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Weekly Services

Shacharit:

Sunday: 8:30 am

Monday-Friday: 7:30 am

Rosh Hodesh: 7:15 am

Shabbat: 9:00 am


Secular Holidays: 8:30 am

Mincha/Ma'ariv:

Sunday-Friday: 6:00 pm

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TBE Presents Purim Under the Big Top Circus, Carnival & Food Wednesday, March 4, 2015 - 5:00 pm

Carnival Only

\$10 per child • \$25 maximum per family
(carnival run by USY to benefit Tikkun Olam)

Early Bird Pricing for Food thru 2/15/15

Members: \$10 per adult • \$5 per child • \$30 per family household

Non Members: \$15 per adult • \$10 per child • \$50 per family household

Prices for Food increase \$5 per person & \$10 per family household 2/16 thru 3/3
and \$5 per person & \$15 per family household day of event.

Photo Booth • Balloon Animals • Face Painting • Petting Zoo • Circus Acts

Popcorn • Cotton Candy • Quinoa Burgers • Pizza • Mac & Cheese
Soy Corn Dog • Spicy Curly Fries • Regular Fries • Green Salad in a Cup
Fruit Skewers • Novelty Ice Cream • Hamantaschen • Open Bar

Watch for exciting details!

For special needs accommodations contact Emily Krohn at
ekrohn@rochester.rr.com or call the Temple Office at 473-1770.

See registration form on page 8 or reserve
online at www.tberochester.org

Temple Beth El

Mission Statement

Temple Beth El is a vibrant and inclusive community of Jews who join together for prayer, education, celebration, mutual support and comfort, tikkun olam and acts of loving kindness. We are guided by Torah and the principles of the Conservative movement. We are committed to our community, the State of Israel, and Jews around the world.

Vision Statement

Our vision is that Temple Beth El will be an inspiring center of Conservative Judaism in which meaningful experiences and memories take root and grow.

Values Statement

We are a welcoming and inclusive congregation.

We value and respect each congregant and his or her personal journey in Judaism.

We foster a sense of connectedness with our community.

We value participation in all aspects of synagogue and Jewish life.

Our congregation will be here for the entire Temple family now and for future generations.

Welcome to our house.



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

New Year's Day has come and gone. 2015. The year of Temple Beth El's Centennial has arrived. Our Board, Officers, and staff have started to plan the celebration which will begin this fall and continue for the entire year. It's time for the entire congregation to join the excitement! Why celebrate a Centennial? Is it just an excuse to have a party or is there something more to be gained? These are questions that I hope each of you will try to answer over the next few weeks and months and I want to use my column this month to begin that conversation.

Temple Beth El has a fascinating and illustrious past. Our synagogue has been at the forefront of Conservative Judaism from the time of its inception. We have a long history of Rabbi/scholars. As an undergraduate student at the University of Rochester I had the opportunity to study with Rabbi Abraham Karp. I knew him as a wonderful professor who had written the most definitive history of the Jewish American experience. It was many years later, after becoming a member of Temple Beth El, that I heard the beautiful and touching stories of his work as a pulpit Rabbi. We have a wonderful history of Hazzanut at Temple Beth El. Cantor Rosenbaum's (z'l) name is revered in Jewish music circles and our own Hazzan Leubitz is well known nationally. Temple Beth El is enriched by the large number of 3rd and 4th generation families that continue to make TBE their home. Some of these families can trace their ancestry to our founding members. The Centennial gives us the opportunity to learn about and celebrate our rich history.

The Centennial, however, can be much more than commemorating our past. The Centennial should also be about setting the stage and preparing for the future of TBE, God willing, for the next one hundred years. And so the question becomes what is the most important thing we can do to ensure the future of Temple Beth El? Certainly an argument can be made to invest in our building. The sanctuary needs to be remodeled, the kitchen needs to be updated and technologically, we need to move into the 21st century. None of these worthy improvements, however, will ensure our future. As Jews we have always understood that investing in our children is the key to our future success. Ten years ago the Temple Beth El Foundation was formed and it's primary mission is to help fund the education of our children. It is for this reason that our Centennial Fundraising Campaign is being directed to the Temple Beth El Foundation. In last month's KOL we explained how the Foundation works and so hopefully everyone now understands that by significantly increasing the assets of the Foundation we will see the immediate benefit of increasing the money available for our children's education on an annual basis, and will also ensure the availability of those funds in perpetuity.

I am very excited about our upcoming Centennial Celebration and Campaign and I hope you are too. I will keep you informed as the planning progresses and as volunteer opportunities arise. I hope each and every one of you will become involved. As always, I welcome any thoughts and suggestions you may have.

B'Shalom
Dan Glowinsky
President
TBEPrez@tberochester.org



FROM THE DESK OF THE SENIOR RABBI

RABBINIC REFLECTIONS

During the course of the upcoming weeks, we read on Shabbat morning the familiar story of the career of Moses, the Liberator of the Israelites. The narrative discloses an ironic contradiction between the greatness of Moses and his own reluctance to assume leadership.

Moses was selected by God because of his unique ability, his charismatic leadership qualities, his passion for justice, his moral excellence. He was singularly qualified to undertake the mission of Liberation to the people of Israel in the Land of Egypt, and to impart to his people God's lessons of justice, compassion and righteousness.

And yet, Moses cannot say "Yes." We sense his fear, his awe, and his sense of inadequacy. He feels himself unequal to God's task. He thinks about his shortcomings and his deficiencies and he believes that they are too great, that he is unworthy of his sacred mission.

Dr. Abraham Maslow of Brandeis University offered an interpretation of Moses' response. He explains that this pattern is characteristic of many people. We evade our highest destiny, we run away from our best talents. This self-rejection prevents many of us from growing into the greater human beings we have the potential of becoming.

In Maslow's works: *"We fear our highest possibilities. We are generally afraid to become that which we can glimpse in our most perfect moments. We enjoy, and even thrill to the Godlike possibilities we see in ourselves at such peak moments. And yet, we simultaneously shiver with weakness, awe and fear before these very same possibilities...we all have reservoirs of life to draw upon which we do not dream."*

Jewish Tradition has for millennia presented an image of humans that was far higher than any other known conception among the religions and philosophies of the world. Humans were made but little lower than the angels, in the Image of God. (Psalm 8) Humans are endowed with enormous potential, which they rarely fulfill.

The response of Moses was that he conceived of himself as less than the image which Jewish Tradition portrayed for him. He underestimated his own talents and capabilities. He sought to evade his mission, his unique task.

What keeps us back from reaching our highest level of self-realization? First is our limited conception of ourselves. Like Moses, we emphasize our shortcomings, failures and inadequacies. As we overlook our strengths and our abilities, we conceive of ourselves as inferior and incapable.

A contemporary writer warns about creating too low a self-image of ourselves: *"Be careful what you believe to be true, because so long as you believe it, then for you it is true. If you believe you cannot learn a musical instrument because you lack talent, get a musical instrument and learn it. Challenge your own beliefs, especially about yourself and others, because what you believe to be true functions more as persuasion than as description."*

Rabbi Bitran's article is continued on page 4.



NOTES FROM OUR HAZZAN...

I hope that this finds you and yours in good health and that you, as am I, are looking forward to temperatures warming up somewhat in the very near future!

This is typically the time of year that we begin preparations for spring programs, including our Purim festivities. I am particularly looking forward to our annual Richard W. Briskin Cantor-in-Residence weekend, which this year will take place from Friday, March 13th through Sunday, March 15th.

Richard Briskin was a dear friend and a dedicated member of our Temple. He and Henra, were always deeply involved with our musical programming. As chair of the Cantor Selection Committee, back in 1995, Dick and Henra were instrumental in my coming here to Temple Beth El. I looked forward to working with them as I began my tenure. But it was not meant to be. Sadly, Dick passed away within a month after I arrived. I, along with his loving family and congregation, were devastated. At the time of his passing, Dick, in addition to his law practice was passionate about studying to be a Hazzan. Under the tutelage of Hazzan Sam Rosenbaum (z'l), Dick often led services for our congregation and participated in musical programming. So it is most appropriate that this special weekend honors his memory.

This year is our seventeenth year and our featured Hazzan is Sarah Myerson. According to Henra, Sarah is a multi-talented cantorial student with wide-ranging interests and passions. She's had an interesting background, living in many parts of the country, and choosing to attend college in Australia (the Conservatorium of Music in Sydney), where she concentrated in music composition. Her love of Judaism, music and singing brought her to the H.L. Miller Cantorial School. During one of the years there, she studied in Israel. Sarah is unusual in that as a cantorial intern at Beth Shalom Oceanside Jewish Center, she lives in Oceanside and commutes to school. She has full-time responsibilities at the OJC, including daily minyan, davening Shabbat and festivals, chanting Torah and teaching B'nei Mitzvah students. All of these activities in addition to full-time school and a two hour commute each way.

In recent years Sarah taught herself Yiddish. She loves the language and enjoys singing, speaking and composing music with Yiddish lyrics, (she will perform one or more of her compositions in Yiddish at the Sunday concert!) and getting together with other musicians on the Yiddish Festival Circuit.

This special Shabbat and weekend begins with Sarah joining me in Friday Night Live at 6pm. She will lead Musaf on Shabbat morning, visit our students in their school activities and then present a concert on Sunday afternoon at 3:00.

I hope that you will plan to be with us! The entire weekend is free and open to the community. Please contact me with any questions.

Warmly,
Hazzan Martin Leubitz



RELIGIOUS SCHOOL CORNER

Seeing a rainbow, hearing thunder, smelling fragrant fruit, seeing the ocean, seeing mountains, seeing the first blossom on a tree, seeing a sunset, smelling fragrant herbs...Judaism gives us an abundance of opportunities to express our wonder and appreciation of the world around us; there are blessings we can say as we experience each of these occurrences. It is the middle of the winter in Rochester; these wonders of nature are not so prevalent in our daily lives right now. You might even be wondering why I am writing about this right now. I chose this topic for two reasons: the first is that the holiday of Tu B'Shevat falls at the beginning of February this year. Since Tu B'Shevat celebrates the awakening of nature as spring begins to arrive (in Israel), it seems appropriate to think about the world around us. The second reason I chose to write about this is to remind us of the beauty and wonder of nature that are easily forgotten – both in the middle of the winter when they are not as pronounced and in the midst of busy lives that might not always include time to “stop and smell the roses.”

Our congregation's Siddur, Siddur Sim Shalom, includes an entire section of blessings for various occasions (see pages 222-229 in the weekday version). Here you can find the blessings for the wonders of nature mentioned above, along with many other blessings for the ordinary and extraordinary times in our lives. I encourage you to take a few minutes perusing this section of our Siddur; in doing so, consider how you might incorporate these blessings into your life. This could include keeping these blessings with you so you can recite them when you experience one of them, setting aside some time each week to notice a part of nature you really enjoy or making a point to recognize the natural wonders you see. Even in the middle of the winter in Rochester, there is much in the world around us to notice and appreciate.

B'Shalom
Samara Sofian

Temple Beth El PTO's NEW Passover & Spring Fundraiser

Dear Fellow Congregants,

This year we are pleased to offer Barton's Kosher for Passover Candy and a second (non-Passover) catalog featuring “Timeless Treasures” for your Kitchen and Home. All are perfect for either your own holiday table or as gifts.

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3. E-mail Lisa Silverstein at LBSilver@rochester.rr.com to make order arrangements.
4. Shop online and place your own order using our school code: 701544
(You will only be charged shipping if you order directly online)

The sale ends Sunday, March 1st, 2015.

Checks payable to: Temple Beth El PTO

We thank you for your support!

Temple Beth El Parent Teacher Organization

Rabbi Bitran's article continued from page 3.

An impediment which prevents us from reaching higher than we normally do is our fear of being seen as arrogant. Perhaps Moses thought to himself, “Who, me, a prophet? Who, me, accept a Divine mission to liberate the Hebrew people, convey to them the Laws of God? What arrogance that would be.” Sometimes we voluntarily cripple ourselves in a kind of mock humility as a defense against sinful pride, but there is a certain kind of self-esteem and self-assurance, that is not only justified, but crucial if we would reach our fullest potential.

A Hassidic teacher emphasized the need to balance aspiration and humility in a vivid and graphic teaching. He declared: “Each person should have two pockets in his coat, and in each carry a slip of paper containing a quotation from Jewish sources. In one pocket the slip reads ‘for my sake, the world was created’. In the other pocket it says, ‘I am but dust and ashes.’”

There was a moment in the life of Moses when he was challenged to assume the greatest task of which he was capable, to become the messenger and witness of God's word, to become a prophet to Israel and the nations. There are moments in the lives of all of us when we realize that life has more in store for us than what we had accepted until now. It is time to stop fleeing from our destiny and our capability to accept the Divine call enabling us to become a greater, more fully human person.

B'Shalom,
Rabbi Leonardo A. Bitran

Mazal Tov B'NAI MITZVAH

Elijah "Eli" Michael Dietz

February 28, 2015

Son of: Jody & Rod Dietz
 Brother of: Sunshine & Jared
 Grandson of: Clarice Speier & Alfred Speier, z'l and
 Robert Dietz & Emma Jean Dietz, z'l

Eli is a seventh grade honor student at Johanna Perrin Middle School in Fairport where he ran Cross Country this past fall. Eli enjoys running 5K and 8K races with his family. He is also a member of the Fairport Soccer Club. Eli's many interests include playing the drums, hanging out with friends, watching television, playing video games and listening to music. He loves to spend his free time playing with his dogs Jeter and Skylar. Eli has dedicated his mitzvah project to raising money for the Breast Cancer Coalition of Rochester. He is excited to travel this summer with his family to their favorite vacation spot, the Outer Banks, N.C. Eli is very much looking forward to celebrating his Bar Mitzvah with his family and friends.



New Baby!



Mazal Tov to Paulette & Jason Reynolds on the birth of their daughter,
 Leah Sadie Reynolds on December 11, 2014.

And Mazal Tov to the grandparents, Linda Massry Reynolds, William Reynolds and
 Charles & Astrid Cohen of Manchester, England.



ENGAGEMENT & MARRIAGE



Mazal Tov to Stephen & Carolyn Sundell on the marriage of their granddaughter,
 Jamie Hanley to Evan Susser on Saturday, December 13, 2014.

And Mazal Tov to Dr. Bruce & Mrs. Susan Sundell Hanley, parents of the bride and Peter & Jodi Susser,
 parents of the groom; Rosara Sundell, z'l and Margaret & Burris Hanley, z'l, grandparents of the bride;
 Sylvia & Morris Kaplan, z'l and Esther & Myron Susser, z'l, grandparents of the groom.



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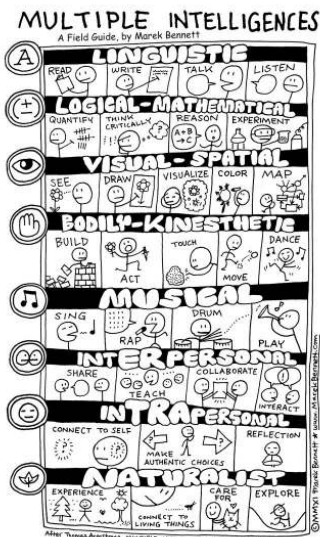
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Service at 5:30 pm - Nosh to follow
January 23 & February 27**



Family Tefillah

Led by Silvana Bacman

Shabbat Morning Service
from 10:30 to 11:45 am in the Chapel.

February 7 & April 25



Simcha Service

Please join us to celebrate birthdays and
anniversaries at Friday night services
once a month.

**6:00 pm in the Chapel
February 13 & April 25**

Parashat HaShavuah

Torah Study with
Melissa Nunes-Harwitt

10:00 am - Pastoral Conference
Room

**Saturdays, February 14 &
April 11**



Save the date!

USY Regional Convention
April 17-19, 2015
Crowne Plaza- Syracuse, NY

Teen volunteers needed for the PURIM CARNIVAL on
Wednesday, March 4th. If you would like to volunteer,
please contact Leah at LeahDFriedman@GMail.com



DINNER

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Saturday, February 7

Have you made your reservations yet?
Call the TBE Office at 473-1770 soon for more information
or to make reservations.

Richard W. Briskin Cantor-in-Residence Weekend March 13-15



Temple Beth El welcomes Sarah Myerson,
the 2015 recipient of the
Richard W. Briskin Cantor-in-Residence award.

Sarah Myerson is an accomplished singer, composer, educator, Yiddish enthusiast and dance instructor. As a fifth-year student at the H.L. Miller Cantorial School she already has received many awards and has been recognized for both her vocal performances and her numerous music compositions.

The highlight of the weekend at Temple Beth El will be a Sunday afternoon concert, in which Sarah will perform Cantorial, Hebrew and Yiddish songs, as well as her own compositions. The talented Alla Kuznetsov will provide piano accompaniment. This concert is free and open to the public.

In addition to Sunday's concert, Sarah will lead *Musaf* services on Shabbat morning and will work with our Hebrew School students.

This program is supported by the Richard W. Briskin Cantorial Fund, established at Temple Beth El in 1998 to give talented cantorial students the opportunity to participate in a weekend of congregational activities. It is the only program of its kind in North America.

Please come and join us for a marvelous weekend.

Friday, March 13, 6:00 PM - Friday Night Live and Shabbat dinner

Saturday, March 14, 9:00 AM - Shabbat services

Sunday, March 15, 3:00 PM - Concert and dessert reception



Friday Night Live

at Temple Beth El

March 13, 2015

6:00 pm - Service 7:00 pm - Shabbat Dinner



Join featured soloist Sarah Myerson, Rabbi Bitran and Hazzan Leubitz as we celebrate a lively and musical Shabbat service! Stay and join Sarah, Rabbi and Hazzan for a delicious Shabbat meal along with plenty of Shabbat Ruach including Shabbat Shira!



Reservation for Family Shabbat Dinner

Please return this form with payment to the Temple office no later than **Monday, March 2** for **Early Bird Pricing** or register online at www.tberochester.org.

Sign up early! Prices increase \$5 per person or \$10 per member family household on March 3.

Names of all Attending: _____

Phone: _____ Please seat us with: _____

Prices thru March 2

TBE Member Non-member

Adults (13 years & older) _____ @ \$16 or _____ \$20

Kids' Meals (12 & younger) _____ @ \$ 8 or _____ \$12

Maximum cost per member family household \$50

Prices March 3 to March 13

TBE Member Non-member

_____ @ \$21 or _____ \$25

_____ @ \$13 or _____ \$17

\$60.

Tikkun Olam

Join us as Temple Beth El helps others in need in the Rochester community.

YASHAR KOACH TO OUR TBE VOLUNTEERS:

Yashar koach to the amazing group of TBE volunteers whose kindness and enthusiasm allowed us to make and serve a delicious lunch to more than 120 guests at the **Asbury Dining & Caring Center** on December 25. Temple Beth El volunteers did it all - shopped, cooked, baked, served and cleaned up. It was such a warm and lovely day at the Dining Center.

Thank you to: Lynn Alent; Richard Appelbaum; Michael Bernstein; Henra Brisken; Lisa, Sarah & Josh Cline; Mark & Sam Cohen; Randi & Lauren Cowen; Linda Epstein; Ellen & Bill Gertzog; Richard Glaser; Irwin Goldberg; Nicole & Emilie Goldman; Sue Greenberg; Naomi Harel; the Kalish family; Barbara Kaplan; Deb, Eli & Roberta Kinel; Dvora Kolko; Caroline Korn; Dvora Kolko; Dan Krill; Emily Krohn; Hillary Lampell; Jacqui & Gaby Lipschitz; Kathy London; Judith, Brandon & Hannah Meltzer; Linda Phillips; the Presburg family; Jaclyn Richard; Suzanne & Paul Rosenberg; Brett Shulman & Amy Libenson; Samara Sofian & her adorable children; Mark Zaretsky; Debbie Zeger. Special Yashar Koach to Chefs Dan Glowinsky and Michael Bernstein, who once again helped to coordinate a delectable meal.



RAIHN

Volunteers Needed for RAIHN (Rochester Area Interfaith Hospitality Network) to help homeless families who are working hard to achieve independence. Please join Temple Beth El in our partnership with the First Unitarian Church (across the street) by donating your time. Volunteer with your family (kids welcome) or friends!

Thank you to all of our Temple Beth El volunteers who set up bedrooms, prepared meals, served and hosted dinner, and participated in activities with our 13 (8 children and 5 adults) RAIHN guests during the week of January 11.

Thank you to our returning volunteers: Justin Goldman, Amy Libenson, Dvora Kolko, & Terry Schwartz.

Welcome to our first time volunteers! Karen Elam, Irwin Goldberg, Jill Liberman, Carly Liberman, Jacob Liberman, Jaclyn Richard, Melissa Nunes-Harwitt, Howard Solomon & Debbie Waltzer.

A special thank you to USY, including, Spencer Ressel, Alex Gabay and Sarah Cline for helping to set up guest bedrooms and to Hebrew School Grades 1 and 6 for making homemade pizza for guests for lunch!

Another special thank you to the Kovalsky, Ryen, Plotnik, and Goldman families for "adopting" two RAIHN families for the holidays by providing them with new winter items, pajamas, toys, gift cards and other items on their wish lists!

TBE Purim Under the Big Top Reservation Form

Please return this form with payment to the Temple office no later than **Monday, February 15** for **Early Bird Pricing** or register online at www.tberochester.org.

Names of all Attending: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

For Carnival: _____ \$10 per Child _____ \$25 Maximum per Family

For Food:

Prices thru February 15

TBE Member Non-member

Adults (13 years & older) _____ @ \$10 or _____ \$15

Kids' Meals (12 & younger) _____ @ \$ 5 or _____ \$10

Maximum per family household: _____ \$30 or _____ \$50

Prices to March 3

TBE Member Non-member

_____ @ \$15 or _____ \$20

_____ @ \$10 or _____ \$15

_____ \$40 or _____ \$60.

**Have no plans yet for the 2nd Seder, April 4?
Join your Temple family for a kosher Passover Seder.**

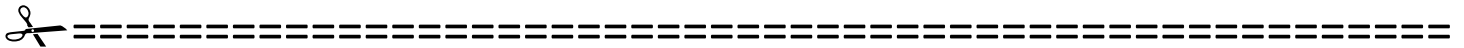
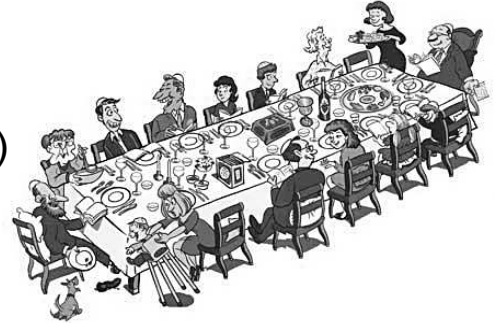


Traditional Pesach foods

**Saturday, April 4th
6:30 p.m.
In the Auditorium**

Our menu will include:

- Chicken & Matzo Ball Soup
- Roasted Chicken
- Brisket
- Kugel (Potato, Matzo or vegetable)
- Tzimmes
- Charoset
- Delicious Desserts



Reservation for 2nd Seder - April 4, 2015

For Early Bird pricing, please return this form no later than **Monday, March 16**
or register online at www.tberochester.org.

Names of all attending: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Please seat us with: _____

Hurry! Make your reservations soon, Early Bird Pricing ends March 16.

	TBE Member		Non-member
# Adults (13 years & older)	___ @ \$35	or	___ @ \$45
# Kids' Meals (12 & younger)	___ @ \$10	or	___ @ \$15
Maximum Cost per family household	___ @ \$100	or	___ @ \$125

Prices increase \$10 for adults, \$5 for kids and \$25 per family on March 17

For additional information please call
Carol Konuksever at 473-1770 or e-mail ckonuksever@tberochester.org



Thank You!
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Congregational Input Requested

Dear Temple Beth El Congregant,

YOUR INPUT IS IMPORTANT!!!

In an ongoing effort to look for creative ways to retain and engage our congregants while attracting new members, Temple Beth El is looking directly to its membership for their thoughts and suggestions.

A committee has been formed to facilitate the process. We have met with a number of professionals for guidance, but most importantly we want to hear from YOU!

We would appreciate you completing this **quick, seven question** survey. The questions are intended to glean important, honest information about YOUR opinion on what TBE is doing right, what areas need improvement, and what needs to be provided to the congregation that currently is not.

Please copy the following link into your browser: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/9WRFNLL>

The survey will take only a few moments, but your input will have a huge impact on the future of our wonderful congregation. Please complete this survey as soon as possible but no later than February 20, 2015.

Thank you for your time!

Debi Brenner and Lisa Maas-Vangellow, Co-Chairs

MISHLOACH MANOT: PURIM GIFT BAGS ORDER

FREE DELIVERY of delicious hamentaschen and other kosher treats delivered to your family and friends in time for Purim! ORDERS MUST BE RECEIVED BY FEB. 20!

Do you have family and friends out of town? We'll mail your 'out-of-towner' a beautiful card saying that the Purim bag was donated to a local resident of a group home in their honor.

YOUR NAME _____

Write how you want the card signed if different from your name (for example Grandma?) _____

Phone _____ **Email** _____

Enclosed is \$ _____ for # _____ orders

Please mail order form and check payable to: Temple Beth El Sisterhood, 139 Winton Road S., Rochester, NY 14610 or drop them off in the Temple office before order deadline: February 20.

\$8.00 per bag or card

**For Sisterhood Members Only--Special
Price: \$7.00 each!**

Who is on your list? Children & Grandchildren, Friends & Family, Teachers, Rabbis, Hazzan, Neighbors.....

Please check one:

☐ Deliver a Purim Bag for me.
☐ Mail a Purim card and give the Purim bag to a local group home resident.

TO: _____

Address _____

City _____

Zip code _____

Please check one:

☐ Deliver a Purim Bag for me.
☐ Mail a Purim card and give the Purim bag to a local group home resident.

TO: _____

Address _____

City _____

Zip code _____

TBE Sisterhood

The Knitting Circle

Third Thursday of the Month

2:00 p.m.

Garden Room

Make a gift for a local Charity,

Bring your own work

We can help with supplies

Kiddush Crew Prep Times:

Tues 1-4 Thurs 4-5:30

Fri 8:30-noon

Learn the Kitchen while you
make friends

Just Judaica

Temple Beth El's Gift Shop
an enduring project of
Temple Beth El Sisterhood

Open: Sunday 9-12 and
Wednesday 4-6

or

Contact Colleen Schaefer at
473-1770

What's a Rosh Hodesh Group?

*Sisterhood seeks to honor each
new month in the lunar calendar
(which is the base for a yearly
cycle of days of observance).*

*Join our group for stories,, music
and yoga. We feature warmth of
companionship as we share ideas,
exercise, music and treats.*

Music-Terri Rosenhouse/

Barb Savage

Stories & Snacks-Barb Schron

Yoga- Wendy Beller Madway

Jan 21: Rosh Hodesh Shevat

Feb 19: Rosh Hodesh Adar

Mar 23: Rosh Hodesh Nisan

April 20: Rosh Hodesh Iyar

May 18: Rosh Hodesh Sivan

7:00 p.m. -8:30 p.m.

Garden Room

Temple Beth El Sisterhood Winter Book Club

Save the evening of February 11, 2015
to meet with your Sisterhood friends.

Join Athene Goldstein in a
discussion of

The Light Between Oceans, by M.L.Stedman

Have you ever lived in a place that
feels ungoverned? When one meets
an unaccompanied child, do you
keep him? How does one decide?
What might make you want to keep
him? What are the rules? Who
makes the rules?

Wednesday, February 11, 2015

at 7:30 pm

At the home of

Marcia Nabut,

10 Danbury Circle North, 14618

RSVP to mnabut@rochester.rr.com
or 271-4189



Men's Club of Temple Beth El

Involving Jewish Men in Jewish Life

**Federation of Jewish
Men's Clubs**

Sunday, February 1 Special Breakfast Program 9:30am

"World Wide Wrap" Tefillin Class for Religious School Students and Adults

Tefillin Instruction by Rabbi Bitran, Hazzan Leubitz and Men's Club for
TBE Religious School students, parents, and other adults

Attention parents of future B'nai Mitzvah: Your sons will, and your daughters may, put on Tefillin at the
Thursday morning minyan before they become Bar/Bat Mitzvah. Strengthen your own skills
so you can join your child in this deeply spiritual mitzvah.

Volunteers needed to help with instruction. Contact Dave Rubin 872-6093 or drubin@frontiernet.net.

Hot Breakfast Buffet: 9:30am Program: 10:15am
Everyone is invited.

Sunday, February 1 Super Bowl Party 5:15pm

Enjoy Food, Fun, Fellowship and Football

Join us at our annual Super Bowl party. Watch the game on a giant screen TV.
Schmooze, eat, argue, eat, laugh, and eat. All for just \$10.00, payable to Temple Beth El Men's Club.

**Payment due by January 27.
Everyone is invited.**

CONDOLENCES

We record with sorrow the passing of:

Dr. Norman Allentoff, z'l

Father of Michael (Marla) Allentoff, Alban (Rongrong) Allentoff, Aaron Allentoff and Theresa (Martin) Ruffle;
grandfather of Jonathan, Leo and Annabelle; brother of Alice Weiner.

Lea Bodek, z'l

Mother of Arie (Lois) Bodek and Itamar Bodek; grandmother of Haim (Elizabeth) Bodek, Esther Bodek, Aviva Bodek,
Avi Bodek, Mira Bodek, Alison Bodek, Michael (Erica) Bodek, Rena Mitchel and Dan Gresh; great-grandmother of
Nikki Gauthier, Shoshana Goldstein, Kovi Bodek, Eva Bodek, Maya Bodek and Gabby Mitchell.

Julia Freedland (Gossin), z'l

Aunt of Leon (Nancy) Gossin; mother of Ellen (Robert) Kirschenbaum and Richard (Nanette) Freedland;
grandmother of Amy (Jeff), Scott, Seth, Henry & Melanie; great-grandmother of Isaac.

Rose Gold, z'l

Mother of Linda Gold Ruda & Beverly (Bruce Horowitz) Gold; grandmother of Michele Ruda Leve,
Karen (Frank) LaMar, Neil (Leslie) Ruda and Emily (Sam Mason) Horowitz; great-grandmother of Alec, Brett,
Jake, Kyle, Macie, Karlie, Talia and Reuben.

Laurence M. Karz, z'l

Husband of Anne Karz; father of Jeffrey Ethan (Stephanie) Bull; grandfather of Wyatt Bull; son of Janet Karz;
brother of Roger (Maria) Karz, Robert (Myrna) Karz and Richard (Julie) Karz;
brother-in-law of Betsy Balbick, Claudia "Bambi" (Michael) Gooch and Steven Benjamin.

Sidney E. Levine, z'l

Husband of Lois Levine; father of Steven (Amy) Levine; grandfather of Danielle (Sean) Alarcon,
Kimberly and Amanda Levine; brother of Devora Corman.

Jerold S. Marks, z'l

Cousin of Ann (Arthur) Kolko and Morley (Wendy) Gwirtzman;
uncle of Melanie (William) Conroy and Jeffrey (Jennifer) Marks.

Leo Rosenberg, z'l

Brother of Ruby Glicksman.

Gertrude Sonnenstein, z'l

Mother of Harvey (Paulette) Sonnenstein; grandmother of Lisa (Mike) Silverstein;
great-grandmother of Gabrielle and Shira Silverstein.

May their souls be bound up in the bond of life.

Highlights of the Minutes of the Board Meeting on December 8, 2014

Welcome: Dan Glowinsky.

Approval of the November Minutes: A motion to
approve the minutes was made by Eric Brandt,
seconded by Marcia Nabut.

Finance Committee Report: Marc Haas gave a brief
synopsis on the month of October.

Membership Report: 1 new member Yeva Buzhor

President's Report: Sherm Henzel our head Gabay is
retiring. We will be looking for a group of people to
take his place.

Fundraiser February 7th. Come to Havdallah at TBE and
have a group of friends/families over to your house
for dinner/drinks. Set up a flexible donation from
your guests. Encouraging people to come together.

Needs Assessment: Met in groups to discuss needs.

Good & Welfare: Hanukkah Party Dec 17th.

Condolences to Gail Finkelstein on the loss of her
mother. Congrats to Cornell Weinstein Foundation
on the award from the YWCP.



Interested in an Aliyah?

If you would like an aliyah in
recognition of a yahrzeit, birthday,
anniversary, an upcoming trip or
just because, please contact Colleen at 473-1770 or
at cschaefer@tberochester.org.

Volunteer Opportunity

TBE is looking to expand and diversify its cadre of
Shabbat morning ushers/greeters.

Welcome new and old friends alike to shul on Shabbat morning with a
commitment of only about 2 hours once every 7 weeks.

Training will be provided.

If interested, please contact Gary Steinberg at
gary.steinberg@level3.com or 248-2295. Sign up today!

Winter/Spring LIMMUD— ADULT EDUCATION OFFERINGS AT A GLANCE

Sunday

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Reading Torah

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Parenting Through a Jewish Lens Monthly Series
2/8/15, 3/8/15, 4/12/15

Monday

6:15 PM - 7:15 PM

Hebrew I; November 10, 2014–June 22, 2015

7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Conversion Class; November 10, 2014-June 22, 2015
(Hebrew Class is a requirement)

Wednesday

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Monthly Lunch and Learn with Rabbi Leonardo Bitran
2/18/15, 3/18/15, 4/22/15, 5/20/15

- Learn How to Die, Learn How to Live
- Understanding the Source of our Soul and its Eternal Essence
- What the Fight in Israel is All About
- Why are there Commandments?

Thursday

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Lunch for a Bunch (*Designed for parents of young children*)
2/12/15, 3/12/15, 4/9/15, 5/14/15

Shabbat

8:45 AM - 9:15 AM

L'Chayim; Saturday mornings December to May

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Parashat HaShavua
2/14/15, 4/11/15, 5/16/15, 6/13/15

Limmud Registration Form

M	NM	Course	Cost	M	NM	Course	Cost
Free	\$36	Reading Torah		Free	Free	Lunch and Learn (\$10 w/bagged lunch; free without lunch)	
Free	Free	Parenting Through a Jewish Lens Series		Free	Free	Lunch for a Bunch (\$10 w/bagged lunch; free without lunch)	
\$125	\$150	Hebrew I (Conversion and Adult Bnai Mitzvah Cost: \$100)		Free	Free	L'Chayim	
N/A	\$360	Conversion Class* (Hebrew I a Requirement)		Free	Free	Parashat HaShavua	
		Total \$				Total \$	

Pricing: Member is **M** and Nonmember is **NM** - **Refunds not available** - Minimum registration of 5 people per class.

Please make check payable to Temple Beth El. In the memo line please enter *Adult Ed 5775*.

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For the speedy recovery of Tala Rosenbaum
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Miriam and Lloyd Krieger
 In honor of Maton Daniel Koren's birth
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 In memory of Rose Gold
Marcia and Gary Stern
 In memory of Bess Lewinson
Miriam and Lloyd Krieger
 In memory of Esther Porush
Louise Braun
Shlomo Rochelle Gabay
Marcia and Gary Stern
Barbara and Sam Waldman
 Mazal Tov to Judy & Len Ressel on the
 birth of their great-granddaughter Annalysisia
 Stanton
Cindy Gurell

Building Fund

For the Yahrzeit of Irving Ross
Janise and Hal Ross
 In honor of Trudy and Al Sheinfeld
Jane Sheinfeld
 In memory of Sheri Schwartz
Terry Edelstein

Capital Campaign Fund

For the Yahrzeit of Louis Lipitz
Jan Lipitz
 For the Yahrzeit of Edna Mittleman
Carol and Lester Mittleman
 For the Yahrzeit of Joseph Mittleman
Carol and Lester Mittleman

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For the Yahrzeit of David Sadick
Naomi and David Schrier

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For the Yahrzeit of Fannie Elkin
Ross Elkin
 For the Yahrzeit of Alton Parent
Pamela A. Kroll

Exec Director's Discretionary Fund

In memory of Rose Gold
Deborah and Mark Zeger
 In memory of Sidney Levine
Deborah and Mark Zeger
 Mazal Tov to Joy and Jonathan Getnick on
 the birth of their son, Benjamin Avi
Deborah and Mark Zeger
 Mazal Tov to Linda Reynolds on the birth a
 granddaughter, Leah Sadie
Deborah and Mark Zeger

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Donation
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For the speedy recovery of Morry Natal
Selma, Mike & Larry Berger
 For the Yahrzeit of Salo Eck
Perry Eck
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 For the Yahrzeit of Mary Fried
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 For the Yahrzeit of Morris A. Fried
Mildred and Morry Natal
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Genya Braslavsky
 For the Yahrzeit of Elliot Gross
Barbara, Susan & Lois London
 For the Yahrzeit of Abraham Jacobson
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 For the Yahrzeit of Lamont Kaplan
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Meyta Kogan
 For the Yahrzeit of Celia Kolko Korenstein
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 For the Yahrzeit of Ann Lib Kozel
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Seymour Margolis
Wendy and Jack Scull
 For the Yahrzeit of Rhea Meyer
Helen Winn
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 In honor of Joseph London
Edwin London
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Martha Taub

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Linda Reynolds
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Sheila and Bill Konar
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Leslie and Howard Crane
Peggy and Eli Futerman
Linda Reynolds
 In memory of Harry Rosenberg
Carol Rosenberg
 In memory of Esther Rothberg
Lewis Rothberg
 In memory of Florence and Leon Sturman
Jonathan Sturman
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 For the Yahrzeit of Sam (Shmuel) Goldberg
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Temple Beth El Men's Club
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Phyllis Kasdin
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In memory of Sidney Levine

Phyllis Kasdin

In memory of Bess Lewinson

Ann and George Goodman

In memory of Suzanne Presser

Lynn, Charles, Michelle, Marissa & Aaron Mills

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In memory of Seymour Bernstein

Helen and Saul Presberg

In memory of Rose Gold

Helen and Saul Presberg

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Donation

Gerald Russ

For the speedy recovery of Abbey Rasnick

Marilyn Manis

Sandy and Stuart Stern

For the speedy recovery of Al Sheinfeld

Gloria and Pincus Cohen

For the speedy recovery of Jean and Harris Siegel

Molla and Ralph Carr

For the Yahrzeit of Emma Aronow

Eileen and Dennis Kovel

For the Yahrzeit of Sally Eisenstein

Annette and Marvin Eisenstein

For the Yahrzeit of William Eisenstein

Annette and Marvin Eisenstein

For the Yahrzeit of Anne Gottfried

Gary Gottfried

For the Yahrzeit of Barney Gottfried

Gary Gottfried

For the Yahrzeit of Fannie Gottfried

Gary Gottfried

For the Yahrzeit of Sylvia Kwasman

Marilyn Manis

For the Yahrzeit of Israel Mechtovich

Tamara Mechtovich

For the Yahrzeit of Fannie Myers

Gloria and Pincus Cohen

For the Yahrzeit of Sadie Oskola

Gloria and Pincus Cohen

For the Yahrzeit of Fanny Rosenbaum

Esther and Harvey Rosenbaum

For the Yahrzeit of Irving L. Shulman

Dvorah and Henry Shulman

For the Yahrzeit of Sadye Swartz

Milt Swartz

In honor of Frank Karbel's special birthday

Janise and Hal Ross

In honor of Sandra and Robert Temkin's

60th wedding anniversary

Sandra and Robert Temkin

In memory of Charlotte Illman

Peggy Blumenthal and Ronald Gould

Nancy Talbot and Paul Duberstein

Annette and Marvin Eisenstein

Roberta and David Feldman

Lori and Frank Karbel

Kathleen London

Iris and David Mand

In memory of Charlotte Illman (cont.)

Marilyn Manis

Helene Newman

Terry and Bob Schwartz

Trudy and Al Sheinfeld

Tammi and Gary Steinberg

Cypora and Uszer Teigman

In memory of Bess Lewinson

Deborah Taschman

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Rina and Daniel Chessin

Mazal Tov to Helene Newman on the birth of a grandson

Annette and Marvin Eisenstein

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In memory of Esther Porush

Annette and Marvin Eisenstein

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In memory of Florence Sturman

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For the Yahrzeit of Maynard Weinstein

Donna Weinstein

For the Yahrzeit of Min Weinstein

Donna Weinstein

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For the Yahrzeit of Judith Epstein

Louise Epstein

For the Yahrzeit of Nathan Epstein

Louise Epstein

In memory of Dr. Norman Allentoff

Nancy Talbot and Paul Duberstein

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Temple Beth El Men's Club

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In memory of Esther Porush

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Daryl and Charles Kaplan

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Daryl and Charles Kaplan

For the Yahrzeit of Clare Rheinstein

Thomas Rheinstein

In memory of Bess Lewinson

Pauline and Ezriel Reitzfeld

Rabbi Bitran's Discretionary Fund

Donation

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For the Yahrzeit of Dorothy Appelbaum

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For the Yahrzeit of Sam (Shmuel) Goldberg

Lois and Arie Bodek

For the Yahrzeit of Murray A. Gould

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For the Yahrzeit of David Rosenbloom

Bea and Dick Rosenbloom

For the Yahrzeit of Charles A. Ross

David Ross

For the Yahrzeit of Leonard Schreiber

Gail Drew

For the Yahrzeit of Sharon Seidman

Avi Seidmann

In appreciation of Rabbi Bitran

Cypora and Uszer Teigman

In honor of Peter Adelstein's 90th birthday

Jane Liebschutz

In honor of Alex Harris' Bar Mitzvah

Emily Krohn and John Harris

In memory of Rose Bresloff

Lewis Gould

In memory of Charlotte Illman

Lynda and Ron Axelrod

In memory of Sidney Levine

Gerry and Sandy Appelbaum

In memory of Shirley Rosenbaum

Lewis Gould

In memory of Esther Rothberg

Lewis Rothberg

Mazal Tov to Joy and Jonathan Getnick

on the birth of their son, Benjamin Avi

Sharon Kovalsky

Scholarship Fund

For the speedy recovery of Abigail Rasnick

Merle and Lawrence Markus

For the Yahrzeit of Elsie Pariser

Lenore and Marshall Lesser

For the Yahrzeit of Harry E. Pariser

Lenore and Marshall Lesser

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Nina Chazanoff

In appreciation of Rabbi Leonardo

Bitran for helping Bonnie become a Bat Mitzvah

Ellen and David Comisar

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Ellen and David Comisar

Shulman Children's Music Fund

For the speedy recovery of Dr. Jack

Krieger

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Marilyn and Irving Manis

For the Yahrzeit of Arnold Libenson

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In honor of Remy Mars & Andy Feldman on their marriage

Amy Libenson and Brett Shulman

In memory of Ronni Abramovitz

Amy Libenson and Brett Shulman

In memory of Esther Porush

Judy and Larry Schulman

In memory of Suzanne Presser

Amy Libenson and Brett Shulman

In memory of Mildred Rosen

Amy Libenson and Brett Shulman

Donations continued on page 15

Yahrzeits... Dates are determined according to the Hebrew calendar. The names will be listed in the Shabbat program booklet on the date listed.



TO REMEMBER

February 7

Sylvia Benjamin
Clara Bentkover
Lisa M. Berardini
Charles J. Berger
Faye T. Bittker
Harold Borg
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Genevieve 'Shaney' Cohen
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Moses B. Spring
Leonard Sunkin
Benoit Suruba
Chaya Szajnberg
Rachel Taksen
Solomon Weinstein
Geraldine Weintraub
Evelyn Williams
Dina Wizenfeld

February 14

Rose Magid Adelstein
Elsie Albert
Harold Altman
Mara Belotserkovsky
Leon C. Berman
Max Bittker
Louise Cantor
Fannie Cohen
Norman Cohen
Gussie Esterman
Milton L. Fisher
Elfriede Forst
Joseph Freeman
Elizabeth Friedman
Feiga Gershengorin
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Rachel Massachi
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Roslyn Suntop
Isaac H. Susswein
Max E. Sykes
Yetta Ugol
Jane Walenitz
Morris Weinstein
Abraham Wishman
Rose Wolin

February 21

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Nathan Axelrod
Martin Azoff
Benjamin Barnet
Ruth Baskin
Anna Bloch
Abraham Bodian
Ruth Boyar
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13th & 14th	Candle Lighting 5:21 pm Simcha Service - 6:00 pm	Shabbat Shekalim Sidra: Mishpatim Parashat HaShavuah - 10:00 am in the Pastoral Conference Room	Mincha: 4:50 pm Havdalah: 6:22 pm
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