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Take Time

by Rabbi Kirshner

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The very word for Jew, Yehudi, comes from the word Hodu – which ironically has two meanings in modern Hebrew: Turkey and Thanks-giving. Really! To me it means that the core strand all Jewish people share is a sense of gratitude, whether to God, family, friends or the many blessings that causes all of our cups to run over.

On this American and quite Jewish holiday, take time to be thankful with those that matter most in your lives. Tell them and show them your appreciation. Take time to help others in need, since that is a Jewish ethic and an American custom during this holiday season. Take time to put a smile on another's face and bring joy to their heart. Take time to realize the blessings in life that make this day, and every day, a time for Thanksgiving to God for our full plates in addition to our full bellies.

Shabbat Shalom.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David S. Kirshner". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Rabbi David-Seth Kirshner



Rabbi Alex Freedman
Assistant Rabbi

Tradition!

“Here lies a plain and simple Jew who wrote in plain and simple prose.” - Sholom Aleichem.

Sholom Aleichem may have died a century ago in 1916, but his words live on today - plain and simple. The author of Tevye’s Daughters did not live to see the inspired final product: Fiddler on the Roof. But we did, and we do. Fiddler returns to Broadway December 20th for a relaunch, returning us to the shtetl of Anatevka for a few hours.

Fiddler gets it right: “Tradition!” explains so much of the what’s and why’s of Jewish life. And the challenges and pain Tevye faces when his daughters marry “others” are the same that we feel today. Indeed, our Patriarchs and Matriarchs from Genesis on are preoccupied with finding a partner for their sons from the “Mishpacha.”

Tevye: Where are you going?

Lazar Wolf: Chicago. In America.

Tevye: Chicago, America? We are going to New York, America. We’ll be neighbors.

How do we hold onto the traditions we hold dear, like the festive dancing at the wedding, while living outside the shtetl? That’s the ultimate question, ever timely. That may be one reason why Fiddler is back on Broadway. If you see it, let me know what you think.

Rabbi Freedman



Cantor Israel Singer

Making Jewish Tradition Personal

Most Jewish people feel strongly that the most important element of their Jewish faith is tradition. Judaism feels familiar, it is the faith of their grandparents, and it is what they’ve always been. Judasim is tradition.

This response is deeply rooted in Jewish History. The Torah tells us to honor our parents and elders, and Pirkei Avot explains that each Jewish act is part of the tradition of past generations. However, for Judaism to emerge as a religion, we read in the book of Bereisheet that Abraham had to do exactly the opposite. Abraham was commanded to break with tradition, forget what his parents and grandparents would have wanted, leave behind everything that was familiar to him, depart from everything he knew, go out into the unknown, and seek his destiny in a new place. Not only is this a novel concept, but it is also ironic. Judaism, a religion of belief in tradition, could only emerge if its founder broke with tradition.

We value Judaism for so much more than its generational legacy. Judaism began and continues with Abraham’s and our willingness to see that there is something more than what was passed down to us by previous generations. The idea of “self” is included in God’s commandment to Abraham to leave his comfort zone, which made Abraham’s journey personal. Similarly, Judaism should be unique for each individual, based in part on the traditions of our parents and grandparents, but also based on our own personal experience. Let us all follow in the path of Abraham and strive toward a purposeful, personal and motivating Judaism which will affect us personally and collectively.

Cantor Israel Singer



Emily Fae Spindel

ציפורה מלכה

Daughter of Sara & Alan Spindel
Sister of Zachary

Vayeshev

December 5, 2015

Emily is a 7th grader at Tenafly Middle School where her favorite subject is Art. Her favorite free time activities are dance, art, and photography.

For her Keshet Olam, Emily volunteered at the Friendship Circle, an organization that connects volunteers with children with special needs at home. Emily writes, "These one to two hour visits weekly go a long way to curing loneliness through board games, stories, music, and child-appropriate play. I enjoy helping people and seeing them smile."



*Zachary Benjamin
Spindel*

זלמן בנימין

Son of Sara & Alan Spindel
Brother of Emily

Vayeshev

December 5, 2015

Zachary is a 7th grader at Tenafly Middle School where his favorite subjects are Chorus, Mandarin Chinese, and Science. His favorite free time activities are skateboarding, skiing, biking, and camping.

For his Keshet Olam, Zachary volunteered at the Friendship Circle. Zachary writes, "Every week, I visit children with special-needs at home. These one to two hour visits go a long way to curing loneliness through board games, stories, music, and child-appropriate play. I chose to do this because I wanted to help out in other parts of the community and help make a difference."



Spencer Albaum

שמחה נאווה

Daughter of Stacie & Andrew
Albaum
Sister of Ethan

Rosh Hodesh Tevet

December 13, 2015

Spencer is an 8th grader at Tenafly Middle School, where her favorite subjects are Language Arts, Art, and Social Studies. Her favorite free time activities are gymnastics, drumming, listening to music, and spending time with family.

For her Keshet Olam, Spencer volunteered at a recreation program for pre-school children. Spencer writes, "When I get older, I plan to become a teacher. I find helping young children very important because I really want to make a difference in their lives. I like getting to know the children and it makes me happy when they understand what I am helping them with."



Mikayla Gold Benson

מיכל רבקה

Daughter of Amelia Gold Benson
& Brian Eric Benson

Sister of Josh, Noah, & Rebecca

Va'era

January 9, 2016

Mikayla is a 7th grader at Elisabeth Morrow School where her favorite subjects are Theater and English. Her favorite free time activities are skating, violin, theater, and music.

For her Keshet Olam, Mikayla organized concerts and performed at the Jewish Home at Rockleigh with her friends and family. Mikayla writes, "For the past eight years of my life, I have spread the love of music throughout my community by playing concerts that benefit organizations that are close to my heart. By performing at the Actors Home, The Jewish Home at Rockleigh, The Southeast Senior Center, The Bergen Family Center, The Triple Negative Cancer Benefit, and the Gift of Music at the JCC, I hope that my music has made a positive impact on my community and brought happiness to the listeners."



Samantha Leah Albert

לאה

Daughter of Roberta & Zvi Albert
Sister of Dina

Bo

January 16, 2016

Samantha is a 7th grader at Tenaflly Middle School, where her favorite subjects are Math and Science. Her favorite free time activities are soccer, ice skating, and baking.

For her Keshet Olam, Samantha raised funds for the Lone Soldier Organization after seeing a video in Religious School about the Lone Soldiers. Samantha writes, "This video informed me about how hard it is to be a lone soldier, a soldier that fights in the Israeli army who is not from Israel and has no family there. I wanted to make a difference and help them in having a place to go to during their breaks, leaves or when they need help. Becoming a Bat Mitzvah helps me to connect to the greater Jewish community and the world beyond. Being Jewish is important to me because it helps me to know who I am, and where I belong."



Elizabeth Milman

מרים

Daughter of Anna Burgansky & Edward Milman
Sister of Joshua

Bo

January 16, 2016

Elizabeth is a 7th grader at Tenakill Middle School where her favorite subject is Science. Her favorite free time activities are competitive Tae Kwon Do and skateboarding.

For her Keshet Olam, Elizabeth raised awareness about HIV and Breast Cancer. She worked at project K.I.S.S. - an adolescent HIV prevention program, walked 5 miles with "Making Strides Against Breast Cancer," and raised funds by contributing to a bake sale. Elizabeth writes, "My Keshet Olam added to a larger project to help people in difficult situations. Becoming Bat Mitzvah is something I have been looking forward to my entire life. It is so important to me because I now feel I am a young adult. Not only have I become more responsible, I also have a lot more freedom. I feel my Jewish education will be of value throughout my life because as I get older I can pass on and teach my children and family the Jewish traditions. As Naama, Rabbi and Cantor always say, 'I'dor vador,' from generation to generation."



Benjamin Lerner

בנימין

Son of Amy & Richard
Brother of Sydney

Beshalach

January 23, 2016

Benjamin is a 7th grader at Alpine school, where his favorite subjects are Math and Gym. His favorite free time activities are soccer and reading.

For his Keshet Olam, Benjamin volunteered with the Tenaflly Recreation Challenger Soccer program. This program is for any child with special needs who wants to learn and have fun playing soccer. Benjamin writes, "I love soccer and it made me really happy to be able to share the joy with others who may not have been able to experience sport otherwise. The things I learned through my Jewish education are values I will use in many situations as an adult and will help guide my decision making."



Holden Goldberg

חנן

Son of Michele & Jason Goldberg
Brother of Emmet & Josie

Beshalach

January 23, 2016

Holden is a 7th grader at Tenaflly Middle School where his favorite subjects are Math, Social Studies, and Gym. His favorite free time activities are football, lacrosse, and snowboarding.

For his Keshet Olam, Holden volunteered with the Tenaflly Little League Challenger team assisting children with physical and mental disabilities play baseball. Holden writes, "This was a very rewarding and an eye opening experience. It was really special to work with these players as their "buddy" to help them improve from week to week while also getting to know them. They taught me that patience and persistence can make a difference when trying to overcome obstacles and that one should never give up. I took what I learned from being a Challenger buddy and applied it toward my approach for studying to become a Bar Mitzvah. I am looking forward to January 23rd when all of my hard work pays off."



Tessa Gorenstein

תמר

Daughter of Steffie & Andrew Gorenstein
Sister of Harris

Yitro

January 30, 2016

Tessa is a 7th grader at Tenakill Middle School where her favorite subjects are Math and Science. Her favorite free time activities are spending time with family and friends, baking, and playing sports.

For her Keshet Olam, Tessa collected and donated approximately six dozen team jerseys to the TJ Martell Foundation in honor of James Holland. Tessa writes, "I wanted to continue our family tradition in memory of my grandfather. This organization for cancer research is closest to my heart because they have always done so much for my family. I wanted to say thank you and give back to an organization that means so much to me and my family."



Sydney Albert

פיגל מרים

Daughter of Barbara & Kenny Albert
Sister of Amanda

Havdallah Vayakheil

February 27, 2016

Sydney is a 7th grader at Tenakill Middle School where her favorite subjects are Language Arts and Math. Her favorite free time activities are tennis, traveling, and spending time with family and friends.

For her Keshet Olam, Sydney collected and donated new and used sports equipment. She worked with an organization called "Let's Play It Forward," where they accept most types of sports equipment and donate it to organizations and people in need. Sydney writes, "Sports are such an important part of my life. From going to many games, to just playing sports myself, I want to help kids do what I love to do most. I have been thinking about what I should do for my Mitzvah Project my whole life, but now that I know it's something really connected to my heart, it just makes it that much more special."



Amanda Srebnik

עמית מיכל

Daughter of Laurie & Andrew Srebnik
Sister of Brandon

Vayakheil Shabbat Shekalim

March 5, 2016

Amanda is a 7th grader at Demarest Middle School where her favorite subjects are Language Arts, Writing Lab, and Math. Her favorite free time activities are basketball, spending summers away at camp, and hanging out with friends.

For her Keshet Olam, Amanda is raising money to help Holocaust survivors. Amanda writes, "My grandfather is a survivor. When he was just a young boy in Belgium, the Nazis attacked. His family was taken to the concentration camps and killed. He escaped with his mother. She hid him in three different Catholic orphanages, and then came to get him after the war was over. His family is featured in an exhibit in a Holocaust Museum in Belgium. I hope to be able to go to Belgium one day to see the museum. There are many elderly Holocaust survivors here in our area who need assistance with things that they cannot afford, such as hearing aids, glasses, and home care. For my Bat Mitzvah project I would like to raise money for the Jewish Family Services organization so they can help these individuals get the things they need. Also, I would like to raise money to donate to the museum in Belgium that has the exhibit featuring my grandfather and his family."



Madeline Weiss

מרים רות

Daughter of Ann & Glen Weiss
Sister of Zachary

Vayakheil Shabbat Shekalim

March 5, 2016

Madeline is a 7th grader at Dwight Englewood School where her favorite subjects are English and Social Studies. Her favorite free time activities are playing violin, volleyball, tennis, lacrosse, and hanging out with friends.

For her Keshet Olam, Madeline volunteered weekly at the JCC as the assistant to the group leader in the younger children's violin group. She modeled playing for them and helped them with their positioning and bow strokes. Madeline writes, "My Keshet Olam project was very meaningful to me because I made a big difference in young violinists' lives. Watching them progress throughout the year gave me the satisfaction that I had improved their skills. I loved helping my violin teacher and becoming a teacher myself. I really enjoyed my Keshet Olam project; it was a great learning experience for me, and I hope to continue it in the future."



Julia Nevins

יעל

Daughter of Sharon & Ted Nevins
Sister of Ava
Pekudei

March 12, 2016

Julia is a 7th grader at Tenafly Middle School where her favorite subjects are Writing, Science, and Art. Her favorite free time activities are dancing and acting.

Julia writes, "Becoming a bat mitzvah is important to me because I get to become a leader of the Jewish community. This is because now I have the ability to lead services and help around the temple more often."



Brooke Goldenberg

מלכה

Daughter of Amy & Ronald Goldenberg
Sister of Brittany & Jake
Vayikra Shabbat Zachor

March 19, 2016

Brooke is a 7th grader at Tenakill Middle School where her favorite subjects are Math and Science. Her favorite free time activity is rock climbing.

For her Keshet Olam, Brooke will be working with special needs children at the JCC and take babysitting skills to help her understand and handle their needs.



Maya Rose Brisman

מרים שושנה

Daughter of Laurie & Aaron Brisman
Sister of Lucy & Molly
Tzav

March 26, 2016

Maya is a 7th grader at Demarest Middle School where her favorite subjects are Social Studies and Science. Her favorite free time activities are basketball, soccer, and softball.

Maya writes, "I think it is important to become a Bat Mitzvah because it starts a new chapter in our lives. It's a time where we need to start taking on more adult responsibilities, both at home and in the world. It's a time to reflect on what I can do to be a better daughter, sister, friend, and student. Also, it's an opportunity for everyone in my family who lives far away to get together and celebrate. I am looking forward to March 26th to start this new journey."

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Betty & Wayne Faber

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In memory of **Lawrence Kirsh**
Marcia & Michael Kirsh

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Dori & Rabbi David Seth Kirshner

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In memory of **Joseph Krauss**
Marilyn Finkel

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Gloria & Wilson Aboudi

In memory of **Charles Kulic**
Steven Davison

In memory of **David Lani**, brother in law of
Wilson & Gloria Aboudi
Tamara Birns

In memory of **Alice Levine**
Bernice Caspert

In memory of **Lily Levine**
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Sharon Scherl & Eric Morgenstern

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Myra & Arnold Gans

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Dorothy & Irving Litt

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Shelly, Allison, Andrew, Melissa, Scott &
Danielle Rosenberg

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Sharon & Neil Danzger

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Evelyn Gray

In memory of **Anna Seiden**

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Hilda Reutlinger

In memory of **Steven Schaller**

Joyce Schulman

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Sharon Scherl & Eric Morgenstern

In memory of **Matty Schneider**

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Norma & Bernard Koster

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Joyce Schulman

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In memory of **George Shammash**

Gloria & Wilson Aboudi

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Shirley Shapiro

In memory of **Harris Shapiro**

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In memory of **Dorothy Shefrin**

Susan & Brad Singer

In memory of **Alexander Shefrin**

Susan & Brad Singer

In memory of **Nancy Shimansky**

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In memory of **Shula**

Miriam Ovadia

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Elizabeth Lissman

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Edith & Arnold Spiegel

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Vitaly Veltser

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Rebeca Vogel

In memory of **Harriet Weber**

Elaine & Martin Hirsch

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Stefanie & Steven Rosner

In memory of **Ruth Widman**

Robin & Steven Abramow

In memory of **Leonard Winograd**

Audrey & Rick Winograd

In memory of **Yehoshua**

Miriam Ovadia

In memory of **Irving Yellin**

Loren & Stanley Yellin

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In memory of **Benjamin Teitelbaum**

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Adina Gordon

In memory of **William Orkin**

E. Adina Gordon

IN MEMORIAM

James Adler on the death of his father, Myron Adler z”l

Peggy DaSilva on the death of her father, Bernard Levere z”l

Larry Epstein on the death of his father, Edward Epstein

Steven Epstein on the death of his father, Edward Epstein z”l

Nuriel Guedalia on the death of his mother, Levana Guedalia z”l.

Robin Orloff Halperin on the death of her mother, Bette Matz z”l.

Donald Kesselman on the death of his father, Joseph Kesselman z”l.

Gary Kronfeld on the death of his father, Fred Kronfeld z”l.

Gary Langsam on the death of his father, Harry Langsam z”l.

Judith Lebson on the death of her neice, Jane Schwarz z”l.

Jane Levere on the death of her father, Bernard Levere z”l.

David Levere on the death of his father, Bernard Levere z”l.

Shlomit Makleff on the death of her father, Abraham Sitt z”l

Beth Nadel on the death of her mother, Annette Aarons z”l

Austin Pattner on the death of his mother, Evelyn Pattner z”l.

Rica Rabinowitz on the death of her mother, Levana Guedalia z”l.

Brian Turoff on the death of his father, Mark Turoff z”l

Barbara Zimmerman on the death of her daughter in law, Jane Schwarz z”l.

TODAH RABAH

The congregation wishes to thank the following families who have recently sponsored a Kiddush, an Oneg Shabbat and/or the Bimah flowers.

Shari & Bram Alster in honor of the marriage of their son, Jason to Katie Wilf.

Michelle & Glenn Brauntuch on the Aufruf and upcoming marriage of their son, David to Lauren Edelman.

Joyce & Neil Chalfin in honor of their daughter, Aline’s Bat Mitzvah.

Diane & Daniel Feit in honor of their children, Gillian & Elijah’s B’nai Mitzvah.

Caralyn & Steven Fuld in honor of their daughter, Lauryn’s Bat Mitzvah.

Elizabeth & William Hecker in honor of their daughter, Jordan’s Bat Mitzvah.

Karen & Neil Eisler in honor of the baby naming of their granddaughter, Faye Jordanna Eisler.

Ilya & Polina Lipkin in honor of their daughter, Elisa’s Bat Mitzvah.

Elissa & Kenneth Miller in honor of their daughter, Jordan’s Bat Mitzvah

Caren & Steven Pillet in honor of the marriage of their son, Jason to Sarah Howell.

Rosalie & Lon Rosen in honor of the marriage of their son Jared to Gwen Moskowitz

Marla & Richard Seldes in honor of their daughter, Marissa’s Bat Mitzvah.

Julie & Robert Sheppard in honor of their son, Cole’s Bar Mitzvah.

Sara & Alan Spindel in honor of their children, Emily and Zachary’s B’nai Mitzvah.



PURIM PALOOZA

WEDNESDAY MARCH 23RD!

6:30pm MEGILAH Reading &

Purim LASER LIGHT SHOW for children

**7:15pm PURIM SEUDAH & CARNIVAL, GAMES,
PRIZES, MUSIC, FACE PAINTING,
MEN'S CLUB HOT DOG BAR
& more surprises!!**



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The Seder Plate

Preparing the Seder plate requires attention. The special foods we eat on Passover are also food for thought. Every item on the Seder plate abounds with meaning and allusion. The Seder plate has six items on it, arranged in a special order. The plate is placed on top of the covering of the three matzot and is placed in front of the head of the household. The foods of the Seder plate are listed below, with the reason each one is included, the method for preparing it, and its role in the Seder meal.

THE FOODS OF THE SEDER PLATE

The Shank bone A piece of roasted meat represents the lamb that was the special sacrifice on the eve of the exodus from Egypt, and annually on the afternoon before Passover, in the Holy Temple.

The Egg A hard-boiled egg represents the holiday offering brought in the days of the Holy Temple. The meat of this animal constituted the main part of the Passover meal. A popular way of eating these eggs is to chop and mix them with the salt water which is set on the table. The eggs prepared this way are then served as an appetizer.

The Bitter Herbs Bitter herbs (Maror) remind us of the bitterness of the slavery of our forefathers in Egypt. freshly grated horseradish, romaine lettuce, and endive are the most common choices.

Charoset A mixture of apples, nuts and wine which resembles the mortar and brick made by the Jews when they toiled for Pharaoh. Preparation: Shell walnuts and peel apples and chop finely. Mix together and add a small amount of wine.

The Vegetable A non-bitter root vegetable alludes to the back-breaking work of the Jews as slaves. The Hebrew letters of karpas can be arranged to spell "Perach Samech". Perach means backbreaking work and Samech is numerically equivalent to 60, referring to the 60 myriads (10,000), equaling 600,000, which was the number of Jewish males over 20 years of age who were enslaved in Egypt.

The Lettuce The lettuce symbolizes the bitter enslavement of our fathers in Egypt. The leaves of romaine lettuce are not bitter, but the stem, when left to grow in the ground, turns hard and bitter.



SAVE THE DATE!

SATURDAY, APRIL 23RD

Join us for the second Seder
at **TEMPLE EMANU-EL**
Details coming soon!

Passover Schedule

Thursday, April 21st

Sale of Chametz form due
Search for Chametz after 8:26 pm

Friday, April 22nd

First Night Seder
Fast of the First Born
Morning Service & Siyyum
Breakfast 6:30 am
Eat Chametz until 10:38 am
Burning Chametz by 11:46 am
Light Candles* 7:25 pm

Saturday, April 23rd

1st Day of Passover
Morning Service 9:00 am
Evening Service 5:30 pm
2nd Night Seder 6:00 pm
Light Candles* 8:29 pm

Sunday, April 24th

1st Day of Omer
Morning Service 9:00 am
Havdalah 8:30 pm

Monday, April 25th

2nd Day of Omer
Minyan 7:00 pm

Tuesday, April 26th

3rd Day of Omer
Minyan 7:00 pm

Wednesday, April 27th

4th Day of Omer
Minyan 7:30 am
Minyan 7:00 pm

Thursday, April 28th

5th Day of Omer
Light Candle 7:31 pm
Minyan 7:00 pm

Friday, April 29th

6th Day of Omer
Services 9:00 am
Kabbalat Shabbat 7:00 pm
Light Candles 7:32 pm

Saturday, April 30th

7th Day of Omer
Men's Club Shabbat
Yizkor Service 9:00 am
Passover Ends 8:37 pm

*If you plan to attend services and/or a Seder away from home, light candles before leaving home or light at the Seder.

Chametz Sale

Because the sale of Chametz involves many technicalities, it is customary for the clergy of the congregation to act as the agent for all who wish to sell their Chametz. If you own Chametz in several places (e.g. your home, summer home and/or business), fill in all addresses. Everyone who prepares a home for Passover should arrange for the sale of their Chametz. Use the form below to authorize Rabbi David-Seth Kirshner to sell Chametz in your possession on your behalf and submit it no later than **Thursday, April 21st**.

- I hereby give permission to Rabbi David-Seth Kirshner to act as my agent and sell all Chametz, mixtures and objects containing Chametz. As my agent, he should arrange for this sale prior to 10:30am on **Friday, April 22nd** in accordance with Jewish law and custom. I have placed my Chametz and mixtures containing Chametz in specifically designated storage within my home, which is located at:

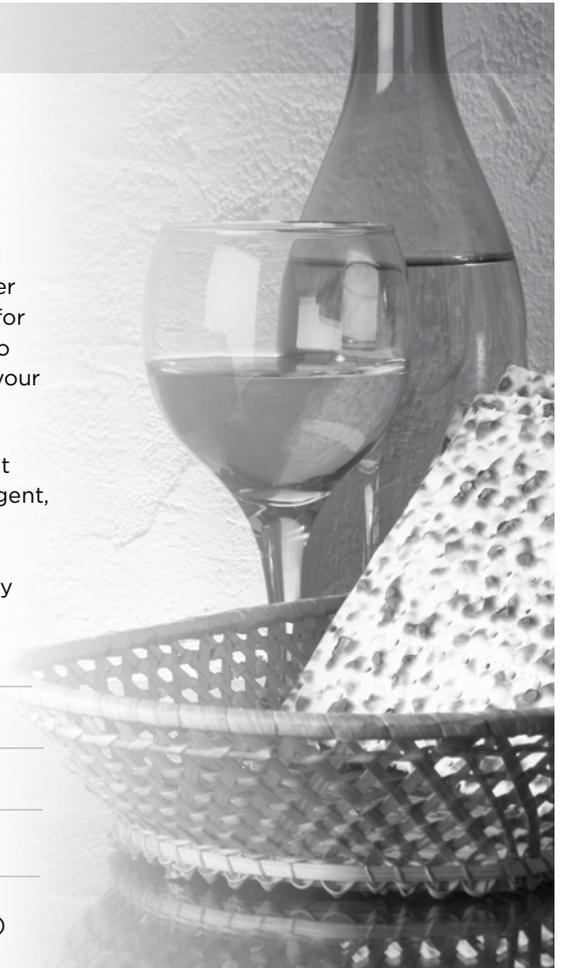
Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Signature _____ Date _____

- It is customary to make a donation for Maot Chittim (Passover Tzedakah) at this time. This will pay for matzah and wine for a family that cannot afford during the holiday and for families in need. \$ _____
Please submit a separate check, made payable to Temple Emanu-El for this effort



Flowers for Passover

Order Flowers For Your Holiday Table From Sisterhood

For more information contact: Stacey Faske 201.390.4220 or faskefive@gmail.com

Place order by April 18th

Email: faskefive@gmail.com

Mail: Sisterhood of Temple Emanu-El

180 Piermont Rd, Closter, NJ 07624

Fax: (201) 750-1894

Your Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

I am ordering for my home
(Delivery will be to the address above, Bergen County only)

I am sending the flowers to:
(Delivery in Bergen County only)

Your Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Note to include _____

Please choose:

A \$85 large tall

B \$70 large 6x6 square

C \$70 oblong

D \$60 small square 5x5

Please make checks payable to Sisterhood of Temple Emanu-El. All orders must be placed and pre-paid by April 18th. Delivery charges included. Pictured flowers are representation of size and arrangement. Actual flowers are based on availability. If you would like to place more than one order, please make multiple copies of this ad.



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SISTERHOOD EVENTS

Sisterhood Shabbat

Saturday February 6th

This years annual Sisterhood Shabbat is on February 6th, 2016. If you would like to participate in this year's service please contact

Felicia Taubenfeld
fst413@gmail.com
or Debbie Guedalia
debbie.tg@verizon.net

Sisterhood Meetings

Dec 7 Feb 1
Jan 4 May 2

Minyan at 7:00pm. Meeting to follow

Women's Study Group

w/ Rabbi Kirshner
10:30am on Fridays
at Temple Emanu-El

Dec 4 Feb 5
Jan 15 Mar 4

ALL CLASSES WILL BEGIN
PROMPTLY AT 10:30AM

Join Sisterhood for Mishloach Manot 2016

This is Sisterhood's most important fundraiser of the year.

Last year we delivered almost 800 bags to our extended Temple family.

Sisterhood supports:

- Synagogue Programs
- Scholarships
- Mitzvah Projects

Be part of this incredible Purim Team!

Volunteers always needed!

Packing: Wednesday, March 16th 9:30am

Delivery: March 16th-23th. No delivery on Shabbat.

**For more information and/or to volunteer,
contact Ruth Pomerantz at:**

201-767-5468 or vramom@aol.com

IMPORTANT: Please let the Temple office know if your email and/or home address has changed.



2015-2016 (5776) Annual Torah Fund

Nat'ah Karem

Nat'ah Karem is a phrase from the beloved prayer *Eishet Chayil*, taken from the biblical book of Proverbs. We reenvision this prayer today with appreciation for the hard-working, generous, family-oriented woman, who “plants a vineyard by her own labors.”(Proverbs 31:7)



Your contribution strengthens and perpetuates
Conservative/Masorti Judaism
throughout the world.

As a token of our appreciation, you will receive the 5776 pin
for your donation of \$180 or more.

Check made payable to “Torah Fund” can be mailed to the Temple office:

180 Piermont Road
Closter, NJ 07624

Jackie Feit 201.914.8182
Lisa Naimi 201.757.5797
Torah Fund Co-Chairs



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Rosh Hashana Gifts

Gift Certificates available



By appointment: Call 201.750.9997

MEN'S CLUB MEETINGS

Men's Club meetings will be on

Dec 8 **Feb 2**
Jan 5 **Mar 1**

*Minyan at 7:00 pm.
Meeting to follow.*

All are welcome!

Men's Club Shabbat

April 30th at 9:00 am

All parts of the service are available: English readings, Hebrew prayers, Aliyot, Ark openings and Torah readings.

To participate, please contact **Alan Yung** at aiy@me.com



World Wide Wrap

Last year, more than 6,000 people representing more than 175 Men's Clubs around the world joined in the World Wide Wrap to spread the mitzvah of Tefillin! This is Temple Emanu-El's Vav & Zayin (6th-7th grade required Sunday) on February 7th at 9:00 am.

"And you shall bind them for a sign upon your hand, and they shall be an ornament for your head between your eyes."
(Deuteronomy. 6:4-8)

Chairperson Steve Sachs: mr.stevesachs@gmail.com



SAVE THE DATE

NCAA Finals Viewing Party

Monday, April 4th at 7:30 pm

Details to follow.



2016
RIDE 2 PROVIDE

TEMPLE EMANU-EL



The Fifth Annual Ride 2 Provide

Sunday, February 14th, 2016 at Flywheel - Englewood

11:30 am - Sharp

Teens and Adults are invited to help raise money for local food pantries and family service organizations.

Water, Gatorade and healthy snacks will be provided.
Goodie bag with shirt and other fun stuff guaranteed per rider, whether you ride for 1 minute or 120!

Pre-registration is required by January 29, 2016.

RSVP to Jeanine Corrubia at Corrubia@templemanu-el.com or 201.750.9997.

For questions or sponsorship inquiries, please contact Alan Yung at aiy@me.com or (917) 560-4116

Name _____ Email: _____

Phone _____

Prices listed below are minimum suggested donation amounts.

Ride Only: _____ at \$72.00

Sponsor only: _____ at \$72.00

(small logo or listing on t-shirt and all signage)

Virtual Rider: _____ at \$36.00

Corporate Sponsor: _____ at \$360.00

*(receive **premiere** large print listing or logo on all shirts and signage)*

Sponsor and Ride: _____ at \$144.00
(small logo or listing on t-shirt and all signage)

Donation Only: _____

Specify Men's or Women's shirt: _____

Please indicate your t-shirt size: S M L XL XXL XXXL

Mail to: 180 Piermont Road, Closter NJ 07624

Please make checks payable to Men's Club of Temple Emanu-El

RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY: I know that spinning is a potentially hazardous activity. I should not enter and spin unless I am medically able and properly trained to complete the event. I assume all risks associated with spinning in this race, including without limitation, contact with other participants, bikers, and all such risks being known and appreciated by me. Having read this waiver and knowing these facts and in consideration of your accepting my entry, I for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators and anyone for whom I am entitled to act, waive, release, and will hold harmless Temple Emanu-El, sponsors, staff, officials, agents, employees, officers, directors and volunteers working for those same from all claims and liabilities of any kind arising out of or related to my participation in this spin-a-thon including without limitation death and injury.

Signature _____ Date: _____

If under 18, signature of parent or guardian

Rock n.... Roll Your Own Sushi!

Sunday, March 6th at 11:30am

\$18 per person

\$54 per family

Price includes a sushi mat to take home, plus a recipe/instruction guide with local shopping advice to procure ingredients for making your own Kosher sushi

**Proceeds to be donated to The Dror for the Wounded Foundation, which provides financial assistance to severely wounded veterans of the IDF*

Hosted by Harris Miller, a member of Temple Emanuel and the Secretary of the Men's Club, has spent over 25 years in food service, operating some of the busiest restaurants in the US. He has been rolling his own sushi for decades. Harris introduced sushi to the menu at two of the restaurants he ran in California. He has catered dozens of sushi events, all featuring an opportunity to "roll-your-own". Harris has taught both private and large group sushi rolling classes, all focusing on basic starter rolls for the home cook.



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Space is limited!

RSVP to Jeanine by February 26th

corrubia@templemanu-el.com or visit templemanu-el.com

Holiday Gift Baskets

Sponsored by the Men's Club

The Men's Club has partnered with a local gift basket provider to offer Kosher Gift Baskets for any occasion, which are stuffed with an assortment of holiday goodies!

Send these baskets to your friends, family, business clients, and loved ones as an extra special treat!

The Men's Club will make a donation* from a portion of the proceeds for each basket you purchase from this website.

Here is how to order:

Visit www.baskets-n-beyond.com

Select your baskets for purchase and enter MENSCLUB at checkout.

*The donation will be based on all of your purchases from the website throughout the year, so please consider ordering baskets for all occasions!

Please contact Baskets-N-Beyond directly with any questions: (201) 384-7575



TEMPLE EMARU-EL

Shem Tov Award Presentation

January 29th

Kabbalat Shabbat Services at 7:00 pm
Festive Oneg to follow services

Please join us at this special Shabbat service when we honor this year's Shem Tov award recipient:

Louann Reed

Jacob Janowski; Youth Shem Tov recipient



Avner Moriah

Avner Moriah, an Israeli artist best known for his inspiring interpretations of Biblical themes. Part of his collections is on display and available for purchase. Please come visit exhibit on display in the Main Staircase of the Promenade. Contact the Temple Office at 201-750-9997 for more information.



SAVE THE DATE

88th Annual Celebration

March 12th at 7:00 pm

honoring

Wendy Hurst & Richard Levine
and Robin & Steven Epstein

The Kiddush Cup

Mixed Doubles Tennis Event, Round Robin Format
Come with a partner or be paired up with one!

Saturday January 23rd

Fort Lee Racquet Club

8:00pm - 11:00pm

A night of tennis, food & fun

\$100 per person

Pre-registration is required by January 9, 2016

Sponsored by The Men's Club, Sisterhood & Phyl's Fund

All proceeds will benefit Phyllis Klein Memorial Fund
& Hearts of Hope Camps.

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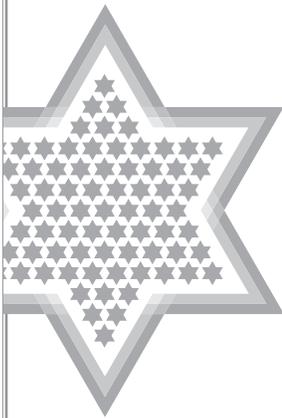
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