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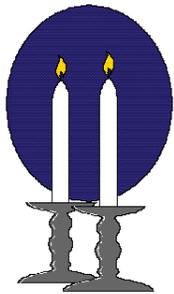
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PLEASE JOIN US FOR A SPECIAL FAMILY DINNER



**FAMILY SHABBAT DINNER**



Friday, January 22, 2016  
Services begin at 5:20 p.m.  
Dinner Following

Please send in your reservations by Sunday, January 19th.

**ETZ CHAYIM TO HONOR NEW MEMBERS  
& PRESIDENT'S CLUB & RABBI'S CIRCLE MEMBERS**

Please join us in honoring our newest members of the synagogue as well as members of the President's Club and Rabbi's Circle at a delicious Kiddush Luncheon on Shabbat, Saturday, January 9, 2016. Our guest speaker will be Brian Jaffee whose topic will be "Israeli Energy: An Overview". Please call the office to R.S.V.P. There is no charge for this event.

**FIRESIDE CHAT**



Everyone is invited to a Fireside Chat which will be held on Saturday evening, January 9th at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Sandy and Steve Marcus, 2953 Spring Water Dr. Please R.S.V.P. to the synagogue office, 419-473-2401.

Rabbi Rubin will be discussing the topic:

"What is Modern Orthodoxy—How do those two words fit together, and what do they mean in context of each other?"

Please bring your questions.



# Etz Chayim Calendar of Events

## January 2016 Tevet/Shevat 5776



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1  8:30 a.m. 5:00 p.m. 4:56 p.m. Candlelighting	2  9:00 a.m. Shemot 4:45 p.m. 6:01 p.m. Havdalah
3 Ohr Chadash  8:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	4  6:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	5 Sisterhood Bd. Mtg. 10:00 a.m. Cooking Demo-noon 6:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	6  6:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	7  6:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	8  6:45 a.m. 5:05 p.m. 5:03 p.m. Candlelighting	9 New Member Shabbat Fireside Chat- 7:30 p.m. 9:00 a.m. Va'era 4:50 p.m. 6:08 p.m. Havdalah
10 Ohr Chadash  8:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	11  6:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m. Rosh Chodesh	12  6:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	13  6:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	14  6:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	15  6:45 a.m. 5:15 p.m. 5:15 p.m. Candlelighting	16  9:00 a.m. Bo 5:00 p.m. 6:15 p.m. Havdalah
17 No Ohr Chadash Rabbi Tzvi Muller-10 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	18  6:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	19 Men's Club Mtg.-6:30 pm  6:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	20 Ladies Zumba Class 11:00 a.m. 6:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	21  6:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	22 Family Shabbat Dinner 6:45 a.m. 5:20 p.m. 5:19 p.m. Candlelighting	23  9:00 a.m. Beshallah 5:10 p.m. 6:22 p.m. Havdalah
24 Ohr Chadash  8:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	25 Tu B'Shevat  6:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	26 Joint Synagogue Book Club-Art Museum 6:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	27  6:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	28 Bd. Mtg. 7:45 p.m.  6:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	29  6:45 a.m. 5:30 p.m. 5:28 p.m. Candlelighting	30  9:00 a.m. Yitro 5:20 p.m. 6:31 p.m. Havdalah
31 Ohr Chadash  8:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.						

## FROM THE RABBI

### Separation of Church and State A Jewish Perspective

One of the fundamental principles under which the United States was founded is freedom of religion. The government is not allowed in any way to legislate the observance, or lack thereof, of any religion. Colloquially we refer to this as the separation of church and state.

The Jewish people have lived by this dictum to some degree as well. Israel, of course, was founded on Jewish beliefs. The leadership, however, has always been divided. The religious leaders were from the tribe of Levi. The Kohanim and Leviim served in the Temple and handled all other needs of the people. The political system was headed by the house of David from the tribe of Judah. This was the family from which most of the kings of Israel were drawn.

An exception to this separation happened in the aftermath of Chanukah. The Macabees were Kohanim. Descendants of Matityahu, the High Priest. Following their victory over the Greeks, they assumed the kingship. This was in addition to the fact that they were already part of the religious leadership.

The result of the partnership was not success. Corruption that often accompanies increased power became evident. After only a couple of generations Israel was ripe for another foreign power to come in. That entity would be Rome, and the aftermath would be destruction.

History does indeed teach us the wisdom of division of power. May we always be cognizant of the lessons from our past.

*Rabbi Evan B. Rubin*

## BEHIND THE SCENES

What goes on behind the curtain is always fun to explore. Another expression about exploring that comes with a negative connotation is seeing how sausage is made.

When you see what goes on behind the curtain and all that goes into a project or developing a program, it is amazing. It is often very involved, having countless details, and requiring many hours of coordinated work. On the other hand, when you see how the sausage is made, the ingredients are dropped into a hopper and the machinery jams the mixture into a casing. I happen to love sausages, of all kinds. In order to preserve anyone's love for salami and hotdogs; it is important to not go behind that curtain.

I went to a play last month and while the name of the show is not important to this message, the work done by so many to make that show a reality is important. All that went into the production by those responsible for staging the play and the hours of practice by everyone involved is a huge accomplishment. When the curtain goes down at the end of a play, one cannot help being in awe of a good performance. The pleasure from that show stays with you and feels good. You just consumed a very tasty dish that has many ingredients and leaves you satisfied.

It is worthy to note that we are not making sausage here. At Etz Chayim, the Sisterhood, Men's Club, Religious School with support and creative leadership of our Educational Programming department, are producing programs and initiating enlightening activities and events. We are building a new website. We are adding teaching moments to our services so members and visitors can feel more comfortable knowing more about Judaism and how it fits into our daily lives.

Support your local orthodox theater here at Congregation Etz Chayim. Please honor your dues commitment and your pledges. Please stay current. We are very close to intermission on 5776. Make an extra donation to honor and memorialize friends and relatives in your life. Giving to your shul is a great mitzvah as written in the Torah.

Come to the Shabbat Family Dinner; sponsor an upcoming event, a kiddush or a Shalosh Seudos. Please stay tuned for our next salami sale. It's a donation that tastes great.

*Danny Becker, President*

## OHR CHADASH RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

I have asked our students at Ohr Chadash why they like coming to classes. The children say they enjoy being with their Jewish friends at school. They like learning the prayers and their meanings. The younger children really enjoy reading the biblical stories, learning the Alef Bet, and singing & dancing.



Our older students study the weekly Tefillah, Torah and Hebrew vocabulary & grammar study. The students are engaged in the discussions led by Rabbi Rubin and Rabbi Lasso. Their questions are answered and give new meaning to the prayers. They enjoy writing and presenting divrei Torah. Everyone likes celebrating our holidays & Shabbat services with Ohr Chadash & Etz Chayim family and friends.

We will have a very special Tu B'Shevat seder on January 24<sup>th</sup>. Times and details will follow.

January will offer a new "Family Learning Shabbat" service. Rabbi Yaakov Lasso will lead the first "learning Shabbat" on January 30<sup>th</sup>. Look in the mail for more information.

I would like to congratulate the following students for having excellent attendance at Ohr Chadash classes from September through December.

Madeline Vandyke  
Samantha Stein  
Josh Jaffe  
Anna Jaffe  
Chana Rubin

Izzy Vandyke  
Penina Rubin  
Nicole Stein  
Ben Jaffe

I not only commend these students for attending, but the parents for their encouragement and support.

Nancy Jacobson, Principal



## JANUARY SCHOOL CALENDAR

### Sunday Classes

1/3- Class-10:00-12:00  
Hebrew Class-12:45-1:45  
1/10- Class-10:00-12:00  
Hebrew Class-12:45-1:45  
1/17- NO CLASS  
1/24- Class- 10:00-12:00  
Hebrew Class-12:45-1:45

1/31- Class- 10:00-12:00  
Hebrew Class- 12:45-1:45

### Thursday Classes

1/7- Class- 4:15-6:00  
1/14- Class-4:15-6:00  
1/21- Class- 4:15-6:00  
1/28- Class- 4:15-6:00



## OHR CHADASH ADULT CLASS



All adults are invited to a special class on Sunday, January 15, 2016 at 10:00 a.m. in the synagogue library. Rabbi Tzvi Muller from Ann Arbor, Michigan will be the featured speaker. His topic will be "The Mitzvah of Honoring One's Parents".

A continental breakfast will be served. There is no cost for this program.

Rabbi Tzvi Muller

## THE PROGRAMMING PAGE

The Sages teach us that each day needs to be viewed as a new opportunity for productivity and accomplishment. Everyday is fresh, exciting and full of potential; we should avoid falling into a rut of routine and complacency, as best we can.

As the secular new year of 2016 commences, let's come together to study and enjoy good times.

Just some of the upcoming opportunities we are offering:

- continuing **weekly adult** classes, including a new Tuesday morning, post-services **Breakfast/Torah Discussion group** as well as the first **Fireside Chat** of the year with Rabbi Rubin
- youth activities, including several **Shabbatons** in and out of the Synagogue
- a new Shabbat morning **guest-speaker** series (starting with **Brian Jaffee on 1/9**)
- a Zumba Gold class for women on Wednesday, January 20th at 11:00 a.m.
- trips to **sporting events** (Walleye and Pistons)
- various other social events

... and much more.

I would like to thank the kitchen staff, the Sisterhood and the Youth Committee for helping me facilitate past and future events for our adults and youth. All of the Chanukah events, as well as the recent Cholent contest (*winner: Danny Becker, "My Mother's Cholent"*) were a hit!

If you are not part of our **Facebook** group and would like to be, let me know. Programming pictures and updates are featured on the page.

Last, but not least - be on the lookout for a **brand new, redesigned shul website!** *Coming very soon ...*

Have a wonderful new year!

*Rabbi Yaakov Lason*

## SISTERHOOD NEWS

Thanks to all of the wonderful volunteers who helped with our Etz Chayim/Ohr Chadash Chanukah Dinner on Thursday, December 10. It was a delicious and fun evening!



As always, we cannot do all that we do without the support of all our members. If you are not a Sisterhood member, please consider joining now. Dues are \$20 per year. If you are 60 and over, Life Membership is once again available for \$200. Please contact Suzie Rosenberg, Membership Vice President, 419-536-7758. If you are already a member, we say thank you for your continued support.

We look forward to your participation in all our events and projects. The next Sisterhood Board meeting is Tuesday, January 5, 2016, at 10:00 a.m. in the Shul Library. All Sisterhood members are welcome to attend.

## GIFT SHOP NEWS



The Gift Shop has many items for your home and for those times when you need a gift. We have many wonderful artists with a variety of beautiful items such as mezuzahs, candlesticks, bowls, and jewelry. If you are in the market for candles, plastic Shabbat table covers, disposable drip cups, or assorted Jewish toys, books and games, you can buy these at our gift shop. Think of the many Ahava items our gift shop carries for that dry January skin. As always, we offer free gift wrap.

## MEN'S CLUB

The Men's Club wishes to thank everyone who attended the Chinese Shabbat Dinner on December 25th. A good time was had by all.



Save the Date: Wednesday, April 13, 2016 for the Men's Club Annual Kishka Dinner. More information will be forthcoming.



WELCOME  
Our  
NEWEST MEMBERS

And  
HONOR  
those in the

PRESIDENT'S CLUB and RABBI'S CIRCLE

At a

Shabbat Kiddush Luncheon

On Saturday, January 9, 2016 following services.

Please R.S.V.P. by January 3, 2016 to  
[Elsa@Etzchayimtoledo.org](mailto:Elsa@Etzchayimtoledo.org) or call 419-473-2401

Our special guest speaker will be Brian Jaffee, son of Alan Jaffee and Laura Leventhal,  
who will be speaking on "ISRAELI ENERGY: AN OVERVIEW"

**If you let us know you are coming, we will have food for every person there.**

If you would like to become a member of the President's Club or Rabbi's Circle,  
the dues are as follows:

President's Club	\$2,000
Rabbi's Circle	\$2,500

### A MITZVAH FOR ALL TO ENJOY!

Our members seem to greatly enjoy having kiddush luncheons following services on Shabbat. The only thing that stops us from doing this more often is the cost, which ranges between \$300 and \$600. Although sometimes we charge our members so that we can have a lunch, it is a great joy and mitzvah to be able to include everyone without charging so that everyone is comfortable attending.

If you would like to sponsor a lunch or contribute to a specific luncheon fund, please contact Elsa at 473-2401.



# ETZ CHAYIM FAMILY SHABBAT DINNER



## FRIDAY, JANUARY 22, 2016

### SERVICES BEGIN AT 5:20 P.M. DINNER FOLLOWING

**\$18.00 per adult**

**\$8.50 per child (5-12 years old)**

**Children under 5 – Free**

Join us for our annual Family Shabbat Dinner with all the trimmings. Special activities and songs are planned for the children as well as Shabbat songs for everyone.

**A good time is planned for all!!**

**FAMILY SHABBAT DINNER  
(CHECK MUST ACCOMPANY RESERVATION)  
DEADLINE: January 17, 2016**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

No. Adults \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$18.00 \_\_\_\_\_

No. Children \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 8.50 \_\_\_\_\_  
(5-12 years old)

No. Children \_\_\_\_\_ @ No Charge \_\_\_\_\_  
(Under 5 years old)

Total Amount Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to: Congregation Etz Chayim

Mail to: Congregation Etz Chayim  
3853 Woodley Road  
Toledo, Ohio 43606



If you would like to reserve a table for an entire family of 8 or 10, please indicate that on the back of this reservation form.

In an attempt to keep the price of the dinner as low as possible, we are in need of more financial assistance to help defray the cost of the dinner. Anyone interested in helping to subsidize the Shabbat Dinner by donating items or money, please contact Elsa Leveton at the Synagogue Office, 419-473-2401.

THE BOOK CLUBS OF  
CONGREGATION B'NAI ISRAEL  
CONGREGATION ETZ CHAYIM  
CONGREGATION SHOMER EMUNIM

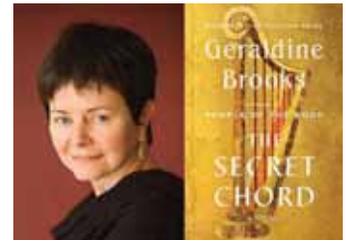
Cordially invite you to a Joint Synagogue Book Club meeting

Tuesday, January 26, 2016

11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

At the Toledo Museum of Art—  
Pen to Palette Docent Tour and Book Discussion

The book being reviewed is The Secret Chord, by  
Geraldine Brooks, Copyright: 2015, Viking Press



<http://geraldinebrooks.com/the-secret-chord>  
<http://www.penguin.com/read/book-clubs/the-secret-chord/9780670025770>

The book is available at the Toledo Lucas County Public Library and  
its affiliates in Search Ohio and through Amazon.com

The cost of the program is \$5.00 per person to be collected at the  
museum the day of the program. Lunch will be available at your own  
expense in the Museum Café which features vegetarian and dairy  
options.

Everyone will meet at the Grove Street entrance at 10:45 a.m. (Rides  
will be available from Etz Chayim at 10:30 a.m. for those who choose  
to carpool.) Parking is free for Museum members.

This program is limited to the first 40 people who R.S.V.P.

Please call Elsa in the Etz Chayim office, 419-473-2401 or email  
[elsa@etzchayimtoledo.org](mailto:elsa@etzchayimtoledo.org) by Friday, January 15, 2016, to make your  
reservation.

## HAPPY NOTES

...Those celebrating birthdays in the month of January:

- 1 - Shelly Fruchtmann, Leonard Newman
- 3 - Sandy Marcus
- 4 - Ilise Shafransky
- 5 - Ruth Josephson
- 6 - Gayle Feldstein
- 8 - Adrian Fishler
- 11 - Jerry Chabler
- 12 - Dorene Joelson
- 13 - Ellen Berkowitz, Gary Katz
- 17 - Marian Goldner, Robert Prettyman
- 18 - Roberta Carroll, Sheldon Frankel
- 19 - Marvin Odesky
- 21 - Blair Grubb
- 22 - Megan Vandyke
- 23 - Marcia Zimmerman
- 26 - Robert Wengrow
- 31 - Jerome Levison



...Those celebrating anniversaries in the month of January:

- 15 - Scott & Sheri Singer
- 16 - Michael & Kathleen Theise
- 21 - Stan & Gayle Feldstein
- 27 - Tom & Melanie Woodby

## SYNAGOGUE OFFICE HOURS

The office hours for the synagogue are as follows:

Mon.—Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Friday 9:00 a.m. - noon

The office will be closed for lunch from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.



The office will be closed on Monday, January 18, 2016 in observance of Martin Luther King Day.

## ALIYAHS & HAFTORAHS

When requesting an aliyah or a haftorah, it would be greatly appreciated if a monetary donation would be made to the synagogue. It is an honor to be called to the Torah and your donation helps support the synagogue in many ways.



## SHABBAT KIDDUSH/SHALOSH SEUDAS

Anyone who would like to sponsor a Shabbat Kiddush or Shalosh Seudas in memory or in honor of a loved one, please contact Elsa Leveton in the Synagogue Office to schedule a date. The minimum cost for a Kiddush is \$75 & a Shalosh Seudas is \$125.



## TODAH RABAH

Thank you to our wonderful members & friends who make very generous contributions to our shul...



- ...to Moshe Manakhimov for sponsoring the Kiddush on Dec. 19th on the occasion of the yahrtzeit of his mother Frieda Aleshayeva
- ...to Danny & Cindy Becker for sponsoring the Kiddush on Sat. Dec. 26th on the occasion of the yahrtzeits of parents Louis & Helene Bines
- ...to Leslie Balkany for sponsoring the Kiddush on Jan. 2nd on the occasion of the yahrtzeit of her father Joe Scherr
- ...to Lou Balkany for sponsoring the Kiddush on Jan. 16th on the occasion of the yahrtzeit of his mother Rose Balkany
- ...to Harry Schulman for sponsoring the Shalosh Seudas on Jan. 30 on the occasion of the yahrtzeits of sister Hilda Latez and father Jacob Schulman
- ...to Sandy & Steve Marcus for hosting the January Fireside Chat
- ...to Faly Woodby for preparing her specialty lasagna for the Winter Cooking Demonstration

## WINTER COOKING DEMONSTRATION



Everyone is invited to attend a winter cooking demonstration and testing on Tuesday, January 5, 2016 at noon in the social hall.

Faly Woodby will be preparing her family recipe of meatless lasagna along with a salad and dessert.

The cost for this program is \$5.00 per person payable at the door. Please call the office to make a reservation.

## IT IS WITH DEEP REGRET THAT WE RECORD THE DEATHS OF:

**THELMA WEXLER** Mother of Harold Wexler  
**MILTON KIMMELMAN** Father of Donna Rukin  
**ZELLA LEVENTHAL** Mother of Laura Leventhal

*We extend sincere condolences to friends and family members and pray that they be comforted at this time.*

## MASTERCARD, VISA & DISCOVER NOW ACCEPTED

Mastercard, Visa & Discover are accepted at the shul as payment for dues, contributions and gift shop purchases. When charging your purchases, the shul would appreciate if you would add 3% to the charge to cover our cost of the credit card fees paid by the shul.



## UPCOMING SENIOR EVENTS

*The Senior Adult Center and Senior Adult Programs of the Jewish Federation of Greater Toledo are open to all who are 60 years old and above and are supported in part through your campaign dollars and through a generous grant from the Jewish Senior Services Supporting Organization.*

*All events are part of the Jewish Federation of Greater Toledo and occasionally take place at the various synagogues. Please note registration deadlines for all programs! To register for a Jewish Federation Senior Program, please call 419-531-2119 #2 or email registration@jewishtoledo.org. For questions about a program, please call René Rusgo at 419-531-2119 #1 or rene@jewishtoledo.org*

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 14 Mobile Meals' Lunch and Learn

Noon - Lunch

JFS Senior Adult Center-Weinman  
Community Room, 2700 Pelham Road  
Free

Mobile Meals is starting a monthly Lunch and Learn program for senior housing and senior centers. There is no charge for the Lunch and Learn. Topics will include: the Mobile Meals service, how to get signed up, pricing and other programs that are offered. There will be a question and answer session following lunch. A brief video will be shown and Bingo will be played afterwards for prizes! All are welcome!

*Registration is required by  
Friday, January 8*

Full information regarding all programs can be found in *Toledo Jewish News*.  
To register for a Jewish Federation of Greater Toledo senior program, please call 419-531-2119 #2  
or email registration@jewishtoledo.org.

### SAVE THE DATE THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11 A Healthy Start Health Fair

JFS Senior Adult Center-Weinman  
Community Room, 2700 Pelham Road  
10 a.m. – Noon

Free – open to the entire community

A healthy start health fair with big benefits! Come get your blood and sugar checked, a quick memory test, facts about falls, balance assessments, DEXA bone scans, fire safety information, Medicare updates, an “ask the lawyer” segment, goody bags for all who attend and so much more!

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18 Young People's Concert by Toledo Symphony Orchestra –

#### The Golden Disc/Lunch Out

10:15 a.m.: Depart Senior Center - if you need transportation, tell us when you register

11 a.m.: Concert Begins

Toledo Museum of Art Peristyle/Spaghetti Warehouse

You may register to attend the concert and meet us at the Peristyle/Spaghetti Warehouse  
Concert is free /Lunch is on your own

Journey to interstellar space and beyond with the music inspired by the Golden Disc of NASA's Voyager Spacecraft – a time capsule of images, sounds and music sent into space to teach of life on Earth. This program explains how the instruments of the orchestra make their unique sounds and explores how composers use those sounds to create one of the most beautiful genres of music known to mankind.

*Registration requested by  
Monday, February 8*

## SENIORS OUT & ABOUT



WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24  
*The Odd Couple* by Neil Simon  
at Purple Rose Theatre, Chelsea, Michigan  
Late Lunch at Common Grill,  
Chelsea, Michigan

Noon: Depart Federation Campus,  
6465 Sylvania Avenue

3 p.m.: Matinee Show

7 p.m. (estimated): Return to Federation  
\$45 per person (includes transportation,  
lunch, and theatre ticket)

Two suddenly single pals — a sloppy sports-writer and a neat freak news writer — strain their friendship by turning roommates, but patterns of their own disastrous marriages begin to reappear with hilarious results.



Jewish Federation  
OF GREATER TOLEDO

Coming  
July 2016!

Jewish Toledo  
Food Festival

Calling  
all foodies...

Are you interested in planning?

Are you a chef who would like to show off your Jewish dishes?

Do you have an idea for the Jewish Food Festival?  
For more information, please contact  
Hallie Freed at 419-724-0362 or  
hallie@JewishToledo.org.

Sponsored in part by  


## SAVE THE DATE

The Toledo Jewish community will celebrate

**JEWISH DISABILITY AWARENESS  
MONTH**

**Sunday, February 28**

**Featuring guest speaker,  
Rabbi Michael Ungar**



**CONTRIBUTIONS WILL BE ACKNOWLEDGED AS FOLLOWS:**

**STANDARD ANNOUNCEMENT**

In Memory, Yahrtzeit, Speedy Recovery, Happy Events - \$10.00  
IN APPRECIATION- \$12.00  
MISHABERACHS (Special Prayer) - \$12.00  
CHAI FUND - \$18.00  
DOUBLE CHAI FUND - \$36.00  
TREE PLANTED IN ISRAEL - \$18.00  
SILVER CONTRIBUTION (Single Box) - \$25.00  
GOLD CONTRIBUTION (Double Box) - \$50.00  
PLATINUM CONTRIBUTION (Bold Box) - \$100.00  
(Box to include up to 4 names. Over 4 names will be an additional charge of \$8.00 per name.)

SHABBAS/HOLIDAY PRAYER BOOK - \$50.00  
CHUMASH - 75.00  
BIMA FLOWER FUND - Shabbas - \$100.00  
HOLIDAYS - \$125.00  
TREE OF LIFE LEAF - \$150.00 STONE - \$500.00  
MEMORIAL PLATES - \$600.00  
SHABBAT KIDDUSH - \$75.00  
SHALOSH SEUDOS (November - March) - \$125.00  
PLATES ON ODESKY PLAQUE - \$180.00  
SANCTUARY DEDICATION PLATES - \$1000.00

**SAM ALLOY MEMORIAL FUND**

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**SAMUEL ALLOY**  
Annette Fine

**BUILDING FUND**

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**ALFRED LEVISON**  
Mel & Donna Rukin  
Elsa & Allen Leveton

**THELMA WEXLER**  
Dick Schectman

**MILTON KIMMELMAN**  
Teddy & Kay Miller  
Lois Levinson  
Ken & Aileen Pargament  
Linda Russell  
Harry Schulman  
Lenny Rosenberg

**ZELLA LEVENTHAL**  
Steve & Sandy Marcus  
Ken & Aileen Pargament  
Elsa & Allen Leveton

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
MILTON KIMMELMAN**  
James Kimmelman

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
ZELLA LEVENTHAL**  
Edythe Jaffee

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
MILTON KIMMELMAN**  
JoAnn & Dan Weiss

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**RUTH WEISS  
HERBERT KIMMELMAN**  
Mel & Donna Rukin

**DAVID FRANK**  
Larry & Marcia Frank & Family

**SAMUEL LEEDYN**  
Arlene Rubinoff

**DAVID WILLIAM SERETSKY**  
Mae Seretsky & Family

**OSCAR RAPPAPORT**  
William & Marcia Zimmerman & Family

**LILLIAN KALE**  
Sally Kaminsky

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
BELOVED MOTHER &  
GRANDMOTHER PAULINE SOLOMON  
& BELOVED FATHER &  
GRANDFATHER SHELDON RUBIN**  
Brent & Ricki Rubin & Family

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
JOE ROSENBERG**  
Mickey & Suzie Rosenberg & Family

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
PHILIP LEVETON**  
Elayne Flax

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
BELOVED BROTHER & UNCLE  
RONALD MARKOFF**  
Richard & Beverly Markoff

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
ABRAHAM AGETSTEIN**  
Ken & Aileen Pargament  
Jon & Laura Pargament  
Ben Pargament

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
BELOVED MOTHER LILLIAN KALE**  
Randy Kale

**MISHABERACH FOR A SPEEDY  
RECOVERY OF:**

**DR. STEVE SELMAN**  
Bob Lichtenstein

**DR. PAUL FRANKLIN  
DR. MARVIN RUBIN**  
Jeff & Judy Cohen

**SPEEDY RECOVERY OF:**

**MEL RUKIN**  
David & Diane Treuhaft

**IN APPRECIATION OF:**

**RABBI EVAN RUBIN  
SHARON & BERYL RAVIN  
DAVID & DIANE TREUHAFT**  
Mel & Donna Rukin  
& Warren Kimmelman

**HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF:**

**DR. BLAIR GRUBB RECEIVING THE  
MEDICAL PROFESSIONAL OF THE  
DECADE AWARD FROM THE BRITISH  
HEART RHYTHM SOCIETY OF  
ENGLAND**  
Dick Schectman

**CHAI FUND**

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
ELIZABETH "BETTY" BUSTOW**  
The Bustow Family

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
CLARA TARSCHIS**  
Dr. & Mrs. Stanford Shulman

**HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF:**

**YAMIN ZEV ELKAIM ON HIS BAR  
MITZVAH**  
Steve & Sandy Marcus

**ETZ CHAYIM FUND**

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**ZELLA LEVENTHAL**  
Richard & Naomi Baron

**VERA HEILBRUN**  
Steve & Sandy Marcus

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
MILTON KIMMELMAN**  
Marsha & Paul Kimmelman

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
BELOVED MOTHERS &  
GRANDMOTHERS  
LILLIAN MARKMAN &  
DEBORAH MARCUS**  
Steve & Sandy Marcus & Family

**ABE & FLORENCE GREENBERG  
TORAH FUND**

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**MILTON KIMMELMAN**  
Sharon Rainwasser

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF BELOVED  
MOTHER, GRANDMOTHER &  
GREAT GRANDMOTHER  
FLORENCE GREENBERG**

The Families of  
Brad Greenberg  
Marv Greenberg  
Sherrie Sperling

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**SAM RAINWASSER**  
Sharon & Howard Rainwasser

**MISHABERACH FOR A SPEEDY  
RECOVERY OF:**

**GABRIEL BEN SARAH**  
Sharon Rainwasser

**HARRY & FRIEDA LEVINE  
SYNAGOGUE FUND**

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**ZELLA LEVENTHAL**  
Mel & Margie Siegel

**HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF:**

**DANNY & DEBBIE ELKAIM ON THE  
BAR MITZVAH OF THEIR SON YAMIN  
ZEV**

Mel & Margie Siegel

**BOB & CHERYL BERKOWITZ ON  
THEIR SPECIAL ANNIVERSARY**

Mel & Margie Siegel

**MIKVAH FUND**

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**ZELLA LEVENTHAL**  
Dr. & Mrs. Marvin Rubin

**IN APPRECIATION OF:**

**IN APPRECIATION OF  
STEVE MARCUS FOR BEING A  
MENTSCH**

Dr. Marvin Rubin

**BETTY ROBERTS  
MEMORIAL FUND**

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**BETTY ROBERTS**  
Marci & David Burch  
Samantha Burch

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**HELEN HASCAL LEWIS**  
John, Sandi & Sonny Kniep

**RUTH & DANIEL STEINGROOT  
KITCHEN FUND**

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**JON DOLGIN**  
Ruth & Marcy Steingroot

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**SAM STEINGROOT**  
Lou Steingroot

**SPEEDY RECOVERY OF:**

**MARCY STEINGROOT**  
Mel & Margie Siegel  
Mickey & Suzie Rosenberg  
Steve & Sandy Marcus  
Fran Wexler

**PAUL FRANKLIN**  
Lou Steingroot

**MISHABERACH FOR A SPEEDY  
RECOVERY OF:**

**MARCY STEINGROOT**  
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Daniel & Cynthia Becker

**VERA HEILBRUN**  
Sharon & Beryl Ravin

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Marcia Feldstein  
Sharon & Beryl Ravin

**SPEEDY RECOVERY OF:**

**MEL RUKIN**  
Sharon & Beryl Ravin

**TREES PLANTED IN ISRAEL**

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**JACOB FORASTER**  
Lilly Yourist & Family

**HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF:**

**GAYLE WEINSTEIN ON THE 50TH  
ANNIVERSARY OF HER  
BAT MITZVAH**  
Elsa & Allen Leveton

**ROY WENGROW MEMORIAL FUND**

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**VERA HEILBRUN**  
**MILTON KIMMELMAN**  
Bob & Lynne Wengrow

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

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Lynne & Bob Wengrow

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**MILTON KIMMELMAN**  
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Steve & Sandy Marcus  
Phyllis & Charles Wittenberg

**ZELLA LEVENTHAL**  
Charles & Phyllis Wittenberg

**VERA HEILBRUN**  
Elsa & Allen Leveton  
Charles & Phyllis Wittenberg  
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Sue & Joe Wittenberg

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**BELDINA SIMON**  
Paul & Linda Franklin & Family

**SPEEDY RECOVERY OF:**

**PAUL FRANKLIN**  
Harry Schulman

**IN APPRECIATION OF:**

**SUE & JOE WITTENBERG**  
Donna & Mel Rukin  
& Warren Kimmelman

**HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF:**

**BOB & CHERYL BERKOWITZ ON  
THEIR 40TH ANNIVERSARY**  
Steve & Sandy Marcus



**MEMORY OF THE RIGHTEOUS IS A BLESSING**  
**\*YAHRTZEIT DATES\***



**JAN. 1 TEVET 20**

Samuel Cannon\*  
 Beatrice Epstein\*  
 Benjamin Felstein\*  
 Irving Friedman\*  
 Rose Nathanson\*  
 Alex Zimble\*

**JAN. 2 TEVET 21**

Robert Epstein\*  
 Louis Medow\*  
 Sandra Shortlidge  
 Beldina Simon\*

**JAN. 3 TEVET 22**

Ethel Fisher\*  
 Samuel Friedman\*  
 Hyman Kasle\*  
 Samuel Millman  
 Simon Newman\*  
 Hyman Schwartz\*  
 Sarah Sharfman\*

**JAN. 4 TEVET 23**

Jerry Baron\*  
 Jacob Diamond  
 Rose Farber  
 Isaac Feinstein\*  
 Edith Feldstein\*  
 Philip Greenberg\*  
 David Konstat\*  
 Sol Linver\*  
 Josiah Scherr

**JAN. 5 TEVET 24**

Irving Dolgin\*  
 Leonard Greenberg\*  
 Charles Hertzberg\*  
 Albert Abraham Kaminsky  
 Robert Odesky\*  
 Nathan Rainwasser\*  
 Bennie Shavinsky\*  
 Albert Weiss\*  
 Sarah Wolff\*

**JAN. 6 TEVET 25**

Rose Epstein\*  
 Sylvia Glassman\*  
 Samuel Jacobs\*  
 Samuel Lenavitt\*  
 Sarah Singer\*  
 Edith Waldman\*  
 Sam Wexler\*  
 William Worshtil\*

**JAN. 7 TEVET 26**

Sigmund Aron\*  
 Rebecca Frank\*  
 Herman Goldstein\*  
 Anna Hening\*  
 Isadore Indicks\*  
 Lawrence Zaft\*

**JAN. 8 TEVET 27**

Lena Axonovitz\*  
 Anna Cannon\*  
 Esther Cannon\*  
 Morris Cartin\*  
 Zlatte Cohn\*  
 Leah Schwartz Epstein\*  
 Saul Koltun  
 Ida Okun\*  
 Morris Richman\*  
 Norman Shoffer\*  
 Maxwell Silverstein\*  
 Goldie Solomon\*

**JAN. 9 TEVET 28**

Toby Feldstein\*  
 Samuel Hirsch\*  
 Hattie Prager\*  
 Etel Rozenman\*  
 Philip Rubin\*  
 Ruth Sherman\*

**JAN. 10 TEVET 29**

Esther Okun\*  
 Joseph Sells\*  
 Edith Wexler\*

**JAN. 11 SHEVAT 1**

Jennie Berman\*  
 Joe Fingerhut\*  
 Max Goldsmith\*  
 Sam Levine\*  
 Harold Weinblatt\*

**JAN. 12 SHEVAT 2**

Samuel Alloy\*  
 Julia Hylinski\*  
 Sorah Lifshitz\*  
 Sidney Perlmutter\*  
 Mary Rosenbaum\*  
 Mary Scheroff\*  
 Dr. Barbara Straus

**JAN. 13 SHEVAT 3**

Nacha Abelowitz\*  
 Samuel Glassman\*  
 Israel Grunberg\*  
 Abraham Hoffman\*  
 Shirley Leveton\*  
 Abraham Melamed\*  
 Sam Olson\*  
 Dr. Donald Weintraub\*

**JAN. 14 SHEVAT 4**

Morris Abrams\*  
 Jacob Fishler\*  
 Abraham Patlin\*  
 Edwin Silverman\*

**JAN. 15 SHEVAT 5**

Abraham Felstein\*  
 Anna Hendelman\*  
 Morris Lubitsky\*  
 Mary Nagler\*  
 Nettie Reiss\*  
 Jacob Ziatz\*

**JAN. 16 SHEVAT 6**

Rose Balkany  
 Fae Burkovitz\*  
 Edith Friedman\*  
 Pauline Green\*  
 Mandel Kalisher\*  
 Sara Keran\*  
 Jacob Kohler\*  
 Moe Okun\*  
 Rosalyn Silverman  
 Nathan Stone\*

**JAN. 17 SHEVAT 7**

Morris Eichenhorn\*  
 Louis Fingerhut\*  
 Jeannette Goldman\*  
 Bessie Kalisher\*  
 Goldie Wasserman\*  
 Eva Weisberg\*

**JAN. 18 SHEVAT 8**

Harry Bletterman\*  
 Israel Fingerhut\*  
 Celia Gould\*  
 Lena Schoen\*  
 Rebecca Sheon\*  
 Fannie Wexler\*

**JAN. 19 SHEVAT 9**

Gussie Cousins\*  
 Sylvia Eller\*  
 Mollie Fedlock  
 David Frank\*  
 Sara Osnowitz  
 Sam Schuster\*  
 Ida Stein\*  
 Hortense Weisberg\*

**JAN. 20 SHEVAT 10**

Dr. Irwin Abrams\*  
 Morris Cannon\*  
 Louis Chausky\*  
 Irving Himmelfarb\*  
 Mollie Jacobson\*  
 Samuel Weinblatt\*

**JAN. 21 SHEVAT 11**

Elizabeth Clarke\*  
 Celia Golding\*  
 Leah Kale\*  
 Arthur Katz\*  
 Hyman Liberman\*  
 Helen Markovich\*  
 Louis Steinberg\*  
 Louis Wittenberg\*

**JAN. 22 SHEVAT 12**

Benjamin Berkowitz\*  
 June Fruchtman  
 Charlyne Katz\*  
 Lillian Shenofsky\*  
 Clara Weingarden\*  
 Mary Wolff\*

**JAN. 23 SHEVAT 13**

Abraham Blum  
 Jeanette Blum\*  
 Irving Fink\*  
 Ida Goldberg\*  
 Benjamin Schall\*  
 Irwin Silverman  
 Sophia Wagner\*  
 Ruth Weiss

**JAN. 24 SHEVAT 14**

Muriel Applebaum\*  
 Sylvia Axonovitz\*  
 David Baim\*  
 Sarah Baum\*  
 Anna Kaminsky\*  
 Louis Levin\*  
 Jennie Moss\*  
 Ruth Rosenberg\*

**JAN. 25 SHEVAT 15**

Hyman Doomchin\*  
 Ida Israel  
 Herbert Kimmelman  
 Rachel Sharfman\*  
 David Yourist\*

**JAN. 26 SHEVAT 16**

Sam Forman\*  
 Elizabeth Hirsch\*  
 Naomi Kass\*  
 Grace Laderman\*  
 Joseph Linver\*  
 Dave Tarschis\*  
 George Weingarden\*  
 Fannie Wittenberg\*

**JAN. 27 SHEVAT 17**

Sam Ack\*  
 Lawrence Applebaum\*  
 Esther Goldberg\*  
 Aaron Linver\*  
 Lillian Markman\*  
 Calie Stein\*  
 Shirley Weinstein\*

**JAN. 28 SHEVAT 18**

Rose Blatt\*  
 Ralph Boxenbaum  
 Martin Hertzberg\*  
 Marcel Kaufman\*  
 Hilda Latez\*  
 David Olson\*  
 Harry Pistner\*  
 Jennie Remer\*  
 Miriam Samborn\*  
 Sam Steingroot\*  
 Florence Tarschis\*

**JAN. 29 SHEVAT 19**

Joseph Abrams\*  
 Abraham Block\*  
 Margaret Goldner  
 Nathan Katcher\*  
 Samuel Leedyn\*  
 Hayim Leizerman\*  
 Louis Mandel\*  
 Celia Polikoff\*  
 Sigmond Schoen\*

**JAN. 30 SHEVAT 20**

Abraham Ageststein\*  
 Samuel Baronbaum\*  
 Sara Becker\*  
 Gordon Berman\*  
 Anna Marenberg\*  
 Harold Rainwasser\*  
 Benjamin Shafransky  
 Rose Stein\*

**JAN. 31 SHEVAT 21**

Moshah Golun\*  
 Eugene Grosman\*  
 Dr. Philip O'Desky\*  
 Rose Riman\*  
 Rebecca Rosenberg\*  
 Rose Rubin\*

## SHABBAT SCHEDULE

<u>DATE</u>	<u>FRIDAY NIGHT CANDLELIGHTING</u>	<u>FRIDAY NIGHT SERVICES</u>
Friday, Jan. 1st	4:56 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Friday, Jan. 8th	5:03 p.m.	5:05 p.m.
Friday, Jan. 15th	5:15 p.m.	5:15 p.m.
Friday, Jan. 22nd	5:19 p.m.	5:20 p.m.
Friday, Jan. 29th	5:28 p.m.	5:30 p.m.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SATURDAY EVENING SERVICES</u>	<u>HAVDALAH TIME</u>
Saturday, Jan. 2nd	4:45 p.m.	6:01 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 9th	4:50 p.m.	6:08 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 16th	5:00 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 23rd	5:10 p.m.	6:22 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 30th	5:20 p.m.	6:31 p.m.

### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES AND STUDY GROUP

<b>SABBATH</b>	9:00 a.m. Study Group 1/2 hour before evening services.	Shalosh Seudas between Mincha and Ma'ariv.
<b>SUNDAY</b>	8:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.	
<b>WEEKDAYS</b>	6:45 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.	
<b>CIVIL HOLIDAYS</b>	8:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.	

#### Candle Lighting Blessing

Boruch atta A-do-noy elohainu melech  
ho'olam asher kidshano b'mitzvosov,  
v'tzivonu l'hadlik nair shel:

On Shabbos conclude: Shabbos.

On Festivals conclude: Yom Tov.

On Festivals occurring Friday conclude:  
Shabbos ve'yom tov.

Blessed art Thou, O Lord, our G-d, King of the universe,  
who hast sanctified us by Thy commandments and I  
nstructed us to kindle the  
Sabbath (and/or) Festival Lights.



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