

Voice of the Shore

Congregation Torat El ~ Jersey Shore Jewish Center February 2015 Shevat/Adar 5775

Services

Weekday Mornings

Sunday: 8:30am Monday-Friday: 8:00am

Weekday Evenings Monday-Thursday: 7:00pm

Shabbat Evening Services

1st, 3rd, 4th Friday ~ 6:30pm 2nd Friday ~ 8:00pm

Shabbat Morning Services

9:00am ☆☆☆☆

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Lisa Sherman

IN CONCERT

Saturday, March 21, 2015 Doors Open - 8:15рм Show Time - 8:30рм

Join us for an evening of Music, Dancing, Wine and Dessert

\$50 per person, \$450 per table of 10

For further details please contact the temple office at (732) 531-4410 For tickets visit lisasherman.torat-el.org

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February Service Announcements

Shabbat Service 6:30 pm

YAHRZEITS: Sylvia Berman, Bessie Cohen, Paul Dorfman, Lena Gaber, Sophie Goldwasser, Milton Goodman, Anna Hoffer, Anne Jupitor, Fran Karasic, Henry Kirk, Arnold Levin, Emma Marshal, Edwin Marx, Frances Pellmar, Harry Richter, Henry Safian, Anita Schonbrun, Richard Shutman, Joseph Singer, Samuel Starrett, Dorothy Stazyn, Koppel Steinberg, Bryan Taxin, Irving Vorchin, Charlotte Webman, Robert White, Betty Zolten

Saturday, February 7, 2015

Friday, February 6, 2015

Shabbat Morning Service ~ 9:00 am

Haftarah: Isaiah 6:1-7:6, 9:5-6

Friday, February 13, 2015

YAHRZEITS: Charles Anapol, Leroy Bennett, Lillian Bernstein, Ida Block, Irving Bloom, Donald Borger, Lawrence Breslow, Jacob Darrow, Robert Drazin, Max Dunkel, Rafal Edelsberg, Louis English, Rita Fight, Robert Fisher, Ursula Forem, Paula Gluck, Rosalie Goodman, Esther Karasic Bogage, Harold Koyner, Sydney Kramer, Nissan Krongelb, Max Landsman, Naum Lazinsky, Leonard Leibowitz, Shirley Marlieb, Anne Posner, Murray Richelson, James Schneider, Harry Schwartz, Howard Sprechman, Mary Suskin, Stanley Thomas

Saturday, February 14, 2015

Parsha: Mishpatim 22:4-23:19 Shabbat Shekalim — Maftir: Exodus 30:11-16

Shabbat Morning Service ~ 9:00 am Jr. Congregation ~ 10:30 am

Lunch & Learn to follow services

Friday, February 20, 2015 Shabbat Service 6:30 pm YAHRZEITS: Dina Bercovicz Stauber, Saul Berlin, Minnie Bromberg, Rita Comer, Isidore Crystal, Minnie Curtis, Hedy Dorn, Lena Gelfman, Cynthia Gruber, Herman Gruber, Susan Hipschman, Leon Horenstein, Monroe Javerbaum, Sidney Katz, Ida Kessel, Frieda Krengel, David Krivins, Wilbur Krivins, Morris Maltz, Lillian Margulis, Miriam Mayerowitz, Naftole Melnick, Ada Mintzer, Joseph Mintzer, Anna Popok, Saul Poretzky, Anita Resnick, Pauline Retholtz, Ellen Sanabria, Irma Schwartz, Magdalena Stern, Yetta Weisman, Sidney Zimmerman

Saturday, February 21, 2015 Parsha: Terumah 26:1-30		Haftarah: 1 Kings 5:26-6:13
	Shabbat Morning Service ~ 9:00 am	

Friday, February 27, 2015

Shabbat Service 6:30 pm

YAHRZEITS: Lillian Adler, Beatrice Belicove, Jacob Benofsky, Esther Brown, Lillian Drimmer, Rose Dulberger, Max Epstein, Sylvia Fisher, Gertrude Flato, Roslyn Gaber, Clara Garr, Julia Greenblatt, Flora Gurman, Rona Kalika, Kenneth Kouri, Samuel Kreizman, Adolf "Al" Krongold, Frances Lefton, Maxwell Margulis, Paula Popok, Kate Poretzky, Fishel Reuven, Molly Rosenstein, Rose Rothberg, Matthew Schwatzman, Louis Sobel, Joseph Weiner

Saturday, February 28, 2015 Parsha: Tetsavveh 28:31-29:18 Haftarah: 1 Samuel 15:2-34 Shabbat Zakhor — Maftir: Deut. 25:17-19

Shabbat Morning Service ~ 9:00 am Jr. Congregation ~ 10:30 am

WORLD WIDE WRAP SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1ST - 8:30AM

Open to all of the men, women and teens in our congregation A chance to wrap ourselves in tallit and tefillin on the same day as tens of thousands of our fellow Jews worldwide. Special 8:30am Minvan followed by a deluxe breakfast.

Haftarah: 2 Kings 12:1-17

Candles 5:11 pm

Candles 5:19 pm

Shabbat Service 8:00 pm

Candles 5:27 pm

Candles 5:03 pm

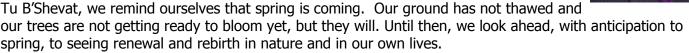
Parsha: Yitro 19:1-20:23

Tu B'Shevat: A Time for Rebirth and Renewal

"A person is like a tree of the field," Deuteronomy 20:19 tells us we need to nourish our roots to stand strong, to grow and produce. Tu B'Shevat is beginning of spring in Israel and is known as the birthday of the trees. It is also a time of rebirth and renewal. This year Tu B'Shevat begins at sundown on February 3 and continues until sundown on February 4th.

Tu B'Shevat is not mentioned in the Torah but rather is believed to originally be an agricultural holiday celebrating the beginning of spring in Israel. By Tu B'Shevat, in Israel, most of the winter rains have already fallen and the sap inside trees is starting to rise, causing new buds to form and the trees to bloom in spring.

Here in New Jersey, it looks like anything but the beginning of spring. In the dead of winter, cold and dark, we recently celebrated the Festival of Hanukkah. Each night, we lit an additional candle, reminding us that light can push back darkness. So too, with



Tu B'Shevat is a great time to look to the areas of our lives that have not had attention recently. This can be difficult but it is ultimately worthwhile. Last week, I was thinking about an old friend. Both our lives have gotten busy and we haven't talked for many months, maybe even a year. When we finally reached each other on the phone and could both talk, the beginning of our conversation was a bit forced and difficult. As the conversation continued, it became easier and we shared more with each other, picking up right where we left off. The longer we spoke, the more we were reminded of how much we care for each other. While a bit difficult at first, one phone call renewed our friendship.

This type of renewal is at the heart of Tu B'Shevat. Just as nature renews itself to blossom and flower, we can as well. How can you bring new life into your relationships? Get back in touch with old friends and rekindle friendships. Has it been a while since you made shabbat dinner or come to synagogue? Join us, we would love to see you. Have you started a project and haven't worked on it in a long time? Pick it back up again. While we wait through winter for our beginning of spring, we can bring new life and renewal to our lives. We can nourish our roots and continue to grow, just as the trees in Israel are starting to do.

Rabbi Sara Metz

USY Event!

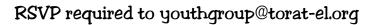
"Sort and Schmooze" at the Foodbank of Monmouth and Ocean Counties

Help sort donated food while having a great time with your friends!

Thursday, February 5th - 6:00-8:00pm

3300 Route 66, Neptune, NJ

Open to all Torat El teens ages 13 and up. **Limited Space**







Sounds of Silence

The Simon and Garfunkel hit from 1965 continues to resonate for many of us. Of course silence in the form of quiet and calm is something we all value. Paul Simon's lyrics speak to a different silence. Art Garfunkel has been quoted that their collaboration focuses on the difficultly we all have sometimes in communicating -- "people talking without speaking, people hearing without listening". The lyrics plead with us to take the time to listen to one another, to reach out to each other, and to "disturb the sound of silence".

During our recent Martin Luther King service, the importance of speaking out was a constant theme. Amongst Dr. King's many teachings is the tenet that speaking out can create positive change. History, particularly the history of our people, is replete with examples of the positive value of speaking out and negative impact of silence when speaking out is needed.

Our Congregation is hardly silent. Our voices are heard during the many discussions and education classes. We are heard in our efforts helping our community and in social action. The interchange between our students and our teachers adds to our voices.

Yet, there is the opportunity to do more to "disturb the sound of silence" as a community. There is more that we can do to use our words and actions to effectuate positive social change. We can increase the warmth and connections created when we learn and experience together. Your voices, your opinions, encouragement, concerns, suggestions, and questions are also critical to the continued progress of our Congregation.

On behalf of our lay leadership, staff, and clergy I ask that you help decrease the "sound of silence" with your voices and participation.

- Join our Social Action Committee and our Helping Hands & Chesed Committee by volunteering through our website, calling our office, or calling our committee chairs who are listed in our monthly bulletin.

- Come to our discussions during services and our education classes. The dates and times of our services and classes are listed in our bulletin calendar. You can also check our website, our weekly announcements at services, and Pam's weekly e-mail blasts.

- Add your voice if you have opinions, words of encouragement, concerns, suggestions, or questions. Speak to our Board members (who are all listed in our Bulletin) or e-mail me at President@Torat-el.org.

In the upcoming weeks and months we will be sending out requests that need your response. In a few weeks we will be asking you to select your own Giving Level as we consider moving from our current dues model to a Sustainability Model. Information about the Sustainability Model is available at http://torat-el.org/dialogue-on-dues/.

Your input and your voices are critical when we send out inquiries and surveys. Please speak up so we can listen.

B'Shalom,

Andrew Robins, President

Hazak Happenings

Irving Berlin Lecture-in-Song

Featuring at the piano Fred Miller Coffee & Dessert

\$8 Hazak Members - \$10 Guests RSVP to the Temple Office at 732-531-4410 *Sunday, February 1st - 3:00 PM*

Bagels & Lecture "Crossing the Line Divest, Sanction and Anti-Semitism on Campus"

Jules D. Cohn Chairperson of Israeli Affairs Committee of Marlboro Jewish Center

No Charge

For planning purposes please RSVP to the Temple Office at 732-531-4410

Sunday, March 15th - 10:30 AM

Camp Hazak 2015 at the Hudson Valley Resort & Spa June 24th - July 1st

Welcome To Camp Hazak

Camp Hazak at the Hudson Valley Resort is located just 90 miles from New York City, nestled in the heart of the beautiful Shawangunk Mountains. Its 400 wooded acres surrounded by picturesque Catskill views makes this the perfect environment to come and learn together as a community while enjoying the Hudson Valley Resort's recreational facilities.

Destinations by Yossi Zablocki, will once again work to provide you with the greatest recreational programming, nightly entertainment and elegant dining. They offer three strictly kosher meals a day, and can accommodate any of your dietary requests. Destinations run holiday programming for seniors and families throughout the year, as well as an enhanced senior program throughout the summer.

Double Occupany \$1289 Single Occupancy \$1289

Call Sheila Morris for further information or questions 732-695-1145.



Featured Hazak Scholars and Topics:

Laura Wetzler - A World of Jewish Music Randal Woodfield - Hits and Misses Susan Leviton - A Musical Look at Our Collective Journeys Sheldon Horowitz - Our Resident Attorney Gloria Goldreich - Hazak Book Club Eric Goldman - Jewish Culture and Cinema Rabbi Mayer Rabinowitz - Text and Talmud Jo-Anne Tucker-Zemlak - Hazak Coordinator Rabbi Moshe Edelman - Rabbi in Residence

Your Complete Package Includes:

Roundtrip bus transportation from various pick-up points Comfortable accommodations all under one roof: Double, Single and Arranged Shares, all with air conditioning, private bath and daily housekeeping Scrumptious Glatt Kosher meals - with choice of entrée & snacks Indoor and Outdoor Pools Tennis and Basketball Courts Fitness Center open all day Crafts/Aerobics/Zumba Daily & Shabbat Services Nightly Activities and Entertainment

JOIN THE GROWING CADRE OF TEENS AND ADULTS WHO ARE LEADING SERVICES AND CHANTING TORAH AND HAFTARAH

Between July 1, 2014 and Dec. 31, 2014, more than **75** different individuals led the various parts of the Service, read Torah, and chanted Haftarah. If you are interested in chanting your Bar/Bat Mitzvah Haftarah, or if you are interested in learning to become a CTE Leader/Reader, please contact Ben Laskowitz at benlaskowitz@torat-el.org, cell # 732-861-7450.

During the month of **December 2014**, the following individuals performed the Mitzvah of reading Torah, chanting the Haftarah, and/or leading Shacharit, Musaf and the Torah Service.

Emily Bauer Jeffrey Bauer Barbara Boden Madyson Einhorn Mark Engel Steven Fineberg Lewis Fisher Bruce Forman Michael Gordon

Yasher Koach To All!!!

Harvey Jacob Forrest Kelly Randi Kervick Ben Laskowitz Rabbi Metz Sheila Morris Joshua Pickelny Bonnie Reiss Michele Robins Rabbi Schonbrun Cantor Siegel Alan Stern Toby Sukinik Rebecca Sundt Neil Weitzenkorn Rachel Weitzenkorn



The Mitten Menorah is Back!!!!!!!

There's nothing like a good yarn – we're talking about scarves, gloves, mittens, and hats. The Mitten Menorah will be in the Religious School lobby throughout the winter season. Kitah Zayin will be collecting your donations of newly purchased or crafted MITTENS, HATS, GLOVES, and SCARVES. Let's help keep our neighbors warm!

Religious School News



For the continued safety of our students and staff, the doors of the synagogue will remain locked while Religious School is in session.

We realize there are times when you must pick up your child early. Therefore, the following procedures have been put in place:

- If you are picking up early, please call ahead, send an e-mail or send a note with your child letting Rabbi Metz know what time you will be picking up your child. This enables us to retrieve your child from class as quickly as possible.
- When you arrive, you will be asked to sign your child out.
- After 5pm on Wednesdays and on Sunday mornings, to gain entry to the building after school has started, please call 732-456-0489. Either Rabbi Metz or one of our teachers will answer the phone and the door will be opened for you as soon as possible. A sign will be posted on the door of the Religious School with the phone number as well.

The entire school comes together at the end of the day for tefillah in the small sanctuary. The teachers and Rabbi Metz love every opportunity to greet parents. Please feel free to park your car, come in for tefillah and see your child in action.

If you do not wish to come in, you may pick up through the carpool line, which will now begin in front of the Main Sanctuary doors, rather than down at the Religious School entrance.

As always, our children's safety is our highest priority. Rabbi Metz and the Education Committee welcome your comments and suggestions as we continue to work toward making dismissal a safe, smooth and convenient process.

Feb. 1st - No Religious School

- Feb. 1st Religious School Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Feb. 8th Sixth Grade B'nai Mitzvah Workshop
- Feb. 14th Junior Congregation
- Feb. 15th No Religious School
- Feb. 28th Junior Congregation
- March 1st Purim Carnival



This and That

A Letter From Jewish Family and Children's Service to our Kitan Zayin Class

Dear Members of the Kitan Zayin Class,

Jewish Family and Children's Service wishes to extend to you our deepest appreciation for the wonderful job you did with the Mitten Menorah to benefit the clients of JF&CS.

Each year JF&CS provides mittens, gloves, hats and scarves to needy families. With so many families out of work at this time it is difficult to provide warm mittens or gloves for their children. Not only have these individuals lost their jobs, but many have lost their homes and dignity as well.

Your kindness has made it just a little easier on them knowing that their children will have warm hands this cold winter.

Sincerely, Amy Dorfman, LCSW Barbara J. Marshall, Director of Operations



Jewish Yoga

Certified Yogi "Omkari" will lead us to serenity. All levels welcome. Join us in the Social Hall and bring a yoga mat and light blanket/beach towel. Dress in comfortable clothes. \$10 cash per person. Open to non-members; bring a friend! Call Phyllis Jacobs at 732-531-3633 with yoga questions.

Friday mornings 9:15am - No class Feb. 6th

Caregiver Support Group

The Caregiver Support Group provides a supportive and educational environment to caregivers taking care of parents, spouses and family members in a safe and non-judgemental environment. The group aims to provide comfort to members by creating the opportunity to share common experiences and learn coping strategies. Members gain perspective and caregiver stress management tools that come from hearing others talk.

Cindy Hyman, LCSW facilitates this on-going monthly support group.

The Caregiver Support Group meets on the 3rd Monday of each month.

This program, which is held at Congregation Torat El, is open to the community and has been made possible by a generous grant from the Jewish Federation of Monmouth County. **The next meeting date is February 16th at 7:30pm.**

Planned Giving

Your participation in CTE's Estate Planning Program can help ensure that our synagogue, services, and programs that have been meaningful to you will be sustained and available to give that same meaning and enrichment to others. Contact our Executive Director or President who can inform you on the numerous gift opportunities available and their benefits to both Congregation Torat El and you.

Congregation Torat El Community Seder Friday, April 3rd - 6:30pm

Please join us this year as we celebrate Shabbat and Passover during our fourth annual community Seder. Why the first night all of a sudden? What makes this year different from all other years? Great questions a holiday that is all about questions! The answer is that the overlap of Passover and Shabbat made it logistically and practically very challenging to start the second seder at a reasonable hour. And while our timing may be different, the amazing time that we have as a community at this annual event promises to be the same! So please bring your friends, neighbors, and family and join us this year as we celebrate Shabbat and the First Seder together!



MENU INCLUDES:

Appetizers: Gefilte Fish, Chopped Liver

Main Dishes: Roast Chicken, Brisket, Matzoh Lasagna

Side Dishes: Potato Kugel, Matzoh Stuffing, Roasted Mixed Vegetables

> **Dessert:** Cake & Macaroons, Fruit Platters

Adults: \$50 Children under 13: \$22 Children under 5: no charge Each table will be provided with its own Seder Plate, Matzoh, Charoses

Tables may be reserved for parties of 8 or more.

Due to the			temple office no later than March 25th. Inderstand that this deadline cannot be extended
Name			Phone
	# Adults #	# Children 5-13	# Children 4 and under
	Tot	al Amount Enclosed:	\$

Adult Education with Rabbi Schonbrun

ONGOING CLASSES:

Chai Mitzvah Program Sundays: 9:30-10:30am - February 8, March 8, March 29, April 19, May 10

Wednesday Lunch 'n Learn (Jewish Ethics 101) Wednesdays: 12:00-1:00pm

The Joys and Challenges of being a Parent to Jewish Teens

Being a parent is one of the most rewarding experiences in the world, but it can also be one of the most challenging -- especially during the teenage years. During this course we will explore the joys and challenges of being a Jewish Parent. Come join us as we learn and share together in a thoughtful, safe, and engaging environment. *Wednesdays: 7:30-8:30pm -* February 4, 11, 18, 25, March 11, 18, 25

Our Synagogue Families

Our Synagogue Families **The Torat El Family extends condolences to:** The family of Morris Acker The family of Eleanor Kotin Richard Reich on the loss of his mother, Sylvia Reich Elaine Rubenstein on the loss of her husband, Stanley Rubenstein

The Torat El Family wishes Mazel Tov to:

Toby & Martin Sukinik on their 50th wedding anniversary Beverle & Howard Richelson on the birth of their granddaughter, Alissa Mattie

The Torat El Family Welcomes:

Matthew, Tracie, Lindsay & William Lissauer

If you have a simcha to share with the CTE family please call the temple office at 732-531-4410!

Together 🖸 🕇

It's almost Purim...come celebrate the month of Adar with a Topsy Turvey Breakfast for Dinner Shabbat

Friday, February 20th - 6:30pm dinner followed by service

Featuring Pam's Famous French Toast!

Adults: \$15 Kids 6-13: \$10 Kids 5 and under: No Charge

Reservations requested by February 18th! Call the temple office or visit breakfastfordinner.torat-el.org





Sisterhood Chai Lites

Sisterhood's Annual Hamantashen Bake-A-Thon Sunday, February 22nd ~ 8am - 1pm

Please give us your help any time between these hours. Do your mitzvah while the kids are in Sunday School!

Wanted: Kneaders, pinchers, fillers, bakers, counters and your smiles! Please, no children under the age of 13

Our delicious cookies are provided to our college students, our religious school students and teachers, our Shalach Manot recipients and at our Purim celebrations!

1 dozen \$6 - 2 dozen \$10

To place a hamanstachen order or to volunteer *your time contact:* Kim Sherman 732-493-1971 or kimsherm@gmail.com Carri Silverberg 732-245-8939 or ctesisterhood@gmail.com

Orders must be placed by February 8th

Shalach Manot Purim Baskets

The four mitzvot of Purim are: hearing the reading of the Megillah, giving monetary gifts to the poor, giving two foods gifts to at least one person and eating a festive Purim meal. Sisterhood is here to help!

*Checks payable to Congregtion Torat El Sisterhood \$5.00 PER BASKET \$15.00 per BASKET for NON-Temple Members *within delivery area*

Are you visiting relatives, going to a Purim party, need a house gift? We assemble the basket - you pick it up at CTE on February 22nd.

ORDER DEADLINE: Thursday, February 5, 2015

Completed forms and payment may be dropped off at the temple office or mailed to: CTE 301 Monmouth Road Oakhurst, NJ 07755

*Payment in full guarantees your basket. For planning purposes deadline must be strictly be adhered to.

For questions, call/email: Jeanne Isaacson at 732-493-8375 or jeanneri76@gmail.com Janet Cohen at 732-493-0367 or Linda Gurman at 732-493-0668

March Mah-Jongg Madness

6 Rounds of play (3 in the morning and 3 in the afternoon with lunch in the middle) **Cash Prizes** Sunday, March 22nd **Congregation Torat El** 301 Monmouth Rd, Oakhurst, NJ 07755 9:30-4:30 Play begins at 10:00a.m. Sharp Advance registration only by March 13th +++Register by March 1 and take \$5.00 discount+++ Please RSVP by mail only using registration form to the right **Registration Fee: \$30.00 Sisterhood** Members, \$35.00 for all others *Remember to bring your current 2014 card* Questions? Call Carol at 732-922-3603

Phone reservations will not be accepted

Mah Jongg Madness Reservation Form

Name \$ enclosed

Phone # You will receive a phone call/email to confirm reservation.

Email

Sisterhood Member Y N (circle one) (Sisterhood gets \$5.00 discount)

Would you be interested in being an East*? Y N (circle one)

*Being East requires bringing a Mah Jongg set and assisting with scoring. We need 1 in 4 participants to be East for a successful Mah Jongg tournament.

Mail completed form along with check made payable to: CTE Sisterhood

To: Carol Klein, 26 Stonehenge Dr., Ocean, NJ 07712

Shalach Manot Purim Baskets

YOUR NAME

(Please print)

PHONE #__

(Cell or home phone if we need to reach you)

Purim begins at sundown, Wednesday, March 4th. All deliveries will be made from February 22nd-27th.

To help us with deliveries, please be sure your recipients will not be away!

If so, we will send them a lovely card in lieu of the basket.

Please be specific when listing your recipients!

* NOT "The Cohen Family" but "Susan and Fred Cohen and Family"

* There are many temple members with the same last name.

SHALACH MANOT PURIM BASKET ORDER FORM - ORDER DEADLINE 2/5

Please send baskets to the following recipients: (Be sure to include complete addresses for those who are not CTE members)

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I wish to send reciprocal greetings to all who sent to me, but are not included in my list above. I know I will be billed \$5 per reciprocal greeting. YES _____ *please initial Our computer allows us to enter reciprocals only if you have ordered at least one basket yourself.

Total Number of CTE listings @ \$5 each Total Number of Non-CTE listings (please include delivery address) @\$15 each

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED

We gratefully acknowledge the following donations

Congregation Torat El General Fund Jane-Rachel & Rabbi Aaron Schonbrun

In Honor Of:

Rabbi Schonbrun for all he did by *Kim Sherman & the Einhorn Family*

Rabbi Metz for all she did by *Kim Sherman & the Einhorn Family*

Ben Laskowitz for all he did by *Kim Sherman & the Einhorn Family*

The birth of Beverle & Howard Richelson's granddaughter Alissa Mattie by *Sandy & Fred Singer, Terry & Irving Zimmerman*

Speedy Recovery To:

Donna Opatosky by *Marjorie & Stanley Cotler* Pamela Segner, Sam Lubin, Monica Lubin, David Segner, Marvin Segner, Rosalind Segner, Charlise Jane Segner, Thelma Scheff, Florence Hirsch, Phyllis Barach, Ronelle Maher, Mark Taylor by *Sam Segner*

In Memory Of:

Blanche Furie – mother of Linda Ganz by *Honey & Larry Karasic*

Sylvia Reich – mother of Richard Reich by *Fred & Sandy Singer, Honey & Larry Karasic, Mickey, Steve & Dean Walter*

Barbara Segner – wife of Sam Segner by *Irving & Shirley Kullback, Burt & Regina Pickover*

Helen Sue Abraham – wife of Emanuel Abraham by *Joan Fishman*

Nat Lipetz by Al & Irene Landis

Shirley Palevsky Cowan by **Terry & Irving Zimmerman** Max Adler – husband of Greta Adler by **Sam Segner** Private Murray Heinish by **Sam Segner** Irwin Hirsch by **Sam Segner** Herbert Kaplan by **Sam Segner** Grandfather of David Kaplan by **Sam Segner** Sue Hirshfield's mother by **Jane & Garry Grabelle**

Rabbi Schonbrun's Discretionary Fund Joshua & Lori Schor

In Memory Of: Blanche Furie – mother of Linda Ganz by *Linda & Kenneth Ganz & Family*

Rabbi Metz's Discretionary Fund Joshua & Lori Schor

<u>Kitchen Fund</u> In Memory Of: Sylvia Reich – mother of Richard Reich by *Marjorie & Stanley Cotler*

Kiddush Fund

In Honor Of: Sam Warm's 95th birthday by **Ellie & Michael Breslow**

In Memory Of:

Blanche Furie – mother of Linda Ganz by **Bobbi & Stan Meckler** Sylvia Reich – mother of Richard Reich by **Susan & Craig Sprung & Family** Walter Sheps – uncle of Jeff Klein by **Susan & Craig Sprung & Family**

Library Fund

In Memory Of: Barbara L. Segner – wife of Sam Segner by *Sam Segner*

Susan Samuel Memorial Fund

In Memory Of:

Sarah Samuel – mother of Myron Samuel by *Ellen & Myron Samuel*

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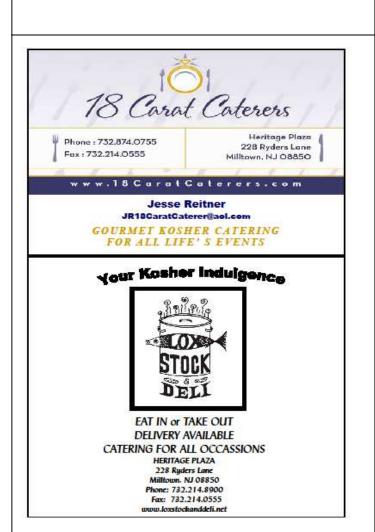
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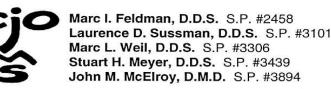
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