

ADAT SHALOM SYNAGOGUE

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Mornings:

Sunday - Friday 8:00 A.M.*

Shabbat 9:00 A.M.

*Times subject to change

Evenings (Minchah-Maariv):

Sunday - Friday 6:00 P.M.

Saturdays:

May 2 8:30 P.M.

May 9 & 16 8:45 P.M.

May 23 & 30 9:00 P.M.

Please read your weekly **Shabbat at Adat**
email or visit our website for video and phone
login instructions and any schedule changes

SHABBAT TORAH PORTIONS

May 2

Acharei Mot-Kedoshim

May 23

Bamidbar

May 9

Emor

May 30

Shavuot

May 16

Behar-Bechukotai

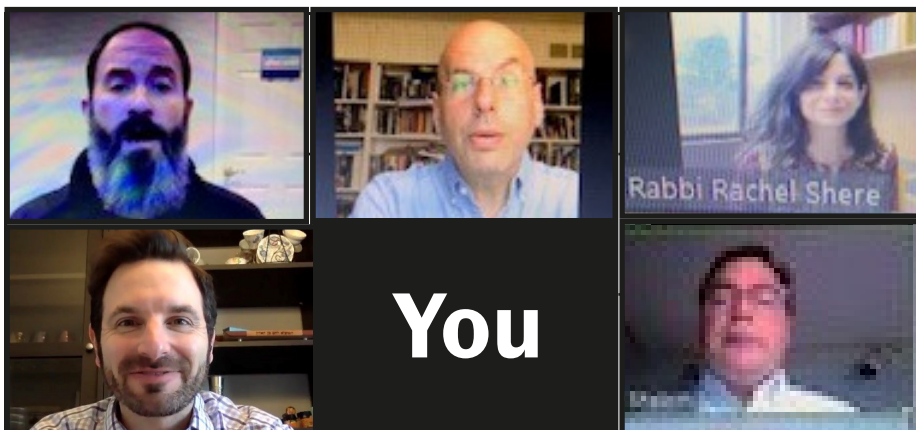
Physically
distant.
Spiritually
connected.

Adat Shalom is virtually open!

Join us as we serve our Synagogue Family and the Detroit Jewish Community with access to services, clergy programming, and special events right from your homes.

As we all know, things are changing day by day, so please watch for emails and check our website www.adatshalom.org for the most up-to-date information.

All religious services, classes, special programming, and non-essential meetings are suspended in our synagogue building at this time. We will be following the guidelines of the CDC and Governor Whitmer to determine when we will be able to re-open.



SERVICES & SPIRITUALITY

Virtual

Meditation AND MINDFULNESS with Rabbi Aaron Bergman

Sunday, May 3 at 9:30 a.m.

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

<https://zoom.us/j/95862796748>
Meeting ID: 958 6279 6748 | Dial in: 312-626-6799

Questions: Jodi Gross, jgross@adatshalom.org



Virtual

Soulful Yoga

led by Rabbi Rachel Shere
and Mindy Eisenberg

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

New time **Saturdays, May 2 & 16**
11:00 a.m: Rabbi Shere teaches Torah
11:30 a.m: Yoga led by Mindy Eisenberg

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85273421913>
Meeting ID: 852 7342 1913 | Dial in: 312-626-6799

Future dates: June 6 and 20

Questions: Jodi Gross, jgross@adatshalom.org



Mazal Tov to our May B'nai Mitzvah!

May 2

Samuel Ray Gold is the son of Deborah & Barry Gold, grandson of Elaine Einsteadig z"l & Milton Einsteadig, Claire (Collins) Robinson z"l & Michael Gold



May 16

Jonah David Wittenberg is the son of Stacey & Marc Wittenberg, grandson of Anita & Ronald Taylor, Eileen & Sidney Bradley, Carol & Larry Wittenberg



May 16

Lily Rose Schwartz is the daughter of Shauna & Scott Schwartz, granddaughter of Lorri Trompeter & Alan Trompeter z"l, Sharon & Bennett Schwartz, great-granddaughter of Roberta Kay



VIRTUAL Physical Distancing Support Group Facilitated by Rabbi Shere

A safe place to talk, share struggles, and feel the companionship of others. Rabbi Shere will explore inspirational Jewish ideas.

Sundays, May 17, 24 and 31
at 10:00 a.m.

<https://zoom.us/j/91390810673>
Meeting ID: 913 9081 0673
Dial in: 312-626-6799



JOIN DR. MELISSA SER, CJE, FOR

Torah Study Wednesdays @ 9:30 a.m.

Exploring the weekly parashah from the comfort of your living room.

<https://zoom.us/j/299993879>
+6465588656 Meeting ID 299993879



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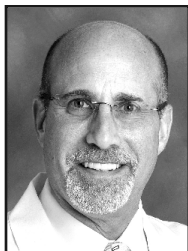
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FROM THE PRESIDENT, SANFORD VIEDER

It is hard to believe that my term as president of Adat Shalom is quickly coming to an end. Reflecting, I recognize that it has been a very challenging, and sometimes tumultuous but fulfilling term. It is natural at the onset of a term-limited position to set out with an aggressive agenda, chock-full of lofty goals and aspirations. I thought I would use this final president's article in The Voice to provide a brief summary and touch on some highlights.

Over the past 24 months, our board has worked hard to identify goals in the best interest of our collective membership. The first order of business was to secure contract extensions for all our clergy to ensure we retained the best clergy in our city for the future. That was perhaps the easiest accomplishment, in no small part because the clergy themselves want to be a part of Adat Shalom. They each love what they do and that is reflected in all they accomplish and their commitment to making Adat Shalom a special place.

Our current spiritual home at 29901 Middlebelt Road was in desperate need of physical plant updates. The building was constructed in 1972 and still had many of the original fixtures, HVAC system and no security system. We embarked upon an aggressive project to address all these 40+ year old systems. All new energy efficient LED lighting was installed. New boilers and air chillers were installed to replace the old HVAC system. A state of the art sound system was installed in the sanctuary. A new security system with cameras and locked entry points was installed and our fire alarm system was upgraded. As of this writing, we have also identified several areas of our 20+ roof systems which are in need of repairs or upgrades, and these will hopefully be accomplished within the next few months (as we return to some level of normalcy following the pandemic!). I have frequently commented to fellow board members

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FROM RABBI RACHEL SHERE

When someone close to us dies, Judaism offers the meaningful tradition of sitting *shiva*. We light a candle after returning from the cemetery and use its light to share memories and stories for seven days.

The loss of a loved one disrupts and transforms our world; we emerge from *shiva* as different people entering a different world. Just as the Torah teaches us that it took God seven days to create the world, *shiva* marks a seven-day period in which we work to create a new world for ourselves.

The candle that burns in the *shiva* home symbolizes the light our loved one has bequeathed to us. During the *shiva* period, we internalize this light and it becomes the inspirational force that guides our path back into a new and unfamiliar world.

The current pandemic has likewise disrupted and transformed our world. When we ultimately receive the green light to return to "normal," let us consider if there are aspects of "normal" that need changing. For so many of us, quarantine has opened our eyes to the many blessings in our lives. It has shifted our priorities and made us deeply aware of the interconnectedness underlying all life. Like the candle light we carry out of the *shiva* home, I pray that the wisdom we have acquired during this crisis will truly illuminate the path for us to work toward a new and brighter world for all of God's creation.



FROM RABBI AARON BERGMAN

When I write my Voice articles I usually look to what events, holidays or historical anniversaries are happening in that month. Even though I write them a month in advance, I tend to feel pretty secure that what I am writing will still be relevant.

I am no longer sure what the word "usually" means anymore. I am writing this March 25th for the May issue. It is possible that things are returning to more or less what they were before COVID-19, and that we are starting to feel like we can breathe again. It is also possible that quarantines are continuing, and that we are feeling ever more constricted. Either way, our sense of confidence has been affected.

There is one thing that I am certain of, and that is the assured future of our people and our ability to bring healing, meaning and peace to the world.

Our people began in a period of great uncertainty. We were slaves for centuries, not knowing when we would be free. After we left Egypt we entered into the wilderness, not knowing where we were going, not knowing when we would arrive at the Promised Land, a place no slave had been, a place that not even Moses had seen.

What we had was faith, and our determination to make a better world for ourselves, our loved ones, our community and for all of God's creation.

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FROM HAZZAN DANIEL GROSS **VIRTUAL INSPIRATION**

I am writing this message on Day 24 of the home quarantine. Having gradually accepted this new, isolated lifestyle, one thing that has been a beacon of light during this dark period is the emergence of the virtual Adat Shalom

community. Our daily minyan has always been the heartbeat of Adat Shalom. When we had to close the synagogue building in March, our daily prayer services did not skip a beat. Thanks to the marvel of modern technology, especially the video conferencing app Zoom, we are able to conduct virtual services, thus allowing daily prayer to remain a constant at Adat Shalom. I have been amazed at people's comfort level in accessing Zoom and how quickly we have adapted to this new type of gathering. It has been inspiring to witness the support that people have provided to one another. Whether it is merely seeing the smiling face of a fellow congregant, taking part in the friendly kibbitzing that takes place before and after the service, or hearing the powerful chorus of "Amen" during Mourner's Kaddish, the online platform has sustained our community during this most difficult time.

It is vital to maintain a positive attitude throughout this unprecedented and uncertain time. During this crisis, our electronic devices can serve as a portal into the Adat Shalom community. Even though we are confined to our individual homes, it is possible to find comfort in the online presence of others. Rest assured that one day soon this period of isolation will be over and we will be able to be together in the same physical space. In the meantime, I look forward to seeing you online!



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your mind, body
& spirit

ADULT LEARNING

Jodi Gross, Director of Adult Learning

Virtual

LUNCHTIME LEARNING



Angels and Demons in Jewish Tradition

Taught by

Rabbi Aaron Bergman

Judaism has a long and rich history of stories of Angels and Demons. We will look at these stories from the time of the Talmud to Midrash to Chasidic stories. Some tales are inspiring. Some are scary. All are entertaining. No requirements except an open mind.

**Mondays, May 4, 11 and 18
at Noon**

<https://zoom.us/j/96536900926>
Meeting ID: 965 3690 0926 | Dial in: 312-626-6799



Questions:
Jodi Gross, jgross@adatshalom.org



Virtual program

Cultivating Calm Amidst the Chaos

with
Rabbi Shere

**Tuesdays
at 11 a.m.**



<https://zoom.us/j/644612897>

Meeting ID: 644 612 897

Dial in: 312- 626-6799



VIRTUAL

PIRKEI AVOT

Join Rabbi Aaron Bergman
for a weekly discussion to explore spiritually and
intellectually uplifting moments to help bring in Shabbat.

Pirkei Avot is one of the most beloved and wise books of our people. It was written long ago, but is even more relevant today. No matter how often you may have learned it, or whether you have never read it at all, Pirkei Avot will inspire and move you.

Fridays at 11:00 am

<https://zoom.us/j/548586566>
Meeting ID: 548 586 566
Dial in: 312-626-6799

Questions: Jodi Gross, jgross@adatshalom.org

Virtual

Mussar Mondays:

A Jewish Guide to Living a Better and More Meaningful Life
led by Rabbi Aaron Bergman

Monday, May 11 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.

<https://zoom.us/j/99189705954>
Meeting ID: 991 8970 5954 | Dial in: 312-626-6799

Questions: Jodi Gross, jgross@adatshalom.org

Virtual

Chat with Rabbi Bergman

Asking questions is part of our tradition. Get ready with your questions and expect some lively and informative answers.

Wednesdays at Noon

<https://zoom.us/j/255731884>
Dial in: 312-626-6799
Meeting ID: 255 731 884

Questions: Contact Jodi Gross, jgross@adatshalom.org

ADULT LEARNING

Virtual

Thursday, May 28

TIKKUN LEIL SHAVUOT

Celebrating the World of Animals, Especially Our Pets

Animals have been an important part of Jewish texts and stories since Biblical days. We will have a special ceremony blessing our pets, and then explore sources and hear songs about the world of animals.

7:00 pm: Teen program led by Melissa Ser

7:30 pm: Minchah

7:45 pm: **SPECIAL SERVICE: Celebrating our pets**

8:00 pm: Exploration of texts and songs led by Clergy

9:00 pm: Maariv



<https://zoom.us/j/98148381810>
Meeting ID: 981 4838 1810
Dial In: 312-626-6799

Shavuot Services

Tikkun Leil Shavuot

Thursday evening, May 28 at 7:00 P.M.

See login information above

Shavuot First Day

Friday morning, May 29 at 9:00 A.M.

Megillat Ruth will be read

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/95028665995>

Meeting ID: 950 2866 5995 Dial in: 1-646-558-8656 US

Friday evening, May 29 at 6:00 P.M.

Minchah-Maariv

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/737464414>

Meeting ID: 737 464 414 Dial in: 1-646-558-8656 US

Shavuot Second Day

Saturday morning, May 30 at 9:00 A.M.

Yizkor and the Adult B'nai Mitzvah Ceremony

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/414334772>

Meeting ID: 414 334 772 Dial in: 1-646-558-8656 US

Saturday evening, May 30 at 9:00 P.M.

Minchah-Maariv

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/59848003>

Meeting ID: 598 458 003 Dial in: 1-646-558-8656 US

Shavuot Day 1 *Megillat Ruth* readers

Annette Greenstein

Nancy Handelman

Diane Howitt

Alison Lee

Rochelle Lieberman

Sarah Waldshan

Mazal Tov to our Adult B'nai Mitzvah

Allen Amber

Zakia Galambush

Carol Greenfield

Anne Greenstein

Joanne Miller

Linda Rosenbaum

Joyce Sherman

RABBI BERGMAN (continued from page 3)

Shavuot, the holiday of the giving of the Torah to those slaves in the wilderness, is also a holiday of counting. It does not have its own date, but is based on counting from Pesach. No one who left Egypt knew when Shavuot would occur. They faced this uncertainty with courage and love. Living this way is the very definition of faith, a faith that has sustained us through every challenge for thousands of years.

We are an example to the world of how to find moments of joy and reasons to celebrate when it feels like the world is more and more uncertain.

There is nothing wrong with fear and concern. They are normal human restrictions. Remember, though, too, where we came from and how far we have come as a people. We will continue to keep living fully, and will show the world how to do so, too.

From Michael Wolf

Director of Spirituality and OUTREACH

The Torah portion *Bechukotai* begins with two major principles – the concept of free will and the system of reward and punishment.

The first word of the *parasha* is “if.” If you follow My laws and faithfully observe My commandments, I will grant your rains in their season... But if you do not obey Me and do not observe all these commandments... I in turn will do this to you...”

If we want a harvest, we have to plant seeds. If we want friendship, we must perform acts of friendship. To be sure, we are painfully aware that there are some ifs over which we have no control, but in so many crucial areas of life, we, and we alone, do have control.

Rabbi Sidney Greenberg notes in his book *Lessons for Living* that in the middle of the word “life” we find “if” and in the middle of the Hebrew word for life, *Hayyim*, we find the letters *yud, yud* which spell a shortened form of the name of God.

Bechukotai concludes the book of *Vayikra* – *Chazak, Chazak, V'nitchazek*, Be strong, be strong, and let us strengthen one another. Please remember IF you have any questions, all you have to do is call.

VIRTUAL

R-Rated Bible Stories

taught by Rabbi Shere

Prostitutes, Psychics, Philanderers & More:
The Bible Stories They Didn't Teach You In Sunday School

Thursdays at 1:00 p.m.

during the months of May and June

<https://zoom.us/j/99239983188>

Meeting ID: 992 3998 3188 | Dial In: 312-626-6799

OUR COMMUNITY ►

Sisterhood

From Your Sisterhood Co-Presidents ...

To all members of our Adat Shalom, we hope this May edition of *The Voice* finds you all in good health!

To all those Sisterhood members, their family members, friends, and acquaintances, who have had COVID-19 or have it, we wish you a very speedy recovery!

To all those members of our congregation who have recently lost loved ones and friends during this pandemic, we hope the beautiful memories you have will comfort you and give you solace and strength during these difficult times.

Cindy Babcock, Geula Rapp, and Judy Rudy

The Sisterhood's Rosh Chodesh Nisan Program took place via Zoom on March 26. Rabbi Shere used "Dayenu" to help us focus on what would be enough for us during this unprecedented moment in time. She talked about how we can stay positive, connect with those who are marginalized, how we can breathe our way through this by prayer or meditation and how certain constants can give us hope that this too shall pass. A number of prayers and poems were read including "And the People Stayed Home" by Kitty O'Meara, "Prayer for Healthcare Workers" by Rabbi Ayelet S. Cohen, "Lockdown" by Richard Hendrick, and "Pandemic" by Lynn Ungar. It was very uplifting, thought provoking and motivational in the days preceding Pesach.

There Will Be A Donor Day! The invitations were printed and ready to be mailed when we had to make the decision to postpone Donor Day. We are still planning to honor Joyce Weingarten at our special event, but it will have to wait until a later date. We are giving some thought to making it our Sisterhood fall event. Please watch for announcements in the upcoming editions of *The Voice* for Sisterhood updates. Thank you!

Adat Shalom Synagogue Sisterhood Gift Shop



Call for a shopping appointment:

Carol Vieder, 248.661.9008 / Lillian Schostak, 248.310.2018

Celebrate a special occasion by sponsoring a Shabbat Kiddush on a Saturday morning

Call Kellie Yost for information, 248.851.5100 ext. 246

MEN'S CLUB

MEN'S CLUB MUSINGS... BY JOEY LEBOVIC

Our Club quickly made event calendar "adjustments" to be compliant with the "Stay Home, Stay Safe" executive order and support the community during these scary times.

We have added Men's Club **Thoughtful Thursdays with Rabbi Bergman**. Join the men of Adat Shalom for a weekly virtual discussion forum from your computer or phone.

Everyone was disappointed when the necessary decision was made to postpone our annual Daddy Daughter Dance. The dance committee decided to help lift our spirits by having a Pre-glow Virtual DDD Party instead. Thanks to DJ JAMEZ from Cloud 9 for leading a fun dance party on-line! Due to popular demand our next **Virtual DDD Party will be Sunday, May 31**.

Our **Father & Son Craft Party** has also been changed from in-person to a DIY kit distributed by the Men's Club. Many thanks to Jaron Friedman for organizing this new program.

We're waiting for an official communication from the Tigers on our options for rescheduling this year's Tiger Game outing on June 14th.

The Men's Club Softball League on Sunday mornings hopes to play a shortened season that may extend into the fall. If you are interested in joining a team refer to the online information and contact Michael Betman.

Our event calendar, like the entire world, is morphing so please consult the website for latest information. Online registration and details at <https://adatshalom.org/adat-shalom-events/>. As always, feel free to contact me at jlebovic@ameritech.net with any questions.

THE MEN'S CLUB PRESENTS:

Thoughtful Thursdays with Rabbi Bergman

A weekly forum for men.

Thursdays at 7:30 p.m.

until the end of May



<https://zoom.us/j/5943103>

Dial In: 1-646-558-8656

Meeting ID 594 310 323

Questions: adatmensclub@gmail.com

OUR COMMUNITY

SANFORD VIEDER (continued from page 3)

SOCIAL ACTION IN ACTION

YAD EZRA

During this COVID-19 emergency we delivered groceries to homebound seniors. Without hesitation, Marcia Garland, Charmley Levine and Jennifer Sobel and family made sure that their orders were received. This service is more important than ever because many of these people have no one else to get them their supplies. Together we continue to meet the needs of the most needy among us.

HOUSING THE HOMELESS, June 21-28, 2020

We continue to monitor the ramifications of COVID-19 on our scheduled Lighthouse, South Oakland Shelter Housing the Homeless week. The goal of Lighthouse is for the program to return to a weekly rotation as soon as it is safely possible. I will update you as we receive more information.

"Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much."

– Helen Keller

Evva Hepner

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

ADAT SHALOM RESPONDS TO THE NEEDS OF THE COMMUNITY

On March 22, 2020, in the midst of the COVID-19 pandemic, Adat Shalom held a successful blood drive, helping to stock the empty coffers of the American Red Cross. We did our best to keep everyone safe, and found we could still engage with others while being 6 feet apart at all times. Although many people couldn't donate who wanted to (too high risk to venture into public), we had many others who stepped up to the plate and even more who wanted to. Despite the limited number of Red Cross workers, we collected 39 pints of blood. It is during times like these when we see the strength, the courage and the humanity of our neighbors. People come together to help out and that is the beauty of being a part of Adat Shalom, as well as the local community. Thank you to all of you.

Debby Portney



Tikkun Adat:

Sharing more than bricks & mortar

Hey, Baby! You're Special!

You may not know this, little one, but you're bound to hear about it in years to come: You've arrived at a major moment in world history when everything seemed to stop for a nasty virus.

But there were some sweet moments, and you're one of them. So let the Adat Shalom folks know that you arrived safely with an announcement in The VOICE. And best of all, Charmley Levine and friends will prepare and deliver a welcome home Baby Basket for you and your parents. Have them contact Charm at 248.737.8948, or email CharmleyL@hotmail.com so she and her team can make it happen.

Meanwhile, take a look at this happy threesome who enjoyed a delicious Baby Basket meal and gifts. They're Cooper and Asher, the sons of Jennifer and Ryan Stevens, together with their new young foster brother, Luke.



We had a wonderful Shabbat tonight. Thank you so much! —
Jennifer Stevens

that I may be the most expensive president in recent history. The cost was substantial, but it was money very well invested in our magnificent home and absolutely necessary.

It was good fortune to be the president for Adat Shalom's 75th diamond anniversary celebration. This important and momentous occasion for our local community was unfortunately marred by the senseless murder of many fellow Jews at the Tree of Life Synagogue in Pittsburgh, which occurred on the Shabbat morning we began our celebration. With emotional pain palpable and tensions high surrounding our own security, our community came together to honor those taken and affected by the senseless act. More than 1000 people attended our diamond anniversary concert, bringing much needed light into those immediate dark days.

Following the escalation of antisemitic activity around the world, security became a much more prominent topic of conversation for our congregation. As Jews, there is always concern about antisemitic rhetoric and activity, but none like we have experienced in the recent past. Security related discussions ensued on many levels. While there is always more that can be done, given the harsh reality of limited finances and finding the correct balance between no security and becoming a "police state," the board was able to achieve a good balance of initial security measures to protect our spiritual home, our members and community. More work is required and a recent professionally completed comprehensive security assessment has provided the blueprint for next steps. Security will be a necessary and permanent part of our budget moving forward and require a dynamic process of continual evaluation and wise modifications.

The current pandemic has presented many professional challenges to me as the medical director of an emergency trauma center. Over these past weeks, I have personally witnessed and experienced pain and sorrow, fear and detachment, disappointment and frustration. Thankfully, I have often experienced the incredible human spirit and the bonds that bring so many people together during difficult times. While I could write a book about my professional experience over the past 6 weeks, what I am incredibly proud of is how Adat Shalom has responded during this unprecedented time. Our professional staff has done a tremendous job adapting to the challenges faced, maintaining and enhancing our collective ability to maintain our Jewish connections.

The immediate future remains unclear and while we all soon hope to be physically together again sharing simchas, the myriad opportunities to learn, connect and participate with the Adat Shalom community is truly something to marvel at! We may be physically distant, but still spiritually and socially connected. Make sure you "Zoom on over" to one of the great offerings throughout the week. Frequently check our website for continual updates.

Finally, it is impossible to take any credit for accomplishments personally. Everything that happens at Adat Shalom is brought together by an incredibly dedicated staff and clergy, in addition to the countless hours volunteered by our lay leaders. They are the true heroes in Adat Shalom's success and, despite any challenges I may have faced while president, it is this small army of incredible people that make the task easier and worthwhile. I am confident that our incoming president, Joan Chernoff Epstein and all the members of the executive committee and board of trustees will ensure that Adat Shalom continues to adapt, prosper and grow. I leave my position knowing we are in great hands moving forward!

On behalf of the entire Vieder family, I extend my best wishes for prosperity, safety and excellent health as we all work through the current challenges. I thank you all for entrusting me with the privilege of serving as president of Adat Shalom Synagogue.

B'Shalom,
Sandy

FROM DR. MELISSA SER

Director of Education
mser@adatshalom.org



FROM JODI GROSS

Director of Adult Learning & Youth Engagement
jgross@adatshalom.org

LEARNING COMMUNITY NEWS

Thank you.

Those are really the best words I can come up with for you - my students, families, teachers, colleagues, and friends. You jumped in with us into the world of online learning and teaching. I never could have imagined that I'd be doing all of my teaching on Zoom, sharing texts and words of wisdom with colleagues around the world.

Over the past month and a half, we have learned Torah, sung songs, listened to stories, prayed, and chatted together. We may be physically distant, but I feel socially more connected to so many of you than I ever have.

It is unlikely that we will get back to religious school this year, since our last day was expected to be May 3. However, until the shelter in place is lifted, we plan to continue holding weekly sessions on Sunday mornings and Hebrew reading sessions, in addition to our evening story & shema on Facebook. We will be adding additional programming, so please keep checking the calendar.

Is there something you would like to learn? A way that we can be helpful to you and your family from a distance? Please be in touch!

Summer Scholarships Offered by Adat Shalom

Matthew Scott Doren z"l Memorial Jewish Summer Program Scholarship, established by Naomi and 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 through 12th grades. The scholarship can be used for attendance at any approved Jewish summer experience program for camping, travel to Israel or study in Israel. The scholarship will be awarded based on financial need. Applicants must submit an essay on "Why a Jewish summer experience would be personally meaningful and rewarding." 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 from the Detroit Metropolitan Jewish community should forward their essays for consideration to Executive Director Alan Yost. Essays are due by Friday, May 15.

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 2020-2021 school year are now available. To apply, please contact Kellie Yost or at 248.851.5100, ext. 246. Applications are due Friday, May 15.

The Harry & Sarah Laker z"l Memorial Scholarship will grant a \$1500 scholarship for a year's study at a recognized Israeli university. Applications are available for the 2020-2021 school year. To apply, email Kellie Yost or call 248.851.5100, ext. 246. Applications are due by Friday, May 15.

LEARN HEBREW & EARN CREDITS

at Adat Shalom Synagogue & Eastern Michigan
University's Dual Enrollment Hebrew Program

For information contact Dr. Melissa Ser,
248.626.2153, mser@adatshalom.org

YOUTH ENGAGEMENT

As the youth engagement programming season is concluding and before I start working with my dedicated team of youth leaders to plan next year's calendar of community building and fun events, it is my pleasure to share a few highlights from this year.

During our Kids' Afternoon of Fun and Kids' Night Out programs, youth of Adat Shalom had a blast laughing, exploring, making new friends and being part of a caring community. Kindergarten to 4th graders loved learning and doing circus acts with the help of experts from Circus Amongst Us, taking over the kitchen and baking tasty treats for Purim, watching an interactive Mad Scientist show, and creating and coding a basketball game with Robot Garage. 5th to 7th graders enjoyed the video game and dance truck event and creating their own Robot Garage creation. Many 7th graders enjoyed volunteering with older teens during Teen Volunteer Corps projects at Adat Shalom and other organizations in our community.

By design, our 8th to 12th grade engagement program is an a la carte menu of opportunities for teens to engage, connect and learn with other teens, and form meaningful relationships. Teens made a difference during their involvement in the Teen Volunteer Corps. They enriched their minds during Nosh & Drash. Teens explored their identity and the Jewish connections to civil and human rights in Atlanta, Georgia. They were also madrichim (teacher assistants) and positive Jewish role models for kids during religious school. In addition to everything else they were doing, teens also volunteered in youth activity rooms during the High Holidays and at the Purim carnival.

There are many opportunities for kids and teens to make lasting friends, be part of an active youth community, contribute to our congregation and make connections with our educators, youth, professionals and clergy. I look forward to continuing the important work I do with and for youth, the future leaders of Adat Shalom.

THE MEN'S CLUB OF ADAT SHALOM & JFAMILY PRESENT:

Back by popular
demand

DADDY
daughter
DANCE

VIRTUAL DANCE PARTY

Come as you are or put on your dancing clothes

Sunday, May 31, 5:00 - 6:00 p.m.

DJ & Music provided by
Cloud 9 Special Events



<https://zoom.us/j/95781630582>
Meeting ID: 957 8163 0582

Questions: Jaron Friedman, friedmja@hotmail.com
adatmensclub@gmail.com



The actual dance
has been postponed
until 3.7.2021.

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EDUCATION & FAMILY

Jewish Learning should be
Joyful - Exciting - Fun - Meaningful - Relevant
 Learn about the Adat Shalom-Beth Achim Learning Community
 and our student-centered educational philosophy at a

Virtual Open House
SUNDAY, MAY 17 AT 11 A.M.



RSVP to receive login info: mser@adatshalom.org

THE MEN'S CLUB PRESENTS:
Father & Son
DIY Build Project
at Home

Sign up deadline to receive your kit
by the mail: Sunday, May 10

www.adatshalom.org/dioproject

Geared towards kids ages: 2 to 12 year olds | Free of Charge

Event Chairs: Jaron Friedman and Joey Lebovic

Questions: Jaron, friedmja@hotmail.com
 or adatmensclub@gmail.com




Family Education programs are endowed
 in memory of Jeanette & Oscar Cook

CELEBRATIONS

May Birthdays

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| 1- Karen Cash | Stewart Prog |
| Viola Cohen | Jordan Supowit |
| David Harold | 16- Shira Anchill |
| Ellen Labes | 17- Robert DeRoven |
| Linda Singer | Shelley Droz |
| 2- Taal Ashmann | Diane Hopp |
| Melissa Novetsky | Lauren Rosenberg |
| 3- Irwin Danto | 18- Howard Kowalsky |
| Marla Parker Goldberg | Sherri Morof |
| Michael Robbins | Mara Starr |
| Kenneth Whiteman | 19- Irwin Elson |
| 4- Richard Cohen | Melissa Kirshner |
| David Forst | Ronald Schechter |
| Daniel Shere | 20- Madeleine Blum |
| 5- Phil Elkus | Jason Goldis |
| Dennis Yashinsky | Karen Rottman |
| Alan Yost | Vadim Avshalumov |
| 7- Marilyn Karbal | Lon Zaback |
| Sanford Mall | 21- John Levy |
| Phyllis Soltz | Jeffrey Young |
| 8- David Otis | 22- Harold Baker |
| Jason Pollak | Steven Goodman |
| Lauren Tackel | 23- Stacey Francis |
| 9- Rochelle Juni | Sue Ellen Kaufman |
| 10- Helen Bayles | 24- Jessica Bartol |
| Aaron Greenspon | Lori Kaplan |
| Paul Magy | 25- Sara Eaker |
| Rayna Kogan | 26- Sara Wasser |
| Howard Terebelo | 27- Mark Bernstein |
| 11- Susan Feldman | Fred Fischer |
| 12- Natalie Blum | Shelley Kohl |
| Idelle Neuvirth | Aaron Rebeck |
| Gary Shiffman | 28- Barry Goodman |
| 13- Craig Glaser | Danielle Gordon |
| Carrie Kushner | 29- Brett Endelman |
| Scott Schwartz | 30- Faith Jacobson |
| Thomas Williams | 31- Irvin Kappy |
| 14- Robert Mattler | Charmley Levine |

May Anniversaries

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| 3- Sharon & Alan Kaplan | 23- Larisa & Dmitry Belski |
| 5- Judy Rudy & Cliff Dubowski | 25- Jenna & Aric Klar |
| 7- Sherri & Gary Morof | 27- Robin & Robert Elkus |
| 8- Cynthia & Aaron Greenspon | 28- Caryn & Ronald Bittker |
| 11- Susan & Robert Rollinger | Barbara & Michael Jonas |
| 14- Margo & Steven Goodman | Rochelle & Jack Juni |
| Stephanie & Jason Pollak | Chelsea & Aaron Rebeck |
| 15- Sandra & Stewart Shipper | Carrie & Steven Stillwater |
| 18- Linda & Barry Rosenbaum | 29- Shelley & Alan Droz |
| 19- Harriet & Sanford Mall | Ariella & Ian Monson |
| 20- Susan & Michael Feldman | 30- Erin & Kevin Chupack |
| Elizabeth & Derek Hill | Emily Kaufman Hunegs |
| 21- Nancy & Dennis Liefer | & Joshua Hunegs |

Mazal Tov!

Birth of **Samantha Hallie Anchill**, daughter of Hillary & Benjamin Anchill, granddaughter of Jane & Neil Anchill, Lisa & Gerald Brody, great-grandson of Beatrice Anchill, Terry & Claude Oster, Rhea Brody

Birth of **Aiden Joseph Shapiro**, son of Sammi & Michael Shapiro, grandson of Debbie & Jeff Supowit, Margie & Steven Shapiro, great-grandson of Marcia Sinkoff and Jo Fridson

TRIBUTES

We acknowledge with sincere appreciation the generous contributions designed to maintain the many programs at Adat Shalom Synagogue.

While the office is temporarily closed, Tributes continue to be received and greeting cards mailed.

Look for the listings of **Tributes** to resume in the June-July issue of The Voice.

Adat Shalom Synagogue Tribute Contribution

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

We have set an \$18 minimum price for tribute cards.

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.

To arrange for a tribute, please visit www.adatshalom.org/donate.php, call the office at 248.851.5100, or send the following information to the synagogue office:

1. *Name of Fund*
2. *Occasion: (In memory of ... In honor of ... Speedy recovery to ... (Please print names.)*
3. *Name(s) (first & last) and address of person(s) to be notified*
4. *Your name(s) & address*
5. *Check for \$18 per tribute*

We will process your tribute and mail it promptly.

Tributes received by the 1st of the month will appear in the following month's **VOICE**.

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

ADAT SHALOM MEMORIAL PARK



THE CEMETERY IS OPEN FROM 9 A.M. - 5 P.M.

SUNDAY THROUGH FRIDAY, CLOSED ON SHABBAT AND JEWISH HOLIDAYS

**FOR INFORMATION ABOUT THE PURCHASE OF CEMETERY PLOTS,
PLEASE CALL STEVEN GOLDSMITH, 248.798.9995
OR DENISE GALLAGHER, 248.851.5100**

MEMORIAMs

LOU BERLIN, husband of the late Evelyn Berlin, father of Renee Krauss, Dr. Steven (Jill) Berlin, and Joyce (Dr. Jeffrey) Weingarten, grandfather of Jonathan (Jennifer) Krauss, Robert (Elana) Krauss, Arielle (Brett) Endelman, Emily (Cody) Rex, Aviva (Gaal) Surugeon, and Elliot (Libby) Weingarten, great-grandfather of Jillian and Jolie Krauss, Blake Endelman, Levi and Lila Surugeon, and Aidan Krauss, brother of the late Max Berlin, the late Anne (the late Sam) Solomon, the late Jennie Tugman, and the late Joseph Berlin, brother-in-law of Sara Berlin.

MAURICE "MOE" BETMAN, husband of Bernice Betman, father of Jeff Betman, Ron (Shelly) Betman, Michael (Lisa) Betman and Marc (late Diane) Betman, grandfather of Samantha, Carli, Julia, Noah, Seth, Erin and Michelle Betman, brother of the late Eleanor (late Joseph) Manela, brother-in-law of the late Larry (Anna) Nedelman and the late Gertie (Joseph) Grossman.

MADELINE BRONSTEIN, wife of the late Martin Bronstein, mother of Stewart (Diana) Bronstein, Gail (Steve) Elkus, Gary (Beth) Bronstein, Joel (Michelle) Bronstein and Bob (Regina) Bronstein, grandmother of Justin (Kristina) Bronstein, Jordyn Bronstein, Michael (Carly) Weinstock, Sammi Elkus, Taylor Bronstein, Jared Bronstein, Travis Bronstein, Ashley Bronstein, Ryan Bronstein, Kaitlin Bronstein, Patrick Bronstein, great-grandmother of Joshua Weinstock and Marlee Weinstock, sister of the late Harvey (late Gloria) Cohen and the late Eileen (late Bert) Sloane.

ROBERT BURK, husband of the late Rema Burk, father of Gerald Howard Burk, Ilene (Steven Kowalsky) Burk, Nancy (Howard Moritz) Burk, Amy (Bennett Klasky) Burk, grandfather of Marisa (Daniel) Meyers, Daniel (Allison) Kowalsky, Rachel Burk, Michael Burk, Yitzchok (Ariana) Burk, Avrum Burk, Benjamin Bernstein, Andrew Klasky, Dana Klasky Emily Klasky, and Samuel Klasky, great-grandfather of 6, brother to the late Sidney (late Jenny) Burk, late Helaine (Jerry) Clayton.

GERALD GOLDBERG, husband of the late Deborah Goldberg, father of David (Mary) Goldberg, Rachel (Jimmy) Duncan, Aaron Goldberg and Ruth (Jon) Garner, grandfather of Maxwell, Zachary (Lara), Colin, Victoria and Sidney.

RON HAMBURGER, husband of Gail Hamburger, father of Bryan (Sandra) Hamburger, grandfather of Alex and Hayley, brother of William (the late Frances) Hamburger and the late Edwin Hamburger, uncle of Susie (Gary) Lieberman, Joy (Michael) Moskovic, Nancy (Dave) Macleod, Karen (Idan) Regev and Michael Richardson.

COLEMAN KLEIN, husband of the late Nanci Klein, father of Michael Klein and Jeffrey Klein, grandfather of Jacob and Julie Klein, brother of the late Janice Pilnick, brother-in-law of Joel (Margaret) Shere, uncle of Dan (Rabbi Rachel) Shere.

BESSIE STEIN, wife of the late Irving Stein, mother of Marcia (Donald) Aaron, grandmother of Bradley Lewis Aaron, the late Keith Steven Aaron and Jennifer Aaron, great-grandmother of Blake David Aaron.

EDWIN TARNOPOL, husband of Arlene Tarnopol, father of Joel (Vicki) Tarnopol and Marc (Dr. Sharon Sandberg) Tarnopol, grandfather of Samantha, Lauren, Rebecca, Craig, Drew and Liana Tarnopol, brother of Robert Tarnopol.

JOSEF TZEEL, husband of Adina Tzeel, father of Annette (Herman) Greenstein and E. Albert (Carolyn) Tzeel, grandfather of Alexander (Melanie) Greenstein, Victoria Greenstein, Joseph Greenstein, Benjamin Tzeel, Jonathan Tzeel and David Tzeel, great grandfather of Olivia and Owen Greenstein, brother of Samuel (Leah) Tzeel.

GEORGE ZEFF, father of David Zeff and Jamie Zeff, brother of Danielle (Dr. David) Susser and Liliane Herschkowitz.

Adat Shalom Synagogue lovingly recalls the Yahrzeits of the following people in the month of May.

May their memories endure as an eternal blessing.

**8 IYAR 5780 – 14 IYAR 5780
MAY 2, 2020 – MAY 8, 2020**

MANSOUR BANOONI
ESTHER BASS
SHERMAN BERGSTEIN
FREDELLA KARDEN BERLIN
SARAH BOIM
HARRY DALSEY
FRIEDA DAVIDSON
DOROTHY DOMNITCH
JOSEPH EISENBERG
IRVING FELDMAN
STEVEN FENKELL
LIVIA LILLY FISCHER
RUTH GILBERT
EDDIE GORDON
SONIA GRANADER
ELSIE HAROLD
SIDNEY HESSEL
JUDEE HINDEN
CHARLOTTE HOFFMAN
ELSIE KONOWITZ KAMENS
IGNACZ KARP
ROSE KAZDEN
EDITH KETCHEL
GEORGES ANDRE KOHN
BENJAMIN KREMER
BARBARA ANN KURHAN
MIRIAM LASERSON
GERALD LEVIN
MILTON LEVIN
REUBIN LEVIN
ANNIE LIBERSON
JAKOB LIWAZER
MOLLIE MILLER
SOLOMON MODELL
REACA MOSKOWITZ
HERMINE NASH
MARVIN NUSSBAUM
GERALDINE OLSHANSKY
FANNIE PERLMAN
MARY RAFALES
MULYA ROSEN
SAM ROSENTHAL
TEDDY SAHAM
ROSE SALINSKY
JEROME SCHOSTAK
LOUIS SERLIN
JOSEPH SHANBAUM
MARTHA SHULMAN
SARAH SHULMAN
LESLIE SILVERMAN
MINNIE SINGER
MARILYN SOVERINSKY
JACK STARMAN
BETTY TAYLOR
KAREN WALDMAN
SAMUEL WEIDER
DANIEL WEINBAUM
MELVIN WEINGARDEN
FRED WEINSTEIN
EDWIN ZORN

**15 IYAR 5780 – 21 IYAR 5780
MAY 9, 2020 – MAY 15, 2020**

HERMAN "HY" ANCHILL
EDWARD BAXTER
JOANNA BERGER
ANN BERNSTEIN
NORMAN BESBRIS
BRENDA BETEL
BERNICE BOOCKER
HENRIETTA CHARFOOS
AARON COLEMAN
JEANETTE COOK
MYRON "MIKE" DANN
SHIRLEY DAVIDSON
CHAJA (TOBY) DOBKIN
LOUIS DORF
HARRY EISENBERG

GEORGE IRVING ELFOND
HENRY EPSTEIN
MILDRED ERDOS
LEON FEINGOLD
NATHAN FEINGOLD
LILLIAN FELDMAN
RABBI MOSES FISCHER
SADIE FOSTER
JEAN FRANKEL
DEBORAH GOLDBERG
ALFRED GOLDFADEN
MINNIE GOLDMAN
DAVID GOLDSMITH
DONALD GREENBAUM
ESTHER GROSS
PALTIEL GROSS
STUART GUTTENTAG
FRANK HOLTZMAN
ALAN HOROWITZ
JOSEPH LEE
STEPHEN LEIBHAN
MALCOLM LEVENTON
MAURICE LIFTON
JOSEPH LOOMUS
BORBOLA LUGOSI
KEITH MAISELS
JOYCE WEINGARDEN MARKLE
MARTIN MATTLER
DAVID MATZ
JOSEPH MILLMAN
IDA MITZ
JOSEPH MOSTEN
DAVID NOVAK
JACK OPPENHEIM
MORTON OPPENHEIM
JOSEPH ORLEY
EVAN TYLER OTIS
FANNIE ROBINSON
HELEN B. SACHS
IDA SCHWARTZ
NIRA SASONA SHATZ
FRANCES SOLOMON
YEHUDIT TALMAZON
SALLY TAMLER
CHARLES TINK
HARRY TRIMAS
MAX WARREN
GOLDIE WHITE
LIBBIE NEWMAN ZALENKO

**22 IYAR 5780 – 28 IYAR 5780
MAY 16, 2020 – MAY 22, 2020**

ALLEN BLONDY
MARILYN BORSEN
ALBERT BRESLER
LOUIS BRESSLER
RAHAMIM CHASANOV
JEAN DORIS COHEN
SANDRA COOK
CHAIM ALTER CORMAN
DOLORES NACHMAN CURIEL
MAX DANTE
YETTA DAVIDSON
SIMON DERSHOWITZ
JERRY EFROS
ARTHUR FISCHER
ISIDORE FOGEL
JULIUS (ZELL) GINSBERG
MORRIS GOLDIN
MARGARET GOLDSCHMID
MAX GOLDSMITH
REGINA GOLDSTEIN
HYMAN GOODMAN
ROSLYNNE GREENBERG
JACOV HASANOV
ALBERT JASLOVE
ABRAHAM JOFFE
ROSE KUSHELEVITZ
MAURICE LEDERMAN
ANNETTE LIBERSON

GERTRUDE LISS
BEN MECKLER
IRVING MERKOVITZ
MARY MIRSKY
EMIL NEUVIRTH
ANNETTE GAIL NEWMAN
MEYER PEARLMAN
SOL PENN
SHIRLEY PENNER
SAM PHILLIPS
DORA PROSTAK
MEYER RUDICK
ALBERT SAXON
JOSEPH SHIFFMAN
FREDERIC SHOLDER
GRANT SILVERFARB
SOL STOLLER
DOROTHY STRIP
ARTHUR VICTOR
DOROTHY WELBER
FREDELL WHITEMAN
EVA SELIGMAN WILENSKY
NORMAN WOLFE
NATHAN YOST

**29 IYAR 5780 – 6 SIVAN 5780
MAY 23, 2020 – MAY 29, 2020**

PHILIP ALPERN
DEVORA BAKERMAN
JOYCE BASS
STANLEY BERLIN
DAVID BIEDERMAN
JOSEPH FELDMAN
FANNIE FINK
ROSE FRIEDMAN
ESTHER FRISHMAN
ZELDA FRISHMAN
SIDNEY GARELICK
JOSEPH GODKIN
JARED GOLDENBERG
FAYE GOODMAN
HERBERT GORDON
RALPH GREENBERG
BETTY HANDELMAN
FREDA KAHN
MAURICE KAPLAN
LIVIA KATAN
RABBI SHERMAN KIRSHNER
RIVKA LEBOVIC
DVORA LEBOVICH
SMUEL LEBOVICH
EVELYN LEVINE
MURIEL MAISELS
EDWIN MALLINSON
ELAINE MATTLER
HYMAN MERVIS
CORINNE WILHELM MINKIN
PENNY NAGEL
JULIUS NUSSBAUM
JULIUS PAM
FAY PERLMAN
ESTHER ORODENKER POLLACK
SAUL ROSENBLUM
BERTHA ROTH
SAUL RUBIN
STANLEY SALZENSTEIN
SOL SCHAFER
SARA SHAPIRO
SOLOMON SHULMAN
DONALD SIEGEL
MOSES SMOLLER
SHIRLEY SORSCHER
HELEN STIEBEL
LaNORE STONE
HARRIETT MENDELSON TEITEL
SANDRA TEITEL
SUE WEINGARDEN
SIDNEY WOLFE
RUTH WORONOFF
MEYER BER ZEFF

FRANCES ZOLDAN

**7 SIVAN 5780 – 13 SIVAN 5780
MAY 30, 2020 – JUNE 5, 2020**

KEITH AARON
HARRY BEBES
ELEANOR BENKOFF
GLORIA BERKOWITZ
GERTRUDE BERMAN
SONYA BLECHMAN
PAULETTE BORIN
MOE DANN
BETTY DANTO
RITA C. DAVIDOFF
SAM DUBRINSKY
JACK EIDELMAN
ARTHUR ERDOS
SIDNEY FISCHER
SALAMONNE LEAH FOX
RUTH FREEDLAND
FANNIE GARFINKEL
THEODORE GLASS
HYMAN GORDON
HELENE GRAUER
KENNETH MICHAEL GREENBERG
LEATRICE GRODMAN
MOLLY GUDES
JACOB KAPLAN
MARISKA KARP
MARTHA KARP
JOSEPH KATCHKE
MORLEY KATZ
CHEDVA KOHEN
YOCHNAN KOHEN
ALAN KOHN
ROSELYN KOHN
JEROME KONOWITZ
MICHAEL KROOPNICK
NORMAN LETVIN
LEON LUCAS
ALEX MARGOLIS
SAUL MUSKOVITZ
BLANCHE POLLACK
SAMUEL POLLACK
HERBERT N. REINHEIMER
RUTH ROBIN
SIMON ROBINS
ABE ROGOFF
FAY ROTBERG
GABRIEL RUBIN
HELEN RUBIN
JACOB RUBIN
JACK SALOMON
JAYNE RUDY SCHOSTAK
BEN SCHUFF
MADELON SELIGMAN
LEVI SHAPIRO
BENJAMIN SIEGEL
JOSEPH SILVER
CHARLES SINGER
EVA SINGER
ETHEL SINKOFF
BERTHA BETH SPILMAN
SYLVIA STERN
JOE STOLER
ESTHER TAL
CALVIN TAUB
ALEXANDER VIEDER
AVRAHAM VIEDER
BATYA VIEDER
MOSHE VIEDER
RIVKA VIEDER
SERENA VIEDER
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MAY 2020

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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<p>3 MEDITATION & MINDFULNESS with Rabbi Bergman 9:30 AM Zoom</p> <p>MEN'S CLUB ELECTIONS Online 9:30 AM</p> <p>PARENTING IN A PANDEMIC led by Jackie Issner, PhD and Rabbi Shere 11:00 AM Zoom 24</p>	<p>4 LUNCHTIME LEARNING with Rabbi Bergman 11:45 AM Zoom</p> <p>ISRAEL 2.0 NINA YAHALOMI KLEVITSKY 7:00 PM Zoom</p> <p>10</p>	<p>5 CULTIVATING CALM with Rabbi Shere 11:00 AM Zoom</p> <p>SYNAGOGUE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MTG. 7:00 PM Zoom</p> <p>11</p>	<p>6 TORAH STUDY with Dr. Melissa Ser 9:30 AM Zoom</p> <p>CHAT WITH RABBI BERGMAN 12:00 PM Zoom</p> <p>FINDING YOUR BALANCE with Rabbi Bergman and Dr. Ruth Lerman 7:00 PM Zoom</p> <p>12</p>	<p>7 R-RATED BIBLE STORIES taught by Rabbi Shere 1:00 PM Zoom</p> <p>MEN'S CLUB PRESENTS THOUGHTFUL THURSDAYS with Rabbi Bergman 7:30 PM Zoom</p> <p>13</p>	<p>8 PIRKEI AVOT with Rabbi Bergman 11:00 AM Zoom</p> <p>22</p> <p>IYAR 8:16 PM</p> <p>23</p>	<p>9 Emor</p> <p>23</p> <p>MINCHAH-MAARIV 8:30 PM</p>
<p>10 MOTHER'S DAY</p>	<p>11 LUNCHTIME LEARNING with Rabbi Bergman 11:45 AM Zoom</p> <p>MUSSAR MONDAYS with Rabbi Bergman 7:00 PM Zoom</p> <p>17</p>	<p>12 LAG BA'OMER</p> <p>CULTIVATING CALM with Rabbi Shere 11:00 AM Zoom</p> <p>18</p>	<p>13 TORAH STUDY with Dr. Melissa Ser 9:30 AM Zoom</p> <p>CHAT WITH RABBI BERGMAN 12:00 PM Zoom</p> <p>19</p>	<p>14 R-RATED BIBLE STORIES taught by Rabbi Shere 1:00 PM Zoom</p> <p>MEN'S CLUB PRESENTS THOUGHTFUL THURSDAYS with Rabbi Bergman 7:30 PM Zoom</p> <p>20</p>	<p>15 PIRKEI AVOT with Rabbi Bergman 11:00 AM Zoom</p> <p>36</p> <p>8:31 PM</p> <p>37</p>	<p>16 Behar-Bechukotai Bar Mitzvah of Jonah Wittenberg Zoom</p> <p>SOUFUL YOGA with Rabbi Shere 11:00 AM Zoom</p> <p>Mincha Bat Mitzvah of Lily Schwartz Zoom</p> <p>MINCHAH-MAARIV 8:45 PM</p> <p>22</p>
<p>17 PHYSICAL DISTANCING SUPPORT GROUP with Rabbi Shere 10:00 AM Zoom</p> <p>VIRTUAL SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE 11:00 AM</p> <p>B/M BEGINNINGS: with Hazzan Gross 11:00 AM Zoom</p> <p>38</p>	<p>18 LUNCHTIME LEARNING with Rabbi Bergman 11:45 AM Zoom</p> <p>39</p>	<p>19 CULTIVATING CALM with Rabbi Shere 11:00 AM Zoom</p> <p>40</p>	<p>20 TORAH STUDY with Dr. Melissa Ser 9:30 AM Zoom</p> <p>CHAT WITH RABBI BERGMAN 12:00 PM Zoom</p> <p>SYNAGOGUE ANNUAL MEETING 7:30 PM</p> <p>41</p>	<p>21 R-RATED BIBLE STORIES taught by Rabbi Shere 1:00 PM Zoom</p> <p>MEN'S CLUB PRESENTS THOUGHTFUL THURSDAYS with Rabbi Bergman 7:30 PM Zoom</p> <p>42</p>	<p>22 PIRKEI AVOT with Rabbi Bergman 11:00 AM Zoom</p> <p>43</p> <p>8:38 PM</p> <p>44</p>	<p>23 Bamidbar</p> <p>MINCHAH-MAARIV 9:00 PM</p> <p>29</p>
<p>24 ROSH CHODESH SIVAN</p> <p>PHYSICAL DISTANCING SUPPORT GROUP 10:00 AM Zoom</p> <p>B/M CONNECTIONS: with Hazzan Gross 11: AM Zoom</p> <p>1</p> <p>31</p>	<p>25 MEMORIAL DAY</p> <p>Morning Minyan 8:00 AM</p> <p>46</p>	<p>26 CULTIVATING CALM with Rabbi Shere 11:00 AM Zoom</p> <p>47</p>	<p>27 CHAT WITH RABBI BERGMAN 12:00 PM Zoom</p> <p>48</p>	<p>28 EREV SHAVUOT</p> <p>R-RATED BIBLE STORIES 1:00 PM Zoom</p> <p>TIKKUN LEIL SHAVUOT - Zoom 7:00 PM Teen Program 7:30 PM Minchan 7:45 PM Special Service Celebrating our Pets Animal Teachings, Texts & Songs led by our clergy 8:00 PM Maariv 9:00 PM</p> <p>49</p> <p>8:43 PM</p> <p>5</p>	<p>29 SHAVUOT</p> <p>First Day Services 9:00 AM</p> <p>Megillat Ruth</p> <p>MINCHAH-MAARIV 6:00 PM</p> <p>6</p>	<p>30 SHAVUOT</p> <p>Second Day Services 9:00 AM</p> <p>YIZKOR</p> <p>ADULT B'NAI MITZVAH CEREMONY Zoom</p> <p>MINCHAH-MAARIV 9:00 PM</p> <p>7</p>

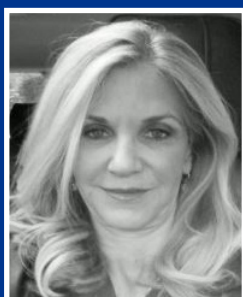
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The Adat Shalom Synagogue Annual Meeting

Wednesday, May 20, 7:30 P.M.



Joan Chernoff Epstein, President

All congregants are invited to attend Adat Shalom's annual meeting and election of officers and trustees. This is an opportunity for you to learn more about the offerings and accomplishments of our Synagogue. We will review our financial situation and also hold our annual Memorial Service.

The nominating committee has submitted the following slate for 2020/2021:

OFFICERS:

President Joan Chernoff Epstein
First Vice President Joyce Weingarten
Vice President Joe Wener
Secretary Jerome Pesick
Treasurer Gordon Leff

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AT-LARGE:

To be determined (2021)
Maria Pacis-Biederman (2022)
Jackie Issner (2023)

BOARD OF TRUSTEES: 3-year term

Rick Tyner (2023)
Julie Wiener (2023)
Gary Wine (2023)

MEMORIAL PARK: 3-year term

Irving Lichtman (2023)
Cindy Posen (2023)
Jack Rubin (2023)
David Schostak (2023)

The By-Laws permit additional candidates for any office to be nominated by a petition signed by 25 members in good standing. The petition must be filed with the secretary of the congregation (by filing in the Synagogue office during regular business hours) no later than the close of business on Tuesday, May 12, 2020. The candidate must consent to placing their name in nomination. As of this date, no petitions have been filed.

Sincerely, Nominating Committee,

Sanford Vieder, Ken Goss,
President Chairperson

Joe Wener,
Secretary

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CANDLE LIGHTING

Friday:

May 1	8:16 p.m.
8	8:24 p.m.
15	8:31 p.m.
22	8:38 p.m.
29	8:44 p.m.

SHABBAT ENDS

Saturday:

May 2	9:16 p.m.
9	9:24 p.m.
16	9:31 p.m.
23	9:38 p.m.
30	9:44 p.m.

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