

# Temple e-Talk



JUNE ▸ JULY ▸ AUGUST 2011



## CLERGY CORNER

**Cantor Shula Kalir-Merton**

### THE POETIC ELEGANCE OF THE HUMAN SPIRIT

"Summertime, and the livin' is easy..." thus sing the words of the classic George Gershwin song in my mind, as I look at the calendar of the upcoming months.

There's a feeling that comes with the mere sound of the names of July and August that elicits sensations of slowing down, of languidly succumbing to golden sunshine, of being enveloped by

nature's miraculous beauty and of the welcome gifts of time to unwind and de-stress.

How we love those days in which the alarm clock serves merely as a prop, or the nonchalant switching of "must", to "may" or "feel like!" We've learned from the great gift of Shabbat, which calls upon us to set aside the seventh day of each week for spiritual pursuits, stopping all work activities, that the absence of rest is unnatural, maybe even harmful to our well being. Taking time to "recharge our batteries" during the healing tranquility of summer is the welcome offspring of the sacred idea of Shabbat. We have come to depend on it as a way to regenerate for the remainder of the year.

And yet, like so many experiences of brilliant, wonderful enjoyment - so too the Jewish calendar. Amidst the leisure days of summer it notes the sudden presence of a conspicuous opposite - namely Tish'ah B'av (August 9th, 2011), a day of mourning and fasting, second in somberness only to Yom Kippur. It commemorates the destruction of both the first and second Holy Temples in Jerusalem thousands of years ago (586 BCE and 70 AD, respectively), changing the course of our history with each event. To me, this sudden appearance of tragedy on the summer calendar has always served as a powerful reminder that unexpected "curve balls" are an inevitable reality of our own, everyday lives. It is up to us to catch them as gracefully as we can.

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## HIGH HOLY DAYS 2011 / 5772 SERVICE SCHEDULE

We have wonderful opportunities for worship on these High Holy Days. In addition to our beautiful evening services for both Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur/ Kol Nidre, there will be a Multi-Generational Service appropriate for elementary school children, parents, and grandparents. And, when adults are in the Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur morning worship services, there will be age-appropriate programs and services for children in first through fifth grades so your family can come to temple together. Babysitting (Kids Club) for younger children will also be available.

<b>S'lichot</b>	<b>Saturday, September 24</b>	7:30pm	Sanctuary
<b>Erev Rosh Hashanah</b>	<b>Wednesday, September 28</b>		
Multi-generational Service	5pm		Sanctuary
Reform Service	7:30pm		Sanctuary
Conservative Service	7pm		Chapel
<b>Rosh Hashanah</b>	<b>Thursday, September 29</b>		
Tot Service (Ages Infant-6)	8:30am		Sanctuary
Conservative Service	9am		Chapel
K-5th Grade Service & Program	10am		Various
Reform Service	10am		Sanctuary
Tashlich	4pm		Off-site
<b>Rosh Hashanah</b>	<b>Friday, September 30</b>		
Conservative Service	9am		Chapel
Reform Service	10am		Sanctuary
<b>Kol Nidre</b>	<b>Friday, October 7</b>		
Multi-generational Service	5pm		Sanctuary
Conservative Mincha	6:15pm		Chapel
Conservative Kol Nidre	6:30pm		Chapel
Reform Service	7:30pm		Sanctuary
<b>Yom Kippur</b>	<b>Saturday, October 8</b>		
Tot Service (Ages Infant-6)	8:30am		Sanctuary
Conservative Service	8:30am		Chapel
Reform Service	10am		Sanctuary
K-5th Grade Service & Program	10am		Various
Discussion/Study	2:30pm		Chapel
Reform/Neilah/Yizkor	4pm		Sanctuary
Avodah Service Meditation	4pm		Chapel
Conservative Mincha/Neilah	4:30pm		Chapel
Break Fast	7:30pm		Chapel

**Important Reminder! Annual Congregational Meeting is June 13<sup>th</sup>!**

*details on page 4*

# SCHEDULE OF WORSHIP SERVICES

## Every Saturday at 9am: Torah Study

All are welcome to participate in the mitzvah of Torah study as we explore together some of the lessons to be learned from this week's portion. No Hebrew knowledge is necessary, and newcomers are always welcome. Following Torah study there will be a brief lay-led service.

## Every Saturday at 9:30am: Conservative Service

Shabbat morning Conservative worship. Fully participatory, singing, *davening*, Torah reading, followed by *Kiddush* and community...all in the chapel!

## Every Monday and Thursday at 7am: Morning Minyan

**Calling All Early Risers!!** Please join us each **Monday and Thursday morning at 7am** for our morning minyan in the chapel. Say Kaddish for loved ones, get well prayers for family and friends, and hear a little Torah--all in 1 hour! Questions? Contact Marty Stein (949.246.4040) or Steve Birch (949.588.1921).

In July and August, all Friday services are at 6pm, except the last week of the month, when services are at 7:30pm.

## June 2011

### Friday, June 3

#### Shabbat Synaplex: The Wonderful World of TORAH

#### 4:30-6pm Torah Synaplex Activities

#### 6-7pm Shabbat Dinner (\$10/adult, kids eat free)

#### 7pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service, Honoring our Graduating Seniors

(See details on page 4.)

### Saturday, June 4

Parashat Naso: Numbers 4:21-7:89

**9:30am Conservative Service** honoring Rabbi Hanien on her last Shabbat with us, and followed by a special Kiddush luncheon

#### 10am Sabbath Morning Service

The Confirmation Class of 2011/5771 will be leading Shabbat morning worship. All are invited to attend.

### Tuesday, June 7

#### 8:30pm Service

#### 9pm Tikkun Leil Shavuot ...going all night

The tradition of Tikkun Leil Shavuot is of great spiritual significance when we study all night in preparation for receiving the Torah which was given first thing in the morning. Please join us for some or all...and definitely meet us on the beach for sunrise services. (See details on page 5.)

### Wednesday, June 8

#### 6am Shavuot Sunrise Services

There is a teaching that the Jewish people married God and Mount Sinai was held above them as a chuppah/wedding canopy, and the Torah is our ketubah/wedding document. In this spirit, those interested jump in the ocean as a mikva/ritual bath in preparation to enter into the holy covenant with God. We raise a chuppah on the beach and read the Ten Commandments. It is a great experience you don't want to miss...even if you skip the ocean dip. (On the Beach: Divers Cove, Laguna Beach, stair access is at the north end of Heisler Park) Optional: bring bathing suit and towel if interested in group ocean mikva.

#### 9:30am Conservative 1st Day Shavuot Service

(See details on page 5.)

### Thursday, June 9

#### 9:30am Conservative 2nd Day Shavuot Service with Yizkor

(See details on page 5.)

### Friday, June 10

#### 7:30pm Shabbat Service

### Saturday, June 11

Parashat Beha'alotecha: Numbers 8:1-12:16

**9:30am Conservative Service** led by Rabbinic Intern Kvod Wieder and honoring Rose DeLiema on her 90th birthday. Kiddush luncheon sponsored by the DeLiema family.

#### 10am Sabbath Morning Service

**CHARLIE KAPPES** will conduct much of the service on this Sabbath of his becoming a Bar Mitzvah. We invite everyone to worship with us.

### Friday, June 17

#### 5:30pm Oneg

#### 6pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service

### Saturday, June 18

Parashat Shelach: Numbers 13:1-15:41

#### 10am Sabbath Morning Service

**CLARA ROSENBERG** will conduct much of the service on this Sabbath of her becoming a Bat Mitzvah. We invite everyone to worship with us.

### Friday, June 24

#### 7:30pm Shabbat Service

After the opening hymn, we will ask God's blessing on behalf of those who have celebrated a wedding anniversary during June. If you are observing an anniversary this month and plan to attend this service, please RSVP to Kathryn at ext. 103.

### Saturday, June 25

Parashat Korach: Numbers 16:1-18:32

#### 10am Sabbath Morning Service

**EMILY GREEN** will conduct much of the service on this Sabbath of her becoming a Bat Mitzvah. We invite everyone to worship with us.

## July 2011

### Friday, July 1

#### 5:30pm Oneg

#### 6pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service

Welcome the Sabbath with the joyous sounds of our Kabbalat Shabbat Service. Everyone, from toddlers to seniors, will enjoy this Shabbat celebration. Please join us as we begin our Summer Schedule. Each Friday night during July and August services will begin at 6pm, except for the last Friday of the month when the service will be at 7:30pm.

## YIZKOR SERVICES

Special memorial services honoring our loved ones:

**Thursday, June 9, 9:30am**

# SCHEDULE OF WORSHIP SERVICES *(continued)*

August 2011

## Saturday, July 2

Parashat Chukat: Numbers 19:1-22:1

### 10am Sabbath Morning Service

**BRITTON FRIEDMAN** and **JAMIE KERN** will conduct much of the service on this Sabbath of their becoming B'not Mitzvah. We invite everyone to worship with us.

## Friday, July 8

5:30pm Oneg

### 6pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service

## Saturday, July 9

Parashat Balak: Numbers 22:2-25:9

### 10am Sabbath Morning Service

**EVAN HERSHMAN** and **RACHEL LUSTIG** will conduct much of the service on this Sabbath of their becoming B'nai Mitzvah. We invite everyone to worship with us.

## Friday, July 15

5:30pm Oneg

### 6pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service

## Saturday, July 16

Parashat Pinchas: Numbers 25:10-30:1

### 10am Sabbath Morning Service

**LAURA STERNS** and **REBEKAH STERNS** will conduct much of the service on this Sabbath of their becoming B'not Mitzvah. We invite everyone to worship with us.

## Friday, July 22

5:30pm Oneg

### 6pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service

## Saturday, July 23

Parashat Matot: Numbers 30:2-32:42

### 10am Sabbath Morning Service

**JODI GOLDMAN** and **LESLIE PARKER** will conduct much of the service on this Sabbath of their becoming B'not Mitzvah. We invite everyone to worship with us.

## Friday, July 29

### 7:30pm Shabbat Service

After the opening hymn, we will ask God's blessing on behalf of those who have celebrated a wedding anniversary during July. If you are observing an anniversary this month and plan to attend this service, please RSVP to Kathryn at ext. 103.

## Saturday, July 30

Parashat Masei: Numbers 33:1-36:13

### 10am Sabbath Morning Service

**MARISSA McDERMOTT** and **LAURA McDERMOTT** will conduct much of the service on this Sabbath of their becoming B'not Mitzvah. We invite everyone to worship with us.

## Friday, August 5

5:30pm Oneg

### 6pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service

Welcome the Sabbath with the joyous sounds of our Kabbalat Shabbat Service. Everyone, from toddlers to seniors, will enjoy this Shabbat celebration. Please join us as we continue with our Summer Schedule. Each Friday night during August services will begin at 6pm, except for the last Friday when the service will be at 7:30pm.

## Saturday, August 6

Parashat Devarim: Deuteronomy 1:1-3:22

### 10am Sabbath Morning Service

**SHAYNA MORRISON** and **MICHAEL SLADE** will conduct much of the service on this Sabbath of their becoming B'nai Mitzvah. We invite everyone to worship with us.

## Friday, August 12

5:30pm Oneg

### 6pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service

## Saturday, August 13

Parashat Va'etchanan: Deuteronomy 3:23-7:11

### 9:30am Sabbath Morning Conservative Service

**JACOB ROTHBERG** will conduct much of the service on this Sabbath of his becoming a Bar Mitzvah. We invite everyone to worship with us.

### 10am Sabbath Morning Service

**DAVID ROTTER** and **NATHAN ROTTER** will conduct much of the service on this Sabbath of their becoming B'nai Mitzvah. We invite everyone to worship with us.

## Friday, August 19

5:30pm Oneg

### 6pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service

## Saturday, August 20

Parashat Ekev: Deuteronomy 7:12-11:25

### 10am Sabbath Morning Service

**EMMA BARNES** and **NOAH KATZ** will conduct much of the service on this Sabbath of their becoming B'nai Mitzvah. We invite everyone to worship with us.

## Friday, August 26

### 7:30pm Shabbat Service

After the opening hymn, we will ask God's blessing on behalf of those who have celebrated a wedding anniversary during August. If you are observing an anniversary this month and plan to attend this service, please RSVP to Kathryn at ext. 103.

## Saturday, August 27

Parashat Re'eh: Deuteronomy 11:26-16:17

### 10am Sabbath Morning Service

**AMANDA BROWN** and **ZOE BROWN** will conduct much of the service on this Sabbath of their becoming B'not Mitzvah. We invite everyone to worship with us.

## SPECIAL SERVICES

### Tisha B'Av Healing Service

**Monday, August 8th at 7pm** On this holy day of Tisha B'Av we mourn the destruction of our First and Second Temples in Jerusalem exactly five centuries apart and the destruction of Jewish communities throughout our history. We can find spiritual ways to cope, and to discover strength, courage and patience. Join us as we mourn, heal, grow, and rejoice, as individuals and together as a community. Come early to light a Memorial Candle.

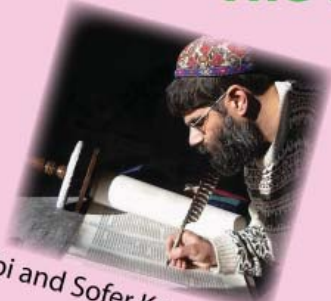


## UPCOMING EVENTS

# SHABBAT SYNAPLEX: Friday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>

## The Wonderful World of TORAH

Sofer and Soferet: Two Torah Scribes &  
Honoring our High School Graduates



Rabbi and Sofer Kevin Hale

**4:30-6pm**

Watch Your Torah Restored with  
Rabbi Sofer Kevin Hale  
Hold a Quill & write Torah letters with  
Rebbetzin Soferet Ruth Levi  
Torah Cartoons  
Torah Crafts



Rebbetzin & Soferet Ruth Levi

**6-7pm Shabbat Dinner** (\$10/adult, kids eat free)

**Make your reservations** with Bonni  
(949/ 362.3999 ext 100 or bpomush@tbesoc.org)

**7pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service**, Honoring our Graduating Seniors

# ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING AT 7PM ON MONDAY, JUNE 13TH, 2011

### To approve:

- the 2011-12 budget
- slate of officers & Board members
- answer your questions

**TEMPLE MEMBERS WHO CANNOT ATTEND THE MEETING  
SHOULD STILL CAST THEIR VOTE BY PROXY!!**

### Proxy ballots are available:

- at the front desk of the Temple
- Online at [www.tbesoc.org](http://www.tbesoc.org)  
(click on Congregational Meeting)

### Return your proxy ballot:

- To the front desk
- Email it to [proxyholder@tbesoc.org](mailto:proxyholder@tbesoc.org)
- Fax it to 949/362.5323
- Mail it in (2A Liberty, Aliso Viejo, 92656)

# SHAVUOT

As a sacred window in time, the holiday of Shavuot invites us into an experience of personal and communal revelation. More than a historical moment, the story of the Israelites receiving Torah at Mount Sinai is meant to be re-experienced by us as an opportunity to receive guidance on how to live our lives more "soulfully" - with a deeper sense of purpose and meaning.

Join the community of Temple Beth El in an all night journey using sacred texts, stories, meditation, and music to ascend the mountain of revelation to reveal a Torah that is personal, authentic, and life-giving.

**Tuesday, June 7**

**8:30pm – Services**

**9pm Tikkun Leil Shavuot...going all night  
"Stories of the Jewish People"**

lead by Rabbis Kort, Kvod, Levi and fellow congregants

The tradition of a Tikkun Leil Shavuot is of great spiritual significance when we study all night in preparation for receiving the Torah which was given first thing in the morning. Please join us for some or all...and definitely meet us on the beach for sunrise services.

## Sunrise Services

**Wednesday, June 8, 6am**

On the Beach: Divers Cove, Laguna Beach  
[stair access to the beach is at the north end of Heisler Park]  
Followed by blintzes at a congregant's home a block away

*Optional: bring bathing suit and towel if interested in group ocean mikva. There is a teaching that the Jewish people married God and Mount Sinai was held above them as a chuppah/wedding canopy, and the Torah is our ketubah/wedding document. In this spirit, those interested jump in the ocean as a mikva/ritual bath in preparation to enter into the holy covenant with God. We raise a chuppah on the beach and read the Ten Commandments as we bind ourselves to God and our tradition. It is a great experience you don't want to miss...even if you skip the ocean dip.*

## Conservative Worship

1st Day Shavuot Services with Rabbi Hanien

**Wednesday, June 8, 9:30 am**, Followed by special kiddush

2nd Day Shavuot with Yizkor

**Thursday, June 9, 9:30am**, Followed by special kiddush

## HIGH HOLY DAYS INFORMATION

**Expect to receive by mail all of the ticketing information need for High Holy Days in August!**

### S'lichot: A Gateway to Teshuvah/Repentance Saturday, September 24th

7:30pm Dessert Reception

8pm S'lichot Service

*"But teshuvah [repentance], tefillah [prayer]  
and tzedakah [charity] temper judgment's severe decree."*

- Unetaneh Tokef, High Holy Days liturgy

### Book of Remembrance

As part of the observance of Yom Kippur, we will publish a Yizkor book. It is traditional at the Yizkor service to recall our dear ones whom we have inscribed in this Book of Remembrance. If you would like your loved ones included in the Yizkor book, please complete a "Book of Remembrance" form and return it before **September 9th**. Forms will be included in the High Holy Days Information mailing and are also available on the website. It is customary to make a donation in memory of those who have departed.

### Machzorim - High Holy Days Prayer Books

In order for you to participate fully in the Reform High Holy Days services you will need your own machzor (the red Gates of Repentance prayer book) - none will be available on the premises! Your order must be received no later than **September 9th**. These prayer books are available for \$36 each, including your name embossed in gold on the cover. These personalized books will be an excellent addition to your Jewish library. Order forms can be picked up at the front desk, or you can download them from our website: [www.tbesoc.org](http://www.tbesoc.org). Completed forms and payment can be dropped off or mailed to the temple. *Harlow machzorim will be provided at the Conservative services.*

### High Holy Days Kids Club

Once again we are pleased to offer child care during Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur for children ages 2-5 who are not participating in the K-5 program. Kids Club will take place in the Early Childhood classrooms with the sitters being our own TBESOC ECC staff members. Child care is available at all services. High Holy Days Kids Club forms can be picked up at the front desk or you can download them from our website. Return completed forms and payment no later than **September 16th**.

### High Holy Days Guest Tickets

We are delighted to welcome community members as well as parents, grandparents, and siblings of our member families. High Holy Days Tickets are now available from the temple office. Prices are as follows: Guest tickets for immediate family members are \$200 adults, \$50 for children 12 and under (must be purchased by the congregant). Non-member price: adults are \$360, children 12 and under are \$150. Order forms are available at the temple office or may be downloaded from our website: [www.tbesoc.org](http://www.tbesoc.org).

### Multi-Generational Services

In addition to our inspirational adult High Holy Days services we are pleased to offer an opportunity for all age groups of our congregation to worship together. This year we will again offer multi-generational services for families and individuals who want to pray together. Join us for Erev Rosh Hashanah and Erev Yom Kippur at 5pm.

### High Holy Days Volunteer Ushers Needed

Reform: Please contact Steven Olitsky (at [stevetbesoc@hotmail.com](mailto:stevetbesoc@hotmail.com) or 949.770.9566.) Conservative: Please contact Brad Shapero (at [drshapero@premierhealthcaresc.com](mailto:drshapero@premierhealthcaresc.com).) Your assistance will be greatly appreciated!

# Adult Education Opportunities Abound!!!

## Daytime Book Club

Have you always wanted to read and discuss Jewish-themed books? Our Daytime Book Club provides you with the opportunity to read one of the selected books (list is available in the library) each month and enjoy an exchange of ideas.

**Date:** 3rd Tuesday of each month

**Time:** 11:30am - 1pm

**Contacts:**

Sharon Wolfson shwolfson@sbcglobal.net

Claire Stein originalclarita1@cox.net

**Course Tuition:** \$18 member, \$36 non-member

## Women of the Book

Join a fabulous group of women as we explore Jewish-themed books. This book club will give you the opportunity to read one of the selected books each month and enjoy a discussion of the book's themes.

**Date:** 2nd Wednesday of each month

**Time:** 7:30pm in the Adult Library

**Coordinator:** Wendy Levin wenlevin@comline.com

**Course Tuition:** \$18 members: \$36 non-members

## Yiddish Conversational Group

The final Yiddish class of this year will be on **June 13th at 10am**. Come out and sing with us! We hope to resume meeting in the fall.



Please contact Bea Wohl at 949/472-6050 or by email at beewohl@aol.com with any questions.

## Lunch & Learn: Jewish Mysticism Study

Join us for an enlightening discussion of the texts and ideas of the Jewish mystical tradition which has intensified our people's connection to God and enhanced daily life throughout our history. All who are interested in gaining knowledge from these stimulating texts while learning, exploring, and deepening your relationship with Judaism are welcome. No prior Torah knowledge is necessary.



**Dates:** 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month

**Time:** 12-1pm

**Instructor:** Rabbi Peter Levi

## Chanting Torah

If you've ever wanted to acquire the skills to chant Torah, this is your class! Learn "trope," the traditional Torah chanting system, at a comfortable pace in an atmosphere of enjoyable camaraderie with your classmates. You MUST be able to READ Hebrew reasonably well, while no Hebrew comprehension is required.



**Dates:** Monday evenings through June 13

**Time:** 6:30-7:30pm

**Instructor:** Cantor Shula Kalir-Merton

**Course Tuition:** \$18 member; \$36 non-member



## Calling All Early Risers!!

Please join us each **Monday and Thursday morning at 7am** for our morning minyan in the chapel. Say Kaddish for loved ones, get-well prayers for family and friends, and hear a little Torah--all in 1 hour! Questions? Contact Marty Stein (949.246.4040) or Steve Birch (949.588.1921).

## UPCOMING EVENTS

# Join TBELders Monday, June 6th at 11:30am for



## “What’s Jewish about Jewish Medical Ethics?”



Dr. Richard Moldawsky, who received his M.D. from Temple University School of Medicine and currently serves in the Department of Psychiatry at Southern California Permanente Medical Group in Anaheim presents:

*Medical decisions are usually based on what treatment CAN do to help people, but ethical decisions are based on what we SHOULD do. Who has the right and responsibility to decide what should be done? Ethics are based on values. Some of our values come from our personal experiences and our families, some come from our beliefs as Americans, and others come from Jewish teachings. It’s easy when all of these are in agreement, but it’s painful when they’re in conflict. This presentation and discussion will explore some ways in which these conflicts may be reconciled.*

Includes lunch for only \$10  
Make your reservation by calling  
949/ 362.3999 ext 100  
or emailing [bpomush@tbesoc.org](mailto:bpomush@tbesoc.org)



HARRY HOUDINI

## MASTERS OF ILLUSION

You are invited to join your friends on a **TB Elders** bus trip to view an exciting special exhibit at the Los Angeles Skirball Jewish Museum entitled **HOUDINI, THE ART OF MAGIC** and the **COMPANION EXHIBIT OF JEWISH MAGICIANS OF THE GOLDEN AGE.**

This is a joint program with Saddleback Hadassah.



THE GREAT HERRMANN

- When** Tuesday, June 28, 2011 at 9:30am
- Where** Laguna Hills Mall parking lot in back of Sears under the theatre sign facing Carlotta
- Lunch** Choices - bring your own or buy at the restaurant and dine at the lovely outdoor patio (if you are buying let us know so they will be prepared)
- Cost** \$40.00 includes bus, tips, entry fee, docent fee, and snacks
- Return** You will have ample time to browse the extensive gift shop and the permanent Jewish History section. This will be docent-led.
- Checks** Make payable to TBESOC and return to the Temple or to:  
Joan Karver  
33112 Sea Lion Drive  
Dana Point, CA 92629

**Questions?** Call Lew Einbund: 949.443.5435  
Or Muriel Sachs: 949.586.3055

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### BE Sisters

Mah Jongg: **Wednesday, June 1, 10am**



2011-12 Planning event & (potluck dinner):  
**Sunday, June 26** email Amy (apackermom@gmail.com) or Merritt (bruinfan3@aol.com) for details.

### Daytime Book Club

Meets at **11:30am** on the following **Tuesdays**:

- **June 21**
- **July 19**
- **August 16**



### Women of the Book

Next meeting is at the Temple on **Thursday, June 16th at 7:30pm** to discuss to discuss *The Family Moskat* by Isaac Bashevis Singer.

After a summer break, meeting off-site on **Wednesday, Aug 17th at 6pm.**

### Men's Club Poker Nights

Starting time is **6pm** in the Youth Lounge at Temple, on the following **Mondays**:

- **June 6th**
- **July 11th**
- **August 8th**



### Men's Club Monthly Breakfast

The 2nd **Thursday** of each month at **9:30am**, meet at Coco's (23760 Alicia, Laguna Niguel.) If you are planning to attend, please let Mel Zimmerman (inotherwords@msn.com) know so a large enough table is reserved.

- **June 9**
- **July 14**
- **August 11**



### Shopping online for an upcoming trip?

Your purchases can support the temple! Click to rent a car, book a flight or hotel, and more....just click to the site you're shopping on from our links! Go to [tbesoc.org](http://tbesoc.org) and click on TBE MALL!

**CHECK OUT THE TBE MALL!**

**We even have a link to amazon.com! Check it out!**

### Shopping for Judaica?

We partner with Judaica Beautiful to give you access to a huge selection of Judaica...and your purchases support the temple!

## UPCOMING EVENTS: Kids' Corner!

# Gordon & Sklar Early Childhood Center Upcoming Dates

### June 2011

- 1st PTO Meeting at 9:15am
- 7th Erev Shavuot – close 12:30 p.m.
- 8th Shavuot – school closed
- 16th Last day of classes,  
Moving Up ceremony (Pre-K & K)  
School closes at 12:30 pm

## ECC Now Taking Registrations for Summer 2011 and Fall 2011/12

Temple Beth El....

...Where Jewish learning is fun! Join us!



*Serving children 10  
months through  
first grade.*

### Summer 2011: "THE WORLD AROUND US"

- Session I June 27 – July 22
- Session II July 25 – August 19

**2011-12 School Year**  
Begins September 7th, 2011



## Shabbat Chai-lights

It's Time to Register for Religious School: Shabbat Chai, Hebrew School, and all Teen Programming! Religious School registration forms for the 2011-2012 school year are now available. We encourage you to take advantage of our "early-bird special." Registrations received and paid in full by July 1st are eligible for a 5% tuition discount. Forms are available on the Temple website (<http://www.tbesoc.org/enrollmentforms.htm>) Sign up your kids today!

**Register by July 1st  
and get a 5% discount!**

Shabbat Chai means "Live Shabbat." Last year, we moved our religious education program from Sunday to Shabbat. Our goal in creating Shabbat Chai was simple: learn through authentic experience. Instead of learning about being Jewish on Sundays, why not come together on Friday evenings to experience Shabbat as a community.

This coming year, we are taking Shabbat Chai to the next level. Our 2011-2012 Shabbat Chai program seeks to transform classroom learning into a hands-on, authentic Shabbat experience. In other words, we are working to make Shabbat Chai feel more like Shabbat and less like traditional school. We are introducing new initiatives to help make Shabbat Chai a meaningful and transformational experience for our children and families. (You can read about these programs and all of our Jewish Engagement opportunities for families with school-aged kids in our registration packet: <http://www.tbesoc.org/enrollmentforms.htm>). If you have any questions about Shabbat Chai, Hebrew School or anything to do with your family's Jewish well-being, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Rabbi Rachel Kort, Director of Jewish Engagement  
949-362-3999, ext 102, [rabbikort@tbesoc.org](mailto:rabbikort@tbesoc.org)



Celebrating  
Temple Beth El's 30th Year  
and honoring our president  
Alan Fenning  
and past president  
Cindy Mirsky



Many, many  
thanks to  
all who  
helped  
make this  
year's gala  
a success!

**We all had a ball at the Masquerade Gala!**

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Tami & Frank Kennedy of Aliso Viejo  
and their children, Sydney (age 4½), Skyler (age 2) and Shayna (9 mos.)

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and her children, Madeline (age 11) and Benjamin (age 9)

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THE KEEPERS  
OF JUSTICE,  
THOSE  
WHO GIVE  
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# THE KIRSCHENBAUM FAMILY Yahrzeit REMEMBRANCE MEMORIAL WALL

For those of our Temple members who want to remember loved ones on the dates of their yahrzeits, a plaque on our Memorial wall is available for purchase. A light will be lit on the Friday preceding the anniversary of your loved one's death and kept lit for the following week and on Yom Kippur.

Please use this order form or come to the Temple office during regular office hours for assistance. If you need any help with Hebrew names or Hebrew dates, Rabbi Levi, Rabbi Kort, Cantor Kalir-Merton or Herb Smolinsky will be happy to assist you.

## Yahrzeit Remembrance Plaque Order Form

Date of Order \_\_\_\_\_

Member's Name \_\_\_\_\_

English name on plaque \_\_\_\_\_

Hebrew name on plaque \_\_\_\_\_

Relation to member \_\_\_\_\_

Julian calendar anniversary of death \_\_\_\_\_

Jewish Calendar anniversary of death \_\_\_\_\_

Preference: Julian ( ) Jewish ( ) calendar

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[ ] I need help completing the form.

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## Anniversaries



### June

Bob and Joni Arnold  
(37 years)  
Lawrence and Wendy Bassell  
(29 years)  
David and Marlene Beach  
(42 years)  
Warren and Deborah  
Benedetto  
(8 years)  
Anthony and Debi Berk  
(20 years)  
Andrew and Diane Bisom  
(32 years)  
Larry and Janell Bitton  
(12 years)  
Arnold and Debra Block  
(21 years)  
John and Sharri Coker  
(20 years)  
Avi and Shiffra Crane  
(33 years)  
Rob and Kathy DeLiema  
(39 years)  
Hyman and Barbara Dervitz  
(62 years)  
Jeff and Betty Drader  
(31 years)  
Lawrence and Linda  
Eisenberg  
(34 years)  
Michael and Ellen Fine  
(40 years)  
Adam and Julie Fingersh  
(8 years)  
Martin and Mary Fleischman  
(28 years)  
Louis and Phyllis Frank  
(51 years)  
Greg and Rosalind Gantman  
(11 years)  
Larry and Valerie Gelb  
(10 years)  
Corey and Adrienne Gold  
(21 years)

Richard  
and Jill Golubow  
(9 years)  
Robert Gouw and  
Janneen Jackson  
(7 years)  
Kevin and Laura Gramling  
(17 years)  
Michael and Deborah Green  
(18 years)  
Dennis and Deidre  
Greenberger  
(24 years)  
Steven and Sherri Hilbon  
(4 years)  
Scott and Robin Ijams  
(23 years)  
Allyn and Barry Jaffrey-  
Shulman  
(7 years)  
Arnold and Linda Karpel  
(36 years)  
Arthur and Nancy Kesselhaut  
(55 years)  
Robert and Nancy Kiefer  
(45 years)  
Kenneth and Wendy Kushner  
(22 years)  
Jeff and Michelle Lazerson  
(22 years)  
Alexander and Ganna Levitin  
(42 years)  
Mark and Lynn Levy  
(18 years)  
Neil and Keira Malkus  
(5 years)  
Eli and Sara Marcus  
(7 years)  
Myron and Ruth Margolis  
(10 years)  
Jonathan and Lorilee Merzel  
(22 years)  
Albert and Annie Mintz  
(58 years)  
Ari and Kim Novick  
(12 years)  
Tony and Jodi Oz  
(17 years)  
James and Abby Page  
(7 years)  
Arthur and Rochelle Pazornik  
(30 years)

Michael and Kathy Pearlman  
(13 years)  
David and Tamar Peleg  
(36 years)  
Mark and Jill Rapp  
(14 years)  
Sidney and Elaine Reisch  
(54 years)  
Aaron and Elaine Rosen  
(55 years)  
Michael and Joyce Rubel  
(39 years)  
Gary and Belinda Rubel  
(26 years)  
Robert and Lisa Rutkowski  
(17 years)  
Gary and Nina Savlov  
(31 years)  
Rita and Brett Schwartzman  
(1 years)  
Steven and Julie Sherman  
(26 years)  
Robert and Jo Anne Simon  
(42 years)  
Larry and Anita Smith  
(26 years)  
Gary and Donna Sugarman  
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(21 years)  
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(15 years)  
Nelson and Rochelle Zagalsky  
(49 years)  
Richard and Shauna Zellner  
(10 years)

**July**

Norman and Carol Albert  
(16 years)  
Brian and Leslie Berger  
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Joel and Amy Packer  
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Carl and Floris Pittler  
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Larry and Terri Queen  
(13 years)

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(17 years)  
Rob and Susan Roof  
(33 years)  
Steve and Helaine Rosansky  
(21 years)  
Gil and Cynthia Ross  
(7 years)  
Paul and Wendy Rothenberg  
(34 years)  
Timothy and Jody Sandberg  
(6 years)  
Avery and Beryl Schlesenberg  
(33 years)  
George and Janis Schnitzer  
(42 years)  
Andrew and Wendy Schwartz  
(38 years)  
Brad and Kathy Shapiro  
(27 years)  
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(6 years)  
Marc and Jodi Springer  
(12 years)  
Kim and Carol Stanton  
(32 years)  
Richard and Caryl Stein  
(45 years)  
Allan and Cheryl Waterman  
(39 years)  
Brian and Suzanne Young  
(11 years)

### August

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Richard and Marilyn Balaban  
(37 years)  
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(41 years)  
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(11 years)  
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(11 years)  
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(57 years)  
Michael and Debbie  
Bogdanovic  
(17 years)  
Kevin and Jennifer Bussell  
(14 years)  
Steve and Ronni Cherney  
(48 years)  
Corey and Judy Cramin  
(28 years)

Evan and Alysha Dameshek  
(4 years)  
Max and Sue DeLiema  
(37 years)  
Ken and Sharon Devor  
(29 years)  
David and Debbie Dobrofsky  
(22 years)  
James and Noelene Feld  
(29 years)  
Karen and Richard Forrest-  
Stevens  
(3 years)  
Bernard and Christina  
Freedman  
(55 years)  
Jeffrey and Debra Garfinkle  
(19 years)  
Norman and Suzanne  
Goldman  
(18 years)  
Jay and Cindy Greenberg  
(29 years)  
Robert and Terry Hanna  
(29 years)  
Tom and Marsha Harris  
(25 years)  
David and Lisa Hershman  
(16 years)  
Bruce and Joelle Jackman  
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Rhonda and Karl Jarema  
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Frank and Tami Kennedy  
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Allen and Sherri Krause  
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David and Cathy Krinsky  
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Michael and Rachelle

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Kimberly  
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Jane Moss  
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Jay Greenberg  
• In memory of Sylvia Squires  
Linda & Scott Kutner  
• In honor of Matthew's Bar Mitzvah  
Jay Greenberg  
• In memory of Esther Greenberg  
Jay Greenberg  
• Sylvia Squires  
Lori & Edward Block  
• In memory of Iris Block  
Lori & Edward Block  
• In memory of Harry Martin  
Alice Schultz  
• In memory of Eleanor Kalb  
Jay Greenberg  
• In memory of Sarah Heskin

### **Rabbi Levi's Discretionary Fund**

Mollie Lazarus  
• In memory of Jack Elsen  
Marsha & Richard Smith  
• In honor of Hillary Malibu Queen's naming  
Suzanne Engelman  
• In memory of Melvin Engelman  
Herb Nathan  
• In memory of Clara Nathan  
Alannah Rosenberg  
• In memory of Clara Putzer  
Rosalyn & Ira Manesse  
• On occasion of Mechirat Hametz  
Elaine & Sid Reisch  
• On occasion of Mechirat Hametz  
Charlene and Ken Zuckerman  
• On occasion of Mechirat Hametz  
Jill and Stephen Birch  
• On occasion of Mechirat Hametz  
Mollie Lazarus

• In memory of Goldge Rudolph  
Herbert Katz  
• In memory of Jacob Katz  
**Religious School Education Fund**  
Fortunee Tawil  
• In memory of Elie Diwan  
Evelyn Nash  
• In memory of Eric Nash  
Arthur Rosen  
• In memory of Herbert Rosen  
Elsie Koff  
• In memory of Milton Koff  
Elly & Arthur Rosen  
• In memory of Morris Glass  
Ruth & Myron Margolis  
• In memory of Mordechai Sela  
Ruth & Myron Margolis  
• In memory of Beatrice Alon  
Ruth & Myron Margolis  
• In memory of Joseph Alon  
Ruth & Myron Margolis  
• In memory of Sharona Rimon  
Ruth & Myron Margolis  
• In memory of Eli Ramon  
Ruth & Myron Margolis  
• In memory of Rose Margolis  
Ruth & Myron Margolis  
• In memory of Jack Margolis  
Gail & Michael Rosiak & Family  
• In memory of Millicent Mitchell

*Thank You*

## CHICKEN SOUP

WISHING A FULL & SPEEDY RECOVERY TO...



**Jonathan Cherney  
Christine Fugate  
Kathleen Gibney  
Suzanne Glantz  
Sam Hahn  
Danielle Koff  
Rabbi Allen Krause**

**Mary Leavitt  
Ira Manesse  
Joyce Morris  
Herb Nathan  
Elaine Reisch  
Ilene Holly  
Roberts**

**Stan Rosen  
Gil Ross  
Paul Rubenstein  
Shelley Tanner  
Sue Treshansky  
Joanie Triestman**

# In Memoriam

The following yahrzeits will be observed during the coming months:

## May 27/28, 2011

Pearl Bloom, mother of Jerome Bloom  
 Roland Horovitz\*, husband of Diane Horovitz  
 Howard Sobelman, father of Betty Drader  
 Ben Stein\*, father of Arnold Stein  
 Martha Emas, grandmother of Stacey Haferl  
 Bernie Yellen, uncle of Gay Rams  
 Louis Naglie\*, father of Ronald and Molly Naglie  
 Daniel Rubin, father of Cindy Leish  
 Beatrice Willens, grandmother of Barbara Gerlicki  
 Jack Zeramby, father-in-law of Fay Zeramby  
 Robert Bashe\*, father of Steve Bashe  
 Bernard Feinblatt  
 Sampson Levy, father of Stanley Levy  
 Rose Malk, grandmother of Kimberly Cherney  
 Lauren Schlesinger, mother of Philip Schlesinger  
 Ruth Stanton, mother of Kim Stanton  
 Jean Bressi-Bigelli, mother of Jess Bressi  
 Dave Charton, father of Lloyd Charton  
 Sylvia Egor, mother of Carolyn Christy  
 Marian Lorin\*, mother of Kenneth Lorin  
 Ruth Resnick, mother of Nancy Kiefer  
 Anita Rosenberg, mother of Alan Rosenberg  
 Miriam Slater, aunt of Howard Stevens  
 Phyllis Bramson, mother of Debbie Bogdanovic  
 Amos Fleisher, cousin of Howard Fox  
 Geraldine Fromme, mother of Eric Fromme  
 Iris Block\*, mother of Edward Block  
 William Chernoff, father of Ann and Freda Binder and grandfather of Cheryl Friedman  
 Minnie Rivkin, cousin of Jack Saladow  
 Carol Rosenberg, mother of Robin Gormin  
 Fred Rubinstein, husband of Edith Rubinstein and father of Ron and Robyn Rubinstein

## June 3/4, 2011

Clara Devor, grandmother of Ken Devor  
 Jack Orrison, father of Alannah Rosenberg  
 Vicki Kaplan-Waks, sister of Joan Rubel  
 Sylvia Goldsmith\*\*, mother of Sherry Miller  
 Frances Laiken\*, mother of Sylvia Friedland  
 Nettie Spector\*\*, grandmother of Nancy Berzon  
 Norman Aspis\*\*, husband of Barbara Aspis  
 Louis Kaplan\*\*, father of Dale Madoff  
 Blanche Esorkowsky\*\*, mother of Doris Friedberg  
 Samuel Fishenfeld, father of Hymie Fishenfeld  
 Dr. Louis Lesser, grandfather of Michael Goldfader  
 Morris Rosen, grandfather of Laurie Mills  
 Boris Becker, father-in-law of Mahvash Becker  
 Esther Friedman, mother of Nancy Joseph  
 Harry Salter\*, father of Glenda Rosen  
 Anna Shieldkret, mother-in-law of Audrey Shieldkret  
 Carl Nathan\*, brother of Herbert Nathan  
 Theodore Scholnick, father of Abby Rubenstein

Phill Silver, father of Avarelle Silver-Westrick  
 Dorothy Braunstein, aunt of Gail Rosiak  
 Jack Cohen, grandfather of Mark Cherney and Jonathan Cherney  
 Jack Cohen, father of Ronni Cherney  
 Fay Reicher\*, grandmother of Jodie Reinharz  
 Irene Resnick, mother of Joyce Marr  
 Hy Simms, father of Laurie-Ann Weis  
 Ralph Strauss, brother of Ellen Belfer  
 Emile Timsit, father of Gaby Timsit  
 Eva Weinstein, mother of Helen Diamond  
 Harriet Bonner, mother of Cecelia Lance  
 Gilbert Lamden, mother of Franklin Lamden  
 Sarah Lapin\*, mother of Claire Stein  
 Max Neuwirth, father of Edward Neuwirth  
 Rose Varney, mother of Nina Savlov  
 Harry Frank, father of Marilyn Jerome  
 Irwin Henderstein\*, husband of Henrietta Henderstein  
 Betsy Kushner, sister of Kenneth Kushner  
 Albert Lantieri, step-father of Patti Singer  
 Murray Manesse, father of Ira Manesse  
 Shirley Merrifield, mother of Joanne Kline  
 Joe Reis, brother-in-law of Mary Jo Pelton  
 John Grose\*\*, father of Cathleen Williams  
 Herbert Frieder\*\*, father of Richard Frieder  
 Rosa Schack, mother of William Schack

## June 10/11, 2011

Helen Blanc\*, mother of Steve Blanc  
 Martin Kiefer, father of Robert Kiefer  
 Irving Kravitz, father of Jill Birch  
 Mae Strassberg\*, mother of Joan Karver  
 Allen Thurman, father of Pat Goldman  
 Moussa Younessi, brother of Mahin Schenker  
 Esther Black, grandmother of Susanna Wolfe  
 Mitchell Fleitman\*, son of Jeff and Margie Fleitman  
 Elliot Karver, brother-in-law of Joan Karver  
 Lewis Shapiro\*, father of Flo Barker  
 Shemoel Eliaho, father of Golriz Kohanteb  
 Yosef Elisha, brother of Amy Gazzar  
 Florence Levy, mother of Stanley Levy  
 Minnie Osber, grandmother of Bruce and Mary Jo Pelton  
 Anne Rosenblum, mother of Patricia Bloom  
 Inge Liston\*, mother of Jim Liston  
 Roslin Rambod\*, wife of Edward Rambod  
 Meyer Pincus\*, stepfather of Karen Horwitz  
 Rose Hyman\*, mother of Jerry Hyman  
 Herman Bonder, grandfather of Nora Keisman  
 Blanche Lefkowitz, mother of Henrietta Henderstein  
 Bahia Barzilai, aunt of Lara Engler and sister of Fortune Tawil  
 Herbert Bohrman, step-father of Evelyn Nash  
 Esther Gould, aunt of Susan Treshansky  
 Julius Rosen\*, father of Laurie Mills  
 Sylvia Treshansky, mother-in-law of Susan Treshansky  
 Sidney Wolf\*, father of Steven Wolf  
 Carol Labowitz\*, aunt of Ruthie Weiss  
 Florence Schandling, mother of Renee Adler  
 Frieda Goldschmitt, mother of Harry Goldschmitt  
 Natie Koransky, father of Colin Koransky  
 Peggy Manas, aunt of Amy Kadell

Philip Wolfson\*, father of Kenneth Wolfson

## June 17/18, 2011

Helen Grinberg, mother of Rosalind Gantman  
 Jerrold Merton\*, father of Orren Merton  
 Mark Zoller\*, son of Curt and Gertrude Zoller  
 Florence Bisheff, mother of Steve Bisheff  
 Don Devor, father of Ken Devor  
 Charlotte Kartzinel\*\*, aunt of Heather Kartzinel  
 Ed Devor, grandfather of Ken Devor  
 Rebecca Eggen, daughter of Mark and Julie Eggen  
 Jim Holliday, father of Patricia Holliday  
 Ethel Jaffe, mother of Dennis Basse  
 Carolyne Lenzner, mother of Rhonda Wasserman  
 Robert Remer, father of Teena Robinson  
 Bernard Packer\*, father of Joel Packer  
 Sol Sachs, husband of Muriel Sachs  
 Harry Atkins, brother of Francis Atkins  
 Miriam Joseph, mother of Leonard Joseph  
 Sid Lance, husband of Cecelia Lance  
 Jack Siegel, brother of Barbara Lavenstein  
 Esther Wish, grandmother of Boni Wish  
 Anne Bleeman, mother of Rosalyn Manesse  
 Morris Neiman, relative of Nora Keisman  
 Barry Packer\*, brother of Joel Packer  
 Julius Pollak, father of George Pollak  
 Albert Peller\*\*, husband of Triny Peller  
 Frieda Warshawsky\*\*, mother-in-law of Latife Warshawsky  
 Tovah Hollander\*\*, daughter of Rachel Hollander  
 Leslie Kunin\*\*, daughter of Alicia & Jerry Kunin  
 Irwin Winters\*\*, husband of Millie Schneider

## June 24/25, 2011

Faye Klein, mother of Ina Welland  
 Paul Bercovitz, father of Judith Marshack  
 Benjamin Miller\*\*, father of Steven Miller  
 Cantor David Gordon\*\*, uncle of Cantor Susan Deutsch  
 Sonya Horwitz\*\*, mother of Karen Horwitz  
 Moshe Kneller\*\*, father of Tanya Polonsky  
 Anton Stein\*\*, father of Bernard Stein  
 Phillip Kramer\*\*, father of Edith Kramer  
 Philip Kramer\*\*, father of Rita LeVine  
 Eleanor Markiewicz\*\* mother of Jacqueline Hyman  
 Garry Binder, son of Ann Binder  
 Edith Gerenraich, mother of Kenneth Gerenraich  
 Julius Widisky, uncle of Fay Zeramby  
 Rose Gurewitz, mother of Bernard Garwin  
 William Denny, brother of Carol Stanton  
 Melvin Singer, father of Carol Singer  
 Thea Bussell, mother of Kevin Bussell  
 Jerry Cohen\*, father of Scott Cohen  
 Harriet Lodge, sister of Elsie Koff  
 Soloman Pine, father of William Pine  
 Julius Schack, father of William Schack  
 Gloria Smolinsky\*, wife of Herbert Smolinsky and mother of Barbara Goodman  
 Donna Van Slyke\*, daughter of Lorraine Kramer

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## In Memoriam (continued)

Sandy Berkowitz, father of Lori Harris  
 Pearl Casden, aunt of Joan Kirschenbaum  
 Julius Glantz\*\*, husband of Suzanne Glantz  
 and father of Michelle Pardes  
 Susan Margolis, mother of Jeff Margolis  
 Allan Rothman\*, uncle of Gary Rothman  
 Edward Sacks, father-in-law of Lucille Sacks  
 Rita Mann, mother of Amy Blank  
 Jack Nahan, grandfather of Betty Drader  
 Moshe Ronen, husband of Ela Ronen  
 Ethel Schmukler\*\*, mother of Elaine Reisch  
 Dorothy Sokol, grandmother of

Karen Schindler  
 Edward Varney, father of Nina Savlov  
 Anna Drotman, mother-in-law of  
 Gilda Bierman

Mac Horowitz, grandfather of Ken Moses  
 James Horwitz\*\*, father of Karen Horwitz  
 Allan Miller\*\*, brother of Steven Miller  
 Benjamin Leftitz, brother of Leonard Leftitz  
 Rose Lichtenstein, mother of Marlene Spiegel  
 Nettie Rudolph, mother of Lucille Sacks

### July 1/2, 2011

Edward Handman, father of Sam Hahn  
 Alec Garon\*\*, son of Stacy & Jon Garon  
 Mozafar Kalai, father of Golariz Kohanteb  
 Sydney Resnick\*\*, father of Gary Resnick  
 Samuel Rosenstein, father of Rachel Hollander  
 Morton Pelzner, uncle of Marsha Young  
 Louis Rozenfeld, brother of Madeleine Nussen  
 Philip Belzer\*, father of Wendy Levin  
 Mary Brill\*, sister-in-law of Marilyn Silverman  
 Jerome Kaufman, father of Bruce Kaufman  
 Sara Kurtz, great aunt of Ken Devor  
 Luisa Roitman, aunt of Nora Keisman  
 Kenneth Rosen, father of Judith Sacks  
 Evelyn Zelle, grandmother of Robin Cohen  
 and mother of Leatrice Efron

Jay Berezin, father of Steven Berezin  
 Robert Norman, father of Gary Norman  
 Enrique Szpringer, cousin of Nora Keisman  
 Dr. Daniel Chodosh, cousin of

Kenneth Gerenraich  
 Toivo Karianinen, father of Millie Goldschmitt  
 Ruth Mendelsohn\*, mother of

Rabbi Joseph Mendelsohn

Benny Tee, father of Lonnie Tee  
 Lee Trimble, father of Jody Sandberg

Jack Visnov\*, father of Bev Kritzstein

Arthur Waltzman, brother of  
 Herbert Waltzman

Theresa Caplan\*\*, mother of Eunice Broude

Hyman Zuckerman, father of Sol Zuckerman

Sal DeLiema\*\*, father of Max and Rob

DeLiema, and husband of Rose

DeLiema

Shirley Greenberg\*\*, sister of Selma Rosen

Nathen Gantman, father of Greg Gantman

Lillian Preisler, mother of Rachele Milchiker

Jennie Stein\*\*, mother of Bernard Stein

Nancy Wolf\*\*, sister of Sheila Reiser-Okun

Benjamin Rapel\*\*, father of Harold Rapel

Gary Shelman\*\*, brother of Don Shelman

Samuel Kramer\*\*, father of Judy Amendola

Abraham Grinberg, father of

Rosalind Gantman

Dorothy Kranz\*, aunt of Avi and Shifra Crane

Anne Russo, mother of Marianne Barth

Charles Rosen, father of Aaron Rosen

Frederick Stein, father of Sue Greenfield and

grandfather of Carolyn Kappes and

Lauren Young

Wayne Wolfson, brother of Sharon Wolfson

Diane Eskow, wife of Sheldon Eskow

### July 8/9, 2011

Sarah Brenessel\*, grandmother of

Glenda Rosen

Sol Kalick, father of Sandi Brager

Ann Plocker, mother of Suzan Berns

Joy Remer, mother of Teena Robinson

Israel Jusidman\*\*, father of Hymie Jusidman

Fanny Schwartz\*\*, relative of Cathy Harp

Mollie Reisher\*\*, relative of Rosalyn Hirsch

Yvette Duhan\*\*, wife of Howard Duhan

Irina Visotskaya, mother of Ganna Levitin

Saul Gilson\*, uncle of David Mirsky

Willard Resnick, friend of Marvin Gordon

Sally Sherman, grandmother of Debra Whaley

Phillip Blank, father of Allen Blank

Hilda Kalir\*, mother of Shula Kalir-Merton and

grandmother of Orren Merton

Samuel Manaccus, uncle of Audrey Shieldkret

Beth Pevlmetr, sister of Leonard Leftitz

Emile Wijngaard, uncle of Alec Valk

Michael Goldstein\*, brother of Rob Goldstein

Shirley Rogoff, sister-in-law of Joan Karver

Elisha Elisha, father of Amy Gazzar

David Sterns, father of Daniel Sterns

Rachel Rosenbaum, mother of

Daniel Rosenbaum

Clement Nusbaum\*\*, husband of

Anne Nusbaum

### July 15/16, 2011

Hy Landman, grandfather of

Howard Landman

Harry Lange\*, father of Susan Riesz

Bessie Maskin, aunt of Leah Levy

Rose Shayness, grandmother of Brian Leish

Jenny Rosen, mother of Aaron Rosen

Veronica Schwartz, mother of Penny Tee

Janet Sternberg, mother of Elliot Sternberg

Bella Pferrer\*\*, relative of Marla Kaufman

Stanley Siegel\*\*, father of Lindi Siegel

Esther Broude\*\*, mother-in-law of

Eunice Broude

Ida Wolfson, mother of Sharon Wolfson

Abraham Angel, father of Katherine Angel

Pauline Gantman, mother of Greg Gantman

Florence Nachshen\*, mother of Shifra Crane

Steven Roseman, father of Felisa Ihly

Jacqueline Weiss, mother of Evan Weiss

Florence Honigman, mother of Sherri Phillips

Milton Jasper\*, father of Stuart Jasper

Benjamin Kasman, husband of Sarah Kasman

Daniel Marcus\*, father of Joan Colvin

David Waterman, father of Allan Waterman

Miles Efron\*, father of Robin Cohen and

husband of Leatrice Efron

Florence Grolnick, mother/mother-in-law of

Pete and Jane Moss

Vernon Rosenberg, grandfather of Lori Covey

### July 22/23, 2011

Carolyn Chernin\*, sister of Lorraine Kramer

Paul Drotman, father-in-law of Gilda Bierman

Herbert Kriegstein, father of Barry Kriegstein

Dr. Jerome Weiss, father of Andrew Weiss

Lieb Rubinow\*\*, grandfather of Barbara Miller

Ben Grohman, father of Helen Collins

Rose Lowsky, grandmother of

Linda Eisenberg

Tovah Yechezkiel, cousin of Avi and

Shifra Crane

Steven Andron, father of Carin Ong

Morton Fink, cousin of Barbara Lavenstein

Brenda Smiley\*, mother of Evan Smiley

Samuel Zelle, grandfather of Robin Cohen

and father of Leatrice Efron

Estelle Marks, mother of Kenneth Marks

William Goldstein, brother-in-law of

Marilyn Jerome

Allen Kite\*, father of Dennis Kite

Peggy McConnell, mother of Stacy Bilt

Sally Fine, grandmother of Nancy Kiefer

Lillian Greengus\*, mother of Marlene Beach

Bert Horowitz, grandmother of Ken Moses

Charles Nadel, father of Debby Cohen

Gladys Silberling\*, mother of Terry Fierle

Marci Walfish, sister of Lori Chazen

Donald Koff, father of Jeff Koff

Irma Littmann\*, cousin of Herbert Nathan

Edith Nathan\*, wife of Herbert Nathan

Eleanor Senter, mother of Sheri Senter

Helen Aspis\*\*, relative of Barbara Aspis

Alvin Plotkin\*\*, father of David Plotkin

Leonard Sandler\*\*, relative of Fran Gale

Pauline Greenberg\*\*, mother of

Barbara Mooring

Alicia Karacuschansky, mother of

Mario Karacuschansky

### July 29/30, 2011

Judith Eisenberg, sister of Susan Samueli

Dorothy Goldman, mother of Noel Schnayer

Cantor Bela Nussen, husband of

Madeleine Nussen

Iris Segal, sister of Ivan Young

Murray Friedberg\*\*, husband of

Doris Friedberg

Nathan Sommer, grandfather of Terry Hanna

Sol Fink, father of Linda Dater

Rose Fogel\*\*, mother of Sally Litten

Stanley Schoenfeld\*\*, relative of Cathy Harp

Hugo Goldschmitt, father of

Harry Goldschmitt

Donald Koff, father of Eric Koff

Bernard Rubel, father of Fredric Rubel

Lawrence Rueff, grandfather of Marissa Packin

Tobias Eliahou, father of Albert Gazzar

Dr. Harris Shapero, father of Bradley Shapero

Lucy Thurman, mother of Pat Goldman

Michael Hofmann\*, brother of Sherri Krause

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Max Kerr, father of Grace Landa  
Sylvia Lavenstein, mother of

Murray Lavenstein

Dr. Maurice Schwartz, father of  
Stefanie Schwartz

William Yates, uncle of Julia Ribak

Manuel Needle\*\*, father of Geri Weiss

Eugene Thaw\*\*, husband of Ann Thaw

Gertrude Edlen\*\* aunt of Toby Schoolman  
Jacob Hecht\*\*

Joseph Schuster\*\*, relative of Beatrice Saphra

Michael Rosen\*\*, mother of Samuel Rosen

Jennie Rosenthal\*\*, mother of Sam Peskind

Phyllis Boxer\*\*

Jamile Diwan, mother of Fortunee Tawil

Marvin Drotman\*, husband of Gilda Bierman

Dr. Paul Kushner, father of Kenneth Kushner

Phyllis Ledeen, mother of Kathy DeLiema

Gertrude London, mother of

Barbara Silverman

Morris Stevens, father of Howard Stevens

Miriam Bennell, mother of Mollie Lazarus

Gertrude Cohen, mother of Robert Cohen

Sylvia Cohen, grandmother of Jill Klein and  
mother of Bruce Rasner

Lester Elbert, uncle of Cheryl Waterman

Natalie Plotnik, cousin of Janis Schnitzer

Marty Rothman\*, father of Gary Rothman

Ronald Roys, father of Melinda Stein

Gertrude Tucker, grandmother of Marc Sacks

### August 5/6, 2011

Olga Kariainen, mother of Millie Goldschmitt

Michael Kutner, father of Frances Cohen

Jacob Schwartz, father of Penny Tee

Celia Milchiker\*\*, mother of Michael Milchiker

Arnold Yavitt \*\*, father of Susan Brown

Eunice Dobrofsky\*, mother of

David Dobrofsky

Morris Greenberg, father of Jay Greenberg

Arthur Kaufman\*\*, father of Norbert Kaufman

Robert Wall, brother of Nancy Blum

Bessie Zeramy, mother-in-law of

Fay Zeramy

Max Dolensky, father of Alan Dolensky

Leonard Ellerstein, uncle of Wayne Yost

Lewis Karpf\*, father of Douglas Karpf

Sydelle Rosenberg, grandmother of

Lori Covey

Eva Scherer, grandmother of

Arthur Wiederman

Roberta Segal, mother-in-law of

Sheldon Eskow

Sadie Weinberg\*, grandmother of Sue Duenas

Pauline Bardach, sister of Leah Levy

Louis Cherry\*\*, husband of Barbara Cherry

and father of Roxanne Cherry

Ely Frank\*\*, father of Louis Frank

Gabriel Friedman, husband of Freda Friedman

and father of Cheryl Friedman

Lorraine Rieger-Scarborough, mother of

Mary Fishenfeld

Theresa Schaeffer, great grandmother of

Terry Hanna

Sylvia Shapiro, sister of Leonard Leftitz  
Edward Lavenstein, father of

Murray Lavenstein

Charles Lubock, father of Paul Lubock

Harvey Saxon, step-father of David Adams

Chaim Cherry\*\*, relative of Barbara Cherry

Rhoda Schack, wife of William Schack

### August 12/13, 2011

Eva Welland, mother of George Welland

Louise Forman, aunt of Lori Covey

Jeri Held, sister of Laurie Held

Zehra Kahraman\*\*, relative of

Latife Warshawsky

Hyman Kesselman\*\*

Dorothy Schulman\*, sister of Selma Rosen

Harry Hillman\*, grandfather of Dennis Kite

Marshall Moskowitz, father of Carol Roane

Frieda Balowitz, grandmother of

Michelle Sharpe

Esther Cohen, aunt of Sharon Devor

Andrea Krause\*, granddaughter of

Sunny Mandel

Bernard Lafer, father of Marc Lafer

Betty Levine, grandmother of

Joanie Triestman

Gertrude Sobol, mother of Mark Sobol

Hyman Cohen, father of Robert Cohen

Charles Jacobs, father of Jeffrey Jacobs

Irwin Sherman, father of Susan Sherman

Ruth Shulman, mother-in-law of

Allyn Jaffrey-Shulman

Kenny Mucha, cousin of Laura Rothman

Ralph Silverman\*, husband of

Marilyn Silverman

George Bauer, father of Lynn Wiederman

Walter Hofmann\*, father of Sherri Krause

Richard Isen, father of Bruce Isen

Alex Pickman, husband of Lita Pickman

Jacqueline Drexler, mother of Bonnie Kehe

and Karen Morchy

Johanna Feuerstein, aunt of George Pollak

Michael Frank, brother of Deborah Brown

Harry Balowitz, grandfather of

Michelle Sharpe

Esther Reisch\*\*, mother of Sidney Reisch

### August 19/20, 2011

Barbara Sickle, sister of George Welland

Jack Sickle, brother-in-law of George Welland

Sigmont Brenessel\*, grandfather of

Glenda Rosen

Marion Levine, mother of Joel Levine

Rose Dater, mother of Harvey Dater

Mary Schoenfeld\*\*, relative of Cathy Harp

Mikki Goldstein\*\*, mother of Rob Goldstein

Meyer Vineberg\*\*

Connie Hofmann\*, mother of Sherri Krause

Benjamin Kropkof, father of William Kropkof

Dora Feldman, grandmother of Amy Kadell

Max Freedman\*\*, father of Bernard Freedman

Arnold Grothamn, father of Mary Jo Pelton

Edith Kalick, mother of Sandi Brager

Freda Lefkowitz, mother of Harriet Schwartz

Elaine Sipelstein\*, mother of Debbi Kuhn  
Charles Berg, father of Sondra Berg and

husband of Genevieve Levy

William Gilson\*, cousin of David Mirsky

Elizabeth Klein, mother of Randy Rose

Isaac Aghai, father of Mansour Kohanteb

Irving Elias, father of Jodi Cambra

Benjamin Anes\*\*, father of Rosalyn Hirsch

Rose Dater, mother of Harvey Dater

Irene Miller\*

Max Freedman\*\*, father of Bernard Freedman

Irene Roberts, aunt of Herbert Waltzman

Joan Seligsohn\*\*, mother of Bruce Seligsohn

J. Max Paley\*\*, relative of Linda Sokoloff

Maury Rosen\*\*

Joseph Galatz, brother of Pauline Sloan

William Gurewitz, father of Bernard Garwin

Millicent Hansen, sister of Francis Atkins

Barry Price, brother of Steven Price

Jack Rice, father of Rochelle Zagalsky

Victor Salz, father of Paulina Pollak

Marion Schlesinger\*, mother of

Gale Schlesinger

Sarah Sloan, mother-in-law of Pauline Sloan

### August 26/27, 2011

Sarah Cohen\*, mother of Lee Barker

Fannie Cherry\*\*, relative of Barbara Cherry

David Gassner\*\*

Irwin Resnick, father of Joyce Marr

Robert Olin, father of Sherry Mencher

Lillian Brill\*, aunt of Glenda Rosen

Sam Dater, father of Harvey Dater

Jews of Jodlowa\*\*, Jack Pariser

Jeanne Marguilies\*\*, mother of Blanche Thoma

Jeannie Kaplan\*

Billy Baker, nephew of Patricia Baker

Brenda Baker, niece of Patricia Baker

Edwin Smith, brother of Bernard Smith

Jesus Valadez, father of Jesus Valadez

Louis Esorkowsky\*\*, father of Doris Friedberg

Rena Kulick\*, mother-in-law of Debra Kulick

Rose Samuel, aunt of Julia Ribak

Leon Schwartz\*, father of Jo Anne Simon

Samuel Zeldin, grandfather of

Robert Felsenfeld

Sofia Kats, mother of Eugenia Igolnikov

Anne Weisenberg, mother of Sharri Coker

Piba Bonder, aunt of Nora Keisman

Jeffrey Moses, brother of Ken Moses

Sofya Shevelyova, mother of

Alexander Levitin

Ann Visnov, grandmother of Bev Kritzstein

Jerry Karver, brother-in-law of Joan Karver

Bernard Kriegstein, grandfather of

Barry Kriegstein

Sonja Winter, mother of Toni Reiner

Abraham Pearlman\*, father of

Michael Pearlman

Floyd Stein\*\*, father of Martin Stein

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## CLERGY CORNER *(continued from page 1)*

Looking around me I see countless manifestations of the skillful handling of life's "curve balls." I see members of our Temple Beth El family facing sudden life threatening illnesses with exemplary courage and grace. I see an absence of self pity, a determination to charge onto their battlefield with fortitude and strength, often continuing to maintain senses of humor and a wonderful ability to keep on smiling. I view them as teachers and role models in the art of living with poise while weaving the unexpected trials into the fabric of their new realities. One can only marvel at their spirits with admiration and gratitude.

I see other members of our Temple family whose setbacks may have been either financial or professional or deeply emotional as a result of a crippling loss. I have witnessed them climb out of the dark pit into which they were hurled with the energy toward healing and rebuilding fueling their every step. I see them avoiding negative musings and keeping their families on an even keel. They too are shining examples of creating certainty within life's cruel uncertainties. The resoluteness of their spirit is a model of the tenacious pursuit toward healing. They too are artists of living smoothly on rough terrain.

I see senior members within our Temple community whose sudden difficulty is the fall from a lifetime of successful, independent living to a life requiring dependence on the assistance of others for even the simplest things. It is a transition, which, although somewhat expected, is nothing short of devastating. How often we, who observe the changes in their lives, forget their immense value to us! They are the ones from whom we can learn the most. Their experiences and histories, their adventures and misadventures, their successes and failures are treasures of knowledge to be sought and harvested. THEY were the young US of yesterday. They raised us when we were children, to become the US we are today. Therefore, it is our turn to honor them by being present in their lives as thoughtfully as possible. For, WE are the THEY of tomorrow. As the great Rabbi and scholar, Hillel wisely said: *The entire Torah is this: Do unto others exactly as you wish for them to do unto you!*

Today, and every day, as we enter the gentler days of the summer months, enjoying the respite of the season, we need to remain keenly aware of those in our midst who, like Tisha'ah B'av on our Jewish calendar, have been struck by unexpected calamities. Their daily presence on their battlefields demonstrates continually that the graceful maneuvering of life's blows is the most elegant poetry of the human spirit. Its evidence surrounds us, beckoning us to share a word, to lend a hand, to listen to the eloquent song of their soul. It invites us to be inspired by the exquisite poetry of yearning to heal with our presence, as a way of elevating our own spirits to lyric radiance. For, who knows who among us could become the elegant poet of tomorrow?....

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## Our Condolences to...

Allan Weiss and family on the loss of his mother,  
**Ruth Weiss**

Kate Smiley and family on the loss of her father,  
**Edward Masket**

Jesse Cedarbaum and family on the loss of his  
mother and Temple Member,  
**Sophia Cedarbaum**

Mahvash Becker and family on the loss of her  
husband and Temple Member,  
**Scott Becker**

Kevin Bussell and family on the loss of his father,  
**Dr. Richard Bussell**

Lisa Fenning and family on the loss of her mother,  
**Joan Hill**

Howard Kline and family on the loss of his mother,  
**Claire Kline**

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**Joan Kutner**

Claire Greenberg and family on the loss of her  
husband and Temple Member,  
**Marvin Greenberg**

Doris Melnick and family on the loss of her mother,  
**Ellen Goldsmith**

Joan Koransky and family on the loss of her mother,  
**Sylvia Binder**

Sue Treshansky and family on the loss of her sister,  
**Arlene Krinsky**

Stephanie Medoff-Jay and family on the loss of her  
father, **Maxwell Craig Medoff**



# JUNE 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 9:15am ECC PTO Meeting 10am Mah Jongg	2	3 4:30pm Synaplex Shabbat 6pm Shabbat Dinner 7pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service	4 9am Torah Study 9:30am Conservative Service 10am Service led by Confirmation Class
5	6 7am Minyan 11:30am TB Elders Luncheon 5:30pm BESTY/USY Board Elections 6pm Men's Club Poker Night 6:30pm Chanting Torah Class	7 12:30pm Temple offices & schools close 8:30pm Shavuot Service 9pm Tikkun Leil Shavuot	8 Temple offices & schools closed 6am Shavuot Sunrise Service 9:30am Conservative 1st Day Shavuot Service	9 9:30am Conservative 2nd Day Shavuot Service & Yizkor 9:30am Men's Club Breakfast (at Coco's)	10 7:30pm Shabbat Service	11 9am Torah Study 9:30am Conservative Service 10am Service & Charlie Kappes Bar Mitzvah
12 11am BESTY/USY Beach Party	13 7am Minyan 10am Yiddish Conversation Group 12pm Jewish Mysticism 6:30pm Chanting Torah Class 7pm Annual Congregational Meeting	14	15	16 7am Minyan Last day of ECC classes (school closes at 12:30pm) 7:30pm Women of the Book	17 5:30pm Oneg 6pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service	18 9am Torah Study 9:30am Conservative Service 10am Service & Clara Rosenberg Bat Mitzvah
19	20 7am Minyan	21 11:30am Daytime Book Club	22	23 7am Minyan	24 7:30pm Shabbat Service	25 9am Torah Study 9:30am Conservative Service 10am Service & Emily Green Bat Mitzvah
26	27 7am Minyan 12pm Jewish Mysticism	28 9:30am TB Elders Trip to LA's Skirball Jewish Museum	29	30 7am Minyan		

# JULY 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 5:30pm Oneg  6pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service  Shabbat Chai Early/Discounted Registration Deadline	2 9am Torah Study  9:30am Conservative Service  10am Service & Britton Friedman & Jamie Kern B'nai Mitzvah
3	4 Temple offices & schools closed  9am Minyan	5	6	7 7am Minyan	8   5:30pm Oneg  6pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service	9 9am Torah Study  9:30am Conservative Service  10am Service & Evan Hershman & Rachel Lustig B'nai Mitzvah
10	11 7am Minyan  12pm Jewish Mysticism  6pm Men's Club Poker Night	12	13	14 7am Minyan  9:30am Men's Club Breakfast (at Coco's)	15   5:30pm Oneg  6pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service	16 9am Torah Study  9:30am Conservative Service  10am Service & Laura & Rebekah Sterns B'not Mitzvah
17	18 7am Minyan	19 11:30am Daytime Book Club	20	21 7am Minyan	22   5:30pm Oneg  6pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service	23 9am Torah Study  9:30am Conservative Service  10am Service & Jodi Goldman & Leslee Parker B'not Mitzvah
24	25 7am Minyan  12pm Jewish Mysticism	26	27	28 7am Minyan	29   7:30pm Shabbat Service	30 9am Torah Study  9:30am Conservative Service  10am Service & Marissa & Laura McDermott B'not Mitzvah
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# AUGUST 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 7am Minyan	2	3	4 7am Minyan	5 5:30pm Oneg 6pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service Temple Talk Submission Deadline	6 9am Torah Study 9:30am Conservative Service 10am Service & Shayna Morrison & Michael Slade B'nai Mitzvah
7	8 7am Minyan 12pm Jewish Mysticism 6pm Men's Club Poker Night 7pm Tisha B'av Healing Service	9 Tisha B'Av	10	11 7am Minyan 9:30am Men's Club Breakfast (at Coco's)	12 5:30pm Oneg 6pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service	13 9am Torah Study 9:30am Conservative Service & Jacob Rothberg Bar Mitzvah 10am Service & David & Nathan Rotter B'nai Mitzvah
14	15 7am Minyan	16 11:30am Daytime Book Club	17 6pm Women of the Book (off-site)	18 7am Minyan	19 5:30pm Oneg 6pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service	20 9am Torah Study 9:30am Conservative Service 10am Service & Emma Barnes & Noah Katz B'nai Mitzvah
21	22 7am Minyan 12pm Jewish Mysticism	23	24	25 7am Minyan	26 7:30pm Shabbat Service	27 9am Torah Study 9:30am Conservative Service 10am Service & Amanda & Zoe Brown B'not Mitzvah
28	29 7am Minyan	30	31			

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