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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Mornings:

Sundays.	8:30 A.M.
Monday - Friday.	7:30 A.M.
Shabbat.	9:00 A.M.

Evenings (Minchah-Maariv):

Sunday - Friday.	6:00 P.M.
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Saturdays:

April 6.	8:00 P.M.
April 13.	8:00 P.M.
April 20	Minchah immediately following the Shabbat Pesach Kiddush
April 27.	8:15 P.M.

SHABBAT TORAH PORTIONS

April 6 Tazria Shabbat HaChodesh	April 20 Pesach Day 1
April 13 Metzora Shabbat Hagadol	April 27 Pesach Day 8

The Sisterhood of Adat Shalom

77th Annual Donor Day Event

Tuesday, May 7, 2019

Unique Boutiques
Luncheon
Program



Woman of Distinction

Honoree *Beverly Yost*

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PEOPLE & PROGRAMS



Meditation

AND MINDFULNESS

with Rabbi Bergman

Sundays, April 14 & 28 at 9:30 A.M.
April 14 is Pre-Pesach Learning with
Rabbi Bergman and Hazzan Gross
see page 4

Find your internal spirituality
and realize that Judaism
can make you happier.
A refreshing hour for all ages.

Sessions will continue throughout the year.
There is no charge.

Soulful Yoga

with Rabbi Shere

and skilled yoga instructor
Mindy Eisenberg

Saturdays, April 6 & 13 at 10:00 A.M.
April 13 is Pre-Pesach Learning

Connect body and soul as we apply the wisdom
of Torah to the gentle practice of yoga.

No experience necessary. Dress comfortably.
Please bring a mat if you have one.
Join us in the Youth Lounge.

For additional information contact Jodi Gross
at 248.851.5100 or jgross@adatshalom.org



Healing in Harmony Service

Saturday, April 27 - 9:45 AM

Led by Rabbi Shere and Hazzan Gross

There are powerful and beautiful prayers that we recite silently
and many that we sing out together. This is an opportunity to share
your own personal prayers with others in a safe and loving
environment. There is no obligation to speak; simply being present
can bring comfort and healing to others as well as yourself.

APRIL SHABBAT TORAH STUDY

LEARN ABOUT THE WEEKLY PARASHA
AND ENHANCE YOUR SHABBAT EXPERIENCE

April 6
with Ruth Bergman

April 20
No Shabbat Torah Study

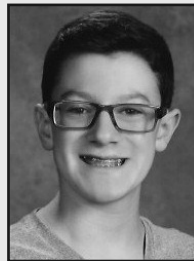
April 13
with Rabbi Joseph Krakoff

April 27
No Shabbat Torah Study

9:45 A.M.

FINISHING IN TIME FOR THE RABBI'S SERMON

Mazal Tov to our April Bar Mitzvah



April 13

Henry Jacob Nathan is the son
of Alyse & Howard Nathan; the
grandson of Sheila z"l & Sidney z"l
Cohen, and Audrey z"l & Herbert
z"l Nathan

Shabbat Rocks

**This service is a participatory,
engaging and spirited service
for all ages, with instrumental
accompaniment backing the beautiful
and memorable melodies.**

Friday evening, April 12, at 6:00 P.M.

Celebrate Shabbat

Grief Support Group Dealing with Loss at Pesach with Rabbi Shere

Sundays, April 7 & April 14 at 10:30 A.M.

The Pesach holiday season can be very difficult when you
have lost a loved one. Please join Rabbi Shere as she
explores the specific challenges of Pesach, including empty
seats at the Seder table and responding to well-intentioned
condolences that sometimes hurt more than they heal.

Open to the community. There is no charge.

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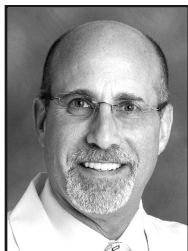
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FROM THE PRESIDENT, SANFORD VIEDER

From my childhood, I have joyous memories of Passover. I recall the furious cleaning my mother would undertake in preparation for the big “dishes changeover.” All the *chametz* needed to be cleared out, which often led to me eating many bowls of cereal,

packages of cookies or other similar food items so mom would not have to throw out perfectly good food otherwise! The holiday dishes, silverware and glassware looked quite different and to this day, triggers something so different about Pesach in my mind. I also recall how my father would love to have the Detroit Tigers spring training games either on the TV or radio, while we were all busy getting the house ready for Pesach. To this day, that association remains in my mind, as we would all be so hopeful for a great baseball season and maybe even a World Series appearance for our feline favs!

As time goes on, I find that each Jewish holiday brings along certain associations from my early years. Perhaps what they do is bring me comfort from the great memories of nice times with my parents, friends and family that often joined us for holidays. As we approach yet another spring season and the Passover holiday, my family and I wish you a very Happy, Healthy and Kosher Pesach. We hope the season will bring many new memories for each of you!

Sandy



FROM RABBI AARON BERGMAN

Pesach is the holiday of questions. The children ask the four questions at the seder. The adults ask if it is really possible that they just ate that much, a question they will repeat the following evening. Everyone asks questions of each other about the meaning of the holiday and freedom.

I think it is important to ask ourselves some challenging questions, too.

These are examples I came up with based on the Pesach story, but feel free to develop your own. These questions are not easy, and you are not obligated to share your answers with anyone, though it may open some helpful and insightful discussions with your loved ones.

Pharaoh wants everyone to obey him unquestionably. Moses wants to serve the needs of the people. Pharaoh never admitted he was wrong. Moses looked to others for their input. Are you more like Pharaoh or Moses when it comes to your friends and family? What do you think your loved ones would say?

Look at the ten plagues. The Egyptians suffered from them because of their stubbornness and their inability to work with others. They only cared about their own well being. The Hebrews worked together during them and helped each other. What do you do in difficult times? Who do you help and why? Who do you not help and why?

The Hebrews were afraid to leave Egypt? What fears do you have that are preventing you from living your best life?

Pesach is a time to confront ourselves honestly and fearlessly, because that is what brings true liberation for ourselves and the world.

I wish all of us a Pesach of sweetness, joy and freedom.



FROM RABBI RACHEL SHERE “ARE YOU RELIGIOUS?”

Albert Einstein, who passed away sixty-four years ago this month, once received a letter from a school girl named Phyllis in which she asked him if it was possible for a scientist to also be religious. While Einstein was *certainly* Jewish, he is not known for being particularly “religious.” In fact, at one point he wrote, “The word God is for me nothing more than the expression and product of human weaknesses, the Bible a collection of honourable, but still primitive legends.... For me the Jewish religion like all other religions is an incarnation of the most childish superstitions.” Based on this, it would seem Einstein had no religious inclinations. However, as much as atheists wanted to claim the esteemed scientist as one of their own, he certainly was not, writing, “Try and penetrate with our limited means the secrets of nature and you will find that, behind all the discernible laws and connections, there remains something subtle, intangible and inexplicable. Veneration for this force, beyond anything we can comprehend, is my religion.”

There are many ways to be religious. It’s not always a simple question.



FROM HAZZAN DANIEL GROSS *ELIJAH AND HIS MANY NAMES*

When I was a child, I fully believed that Elijah visited our Pesach Seder. Every year the level of wine in his cup would mysteriously go down, as soon as we opened the door for him to enter. It wasn’t until I was

about 8 years old that I purposefully kept my eyes fixed on his cup and, of course, being watched, the level of wine never diminished. It was at that moment that I realized that Elijah wasn’t “real.” (My dejection must have been how my Christian friends felt when they learned that Santa Claus wasn’t “real.”) Despite the broken spell of childhood wonderment, the invitation of Elijah continues to be a highly anticipated and climactic moment of the Seder.

So who was Elijah? Elijah the Prophet, known in Hebrew as *Eliyahu HaNavi*, lived in the Northern Kingdom of Israel in the 9th century B.C.E during the reign of King Ahab and Queen Jezebel. He is first introduced in 1 Kings 17:1 as

אֱלִיָּהוּ הַתִּשְׁבִּי מִתְּשֻׁבִּי גִלְעָד *Eliyahu haTishbi mi'toshavei (or mi'Tishbi) Gilad*. Thus, Elijah is also referred to as *Eliyahu HaTishbi*, frequently translated as Elijah the Tishbite. Tishbite derives from *toshav*, which means dweller or inhabitant. He was from the region of Gilead, hence another one of his names, *Eliyahu HaGiladi*.

Elijah was said to be the forerunner of the Messiah because he, unlike any other prophet before him, battled the pagan foes of Israel who sought to discredit God. Elijah insisted that Israel must not forsake God so that the holy covenant made between God and Abraham might endure. For this reason, Elijah is thought of as the guardian angel of the Jewish people. This is why we

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Pre-Pesach Programs

Pre-Pesach Soulful Yoga Shabbat, April 13 10 - 11:15 a.m.

with Rabbi Shere
and skilled yoga instructor Mindy Eisenberg



In this session, we will study Torah and practice yoga in an effort to rid ourselves of "internal chametz."

No yoga experience necessary. Dress comfortably.
Please bring a mat if you have one.

Sunday, April 14 - 9:30 a.m.

Meditation

AND MINDFULNESS

Join Rabbi Bergman & Hazzan Gross

"HOW TO WALK THROUGH THE TURBULENT SEAS OF YOUR LIFE"

"Selling" Your Chametz



The ownership of chametz (leavened food) during Pesach is prohibited in the Torah. For those who wish to adhere to this tradition, Adat Shalom will be happy to arrange for the contractual (virtual) sale of your chametz to a non-Jew for the duration of the Pesach holiday. According to this contract, your ownership of your chametz will end at 9 a.m. on 14 Nisan (April 19) and will be restored at 9 p.m. on 22 Nisan (April 27).

You may arrange to sell your chametz beginning Thursday, April 4, through 8:30 a.m. on the morning of Friday, April 19. To do so, you may email Michael Wolf (mwolf@adatshalom.org) with your name and address to be added to the contract, or you may come in personally to sign the papers. To sign in person, please see Michael Wolf at minyan (Sun-Fri mornings, and Sun-Tues and Thurs evenings) or call Michael at 248.660.5556 to schedule other weekday availability.

It is customary, but not necessary, to make a contribution to the synagogue for requesting that we act as the agent for the sale of your chametz. *If you wish to do so, we suggest a \$20 donation to Adat Shalom's Minyan Breakfast Fund.*

FIRST SEDER
Friday, April 19

- PASSOVER SERVICES -

First Days

Friday, April 19 6 p.m.
Saturday, April 20 9 a.m.
Minchah service immediately following the Shabbat Pesach Kiddush
Sunday, April 21 9 a.m. & 8:30 p.m.

Concluding Days

Thursday, April 25 6 p.m.
Friday, April 26 9 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Saturday, April 27 9 a.m. & 8:15 p.m.
Yizkor Prayers will be recited during the Shabbat morning service.

PASSOVER CANDLE LIGHTINGS

April 19 8:02 p.m.
April 20 9:11 p.m.
April 25 8:08 p.m.
April 26 8:09 p.m.



Siyum HaB'khor - Friday, April 19

The Concluding Study Session

with Rabbi Bergman

7:30 a.m. - Shacharit Service and Siyum

Jews commemorate the sparing of the Hebrew first-born sons in the Pesach story by concluding the study of a section of Jewish text the morning of the first Seder (or the previous day if the Seder falls on Shabbat). From the Middle Ages on, prominent rabbis have stated that first-born daughters should attend the siyum as well. At Adat Shalom, all members of your family, whatever their birth order, are invited to join in the siyum and the deluxe *chametz* breakfast that follows.

Chametz Breakfast Buffet followed by a "bonfire" for the burning of your chametz

If you would like to be a co-sponsor of this special breakfast in honor of your first-born and other children, please contact Denise Gallagher in the office at 248-851-5100, ext. 221 or email dgallagher@adatshalom.org.

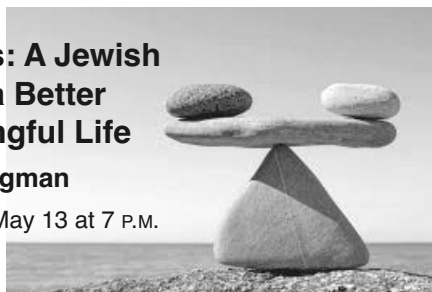


Offering you
nourishment for
your mind, body
& spirit

Mussar Mondays: A Jewish Guide to Living a Better and More Meaningful Life

taught by Rabbi Bergman

Mondays, April 15 and May 13 at 7 P.M.



Mussar is a unique approach to living a good and meaningful life. It transmits timeless advice for everything from having happy relationships to creating harmonious communities.

Each class is self-contained. No previous knowledge necessary.

Reservations are requested. Please call Sheila Lederman, 248.851.5100, ext. 246 or email slederman@adatshalom.org



Facilitated by Hazzan Gross

Tuesday, April 30, 7 P.M.
at Hillel Day School

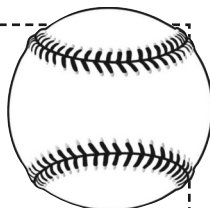
Join us for this fun, exciting and powerful way
to bring our community together through rhythm.

No experience necessary. No fee to attend. Drums provided.
RSVP required - space is limited (ages 13 and up).

For information and to reserve your spot,
contact Caren Harwood charwood@adatshalom.org
or 248.851.5100, ext 231

Needed: Men's Club summer softball players

We are looking for 2-3 adult male softball
players for each of our 2 softball teams this
summer. The season starts May 5 and runs
most Sunday mornings through August 19.
If you have any interest and/or any questions,
please email Michael Betman at noagold@sbcglobal.net



ADULT LEARNING

Jodi Gross, Director of Adult Learning

THROUGH PARTED WATERS

COMMUNITY PASSOVER LEARNING

THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 2019

AT ADAT SHALOM

SESSION 1 - 7:00 - 8:00 P.M.

SESSION 2 - 8:00 - 9:00 P.M.

LIGHT REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED

Learn, share and laugh as **clergy from across the community** offer different perspectives on the holiday. Get your mind and soul ready for *yom tov* in a fresh and engaging way.

Rabbi Aaron Bergman will teach:
How Heschel and MLK Defeated Pharaoh

Rabbi Rachel Shere will teach:
Practical Ideas to Liven Up Your Seder

No charge to attend.
Come for one or both session!

For more information, contact Rabbi Yoni Dahlen at
rabbidahlen@shaarezedek.org or 248.357.5544

A special Pre-Pesach Brunch & Program: "Three Lives of the Sarajevo Haggadah"

Sunday, April 14, 10:30 A.M.



with Guest Scholar
Aleksandra Buncic, PhD
Harry Starr Fellow in Judaica, Center
for Jewish Studies, Harvard University

Professor Buncic, who presented the Sarajevo Haggadah at the Bosnia National Museum's 131st anniversary, will share the history and art of this fascinating fourteenth-century manuscript including its journey from Spain to Sarajevo, and from Haggadah to museum artifact.

Join Rabbi Bergman and Hazzan Gross for a special Pre-Pesach *Meditation & Mindfulness* at 9:30 A.M. (see page 2), and stay for Professor Buncic's presentation.

Brunch and program: \$8 in advance / \$12 at the door
RSVP by Wednesday, April 10

Register at: www.adatshalom.org/pesach19 or contact Jodi Gross, jgross@adatshalom.org or 248.851.5100

▶ ADULT LEARNING

SYNERGY SHABBAT

FEATURING

MATTI FRIEDMAN

Matti Friedman, an award-winning Israeli Canadian journalist and author will be joining us, May 3-5 as our scholar-in-residence.



Matti Friedman's work as a reporter has taken him from Israel to Lebanon, Morocco, Moscow, the Caucasus, and Washington DC, and his writing has appeared in the *Wall Street Journal*, *The New York Times*, the *Washington Post*, and elsewhere. He is a former Associated Press correspondent and a regular contributor to *Tablet Magazine*. Two essays he wrote about media coverage of Israel after the 2014 Gaza war, for *Tablet* and *The Atlantic*, triggered intense discussion and have been shared on Facebook more than 130,000 times.

Matti's newest book, *Spies of No Country* (Algonquin, March 2019), the story of four of Israel's first intelligence agents in 1948, was awarded the Natan Prize.

Matti's 2016 book *Pumpkinflowers: A Soldier's Story of a Forgotten War*, a nonfiction work about an isolated Israeli military outpost in Lebanon, was chosen as a New York Times' Notable Book and as one of Amazon's 10 best books of the year. *Pumpkinflowers* was selected as one of the year's best by Booklist, Mother Jones, Foreign Affairs, the National Post, and the Globe and Mail. It was shortlisted for the 2017 RBC Taylor Prize and Writer's Trust Prize (Canada) and the Yitzhak Sadeh Prize for military writing (Israel).

Matti's first book, *The Aleppo Codex*, an investigation into the strange fate of an ancient Bible manuscript, won the 2014 Sami Rohr Prize, the ALA's Sophie Brody Medal, and the Canadian Jewish Book Award for history. It was translated into seven languages.

He was born in Toronto and lives in Jerusalem with his family.

Friday evening, May 3

- 6:00 P.M. Shabbat Rocks followed by an evening service led by the youth of Adat Shalom
- 7:15 P.M. Shabbat Dinner
- 8:00 P.M. After-dinner presentation by Matti Friedman:
Spies of No Country
Kids' Activities

Saturday morning, May 4

- 9:00 A.M. Shabbat Morning Service
- 9:45 A.M. Shabbat Torah Study with Ruth Bergman
- 10:00 A.M. Soulful Yoga with Rabbi Shere
- 12:30 P.M. Matti Friedman will lead a Post-Kiddush discussion:
The Aleppo Codex

Sunday morning, May 5

- 10:30 A.M. Presentation by Matti Friedman:
Israel and the Media
In partnership with *The Walk for Israel*



For Shabbat Dinner reservations, information and pricing please visit: www.adatshalom.org or contact the synagogue office at 248.851.5100

Attend Adat Shalom's Lunchtime Learning

Rabbi Bergman

presents a 3-part series

Thursdays, May 2, 9 & 16 at 11:45 A.M.

"The History of Antisemitism"

Many of us thought that antisemitism had finally faded after the Holocaust. Unfortunately, we see that the world's oldest hate has returned. We will look at the origins and history of antisemitism and its current state on both the left and right.

You are invited to bring your own dairy / parve lunch. Drinks and dessert are complimentary. There is no charge. Reservations are requested by the preceding Friday. Please contact Sheila Lederman, 248.851.5100, ext. 246, or slederman@adatshalom.org.

Adat Shalom Synagogue Prague-Israel Trip 2020

The next Adat Shalom Israel trip is in the works!

Save the dates for our February 2020 trip with Ruth and Rabbi Aaron Bergman. We will depart Detroit on Sunday, February 9, 2020 for Prague, and then continue into Israel on February 13, returning to the U.S. on February 24.

Pricing and itinerary will be made available as soon as they are confirmed.

HAZZAN GROSS (continued from page 3)

also invoke Elijah's presence at every bris. Elijah's spiritual protection is with every new Jewish baby boy who enters the covenant. The prophet Malachi refers to Elijah as "the angel of the covenant" and it was Malachi's prophecy that declared Elijah to be the harbinger of the Messianic Age. In modern Judaism, Elijah continues to be a symbol of peace and optimism, which is why we include him in every Havdalah service. As we bid farewell to Shabbat, we welcome the coming week with new hope and aspirations for peace.

My favorite name of Elijah is the literal meaning of *Eliyahu*. It is a combination of the words *Eli* (my God), *Yah* (one of God's names, an alternative for Adonai) and *Hu* (He is) – when put together they mean "My God is Yah." This is a great mantra to think about every time you sing the song *Eliyahu HaNavi*. Elijah is not only a symbol of peace, he is a reminder of God's constant presence in our lives. May you all have meaningful Seders and a wonderful Pesach full of peace and optimism!



Studying "Kosher Classical" at Lunchtime Learning with Hazzan Gross.

ACTIVE AFFILIATES ►

Sisterhood

77th Annual Donor Day Event Tuesday, May 7

Complimentary Coffee Corner, 10 a.m. - Noon
Unique Boutiques, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Luncheon and Program, Noon

**ANTISEMITISM:
INFORMATION IS POWER**
Important Facts and Discussion



Presented by

Carolyn Normandin

Regional Director, Michigan Anti-Defamation League

Woman of Distinction Honoree:

Beverly Yost

2019 Event Committee

Chairwomen: Anita Taylor ~ Beverly Wine
Boutique Chairwoman: Ronna Hoffert

Sponsorships:

Diamond Sponsor \$1000

(table of 10, priority seating, name in program)

Sapphire Sponsor \$540

(4 tickets, priority seating, name in program)

Gold Sponsor \$250

(2 tickets, name in program)

Silver Sponsor \$120

(1 ticket, name in program)

Ruby Sponsor \$60

(1 ticket)



For additional information about our raffle, adding
your name to the Tree of Life in Beverly's honor,
and registration visit:

www.adatshalom.org/events/donor-day-2019
or contact the Adat Shalom office at 248.851.5100

There is still time to help us make our Donor Day Event a great success. **If you have some free time, even if it is only a couple of hours, we need volunteers prior to and on Donor Day to lend a hand.** Please contact Judy Rudy at 248.701.1832 or email judy.rudy@att.net and let her know.

Adat Shalom Synagogue

Sisterhood Gift Shop

is celebrating Passover with new items
from new artists, arriving from Israel daily!



GIFT SHOP HOURS: SUNDAYS 10:30 A.M. - NOON

WEEKDAYS 10 A.M. - 4:00 P.M., ask for Denise

or call for a shopping appointment:

Carol Vieder, 248.661.9008 / Lillian Schostak, 248.310.2018

Sisterhood of Adat Shalom Book Club

The Adat Shalom Sisterhood will meet Thursday, April 4 at 7:15 P.M. at the home of a member. *The Book Smugglers* by David E. Fishman will be discussed.

There is a fee to attend. For more information or to register, please contact Book Club chairpersons Sue Lutz, 248.877.7253, s4lutz@gmail.com or Marianne Pesick, 248.909.5512, mchp55@aol.com.

Sisterhood Rosh Chodesh Study Group with Rabbi Rachel Shere

**You're invited to a study session for women
in honor of the new month of Nisan**

Friday, April 5

10:00 - 11:00 A.M.

New Moon ✨ New Start

*With the new moon comes
an opportunity for self-renewal*

Open to the community. No charge.

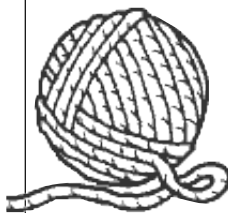
Future dates: June 4 in the evening, August 2 during the day

Please respond to Rochelle Lieberman 248.553.2498
or rochelle.r.lieberman@gmail.com

▶ ACTIVE AFFILIATES

Adat Shalom Knitting Circle

Sunday, April 7 at 9:30 A.M.



Join us as we make scarves, hats and afghans for charity. Feel free to get started at any time with yarn from the knitting cubicle in the office.

For more information: Debby Portney, debbyportney@gmail.com, 248.899.9488

MEN'S CLUB

MEN'S CLUB MUSINGS... BY JOEY LEBOVIC

The Men's Club of Adat Shalom proudly supports our religious school programs throughout the year by volunteering to staff and cook at various events. During April, we judge and provide prizes for the 7th grade Yom HaShoah Essay Contest. This year's winners will be announced on May 1 at the Yom HaShoah Observance led by the 7th grade class. Thanks to our judges and congratulations to all essay writers.

Special FJMC Yom HaShoah candles are available from the Men's Club and can be picked up during regular synagogue office hours. We are no longer mailing candles due to increased postage costs. The Coffee Connection, our business networking group, moves to Sunday mornings and our annual Election Breakfast is on Sunday April 28 at 9:30 A.M.

Warm weather sports? This year's Tiger Game outing will be on June 16th. Play in the summer Men's Club Softball League, and join us for a friendly scramble as we bring back the Golf Outing. Please email me if you are interested in joining softball or playing golf.

As always, please feel free to contact me at jlebovic@ameritech.net with any questions. I look forward to meeting you at one of our upcoming events.



Yom HaShoah A Time for Remembrance

It's been over 70 years since Nazi concentration camps were liberated and the Holocaust that claimed six million Jewish lives came to an end. To perpetuate the memory of the Six Million, the Men's Club of Adat Shalom is once again joining Jews throughout North America by participating in the Yom HaShoah Yellow Yahrzeit Candle Program, sponsored by the Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs (FJMC).

On the evening of Wednesday, May 1, 2019 we ask that you light a candle with your family to remember the six million Jews who perished in the Holocaust. Special Yom HaShoah candles from the FJMC are available from the Men's Club and can be picked up during regular business hours.

There is no charge for the candle, however we are asking you to help offset the cost of this project with a donation so that we can continue to bring you programs to keep the memory of the Holocaust alive. Donation forms are in the office and can be found online at www.adatshalom.org/flyers.



WALK FOR ISRAEL

NEW
LOCATION!

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, May 5, 2019

Celebrate **ISRAEL**

Bouncies, Israeli Music, Games, Food, Entertainment,
Fun for the Whole Family!

Community-wide Event Hosted at ADAT SHALOM

www.WalkForIsrael.org



Adat Shalom hosted the Bloomfield Hills Middle School 7th Grade World Religions Program. Rabbi Bergman, Rabbi Shere and Hazzan Gross provided tours of our synagogue discussing the building itself, the Holocaust Torah, the memorial wall, ritual items and synagogue music.



Rabbi Yoskowitz once again welcomed to Adat Shalom Professor Keith Huey from Rochester College and students from his 2019 Comparative Literature class.

A CARING COMMUNITY

SOCIAL ACTION IN ACTION

HOPE HOSPITALITY AND WARMING CENTER

Thursday, April 11, 6-9 P.M.

HOPE began in 1998 in response to a person experiencing homelessness who froze to death in downtown Pontiac. The Adat Shalom community is an important partner in supporting its mission.

On Thursday, April 11, we will provide and serve dinner at HOPE. Although the weather may have improved, the goal of a safe overnight place is a year-round need for those experiencing homelessness. If you can help, give me a call, 248.798.7673.

The following is a recent note I received from Hope Hospitality and Warming Center:

"Thanks to supporters like you, we were able to shelter everyone who came for help during the recent weeks of extremely cold weather. That is important to all of us."

RONALD McDONALD HOUSE

Sunday, April 28, 5-7 P.M.

We will provide and serve dinner to families staying at the Ronald McDonald House in Detroit. This free housing is for families that have children in the hospital in the metropolitan Detroit area. It gives family members the freedom to devote their time and energy to supporting their children's medical and emotional needs. Often, the residents come to eat, talk and to be distracted for a few minutes. Most of them had never heard of Ronald McDonald House. They certainly never thought they would be using their services! They are so grateful for everything provided for them.

If you are able to help this month, contact Deb Lapin, lapes321@sbcglobal.net or 248-763-2616.

This will be the last time that the Lapin/Randal family will coordinate this important program. PLEASE consider coordinating the program. It's a meaningful activity for the whole family. Call for any questions.

AND BEFORE YOU KNOW IT...

SOUTH OAKLAND SHELTER

June, 23 - 30, 2019

Adat Shalom Synagogue hosts clients of the shelter.

*NO ACT OF KINDNESS, NO MATTER HOW SMALL,
IS EVER WASTED. - AESOP*

Evva Hepner

248-798-7673/evva.hepner@gmail.com



Sandy & David Kirsch with
Elisha Cooper at Tech Connect



Sara Braverman happily
working with Ariel Ser



Tikkun Adat:

Sharing more than bricks & mortar

Help wanted?

Pesach is close at hand, and you're wondering how you're going to manage?

Maybe you could use some help at home?

Maybe you're caring for an elderly parent?

Maybe you have some issues with your teenager?

Maybe one of metro Detroit's family of Jewish agencies can help you out. Check out the rack of brochures that Tikkun Adat has set up in Adat Shalom's ladies lounge and in the synagogue office lobby. There you'll find how-to and where-to information of all kinds from many agencies and organizations.

And, in case you'd like to help out somebody else, check out the options for volunteering your time. Go ahead, take a look.

P.S. Will you be having a seder guest with vision problems? Do a mitzvah. Contact JBI International (formerly the Jewish Braille Institute) for a large-print Haggadah (212.889.2525).

Got a new baby?

Adat Shalom has a welcome gift! Let Charmley Levine know at charmleyl@hotmail.com. And it'll be delivered to your door this month. **Mazel tov!**

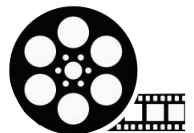
Calling all FRIENDS of Bibles & Baseball

The Adat Shalom FRIENDS Day Trippers will take their next outing to the main branch of the Detroit Public Library for a private showing of "Bibles to Baseball" on May 14.

The unique exhibit includes old texts and artifacts from around the world. Participants will leave from the synagogue at 11 A.M. for lunch and the tour. For transportation information, contact Margery Jablin at mjablin@yahoo.com.

And if you love movies...

The Film FRIENDS are forecasting their next flick for April 7. Led by Diane Lebovic and Jan Goldfarb, the group will meet after the show for a spirited review and refreshments.



If you'd like to join the group for their next movie outing, contact Diane, dlebovic@ameritech.net.

Also mark your FRIENDS calendar for May 5 (a special event at the Jewish Film Festival), June 23 and August 18.

Tech Connect Hits a Home Run

Thanks to seven computer-savvy teens, a number of adults with iPhone issues left with smiles after their recent session at Adat Shalom.

Elisha Cooper is the current chairperson for the all-volunteer program, offered twice a year at no charge by Tikkun Adat.

She was joined by these teen computer whizzes: Ethan Biederman, Scott Katz, Ariel Ser, Avi Shere, Benny Shaevsky and Ben Tushman.

Computer-challenged adults who wish they had signed on are advised to keep an eye out for the next Tech Connect announcement in the fall.

THE LEARNING COMMUNITY



**JEWISH
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As this month ends, we begin to celebrate the holiday of Passover (*Pesach*). In addition to the information in this newsletter for you to read about why and how we celebrate the holiday, the following resources may be helpful:

<http://www.cjvoices.org/article/a-parents-guide-to-passover/>

<https://pjlibrary.org/passover>

<https://religionnews.com/1997/01/01/news-feature-personalizing-the-passover-seder/>

Many of our children have heard stories about us when we were children, they may even have heard about their grandparents as children; pictures included. We tell them because it is a part of us. We want them to remember and feel it; as their history it is a part of them.

You may wonder why this is all relevant to my article this month. While sitting down to your Seder it is important to remember, recount and to pass the story on. Grandparents have been telling their parent's story to their children and grandchildren for generations. This makes it your personal story and your children's as well. Often at a Seder young children may feel the most removed and it is important to include them, after all it is a part of us and them.

In current times there are many versions of the Haggadah available to choose from and family friendly resources to help make Passover an interactive family event from preparation to clean up. I wish you a very happy holiday.

L'Shalom,
Debi

Upcoming Family Events at Adat Shalom

Shake, Rattle & Twist – Sunday, April 7

Braid challah and sing songs with Rabbi Bergman at 10:30 A.M. Free for members, \$3/non-member family; Geared to children three and younger and a parent, grandparent, or caregiver. Older siblings are always welcome.

– Friday, May 3. 11:15 A.M. with Hazz'n Dan.

PJs Pesach – Friday, April 26

Children 5 and under and their families are invited to a PJ program with friends and holiday-appropriate activities. We begin at 10 A.M. and will be joined by Rabbi Bergman as our guest storyteller. Feel free to join us while services are in session. No fee to attend.

Family Synergy Shabbat – Friday, May 3

Join us for Shabbat Rocks, a lively musical Shabbat, co-led by the youth of Adat Shalom. Come for an uplifting prayer experience and stay for dinner and a fascinating talk by Canadian-Israeli journalist Matti Friedman. Supervised activities are available for kids. Beginning at 6:00 P.M. Dinner: \$56/household, \$25/adult, \$15/child 3-12, free under 3.

For more information or to reserve your place, call Debi Banooni, Jewish Family Educator, at 248.626.2153.

Jewish preschools are closed for the holiday --
Join us to celebrate

Pesach - Day 7

PJS & STORIES

Friday, April 26 - 10 a.m.

Join us for a story,
a holiday-friendly craft
project and a snack

Kids can
come in
pajamas!



~ Special guest reader
Rabbi Aaron Bergman

~No charge for this special PJ event

FAMILY EDUCATION PROGRAMS AT ADAT SHALOM ARE ENDOWED IN MEMORY OF JEANETTE & OSCAR COOK

Please respond with the number of people
attending to Debi Banooni, Jewish Family Educator,
(248) 626-2153 or email her at
dbanooni@adatshalom.org.



And from the Adat Shalom archives...



Adat Shalom-Beth Achim Learning Community 4th Grade Seder,
April 2013

FROM DR. MELISSA SER
Director of Education

FROM JODI GROSS
Director of Adult Learning & Youth Engagement



LEARNING COMMUNITY NEWS

On Friday evening, May 3, the youth from the Adat Shalom-Beth Achim Learning Community will be on the bimah with Hazzan Gross and the Shabbat Rocks Ensemble as they help lead the congregation in prayer. This Shabbat will be a SYnergy Shabbat to remember: a true synergy between the youth, families, and adults of all ages at Adat Shalom. We hope that you will join us for an uplifting prayer experience, to celebrate what our children have accomplished, to thank our teachers, and to learn together after a catered Shabbat meal with our speaker Matti Friedman.

April and Passover

"Simcha rabba, simcha rabba, aviv higia, Pesach ba!" Great joy, great happiness, spring has come and Passover is coming. These words from a classic Israeli children's song always make me smile (and not just because of the "spring has come" part). This month, we have just two weeks of classes between Spring Break and Passover! Nosh & Drash students in grades 8-12 will experience a teen version of Matzah Factory, complete with a Chopped Charoset Competition, on April 8. The third and fourth grades are collaborating to celebrate a mock seder together on April 14, and on April 15 our 7-12 graders will host an Interfaith Social Justice Chocolate Seder for our friends in the teen program at Hope Lutheran Church. On the afternoon of April 14, the Matzah Factory is hosting a community event from 3 to 5 P.M. during which participants will travel through the Israelites' experience—building pyramids, learning about the plagues, making matzah and journeying through the wilderness. They will create crafts for their seder, climb through an obstacle course, do yoga to stay calm along the way, and of course enjoy their delicious matzah! We encourage all of our families to attend this amazing - and free - community program!



The recent Kids' Afternoon of Fun went to Marvin's Marvelous Mechanical Museum.



TVC making a difference at Yad Ezra.

CALENDAR:

Sunday, April 14

Kids' Afternoon of Fun: Bowling at Langan's for K-5th graders
J-Serve Community-wide teen volunteer day for 6th-12th graders

Sunday, April 28

Teen Volunteer Corps project at Jewish Family Service

YOUTH ENGAGEMENT

Does your 6th to 12th grader enjoy volunteering and want to earn community service hours?

Teens are invited to participate in J-Serve (International Day of Jewish Teen Service). Adat Shalom is a community partner of J-Serve which is happening on Sunday, April 14 from 12:30-4 P.M. They will have an amazing opportunity to volunteer at one of several hand-selected non-profit organizations making a difference in Detroit. This community-wide teen volunteer day will begin and end at Friendship Circle.

Teens will be split up among service sites. It is going to be a fabulous and meaningful day of service. All projects will have adult chaperones. J-Serve is funded and organized through JFamily at the JCC. For details about J-Serve and to register to volunteer go to www.jccdet.org or contact me.

College Connections:

Parent volunteers are needed on Sunday, April 14 at 9:30 A.M. to assemble Pesach packages for undergraduate, graduate and recent graduates. If you are interested in volunteering or want to make sure your child receives a package, contact me at jgross@adatshalom.org.

SYNAGOGUE SCHOLARSHIP FOR ISRAEL STUDY

Adat Shalom is offering college students a scholarship opportunity for study in Israel. **The Jay Yoskowitz z"l Israel Scholarship Fund** will provide a scholarship of \$1500 for a semester of study at a recognized Israeli university or at the Conservative Yeshiva.

Applications for the scholarship for the 2019-2020 school year are now available. To apply, please contact Sheila Lederman at slederman@adatshalom.org or 248.851.5100, ext. 246. Applications are due May 24, 2019.

MATTHEW SCOTT DOREN Z"L CAMP RAMAH / ISRAEL TRAVEL / STUDY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The synagogue is pleased to offer, once again, the Matthew Scott Doren Memorial Camp Ramah Scholarship, established by Naomi & Martin Doren z"l in memory of their beloved son Matthew.

This annual scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 is open to students entering 7th thru 12th grades. The scholarship can be used for attendance this summer at either Camp Ramah in Wisconsin, Camp Ramah in Canada or approved travel/study program in Israel. The scholarship will be awarded based on financial need. Applicants must submit essays on "Why a Summer Camping or Israel Travel Experience Would be Personally Meaningful." The winner of the scholarship will be determined by a committee consisting of Naomi Doren, her daughter Cheryl Copley, and members of the Adat Shalom clergy.

Interested applicants should forward their essays for consideration to Executive Director Alan Yost, ayost@adatshalom.org. Essays are due by April 19.

CELEBRATIONS

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

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| 1- Karen Danto
Rachel Matz | 13- Sandy Vieder
Neal Zalenko |
| 2- Nathan Cohen
Judi Rosen-Davis
Carol Greenfield
Aubrey Tobin | 14- Helen Bernstein
Sharon Goodman
Riley McCullagh |
| 3- Cheryl Bloom
Ed Miller
Avery Shapiro
Robert Shapiro
Julie Teicher | 15- Pamela Lippitt
16- James Boschan
Andrea Gordon |
| 4- Maryum Gordon
Steve Hoberman
Stephanie Pollak
Anita Taylor
Jessica Weiner | 17- Judi Fox
Jerome Glassman
Michelle Kroll |
| 5- Arie Moskovitz
Gordon Shlom
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Melissa Ser |
| 6- Noah Babcock
Joel Gershenson | 19- Cy Lisnov
Jennifer Soble |
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WE ARE PLEASED TO LET YOU KNOW...

Irma Glaser is being honored by Jewish Senior Life's Eight Over Eighty event with The Tikkun Olam Award for helping to "Repair Our World."

Charles Nebus, Chief of Police, Farmington Hills Police Department sent the following note of appreciation to Jodi and our students:

*Ms. Gross,
Thank you for the "goodie bags" delivered to officers at FHPD. Please express our appreciation to the students.
Regards,
Chief Nebus*

Celebrate a special occasion by sponsoring a Shabbat Kiddush on Saturday morning
Call Sheila Lederman for more information, 248.851.5100

APRIL ANNIVERSARIES

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| 6- Sharon & Bennett Schwartz | 14- Shari & Kenneth Stein |
| 7- Dorene & Alan Finer | 17- Beth & Craig Bradford |
| 13- Marla Parker
& Bradley Goldberg | 28- Elizabeth & Barry Rosen
Ashley & William Slatkin |

MAZAL TOV!

Birth of **Emma Nicole Herc**, daughter of Erica & David Herc; granddaughter of Karen & Scott Lewis, Sharon & Robert Herc; great-granddaughter of Elaine & the late Ted Frazis, Marcia & Charles Lewis

Birth of **Evan Pensler Hill**, son of Elizabeth Pensler & Derek Hill; grandson of Brenda & Mark Pensler, Gloria & Gary Shaw

Birth of **Rylee Sullivan Lebovic**, daughter of Laura & Joshua Lebovic; granddaughter of Barbara & Ted Gittleman, Sharon Moss Lebovic & Tom Lebovic; great-granddaughter of Ilene Gittleman

Birth of **Ella Rose Selik**, daughter of Esther & Jeff Selik; granddaughter of Suretta & Alan Must, Teri & Bruce Selik, Linda Klein

Marriage of **Adina Miriam Lowy**, daughter of Reva & Bill Lowy to **Aaron Robert Goss**, son of Karen & Ken Goss

Marriage of **Ariel Beth Slabotsky**, daughter of Susan & Larry Slabotsky to **Nathan Richard Cooper**, son of Cheryl & Carey Cooper



Did you know that all adult individuals under the age of 30 are welcome to a complimentary Adat Shalom membership? And after the age of 30, until age 35 there is a reduced rate. All you need to do is let us know their name(s) and address.

This is a great opportunity for your children living in the metropolitan Detroit area to be a part of the Adat Shalom family. **Your synagogue is eager to have your children as members.**

Each month we list birthdays and anniversaries of those congregants who have given us the dates of their "special occasions." If you would like to be listed in this column, please notify Susie Steinberg at sssteinberg@adatshalom.org

From Michael Wolf

Director of Spirituality and Outreach

The fifth question on Passover...

Why is the recitation of Hallel on the night of Passover different than the recitation of Hallel during the rest of the year?

At all other times of the year, the Hallel is recited in the synagogue, but on the night of Passover, Hallel is recited in our homes.

Rabbi Morris Adler, of blessed memory, taught the following:

"Judaism begins in the home. It doesn't begin at a meeting or a conference or at a philanthropic campaign. It begins in homes where Judaism lives in the atmosphere and is integrated in the normal pattern of daily life. It begins in homes where the Jewish words re-echo, where the Jewish book is honored, and the Jewish song is heard. It begins in homes where the child sees and participates in symbols and rites that link him to a people and culture. It begins in homes where the Jewish ceremonial object is visible. It begins in homes where into the deepest layers of a child's developing personality are woven strands of love for and devotion to the life of the Jewish community."

My addition – Judaism starts in the home and continues at the daily minyan... hope to see you soon!

Wishing you and your family a *Chag Kasher V'Sameach!*

Three Adat Shalom Members Take an Onboard Trip

Twenty fellows from Metropolitan Detroit's Onboard leadership cohort had the incredible opportunity to go on Onboard's Israel Study Tour in February. Three of the Onboard fellows are Adat Shalom members and each represent a Jewish organization in the Metropolitan Detroit Jewish community. Jackie Issner represents Adat Shalom Synagogue, Ilana Liss represents Hillel Day School, and Vadim Avshalumov represents the Downtown Synagogue.

Throughout the week in Israel, they learned from and engaged with some of the most creative and inspiring social change leaders from across the spectrum of Israeli society. Through their vision, passion, and sense of responsibility, they are playing a role in integrating disadvantaged groups into a shared society while addressing unmet needs. The fellows met diverse individuals who shared their personal stories. These perspectives shed light on the importance of building personal connections and respecting each other's differences and common humanity. Jackie Issner shared, "While recognizing multiple truths, and keeping our hearts and minds open, we must stay true to what Yossi Klein Halevi calls our 'Zionism of longing'; we honor our love for Israel, a homeland that our resilient Jewish people must continue to safeguard. As Avraham Infeld reminded us, as Jewish leaders our common mission is 'to ensure the continued significant renaissance of the Jewish people.'"

The Detroit crew left Israel much more educated about Israel's complexities. They feel extremely inspired to serve as leaders who strengthen organizations and help secure a vibrant Jewish future.



Vadim Avshalumov
and Jackie Issner



Jackie Issner and Ilana Liss

MEMORIALS

INEZ CANE, wife of the late Irving S. Cane, mother of Sugar (the late Marc) Vogel, Candy (David) Cuttner, Phyllis (Bob) Pilcowitz, Hilary (Edan) King, grandmother of Lauren (Randy) Freedman, Ilissa Vogel, Sonney (John) Berkowitz, Joey (Jenna) Marcus, Loni (Fiancé Mike Burda) Marcus, Alli (Adam) Wyden, Jackie Pilcowitz (Fiancé Henry Moss), Nathan Pilcowitz, Alex King, David King and Ari King, great-grandmother of Jordan Vogel and Charlie Marcus, also survived by Randy's children, and David's children and grandchildren, devoted daughter of the late Doris and Joseph Mendelson.

EMANUEL (MANNY) MITTELMAN, husband of Bessie Mittelman, father and father-in-law of Yaakov Shmuel (Esther) Mittelman, Leah (the late Paul) Kohn, Estee Einstein, Dinah (Allan) Schwartz, David Mittelman and Nomi (Yankel) Rottenstein, Marcia Mittelman, survived by many loving grandchildren, great-grandchildren, great-great-grandchildren.

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ADAT SHALOM MEMORIAL PARK



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Margaret Arredondo
by Elaine & Gary Rosenblatt
IN HONOR OF:
 Bat Mitzvah of Marley DeRoven
by Elaine & Gary Rosenblatt

JAY YOSKOWITZ ISRAEL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

IN MEMORY OF:

Mark Voight *by Dennis Phillips*

THE BREAKFAST FUND

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In memory of Bathsheva Elias
by Harry Maisel
 In memory of Laura Schostak
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 In memory of Hillel Isaac Maisel
by Harry Maisel

MARCH:

In memory of Debby Schilling *by Gail Langer*
 In memory of Irving Weintraub
by Burt Weintraub
 In memory of Sima Greenstein
by Gene Greenstein
 In honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Doris Gold
by Deborah & Barry Gold
 In memory of David Lebovic
by Tom Lebovic and Joey Lebovic

Minyan Breakfast Fund

IN MEMORY OF:

Yahrzeits of:
 Harry Kay *by Susan Kay*
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by Rochelle & Chuck Markle
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 Hamburger *by Scott Hamburger*

IN HONOR OF:

Michael Wolf *by Scott Hamburger*

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ADAT SHALOM'S tribute funds provide support for our many important synagogue programs and services, which help to define us as an outstanding congregation.

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We are very grateful to members and friends who have consistently purchased tributes, marking lifecycle events and other significant occasions, and we encourage your continued support. Each greeting is individually prepared on a handsome card.

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We will process your tribute and mail it promptly.

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If you would like information about how to establish a fund, please contact Executive Director Alan Yost.

APRIL 2019

ADAR II - NISAN 5779


Adat Shalom Synagogue

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<div></div> <p><i>The Omer</i> is a measure of grain which symbolically marks each day of the seven weeks between Pesach and Shavuot. At our evening service, you will hear the Omer “counted” for 49 days.</p>	<div>1</div> <div>NO SCHOOL</div> <div>HAZZANUT PROGRAM with Hazzan Gross 1:00 PM</div> <div>ADAR II 25</div>	<div>2</div> <div>SYNAGOGUE EXEC. COMMITTEE MEETING 6:00 PM</div> <div>26</div>	<div>3</div> <div>NO SCHOOL</div> <div>27</div>	<div>4</div> <div>SISTERHOOD BOOKCLUB 7:15 PM in a private home</div> <div>28</div>	<div>5</div> <div>SISTERHOOD ROSH CHODESH STUDY GROUP with Rabbi Shere 10:00-11:00 AM</div> <div> 7:46 PM 29</div>	<div>Tazria</div> <div>SHABBAT HACHODESH</div> <div>ROSH CHODESH NISAN</div> <div>SHABBAT TORAH STUDY with Ruth Bergman 9:45 AM SOULFUL YOGA with Rabbi Shere 10:00 AM MINCHAH-MAARIV 8:00 PM</div> <div>NISAN 1</div>
<div>BABY BASKET ASSEMBLY 9:30 AM</div> <div>KNITTING CIRCLE 9:30 AM</div> <div>GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP with Rabbi Shere 10:30 AM</div> <div>SHAKE, RATTLE & TWIST 10:30 AM</div> <div>CLASSES RESUME 2</div>	<div>8</div> <div>3</div>	<div>9</div> <div>4</div>	<div>10</div> <div>5</div>	<div>11</div> <div>Conservative Community Pre-Pesach Night of Learning 7 PM 6</div>	<div>12</div> <div>SHABBAT ROCKS 6 PM</div> <div> 7:54 PM 7</div>	<div>Metzora</div> <div>SHABBAT HAGADOL</div> <div>Bar Mitzvah of Henry Nathan</div> <div>SHABBAT TORAH STUDY with Rabbi Joseph Krakoff 9:45 AM</div> <div>PRE-PRESACH SOULFUL YOGA with Rabbi Shere 10:00 AM</div> <div>MINCHAH-MAARIV 8:00PM 8</div>
<div>PRE-PESACH LEARNING: MEDITATION & MINDFULNESS with Rabbi Bergman and Hazzan Gross 9:30 AM</div> <div>GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP with Rabbi Shere 10:30 AM</div> <div>THREE LIVES OF THE SARAJEVO HAGGADAH 10:30 AM</div> <div>B'NAI MITZVAH CONNECTIONS: with Hazzan Gross 10:45 AM</div> <div>KIDS' AFTERNOON OF FUN 12 PM 9</div>	<div>15</div> <div>MUSSAR MONDAYS with Rabbi Bergman 7:00 PM 10</div>	<div>16</div> <div>SYNAGOGUE BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING 7:00 PM 11</div>	<div>17</div> <div>12</div>	<div>18</div> <div>13</div>	<div>EREV PESACH 19</div> <div>FAST DAY</div> <div>SIYUM HA B'KHOR 7:30 AM</div> <div>First Seder</div> <div>MINCHAH-MAARIV 6:00 PM</div> <div> 8:02 PM 14</div>	<div>PESACH 20</div> <div>First Day</div> <div>SERVICES 9 AM</div> <div>MINCHAH IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING PESACH KIDDUSH</div> <div>Second Seder</div> <div> 9:11 PM 15</div>
<div>PESACH 21</div> <div>Second Day</div> <div>SERVICES 9 AM</div> <div>NO SCHOOL UNTIL APRIL 29</div> <div>MINCHAH-MAARIV 8:30 PM</div> <div>1  16</div>	<div>CHOL HAMOED PESACH 22</div> <div>NO SCHOOL</div> <div>2  17</div>	<div>CHOL HAMOED PESACH 23</div> <div>3  18</div>	<div>CHOL HAMOED PESACH 24</div> <div>NO SCHOOL</div> <div>4  19</div>	<div>CHOL HAMOED PESACH 25</div> <div>  8:08 PM 20</div>	<div>PESACH 26</div> <div>Seventh Day</div> <div>SERVICES 9:00 AM</div> <div>PJs- PESACH with Rabbi Bergman 10:00 AM</div> <div>MINCHAH-MAARIV 6:00 PM</div> <div>6   8:09 PM 21</div>	<div>PESACH 27</div> <div>Eighth Day</div> <div>YIZKOR</div> <div>SERVICES 9:00 AM</div> <div>HEALING IN HARMONY SERVICE with Rabbi Shere and Hazzan Gross 9:45 AM</div> <div>MINCHAH-MAARIV 8:15 PM</div> <div>7  22</div>
<div>28</div> <div>MEDITATION & MINDFULNESS with Rabbi Bergman 9:30 AM</div> <div>MEN'S CLUB ELECTIONS BREAKFAST 9:30 AM</div> <div>B'NAI MITZVAH CONNECTIONS: ITORAH with Rabbi Shere 10:45 AM</div> <div>NO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL CLASSES</div> <div>TVC PROJECT at JFS</div> <div>8  23</div>	<div>29</div> <div>CLASSES RESUME</div> <div>9  24</div>	<div>30</div> <div>DRUM CIRCLE WITH HAZZAN GROSS AT HILLEL DAY SCHOOL 7:00 PM</div> <div>10  25</div>	<div>MAY</div> <div>S M T W T F S</div> <div>1 2 3 4</div> <div>5 6 7 8 9 10 11</div> <div>12 13 14 15 16 17 18</div> <div>19 20 21 22 23 24 25</div> <div>26 27 28 29 30 31</div>	<div>SERVICE SCHEDULE</div> <div>MORNING SERVICES</div> <div>Shabbat & Festivals 9:00 a.m.</div> <div>Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m.</div> <div>Sun. & Nat'l Holidays 8:30 a.m.</div> <div>WEEKDAY EVENING SERVICES through Nov. 1, 2019 6:00 p.m.</div> <div>Shabbat Minchah/Maariv times vary. See each date.</div> <div>Shabbat & holiday services childcare available 10:00 a.m.</div>	<div>Q: What is a siyum celebration?</div> <div>A: We complete a section of the Talmud with a celebratory and festive meal, in honor of a mitzvah.</div>	

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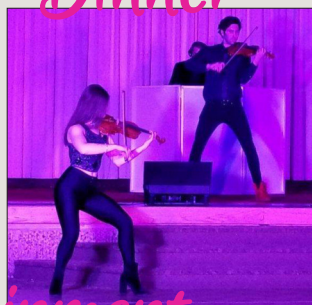
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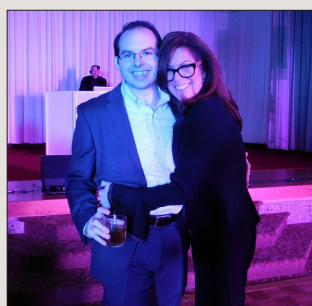
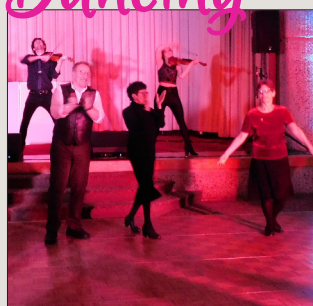
Dinner



Entertainment



Dancing



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CANDLE LIGHTING

SHABBAT ENDS

FRIDAY:

April 5	7:46 P.M.
12	7:54 P.M.
19	8:02 P.M.
26	8:09 P.M.

SATURDAY:

April 6	8:46 P.M.
13	8:54 P.M.
20	9:02 P.M.
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