

When Pigs Fly Kosher BBQ Cook-off and Festival



Sunday, May 19th
11am-3pm

Temple Beth-El
2179 Highland Avenue South

Featuring Music By
Bobby Key Band • Peanut & Mother May I

NEW THIS YEAR:

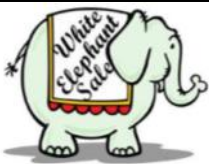
Bull Riding • Pulled Chicken & Brisket Plates

Event proceeds will support educational and social enrichment for Temple Beth-El youth

- Kosher BBQ Contest
- Live Entertainment
- Pickle Eating Contest
- Kids Zone
- Great Food and More!
- Celebrity Judges
- White Elephant Sale

For more information,
visit www.WhenPigsFlyKosherBBQ.com

Check the insert inside for more information!



White Elephant Sale: Donate & Shop

Friday, May 17th and Sunday, May 19th
9:00am-2:00pm

This “don’t miss” event will be held in the Yellow House next door to TBE, and is open to the entire Birmingham community. Shop for collectibles, antiques, housewares, books, toys, sports equipment, etc.

Please bring all donations (we are taking nearly everything and will donate anything we cannot use) to the TBE office during office hours. To donate or volunteer, please contact Judy Cullinan at 205-969-3278 or judyriva@aol.com.

Religious Service Schedule**May 2013**

May 3	Erev Shabbat Services	5:45 pm
	Candle lighting	7:13 pm
May 4	Saturday morning	9:30 am
	Parshat B'har-B'hukotai	
	<i>Maftir: Naomi Ivker</i>	
	Shabbat Mincha	5:30 pm
May 10	Erev Shabbat Services	5:45 pm
	Teacher Appreciation Shabbat	
	Candle lighting	7:18 pm
May 11	Saturday morning	9:30 am
	Confirmation	
	Parshat B'midbar	
	<i>Maftir: Confirmation Students</i>	
	Shabbat Mincha	5:30 pm
May 14	Erev Shavuot Services	5:30 pm
	Candle lighting	7:21 pm
May 15	Shavuot 1st Day	9:30 am
	<i>Maftir: Robin Benjamin</i>	
	Mincha	5:30 pm
May 16	Shavuot 2nd Day/Yizkor	9:30 am
	<i>Maftir: Eph Mazer</i>	
	Mincha	5:30 pm
May 17	Erev Shabbat Services	5:45 pm
	Candle lighting	7:24 pm
May 18	Saturday morning	9:30 am
	Parshat Naso	
	<i>Maftir: Barry Dreayer</i>	
	Shabbat Mincha	5:30 pm
May 24	Erev Shabbat Services	5:45 pm
	Candle lighting	7:29 pm
May 25	Saturday morning	9:30 am
	Parshat B'ha'alotekha	
	<i>Maftir: Michael Goldstein</i>	
	Shabbat Mincha	5:30 pm
May 31	Erev Shabbat Services	5:45 pm
	Candle lighting	7:33 pm
June 1	Saturday morning	9:30 am
	Clergy Appreciation Shabbat	
	Parshat Shelah-Lekha	
	<i>Maftir: Gabe Ivker</i>	
	Shabbat Mincha	5:30 pm
June 7	Erev Shabbat Services	5:45 pm
	Candle lighting	7:37 pm
June 8	Saturday morning	9:30 am
	Parshat Korah	
	<i>Maftir: Sharon Kahn</i>	
	Shabbat Mincha	5:30 pm

Weekday Service Schedule

Daily Morning Minyan	7:00 am
Sundays & Secular Holidays	8:00 am
Daily Afternoon Minyan	5:30 pm
Saturday Afternoon Mincha	5:30 pm

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Message From Our Rabbinic Search Committee—*from April 17th email*

Dear Congregants,

In our efforts to keep you informed about the rabbinic search process, we are apprising you of the fact that Rabbi Scott Rosenberg, who last month visited us as a candidate to be our next rabbi, has informed us that he has decided to move forward with discussions at another congregation. He assured us that the driving force behind his decision was the proximity of the other congregation to his family in the northeast. Our conversations with Rabbi Rosenberg never reached the stage of discussing compensation.

So the Search Committee is moving forward with more interviews, beginning this week. We are seeking a waiver from the Rabbinical Assembly, which is the international association of Conservative rabbis, to allow us to interview rabbis who are not part of the RA. This will open up the pool of candidates. We will also explore an interim rabbi option.

One door closes...another door opens. Your Rabbinic Search Committee, such a devoted group of TBE members, are fully committed to continuing the process in order to find the right fit for Temple Beth-El! We appreciate your continued support of this process.

Steven Corenblum, Chair, Rabbi Search Committee
Micky Rubenstein, Co-Chair
Arlene Fisher, President

Your Temple: A “Sanctuary” For All Ages and Activities

- Temple Beth-El’s Congregational Spaces are available for quiet study or small group gatherings. Contact the Temple Office to schedule a meeting or gathering in our conference room, the Filler Cultural Center, or the Social Hall; come enjoy a cup of coffee in the Reading and Resource Room during office hours or Minyan.
- The TBE Youth Lounge is open for during Shabbat services. Hoops games, board games, and more. Youth ages 7 and older welcome.
- If you would like to volunteer in the office or for one of our many active committees, please contact the Temple Office and we will direct you to the right person.

Summer Connection Schedule

The next Connection Bulletin for Late June/July will be mailed by June 7th.

Be sure to look out for important upcoming events in both!

TBE Office Closings

Please note that the TBE Office will be closed for Shavuot beginning Tuesday, May 14 at 2:00pm and will reopen on Friday, May 17.

The TBE Office will also be closed on Monday, May 27 for Memorial Day.

Message From Our Foundation

Announcements: By-Law Amendment and Goodbye From Your Director

The Temple Beth-El Foundation has a long standing By-Law requiring a minimal donation of \$100. This policy was adopted to encourage congregants to make their smaller donations to the Temple. The Temple depends on those smaller donations to help meet the demands of their operation's budget. Recently the Foundation has received multiple donations in amounts less than \$100. These donations were made in memory of a loved one and designated to a specific Named Foundation Fund. On March 11th the Foundation's Board met to consider an amendment to this By-Law allowing the Foundation to allow accept donations of less than \$100. This amendment passed and the new By-Law allows the Foundation to accept any donation to a Named Fund. The Foundation will not accept a non-designated donation of less than \$100.

The following is a current list of all Named Funds:

AC & Rebecca Berman Dues Assistance Fund	Joe & Morris Sirote Enrichment Fund
Al & Sara Gordon Fund	Kianoff & Katz Family Youth Activity Fund
Al Toronto Fund	Laufman Family Kiddush Fund
Alva Permutt Beautification Fund	Leonard & Pearl Lewis Fund
Anita & Julian Lichter Fund	Lipsitz Family Education Foundation
Arnold & Florie Krell Childcare Fund	Louis Fleisher Fund
Bessie & Nathan Zivitz Ramah Scholarship Fund	Malvin U. Goldstein Fund
Betty Redlich Fund	Margy & Albert Rosenbaum Fund
Brook Family Lay Leadership Fund	Marie B. Majeau Dues Assistance Fund
Cantor Akiva & Helen Ostrovsky Music Education Fund	Marissa Feigelson Memorial Fund
Ceitlin Family Kiddush Luncheon Fund	Max Corenblum Fund
Cemetery Fund	Maxine & Stanley Lapidus Special Projects Fund
Centennial Fund	Meyer & Dorothy Shiland Adult Program Enrichment Fund
Charles & Esther Lee Kimerling Family Media Fund	Montclair Residual Fund
Charlotte & Paul Grodner Senior Adult Programming Fund	Murray Saul Fisher Cantorial Fund
Chaja Nagrodzki Simcha Fund	Norris & Faye Friedman Cemetery Maintenance Fund
Deferred Maintenance Fund	Perpetual Dues Fund
Elaine & Sigmund Rosen Fund	Rabbi Culpeper & Irby Cohen Performing Arts Fund
Etta Caine Kiddush Luncheon Fund	Reva & Joe Engel Young Adult Engagement Fund
General Foundation Fund	Roz & Victor Feigelson Religious School Fund
Gladys & Karl Friedman Fiduciary Fund	Ruth & Joe Sikora Religious Education Fund
Goldie & Sidney Ziff Education Fund	Sam & Faye Shafferman Adult Education Fund
Heidi & Martin Damsky Teacher Training Education Fund	Simon & Henrietta Wolf Dues Assistance Fund
Ike Kanter Simchat Torah Fund	Ted Levite Fund
Israel Dombrow Fund	Tenenbaum/Spielberger Tikkun Olam Fund
Jill Radwin Confirmation Trip Fund	Yasher Koach Fund
J.B. & Lynette Mazer Beautification Fund	

May 31, 2013, will be my last day as the Foundation's Executive Director. During my tenure, the Foundation's Board of Directors have increased the endowment from \$3,077,458 on December 31, 2008, to almost \$4,000,000 at the end of 2012. The Foundation's Named Funds have also increased from 23 to 50. The Board has been my partner, and I am extremely proud of the work we have done together. This job has been a labor of love and has enriched my professional and spiritual life. A special thank you goes to Barbara Solomon and Micky Rubenstein who approached me about this job as the Foundation's first employed Executive Director. I am glad I had this experience and look forward to a future as a volunteer at Temple Beth-El.

-Barbara Gordon

Dollar\$ and \$en\$e at TBE

Congregants should have received a Membership Commitment package in April full of new information that will take TBE in an exciting new direction with YOUR help! If you have not received your Membership Commitment package please contact the TBE office or if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Bob Greenberg, Executive Director, or myself.

I have learned so much at TBE ... let's see what you know! Did you know that ...

- Yahrzeit donations average \$20,000 annually! These generous and wonderful memorial donations are listed in the bulletin. We do not send acknowledgement cards for these.
- Yahrzeit Plaques donations average \$6000 annually. Are your family members memorialized with a Yahrzeit Plaque?
- Memorial donations average \$17,000 each year. When TBE receives a donation, an acknowledgment card is sent to the individual or family that the donor wishes to convey their memorial donation to.
- Tree of Life leaf or stone donations are separate from Memorial or any other donations. When a donation is made and the donor wishes to have their donation go toward the honor of a leaf or stone, the designation is made with the original donation. Most individuals note on their donations that *"If there is a leaf, we will participate in that, instead."*
- Donations made directly to ancillary organizations are not recognized by TBE and not included in your annual charitable tax donation letter. Donations submitted to TBE on behalf of these ancillary organizations are recognized as donations by TBE as a pass thru, with the donation then sent to the ancillary organization monthly. These pass thru donations are included in the annual charitable tax donation letter.
- Total of donations made to TBE last fiscal year was over \$60,000! The kindness, generosity and respect for everyone at TBE are obvious with these significant donations!

If you have a question about your membership account, donations, credit card payments, Perfect \$en\$e, or any other financial matter please feel free to contact me at finance@templbeth-el.net.

Teresa Mason Pool
Finance Director

Celebrate a Simcha or Special Occasion at TBE!



Menus and pricing will vary based on patron selections.

Menu A

Egg Salad & Tuna Salad
Cheese
Lox & cream cheese
Bagels
Fruit
Assorted desserts
Coffee

Menu B

Lox and Cream Cheese Spread
Whitefish Salad
Tuna Salad
Blintz Casserole, Sour Cream, & Jelly
Bagels
Fruit
Assorted Desserts

Menu C

Bagels & Cream Cheese
Egg Salad
Fruit
Assorted Desserts

Menu D

Bagels & Cream Cheese
Tuna Salad
Fruit
Assorted Desserts

Call the office at 933-2740
to sponsor or co-sponsor a
congregational Shabbat Kiddush.

May Religious School News

It's hard to believe that this school year is coming to a close already. I've had a great time working with our kids and staff this year, and it's been a pleasure being a part of the TBE "team". I am excited about our Religious School program for the 2013-2014 school year. The planning for next school year has already begun, and it looks like our school will continue to improve. Thank you to all of our congregants and parents that have supported my efforts and our school! I truly appreciate it. Most importantly, our kids are reaping the benefits of your support. That makes all the hard work totally worth it! Thank you!

-Maurine Halpern
Education Administrator

PASSOVER FUNDRAISER A SUCCESS!

Thank you to everyone that helped make our Religious School Passover Fundraiser a success, especially Isa Dorsky, Emily Gregory, Michelle Pake and Nancy Lewis. A special thank you to our 3 top Religious School sellers:

1st Place– Hannah Halpern (sold \$245.00) won \$54

2nd Place– Ellie Halpern (sold \$216.00) won \$36

3rd Place– Avi Peetluk (sold \$106.00) won \$18

The money that was generated will be put toward the high level of programming that we have planned for next school year. We plan on doing a similar Passover fundraiser next year but will offer some different items to choose from.

TEACHER APPRECIATION/AWARDS DAY SHABBAT SERVICE AND DINNER– FRIDAY, MAY 10

We hope the entire congregation will join us for this special Shabbat service with dinner following to recognize and thank our Religious School teachers and staff for their hard work. We will also be announcing various student award winners on that day so come and be a part of the excitement. Please RSVP to egregory@templebeth-el.net.

CONFIRMATION/SENIOR SEND-OFF– SAT., MAY 11TH

Mazel Tov to the following students on their Confirmation:

Ayala Abrams
Rafi Goldsmith
Avi Goldsmith
Daniel Yampolsky

A special thank you to Rabbi Goldsmith for preparing these students for their Confirmation and for taking the students to Atlanta for their Confirmation trip.

Also, on May 11th, there will be a special blessing for all of our High School Seniors. We wish them well as they embark on a new chapter in their lives.

MAY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

May 5: Project Mishpacha (6th), No School for 7th-10th

May 10: Teacher Appreciation/Awards Day Shabbat Dinner*

May 11: Confirmation/Senior Send-off

May 12: Last Day of School for Pre K-6th, No School for 7th-10th

*All items with a * indicates that students registered for "activities only" are invited in addition to students registered for classes*

May Youth Group/Family Barons Game



Sun, May 5th
1-6pm

Open to youth group
members and their
families

\$23 for ages 7 and up

\$19 for ages 2 to 6

Free for under 2

Price Includes: Lunch, ticket to game, meet and greet wristband, welcome message on the screen, discount on family fun park wristband, discount on Barons' merchandise

RSVP to Jennifer

jspiegelman@templebeth-el.net
(205) 540-0751

Confirmation Class & Senior Send Off

Join us on Saturday, May 11th as we celebrate the confirmation of our 10th grade class and congratulate our high school seniors as they move on to their next phase in life.

2012-2013 Confirmation Class

Ayala Abrams

daughter of Dalia and Keith Abrams

Rafi Goldsmith

daughter of Rabbi Michelle and Jeff Goldsmith

Avi Goldsmith

daughter of Rabbi Michelle and Jeff Goldsmith

Daniel Yampolsky

son of Masha and Boris Yampolsky



The Kiddush Luncheon following Shabbat services is sponsored by the families of the Confirmation Class

Teacher Appreciation Shabbat & Dinner



Join us Friday, May 10th as we recognize and thank our Religious School teachers and staff for their hard work during this past school year. We will also be announcing various student award winners that evening so come and be part of the excitement!

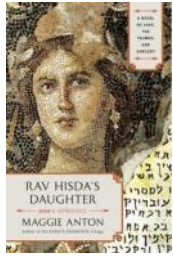
Thank you so much to the 2012-2013 teachers: *Kelley Jefferson, Dalia Griggs, Linda Weiner, Lana Jaffe, Jennifer Spiegelman, Genevieve Begue, and Rabbi Goldsmith* and aides: *Deanna Abrams, Rebecca Fleisig, Riva Cullinan, Daniel Rich, Sidney Nomberg, Max Black, Mack Krell, and Yoni Brande.*

Cost is \$25 per family or \$10 per person.

To reserve your spot, please email or call the TBE office at egregory@templebeth-el.net or 933-2740.

Sisterhood

Sisterhood to Host Maggie Anton—Tuesday, May 7



Sisterhood of Temple Beth-El is pleased to bring Maggie Anton to Birmingham, to our synagogue on **Tuesday, May 7, 2013**. Be sure to **READ** the latest book – or all of her books, and mark your calendars! Join us at **12:30pm** for lunch in the Cultural Center. \$12.50 per person. To make a reservation, call 933-2740 or email egregory@templebeth-el.net.

Maggie Anton is best known for the *Rashi's Daughters* trilogy: *Book I Joheved*, *Book II Miriam*, and *Book III Rachel*. Maggie is recognized by Talmud scholars from every branch of Judaism as an authority on medieval French Jewish women, having retired as a clinical chemist to research Rashi, his family of daughters, and 11th century Jewish life. The trilogy of Rashi's daughters is an award winning historic story of the life and times of Rashi, cited as an authentic writing of medieval Judaism. At the same time, all three books tell the story of women in 11th century France who participated in the previously unheard of studies. Women of the times were not allowed to study Talmud.

This book, *Rav Hisda's Daughter, Book I: Apprentice*, has once again earned the highest praise from Talmudic scholars and historians of Orthodox, Conservative, and Reform Judaism. Tal Ilan, Professor of Jewish Studies at the Freie Universitat Berlin and acknowledged Babylonian Talmud scholar, compares this book to *Pride and Prejudice* set in Talmudic times and terms.

Maggie Anton is an author of the highest caliber, and we are honored that she is coming and proud to be able to offer this program to our Jewish Community.

Leagrams

Maria Bitran Gale: Wishing you a happy birthday

Ron Froehlich: Wishing you a speedy recovery

Janet Reagan: Wishing you a happy birthday

Sarah Abrams: Mazal Tov on graduating from UAB Medical School and on your future wedding

Cathy & Irwin Fingerman: Condolences on the loss of your mother, Roslyn

From: Esther & Jerry Brown

J.B. Mazer: Wishing you a speedy recovery

Joel Rotenstreich: Congratulations on receiving your Achievement Award

From: Cecille & Max Herzel

Robin & Fred Benjamin: Condolences on the loss of your father, Harvey

Riva & Aisic Hirsch: Mazal Tov on the birth of your great-grandson

From: Shirley & Paul Schlaff

Contact Ceil Herzel at 871-5125 or herzel194034@bellsouth.net to have a handwritten note sent for simchas, get wells, or losses for \$3 a contribution to Sisterhood.

Sisterhood Passover Cookbook Recipes Needed!



Dear Fellow Congregants,

It is our sincere hope to create a Sisterhood Passover cookbook that all of us will use for generations to come. But we need your help to do this. So, you just made all of your favorite Passover recipes, please take time to make a copy of your family's favorites for us to include. They can be simple or complicated. We want them all!

Please take or send your recipes to the Temple office. Use any format you choose (hand write, fax, email) we will take care of the rest! You do not have to be a member of Sisterhood to participate in this project.

Thank you for your help,

The Sisterhood Passover Cookbook Committee

CHEESE BLINTZ SALE



Shavuot is just around the corner and now is the time to think about stocking up your freezer with delicious blintzes baked by our very own Sisterhood ladies.

Don't be disappointed, buy early!!!

Blintzes are \$20/dozen.

You may call Hannah Helman at **967-9659** at any time for your orders.

Your blintzes can be picked up in the downstairs dairy kitchen between 9 am & noon on May 5th.

Donations to Sisterhood

Sisterhood Fund

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Melvin Sokol**

From: Hannah & Colin Helman

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Melvin Sokol**

From: Lynette & J.B. Mazer

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Melvin Sokol**

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Harvey Benjamin**

From: Pam Ruttenberg & Arnold Shiland

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Harvey Benjamin**

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Roslyn Fingerman**

From: Hannah & Colin Helman

Virginia Heiman Sisterhood Gift Shop Fund

A Very Generous donation in honor of **Virginia Heiman**

From: Heidi & Martin Damsky

A Double Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Virginia Heiman** on her 80th birthday

From: Rhoda & Marvin Link

A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Virginia Heiman** on her 80th birthday

From: Jane & Don Silverberg

A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Virginia Heiman** on her 80th birthday

From: Jan & Charles Denaburg

A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Virginia & Hertzl Heiman** on their 60th anniversary

From: Rhoda & Marvin Link

A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Virginia & Hertzl Heiman** on their 60th anniversary

From: Jan & Charles Denaburg

A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Virginia Heiman** on her 80th birthday

From: Loraine & David Reznik

Mazal Tov to **Virginia Heiman** on her 80th birthday and **Virginia & Hertzl Heiman** on their 60th anniversary

In loving memory of **Razelle Toranto**

Mazal Tov to **Stephen Dorsky** on his 60th birthday

Mazal Tov to **Katherine & Steven Bromberg** on the 1st birthday of their son, William

In loving memory of **Rusty Radwin**

In loving memory of **Alfred Jaffe**

From: Mary & David Kimerling

A Chai donation wishing speedy recovery to **Aisic Hirsch**

A Chai donation wishing speedy recovery to **Melba Epsman**

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Lola Liberman**

From: Pam Ruttenberg and Arnold Shiland

Men's Club

Although the When Pigs Fly Kosher BBQ is not a Men's Club event, a lot of the members are hard at work preparing for another successful community-wide event. Please contact Men's Club President, Eric Goldis, at the e-mail address below to volunteer at the Kosher BBQ. We need 160 volunteers to make the event run smoothly, so please help if you can.

Upcoming events are as follows:

Spring Event: Men's Club Thursday Baron's Baseball Game
Date TBD (Probably a Thursday night in May)



Join the Men's Club today. Dues are very affordable at \$36/year. Contact Eric Goldis at 205-365-1285 or eric@taylor-miree.com with any questions, suggestions, or concerns.

Thanks,
Eric Goldis

Holiday Bimah Flowers

We would like to express our deepest appreciation to the following congregants who have generously donated the flowers which adorn our Bimah.

Passover First Two Days: In loving memory of our beloved Husband, Dad, and Papa, Fred Berman

From: Sylvia Berman and Family

Passover Last Two Days: In memory of our loved ones

From: Anonymous

Shavuot: In loving memory of our beloved family members

*From: Lynette and J.B. Mazer, Carol and Michael Mazer and family,
Nancy and Dennis Lutz and family*

Directory Changes

Elsie Evensky

Mitzi & Barry Levin

Gerri & Glenn Mazer

Gail & Abe Schuster

New Members

Stuart Greenwald & Debbie Merck

Welcome!

Beth-Elegant is Here!



Temple Beth-El's latest fundraiser is a hand-crocheted Kippah crafted by experienced artisans from our Temple Beth-El community.

Ladies' Kippot are cream and gold or white and silver. Men's Kippot are grey and navy. By special request, crimson and white Kippot are available for order at the price of \$150.

Each Kippah will be crocheted with a Star of David.

Kippot are available for \$100. They make wonderful birthday, anniversary, Mother's Day, Father's Day, etc. gifts!

We are pleased that the demand for our special Kippot has exceeded the supply. If you are interested in helping to crochet these one-of-a-kind Kippot, or if you would like to purchase one, please contact Natalie Sikora at sikoraan@aol.com or 956-6288. We will provide yarn, crochet hook, and instructions.

Todah Rabah to the following who have placed their orders as of April 9th.

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| 1. Naomi Ivker | 21. Irwin Fingerman | 41. Lewis Schulman |
| 2. Josh Ivker | 22. Anonymous | 42. Billy Lapidus |
| 3. Albert Sikora | 23. Bernard Axel | 43. Benjamin Rothman |
| 4. Natalie Sikora | 24. Jack Levy | 44. Ken Grodner |
| 5. Natalie Sikora | 25. Betzy Lynch | 45. Wayne Fleisig |
| 6. Harold Lischkoff | 26. Betzy Lynch | 46. Alan Engel |
| 7. Jacob Halpern | 27. Rabbi Goldsmith | 47. David Kimerling |
| 8. Bruce Downs | 28. Rabbi Goldsmith | 48. Vikki Grodner |
| 9. Karen Halpern | 29. Howard Sokol | 49. Vikki Grodner |
| 10. Julian Brook | 30. Judy Michaelson | 50. Norman Berk |
| 11. Adrienne Brook | 31. Micky Rubenstein | 51. Norman Berk |
| 12. Allen Halpern | 32. Micky Rubenstein | 52. Norman Berk |
| 13. Melvin Zivitz | 33. Micky Rubenstein | 53. Ed Rutsky |
| 14. Jimmy Krell | 34. Maury Shevin | 54. Ronald Levitt |
| 15. Richard Lehr | 35. Bill Lischkoff | 55. Franklin Tessler |
| 16. Gary Gordon | 36. Steve Altmann | 56. Neal Miller |
| 17. David Reznik | 37. Amy Sanders | 57. Howard Finkelstein |
| 18. Ronald Shiland | 38. Phil Tenenbaum | |
| 19. Colin Helman | 39. Ed Fineberg | 58. And your name here... |
| 20. Ron Froehlich | 40. Naomi Fineberg | |

Special Birthdays

Mazal Tov to the following on their Special Birthdays for the month of May 2013:

Keith Abrams, Rosalyn Bloomston, Leonid Bolshinskiy, Jay Epstein, Barbara Finkelstein, Reuben Halpern, Jan Jaffe, Michelle Lax, Don Levy, Marian Radwin, Martin Schnier, Sandy Siegal, Alvin Slaughter, Melvin Zivitz



*Special Birthdays are published in the bulletin beginning with age 50 and every 5 years thereafter.

TBE May Anniversaries

Happy Anniversary

Robin & Fred Benjamin (24)
 Robin & Marc Bloomston (23)
 Tobie & Michael Bogart (30)
 Sharon & Stephen Cook (11)
 Vicki & Ira Flax (24)
 Arlene & Milton Goldstein (46)
 Vikki & Ken Grodner (30)
 Nancy & Barry Hamric (13)
 Carol & David Kahn (25)
 Arline & Allan Lerner (69)

Roslyn & Peter Mannon (21)
 Polina & Leonid Mazur (17)
 Kim & Daniel Mirelman (31)
 Michelle & Kevin Pake (18)
 Sherri & David Romanoff (27)
 Esther Schuster & Allen Shealy (29)
 Ellen & Kerry Stein (10)
 Brenda & Steve Weinstein (36)
 Michelle Bearman-Wolnek & Seth Wolnek (20)

May you go from strength to strength.

If your anniversary or special birthday is not listed above, please let us know so that we may update our records. Please contact Emily at 933.2740 or egregory@templebeth-el.net.

Mazal Tov

Mazal Tov to Rachel Nomberg, daughter of our former Executive Director Laura Benjaminson, on her engagement to Matthew Oziel. Mazal Tov to Rachel, Laura, and the entire family.

Mazal Tov to Joyce Spielberger who was one of 10 women honored at the annual Girl Scouts of North-Central America East-Central Women of Distinction Awards Luncheon on March 8, 2013.

Mazal Tov to Felice Hirsch on the birth of her grandson, Max Zachary Schneider, son of Rachel & Will Schneider of New York. Mazal Tov also to great-grandparents, Riva and Aisic Hirsch; aunt, uncle, and cousin Jennifer, Todd, and Hampton Doobrow; great-aunt and great-uncle Sheryl and Jay Perlstein; and cousins Kayla and Brendan Perlstein.

Mazal Tov to Jeri Davis on the engagement of her son Brandon Davis to Tanya Miles, both of Dallas, TX. Mazal Tov to proud father Alan Davis, sister Allison Davis, and grandmother Sylvia Berman.

Mazal Tov to Anita and Gary Gouse on the birth of their grandson, Garner Harris Osborn. Proud parents are Stacey and Scott Osborn. Mazal Tov also to great-grandmother Sylvia Gouse.

Mazal Tov to Lora and Leonard Schwartz on the birth of their grandson, Emmett Cooper McClure. Proud parents are Karen and Trey McClure.

Mazal Tov to David Schiff who is graduating from Indiana University. Proud parents are Donna and Gary Schiff, and grandfather Wally Cohen.

Mazal Tov to Julie Schiff who is graduating from the University of Virginia School of Law. Proud parents are Donna and Gary Schiff, and great-grandfather Wally Cohen.

Speedy Recovery

Best wishes for a speedy recovery and continued good health to:

Sylvia Berman, Ron Froehlich, Laura Gordon, Aisic Hirsch, J.B. Mazer, Leonard Schwartz

Condolences

With sympathy, we wish the following families peace and love during their time of sorrow:

Nathan Azrin

Father of Rick Azrin, Rachel Azrin, Michael Azrin, and David Azrin

Harvey Benjamin

Father of Fred Benjamin, Stuart Benjamin, and Alan Benjamin
Step-father of Bobbye Seligman, Ronald Rich, and Charles Rich

Lola Liberman

Mother of Eva Wilensky and David Liberman

Mel Safer

Husband of Shirley Safer, Brother of Jerome Safer and David Safer,
Father of Tammy Allison and Vicki Safer

Jerome Schwartz

Father of Kerrie Schwartz and Wendy Kane

Joyce Weintraub

Mother of Steve Weintraub and Cathy Weintraub, Sister of Sarah Staff and Doris Reiss

May the families be comforted among the other mourners of Zion and Jerusalem.

Simchas

Mazal Tov to our Temple Beth-El families on these upcoming weddings! Join us for Aufrufen on the following dates:

Carly Tritt and David Siegel Son of Toby and Bert Siegel



Saturday, May 4th
9:30 am

*Kiddush Luncheon hosted by
Toby and Bert Siegel
in honor of Carly and David*

Sarah Abrams and Abraham Kunin Daughter of Louise and James Abrams



Saturday, May 18th
9:30 am

Robin Greene and Michael Wall Daughter of Susan and Steven Greene



Saturday, May 18th
9:30 am

Donations

Good Fortune Fund

A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Dalia & Keith Abrams** in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Matan
A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Jessica & Michael Goldstein** in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Avi

A Chai donation in honor of **Marsha & Harry Asman's** contributions to Temple Beth-El
From: Geri & Bob Stone

A Chai donation in honor of **Stanley Rubenstein's** 80th birthday
From: Lynette & J.B. Mazer

A Chai donation in honor of the 50th anniversary of **David Reznik's** Bar Mitzvah
From: Melissa & Steve Altmann

A Chai donation in honor of the 50th anniversary of **David Reznik's** Bar Mitzvah
From: Elenor & Sidney Conn

A Chai donation in honor of **David Reznik**
From: Barbara Fishman

A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Lenora Buchalter** on her special birthday
From: Marian & Myron Radwin

Mazal Tov to **Eph Mazer** on his special birthday
From: Betty & Bob Anfanger

A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Virginia Heiman** on her special birthday
Mazal Tov to **Alisa & Jimmy Nadler** on their daughter's Bat Mitzvah
Mazal Tov to **Rhoda & Marvin Link** on their granddaughter's Bat Mitzvah
From: Sharon & Edward Bromberg

A Chai donation wishing **Virginia & Hertzl Heiman** good health & congratulations on their 60th anniversary and **Virginia's** 80th birthday
From: Pat & Alan Geldzahler

A Chai donation wishing **Virginia & Hertzl Heiman** congratulations on their 60th anniversary and **Virginia's** 80th birthday
From: Deborah & Phil Gross

Temple Beth-El General Fund Wishing a speedy recovery and continued good health to:

A Most Generous donation with gratitude to **Rabbi Goldsmith, Cantor Gale**, and the men of the **Chevra Kadisha**
From: The Family of Alfred Jaffe

A Chai donation wishing speedy recovery to **J.B. Mazer**
From: Joan & Don Weisberg

Wishing speedy recovery to **Ron Froehlich**
*From: Kathy & Steve Goldman
Paula & Joe Levy
Frieda & Eph Mazer
Ilse Nathan*

Wishing speedy recovery to **J.B. Mazer**
*From: Anne E. Cohn
Paula & Joe Levy
Ilse Nathan
Roselyn & Irvin Siegal
Ruth Siegler*

Wishing speedy recovery to **David Koplon**
Wishing speedy recovery to **Jerry Routman**
Wishing continued good health to **Sylvia Berman**
From: Charlotte Corenblum & Karl Friedman

Wishing continued good health to **Gaston Stein**
From: Sandi & Allen Stern

Wishing continued good health to **Sylvia Berman**
*From: Anne E. Cohn
Norma Jean Long
Frieda & Eph Mazer*

Wishing speedy recovery to **Roz Hellman**
From: Betty & Bob Anfanger

Wishing speedy recovery to **Ricki Kline**
Wishing speedy recovery to **Toots Plotka**
From: Charlotte Corenblum & Karl Friedman

Wishing speedy recovery to **Marlene Shapiro**
From: Dolly & David Staff

Wishing speedy recovery to **Sandy Seton**
From: Dorothy Shiland

Wishing speedy recovery to **Melba Epsman**
*From: Sherry & Jerry Cherner
Charlotte Corenblum & Karl Friedman*

Wishing good health to **Aisic Hirsch**
*From: Susan & Billy Lapidus
Ruth Siegler*

Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

In loving memory of **Alfred Jaffe**
From: Marc Jaffe

In honor of Charles' 55th birthday Aliyah
From: Julie & Charles Stein

Thank you for officiating at **Joe Kimerling's** funeral
From: Mary & David Kimerling

Cantor's Discretionary Fund

Thank you for officiating at **Joe Kimerling's** funeral
From: Mary & David Kimerling

Thank you for your wonderful spiritual guidance
From: Deborah Chargois

Keith Altman Ramah Scholarship Fund

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Bobby Tuck**, beloved husband on his Yahrzeit
Wishing speedy recovery to **J.B. Mazer**
From: Carol Tuck

In loving memory of **Richard Nassau & Abraham Altman**, beloved fathers on their Yahrzeits
From: Carole & Chuck Altman

Edie Wilensky Memorial Fund

A Double Chai donation in loving memory of **Jerry Karp**
A Chai donation in loving memory of **Lola Liberman**
Wishing speedy recovery to **Ron Froehlich**
In loving memory of **Charles Litt**
Mazal Tov to **Lora & Leonard Schwartz** on the birth of their grandson, Emmett Cooper McClure
From: Eileen & Len Levin

In loving memory of **Lola Liberman**
From: Hannah & Colin Helman

Donations

In loving memory of **Norman Cohen**
Wishing good health to **Ricki Kline**
In loving memory of **Razelle Toronto**
From: *Ilene & Allan Wilensky*

Robert Spielberg Memorial Fund

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Melvin Sokol**
In loving memory of **Roselle Harris**,
beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
In loving memory of **Lizzie Bloomston**,
beloved grandmother on her Yahrzeit
In loving memory of **Edward Schulman**,
beloved father-in-law on his Yahrzeit
In loving memory of **Sarah Frankel**,
beloved grandmother on her Yahrzeit
Wishing speedy recovery to **Ron Froehlich**
Wishing speedy recovery to **Vikki Grodner**
Thinking of **David Koplon**
From: *Lynn & Bert Bloomston*

In loving memory of **Selma Spielberg**,
beloved grandmother on her Yahrzeit
From: *Wendy, Jonathan, Ida Rose, & Bobby Rutkoff*

Chesed Committee Fund

A Chai donation in appreciation of the **Chesed Committee**
From: *Ruth Elkin*

In loving memory of **Conrad David Cohen**,
beloved brother on his Yahrzeit
Wishing speedy recovery to **Ron Froehlich**
From: *Dorothy Ziff*

Prayer Book Fund

A High Holiday Machzor has been donated in loving memory of **Shirley & Joseph Senior**,
beloved parents on their Yahrzeit
From: *Natalie & Albert Sikora*

Men's Club Children's Fund

In loving memory of **Pearl Perling**,
beloved grandmother on her Yahrzeit
From: *Karen & Reuben Halpern*

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Lola Liberman**
From: *Sandra Jaffe & Barry Dreyer*

Chico Bomchel Memorial Social Action Fund

In loving memory of **Joe Kimerling**
From: *Karen & Dan Weinrib*

Wishing speedy recovery to **David Koplon**
Wishing speedy recovery to **Sandy Seton**
Wishing speedy recovery to **J.B. Mazer**
Wishing speedy recovery to **Sylvia Berman**
Wishing speedy recovery to **Chita Weintrob**
From: *Joy & Robert Fleisher*

Rita Laufman Youth Fund

In loving memory of **Sam Rubenstein**,
beloved father-in-law on his Yahrzeit
From: *Ralph Sokol*

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A Most Generous donation in loving memory of **Razelle Toronto**
From: *Home Instead Senior Care*

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From: *Nannette & Andy White*

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From: *Nancy & Dan Benton*

A Generous donation in loving memory of **Joe Kimerling**
From: *Lisa & Charlie Miller*

A Generous donation in loving memory of **Joe Kimerling**
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A Generous donation in loving memory of **Joe Kimerling**
From: *Mr. and Mrs. Richard Scruggs*

A Generous donation in loving memory of **Razelle Toronto**
From: *Virginia & Ken Wesley*

A Double Chai donation in loving memory of **Rusty Radwin**
From: *Melissa & Steve Altmann*

A Double Chai donation in loving memory of **Burt Olshan**
From: *Dolly & David Staff*

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Rusty Radwin**
From: *Steven Tishler*

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From: *Lenora Buchalter*

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Melvin Sokol**
From: *Tobie & Bernard Axel*

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Melvin Sokol**
From: *Melba Epsman*

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A Chai donation in loving memory of **Razelle Toronto**
From: *Simmy & Phillip Barrocas*

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A Chai donation in loving memory of **Joe Kimerling**
From: *Pat & Alan Geldzahler*

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Razelle Toronto**
From: *Ellen & Leon Taranto*

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Harvey Benjamin**
A Chai donation in loving memory of **Melvin Sokol**
From: *Marian & Myron Radwin*

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Joyce & Harvey Benjamin**
From: *Pat & Alan Geldzahler*

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A Chai donation in loving memory of
Harvey Benjamin
From: *Wally Cohen*

A Chai donation in loving memory of
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Joe Kimerling
From: *Anne E. Cohn*
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Nathan Azrin
From: *Sherry & Jerry Cherner*
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Jerome Schwartz
From: *Tobie & Bernard Axel*

Lola Liberman
From: *Sherry & Jerry Cherner*
Ruth Siegler

On Their Yahrzeits In loving memory of

A Most Generous donation in loving memory of **Edith Besser Kreisman**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: *Beth Schaeffer*

A Very Generous donation in loving memory of **Ruth Mirelman**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: *Daniel Mirelman*

A Very Generous donation in loving memory of **Chana Schniper**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: *Stephen Schniper*

A Very Generous donation in loving memory of **Ruth Mirelman**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: *Simon Mirelman*

A Very Generous donation in loving memory of **Joseph Apolinsky**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: *Harold Apolinsky*

A Very Generous donation in loving memory of **Fred Berman**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: *Brenda & Steve Weinstein*

A Very Generous donation in loving memory of **Issac Stein**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: *Gaston Stein*

A Very Generous donation in loving memory of **Isidore Kulpe**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: *Catherine Jean Kulpe Lande*

A Generous donation in loving memory of **Meyer Laskin**, beloved grandfather on his Yahrzeit
From: *Barbara Nissenbaum*

A Generous donation in loving memory of **Enid Silverstein**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: *Cathy Silverstein*

A Double Chai donation in loving memory of **Mary Goldstein**, beloved grandmother on her Yahrzeit
From: *Michael Goldstein*

A Double Chai donation in loving memory of **Louis Winick**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: *Deborah Tessler*

A Double Chai donation in loving memory of **Ann & Abe Banks**, beloved parents on their Yahrzeit
A Chai donation in loving memory of **Bette Shapiro**, beloved aunt on her Yahrzeit
From: *Karen & Rick Ebersson*

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Meyer Shiland**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: *Ronald Shiland*

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Ethel Silver Fleisher**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: *Robert Fleisher*

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Bernard Trachtman**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: *Gary Trachtman*

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Leon Toranto**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Sissy Toranto**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: *Lori Dorsky*

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Esther Grushko**, beloved grandmother on her Yahrzeit
From: *Olga Belotserkovskaya &*
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A Chai donation in loving memory of **Morris Staff**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
A Chai donation in loving memory of **David Glick**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: *Dolly & David Staff*

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Rebecca Silverman**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: *Charlotte Corenblum*

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Dora Block**, beloved grandmother on her Yahrzeit
From: *Libby Brateman*

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Rose Helman**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: *Colin Helman*

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Neville H. Wallace**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: *Carol Filler*

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A Chai donation in loving memory of **Bertha "Fritzi" Rosenberg**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: Toby Klein

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Gladys Cohen Friedman**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: Tracy Stein

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Melvin Greenberg**, beloved husband, father, & grandfather on his Yahrzeit
From: Fran, Harry, Rachael, & Dot Greenberg

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Max Matlick**, beloved grandfather & great-grandfather on his Yahrzeit
From: Sandy & Gene Siegal & family

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Steve Browdy**, beloved father, grandfather, & great-grandfather on his Yahrzeit
From: Marilyn Leonard

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Beatrice Binstock**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: Diane & Robert Smith

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Freddy Weintraub**, beloved son on his Yahrzeit
From: Gloria Weintraub

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Marilyn Bearman Bell**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: Julia & Lance Bell

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Edna Levine**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: Ira Levine

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Jacob Radwin**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: Marian & Myron Radwin

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Ludwig Cohen**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
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A Chai donation in loving memory of **Reuben Lipsitz**, beloved grandfather-in-law on his Yahrzeit
A Chai donation in loving memory of **Ethel Schoenberg**, beloved mother-in-law on her Yahrzeit
From: Anne E. Cohn

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Bobby Tuck**, beloved father & grandpa on his Yahrzeit
From: Debbie, Louis, Allan, & Betsy Tuck

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Benjamin Buchalter**, beloved father-in-law on his Yahrzeit
A Chai donation in loving memory of **Dave Goldberg**, beloved father-in-law on his Yahrzeit
From: Lenora Buchalter

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Bette Shapiro**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
A Chai donation in loving memory of **David Shapiro**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: Cindy & Rick May & family

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Nakhoma Guberman**, beloved grandmother on her Yahrzeit
From: Boris Zinger

Philip Kadis, grandfather
From: Lynne Sewell

Sylvia Epsman Cohen, sister-in-law
From: Melba Epsman

Joe Padawer, brother
Albert Goldforb, brother
Harmon Berger, friend
Sophie Padawer, sister-in-law
From: The Padawer Family

Max Levin, father-in-law & grandfather
From: Mr. & Mrs. Robert Anfanger

Harold Weisner, father & grandfather
From: Linda Levine

Nathan Schwartz, brother-in-law
From: Norma Jean Long

Sam Tenenbaum, father
From: Sam Tenenbaum, Jr.

Jean Reitman, mother
Sanford Reitman, father
From: Sheila & Richard Friedman

Annie Bram, grandmother
From: Bruce Greenberg

Pauline Ashkenazie, aunt
From: Natalie & Albert Sikora

Joyce Rich Benjamin, mother & grandmother
Marvin Brother Rich, father & grandfather
From: Bobbye & Michael Seligman

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From: Anya Treyger

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From: Victor Cohen

Pearl Cohen, grandmother
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Boris Minstin, father
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From: Sergey Minstin

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In appreciation of the following congregants who made donations:

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Yahrzeits

May 3-4 Shabbat B'har-B'hukotai

Rose Anfanger
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Bertha Stein
*Abram Stern
Marion Stern
*Rhoda Toranto
*Sissy Toranto
Israel Trestman
Rose Walters
*Sarah Weinstein
Barnett Weissman
Louis Zuflacht

May 10-11 Shabbat B'midbar

*Abraham Abkowitz
Bertha Breslin
Walter Carver
Morris Clause
*David Cohen
*Sarah Coplon
Elise Davis
*Maren Dell
Gustav Dobbie
*Tillie Eisenberg
Fanny Fishman
*Robert Frohman
Morris Green
*Lottie Grusin
Samuel Grusin
*Joan Holzman
*Abraham Jaffe
Alice Kallman
Morris Kazdon
Shirley Lane
Sybil Leaf
*I.M. Levin
*Lena Levin
Morris Levin
Solomon Liberman
*Julian Lichter
Linda Lindy
Earl Lipsitz
*William Lischkoff
Harry Lupion
Pearl Marbach
Celia Matlick
*Sol Miller
*Isadore Minnen
Dorothy Bieber Nomberg
*Karen Entman Nomberg
Peggy Ostrin
Millie Overbach
Anna Rose
*Louis Sarasohn
*Max Sarasohn
*Philip Schiff
Anna Schlaff
*Adele Schwartz
*Harry Schwartz
Ilka Shitsel
*Jack Tishler
*Ephraim Toranto
*Sara Weinstein
Constance Werbin
Julius Zeligson

May 17-18 Shabbat Naso

*Henry Accortt
Hyman Brown
Helen Bruck
Harvey Buchalter
*Etta Caine
Jeannette Capouya
*Morris Cooper

Loyce Coughlin
Eva Davis
Ellen Doneson
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*Alexander Feinberg
*Rose Feinberg
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*Charles Frankel
*Goldey Goldberg
Paul Goldman
*Dora Goldstein
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*Jeanette Hyatt
Ruth Kertzner
*Irwin Koplon
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Richard Marks
*Morris May
Constance Mehlman
William Michalove
Mildred Nassau
Kathleen Olshan
Edwin Pearlman
Phillip Pisetzky
*Anna Rafel
*Ida Raskin
*Doris Reich
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Minnie Roth
*Robert Routman
*Arthur Rubin
*Sheryl Siegel
*Hannah Slaughter
Leon Smith
*Amanda Stein
Bernard Stelman
*Anne Touro
Edward Wein

May 24-25 Shabbat B'ha'alotekha

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*Eli Blousman
*Ida Bomchel
Saul Bram
Jacob Brick
Pearl Broner
Reva Calesky
*Hellen Cherner
Charles Cohen
Lee Cohen
*M.I. Cohen
Myrtle Cohen
*Max Corenblum
Jack Dorsky
Nathan Eiman
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*Dora Euchvitz
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Stan Fried
Mary Gennis
Aaron Gettinger
*Sarah Ginsburg
*Leonard Goldberg
*Sara Gordon
Daniel Greene
*Irving Haberman
Hyman Isaacs
Freda Kallman
K. Kaplan
*Nellie Koplon
Nathan Kulpe
Samuel Langer
Ida Lapidus
Louis Marcus
Dona Mintsina
*Libby Myer
*Joshua Nissenbaum
*J. E. "Gene" Plotka
Annie Reid
*Michael Reis
*Annie Rosenthal
*Barbara Routman
Ari Rutkoff
Mary Schnair
Helen Schnier
Linda Schwartz
Herman Schwarz
Nellie Shapiro
Harriet Stiegel
Ruth Stomakin
*Mose Temerson
Pearl Tishler
Ben Warner
Philip Warren
Rose Weiss
*Harold Weslock
*Harry Wise
Charles Wreschner
*Yetta Ziff

May 31-June 1 Shabbat Shelah-Lekha

Jacob Allen
Esther Altman
*N. Bearman
*Bernard Berk
Louis Berman
*Beatrice Bomchel
*Selma Botnik
Ruth Bruchis
*Breine Cohen
*Fanny Cohen
*Jacob Cooper
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*Joseph Epstein
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*Zelda Jacobs
Harry Jaffe
*Israel Jaffe
Bernard Kahn
Milton Kantor
*Morris Karpe
Harry Kartus
Jack Kartus
*Rita Kimerling
*Ida Korpus
Nathan Kottle
*Benjamin Kurman
Malcolm Lambert
Hortense Levey
*Isadore Lichtenstein
*Chaje Lichter
Sara Lupion
Noam Mazur
*Meyer Miller
*William Miller
George Nelubin
Marilyn Nowachek
Avraam Reznichenko
*Ernest Rosemore
*Hyman Rose
Jerry Rosenthal
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*Shirley Senior
Sol Shapiro
*Samuel Silverstein
David Simon
*Sarah Sirote
*Mary Slaughter
*Sidney Sokol
I. W. Spielberg
Seymour Steinlauf
Adeline Agrow Teich
*Leon Toranto
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Easter Community Kitchens Update



L to R: Danny Yampolsky, Elliot Slovis (Memphis), Max Black, Mack Krell, Josh Lapidus, Nathan Siegal, Sam Rotenstreich, Jared Bloomston, Jack Segal, Seth Perlman, Josh Wiesberg, Harrison Dulin, Alex Weintraub, Sam Black, Austin Gandler, Ben Honan, Blake Thompson, Sam Hirsberg, Jake Stein, Seth Cohen, Jake Ruttenger, Tyler Jaffe

A huge THANKS to the young men of Mesch AZA and their sweetheart for lending their helping hands & smiling faces Easter Sunday serving the less fortunate at Community Kitchens. They served, cleaned off the tables, washed the pots and pans, swept and mopped the floors.

Of course, all the volunteers that showed up to help in the kitchen must be applauded. This project cannot be a success without all the many volunteers that show up with their smiling faces and helping hands.

Please take the time to thank the stores listed below that donated gift cards and/or food items needed to make the delicious Easter meal. I also want to thank members of Temple Beth-El that donate their Perfect \$en\$e cards to help us purchase items necessary to complete the meals served.

Publix on Overton Road, Publix in Calera, Western in Mtn. Brook Village, Piggly Wiggly in Crestline, Winn Dixie on Valleydale Road, Aldi, Costco, The Cookie Place at Brookwood Mall, Galleria & Trussville

Let's continue to make the less fortunate feel the warmth of our community.

Eva Wilensky



Community Announcements

LJCC Joy Club: Join the Joy Club every Tuesday for a delicious kosher lunch and program at 12:15 pm. For more information, contact Mindy Cohen at 879.0411.

Theatre LJCC Invite You To Swing Into Spring With The Original Sultans of Swing band Featuring Vocals by Kristy White, Saturday, May 4th at 8 pm. Tickets are \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door. For more information, contact Mindy Cohen: 205-879-0411 or mcohen@bhamjcc.org.

Swing Dance Lessons offered Tuesday, April 30 from 7-8:30pm & Thursday, May 2 from 6-7:30 pm. Fee \$10 and \$8 for MVP's (Member Value Price). Drop-ins welcome or register on line at www.bhamjcc.org. For more information, contact Mindy Cohen: 205-879-0411 or mcohen@bhamjcc.org.

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Save the Date Congregational Meeting

Review of 2012-2013
Election of 2013-2014 Board of Directors

**Sunday, June 2, 2013
10:00 am**

Breakfast generously provided by the Temple Beth-El Foundation

Honoring Rabbi Goldsmith and Cantor Gale

Saturday, June 1st, 2013

Shabbat Services, Kiddush Luncheon, Tree of Life Dedication



Join us for Shabbat Services, Kiddush Luncheon, and a Tree of Life Dedication in honor of Rabbi Goldsmith and Cantor Gale for their years of service to Temple Beth-El and our congregants.

If you would like to support this special program, luncheon, and Stone on the Tree of Life to honor Rabbi Goldsmith or Cantor Gale, you may send in a check or go online to our donations page (www.templebeth-el.net/donations). We appreciate your help as we express our gratitude for the care and learning our Clergy have provided.

