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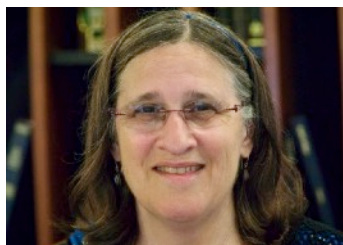
FEBRUARY 2018

SH'VAT / ADAR 5778

Chanukah Dinner 2017

Photo Album





From: the Rabbi...

Making Every Day Count

A verse from Psalm 90 says, "The days of our years are three score and ten, or by reason of strength, four score... Teach us to count our days, that we may attain a heart of wisdom... Establish the work of our hands that it may long endure." It reminds us that each day is important and we should make each day count. Though we may know this in theory, in the busyness of every day life, we often lose site of this important teaching. This past month we learned quite acutely that we never know when our last day will be. It may seem trite but make sure you tell your loved ones that you love them. Make sure they know you appreciate them. And if you have had a falling out with a family member, try to find a way to reconcile because if you put it off thinking you will do it later, later may never come.

If you have not done so, no matter what your age, it is also helpful to think through the details of your own funeral. As hard as that may be, it will make it so much easier on your loved ones if they know what you would like. I have a form that helps you plan the details. If you are interested, send me an e-mail to rabbimedwin@me.com, or stop by the temple office.

"Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I shall dwell in the house of Adonai forever." (Psalm 23)

Rabbi Michele Brand Medwin, D.Min.

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the Union for Reform Judaism offers us.

Boni Barnofsky

It is with great sadness that we announce the loss of a true angel on Earth. Boni Barnofsky, 67, of Monticello, was taken from us suddenly on Sunday, January 7, 2018 in Tampa, Florida.

Boni was born on July 21, 1950 in Monticello, NY. She was a lifelong resident of Kiamesha Lake and Monticello. She graduated from Monticello High School in 1968.

Boni dedicated the past 20 years of her life to the children and faculty of Benjamin Cosor Elementary School in South Fallsburg, where she worked as a teaching assistant and substitute coordinator. In addition, she was a longstanding board member of Temple Sholom of Monticello, which she loved dearly.

Boni is survived by her mother, Doris Steinberg of Tampa, Florida with whom she spent her final days.

Boni's greatest joy in life was spending time with her family. She leaves behind her husband and best friend of 33 years, Michael Barnofsky of Monticello. She will also be dearly missed by her sons, Reed Barnofsky of Monticello and Gavin Schwarz and his wife, Jill, of Simsbury, CT and her three beloved grandchildren, Zakary, Noah and Jenna of Simsbury.

Boni was a lover of all animals. Donations can be made to the Sullivan County SPCA, 104 Rock Hill Dr, Rock Hill, NY 12775 or Temple Sholom of Monticello, 5 Dillon Road, Monticello, NY 12701.

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FEBRUARY Snack & Schmooze:

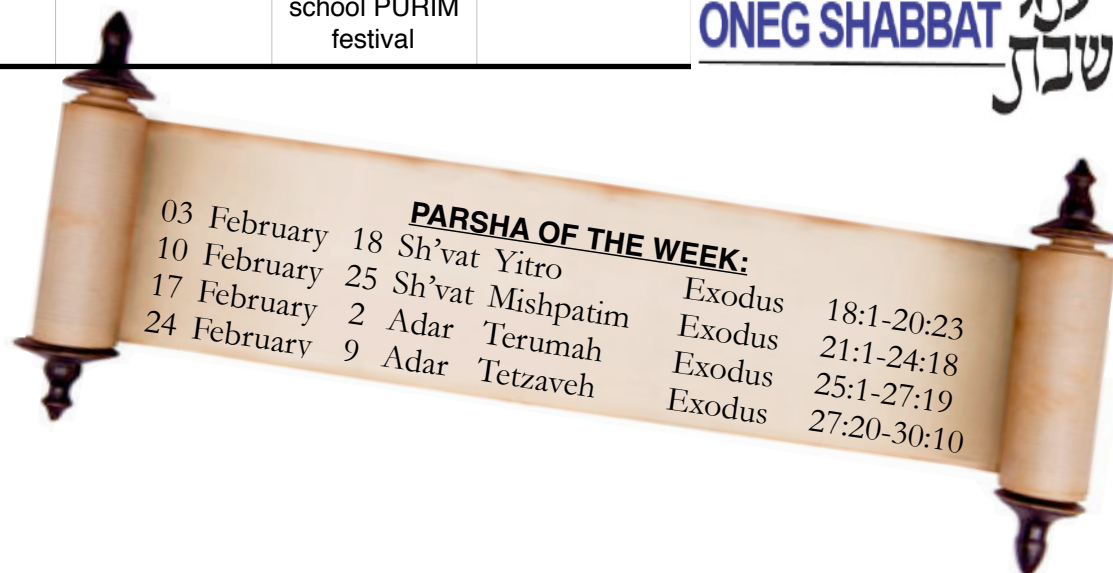
02 Sponsor Needed

09 Miros Family in honor of the religious school

16 Sponsor Needed

23 Religious school in honor of helping the rabbi lead services

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
FOR YOUR BIRTHDAY or ANNIVERSARY or SIMCHA: Come to Shabbat services and receive a special blessing under our "Blessing Chuppah" in honor of your special occasion.				1	2 Snack & Schmooze 5:30 Shabbat Services 6:00 Candle lighting 4:58	3
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25	26	27 Religious school PURIM festival	28	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: center;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> Sponsor An ONEG SHABBAT </div> <div style="font-size: 2em; font-family: serif;"> עני שבת </div> <div style="text-align: right;"> Call Susan Kantor to volunteer 798-0578 </div> </div>		



2018 PURIM SHPIEL

Friday, March 2, 2018 — 6:00 PM



The characters of the *Big Bang Theory* will help to tell the Purim story. Participants are needed. NO experience necessary. You can read from the script. Sign up on the door of the office or e-mail Rabbi Medwin if you would like a part.

Esther (Bernadette), King Achashverosh (Stuart), Mordechai (Leonard), Haman (Sheldon), Vashti (Penny), Zeresh (Amy), King's Advisors: Howard, Raj
Haman's entourage: Barry Kripke, Wil Wheaton
2 guards: Howard's mother - Debbie, Leonard's mother - Beverly

**EVEN IF YOU ARE NOT IN THE SHPIEL,
COME IN COSTUME OR WE WILL PROVIDE A
COSTUME FOR YOU!**



**Passover 2018
March 30 - April 7**

Passover Greetings

in the **March** Harbinger

Add your name to the list of those who will be extending **Passover Greetings**

Each entry will be individually highlighted

The cost is \$18 ~

MUST BE RECEIVED BY FEBRUARY 10th

****Your name as you wish it to appear:***

*

Mail this form along with \$18 to:

Temple Sholom

P.O. Box 664, Monticello, NY 12701

Purim

Purim is celebrated with a public reading—usually in the synagogue—of the Book of Esther (*Megillat Esther*), which tells the story of the holiday. Under the rule of King Ahashverosh, Haman, the king's prime minister, plots to exterminate all of the Jews of Persia. His plan is foiled by Queen Esther and her cousin Mordechai, who ultimately save the Jews of Persia from destruction. The reading of the *megillah* typically is a rowdy affair, punctuated by booing and noise-making when Haman's name is read aloud.

Purim is an unusual holiday in many respects. First, Esther is the only biblical book in which God is not mentioned. Second, Purim, like Hanukkah, traditionally is viewed as a minor festival, but elevated to a major holiday as a result of the Jewish historical experience. Over the centuries, Haman became the embodiment of every anti-Semite in every land where Jews were oppressed. The significance of Purim lies not so much in how it began, but in what it has become: a thankful and joyous affirmation of Jewish survival against all odds.



In the Book of Esther, we read that Purim is a time for "feasting and merrymaking," as well as for "sending gifts to one another and presents to the poor" (Esther 9:22). In addition to reading the *M'gillah* (Book of Esther), celebrants dress in costumes, have festive parties, perform "Purim-spiels," silly theatrical adaptations of the story of the *M'gillah*, send baskets of food (*mishloach manot*) to friends, and give gifts to the poor (*matanot l'evyonim*).



Hamantaschen: Yiddish for Haman's pockets, hamantaschen are three-cornered pastries filled with poppy seeds (*mohn* in Yiddish), fruit preserves, chocolate, or other ingredients that are traditionally eaten on Purim. In Israel during the weeks leading up to Purim, the aroma of freshly baked hamantaschen can be smelled on every block. Their triangular shape is thought to be reminiscent of Haman's hat or ears.

Costumes: As part of the carnival-like atmosphere of Purim, many children and adults wear costumes. Some attribute this tradition to the fact that Esther initially "masked" her Jewish identity. Now a vibrant and widely practiced custom, some choose to dress as characters from the Purim story, while others select Jewish heroes from throughout history.

Mishloach manot: Jewish families make *mishloach manot* baskets at home and distribute them to friends. Most *mishloach manot* include hamantaschen but may also include a wide variety of foods and treats. These gifts are frequently referred to by their Yiddish name, *shalachmanos*.

Matanot l'evyonim: Gifts are given at this season to those in need so that they, too, can celebrate Purim with a special meal. Many families have committed to participating in this important social justice aspect of the holiday.

TEMPLE SHOLOM

16th Annual ^{Second} “First Night” Seder

Friday, March 30, 2018 ~ 6:00 PM



Temple Sholom Members: \$25 per adult

Family of four (2 adults & 2 children under age 13): \$60

Immediate Family of Temple Sholom Members: \$25 per adult

Guest to Temple Sholom: \$30 per adult

Children (ages 5-12): \$10 per child

Limited Seating!

Reservation Must Be Made by March 21.

After March 21 there will be a surcharge of \$5 per person.

PLEASE NOTE: DUE TO KITCHEN LIMITATIONS THE MEAL WILL **NOT** BE STRICTLY KOSHER FOR PASSOVER.

This year the seder will be catered by
Joe Taylor's Catering of Rock Hill.



Send **RESERVATION FORM** and **CHECK** by **March 21** to:

Temple Sholom, P.O. Box 664, Monticello, NY 12701

Payment **MUST** accompany reservation.

**We want to be included in the
Temple Sholom Seder!**

Name _____

Phone #s _____

Adults _____ @ \$25 = _____

Adults _____ @ \$30 = _____

Family of 4 _____ @ \$60 = _____

Child(ren) _____ @ \$10 = _____

Total people _____ Total amount \$ _____

This year the seder is being catered because we do not have enough volunteers to help cook. But you can still help with setup and cleanup.

☐ I/We will help set up on Friday morning.

☐ Count me/us in on the Clean-up crew.

2018 Mitzvah Members

As is happening with most religious and service organizations across the country, Temple Sholom is experiencing a growing gap between income and expenses. To help toward closing the budget gap, Temple Sholom members are being asked to contribute, according to their ability, an additional amount above regular membership dues. Can you step forward to support the continued existence of Reform Judaism in Sullivan County?

The three levels of Mitzvah Membership are:

✦ *Platinum Level - additional \$500 above dues*

🎗️ *Gold Level - additional \$250 above dues*

♥️ *Silver Level - additional \$125 above dues*

✦ *Platinum* (500)

Martin & Lauren Miller (12/17)
David & Mary Jane Harris (10/17)
Maureen & Bob Velten (12/17)
David & Sheila Epstein (9/17)
Anonymous (11/17)

🎗️ *Gold* (250)

Phil & Paula Schroeder (12/17)
Bonnie & Jeffrey Kirsch (7/17)
Anonymous (8/17)
Judith Cutler (10/17)

♥️ *Silver* (125)

Anne Palley (8/17)
Sue & Don Horowitz (9/17)
Jerry & Lorraine Bogursky (10/17)
Sue & Ken Kantor (4/17)
Harriet Gottlieb (6/17)
Howard & Helene Perlman (8/17)
Jan Hirsch (8/17)

Mitzvah Membership listing in *The Harbinger* will appear the month following receipt of your donation and will continue to be listed for the following 12 months.

Consider making a tax deductible Mitzvah Membership donation any time during the year, as long as your membership dues are up to date.

Prefer to NOT have your name appear? You can be listed as

Anonymous

**If you are able, please
PAY YOUR FINANCIAL OBLIGATION
and BECOME A MITZVAH MEMBER.**

Specify: "Mitzvah Membership"

Mitzvah Membership donations are tax deductible.

**Give what you can, when you can.
It is deeply appreciated.**



There are other ways to support Temple Sholom **besides or in addition to** Mitzvah Membership.



Sponsor an oneg at Friday night services



Buy a Tree of Life to remember a milestone event (\$54)



Plant a Tree in Israel in honor of a family celebration/commemoration (\$18)



Think of the temple once a month and become a member of the Chai Club (\$18 or less)



Send a Golden Book message whenever the opportunity comes up (\$5)



Volunteer your time at temple events (\$0)

Golden Books

To **Rosemary Deitsch**, a complete, speedy and easy recovery.

*From: Maureen & Bob Velten,
Ellen, Jessica & Paul Nesin*

To **Dorothy Cohen**, speedy and easy recovery.

From: Ellen, Jessica & Paul Nesin

To **Michael Zalkin**, condolences on the loss of your beloved aunt, Seena Nelson.

*From: Temple Sholom President Neal Jacobs and
the Board of Trustees, Steve & Rabbi Medwin*

To **Bob Velten**, a complete, speedy and easy recovery.

*From: Ken & Sue Kantor, Temple Sholom President Neal
Jacobs and the Board of Trustees, Steve & Rabbi Medwin*

To **Jacky Rosen**, a complete, speedy and easy recovery.

*From: Temple Sholom President Neal Jacobs and
the Board of Trustees, Steve & Rabbi Medwin*

To **Gail Abramowitz**, a complete, speedy and easy recovery.

*From: Ken & Sue Kantor, Temple Sholom President Neal
Jacobs and the Board of Trustees, Steve & Rabbi Medwin*



In loving memory of Iris Susan

Certificate to:

Donor: Pete & Nancy Catalano

In loving memory of Irwin Goldfarb

Certificate to: Sheila & Lenny Goldfarb

Donor: Gail Abramowitz

Tribute Cards



GET WELL:

To Gail Meltzer:

Susan & Ken Kantor
Sue & Don Horowitz

CONDOLENCE:

To Mrs. Rita Krutchik & Family:

Ellen Nesin & Family

To Mr. & Mrs. Alvin Mintz:

Ellen Nesin & Family

To Mr. & Mrs. Michael Lewis & Family:

Ellen, Jessica, & Paul Nesin

To the Barnofsky Family:

Carolyn & Larry Richman

Think of Temple Sholom, once a month when your checkbook is out for other matters. Then, if you can, send us a small love donation, for no purpose other than to keep us here. Some months you might send \$18 (*hence the Chai*), some months less. Even what seems to be a small amount adds up. Take this opportunity to share in the good feeling of supporting our temple.



CURRENT MONTH DONOR(S):

Marcia Salton

Neal & Jane Jacobs

Happy Anniversary

February 2018

Dr. Gary & Gloria Garfield

Happy Birthday

February 2018

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|----|-------------------|
| 1 | Michael Hazelnis |
| 7 | Beth Leidner |
| 10 | Fran Greenfield |
| 12 | Michael Feinstein |
| 19 | Nancy Isseks |
| 24 | Marilyn Sperber |

Such an Easy Mitzvah

When you buy your groceries at the Monticello or Liberty or **ANY**  pay for your purchases with a *ShopRite* GIFT CARD bought from the TEMPLE SHOLOM OFFICE, and **5% is donated back to Temple Sholom.**

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THANK YOU for your GIFT of SERVICE

to Temple Sholom

- ☆ **Steve Plotkin** for the kiddush and holiday wines
- ☆ **Sue Kantor, & Judy Cutler** for the oneg setup and cleanup
- ☆ **Mary Jane Harris** for building and maintaining the website
- ☆ **Stephanie Phillips** for maintaining the facebook page
- ☆ **Sam & Honora Wohl** for maintaining our adopted exit
- ☆ **Sue Horowitz** for sending out the Yahrzeit reminder letters
- ☆ **Rosemary Heins** for sending out the birthday cards
- ☆ **Shain Fishman** for creating the monthly Harbinger
- ☆ Harbinger proofreaders: **David Harris, Mary Jane Harris, Stephanie Phillips, Rabbi Medwin**
- ☆ **Anne Palley** for monthly labeling and folding the Harbinger, and for helping in the office when needed.
- ☆ **President Neal Jacobs** and **Board Member Howard Perlman** (*our handymen*) who are at the temple every Wednesday doing all the small (and not so small) jobs required to maintain our 60-year-old building.

Every month the **Board of Trustees** meets to evaluate and address whatever is necessary to ensure that Temple Sholom continues to be a vibrant part of the Jewish community in Sullivan County.

The Board takes up issues or concerns that are raised by board members or by congregation members. All stakeholders of Temple Sholom are encouraged to attend board meetings. If you have any questions or concerns or suggestions you should feel free to bring them to the Board.
[February 20 & March 20 at 6:30 PM]

To keep the congregation up to date on the workings behind the scenes, selected parts of the board meeting minutes will be presented in *The Harbinger*.

Nothing to report from Dec or Jan meeting.

NOTE: Are you interested in joining the Board of Trustees? Do you know someone you'd like to nominate to be a board member? Let the office know.

SHOLOM JEWISH UNIVERSITY

Sholom Jewish University – Spring 2018/5778
Temple Sholom, 5 E. Dillon Rd. Monticello, NY

templesholom1954@gmail.com

All classes are open to the community.
Please tell your friends and neighbors.

Tuition - The cost is \$36 per course per semester for Temple members and \$54 per course per semester for non-Temple members. Scholarships are available for those who cannot afford the full cost of the classes. Please contact Rabbi Medwin regarding scholarships. (rabbimedwin@me.com) Registration forms are available at Temple Sholom or on the website - <http://www.templesholomny.org>.

Early registration deadline is February 15.

Out of town for the winter – You can still participate in Rabbi Medwin's classes via Zoom on the Internet. Check off the box on the registration form and you will be given information how to join the class. You will be able to join in on discussions.

Please return this form to the Temple office **as soon as possible but no later than February 15** to avoid the registration fee. This will help us plan for the semester.

Name _____ Email _____

Address _____ CSZ _____

To reach you for alerts and/or cancellations:

Primary phone _____ Alternative phone _____

* COURSE DESCRIPTIONS ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES

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1. Essay on Ethics

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2. One People Two Worlds

MEMBER of Temple Sholom in good standing:

☐ 1 class - \$36;

☐ 2 classes – \$72

NON-MEMBER:

☐ 1 class – \$54;

☐ 2 classes – \$108

☐

I would like to participate in long-distance learning through Zoom. Please send me the information needed.



Registration Fee \$5.00 (Please add this to your class payment.)

(This fee is waived if registration form and payment are at the temple office by Feb 15.)

I am enclosing a check for \$ _____ made out to **“Temple Sholom”** with **“Sholom University”** written in the memo line. **Temple Sholom, P.O. Box 664, Monticello, NY 12701**

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Classes will be on Tuesdays. Classes start Tuesday, March 6, 2018.

1. ***Essays on Ethics: Weekly Reading of the Jewish Bible*** - Taught by Rabbi Medwin
Tuesdays, Noon-1:15 PM We continue where we left off last semester. No previous experience is necessary. *Even if you were not present for the Fall semester, you will be able to follow along.*

No religion has held a higher view of humanity than the Torah, which tells us we are each in the image and likeness of God. Yet, none has been more honest about the failings of even the greatest. God does not ask us to be perfect. He asks us, instead, to take the risks in pursuit of the right and the good, and to acknowledge the mistakes we will inevitably make. We will be using the book, ***Essays on Ethics: Weekly Reading of the Jewish Bible*** by Rabbi Jonathan Sacks to learn about the ethics taught in the Torah. This fall we will concentrate on the book of Exodus, covering the following topics: on not obeying immoral orders, free will, telling the story, the face of evil, the structure of the good society, healing the heart of darkness, the labor of gratitude, the ethics of holiness, can there be compassion without justice, the spirit of community, integrity in public life.

2. ***One People Two Worlds: A Reform and an Orthodox Rabbi Explore the Issues that Divide Them*** - Taught by Rabbi Medwin
Tuesdays, 1:30-2:45 PM We continue where we left off last semester. No previous experience is necessary. *Even if you were not present for the Fall semester, you will be able to follow along.*

After being introduced by a mutual friend, these two rabbis embarked on an unprecedented 18-month e-mail correspondence on the fundamental principals of Jewish faith and practice. What results is an honest, intelligent, no-holds-barred discussion of issues on which Reform and Orthodox differ including the existence of a Supreme Being, the origins and authenticity of the Bible, and the Oral Law, the role of women, assimilation, the value of secular culture, and Israel. Learn about these differences and where you fit in personally with your own beliefs. We will be using the book, ***One People Two Worlds***, by Ammiel Hirsch and Yosef Reinman. *(There are several used hard-back books in good condition on Amazon.com or in paperback from Amazon or Barnes and Noble.)*

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL NEWS

The religious school students had fun making Chanukah cookies and dreidles out of marshmallows, pretzels and icing.
It was messy and fun for all.



Religious School Calendar 5778 2017 -2018

(Subject to change based on Public School Calendar changes)

SNOW DAY CLOSINGS - We follow the **Monticello School District** schedule. If the schools are closed, if the students are sent home early, or if after school activities are canceled due to weather, we will **NOT** have religious school on that day. Please check the radio or the school website. Sign up on the Monticello School District website and get notified by email. You can call the temple office 794-8731 or Lauren Miller: 845-794-3962 or 914-799-1424. Classes are 4:00-5:45 PM.

FEBRUARY 2018

Feb 9 Religious School helps lead service (SNOW DAY Feb 23)
Feb 27 Purim in class

MARCH 2018

March 27 & 29 No Religious School, spring break

APRIL 2018

April 3 & 5 No Religious School, Passover
April 27 Religious School helps lead service

MAY 2018

May 1, 3 & 8 Lag B'Omer, Yom Hashoa, Yom Ha'azma'ut -- in-class programs
May 11 (Fri) Last Day Religious School – Party in class

JUNE 2018

June 2 Michael Feltman's Bar Mitzvah

Macy Miros was among the students that helped Rabbi Medwin lead services. Lauren Miller is very proud of all her students.



MARCH 2018 - ADAR / NISSAN 5778

MARCH Snack & Schmooze:

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11 Daylight Savings Time Begins	12	13	14	15	16 Snack & Schmooze 5:30 Shabbat Services 6:00 Candle lighting 6:48	17 Vayikra
18	19	20 Board of Trustees meeting 6:30 PM	21 Deadline to register for TS FIRST NIGHT SEDER	22	23 Snack & Schmooze 5:30 Shabbat Services 6:00 Candle lighting 6:56	24 Tzav
25	26	27 NO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	28	29 NO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	30 FIRST NIGHT SEDER at TEMPLE SHOLOM 6 PM Candle lighting 7:04	



IN MEMORY - YAHRZEIT WILL BE READ ON:

Feb 2nd - Matylda Friedova*, Isaac Horowitz, Ida Sherman, Sarah Feldberg, Emil Peto, Lew Wohl, Irene Meyers, Gertrude Steiner, Ruth Kahn, Pearl Sperber, Frances Rivkin-Kravetz, Violet Salton, Frank Burday, Robert Loewinger, Martin Schwartz, Nettie Schulman, Doris Behr Friedman, Celia Moss, Alexander Nesin, Elsie Raiten

Feb 9th - Bennie Hoffer, Claire Gitlin, Artur Singer*, Anna Sandova*, Irma Singerova*, Otilie Kohnova*, Robert Kohn*, Vera Singerova*, Zuzana Singerova*, Lila Frankel, Milton E. Goldenberg, Charlotte Miller, Joseph Ecker, Bluma Harmin, Eva Stein Blotnick, Abraham Sherman, Deborah Harris

Feb 16th - Lew Greenfield, Benjamin Nedwin, Mac Kinsbruner, Carol A. Rosengard, Jessica Migdalof, Leonard Mace, Jerry Sash, Samuel Jarcho, Isaac Kaplan, Rebecca Seidler, Max Steier, Marie Miletich Derkacz, Samuel Salzman, Samuel Schroeder, Calmore Turner, Robert Bader, Jana Voglova*, Benjamin Brand, Gittel Yitzchak Wagmeister

Feb 23rd - Milton Werner, Robynne Malman, Julius Thaler, Emanuel Klein, Abraham Schulman, Anne Lutsky, Jerry Rosenberg, Stella Fishman, Stanley Schwartz, Paul Lazar*, Jack Silverstein, Isadore Rosman, Rose Kaplow Abraham, Bertha Herman, Ada Freed, Marsha Morganstein Howell, Alvin Sodell

* Holocaust Victims from Pisek and perished in Terezin

Donations to the YAHRZEIT FUND

In Loving Memory of the Following:

Milton E. Goldenberg by Maureen & Bob Velten
Lottie Elfenbaum by Sue & Ken Kantor
Fred Pasternack by Reva Miller
Thera Klingman by Wayne Klingman
Thera Klingman by Ellen, Jessica & Paul Nesin
Mae Roth by Jessica & Dr. Paul Jones
Eva Jones by Jessica & Dr. Paul Jones
Lew Wohl by Honora & Sam Wohl
Bluma Harmin by Lou Harmin
Bella Berger by Sylvia Schwartz & Steven
Alexander Nesin by Ellen, Jessica & Paul Nesin
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6:00 PM Shabbat Services



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FEBRUARY 2018:

Fri 9 Religious school helps rabbi lead services
Tue 27 Religious school Purim festival
Wed 28 Erev Purim

MARCH 2018:

Thu 1 PURIM
Fri 2 Congregation Purim festival (*see p. 4*)
Wed 21 Deadline to reserve your seat(s) at the FIRST NIGHT SEDER
Tue 27 No religious school - SPRING BREAK
Thu 29 No religious school - SPRING BREAK
Fri 30 PASSOVER - Temple Sholom FIRST NIGHT SEDER

PASSOVER: March 30 - April 7, 2018

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