving Edelstein and it was my father who pushed me to stay.

SHERRI: Did your family belong to a synagogue growing up? How long have you been members of Shirat Hayam?

SCOTT: Yes, we belonged to Temple Sinai growing up. We’ve been here at Shirat Hayam about 10 years.

SHERRI: In what ways have you seen the local Jewish Community change or remain the same since you grew up?

SCOTT: It’s very similar to when I grew up in that we had a very close knit Jewish community then and now.

SHERRI: How does Judaism influence your work?

SCOTT: Many of my clients are Jewish and that gives us an immediate connection. Alan Edelstein founded the firm in 1968, and he really mentored me and helped me along in my career. I think our Jewish connection contributed to him taking me under his wing.

SHERRI: How did you meet your wife, Melissa?

SCOTT: We met through friends is the easiest way to put it.

SHERRI: How do you and your family express your Jewishness?

SCOTT: By being involved in the community. We are teaching our kids that they are fortunate and being fortunate, it is our responsibility to give back to those who are less fortunate in the community.

SHERRI: I see your daughter is already a very active Jewish advocate – what are your hopes Jewishly for your children?

SCOTT: It’s important that they grew up to be good people and give back. Avery is already doing that and the boys will too – they have good hearts.

SHERRI: What in your life has brought you the greatest satisfaction or fulfillment and what do you do for fun?

SCOTT: My family gives me the most satisfaction. I enjoy being involved in the community. For fun – golf and boating. A lot of golf. I also like watching football and baseball.

SHERRI: Last question: tell us something about you that people would never know.

SCOTT: I’m gonna have to think about that one and get back to you.

SHERRI: Thank you, Scott. Mazel Tov again on your promotion to Managing Partner!
Women’s Paint Night

Taught by our own Sarah Ragozin, fine arts professional, artist, and educator

Monday, March 6, 2017
7:30 pm

Congregation Shirat Hayam,
55 Atlantic Avenue, Swampscott MA
Cost: $25

Wine and hors d’oeuvres will be served.
Wear clothes you can paint in.

Please register at https://shirathayam.org/paint-night-out
or RSVP to CSH@ShiratHayam.org by March 1, 2017.
For more information email Sherri Crowley
at sherri@shirathayam.org.
HOLIDAYS

Congregation Shirat Hayam Women’s Seder: Connecting and Celebrating Together as Women*

Join us Tuesday, March 28, 2017 at 6:30 pm for a Dairy Potluck Family-Style Meal
(details to follow about this!)

$10 per person
55 Atlantic Ave, Swampscott

To RSVP or for questions please email CSH@ShiratHayam.org or call Sherri at 781.599.8005, x27.

*Please bring a photo or meaningful object of a woman in your life that has been an inspiration!

HOLIDAYS

Passover Service Schedule 2017

Monday, April 10
FAST OF THE FIRST BORN
7:15 am at Temple Sinai
No Evening Minyan: First Seder

Tuesday, April 11
FIRST DAY OF PASSOVER
9:00 am at Shirat Hayam
No Evening Minyan: Second Seder

Wednesday, April 12
SECOND DAY OF PASSOVER
7:15 am/9:00 am
Location and time TBD
7:00 pm at Shirat Hayam

Thursday, April 13
THIRD DAY OF PASSOVER
7:15 am at Shirat Hayam
7:00 pm at Shirat Hayam

Friday, April 14
FOURTH DAY OF PASSOVER
7:15 am at Shirat Hayam
6:00 pm Kabbalat Shabbat

Saturday, April 15
FIFTH DAY OF PASSOVER
Shabbat Synaplex (No CJE)

Sunday, April 16
SIXTH DAY OF PASSOVER
9:00 am at Temple Sinai
6:00 pm* at Shirat Hayam

Monday, April 17
SEVENTH DAY OF PASSOVER WITH YIZKOR SERVICE — FINAL DAY OF PASSOVER AT CSH
9:00 am at Shirat Hayam
7:00 pm at Temple Sinai*

Tuesday, April 18
Time and Location TBD*

*To be determined – please check in with us for update
Shir Lanu

An Update from Shir Lanu — the Inclusion Committee at CSH

Shir Lanu, meaning “Our Song,” is a task force dedicated to carrying out the mission of radical hospitality by working to ensure that our Congregation welcomes and actively includes people of diverse needs and backgrounds so that we all may experience what it means to be part of a sacred community.

Co-chaired by Amanda Clayman and Michele Tamaren, this group meets regularly to address the needs and concerns of our congregation as shared in survey results and ongoing meetings with staff and community members. It is devoted to the improvement and implementation of our inclusion offerings, including new programs and opportunities for members with special needs. This group consists of parents of children with special needs, LGBTQ members, special educators, and other interested community members. Participating are Lacey Cukier, Chelsea Alvarez, Joe Simons, Barbara Sidman, and Karen Madorsky, as well as Rabbi Michael, Diane Levin, Janis Knight, and Sherri Crowley.

Among the recent accomplishments of the group are:
- Creation, completion, and analysis of a survey determining our community’s special needs and desires.
- Design and implementation of a new accessibility handout posted and shared through multiple sources, which is included in this issue of The Wave.
- A focus on congregational inclusion during Shabbat study groups and sermons.
- The training of synagogue greeters to provide accommodations for people with sensory, physical, and other special needs including: hearing devices, large print siddurim, fidget toys, preferred seating, quiet room, etc.
- Accommodations for members and children with special needs are included in discussions with incoming congregants.

We look forward to updating you on Shir Lanu’s progress in the months ahead! If you have any questions or concerns, please email Inclusion@ShiratHayam.org.

Renovation

Update on the Social Hall Renovation Project

The renovations and repairs to our Social Hall continue and are right on schedule, thanks to congregant Sheldon Frisch who has been supervising the project. We expect the Social Hall to be fully operational and back to normal just in time for Purim on Saturday, March 11, including “That 70s Purim Spiel and Megillah Reading” at 6:00 pm that evening. Our fingers are crossed!

We know how much our congregants have missed our Shabbat Café with community lunch, since sharing meals together has long been such an important component of celebrating Shabbat here at Shirat Hayam! Thanks to you all for your patience and understanding during these renovations. We can’t wait for you to see our beautifully renovated Social Hall once the construction is done.

On behalf of the clergy and staff at Congregation Shirat Hayam, thank you to Sheldon Frisch for his leadership, time, energy, and dedication throughout the renovations, and to Board members Michael Cohen and Larry Groipen for their help, support, and advice in advancing this project.
### Shir Lanu:

“One Song. Every Voice.”

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MARCH

Friday, March 3, 6:00pm
Kabbalat Shabbat

Saturday, March 4, 9:00am
Shabbat Synaplex
CJE Meets

Saturday, March 4 – Sunday, March 5
NSTI Loon Ski Trip co-sponsored by Shirat Hayam

Sunday, March 5, 9:30am
Parenting Through A Jewish Lens – Taught by Rabbi Ragozin
*meets at JCCNS

Monday, March 6, 7:30pm
Shirat Hayam Women’s Paint Night

Tuesday, March 7, 4:00pm
CJE Meets
Tuesday, March 7, 7:30pm
iEngage (continuing registrants only)

Tuesday, March 7, 7:30pm
Read Hebrew America

Wednesday, March 8, 4:00pm
CJE Lab Meets

Friday, March 10, 5:30pm
Share-A-Shabbat

Friday, March 10, 6:00pm
Kabbalat Shabbat

Saturday, March 11, 9:00am
Shabbat Synaplex
CJE Meets

Saturday, March 11, 6:00pm
That 70’s Purim Spiel

Monday, March 13, 7:00pm
Mah Jong

Tuesday, March 14, 4:00pm
CJE Meets

Tuesday, March 14, 7:30pm
Board Meeting

Tuesday, March 14, 7:30pm
Read Hebrew America

Wednesday, March 15, 10:00am
Weekday Nosh & Drash

Wednesday, March 15, 4:00pm
CJE Lab Meets

Thursday, March 16, 7:30pm
Social Justice Committee

Friday, March 17, 6:00pm
Kabbalat Shabbat

Saturday, March 18, 9:00am
Shabbat Synaplex
CJE Meets

Monday March 20, 7:00pm
Mah Jong

Monday, March 20, 7:30pm
Becky’s Book Club
“The Dancing Girls of Lahore: Selling Love and Saving Dreams in Pakistan’s Pleasure District” by Louise Brown

Tuesday, March 21, 4:00pm
CJE Meets

Tuesday, March 21, 7:30pm
Read Hebrew America

Wednesday, March 22, 4:00-6:00pm
CJE Lab Meets

Thursday, March 23, 7:30pm
North Shore Community iEngage Lecture with Shalom Hartman Institute Scholar in Residence: Noam Zion
*Free and open to the public

Friday, March 24, 6:00pm
Kabbalat Shabbat

Saturday, March 25, 9:00am
Shabbat Synaplex
CJE Meets

Monday, March 26, 10:00am
Matzah Baking for Women’s Seder

Monday, March 27, 7:00pm
Mah Jong

Tuesday, March 28, 4:00pm
CJE Meets

Tuesday, March 28, 6:30pm
Shirat Hayam Women’s Seder

Wednesday, March 29, 4:00pm
CJE Lab Meets

Friday, March 31, 6:00pm
Kabbalat Shabbat

APRIL

Saturday, April 1, 9:00am
Shabbat Synaplex
CJE Meets

Monday, April 3, 7:00pm
Mah Jong

Tuesday, April 4, 4:00pm
CJE Meets

Tuesday, April 4, 7:30pm
iEngage (continuing participants only)
*located at Temple Emanu-El

Tuesday, April 4, 7:30pm
Board Meeting

Tuesday, April 4, 7:30pm
Read Hebrew America

Wednesday, April 5, 4:00pm
CJE Lab Meets

Thursday, April 6, 7:30pm
“Caring for Your Aging Parents and Loved Ones”
In Partnership with JF&CS

Friday, April 7, 6:00pm
Kabbalat Shabbat
**Events, Programs, and Services**

**Saturday, April 8, 9:00am**
Shabbat Synaplex  
CJE Meets

**Tuesday, April 11, 9:00am**
Passover Service

**Friday, April 14, 6:00pm**
Kabbalat Shabbat

**Saturday, April 15, 9:00am**
Shabbat Synaplex  
No CJE

**Monday, April 16, 7:00pm**
Mah Jong

**Tuesday, April 17, 7:30pm**
Becky's Book Club  
“Dead Wake: The Last Crossing of the Lusitania” by Erik Larson

**Friday, April 21, 6:00pm**
Kabbalat Shabbat

**Sunday, April 23, 10:30am**
Cantor and Chai Notes sing in Boston for Yom Ha’atzmaot

**Monday, April 24, 7:00pm**
Mah Jong

**Tuesday, April 25, 4:00pm**
CJE Meets

**Wednesday, April 26, 4:00pm**
CJE Lab Meets

**Friday, April 28, 6:00pm**
Kabbalat Shabbat

**Saturday, April 29, 9:00am**
Shabbat Synaplex  
CJE Meets

**Sunday, April 30, 1:00pm**
Chai Notes at Cabot Theater for Yom Ha’atzmaot

**Sunday, April 30, 9:30am**
Parenting Through A Jewish Lens – Taught by Rabbi Ragozin  
*meets at JCCNS

**MAY**

**Monday, May 1, 7:00pm**
Mah Jong

**Tuesday, May 2, 4:00pm**
CJE Meets

**Tuesday, May 2, 7:30pm**
iEngage Israel (continuing participants only) at CSH

**Wednesday, May 3, 4:00pm**
CJE Lab Meets

**Friday, May 5, 6:00pm**
Cantor Elana's CD Release Party and Kabbalat Shabbat

**Saturday, May 6, 9:00am**
Teacher Appreciation Shabbat Synaplex  
CJE Meets

**Sunday, May 7, 9:30am**
Parenting Through A Jewish Lens taught by Rabbi Ragozin  
*located at JCCNS

**Monday, May 8, 7:00pm**
Mah Jong

**Friday, May 12, 5:30pm**
Share-A-Shabbat

**Friday, May 12, 6:00pm**
Kabbalat Shabbat

**Saturday, May 13, 9:00pm**
Shabbat Synaplex

**Monday, May 15, 7:00pm**
Mah Jong

**Monday, May 15, 7:30pm**
Becky’s Book Club  
“Middlesex” by Jeffrey Eugenides

**Tuesday, May 16, 7:30pm**
Annual Meeting

**Friday, May 19, 6:00pm**
Kabbalat Shabbat

**Saturday, May 20, 9:00am**
Shabbat Synaplex

**Sunday, May 21, 4:30pm**
Connections Event (Widows and Widowers)

**Monday, May 22, 7:00pm**
Mah Jong

**Tuesday, May 23, 7:30pm**
iEngage (continuing participants only)  
*located at Temple Emanu-El

**Friday, May 26, 6:00pm**
Kabbalat Shabbat

**Saturday, May 27, 9:00am**
Shabbat Synaplex

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**SAVE THE DATES**

More information about these exciting programs coming soon!

**Sunday, May 6**
Shirat Hayam Giggling Gala  
(CEE)

**Sunday, June 25**
CSH Song of the Sea Soiree
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**March Calendar 2017**

- **Joint Minyan Schedule**
- **Weekly Minyan and Shabbat Services**
- **Congregation Shirat Hayam**

**March 5777**

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Laurie Hammer on the passing of her husband, Avram Hammer
Elaine Jaffe Finegold on the passing of her husband, Donald Finegold
Ellie Miller on the passing of her husband, Freddy Phillips
Harry and Marilyn Epstein on the passing of Harry’s sister, Arline Claire Porter
Nancy and Bowen Kerins on the passing of Nancy’s aunt, Arline Claire Porter
Sherri Crowley on the passing of her grandfather, Morris Kaplan
Julie and Michael Callum on the passing of Julie’s mother, Bonne Oliverio
Linda Dubinsky and her husband Arnold on the passing of Linda’s brother, Marshall Zidel
Amy Resnick and her husband Alan on the passing of Amy’s uncle, Marshall Zidel

**CONDOLENCES TO:**

In appreciation of Rabbi Michael’s kindness at this painful time  
*by Laurie Hammer*

In memory of Elaine Finegold’s husband, Donald Finegold  
*by Herb and Audrey Weinstein*

In honor of Marilyn and Sonny Stoll’s special anniversary and special birthday  
*by The Stoll Family*

**In memory of:**

Father, Samuel Ribok  
*by Barbara Goldberg*

Wife, Sandra Holmes  
*by Richard Holmes*

Brother, Larry Pressman  
*by Florence Pressman*

**RABBI MICHAEL’S DISCRETIONARY FUND**

In appreciation of Rabbi Michael  
*by Charlotte and Donald Fine*

In memory of Ellen Gordon’s husband, Stanley Gordon  
*by Al and Gila Namias*

In appreciation of Rabbi Michael for his continued warmth and care given to our family this year  
*by Audrey Linsky and Family*

In memory of our grandfather, Norman Revman  
*by Andrew and Stephanie Katz*

In appreciation for kindness during the High Holidays  
*by Cynthia Poster*

In memory of Harry Epstein’s sister, Arline Claire Porter  
*by Beverly A. Kahn and Family*

In appreciation of Cantor Elana’s kindness during this difficult time  
*by Laurie Hammer*

**In memory of:**

Grandfather, Louis Lipsky  
Father, Bernard Siskind  
*by Beverly A. Kahn*

Mother, Shirley Harsip  
*by Michael Harsip*

**CSH PRESCHOOL FUND**

In memory of Marcy Yellin’s mother, Suzie Nahmias  
*by Mark and Karen Meyer; Arthur and Cheryl Schwartz*

In memory of Ellen Gordon’s husband, Stanley Gordon

In memory of Laurie Hammer’s husband, Avram Hammer  
*by Arthur and Cheryl Schwartz*

In memory of Nancy Terranova’s father, Arthur Fishline  
*by Center for Early Education Staff*

In honor of our Center for Early Education’s excellent teachers  
*by Renee Sidman*

**CENTER FOR JEWISH EDUCATION FUND**

In memory of Marcy Yellin’s mother, Suzie Nahmias  
*by Marcy, Steven, Marissa and Evan Eisen*

With get well wishes for a speedy recovery,  
Melissa Gershon  
*by Marilyn and Harry Epstein*

**GENERAL FUND**

In memory of Laurie Hammer’s husband, Avram Hammer  
*by Gloria Sax; Helaine and Harvey Cotton*

In memory of Marcy Yellin’s mother, Suzie Nahmias  
*by Gloria Sax; Diane Levin; Valerie and Alan Gilbert; Marjorie and Randy Patkin*

In honor of our granddaughter, Madison Cook’s acceptance to Duke University  
*by Lois and Bobby Kaplan*

In honor of Arlene Goodstein’s special birthday  
*by Marla and Philip Gay*

In memory of Ellie Miller’s husband, Freddy Phillips  
*by Daniel L. Romanow and B. Andrew Zelenyver; Linda and Richard Snider; Elise and Richard Rothbard; Mary-Lou Breitborde and Robert Scheier; Nancy Sarles and Phil Gouzoule; Paresky, Flitt and Company; Connie Miller; Joan and...*
Marty Epstein; Shirley Sherman; Lois Lopatin; Timra and Mark Freedman; Diane Paulson; Tandee and Paul Newman; Judy and Dan White; Ina Resnikoff; Joyce and Michael Liebman; Marc and Beth Andler

In memory of Jeff Phillip’s brother, Freddy Phillips
   by Roger and Elaine Volk; Michael and Cheryl Lunder; Friends of Jeff Phillips: Rick Cohen, Bob Lada, Jeff Brown, Hans Hailey, Mark Cumsky, Larry Samet and Mike Kalil

In memory of Joe Miller
   by Charles and Alice Leidner

In memory of:

Husband, Lester Harris
   by Mildred Harris

Father, Martin Liebman
   by Lois Kaplan

Mother, Celia Levy
   by Dr. David Levy

Mother, Molly Goldberg
   by Howard and Betsy Goldberg

SAMUEL BRODY MINYAN FUND

In memory of Irena Karasik’s brother, Victor Shulman
   by Muriel and Eli Talkov; Natalie White

In memory of Marcy Yellin’s mother, Suzie Nahmias
   by Robin and Bob Cooper; Eli and Muriel Talkov; Natalie White; Sandy and Carl Shalit

In honor of Diane Levin’s parents, Maury and Donna Levin’s 65th anniversary
   by Natalie White

In memory of Harry Epstein’s sister, Arline Claire Porter
   by Roberta and Robert Soltz

In memory of Laurie Hammer’s husband, Avram Hammer
   by Eli and Muriel Talkov; Carl and Sandy Gold Shalit

In memory of Elaine Jaffe Finegold’s husband, Donald Finegold
   by Dawn Ehrlich

With get well wishes, Sylvia Mizner
   by Eli and Muriel Talkov

In memory of:

Friend, Joel Cohen
Mother, Lee Stoller
   by Natalie White

Husband, Joel Cohen
   by Stephanie Cohen

Father, Henry Rosen
Wife, Barbara Rosen
   by J. Myron Rosen

Cousin, Stephen Richmond
Mother, Ida Woogmaster
   by Barbara Gilefsky

Brother, Norman Gulko
Mother, Helen Gulko
   by Paul Gulko

Father, Saul Kauder
   by Dr. David Kauder

Father, Arthur Brand
   by Dr. Jeffry Brand

Uncle, Hyman Krugman
   by Alice Leidner

Father, Sam Pressman
   by Florence Pressman

Great-grandmother, Esther Calish
   by Karen Rosenberg

Uncle, Eli Gartz
   by Doris Hirsch

Uncle, Velvel Shachter
Uncle, Leo Schachter
Mother, Anna Schachter
Father, Jack Schachter
   by Sandra Hirshberg

Father, Milton Hirshberg
   by Jeffrey Hirshberg

Mother-in-Law, Jenny Poster
Brother-in-Law, Ralph Dunn
   by Cynthia Poster and family

Grandmother, Emma Stark
   by Madeline Stark

Father-in-Law, Benjamin Tenenbaum
   by Joann Tenenbaum

Sister, Jean Siegel
   by Edith Spector

Sister, Ruth Kroncek
Sister, Betty Levine
   by Frances Mendelsohn

Husband, Ralph Dunn
   by Linda Dunn

Father, Jacob Hurwitz
   by Myles Hurwitz

Grandfather, Harry Lipsky
Grandfather, Benjamin Sandler
Uncle, Irving Sandler
   by Joanne Smith

Mother, Merle Cohen
   by Michael Cohen

Father, Sidney Belostock
   by Gary Belostock

Father, Joseph Rosenthal
   by Marla Belostock

Father, Jacob Handis
   by Bernard Handis

Father, Joseph Fishman
   by Evelyn Handis

Brother, Clifton Surette
   by Daniel Surette

Mother, Belle Gerber
   by Valerie Gilbert

Mother, Marian Eakins
   by Katherine Borten

Mother, Ruth Rotman
   by Leonard Rotman

Mother, Ada Millstein
   by Ann Segal

Father, Hyman Magowitz
   by Albert Mitchell

Father, Melvin Polsky
   by Bernice Mitchell

Father, Samuel Frank
   by Murray Frank

Mother, Esther Talkov
   by Dr. Eli Talkov

Uncle, Albert Lewis
Mother, Florence Lewis
   by Constance Lewis

Mother, Anna Lillian
Father, Myer Lillian
Mother-in-Law, Dora Beletz
   by Melvin Lillian

Son, Matthew Forman
   by Dorothy Forman

Mother, Irma Kahn
   by Eric Kahn

Father, Israel Arnold
   by Mark Arnold

With get well wishes, Sylvia Mizner
   by Eli and Muriel Talkov

Condolences, Well Wishes, and Donations, continued
Father, Abraham Goodman  
Grandmother, Anna Perlman  
   by Dr. Murray Goodman
Father, Max Goldstein  
   by Myra Gulko
Husband, Henry Bershad  
   by Helaine Bershad
Father, William Cohen  
   by Bunny Gorfinkle
Father, Leo Cohen  
   by Dr. Barry Cohen
Mother, Sally Tattlebaum  
   by Toby Sloane
Mother, Sarah Brenner  
   by Beverly Shapiro
Sister, Eva Stone
Father, Max Stone  
   by Anne Volovick
Brother, Murray Weinstein  
   by Reva Surette
Mother, Ada Greenbaum  
   by Dorothy Tatelman
Grandmother, Etty Sender  
   by George Mogolesko
Father, Harry Rodman  
   by Gerald Rodman
Mother, Pauline Schneiderman  
   by Elaine Volk
Father, Leo Rotman  
   by Leonard Rotman
Mother, Ruth White  
   by Dan White
Mother, Isabelle Ablow  
   by Herbert Ablow
Mother, Judith Ogan  
   by Robert and Leslie Ogan
Mother, Ona Henson  
   by Joseph Henson
Husband, George Linsky  
   by Audrey Linsky
Husband, Robert Shulman  
   by Shirley Shulman
Father, Fred Gerber  
   by Sally Hooker
Grandmother, Lena Brodsky  
   by Robert Cooper
KIDDUSH FUND
In memory of Laurie Hammer’s husband, Avram Hammer  
   by Bery and Robert Sanford; Phyllis Sagan; Gloria Sax
In memory of Malcom Finks  
   by Bery and Robert Sanford
In memory of Ellen Gordon’s husband, Stanley Gordon  
   by Diane Levin
In memory of Marcy Yellin’s mother, Suzie Nahmias  
   by Reggie and Lew Weinstein; Jerry Rosen; Beatrice Strome; Carol and Samuel Denbo; Larry and Susan Goldberg; Alice and Charles Leidner; Sue Weiss; Gloria Sax
In memory of Irene Karasik’s brother, Victor Shulman  
   by Alice and Charles Leidner
In memory of Anne Goldfarb  
   by Charlotte and Donald Fine; Harry and Marilyn Epstein

Alan and Brenda Samiljan in honor of the birth of their granddaughter Riley Brooke, born to Julia Samiljan Sacco and Nick Sacco on Jan. 3, 2017. Mazel tov to Great Grandma, Bunny Samiljan.
Rachel and Jason Stark on the birth of their baby girl, Liora Amaris Stark (Hasdah Meira bat Chaim v’Rivka Leah), born January 20, 2017 at 9:34am. She was 8lbs. 2oz. and 21 inches long. Additional Mazel Tov’s on the birth to grandmothers, Madeline Stark and Wendy Weisberg (of Tulsa, Oklahoma), aunts and uncles – David Wettengel and Liz Polay-Wettengel, Jennifer Polay (of Tulsa, Oklahoma), Marisa Stark and Nick Dolan, Maya Meira and Myra Wettengel.

Alan and Ina Hoffman on their new granddaughter. Mazel tov to Eric and Ruth Khan whose granddaughter, Baila Traiger, will celebrate her Bat Mitzvah on March 5 and we are very happy to celebrate with her in Passaic, NJ.

Mazel tov to Sonny and Marilyn Stoll for their special anniversary and Sonny celebrated a special birthday!

Natalie White celebrated a special birthday in February. Yom Huledet Same’ach.

Polay (of Oklahoma City, OK), and cousins, Alex and Eli Wettengel and Avery Stark.
In memory of Harry Epstein’s sister, Arline Claire Porter
by Charlotte and Donald Fine; Gail and Jerry Gerson; Lew and Reggie Weinstein

With get well wishes, Robert Soltz
by Harry and Marilyn Epstein; Gail and Jerry Gerson; Greg and Ilana Mogolesko

In honor of Sue Weiss’s son’s marriage
by Beatrice Strome

In memory of Ellie Miller’s husband, Freddy Phillips
by Phyllis Sagan, Harry Eisenberg and Linda Leavitt

In honor of Sonny Stoll’s special birthday
by Jerry and Lois Ogan; Harvey and Helaine Cotton

With best wishes for a speedy recovery, Sylvia Mizner
by Arlene and David Addis

In memory of your brother, Freddy Phillips
by Phyllis Sagan, Harry Eisenberg and Linda Leavitt

In memory of Brother
In memory of Mother
In memory of Father
In memory of Mother

by Steve and Ethel Harris

In memory of:
Mother, Charlotte Egoodkin
by Sandra Shuman
Father, Israel Shuman
by Arnold Shuman
Mother, Bertha Linsky
by Arnold Shuman
Grandmother, Fiora Goldstein
by Marsha Feffer
Father, Nathan Danberg
by Sheila Taymore
Aunt, Ida Goldstein
by Myra Galko
Father, Louis Hotz
Sister, Elaine Lewis
by Joyce Rosenthal

Mother, Rosalind Kauder
by Dr. David Kauder
Father, Sam Pressman
by Florence Pressman
Father, Harry Samuels
by Helaine Bershad
Mother, Ida Gold
by Beverly Nathan
Father, Frank Stahl
by Herbert Goldberg
Mother, Tovah Hurwitz
by Myles Hurwitz
Mother, Marion Feldman
by Dr. Judith Feldman
Mother, Ellen Greenblatt
by Judi Simmons
Wife, Janet Goldberg
Aunt, Ida Goldberg
by Herbert Goldberg
Mother-in-Law, Wilma Alexander
by Elizabeth Stevenson
Grandfather, Isaac Kaplan
by Howard Kaplan
Grandmother, Sadie Stockman
by Phyllis Kaplan
Grandmother, Jenny Markowitz
Cousin, Beth Berman
by Marla Belostock
Father, Edward Bekritsky
by Linda Siegel
Father, Jack Namias
Grandmother, Marguerite Michel
by Dr. Albert Namias
Sister, Miriam Lehman
by Bunny Garfinkle
Mother-in-Law, Rebecca Goldenberg
by Ruth Goldberg
Granddaughter, Marissa Brody
Husband, Melvin Chudnofsky
by Louise Chudnofsky
Father, Theodor Teimer
by Ellen and Richard Alexander
Mother, Wilma Alexander
by Richard and Ellen Alexander
Mother, Frieda Ross
Mother-in-Law, Tina Ellin
by Libby Ellin

Mother, Sylvia Elowitch
by George Shube
Grandmother, Beatrice Newman
Brother, Alan Cashman
Father, Richard Sorkin
by Robert and Shari Cashman
Father-in-Law, Louis Strome
Sister, Arlene Burtman
Sister-in-Law, Pearl Brown
by Beatrice Strome
Father, Samuel Barron
by Ruth Lunder
Father, Norman Rubin
by Sheldon Rubin
Good friend, Beverly Richman
Mother, Bertha Ogan
by Jerry and Lois Ogan
Mother, Rose Bluestein
by Janice Kelley
Father, Irving Feldman
by Dr. Judith Feldman
Mother, Esther Gilberg
by Fay Castelman
Father, Morris Shanker
by Ruth Shanker
Sister, Bernice Radzakowski
by Harold Epstein
Father, Barnet Kraft
by Frances Pearlman
Father, Albert Cherry
by Ruthann Cohn
Mother, Belle Rosenkranz
by Alice Leidner
Father, Emanuel Pomerantz
by Joan Weill
Mother, Eleanor Rubin
by Sheldon Rubin
Father, Abraham Alpert
by Ronna Greif
Father, Seymour Bergman
by Arnold Bergman
Sister, Brion Foreman
by Rand Foreman-Bergman and Arnold Bergman
Brother, Paul Siegel
by Frances Bobroff
Mother, Ethel Gould
by Joan Rosen

Condolences, Well Wishes, and Donations, continued
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Mother, Frances Dillon  
by Nonnie Rubin

Father, Charles Sagan  
by Scott Sagan

Father, Harry Soltz  
by Robert Soltz

Father, Louis Fuchs  
by Roberta Soltz

Nephew, Jonathan Ogan  
by Robert and Leslie Ogan

Son, Alan Cashman  
by Marvin Cashman

Mother, Zedra Trebbin  
by Dr. Wayne Trebbin

Mother, Shirley Goldberg  
by Martin Goldberg

Father, Lawrence Abrams  
by Howard Abrams

TORAH FUND

With best wishes for a speedy recovery,  
Bob Soltz
With best wishes for a speedy recovery,  
Melissa Gershon  
by Charlotte and Donald Fine

In memory of Harry Epstein’s sister, Arline Claire Porter  
by Lorily and Steve Forman

In memory of:  
 Uncle, Saul Bornstein  
Mother, Anne Bornstein  
by Ruth Kahn

Husband, Father and Grandfather,  
Robert Garfinkel
Grandmother, Malia Osattin
Grandfather, Harry Osattin
Sister-in-Law, Barbara Freedman  
by Marion Garfinkel and Family

SMITH LANDSCAPE FUND

In memory of Ellie Miller’s husband,  
Freddy Phillips  
by Brenda and Shelly Cohen

FLOWER FUND

In memory of:  
Mother, Birdie Clebnik  
by Eleanor Levingston
Mother, Fannie Breitman  
by Evelyn Ginsburg

FAMILY PROGRAM FUND

In honor of Marla Gay, thank you and wishing you a happy retirement  
by Barbara and Sidney Abramson; Bette and Dan Shoreman
In memory of Marcy Yellin’s mother,  
Suzie Nahmias  
by Judy and Ben Locke
In memory of Harry Epstein’s sister,  
Arlene Claire Porter  
by Diana and Ed Caplan

TIKVAH FUND

In memory of Ben Yellin’s mother,  
Helen Yellin  
by Arnold Bergman and Rand Foreman-Bergman
In memory of Marcy Yellin’s mother,  
Suzie Nahmias  
by Herb and Arlene Leventhal; Arnold Bergman and Rand Foreman-Bergman; Diana and Robert Hart
In honor of Jeff Brand’s retirement  
by Marcy and Ben Yellin

TREE FUND

In memory of Frank Beumel
In memory of Deborah Crumpler  
by Alisa Alvarez and Family
In memory of Dan Greenblatt  
by Donna and Philip Lapatin
In honor of Dr. Jeffry Brand’s retirement  
by Karen and Mark Meyer
In honor of B’nai Mitzvot, Eliat and Liyam Herman  
by Alice and Charles Leidner

BURT SHEPARD SCHOLARSHIP FUND

In memory of Paul Shepard’s father,  
Burt Shepard  
by Joan and Bernie Tuttle
In memory of Marcy Yellin’s mother,  
Suzie Nahmias  
by Herb Goldberg
In honor of Doris Villa’s retirement
In honor of Jeff Brand’s retirement
In memory of Freddy Phillips  
by Natalie White

CHESED FUND

In memory of Ellie Miller’s husband,  
Freddy Phillips  
by Ron and Pat Kafker

HOWARD STEVEN FEFFER SCHOLARSHIP FUND

In memory of:  
Grandmother, Pauline Feffer  
by Lawrence Feffer

YAD FUND

In memory of Marcy Yellin’s mother,  
Suzie Nahmias  
by Sandra Goldstein
In appreciation to Rabbi Michael and Cantor Elana for their heartfelt kindness and compassion in supporting our family throughout our mother’s final journey, by Dawn Ehrlich and Richard and Esther Salinsky

In memory of Ellen Gordon’s husband, Stanley Gordon
In memory of Richard Salinsky and Dawn Ehrlich’s mother, June Salinsky
In memory of Marcy Yellin’s mother, Suzie Nahmias
by Marla and Philip Gay; Marsha Gerber

In memory of Laurie Hammer’s husband, Avram Hammer
In honor of Lois and Bobby Kaplan’s grandson, Adam’s bar mitzvah
In honor of Alan and Brenda Samiljan’s new granddaughter, Riley Brooke
by Marla and Philip Gay

In memory of Ellie Miller’s husband, Freddy Phillips
by Nathan and Lindsey Whiteley; Gail Goldstein

Thank you to all those who attend morning and evening minyan for generously donating the new Bimah cover in Joel Cohen’s memory... Todah Rabah.

We are very fortunate to have the above member minyanaires attend regularly. However, please know that making a minyan twice a day is a challenge. Please consider helping to make a minyan – once a week, once a month, or whenever you can. Those needing a minyan to say kaddish would greatly appreciate it.

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**Important Update About Our Electronic Yahrzeit Board**

Our beautiful Memorial Alcove with the Electronic Yahrzeit board now has the capability to display multiple color photographs and longer bios in memory of loved ones. If you already have a name entered, these can be done at no charge.

If you would like to add a new name, we have reduced the price to $180.00/listing. Please contact Sherri Crowley, x27, with questions.

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