



Voice of the Shore

Congregation Torat El ~ Jersey Shore Jewish Center
March 2021 - Adar/Nisan 5781



Morning Minyan/Fast of the Firstborn - Thursday, March 25, 8:00am

Passover Service - Day 1, Sunday, March 28, 9:30am

Passover Service - Day 2, Monday, March 29, 9:30am

Passover/Shabbat Service - Day 7, Saturday, April 3, 9:30am

Passover/Yizkor Service - Day 8, Sunday, April 4, 9:30am

Zoom Seder 2.0!

How is this Passover different from all other Passovers? Because last Passover we were Zoom novices, this year we are all (unfortunately) experts! Come and join us for our Zoom seder, version 2.0, as we gather together to celebrate, remember, and consider the history and timeless wisdom of our master story. While we have suffered much bitterness this year (maror), we have not broken (matzah), and we have managed to stick together (charoset). Join us for this interactive seder experience as we take time to consider the blessings of our personal and collective freedom, even during this period in time that can often feel so restrictive. Feel free to invite your family and friends and remember to bring your questions (it is Passover after all!) Register at upcomingevents.torat-el.org

Sunday, March 28, 5:00pm

Sale of Chametz

During the week of Pesach, it is forbidden for any Jew to own chametz. To avoid the unnecessary financial hardship that could result from requiring Jews to dispose of all items that are chametz, it is tradition to sell items of chametz to non-Jews for the week of Pesach. If you would like to sell your chametz to ensure that you abide by the Jewish law of not owning any chametz during the week of Pesach, please fill out the online form on or before end of day Thursday, March 25. Form and donation link can be found at upcomingevents.torat-el.org

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March Service Announcements

Friday, March 5, 2021

Erev Shabbat Service ~ 7:15 pm

Candles 5:34pm

Yahrzeits: Bertha Barr, Estelle Bass, Harry Bass, Ann Berkowitz, Marge Cohen, Harry Cowen, David Epstein, Edward Feldman, Mamie Friedman, Irwin Gerechoff, Florence Ginsberg, Louis Glantzman, Nathan Goldwasser, Pauline Goodman, Joseph Gurman, Rita Hunter, Jacqueline Hurwitz, David Kaplan, Gilbert Kaplan, Max Kasson, Ira Katz, Annette Klein, Norma Levine, Edith Moses, Rochelle Nagrod, Albert Nierenberg, Philip Ostroff, Monroe Pincus, Marlene Poretsky, Mae Rediker, Gertrude Rosen, Cypora Safier, Louis Shear, Beckie Singer Morgenstern, Stanley Spiegel, Etta Sprechman, Bertha Weiner, Fanny Weitzenkorn, Milly Weitzenkorn, David Wiener, Leo Wilk, Jennie Zimmerman

Saturday, March 6, 2021

Shabbat Morning Service ~ 9:30 am

Parsha: Ki Tissa 31:18-33:11

Haftarah: Ezekiel 36:16-38

Friday, March 12, 2021

Erev Shabbat Service ~ 7:15 pm

Candles 5:41pm

Yahrzeits: Morris Barr, Ethel Brand, Samuel Elstein, Abraham Fisher, Lillian Fox, Cecile Glasser, Sol Grabelle, Rachel Hock, Bella Kaufman, Andre Knifel, Samuel Laskowitz, Irving Marlieb, Rebecca Rediker, Celia Sanow, Barnett Schiff, Saul Simha, Harriette Solowey, Joseph Valenti, Esther Warshauer, Murray Weiss

Saturday, March 13, 2021

Shabbat Morning Service ~ 9:30 am

Parashot: Vayakhel-Pekudey 37:17-39:21

Haftarah: Ezekiel 45:16-46:18

B'nai Mitzvah of Gavi & Leora Schonbrun

Friday, March 19, 2021

Erev Shabbat Service ~ 7:15 pm

Candles 6:49pm

Yahrzeits: Jacqueline Abrahams, Samuel Alpert, Frank Balkin, Louis Becker, Frieda Blufstein, Harriet Bogart, Celia Brand, Annette Dampf, Sabina Edelsberg, Barry Fisher, Isaac Forman, Rubin Gerechoff, Ruth Goldenberg, Richard Gottlieb, Michael Jacob, Moshe Koreen, Evelyn Kramer, Simon Kreisler, Freda Krongold, Louis Lefton, Stephen Markbreiter, Dorothy Markowitz, Phyllis Marx, Florence Morris, Faigy Ostroff, Louis Prager, Howard Schneider, William Schreiber, Abraham Silver, Faye Slotoff, Stanford Slovin, Benjamin Wilk

Saturday, March 20, 2021

Shabbat Morning Service ~ 9:30 am

Parsha: Vayikra 3:1-4:26

Haftarah: Isaiah 43:21-44:23

Friday, March 26, 2021

Erev Shabbat Service ~ 7:15 pm

Candles 6:56pm

Yahrzeits: Elsie Barish, Milton Bazer, Istvan Benjamin, Henry Block, Abraham Cohen, Frank Eliscu, Frances Estin, Sidney Fineberg, Max Fisher, Fanya Gonski, Josephine Hopkins, Celia Kobb, Paul Kramer, David Ozarow, Evelyn Rokaw, Philip Rose, Clara Rubin, Edwin Rubin, Murray Rudnick, Joan Sanow, Paul Selikowitz, Robert Slovin, Harry Spiera

Saturday, March 27, 2021

Shabbat Morning Service ~ 9:30 am

Parsha: Tsav 7:11-38

Haftarah: Malachi 3:4-24

Sunday, March 28, 2021

Pesach I Service ~ 9:30am

Sunday, March 28, 2021

2nd Eve Pesach Service and Seder ~ 5:00pm

Monday, March 29, 2021

Pesach II Service ~ 9:30am

To get to services use the links provided on our website or emails or visit zoom.us, join a meeting and use the following ID's:

Shabbat:

Friday Night, 7:15pm - Meeting ID 859-0261-9504

Saturday Morning, 9:30am - Meeting ID 936-081-766

Minyan:

Monday-Friday, 8:00am - Meeting ID 864-689-990

Monday-Thursday, 7:00pm - Meeting ID 859-0261-9504

Sunday, 8:30am - Meeting ID 864-689-990

THE DANGERS OF “PASSING OVER” THE NEEDS OF OTHERS



Shalom my friends. I hope that you and your families are all safe and well and managing to take it one day at a time as we continue our journey through this difficult period in our world together. It is incredible to consider that I am about to share some thoughts with you about Passover! Passover, which once again will likely be spent largely over Zoom, over one year into this terrible modern-day plague that has consumed our daily lives. Passover, when we take time to recognize what is broken, and consider those in need by joining in celebration together over a broken piece of matzah. Passover, a holiday when we consider our historical freedom from oppression, remind ourselves of our long and significant history as a people and the claim that that history has upon each one of us today. Passover, a holiday when we recognize both that which enslaves us as individuals and as a people, and that which makes us free (even when we feel somewhat constricted in our own personal pandemic-related

mitzrayim, narrow places).

What does it truly mean to be free from oppression? This is one of the central questions of this holiday. After all, most of us are not “oppressed” or enslaved like our ancestors before us. Most of us have a great deal of freedom, even amidst a pandemic that has restricted our lives in so many ways. And yet Passover is a holiday when we are supposed to celebrate freedom from oppression. How can we, as individuals, relate to a concept that does not speak directly to our day-to-day experience?

In a wonderful commentary, written by Rabbi Aharon Shmuel Tamares, we find a compelling answer to this conundrum. As you may remember, the central section of the Seder, the Maggid, includes a great deal of discussion on the passage from Deuteronomy recalling the Israelites’ journey from slavery to freedom.

*My father was a wandering Aramean, who went down to Egypt and sojourned there.... The Egyptians dealt harshly with us and made us suffer... We cried out to Adonai and Adonai heard our plea and saw our plight, our misery **and our oppression...** (Deut 26:5-8)*

Commenting on the notion that Adonai saw the oppression of the children of Israel, Tamares writes:

Both individuals and entire people must order their lives on the basis of the saying recorded in the Talmud: “A person should consider himself more than he not injure others than that he not be injured.” (Tosefot, Baba Kama 23) It is precisely this principle that will defend him against injury by others.

When one is constantly seeing only scenes of terror, when one asserts that everyone wants to obliterate him and that he can rely only on the power of his own fist, he undermines the reign of truth and justice. And in the end the earth becomes filled with violence and oppression. (Aigen, Wellsprings of Freedom)

What does it mean to be free from oppression when we are not “literally” enslaved? It means that we are to take a moment to consider whether or not we are spiritually enslaved due to an unhealthy amount of selfish behavior. As individuals, as members of the Jewish community, and in particular these days as Americans, we are challenged to ask ourselves how we might avoid the trap of being too self-absorbed, self-centered, interested in our own positions of power and authority in our personal and professional lives. We are being asked to consider how often we work to think of the needs of others, before we think of our own personal needs. We are asked to remember to live out the age-old adage of “do no harm.” And we are being warned that when we fail to embrace this posture, too often suffering, oppression, or even violence may follow.

On a national scale, this commentary sounds all too familiar to many of us who worry about the lack of concern for “the other” that has divided our country for far too long – a lack of empathy that has certainly led to scenes of terror and violence (see Jan. 6, 2021). But on an individual level as we approach this festival of Passover, let us remember that freedom from oppression takes work, it takes practice, and it takes a consistent effort to see, and consider, the needs of others before (or at least, as much) as we consider our own needs. This degree of empathy may not always be easy; it may not always come naturally; but it is through this very type of caring discipline that we might both “defend ourselves from injury” and free ourselves from a spiritual type of oppression.

How does this teaching relate to your interactions with others – with family members, friends, colleagues, community members, and even strangers? How might we work to avoid those moments when we are too selfish, too indifferent, and too dismissive of others who are in need? Even as we remember the famous teaching from our sage Hillel, reminding us that we must learn to create a balanced practice of both self-care, and care for others (Avot 1:14), how might we learn to be on guard for those times when we become out of balance? How might we avoid those moments when we are too self-indulgent, or too self-absorbed, when we unintentionally create circumstances that contribute to a culture of spiritual oppression?

May we, as individuals, be up to the sacred challenge that this teaching presents. And may the citizens of our country, and all of our elected officials, be blessed with the courage to understand that to be truly free from oppression, to promote the cause of truth and justice, is to work collaboratively to create a society where individuals learn to look out for one another more than, or at least as often, as they look out for themselves.

Hag Kasher V'Sameach. May this be a safe, healthy, and meaningful Passover for you and your family.

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Dear Congregants and Friends of Congregation Torat El,

There is nothing better than sharing great news!! It is with my deepest appreciation and pure joy that I share we have accomplished the #1 goal of our Capital Campaign.

CONGREGATION TORAT EL IS DEBT FREE!

Thank you to everyone who was able to participate — roughly half of our congregation and friends. Your support and commitment means so much to me and the synagogue we all care deeply about.

From the remaining pledges still being paid, the Board of Trustees is now focused on the next two priorities from the Campaign. These include growing our unrestricted endowment to continue strengthening our long-term financial stability, and a modest refresh of the Social Hall. These initiatives can only be achieved with the ongoing timely payments of your Campaign pledges. We are grateful to all of you and appreciate your payments on schedule or in advance if possible.

Our Story, Our Time. The Campaign for Congregation Torat El has truly been inspiring. Our ambitious aspirations are being achieved. It is a delight to serve as your president and to share together and celebrate in this exciting time!

Laurie Gross

OUR SYNAGOGUE FAMILIES

Mazel Tov to:

Laurie and Gary Gross on the engagement of their daughter Alana to David Klein

Pam and Anthony Cardullo on the engagement of their daughter Jamie to Mike DePasquale

Condolences to:

The family of Seymour Epstein

The family of Irving Kullback

Mark Wertlieb on the loss of his mother Blanche Wertlieb

The family of Harold Greenspan

MEET THE B'NAI MITZVAH

Hello, my name is **Gavi Schonbrun** and my Bar Mitzvah is on March 13th. I am proud to attend the Hebrew Academy in Marlboro, New Jersey. In my spare time I enjoy playing sports and playing with my friends. I also enjoy eating! I know that I am lucky to be able to have plenty of food to eat – but not everyone is so fortunate. That is why for our Mitzvah Project, we are collecting non-perishable food and donations for Fulfill NJ. Because of COVID, the food insecurity rate has increased 55%, meaning that 13.5% of New Jersey residents are projected to be food insecure. This equals more than 1.2 million people, including nearly 400,000 children. If you have not yet made a donation, please consider doing so on our special donation page: <https://fulfillnj.fenly.org/gaviandleora>. Thank you so much for your help and support!!

Hi, my name is **Leora Schonbrun** and my Bat Mitzvah is on March 13th. I enjoy talking to my friends, swimming, dancing, singing, reading, and much more. I am excited for my Bat Mitzvah and have been preparing for a long time. For my Bat Mitzvah project, my brother and I are donating money and non-perishable food to Fulfill to help those who are food insecure and hungry in New Jersey. Each year, Fulfill provides food and other resources for over 136,000 of our neighbors who are food insecure. And they have, of course, been busier than ever during the COVID pandemic. This drive is perfect for the holiday of Purim that we just completed that asks us to give gifts to the poor. It is also appropriate leading into Passover in which we are reminded to ensure that "all who are hungry can come and eat." If you could help or donate in any way, that would be amazing!
<https://fulfillnj.fenly.org/gaviandleora>.

RITUAL ENGAGEMENT CHAI LITES

Yasher Kochech to Bonnie Reiss for chanting Torah and Haftarah so beautifully in honor of the anniversary of her Bat Mitzvah! Mazal Tov!

During the month of January, the following individuals performed the Mitzvah of leyning Torah, chanting the Haftarah, and/or leading Shacharit and Musaf:

Matthew Eilenberg
Mark Engel
Judy Feldbaum
Cameron Fields
Marvin Goldin
Mitch Grayson

Harvey Jacob
Alan Morris
Fran Nudelman
Steven Nudelman
Larry Ozarow
Bonnie Reiss

Joshua Schor
Joel Schulman
Madeline Schulman
Steven Schwaber
Toby Sukinik
Neil Weitzenkorn

Yasher Koach To All!!!

If you are interested in learning the Trope melodies to leyn Torah or chant Haftarah, please contact Ben Laskowitz at benlaskowitz@torat-el.org, cell # 732-861-7450. Remote lessons are provided!

SISTERHOOD CHAI LITES

Sisterhood Torah Fund

Thank you all who attended our Torah Fund program and supporting the institutions which it funds. We hope that you are all still collecting change in your Tzedakah boxes – so please convert these into a check that you may send to me at 85 Tall Pines Dr., Neptune, NJ 07753.

Torah Fund pins have been ordered, so with a donation of \$180 you will receive this year's beautiful pin, or for \$300 the pin will have a pretty pearl added to it. Packages of greeting cards are also available by calling me at 732-918-1273.

Remember, your Torah Fund contribution ensures Jewish education at the five Conservative/Masorti schools of higher education around the world and is very much appreciated.

— Eva Wiener, Torah Fund Chair

Thank You

Thank you to Marian Warshauer and the Shalach Manot team: Elaine Schreiber, Toby Sukinik and Linda Gurman for a fabulous job of coordinating the Purim packages that so many of you received. Thank you as well to all the drivers who delivered the packages. Sisterhood also wishes to thank the CTE office staff who helped tremendously with the project. We would not have been so successful without your support. Todah Rabah!

Thank you to Susan Sferas and Robin Bauer for running the trivia part of our afternoon and evening Craft event.

Upcoming Events and Activities:

April 29: Newer Member Event "Happy Hour" on Zoom entitled "Getting to Know You." Invitations will be mailed.

May 16: Fundraising Walk at Franklin Lake, West Long Branch to benefit less fortunate members of our community. All are welcome to join in this outdoor, socially distant fun walk. Minimum donation is \$10.00.

SISTERHOOD CHAI LITES

March Mah-Jongg Madness 2021

For Congregation Torat El's Sisterhood

Goes Virtual! - Using RealMahJongg.com

4 Rounds of play (2 in the morning and 2 in the afternoon with lunch break in the middle)

\$\$ Cash Prizes \$\$ (to be mailed to winners)

Sunday, March 21 ~ 9:30am-3:15pm

Register by March 10th by mail only using registration form below

Registration Fee: \$25.00

Includes entry for door prizes (Gift Cards)

*****Remember to play your 2020 card*****

Questions? Contact Carol Klein at: 732-213-7434 or carolklein725@gmail.com

Mah Jongg Madness Reservation Form

Name _____ Phone # _____

Address _____

Email _____ Total Enclosed \$ _____

Realmahjongg.com Username _____

I want to be an East* - YES, NO, Only if Desperate (circle one)

*Being East requires assisting with scoring and emailing in to judge after each round.

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

Mail to: Carol Klein, 26 Stonehenge Dr., Ocean, NJ 07712

MATZAH DONATIONS NEEDED

Sisterhood will be sending Passover packages to our college students and children in the military. If you'd like to donate a few boxes, please deliver them to **1122 Madison Avenue in Ocean** and leave them on the porch. Deadline for drop off is March 15th.

DO NOT DROP OFF AT THE TEMPLE!

upcoming events

For more details and to register for all programs, please visit upcomingevents.torat-el.org

In The Footsteps of Herzl - Tours of Budapest and Vienna

Sunday, March 7, 1:00pm (Budapest)

Sunday, April 11, 1:00pm (Vienna)

This two-part program will explore the incredible achievements of the Jewish community in these two beautiful cities, explore the complex search for identity in the 50 years leading up to World War II, will grapple with two very different stories of how anti-Jewish policies and the Shoah developed, and will discuss Jewish life post-1945.

The Kosher Capones: A History of Chicago's Jewish Gangsters

Sunday, March 21, 5:00pm

Explore the lives and criminal careers of "Zuckie the Bookie" Zuckerman, last of the West Side Jewish bosses, and Lenny Patrick, head of the Syndicate's "Jewish wing." Join us for a fascinating in-depth look inside a hidden society and the men who ran Chicago's Jewish criminal community for more than 60 years.

Israel Food Tour

Sunday, April 18, 1:00pm

Zoom in on the foods and culture of Israel, up close and personal, through a Delicious online culinary tour. Our virtual food tour will bring you as close to the sites, smells, tastes, and sounds as possible!

Joseph Pulitzer: Voice of the People - Film and Q&A

Explore the life and legacy of Joseph Pulitzer, the father of modern journalism, in Joseph Pulitzer: Voice of the People.

Watch the film anytime between Tuesday, April 20 – Sunday, April 25

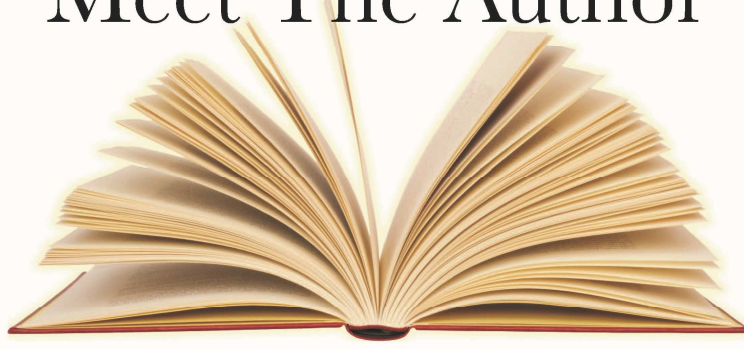
(once you register, you will be sent a link to the film)

Then...

Join us on Zoom for a Q&A with film director, writer and producer Oren Rudavsky.

Sunday, April 25, 3:00pm

Meet The Author



CONGREGATION TORAT EL

MEET THE AUTHOR COMES TO ZOOM!

Thursday, March 18, 7:30pm

Meet Max Gross, author of *The Lost Shtetl*

**2020 National
Jewish Book
Award Winner**



Kreskol is the setting for *The Lost Shtetl*, a wise and funny novel, which has been compared to *Brigadoon* and the writing of Isaac Bashevas Singer. The Polish hamlet was forgotten by the Nazis during WWII, sparing its residents the horrors of the Holocaust. When the story begins, Kreskol has been thrust into the present, and the chaos that ensues allows the author to tell a story about history, prejudice, and the persistence of anti-Semitism.

Max Gross is a staff reporter for the *New York Post* and also writes a column for the *Forward* called "The Hapless Jewish Writer." *The Lost Shtetl* is his debut novel.

There is no charge for Meet the Author events but registration is required.

Please visit upcomingevents.torat-el.org

You will receive an email which will include the Zoom link and password prior to the event.



Catered Seder Meal

This meal will be prepared by Exquisite Caterers and delivered to the temple. Pickup at the temple will be Friday, March 26.

\$180 (Serves 4-5 guests)

Gefilte Fish with Horseradish
Matzah Ball Soup

Roasted Turkey Breast with Gravy
Braised Brisket of Beef with Gravy

Glazed Carrots
Broccoli Souffle
Potato Kugel
Matzah Farfel Stuffing
Passover Cake
Traditional Seder Plate

**Please note there are no substitutions and only available in this quantity.
Order deadline is Monday, March 22.**

Visit torat-el.org/events/catered-seder-meal/ to make your reservation.

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Congregation Torat El General Fund

In Honor of:

Michael Sanow for his excellent "Race Matters" class by **Lori Schuldiner Schor & Joshua Schor**

The birth of Lori Schuldiner Schor & Joshua Schor's grandson by **the Sacks Family**

The engagement of Laurie & Gary Gross's daughter Alana by **Drs. Mindy & David Estin**

In Memory of:

Ron Weinberg – husband of Shelley Weinberg by **Bonnie Cohen**

Martha Drossman – mother of Gloria Gribin by **the Botton Family, Sharron Friedman, Janet & Jay Rogove**

Toby Sobel – mother of Harriet Colby by **Neil & Marcia Weitzenkorn & Family**

Audrey Landis – sister-in-law of Al Landis by **Bonnie Cohen & Richard Bellows**

Robert Silver by **Irene & Al Landis, Bonnie Cohen & Richard Bellows**

Rabbi Schonbrun's Discretionary Fund

In Memory of:

Audrey Landis – sister-in-law of Al Landis by **Shirley & Burt Resnic**

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Michael Sanow for his compelling "Race Matters" class by **Neil & Marcia Weitzenkorn, Susan Sferas, Sheryl Kaplan, Be Yeamans, Marjorie & Stanley Cotler, Judy Rabinowitz**

Garden Fund

In Honor of:

The engagement of Laurie & Gary Gross's daughter Alana by **Marjorie & Stanley Cotler, Andrea & Jeff Fishbein**

Library Fund

In Memory of:

Louis English – father of Sandra Koreen by **Sandra & Carl Koreen**

Martha Drossman – mother of Gloria Gribin by **Sandra & Carl Koreen**

Tree of Life

A tree has been planted in memory of Toby Sobel – mother of Harriet Colby by **Margo Gelfman**

A tree has been planted in memory of Toby Sobel – mother of Howard Sobel by **Margo Gelfman**

A tree has been planted in memory of Mickey Silver by **Sheryl Kaplan**

Grams

To Laurie & Gary Gross in honor of their daughter Alana's engagement to David Klein and for Alana passing the CPA exam from **Janet & David Attner**

To Laurie & Gary Gross in honor of their daughter Alana's engagement to David Klein from **Eva & Howard Wiener, Carri & Bruce Silverberg, Jackie & Alan Rosenheck, Marian & Bill Warshauer, Susan Sferas**

To Alana Gross in honor of passing the CPA exam from **Jackie & Alan Rosenheck**

To Joshua & Lori Schuldiner Schor in honor of their new grandson Matan from **Susan Sferas, Eva & Howard Wiener**

To Roy & Gail Kallens in honor of the birth of their grandson from **Susan Sferas**

To Carri & Bruce Silverberg in honor of their new home from **Jackie & Alan Rosenheck, Beverle & Howard Richelson**

To Phyllis Jacobs in honor of the birth of her grandson Carter from **Susan Sferas**

To Alan Cohen in memory of his father Morris from **Janet & David Attner**

To Harriet Colby in memory of her mother Toby Sobel from **Susan Sferas**

To Harriet & Max Colby in memory of her mother Toby Sobel from **Joyce & Martin Luria**

Contribution Cards

To Laurie & Gary Gross in honor of their daughter Alana passing the CPA exam on her first try and becoming a Certified Public Accountant at Price Waterhouse & Cooper by **Beverle & Howard Richelson**

To Laurie & Gary Gross in honor of their daughter Alana's engagement to David Klein from **Beverle & Howard Richelson, Tanis Deitch**

To Alana Gross & David Klein on their engagement from **Beverle & Howard Richelson**

To Donald Epstein in memory of his father Seymour from **Tanis Deitch**

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MINNIE CURTIS by Janet Brown
PAUL DORFMAN by Sandra Lehrer
LILLIAN DRIMMER by Janice & Paul Holub
ROSE DULBERGER by Lee Alexander
RAFAL EDELSBERG by Dr. Irving Edelsberg & Family
NATHAN FEINSTEIN by Rebecca Gerard
SAMUEL FREEDMAN by Paula & Bob Cohen
BEREK FROCHCWAJG by Sylvia & Ed Young
ESTERA FROCHCWAJG by Sylvia & Ed Young
CARRIE FUNDLER by Leona Funder
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HERMAN HIRSHFIELD by Larry & Ellen Hirshfield
ABRAHAM HORVITZ by Frimet Wilk
MONROE JAVERBAUM by Steven & Marcy Cohen
ANNE JUPITER by Jean & Arthur Tauber
BERNICE KEMPLER by Joan Goode
IDA KESSEL by Jerome Kessel
HENRY KIRK by Toby & Martin Sukinik
BESSIE KIRSCHNER by Cindy & Lewis Fisher & Family
DORIS KONNER by Ellen & Larry Hirshfield
ANNETTE KORN by Susan Sferas
KENNETH KOURI by Barbara Kouri
HAROLD KOYNER by Alison Friedman
PHYLLIS YOUNG KRAKOW by the Young Family
SYDNEY KRAMER by Susan & Craig Sprung
NISSAN KRONGELB by Susan Herzog
DORIS KURTZ by Ellen & Jay Kantor
IRENE LAM by Irene Evanoski
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ARNOLD LEVIN by Laura & Larry Shapiro
DAVID LEVINE by Leona Zarin
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	1	2 Board of Trustees Mtg 7:30pm	3 Lunch & Learn 12:00pm	4 Sisterhood Mtg 7:30pm	5 Candle Lighting 5:34pm Shabbat Service 7:15pm	6 Shabbat Service 9:30am
7 Zoom Tour of Budapest 1:00pm	8	9 Men's Club Mtg 7:30pm	10 No Lunch & Learn	11	12 Candle Lighting 5:41pm Shabbat Service 7:15pm	13 B'nai Mitzvah Gavi & Leora Schonbrun 9:30am
14	15	16 Executive Board Mtg 7:30pm	17 Lunch & Learn 12:00pm	18 Meet the Author 7:30pm	19 Candle Lighting 6:49pm Shabbat Service 7:15pm	20 Shabbat Service 9:30am
21 Virtual MahJongg Tournament 9:30am Jewish Gangsters: The Kosher Caponas 5:00pm	22 Deadline for Catered Seder Meal	23	24 Lunch & Learn 12:00pm	25 Morning Minyan/Fast of Firstborn 8:00am Sale of Chametz due by 5:00pm	26 Candle Lighting 6:56pm Shabbat Service 7:15pm	27 Shabbat Service 9:30am No Shabbat School Candle Lighting 8:06pm Erev Pesach First Seder
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