

Voice of the Shore

Congregation Torat El ~ Jersey Shore Jewish Center
November 2019 - Cheshvan/Kislev 5780

Annual Rummage Sale and Boutique!

Sunday, November 17 9:00am-2:00pm

Monday, November 18 9:00am-12:00pm



Drop off dates:

Sunday, Nov. 10 ~ 9:00am-2:00pm

Monday, Nov. 11:

10:00am-2:00pm, 4:30-7:30pm

Jewelry donations now being accepted in the temple office.

(NO mattresses or upholstered furniture, computers, TVs, printers, knives, medical equipment)

See page 9 for additional information and volunteer opportunities

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November Service Announcements

Friday, November 1, 2019 **Erev Shabbat Service ~ 7:15pm** **Candles 5:34pm**
 YAHRZEITS: Ann Barr, Sylvia Bennett, Karin Bogner, Sylvia Dennis, Sally Detzky, Muriel Dulberger, Ruth Friedland, Lena Horvitz, Esther Kaplan, Sheldon Kaplan, Marshall Klein, Sidney Kuchin, Morris Mandel, Paul Morris, Stanley Rediker, Sophie Rothenberg, Arthur Salaman, Charles Schulman, Kitty Secol, Mildred Shapiro, Dorothy Tillis, Ruth Wahl, Leonard Weinstein

Saturday, November 2, 2019 **Shabbat Morning Service ~ 9:00am**
Parsha: Noah 6:9-8:14 **Haftarah: Isaiah 54:1-55:5**

Friday, November 8, 2019 **Erev Shabbat Service ~ 7:15pm** **Candles 4:26pm**
Oneg sponsored by the Abrams Family in honor of Ryan's Bat Mitzvah

YAHRZEITS: Ronald Barrett, Irving Bogner, Sylvia Cook, Milford Dulberger, Ruth Elson, David Epstein, Bradd Feldbaum, Joseph Friedland, Ida Gerechoff, Bernard Ginsberg, Stanley Goldfus, June Goldwasser, William Goodman, Dora Grabelle, Albert Kaye, Sylvia Klein, Herman Klorman, Lillian Kraft, Roslyn Kreisler, Thelma Krivins, Martin Landis, Betty Lavene, Arthur Leibman, Milton Markowitz, Ira Merbaum, Jerry Newlander, Benjamin Sacher, Lillian Schonberg, Esther Schwebel, Stephen Shapiro, Harold Steinberg, Larry Stern, Morris Vorchin, Morris Wizansky, Miriam Zimmern

Saturday, November 9, 2019 **Shabbat Morning Service ~ 9:00am**
Bat Mitzvah of Ryan Abrams
Parsha: 12:1-13:18 **Haftarah: Isaiah 40:27-41:16**
Kiddush Luncheon sponsored the Abrams Family in honor of Ryan's Bat Mitzvah

Friday, November 15, 2019 **Erev Shabbat Service ~ 7:15 pm** **Candles 4:19pm**
 YAHRZEITS: Charles Adler, Joan Becourtney, Annette Berger, Max Block, Irving Ceranka, Herman Cohen, Nathan Comer, Eda Cowen, Harry Davis, Bluma Feldman, Henry Glickman, Emanuel Greenfield, Julius Greenhut, Esther Miller, George Schwartz, Richard Tillis, Gladys Uslan, Robert Uslan, Jill Weiss, Siegfried Weitzenkorn, Mary Woda

Saturday, November 16, 2019 **Shabbat Morning Service ~ 9:00 am**
Parsha: Vayera 18:1-33 **Haftarah: 2 Kings 4:1-37**
Grab & Go Kiddush

Friday, November 22, 2019 **Erev Shabbat Service ~ 7:15 pm** **Candles 4:14pm**
Oneg sponsored by Tracie & Matthew Lissauer in honor of William's Bar Mitzvah

YAHRZEITS: Max Anderman, David Bawnik, Yetta Bersek, Sylvia Bey, Terry Chetkin, Roz Fisher, Jennie Handel, Joseph Herbstman, Hyman Kadesh, Jean Kantrowitz, Rebecca Karasic, Reuben Karasic, Newton Klein, Monroe Marx, Louis Medwin, Bessie Nelson, Irving Netkin, Arthur Nudelman, Mollie Ozarow, Isadore Prager, Lena Schreiber, Morris Schwartz, Jacob Shooman, Finnette Zimet, Ralph Zimmerman

Saturday, November 23, 2019 **Shabbat Morning Service ~ 9:00 am**
Bar Mitzvah of William Lissauer
Parsha: Hayyey Sarah 23:1-24:9 **Haftarah: 1 Kings 1:1-31**
Kiddush Luncheon sponsored by Tracie & Matthew Lissauer in honor of William's Bar Mitzvah

Friday, November 29, 2019 **Erev Shabbat Service ~ 7:15 pm** **Candles 4:11pm**

YAHRZEITS: Rose Blume, Bernard Cook, Bertha Crawford, Estelle Ezechel, Blanche Furie, Judith Gerard, Albert Gerechoff, Daniel Gold, Moses Goldman, Cynthia Latish Gould, Sheldon Horvitz, Irving Kalika, Samuel Kraft, Lora Lang, Josef Lasko, Jeanne Leibowitz, Marsha Levy, Milton Lewis, Hilda Nagrod, Ila Nelson, Fanny Osher, Samuel Osher, Frieda Reisch, Yenita Rosenbluth, Selwyn Rosenheck, Nelson Sabin, Frank Schwartz, Clara Semel, William Shorr, Rebecca Siegel, Sheldon Silberman, Elaine Silverberg, Laura Tabakin, Joseph Weiss, Susan Wildman Schneiderman, Frances Zimmerman, Leo Zimmerman, Minnie Zislin

Saturday, November 30, 2019 **Shabbat Morning Service ~ 9:00 am**
Parsha: Toledot 25:19-26:22 **Haftarah: Malachi 1:1-2:7**

BREATHE – IT’S GOOD FOR YOU



Anyone who knows me knows that I am generally someone who is in a state of constant motion. While I can certainly “sit still,” and have no problem focusing on given tasks for extended periods of time, I have come to understand and accept that I am wired in such a way that my natural state is “on the move.” I am the person who likes seeing how much they can accomplish in a given period of time, the one who tends to keep going until I am finished with a given task, the one who has trouble sometimes stopping, slowing down, and just taking a breath. That is likely why I have taken up “running,” in recent years – the perfect activity for someone who is usually “on the go.” Of course, this is not always a good thing. Making time to pause, stop, “smell the roses,” and be more mindful in life is an essential part of cultivating a healthy emotional, physical, and spiritual well-being. That is likely one of the reasons that nearly three decades ago I began taking the practice of Shabbat and Jewish holiday observance more seriously. While slowing down did not (and still does not) come easy to me, I understood that learning to “slow down,” and even “stop (lit. *shabbat*),” would likely be good for me.

In recent years I have taken an interest in pushing myself to learn how to “slow down” a bit more. That might not always be observable to you (especially when I am speaking!), but I am working on it. It is with that goal in mind that last spring I applied, and recently was accepted to take part in a national, interdenominational Clergy Leadership Program offered through the Institute for Jewish Spirituality (<https://www.jewishspirituality.org/>). IJS is an organization that seeks to “reclaim texts and practices from contemplative Jewish traditions, including mindfulness, meditation, yoga, singing, prayer, and working with *middot* (attributes/character traits), to align our behaviors with our innermost values.” Offering courses for lay people and clergy, this organization seeks to help Jews engage their body and soul in Jewish practices grounded in mindfulness in order to help us create Jewish communities that are “vibrant, resilient, and wise,” and help us to “navigate and address the brokenness and complex challenges of our world.”

You will be hearing more about this organization as I learn more in the coming 18 months. I will be taking some online courses, and participating in four conferences over the next two years and am hopeful that this learning will deepen my personal and professional growth as a Jew and a rabbi. And of course, I will look forward to sharing my learning with all of you in the years to come.

One small example as I begin this new journey. As a part of the course we have been asked to participate in an online learning program called “The Gift Of Awareness.” The program consists of short lectures by various teachers and rabbis about issues related to Jewish mindfulness and meditation. The other day, just before Yom Kippur, I took my second course in which I learned about the power of something so simple, we hardly stop to think about it.

Breathing.

Early one morning this past week, while everyone was still asleep, I found myself listening to a lecture and practicing taking deep breaths. “Breathe in...” and “Breathe out...” The teacher leading the session online was inviting us to realize how amazing that simple act can be. Evoking the text from Genesis where God breathes life into humanity, he was reminding us that in a very real way, God’s presence still does that for each of us as we breathe each and every day. We breathe out air, the trees filter our air by taking in the carbon dioxide and releasing oxygen for us to breathe – and the cycle continues. We could not breathe without the trees and plants around us each and every day. How many times a day do you consider that? I must confess, it is something that I rarely think about. In that moment I realized that in my haste to “get so much accomplished,” I rarely stopped to consider the blessings of my very breath. A gift that many of us, I imagine, take for granted every day.

And then, just this morning, as I was saying my early morning tefilot, I noticed a line that I have raced through thousands of times, and never considered. In one of our earliest tefilot, we thank God for the gift of our soul and praise God as the one who “*machazir n’shamot le’phragim metim*,” restores souls/breath, to lifeless bodies. It was right there, in our siddur, in front of me the whole time. *Thank you, Adonai, for allowing us to breathe each and every day. Thank you God for restoring our souls, our breath, each and every day through the magnificence of Your creation and the wonders of our world.*

It is with all of this in mind that I invite you to take a moment – right now. Stop what you are doing, get yourself in a comfortable position, and take in ten slow deep breaths. Close your eyes. Appreciate the very simple act of breathing. When you are finished, slowly open your eyes and continue on with your day.

We have so much to be grateful for. Our very existence is something that we should be grateful for. But first, we have to slow down, just enough, to realize the preciousness of each breath we are blessed to take. I must confess that I am still working on it. As I begin this journey of learning through the Institute of Jewish Spirituality, I invite you to join me. I look forward to sharing my learning with you in the months and years to come. I am “mindful” that there is much wisdom to learn and internalize as I continue along my own Jewish journey.

Lunch and Learn: Mussar 2.0- Living A Life Of Character and Integrity - Rabbi Schonbrun

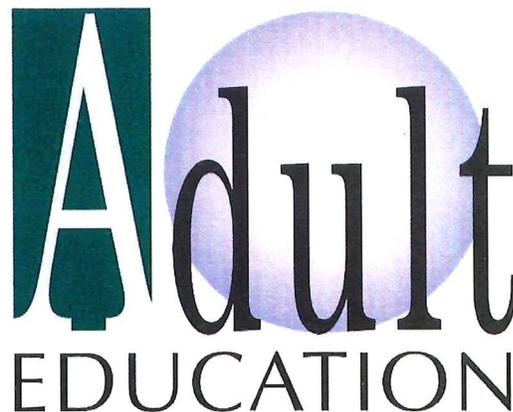
Back by popular demand. Mussar is a Jewish spiritual discipline that helps to nurture depth of soul and spirit. Guiding us through life's daily struggles and blessings, Mussar has much wisdom to offer as we seek to nurture our character and develop our souls.

Wednesdays, 12:00pm

The Early History of the Jews in New Jersey, New York and Pennsylvania

Presented by Rabbi Robert Fierstein

Sundays, November 3, 10, 9:30am



Please RSVP for all Adult Ed courses online or through temple office at 732-531-4410

On Constructive Disagreements - Rabbi Schonbrun

As we head into 2020 and what will be sure to be a contentious election cycle in this country, we are blessed to have a wonderful resource that will give us insight into how Jewish tradition encourages us to engage in civil, constructive, and meaningful disagreements. The series, put out by The Pardes Center for Judaism and Conflict Resolution, an innovative, non-denominational Jewish learning community based in Jerusalem, is meant to help us engage in the Jewish concept of "*machloket l'shem shamayim*," "arguments for the sake of heaven" (for a higher purpose), and the pursuit of peace. In this six-part series we will use traditional methods of Jewish study to explore traditional and modern texts as we discover what a culture of constructive disagreement and conflict should look like from a Jewish perspective. Come and join us as we strive to "rise above" in the pursuit of arguments for the sake of heaven. Bring your questions. Bring a friend. And most importantly, bring a listening ear and an open mind.

Wednesdays, November 6, 13, 20, December 4, 11, 18, 7:30pm

Know From Where You Came: An Introduction to Jewish Genealogy Course Presented by Steven Stein of the Jewish Genealogical Society of New York

The course provides a primer to doing Jewish family research. The following topics will be covered:

- (1) What Are Your Objectives?
- (2) Jewish Geography
- (3) Sources – Documents, Photographs, Interviews, Colleagues and More
- (4) Where To Find – Websites, Archives, et al.
- (5) Genealogy Software
- (6) Putting It All Together: Strategies and Pitfalls



**Mondays, December 2, 9, 16,
7:30pm**

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Shalom,

I've decided to use my space in this month's bulletin to share with you an experience I had during the Yom Kippur holiday. I have been attending Kol Nidre and Yom Kippur services at the synagogue for many years, though I never came back for the late afternoon/early evening prayers. This year was the first time I did return to the synagogue later in the day and participated in the Book of Jonah and Neilah service. I had been asked to be present there as President of Congregation Torat El and I looked forward with anticipation and curiosity. Normally, I would have been home preparing for, or attending Break Fast with many of my friends.

So where do I begin? After a long day of fasting, I was surprised to see how many people returned for this service. The Book of Jonah was read beautifully by several of our students, followed by Neilah. It has been a tradition to invite the congregants up to the open Ark. I watched from the bima all those that stood in front of the Ark looking at the Torah's covered in white—either alone, as a couple, with their families and/or friends, to say a few words was moving. Whether they prayed, shed a few tears, blessed each other or stood in silence, the moment for each of them was so meaningful it touched my heart. Their love for Judaism and God was so apparent. At the end of the service the shofar was blown with one long blast. I stood there saying "How could I have never experienced this before."

I am looking forward to this service again next year — not because I am asked again to represent the synagogue as its President, but because I want on my own to end the holiday with this spiritual renewal.

Laurie Gross
President

Members of the Board of Trustees have been making phone calls to congregants to wish everyone a happy and healthy New Year as well as to find out responses to the following questions. If you haven't spoken to anyone, we'd appreciate it if you could complete the information below and return it to the temple office. Thank you so much!

Wife/Spouse/Partner Name _____

Profession _____

Hobbies _____

Interests _____

Husband/Spouse/Partner Name _____

Profession _____

Hobbies _____

Interests _____

What programs/events would you like to see offered at CTE?

MAZEL TOV TO OUR B'NAI MITZVAH

My name is **Ryan Abrams**, and I will be celebrating my Bat Mitzvah on November 9. I live in Ocean Township with my parents, Glen and Stacey and my older brother Danny. I am in 7th grade at the Ocean Township Intermediate School and a member of the Student Council, school soccer and travel soccer teams.

For my Mitzvah Project I teamed up with the foundation, Bridge of Books. Bridge of Books was originated in San Francisco in 2000 by Tricia McCarthy. She saw that many kids in the area were underprivileged and weren't able to get their hands on books. Then in late 2002 the New Jersey chapter was started. The mission of this foundation is to provide an ongoing source of books to kids who are underprivileged in order to support development of literary skills and encourage a love for reading. There is a bin in the temple lobby where you can drop books off, or contact me at ryansbridgeofbooks@yahoo.com and I can come pick them up. Thank you for your help and I am looking forward to my Bat Mitzvah!



Hello, my name is **William Lissauer** and my Bar Mitzvah is November 23. I am currently in the 7th grade and I go to school at Hatikvah International Academy Charter School in East Brunswick. I am an avid figure skater and I enjoy playing golf. I also like hanging out with my friends and playing video games.

For my Mitzvah Project, I am collecting toiletries to give to the Ronald McDonald House in New Brunswick. This started when we would collect hotel toiletries when we would travel for skating competitions. We would collect all that we could and give them to my dad because we knew he could use them on days when he was on call in the hospital and not home for the night. We would say, "We got you a gift, Dad!" and surprise him with the hotel shampoos, conditioners and soaps we received there. We collected so many toiletries that we had no room left in our linen closet! After some research on what we could do with them, we realized these were some of the most sought-after items to provide to families of sick children who were staying at the Ronald McDonald House. Since then, we have been collecting on a bigger scale to give them to those less fortunate so they too can have needed amenities. This helps alleviate worries for parents of sick children. For the homeless, they can help provide a leg up for searching for work, so any extra toiletries we receive over and above what the Ronald McDonald House can take on, we will be donating to a homeless shelter in Asbury Park.

I will put a bin out for you to place any unused toiletries (regular or hotel size) in the synagogue lobby for you to donate the next time you're in. Some examples of toiletries to donate are shampoo, conditioner, soaps, disposable razors, shaving cream, combs, deodorant, lotion, toothpaste, dental floss and toothbrushes. My heartfelt thanks for anything you can provide in advance. Shana Tovah.

RITUAL ENGAGEMENT

Yasher Kochech to Nadia Goldin for leading Services on Friday Night and Shabbat morning, and for chanting Torah and Haftarah so beautifully on her Bat Mitzvah! Mazel Tov!

Yasher Koach and Mazel Tov to Larry Ozarow for receiving a Tikkun in recognition of his 12th Torah reading!

Yasher Koach to Mike Breslow for leyning Torah so beautifully in commemoration of the 60th anniversary of his Bar Mitzvah! Mazel Tov!

During the month of **September**, the following individuals performed the mitzvot of leyning Torah, chanting the Haftarah, and/or leading Shacharit, Musaf and the Torah Service:

Michael Breslow
Matthew Eilenberg
Mark Engel
Nadia Goldin
Harvey Jacob
Jeffrey Klein

Stuart Koperweis
Ben Laskowitz
Deborah Sacks Mintz
Fran Nudelman
Larry Ozarow

Bonnie Reiss
Rabbi Aaron Schonbrun
Joshua Schor
Lori Schuldiner Schor
Neil Weitzenkorn

Yasher Koach To All!!!

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

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL CHAI LITES

I hope everyone has had a wonderful holiday!

Our Hebrew High focus this year is community service. Throughout the year, Hebrew High will volunteer at Camp Oakhurst, in place of us having class. When scheduled, please plan to arrive at 6:15pm and leave at 8:15pm.

With Thanksgiving just around the corner, please take a moment to think about what you are grateful for. There are so many wonderful things in all our lives and sometimes we need to reflect and remind ourselves of the positive things!

Please remember: Come in to pick up your child on Shabbat. Dismissal on Shabbat is around 11:30-11:45am and on Wednesdays we dismiss at 6:15pm.

Jaclyn Leibowitz, Religious School Director

Mark Your Calendars:

Sat., Nov. 9

Wed., Nov. 27 & Sat., Nov. 30

No Religious School – Teacher’s Convention Weekend

No Religious School – Thanksgiving Day Weekend



Happy Thanksgiving!

SISTERHOOD CHAI LITES

RUMMAGE SALE VOLUNTEER INFORMATION

If you're interested in volunteering to help on the days of setup (Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, November 12th - 14th) or the day(s) of the Rummage Sale, please contact Beth Cotler at 732-776-7887 or Susan Sferas at suesfer@aol.com.

This event is one of the most successful fundraisers that our Sisterhood holds to support our synagogue and help the greater community. In order for us to continue to run this event, we need more volunteers to help. Please consider volunteering a couple of hours on one or more of the days shown above for drop-off, setup or the sale days so that we can continue to run this important event.

Thank you,
Susan Sferas, Sisterhood Vice President & Rummage Sale Chairperson



2020 MAH JONGG CARDS

Standard \$8 Large \$9

Please make checks payable to CTE Sisterhood

Mail to:

Jeryl Krupnick

521 Bridlemere Ave. Interlaken, NJ 07712

All orders must be received by January 22, 2020

Sisterhood Torah Fund Program featuring Rabbi Sally J. Priesand, America's first female Rabbi



Rabbi Priesand received ordination in 1972 from Hebrew Union College — Jewish Institute of Religion in Cincinnati, Ohio. She served from 1981 to 2006 as Rabbi of Monmouth Reform Temple in Tinton Falls and retired as Rabbi Emerita.

Thursday, December 19, 7:15pm
\$18 per person (checks payable to CTE Sisterhood)
Dessert and Coffee will be served

***Kindly RSVP to the temple office
by December 12.***

MEN'S CLUB CHAI LITES

Men's Club Breakfast and Speaker

**Ocean Township Mayor Christopher Siciliano
and Councilman Dr. David Fisher**

Deluxe breakfast will be served

**Sunday, November 3
9:00 - 10:30am**

RSVP to the office or website by November 1, 12:00pm

Congregation Torat El Chanukah Party



Come one, come all to the annual Chanukah Party!

**All are welcome to attend. Bring your family and
friends along to join in the fun!
No RSVP necessary - No charge!**

**Men's Club Famous Latkes
DJ
50/50 Drawing
Yummy treats from Sisterhood
Dreidel Games**



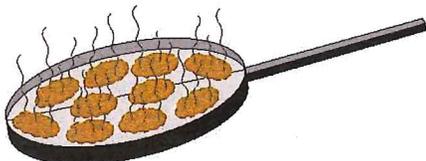
Sunday, December 22nd

7:30 AM – 11:00 AM

Guys, come and join us while we cook our world famous latkes

11:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Join the entire congregation, family, and friends for our annual celebration



*50/50 raffle- 2 books were sent to all temple members.
Don't forget to send back your tickets and payment. You've got to be in it to win it!!
Drawing will be at the Chanukah Party at 12:30 pm.
Winner does not need to be present but would sure have a good time!*



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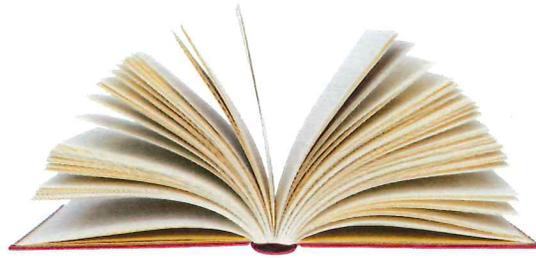
AIPAC New Jersey
Club Briefing

December 12, 2019 | 7:00-9:00PM
301 Monmouth Rd, Oakhurst, NJ 07755

*This event is exclusively for AIPAC Club members and Torat El congregants.
For security purposes, everyone must register to attend.
Kindly RSVP to mjaffe@aipac.org.*



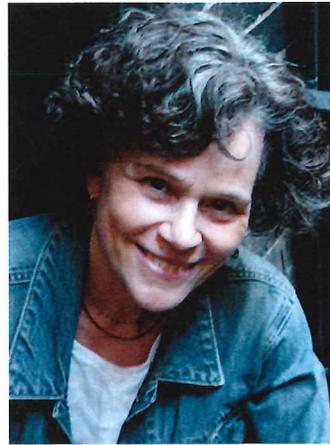
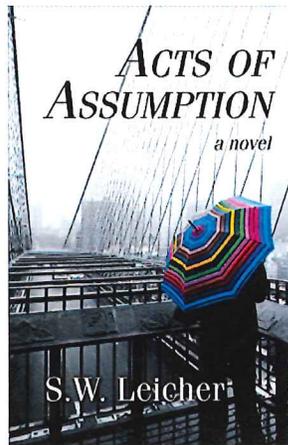
MEET THE AUTHOR SERIES



CONGREGATION TORAT EL

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8, 11:00AM

Meet Susan Leicher, author of *Acts of Assumption*



In America, we are good at dividing ourselves into tribes – into “insiders” and “outsiders” – based on race, religion, and beliefs. *Acts of Assumption* is the story of two young women who are outsiders even in their outsider tribes. One is the mathematically-gifted daughter of an Orthodox Jewish family and the other is the street-smart daughter of a neglectful immigrant Latina mother. Their meeting, under unusual circumstances, and their struggles with the cultural bonds of their respective communities, is a vivid story of faith, love, and family.

Ms. Leicher grew up in a Jewish and Latina family in the Bronx which gave her a keen eye for the prejudices, beauty, and spirituality of each culture. She holds two degrees from Harvard and has devoted her work life to social justice causes. *Acts of Assumption* is her debut novel.

Pre-Paid \$15 per person/\$20 at the door
Books are available at the temple office for \$15
A light brunch will be served
Reservations at www.torat-el.org or 732-531-4410

This ongoing series has been made possible by a generous grant from the B'nai Sholom/Beth El Foundation.

OUR STORY. OUR TIME: THE CAMPAIGN FOR CONGREGATION TORAT EL

Our Capital Campaign is in full swing and as a congregation we have so much to celebrate!

- ◆ Our Campaign pledges as of October 16, stand at **\$1,031,910** toward our overall goal of \$1,500,000. There are not enough words of gratitude for your meaningful support. We invite everyone to join us in this exciting endeavor!
- ◆ Our goal of **Replacing Our Sanctuary Roof** is completed! An incredibly caring couple in our synagogue, who asked to remain **anonymous**, fully funded this essential goal and the sanctuary roof has been replaced.
- ◆ Our goal of **Relocating Our Patio and Sukkah** has been fully funded by **Larry & Penny Turtel**, and will be built in the spring.
- ◆ Congregants are also leaving a legacy through Naming Opportunities. We are grateful to:

School/Office Entrance	David & Mindy Estin
Legacy Room	Howard & Beverle Richelson
Center Pews in Sanctuary	Matthew & Jacqueline Tobin, Jeffrey & Anne Weinstein, Alan & Sonny Winters, Anonymous Donors
Garden for Patio/Sukkah	Anonymous Donors
Endowment Wall	Margo Gelfman
Side Pews in Sanctuary	Chris & Galit Binns, Gary & Sheryl Kaplan, Zeke Rose, Lewis & Nancy Wetstein, Anonymous Donors

Please check our new website: www.torat-el.org/capitalcampaign for Naming Opportunities still available and consider this unique occasion as a beautiful way to leave a lasting memory of yourself, your family or a loved one. We will continue to mark those 'SOLD' so don't wait too long!

- ◆ As we work together on the goal of **Eliminating Our Synagogue Debt**, we ask that if you are able, please make a campaign pledge payment before December 31. This will enable us to reduce our line of credit significantly this year. We are committed to eliminating our debt by the end of next year so front loading your pledge payments is also incredibly helpful. Please see the box on page 14 for year-end giving options that may have tax benefits for you.

Our tradition teaches that we are each a link in the chain of our Jewish heritage. Just as others built for us, so too must we build for the future. This is our opportunity to embrace the privilege and obligation we have to renew our spiritual home for today and tomorrow.

To make a gift, request a donor pledge form, or discuss naming opportunities, please contact Pam Cardullo, Executive Director, at 732-531-4410 - pamc@torat-el.org, or Rachel Port, Campaign Director, at reiink@verizon.net.

YEAR END TAX REMINDER

Pay Commitment, other obligations or Capital Campaign donations with Appreciated Securities

You can contribute appreciated securities (stocks or mutual funds) held more than one year and obtain a Federal income tax deduction for the fair market value on the date of the donation. The advantage of doing this is that you avoid tax on the appreciation. For example, assume you purchased a stock several years ago for \$1,000 and the value today is \$2,500. By donating the stock you obtain a tax deduction for \$2,500 no different if you wrote a check to CTE for \$2,500. If you first sell the stock then you will realize a long-term capital gain of \$1,500, incurring Federal as well as New Jersey income tax on the gain, as high as 33% combined absent any capital losses that would offset the gain.

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As always, please discuss with your personal tax adviser to see what works best for you!

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The family of Felicia Bernstein
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DONATIONS

Congregation Torat El General Fund

In Honor of:

Ellie & Michael Breslow's 50th wedding anniversary by **Janet Brown**

The Bat Mitzvah of Nadia Goldin – daughter of Adam Goldin, great niece of Betty & Marvin Goldin by **Madeline & Joel Schulman**

The marriage of Peter & Linda Gurman's son Steven to Augusta by **Linda & Peter Gurman**

In Memory of:

Mary Cannava – mother of Fran Stern by **Lonnie, Laura & Lynn Zimmerman, Ellie & Michael Breslow, Honey Karasic, Peter & Linda Gurman, Judy & Robert Rabinowitz, Margo Gelfman, Karen & Bill Belfer, Harvey & Jay-Ann Shooman & Family, Debbie Sidran-Hertz & Seth Hertz, Michele Seitz & Anthony Pantalino, Audrey & Jerry Harnik, Gerald & Kathryn Lewis, Alan & Clarice Wasserman, Michael & Judy Vernace, Wilma Wright**

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In Honor of:

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The marriage of Michael Gordon's son Howard to Janet Wilson by **Neil & Marcia Weitzenkorn & Family**

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To Marc, Brad & Julia Comer in memory of their wife and mother Lori Comer from *Diane & Steve Resnick*
To Alyce Isaacson in memory of her father Joseph Shalom from *Sheryl & Gary Kaplan*
To Fran Stern in memory of her mother Mary Cannava from *Sheryl & Gary Kaplan*

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To the temple staff for their dedication and hard work all year long from *Janice & Paul Holub*
To Alyce Isaacson in memory of her father Joseph Shalom from *Jonathan, Dawn, Alana, Julia & Emma Barofsky*
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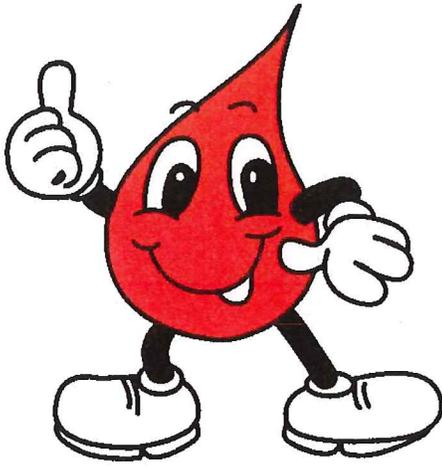
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Jacob's Cane: A Jewish Family's Journey from the Four Lands of Lithuania to the Ports of London and Baltimore by Elisa New (929.2 NE). This book is a well-written memoir of five generations of Professor New's family travelling from Lithuania, across Europe to America. The author is a professor of English at Harvard and the book is lyrically written and intensely researched. She blends the past and present into a beautifully written tapestry of the history of the Jews in the twentieth century.

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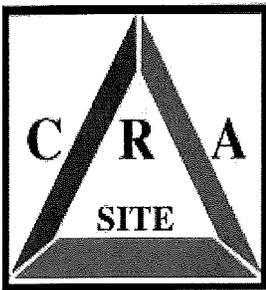
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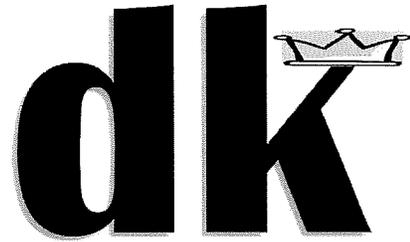
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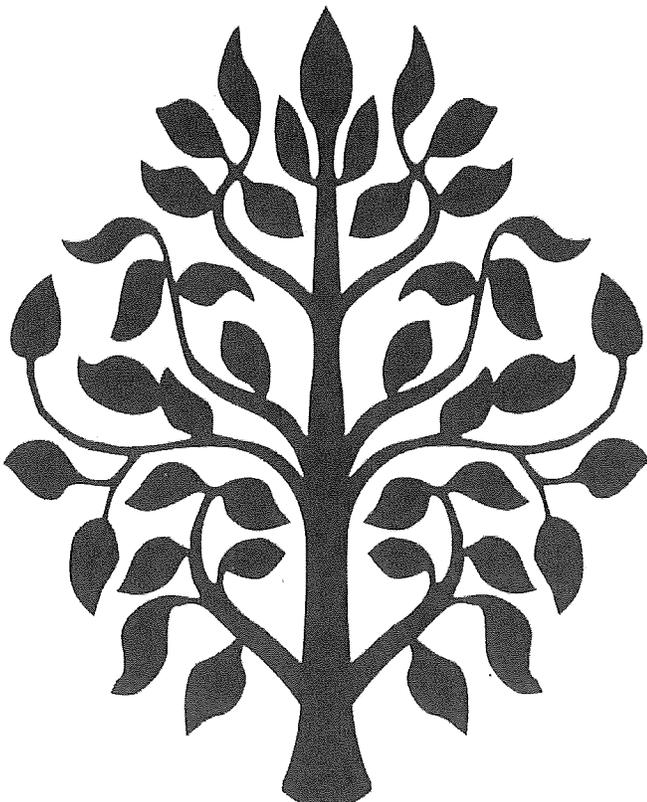


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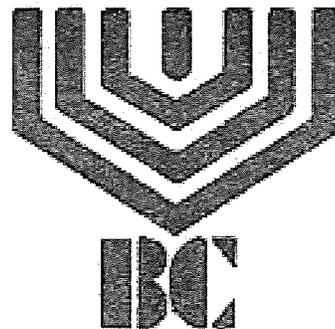
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3 Men's Club Breakfast Speaker Program 9:00am Adult Ed w/ Rabbi Fierstein 9:30am	4	5 Board of Trustees Mtg 7:30pm	6 Lunch & Learn 12:00pm Adult Ed w/Rabbi 7:30pm	7 Sisterhood Mtg 7:30pm	8 Candle Lighting 4:26pm Shabbat Service 7:15pm	9 Bat Mitzvah of Ryan Abrams 9:00am Sponsored Kiddush Lunch No Shabbat School
10 Adult Ed w/ Rabbi Fierstein 9:30am Rummage Sale Drop Off 9:00am-2:00pm	11 Rummage Sale Drop Off 10:00am-2:00pm Rummage Sale Drop Off 4:30-7:30pm	12 Rummage Sale Set Up Ritual Mtg 7:30pm	13 Rummage Sale Set Up Lunch & Learn Cancelled Adult Ed w/Rabbi 7:30pm	14 Rummage Sale Set Up	15 Candle Lighting 4:19pm Shabbat Service 7:15pm	16 Shabbat Service 9:00am Grab & Go Kiddush
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24	25	26	27 Lunch & Learn Cancelled No Religious School	28 Temple Office Closed	29 Temple Office Closed Candle Lighting 4:11pm Shabbat Service 7:15pm	30 Shabbat Service 9:00am No Shabbat School