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Harbinger

For Wisdom during U.S. Presidential Elections

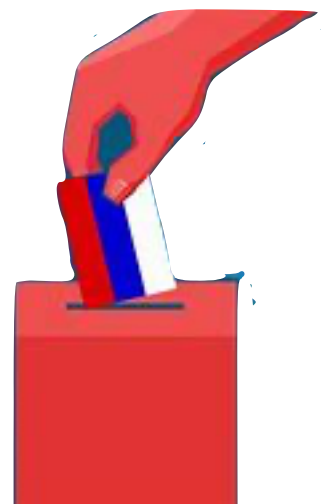
God of Justice,
 Protector and Redeemer,
 Grant guidance to our nation
 As we select leaders,
 Senators, Congresspersons and a President,
 The men and women who promise
 To uphold the Constitution,
 To uphold our values,
 To serve and to govern,
 To bring prosperity to our land,
 To protect our homes and secure our future.



Grant wisdom and courage to voters
 To select a visionary President
 And steadfast leaders,
 People who will serve our citizens,
 And all who reside within our borders,
 With honor and integrity
 To forge a flourishing and peaceful future.
 Bless our future President with
 Wisdom and strength,
 Fortitude and insight,
 Balanced by a deep humanity
 And a love of peace,
 Leading us to a time
 When liberty and equality will
 Reign supreme throughout the land.



God of Truth,
 Source and Shelter,
 Grant safety and security to all nations,
 So that truth and harmony will resound
 From the four corners of the earth.
 Let the light of our U.S. democracy
 Shine brightly,
 A beacon of hope
 For every land and every people.



From the Rabbi...

Remembering to Give Thanks



As we slog through the days and months of COVID, there are certain times in which we feel the challenges a little more acutely. For me, it is those times that we usually spend with family and friends. Just as with many of the holidays since March, Thanksgiving will be one of those holidays when it is safer and wiser to be alone, as hard as that will be.

Yet, Judaism is a religion that is about living. We say “l’chayim – to life” when we offer a toast. The *Modim* prayer is part of our liturgy, and is recited every day, at every service:

“We acknowledge with thanks that You are Adonai, our God, and the God of our ancestors... We thank and praise You for our lives which are in Your hand, for our souls which are in Your care, for Your miracles that we experience every day...evening, morning, and noon.”

Our lives, no matter how challenging they are, are always enriched when we take time to appreciate what we DO have, rather than focus on what we don’t. Certainly, during COVID, we are grateful for modern technology which enables us to “be with” our friends and family on Zoom, Facebook, Skype, Google Hangouts, etc. We can still “be with” friends and family through technology for Thanksgiving dinner, while remaining safe. There are many other small things that we take may take for granted. Let’s make the month of November, a month of giving thanks. We can start each day with a Jewish prayer that is part of the morning blessings:

“Modeh/Modah ani lef’anecha – I offer thanks to You, ever-living Sovereign, that You have restored my soul to me in mercy.”

Then offer thanks for at least one thing in your life that you are thankful for. At night, before going to bed, reflect on at least one thing that happened during the day for which you can offer thanks to God.

Rabbi Michele Brand Medwin, D.Min.

Shabbat Services

via ZOOM

start 7:30 PM

**Zoom in 30 minutes early
to schmooze a bit with
other zoomers.**

Chanukah Greetings in The Harbinger.

Names will appear in the December Harbinger

**Mail this form with your \$18 check to
Temple Sholom, P.O. Box 664, Monticello, NY 12701**

Your name as you wish it to appear:

X _____

YOU CAN STILL ZOOM IN!
Contact Rabbi Medwin
for Zoom link.

Sholom Jewish University – Fall 2020 / 5781
Temple Sholom, Monticello, NY

ALL CLASSES WILL BE ON ZOOM

**October 6 - December 8, 2020 [9 classes - NO classes on Election Day, November 3
Taught by Rabbi Michele B. Medwin, D. Min.**

Tuition - The cost is \$36 per course per semester for temple members and \$54 per course per semester for non-Temple members. (The Jewish TV Series consists of Part 1 and Part 2. The tuition is \$18 for each part.) Scholarships are available for those who cannot afford the full cost of the classes. Please contact Rabbi Medwin regarding scholarships. (rabbimedwin@me.com)

1. Back to Basics: Torah Study from the Beginning

Tuesdays, Noon-1:15 PM October 6 - December 8, 2020

We start from the beginning of the Torah, read verse by verse and discuss the various ideas and concepts that come up. We will use *The Torah's Seventy Faces: Commentaries on the Weekly Sidrah* by Simcha Raz to supplement and add a spiritual dimension to our understanding of the texts. **Please purchase this book**, available on Amazon or authorhouse.com. You are welcome to bring any Torah commentary you have to add to the discussion.

The Torah's Seventy Faces: Commentaries on the Weekly Sidrah Compiled by Simcha Raz. The weekly Torah portions have served throughout history as a treasure for teaching and preaching, for law and lore, for discussion and dialog. In each portion, one finds viewpoints and background which elevate the soul, give a sense of awe and wonder, spark encouragement in times of crisis, and motivate creativity and human action. Pearls of wisdom, ethical lessons, parables, wise proverbs, and tales of parents and children: it is all there. Our task in this collection of commentaries was to assemble a selection of these treasures, and to present to the reader choice nuggets from these hewn stones. Among the selections are sources from ancient rabbis, Talmudic scholars, and masters of the Midrash, as well as teachers from all periods of our history - biblical commentators, Hasidic saints, pious educators and purveyors of ethical tales.

2. Jewish TV Series about Orthodox Communities (Register for Part 1 and/or Part 2)

Tuesdays, 1:30-2:45 PM

Part 1: Unorthodox – TV Miniseries in 4 Parts [October 6 - 27]. We view & discuss.

A young Hasidic woman's flight from her marriage and community makes for a modern-day period piece with a striking star performance. What unfolds is a story of personal discovery with the intensity of a spy thriller. Esty's escape is only part of the story of "Unorthodox," based on the memoir of the same name by Deborah Feldman. The bigger and more captivating question is why she left and what she was fleeing. "Unorthodox" is, unambiguously, the story of a woman's escape from a society that she finds suffocating and unsustainable. But it extends its curiosity and understanding to those who find Hasidic isolationism to be a refuge from a world that has continually been hostile to Jews.

Part 2: Shtisel – Israeli TV Series – Season 2: Episodes 8-12 [Nov 10 - Dec 8]

Tuesdays, 1:30-2:45 PM

Debuted in Israel in 2013, the show won immediate attention. This satirical drama follows the concerns of a Haredi (ultra-orthodox) Jewish family living in Israel. Filmed in Jerusalem, the show brings us physically into Israeli life in this magical but everyday city. As we get to know the family members, we learn how each family member explores his or her own path through the joys and challenges of being part of the Orthodox community in a modern society. The characters are fascinating and unique, and they challenge us to understand the world they live in. You can't help but fall in love with the stories of the family members as they experience life. The show is in Hebrew and Yiddish, with English subtitles.

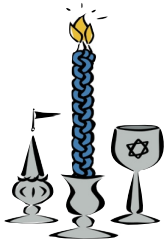
Our group has been watching the series since last fall. If you would like to join us, you can catch up by watching those episodes on Netflix. (Season 1 and Season 2 episodes 1-7)

They are currently in production for season 3. Hopefully it will be ready by our spring semester, but COVID had delayed their start.

Temple Sholom Zoom Chanukah Trivia Party

Saturday, December 12, 2020, 7:00 PM

Join us for a fun evening of —



Havdalah, Chanukah candle lighting, and Jewish Trivia!

Registration Fee - \$18 per person / Deadline December 1

We will start with schmoozing, Havdalah service, and then Chanukah candle blessings. “Quizzia Publess Pub Trivia” will then lead us in a game of Jewish Trivia on Zoom. We will break up into small teams so we can get a chance to meet new people or get to know others better. After a question is read, the team will have a few minutes to discuss things by themselves. Not necessary to have a deep knowledge of Judaism. The quizmaster evens out the playing field!

BYOL

(Bring your own latkes!)

BYOM

(Bring your own Menorah!)

This is a fundraiser for Temple Sholom. You must be registered to attend this event. There will be a separate Zoom link for this program. Please fill in the registration form and mail it with a check to Temple Sholom.

Zoom Chanukah Trivia Party — Saturday, December 12, 2020, 7:00 PM

\$18 per person — Please have your registration form in the office by December 1.

Name of participant 1. _____

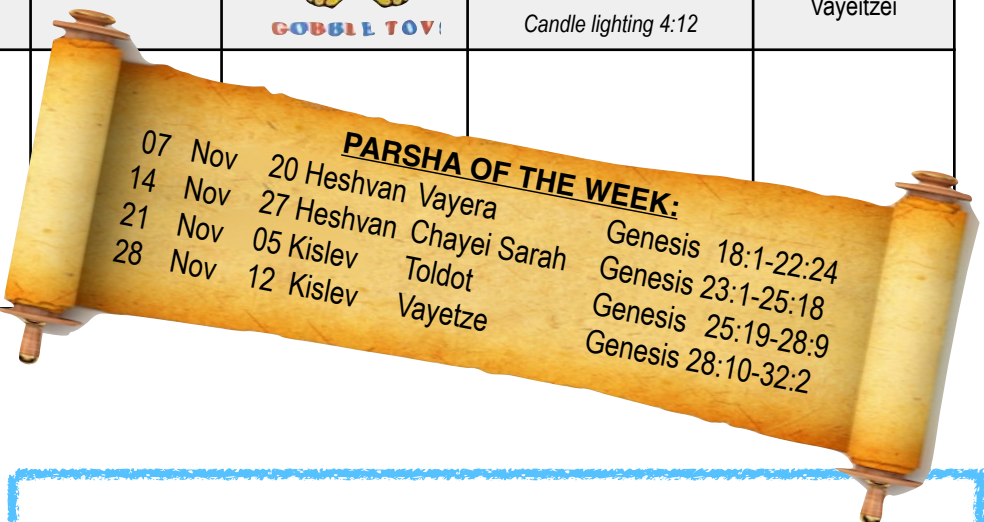
Additional participant names: _____

E-mail to send the link to (please print neatly): _____

Enclosed is a check for \$ _____, \$18 per person, to register for the Chanukah Zoom Trivia Party.

Please mail this form and check to: Temple Sholom, P.O. Box 664, Monticello, NY 12701

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 	2	3 Election Day: NO CLASSES TODAY	4	5	6 Shabbat Services 7:30 (via ZOOM) Candle lighting 4:28	7 Vayeira
8	9	10 SHOLOM UNIV	11 Veterans' Day OFFICE CLOSED	12	13 Shabbat Services 7:30 (via ZOOM) Candle lighting 4:21	14 Chayei Sarah
15	16	17 SHOLOM UNIV	18	19	20 Shabbat Services 7:30 (via ZOOM) Candle lighting 4:16	21 Toldot
22	23	24 SHOLOM UNIV	25	26 	27 Shabbat Services 7:30 (via ZOOM) Candle lighting 4:12	28 Vayeitzei
29	30					



Virtual ONEG SHABBAT sponsors:

NOV 6: Joan Rosenfelt in memory of her mother's birthday
NOV 13: Lauren & Marty Miller in honor of Lauren's birthday
NOV 20: Gail Abramowitz in honor of Marion Schaal's birthday
NOV 27: Jack & Sandy Cohen in honor of their 50th anniversary

ONEG עונג
SHABBAT שבת

You can do a mitzvah by being a
Virtual Oneg Shabbat Sponsor.

Pick a Shabbat you would like to
"Virtually Sponsor."

See page 9 for instructions on how to sponsor a Virtual Oneg Shabbat.

Mitzvah Cards

To **Isaac & Caroline Sonnet-Assor**, thank you both for enhancing our High Holy Day Services, with your beautiful voice and instrument playing.

From: Sue & Ken Kantor, Gail Abramowitz, Bonnie & Jeffrey Kirsch, Maureen & Bob Velten, Marcia Salton, Temple President Neal Jacobs & Jane, Temple Sholom Board of Trustees, Phil & Paula Schroeder, Sue & Don Horowitz, Judy Cutler, Lauren & Marty Miller

To **Jessica Nesin**, thank you for the beautiful music during the High Holy Days.

From: Marty & Lauren Miller. Temple President Neal Jacobs & Jane

To **Mimi & Gary Werner**, in honor of your grandson, Jacob Dougherty's Bar Mitzvah.

From: Lauren & Marty Miller

To **The Gottlieb Family**, in loving memory of your beloved mother, Harriet Gottlieb.

From: Judy Cutler, Sue & Ken Kantor, Sylvia Schwartz, Rabbi Medwin & Steve, Temple President Neal Jacobs & Jane, Temple Sholom Board of Trustees

To **Marsha Kerner & Family**, in memory of beloved mother, Ida Drucker.

From: Mary Jane Harris

Happy birthday to **Steph & Rodell**. Hope you can celebrate together very soon. *Love, Marcia*

To **Rabbi Medwin & Steve**, thank you both for the beautiful High Holy Days Services on Zoom, with a feeling that we were together at Temple.

Love, Lauren & Marty Miller

Golden Book

To **Rabbi Medwin**, thank you for the wonderful and meaningful High Holy Days Services.

From: Sue & Ken Kantor

To **Steve Medwin**, for his photography during Zoom services and the High Holy Days.

From: Ken & Sue Kantor

To **Dan Medwin** for his Shofar blowing.

From: Ken & Sue Kantor

To **Liz Faranda** for her beautiful participation during the High Holy Days.

From: Ken & Sue Kantor

To **Jessica Nesin**, as always, your beautiful participation is always enjoyable.

From: Ken & Sue Kantor

To **Marsha Kerner & Family**, in memory of beloved mother, Ida Drucker.

From: Gail Abramowitz, Mary Jane Harris

Thank you for your donation:

Lauren & Marty Miller
to the David Harris Memorial Fund



**In memory of your beloved mother,
Harriet Gottlieb.**

*Certificate to: Steven Gottlieb & Family
Donor: Maureen & Bob Velten*

November Anniversary

28 Paul & Sheryl Manz



November

3 Rita Kaplow
12 Ruby Shulman
16 Paul Jones
17 Harriet Sticco
20 Bonnie Mitzner
22 Jeffrey Kirsch

GIFTS of SERVICE to Temple Sholom

- ★ **Steve Plotkin** for the kiddush and holiday wines
- ★ **Sue Kantor** for the oneg setup and cleanup
- ★ **Mary Jane Harris** for building and maintaining the website
- ★ **Stephanie Phillips** for maintaining the facebook page
- ★ **Rick Stein, Ellen Nesin, Stephanie Phillips, Howard Perlman, Gail Abramowitz** for maintaining our adopted exit
- ★ **Sue Horowitz** for sending out the Yahrzeit reminder letters
- ★ **Anne Palley** for sending out the birthday cards
- ★ **Shain Fishman** for creating the monthly Harbinger
- ★ Harbinger proofreaders: **Mary Jane Harris, Susan Kantor, Rabbi Medwin, Lauren Miller, Stephanie Phillips, Paula Schroeder, Jane Jacobs, Ira Simon**
- ★ **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 66-year-old building.

Many ways to support Temple Sholom

- ★ *Sponsor an oneg at Friday night services*
- ★ *Tree of Life highlights 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 (\$5)*
- ★ *Send a Tribute Card (\$10)*
- ★ *Volunteer your time at temple events (\$0)*

2020 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 of Mitzvah Membership are:

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

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

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

✦ Platinum (500)

Anonymous (3/20)
Paula & Phil Schroeder (3/20)
Lauren & Marty Miller (7/20)
Maureen & Bob Velten (8/20)
Jan Hirsch (9/20)
David & Sheila Epstein (10/20)
Mary Jane Harris (10/20)

🎀 Gold (250)

Jerry & Lorraine Bogursky (10/19)
Bonnie & Jeffrey Kirsch (8/20)
Anne Palley (8/20)
Sue & Don Horowitz (10/20)
Judith Cutler (10/20)

♥ Silver (125)

Carole & Hal Abrams (10/19)
Anonymous (10/19)
Helene & Howard Perlman (10/19)
Gary Beckerman (10/19)
Gail Abramowitz (10/19)
Sue & Ken Kantor (4/20)
Neal & Jane Jacobs (10/20)

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.

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

Specify: "Mitzvah Membership"

Mitzvah Membership donations are tax deductible.

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Allan Gottlieb & Family (11/19)
Arlene & Fred Zilker (2/20)
Marc & Judy Hudes (6/20)

Gold Donors

Judy & Don Desatnick (10/19)
Charles A. Kerner (10/19)
David & Susan Hershkowitz (10/19)
Linda Kleinman (7/20)
Jonathan Farrow & Family (10/20)

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IF YOU ENTER THE BUILDING ...

Please wear a mask.



Entry with appointment only.
Ring the bell. You will be buzzed
in.

When in the temple, please maintain the
socially distant guideline of 6 feet away.

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Committees

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ONEG ענג
SHABBAT שבת

***Oneg Shabbat* means, “The
Joy of Shabbat.”**

Even though we cannot get together at
the synagogue, we do gather together
every Shabbat on Zoom. Getting together
brings us great joy!

Because of the pandemic, funds will be
tighter. You can do a mitzvah by being a
Virtual Oneg Shabbat Sponsor. Pick a
Shabbat you would like to “**Virtually**”
Sponsor.

Send an e-mail to Rabbi Medwin
(rabbimedwin@me.com) and tell her
which Shabbat you will sponsor and if you
have a specific reason: birthday,
anniversary, in memory of, in honor of, to
celebrate Shabbat, to support the temple,
etc. If you provide a picture of the person
or event that you are honoring, the rabbi
will share it with the congregation during
the service.

Send a donation check to:
Temple Sholom, PO Box 664, Monticello,
NY 12701

Write “**Virtual Oneg Shabbat**”
in the memo line.

The email sent to temple members the
week of your oneg will recognize you as
the sponsor and you will be acknowledged
during the service.

Is your friend sponsoring an oneg? You
can make a donation to the temple in his
or her honor.

IN MEMORY - Yahrzeit Will Be Read On:

November 6: Max Fried, *Egon Platovsky, Samuel Bernard Rosen, Sarah Jacobs, Joseph Sarowitz, Celia Galant, Israel Wyde, Lesroy A. Millett, Harry R. Green, Rhoda Barnofsky, Irving Steinberg, George Kellerman, Joan Rita Shaw, Daniel Mark Rosenfelt, Wallace Berkowitz, Betty Chodos

November 13: Dr. Bernard Lauterstein, Eleanor Kannert, Jack Elias, Harry Weinberg, Mollie Drew, Beatrice Isseks, Ernest Jacobs, Hal Wrobel, Kip Morganstein, Robert B. Green, Helen Fox, Evelyn Richman, William 'Billy' Goldsmith, Max Savetsky

November 20: Clarice Rose Jacobs, Charlotte Leidner, Lloyd Wagner, Seena Nelson, Berice Millett, Lucy Benjamin, Craig Bryan Seidler, Freddy Jay Chance, Lena Cosentino, Dr. Robert Stuzin, Harry Cohen

November 27: Albert Kannert, Bebe Holtzman, Dora Fried, Joan Rubin, Samuel Schneider, Sandford Horowitz, Rebecca Mckay, Archie Morganstein, Morris Turetsky, Esther Prince, *Bedrich Neumann, *Ema Neumannova, *Irene Kafkova, *Jana Frohlichova, *Jiri Kafka, *Karel Neumann, *Karolina Fuchsova, *Karolina Sirkova, *Marie Neumannova, Judith Raiten, *Max Kafka, *Vlasta Kafkova, *Zofie Weisskopfova, Irving Isseks

**Holocaust victims from Pisek and perished in Terezin*



Donations to the Yahrzeit Fund

In Loving Memory of the Following:

Warren Miller by Marcia Salton

Abraham Lubliner by Harriet, Frank and Zachary Sticco

Hal Wrobel by Shain Fishman & Family



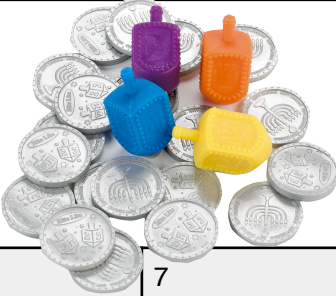

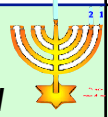




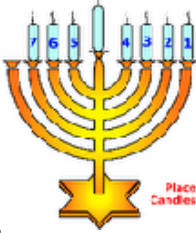

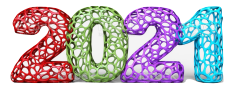
REMEMBER TEMPLE SHOLOM IN YOUR WILL

Bequests of all sizes are an important source of financial support for Temple Sholom, providing funds for temple programs, subsidizing membership, religious school scholarships, major maintenance of the building, and much more.

There are many ways you can make such a contribution to the temple in your will. You can specify a specific amount, a percentage of your estate, a special fund, or the general fund. Together, you and your advisors should decide what best suits your individual circumstances.

Thank you from our members, students, and the community who will benefit from your thoughtfulness in the future. We recommend you always consult your legal and/or financial advisor when providing for such a gift.

DECEMBER 2020 - KISLEV / TEVET 5781

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 SHOLOM UNIV	2	3	4 Shabbat Services 7:30 (via ZOOM) Candle lighting 4:08	5 Vayishlach
6	7	8 SHOLOM UNIV	9	10  1st NIGHT	11  CHANUKAH Shabbat Services 7:30 (via ZOOM) Candle lighting 4:08	12  Zoom Chanukah Trivia Party Vayeshev
13 	14 	15 	16 	17 	18 Shabbat Services 7:30 (via ZOOM) Candle lighting 4:10	19 Miketz
20	21	22	23	24	25 Shabbat Services 7:30 (via ZOOM) Candle lighting 4:14	26 Vayigash
27	28	29	30	31 New Years Eve		

PARSHA OF THE WEEK:

05 December	19 Kislev	Vayishlach	Genesis 32:3-36:43
12 December	26 Kislev	Vayeshev	Genesis 37:1-40:23
19 December	04 Tevet	Miketz	Genesis 41:1-44:17
26 December	11 Tevet	Vayigash	Genesis 44:18-47:27

Virtual ONEG SHABBAT sponsors:

DECEMBER 4: Sponsor needed
DECEMBER 11: Sponsor needed
DECEMBER 18: Sponsor needed
DECEMBER 25: Sponsor needed

PREPARING FOR CHANUKAH IN THE TIME OF COVID

Not getting out as much as we once did, we may be looking for healthier food options to stay fit. This baked potato latkes recipe is a healthy take on a classic Jewish recipe. Chef Katie Simmons has swapped out the eggs and flour for a gluten-free, vegan alternative. Serve with applesauce.

Baked Potato Latkes (Gluten-free) By Chef Katie Simmons

Yield: 16 latkes

Preheat oven to 425° F.

INGREDIENTS

- 2 russet potatoes
- 1 medium onion
- 1/4 cup chickpea flour
- 1/2 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt



TO MAKE THE LATKES

- Peel and quarter the potatoes and onion. Set up the large hole opening on a food processor slicing blade. You can also use a hand grater.
- Feed the onions and potatoes through the food processor.
- Transfer the shredded onion and potato to a clean kitchen towel, set up over a colander. Squeeze the onion potato mixture to get out as much of the moisture as you can. Discard these juices.
- Transfer the squeezed onion potato mixture to a mixing bowl. Add the chickpea flour, garlic powder, baking powder, and salt. Use your hands to mix well.
- Line a large sheet pan with a non-stick baking mat or spray lightly with oil. Portion about 1/4 cup of the potato onion mixture for each latke. Flatten with your hands. This should make about 15-16 latkes.

TO BAKE THE LATKES

- Bake at 425° for 25 minutes (30 minutes if using a non-stick baking mat). Flip after the first 15 minutes (20 for a non-stick baking mat).
- Serve immediately with applesauce.

CHEF KATIE SIMMONS' TIPS

- To keep these oil-free, use a nonstick baking mat. It will take 5 more minutes to bake, but it will cut the calories significantly.
- Make a double-batch of these. After baking them in the oven, store extra in an air-tight container (or wrap in foil) in your freezer. When you're hungry, pop right into a 425°F oven for 10-12 minutes, until warm in the center.

Classically-trained Chef Katie Simmons is a personal chef in Chicago. Her journey to cooking has been a winding path from Kentucky to backpacking in New Zealand through culinary school at Kendall College and working for Whole Foods Market. Her own frustrations of being an overweight fitness professional finally led her to embrace a plant-based, vegan diet.

Source: <https://reformjudaism.org/reform-jewish-life/food-recipes/baked-potato-latkes-gluten-free>

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Keep your gift card with your cash or credit cards so you can use it every time you go grocery shopping.

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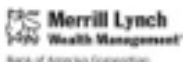
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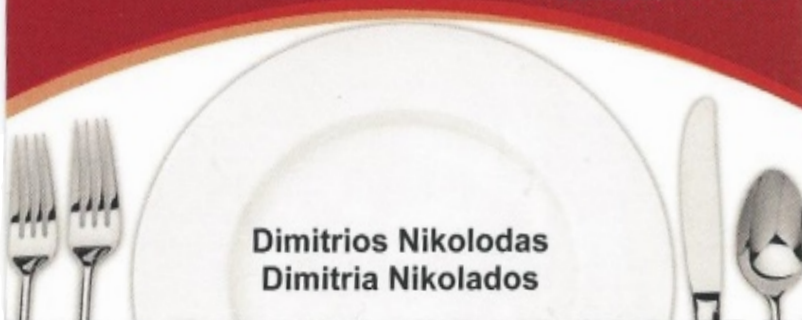
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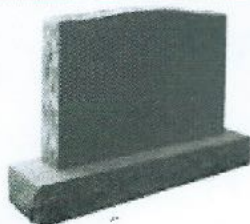
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