

HILLEL HAPPENINGS

FROM THE RABBI'S STUDY

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Not Missing The Moment

"It's nice out. Let's go for a walk."

If you say, "just a moment," they might go without you or the weather might change. You might miss the moment.

2 A few years ago, a man decided to go for a walk and invite others to join
 him. You didn't have to go, but if you weren't there, you missed it. He was
 2 going to walk from Selma, Alabama to the state capitol in Montgomery. It
 was the defining moment of a critical time in America. If you were there,
 3 you were a part of defining the direction for our country. Otherwise, you
 missed the moment.
 4

4 Now is also a critical time. (Actually, every moment is critical, it is just that
 4 some are easier to see than others.) Our country is more divided than any
 other time I could remember. Our country is hurting from two pandem-
 5 ics. One caused by a virus. The other caused by loneliness, isolation and
 5 fear. The pandemic also taught us that things which happen far away
 affect us locally. What walk speaks to this moment? Will you miss it?

5 Shalom,
 6 Rabbi G.

ONLINE SERVICE INFORMATION

You can "join in" our on-line services and events and stay in touch in several ways. **Friday Evening Services** begin at **6:45pm** and **Saturday Morning Services** start at **9:45am**. To watch...

- ▶ **Go to the Temple's website:** www.TBHSW.org and scroll down.
- ▶ **Go to our Facebook page:** www.facebook.com/TBHSW
- ▶ **Click on:** <http://bit.ly/tbh5781> **NOTE: This link is good for future services too.** (Note this is the same Zoom we used during the High Holy Days)
- ▶ Those who are not online can **phone in and listen** (anyone else can too):
On your phone, **call 1-929-436-2866 and follow the prompts:**
Our Meeting ID is 890 2422 3722, Password is 340848.

Coronavirus Task Force Update

Indoor Friday and Saturday Services to Resume Starting April 30th

This past month, we were blessed to be able to resume indoor services at Temple to celebrate Shabbat mornings, and now we are grateful to be able to recommend holding all services on site again. We have all become thoroughly acquainted with the importance of social distancing, hand-washing and mask-wearing over the past year. These safety measures will continue for some time. However, based on our local situation with the pandemic, the TBH Coronavirus Task Force can now recommend a careful resumption of in-person indoor worship.

The same safety measures will still be in place: pre-registration, health self-screening, social distancing, hand washing and mask wearing. Please bring your own prayer books, talit, and kipot. We will not ask you if you have had the vaccine since we will employ the same safety measures regardless of vaccine status.

Beginning Friday, April 30th and continuing every Friday and Saturday, Shabbat services will resume on site with an increased number of families. We still ask that you **register in Eventbrite, and you may also call the office and speak with Lori to add yourself and your household to the list of attendees**. We continue to track this information for contact tracing purposes.

In-person services cannot include an Oneg or food at this time, but this will allow us to continue to come together, to worship and read Torah, and to reconnect with our community. Social distancing must be maintained, but we can, once again, return to our TBH home.

We will continue to provide Zoom and Livestream services from here on out, so you can always choose the option to view and be part of the experience from your home. The Task Force will continue to review the size of onsite services as well as other events that occur at Temple. We'll also stay informed of pending changes to the State's guidance on health and safety. As things evolve, we will keep our congregation informed. We still live in a "new normal" but we're very excited about being able to do more together.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Temple office or Phil and Marla on the Coronavirus Task Force, pmaltz@tbhsw.org and madelsberger@tbhsw.org.

Spotlight on B'nai Mitzvah



Seth Healy (Ometz Sheyt), his parents (Amy and Jason) and his siblings, (Evan, Nora and Maya) are very excited to announce that he will be called to the Torah as a bar mitzvah. This ceremony will take place on the day of his 13th birthday, **Saturday, May 8, 2021** starting at 9:45am. His ceremony will be livestreamed on Zoom, and we invite all congregation members to join us online to share in Seth's special day. Seth is a 7th grade student at Suffield Middle School; he is an avid electric guitar player. He enjoys baseball, art, reading, acting, singing, computer coding, and taking apart any electronic device he can get his hands on!

Seth has worked over the year with his Mitzvah Mate, Marla Adelsberger, who is also a longtime family friend. Seth is a creative, inquisitive, kind young man. Due to the pandemic, Seth chose to focus on mitzvahs that he could fulfill around our home this year. He worked with his grandmothers to make a family tree, learned about symbols used on packaging for kosher foods, and helped our family throughout the year with decorating the house and cooking for all the Jewish holidays. He sent cards to cheer up friends and family and took on new responsibilities by babysitting his siblings. Seth and Marla also researched and wrote an article for the newsletter about the Mitzvah Mate program. Seth plans to donate a portion of his bar mitzvah gifts to a homeless shelter and an animal shelter. Seth also cares deeply about our environment and would like to work with the temple to streamline recycling efforts in the future.

Please join us via Zoom and be a part of Seth's important event!

Here is the link: <http://bit.ly/tbh5781>



Benjamin (Ben) Bolduc, his parents, Nicole and Mark Bolduc and his sister, Lilah, are very excited to announce that he will be called to the Torah for his Bar Mitzvah on the morning of **June 5th**. The service will be streamed live on Zoom. Ben is in the 7th grade at Timothy Edwards Middle School and enjoys playing trumpet in both the general band and jazz band. In 2020, Ben competed in the National Jazz Festival in Philadelphia with his school's jazz band. Also, Ben plays hockey for the South Windsor Youth Hockey Association.

Ben thanks the Cantor, the Rabbi and his mitzvah mates, Barbara and Mike Brezel, who have all graciously mentored Ben, despite COVID related challenges. Ben enjoyed pairing up with his friend, Danny Santiago to engage in various mitzvah-related projects. Some of these projects included preparing food for a homeless shelter, donating brownies monthly to a homeless shelter and donating bottles and cans to a community member in need. Ben plans to continue baking brownies on a monthly basis to donate to a local homeless shelter because he enjoys baking and helping others in need. Finally, because Ben's Aunt Tammy competes in Special Olympics, Ben also plans to volunteer for Special Olympics someday.

Please join us via Zoom and be a part of Ben's important event!

Here is the link: <http://bit.ly/tbh5781>



Spotlight on B'nai Mitzvah



Chelsea That, (Leah) her parents Monica Di Nuzzo-That and Daniel That, and brother AJ are excited to announce that she will be called to Torah for her Bat Mitzvah on the morning of **June 26th**. The service will be streamed live on Zoom.

Chelsea is in the 7th grade at Timothy Edwards Middle School. She dances Hip Hop, Ballet and Jazz, during the week and enjoys baking. Chelsea thanks Rabbi for dedicating his time and Cantor for being so patient with her as she learned Torah.

Chelsea is working on fundraising for St. Jude's Hospital. From a young age, Chelsea has been concerned for sick children and she feels that children with cancer can use her help. She has also helped prepare a meal for a local homeless shelter. .

Please join us via Zoom and be a part of Chelsea's important event!
Here is the link: <http://bit.ly/tbh5781>

MATCHING FUNDS CAMPAIGN UPDATE

Thanks again to everyone who supported our Temple's end-of-year 2-to-1 Matching Funds Campaign.

- To those who donated \$200 or more to the Campaign, your complimentary engraved Leaf has been installed on our Tree of Life in the lobby. Look for it when you attend indoor Friday or Saturday services.
- To those who donated \$500 or more, you will be invited to a special donor recognition event to be held in the coming months, when it is safe for us to host one.

Shop with Scrip May Order Due Sunday May 16



Shop for over 700 retailers: Dining, Groceries, Entertainment, Home Improvements, Travel, Health & Beauty, Clothing... Register at shopwithscrip.com

Enrollment Code: 8429LFBL646L1. If you have any questions, Contact Marcia Henson mheneson@gmail.com or call / text 860-306-5238

Checks for Big Y Supermarket orders are due on the same schedule.

Contact for Big Y orders: Sarah Kaprove skaprove@gmail.com 860-881-8444

MS Bike Ride, Windsor, CT, June 6, 2021



We are looking forward to the MS Bike Ride and to have people join the ride in honor of Joe Alpert. Joe enjoyed participating in this wonderful event for six years and helping to raise money for a worthy cause. We are excited to return to an in-person event after a difficult year. If you are interested in joining please connect with team captain Ed Widofsky or Sheila Alpert.

ewidofsky@gmail.com or sheilaalpert@gmail.com

SHAVUOT/CONFIRMATION



Join us **Sunday May 16th at 9:45 a.m.** for a **special outdoor service** at Temple Beth Hillel as we celebrate Shavuot and two of our tenth graders, **Benjamin Bernstein & Danielle Skott** make their confirmation and confirm their commitment to the Jewish people.

Pre-Registration is required for the purposes of contact tracing. Please use the eventbrite button below or call Lori in the office.

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

The service will also be streamed and can be watched in the following ways.

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Virtual Shavuot Community Service W/ Sister Congregations

Sun May 16th 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Join us virtually for our annual Shavuot program crafted by the five Reform congregations of Greater Hartford. Each year we join the many clergy and congregants of our sister congregations to pray, learn, and celebrate the revelation of our sacred text. In conjunction with Temple Sinai, Farmington Valley Jewish Congregation, Congregation Beth Israel, and Congregation Kol Haverim.

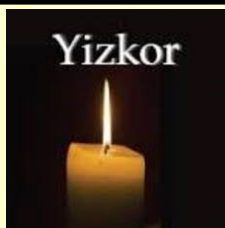
Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/92607174841?pwd=c1hQdkhlalUxSTFrU3E4cyt6N08zUT09>

Meeting ID: 926 0717 4841

Passcode: 635900

On your phone, call 1-929-436-2866 and follow the prompts



We will be having our Shavuot Yizkor' Service on Monday May 17th, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. The names of all those who have passed since last Shavuot will be read at the service.

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SOCIAL ACTION

COLLECTIONS FOR OUR SHEMA PARTNER

Thanks to all Temple members who donated items in April for Archbishop Burke and The Walk in the Light Church of God in Hartford's North End.

Our partnership commitment is bringing in other important resources, too. This summer, **fresh vegetables** will be available to the Church through a **new arrangement with Oxen Hill Farm**, an 11th generation family-owned farm in Suffield. Oxen Hill Farm plans to provide vegetables on a weekly basis to Archbishop Burke and he will make them available to his congregation and surrounding community. Oxen Hill's CSA (Community Supported Agriculture) members will also have an opportunity to donate either a portion of their own weekly vegetable share or a full weekly share to the church, too. For more information about this initiative, contact Marla at madelsberger@tbhsw.org or 860-668-5501.

This Month's Most Needed Collection Items:

- Boxed, Canned Macaroni & Cheese
- Bottled Spaghetti Sauce and Uncooked Pasta
- Individual Juice Boxes and Capri Sun packets
- \$10 Gift Cards to CVS/Walgreens, Walmart, Gas stations & Supermarkets

We Always Seek:

- Canned and Boxed Nonperishable Food
- Pre-Mixed Baby Formula; Disposable Diapers; Paper Towels; and Toilet Paper
- Toiletries and Personal Products including unopened toothpaste/toothbrushes, body-washes, and travel-size shampoo, deodorants, soap, etc.
- Spring & Summer Clothing and Socks for All Ages.

To Donate Food, Items, or Gift Cards, you can:

- **Place items in labelled baskets** in the Temple lobby, and **gift cards in the mailbox outside the office.**
- **Drop items** off at Laura Soll-Broxterman's house in Windsor **OR to arrange for a TBH member (special thanks to the tireless Alan Gittleman) to come** collect them, please contact Laura at 860-688-4499 or LSoll@tbhsw.org.

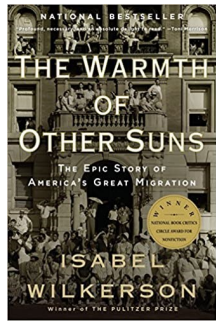
To make Monetary Donations toward the Temple's ongoing purchase of food and other items:

Checks can be **made out to Temple Beth Hillel** and mail to the Temple.

To Donate via Credit Card, call Lori in the office at 860-282-8466 Ext. 0.

SOCIAL ACTION

JEWISH COMMUNITY RELATIONS COUNCIL LAUNCHES “COMMUNITY CONVERSATIONS” WITH COMMUNITY READING OF “*THE WARMTH OF THE OTHER SUNS*”



Jewish
Federation
OF GREATER HARTFORD

JEWISH COMMUNITY
RELATIONS COUNCIL

This May, the Jewish Community Relations Council (JCRC) of the Jewish Federation of Greater Hartford and the Jewish Leadership Academy will launch **Community Conversations**, a series of community-wide programs that explore racism. The first Community Conversations' main component will be the communal book read of “*The Warmth of Other Suns: The Epic Story of America's Great Migration*” by Isabel Wilkerson. Temple Beth Hillel's Social Action Committee is involved in the planning.

This new project officially launches in May with an **optional virtual information session on Wednesday evening, May 19th** that will explain how the program works. Over the summer, there will be several thought-provoking programs for anyone interested, culminating in a final program in August. **Individuals, book clubs, and reading groups of friends** are invited to participate. While the program and resources are specifically designed for a Jewish audience, anyone, regardless of faith, can participate.

The objective of this program is to shine a light on the deep-seated and structural racism, specifically against black people, still being perpetrated in communities across Connecticut and the nation. Stories of escape, survival, determination, and assimilation, like those in Ms. Wilkerson's book, are part of our own history as Jews. By reading a book about the Great Migration, we can listen with empathy, react from a place of knowledge, and mourn together for lost branches of our joint family trees.

“*The Warmth of Other Suns: The Epic Story of America's Great Migration*” is available in paperback and/or hardcover at most bookstores or on line (Barnes & Noble, Amazon, Audible, etc.).

Those reading in a group might want to meet once everyone is finished with the entire book. Other groups may want to meet after each book club member has finished each part of the book (five parts total). If you want to **start your own book group for this project**, contact Alana Butler at abutler@jewishhartford.org and she can provide you with a book club kit. Alternatively, you can request to join an existing book group.

To register for the free virtual information session on Wednesday, May 19 at 7 p.m.,

[Click Here](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8446121212) or go to: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8446121212>

If you have general questions, contact Alana Butler at abutler@jewishhartford.org or TBH Social Action Chair Laura Soll at Lsoll@tbhsw.org or 860-688-4499.

ADULT ED

Here are some on-line programs of Jewish content that may be of interest to you. These are free unless otherwise indicated. Registration for each is necessary.



Tuesday, May 4, 7:30 pm ET, our last Zoominar for the season. Josh Jacobson presents "Leonard Bernstein: The Jewish Side," co-hosted by Cantor David Tilman, former creative consultant for the Leonard Bernstein Centennial Exhibit mounted by the National Museum of American Jewish History. [Register here](#).

Tuesday, May 25, 7:30 pm ET, Part II of "Kolot Nashim," featuring composers Benjie Ellen Schiller, Elena Kats-Chernin, Kristen and Ken Lampl, Naomi Shemer, and Achinoam Nini (aka Noa). Register [here](#). More details are on our [website](#).



[CLICK HERE FOR PROGRAMS AND REGISTRATION](#)

May 3, 2021

[A Field Guide to Jewish Comedy Writers: An Evening with Dave Barry, Adam Mansbach, and Alan Zweibel](#)

May 6, 2021

[Jonathan Reed Kaufman "The Last Kings of Shanghai: The Rival Jewish Dynasties That Helped Create Modern China"](#)

May 23, 2021

[Lithuanian, Israeli, American, Jewish: Which Food Are You?](#)



MAY 4 , 11:00am

[Philippe Sands - The Ratline: the Exalted Life and Mysterious Death of a Nazi Fugitive](#)

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

DONATIONS

ADULT ED

Sally Goodman in memory of Marion Berman

CANTOR'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

Stan Goldberg in memory of Sybil Goldberg, wife of Stan
Len & Sharon Jacobs in memory of Marion Berman

CEMETERY FUND

The family of Marion Berman-with appreciation to Cantor Harris & Rabbi Glickman
Sheila Alpert in memory of Marion Berman
Marilyn & Joel Davidson in memory of Marion Berman

EDIE BABY STREAMING FUND

Carol Mamlok in memory of Marion Berman

LANDSCAPING FUND

Joyce Krasner in memory of Marion Berman

MEMBERSHIP FUND

Stan Goldberg in memory of Marion Berman

RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

Stan Goldberg in memory of Abraham Goldberg, uncle of Stan
Phyllis Green in memory of Marion Berman
Stu Rosen in memory of Howard Rosen, brother of Stu
Judy Melocowsky in memory of Marion Berman
Lisa Wolf & Greg Gatcomb in memory of Bernice Wolf, mother of Lisa
Al & Barb Klein in memory of Marion Berman
Judy Bogatz in memory of Esther Tolchinsky, mother of Judy
Paula & Leland Bradbard in memory of Jennie Finn, mother of Paula
Judy Scott in memory of Marion Berman

RELIGIOUS PRACTICES

Dianne Aborn in memory of Marion Berman
Robert & Alice Rodner in memory of Marion Berman

RETIRE THE MORTGAGE FUND

Frima Fox Hofrichter in memory of Marion Berman
Sally Goodman in memory of Marion Berman
Janet Lassman in memory of Marion Berman
Carol Schulman in memory of Jeanette Boxer, aunt of Sam Schulman
Joel & Gladys Nadel in memory of Marion Berman
Carol Schulman in memory of Marion Berman

SOCIAL ACTION FUND/ SHEMA TOUR

Alan & Donna Gittleman in memory of innocent lives lost in Colorado & Georgia
Sue Simons in memory of Marion Berman
Robert & Alice Rodner in memory of Marion Berman

SISTERHOOD FUND

Alan & Donna Gittleman in memory of Marion Berman
Sharon Miller in memory of Marion Berman

SECURITY

Herb Shook

DONATIONS

GENERAL FUND

Carla & Bob Wakefield in memory of Marion Berman
Tracy Taback in memory of Marion Berman
Phyllis Freeman in memory of Marion Berman
Leland & Paula Bradbard in memory of Marion Berman
Lawrence & Marcia Andrus in memory of Marion Berman
Audrey Yellen in memory of Marion Berman
Arthur & Janice Champagne in memory of Marion Berman
Ellen & Lucy Waldorf in memory of Marion Berman
Tom & Donna Barnas in memory of Marion Berman
Miriam Hyman in memory of Marion Berman
Lisa Cimino in memory of Marion Berman
Judy Bogatz in memory of Marion Berman
Marc & Carolyn Rowan in memory of Marion Berman
Hannah Baer in memory of Marion Berman
Richard & Carole Guttman in memory of Marion Berman
Ken & Lois Wasserman in memory of Marion Berman
Robert & Janet Feldman in memory of Marion Berman
June Silver in memory of Marion Berman
Len & Marlene Auster in memory of Marion Berman
Michael & Linda Barnett in memory of Marion Berman
Roger & Teri Parrott in memory of Marion Berman
Steven & Marsha Taback in memory of Marion Berman
Bev & David Finnicum in memory of Marion Berman
Frank Luena & Joyce Ben-Kiki in memory of Marion Berman
Sue L'Klau in memory of Marion Berman
Lee Hofrichter in memory of Marion Berman
Barbara & Larry Dworsky & LeClair Family in memory of Marion Berman
Neil & Sandi Brooks in memory of Marion Berman
James Lawson & Judith Gordon- Lawson in memory of Marion Berman
Jerome & Nancy Lahman in memory of Marion Berman
Frima Fox Hofrichter in memory of Marion Berman
Nancy Gordon in memory of Marion Berman
Phyllis & Dana Frank in memory of Marion Berman
Nancy Schwartz in memory of Marion Berman
Roxanne Davies in memory of Marion Berman
Board of Trustees in memory of Marion Berman
Bob & Maxine Greenberg in memory of Marion Berman
Bill Nadel & Family in memory of Marion Berman
Carol Mendelsohn in memory of Marion Berman
Rabbi Robert & Gina Levine in memory of Marion Berman
Rick & Janet Miller in memory of Marion Berman
Lawrence & Joan Murphy in memory of Marion Berman
Elaine Cantor in memory of Benjamin Cantor, father-in-law of Elaine
Gabe & LuAnn Izraelevitz in memory of Herman Michelis
Bob & Maxine Greenberg in memory of Herbert Baum, father of Maxine
Ken & Lois Wasserman in memory of Nathan Goldfarb, grandfather of Lois
Phyllis & Dana Frank in memory of Debra Frank, daughter & sister
Stan Goldberg in memory of Jacob Cohen, father-in-law of Stan
Lawrence & Marcia Andrus in memory of Robert Samson, brother of Donald Samson
Marla & Peter Adelsberger in memory of Inge Adelsberger, mother of Peter
Leland & Paula Bradbard in memory of Louis Bradbard, father of Leland
Joel & Gladys Nadel in memory of Charles Hertzendorf, father of Gladys
Lynn, Rebecca & Seth Rothberg in memory of Lillian Rothberg, mother of Michael Rothberg & Grandmother of Seth & Rebecca

Y A H R Z E I T D A T E S

On April 30 we observe the yahrzeit of:

Inge Adelsberger	Mother of Peter Adelsberger
Lena Furman	
Jennie Greenberg	
Norman Davidson	Uncle of Joel Davidson
David Crystal	Father of Joyce Katz
Royal Crystal	Brother of Joyce Katz
Lawrence B. Gilbert	Husband of Sharon Levenberg
Lucyann Miller	Mother of Rick Miller
Debra Frank	Daughter of Phyllis Frank
	Sister of Dana Frank
Pearl Friedman	Mother of Helena Friedman
Rose Juster	
Lillian Kozlin	
Minnie Forman	Grandmother of Jason
Chaimovitch	
Albert Glickman	Husband of Judy Glickman-Lauder
	Father of Jeff Glickman
Gertrude Schneider	
Ida Brenner	Grandmother of Andy Brenner
Leon Greenberg	Father of Stan Greenberg

On May 7 we observe the yahrzeit of:

Seymour Savath	
Abraham I. Wolkon	Father of Sam Wolkon
Bernice Wolf	Mother of Lisa Wolf
Jennie Finn	Mother of Paula Bradbard
Rose Meyers	Mother of Sally Meyers Goodman
Samuel Rosen	Great Grandfather of Sharon Harris
Abraham Snyder	Father of Herbert Snyder
Ruth Zuckerman	
Rosalind Berson Galinsky	
Masha Lipitz	Mother of Harriet Leitz
Rob Snyder	
Lois Weil-Isaacson	Grandmother of Debbie Greer
Marcu Ilovici	Husband of Karyn Ilovici
Yetta Sirota	Grandmother of Lawrence Waksman
Wendy Wernick	Sister of Michael Wernick

On May 14 we observe the yahrzeit of:

Samuel Deneholtz	
Ruth Hecht	Mother of Phyllis Freeman
Haley Elaine Kralik	Goddaughter of Harriet Mindlin
Victoria Parrott	Mother of Roger Parrott
Christina Walters	Sister of Rebecca Chaimovitch
Monroe Isaacs	
Helen Weinman	Aunt of Carol Bettigole
Bertha Alpern	Aunt of Harriet Leitz
Eve Klein	

Emma Lugoff
Bessie Galinsky
Edith Weintraub Grandmother of Elisabeth Neiterman

On May 21 we observe the yahrzeit of:

Benjamin Cantor	
Henry Vigdor	
Mary Nissenblatt	
Tessie Friedman	Grandmother of Steven Taback
Erwyn Bernard Glanz	
Hersh Lajb Precel	Grandfather of Michael Brezel
Lillian Rothberg	Mother of Michael Rothberg
Rose Fischbein	Friend of Taback Family
Herbert Baum	Father of Maxine Greenberg
Aron Hersh Brezel	Father of Michael Brezel
Solomon Luria	Father of Ed Luria
Fred Prass	
Julius Yellen	
Edward Rothstein	Father of Sharon Serow
Herman Friedman	Grandfather of Steven Taback
Irving Goldstein	Father of Phyllis Green
Simon Izraelevitz	Father of Gabe Izraelevitz
Belle Platt	Mother of Susan Ruchin
Stanley Wayne	
Ralph Welensky	Uncle of Ed Luria

On May 28 we observe the yahrzeit of:

Rhonda Daneer Slitt	
Charles Hertzendorf	Father of Gladys Nadel
Anna Wood	
Herman Mindlin	Father of Harriet Mindlin
Ray Schor	Grandmother of Phyllis Green
Barbara Zimmerman	Mother of Bruce Zimmerman
Bob Lichtenbaum	
George Luckman	
Bennie Yellen	
Rachel Clouser	Mother of Doug Clouser

SIMCHAS

BIRTHDAYS

Gary Ruchin	5/3	Adam Kaprove	5/16
Deborah Luria	5/4	Sheila Alpert	5/17
Richard Guttman	5/6	Annalisa Barrett	5/18
Lee Osipow	5/10	Jill Sloan	5/19
Kevin Hoffman	5/12	Meryl Sloate	5/19
Johnny Williams	5/12	Edward J. Widofsky	5/24
Joel Goldfarb	5/13	Deborah Halpern	5/25
Macola L. Widofsky	5/13	Laura Soll-Broxterman	5/25
Bruce Zimmerman	5/14	Linda Pierce	5/29

Anniversaries

Marla & Peter Adelsberger	5/1	Alecia & Joel Goldfarb	5/22
Rebecca & Mel Santiago	5/6	Janet & Richard Miller	5/25
Carole & Richard Guttman	5/12	Christine & Stephen Brouillard	5/27
Sue & James Katz	5/18		

TORAH PORTIONS

EMOR—Leviticus 21:1-24:23 *Emor* begins with special laws of sanctity, propriety and purity for the priesthood. Leviticus 23 provides an overview of the biblical calendar, a listing of the LORD's appointed times.

BEHAR/BECHUKOTAI—Leviticus 25:1-27:34 This portion from the Torah introduces the laws of the sabbatical years, the jubilee and laws concerning redemption. In most years, synagogues read *Behar* together with the following portion, *Bechukotai*.

BECHUKOTAI-This last reading from Leviticus promises blessings and rewards for Israel if they will keep the Torah, but punishment and curses if they break the commandments of the Torah. The last chapter discusses laws pertaining to vows, valuations and tithes. In most years, synagogues read *Bechukotai* together with the preceding portion, *Behar*.

BAMIDBAR—Numbers 1:1-4:20 The first reading from *Bamidbar* and the thirty-fourth reading from the Torah begin with a census of the tribes of Israel and the Levitical families just prior to the departure from Sinai.

NASSO—Numbers 4:21-7:89. This Torah portion finishes up the census of the Levites that was under way at the end of the last Torah portion, before going on to discuss the purification of the camp, the ritual for a woman suspected of adultery, the laws of the Nazirite vow, the priestly benediction and the gifts the heads of the twelve tribes brought for the dedication of the altar.

BEHA'ALOTCHA—Numbers 8:1-12:15—This portion is jam-packed, telling the story of the consecration of the Levites, the first Passover in the wilderness, the silver trumpets, the cloud of glory, the departure from Sinai, the grumbling in the wilderness, the first Sanhedrin and the punishment of Miriam.



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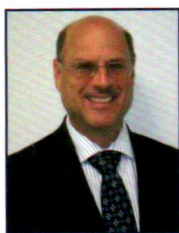
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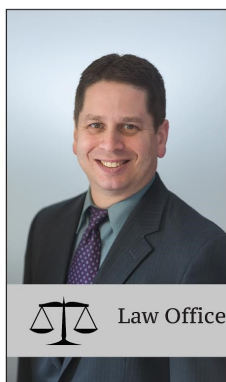
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In an emergency and you are in need of Clergy, please contact Rabbi Glickman by Temple Office phone or his cell phone. 860-655-0353. In the event the Rabbi cannot be reached, contact Cantor Scott Harris at 203-331-2692 or e-mail at cantor.scott.harris@gmail.com.

Rabbi Glickman has made arrangements with several of the other Rabbis in the area in the event that neither the Rabbi nor Cantor is available. These Rabbis will treat TBH Members as if they were members of their congregations. Please contact these Rabbis in the following order:

- 1. Rabbi Kari Tuling of Kol Haverim in Glastonbury - (860-633-3966)*
 - 2. Rabbi Randall J. Konigsburg of BSBI in Manchester - (860-643-9563)*
- If these Rabbis are not available, the following Rabbis are available for fee:*
- Rabbi Michael Pincus of CBI in West Hartford (860-233-8215)*
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