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## In Order to Grow...

We want to know!

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Our community  
thrives on  
connection.

Confirm your Adat Shalom member profile  
easily. See pages 3 & 8 for more information.



FROM THE VICE PRESIDENT, JACKIE ISSNER

In my family, we grew up sprinting to the bathroom, especially when anxious, and blaming it on the inherited "Gross stomach" since my doting grandma's maiden name fittingly was Gross. No one worried more than she did, especially when it came to her grandchildren.

Many Jewish families joke about their "nervous stomachs." We know it in our kishkes.

So when my son Micah began having IBS-like symptoms in first grade, I wasn't particularly alarmed. Given our family's history of "nervous stomachs," it seemed like a familiar story. During a second-grade year that lacked the stability and warmth he needed, his symptoms worsened. Each morning, the anticipation of school sent him running to the bathroom again and again before he could get on the bus. When the school year ended and stress eased, his stomach seemed to settle, too.

When Micah transferred to Hillel for third grade, his anxiety was lower, and he adjusted beautifully. But when the symptoms returned, we knew something more than stress was going on. What we assumed was a sensitive stomach ultimately led to a life-changing diagnosis: Crohn's disease.

As a parent, every instinct in me wanted to take the pain away and carry the burden.

Crohn's disease taught me that my job wasn't to eliminate every challenge, but to walk beside Micah as he learned to navigate them himself. And he has done exactly that. Together, we have faced doctor's appointments, colonoscopies, MRIs, and monthly infusions—sometimes crying, sometimes laughing. Despite everything, I have watched Micah develop a quiet grit. Whether it's baseball, basketball, golf, skiing, school, friends, or family, he keeps showing up, puts in the work, and keeps moving forward, even when the road ahead looks all uphill.

Micah has always been thoughtful and empathetic, but this journey has deepened those qualities and given him a perspective beyond his years—a greater awareness of what others may be quietly carrying and a genuine desire to lift others up and make a difference. Crohn's is now woven into Micah's story, but it does not define it. What stands out most is the person he is becoming.

One of the gifts of this journey has been Micah's connection with Mia, another Adat Shalom child living with Crohn's. Watching them participate in the Take Steps Walk together was a powerful reminder of the comfort and strength that come from community.



As a parent, I could not be prouder of Micah. This year, Micah's Mission: Grit & Guts raised more than \$6,700 for the Crohn's & Colitis Foundation through the Take Steps Walk, making him the event's top individual fundraiser. More important than the dollars raised is what they represent. Micah took a challenge he never would have chosen and transformed it into a mitzvah—raising awareness, supporting research, and offering hope to

other children and families living with Crohn's disease. Watching him turn adversity into purpose has been one of the greatest gifts of this journey.



FROM RABBI AARON BERGMAN

Rabbi Alan Lew, z"l, pointed out that there are seven weeks in between Tisha B'av and Rosh Hashanah.

I never thought of that before. It is the same amount of time as in between Pesach, the time of our liberation, and Shavuot, the time of our becoming the Jewish people through accepting the Torah.

Tisha B'av is really the beginning of the high holiday season. It is an opportunity to reflect on what holds us back as a people and as individuals from fulfilling our own potential and keeps us locked in a cycle of missed opportunities and disappointment.

We sit on the floor and read the Book of Lamentations, Eichah, and reflect on how the cruelty and disregard for human life of our enemies brought so much destruction on us. We also think about whether we have been cruel to others because of how we handle our suffering, and how to refrain from doing so. We remind ourselves that we can change the cycle of suffering and pain.

We then stand together and sing and remind ourselves that we are here and that we have the capacity for goodness, no matter what has happened to us in our history. We bring that optimism and energy into the High Holidays, which become joyous when we realize how much growth and joy is possible. Those days are serious, but not grim. We embrace our potential and our essential goodness, and find ways to bring that to the world, or at least the people around us.

The process of liberation begins in owning our pain, the pain inflicted on us and the pain we have caused. We do not have to repeat the past; we do not have to live in it, but we have to understand where we came from and how we got here. We have to realize that every person you know, and every person you don't, is suffering from something that prevents them from acting at times in healthy and loving ways. It does not mean we condone terrible behavior, but we can confront it better from a place of understanding rather than fear and hate.

Tisha B'av is potentially a time of liberation leading to the recreating of ourselves as a people. It is a time of turning our mourning into experiencing joy and meaning in life.

In Jewish tradition we do not pretend that we are perfect, or that we have never been affected by the pain that we have experienced. We are not superhuman. We are deeply human. That is enough.



Rabbi Bergman, Hazzan Gross, and Marty Liebman getting ready for Shabbat Rocks and the intallation of officers.



FROM HAZZAN DANIEL GROSS  
**THE GREATER LIGHT**

Summer is the season of the sun. We plan around it, soak in it, get burned by it, and exult in it. And yet Jewish prayer rarely speaks about the sun itself.

Our liturgy is filled with words of light. We speak of radiance, dawn, illumination, and the daily renewal of creation. But unlike many ancient cultures that came before, Judaism does not glorify the heavenly bodies themselves. In fact, in *Bereshit* (Genesis), the Torah initially avoids even naming the sun, calling it simply “the greater light.” The sun is not given a proper name. It is not celebrated. It is assigned a job.

The ancient world was filled with sun worship. Civilizations across Egypt, Mesopotamia, Greece, and Rome saw the sun as divine. This blazing object that governed warmth, crops, life, and time itself naturally seemed worthy of worship. Yet the Torah strips the sun of godliness. It is not a deity. It is merely one creation among many. This rejection of nature worship continues throughout Jewish prayer.

*Yotzer Or*, the first blessing right before the Shema, praises God not for the sun itself, but for light. The words may seem straightforward, but the theological claim they make is radical. The blessing draws from the words of the prophet Isaiah (45:7), whose original wording is even more striking: “[God] forms light and creates darkness, makes peace and creates evil.”

The people who first encountered Isaiah’s words lived in a society saturated with sun worship, including the worship of the Egyptian sun god Ra. Interestingly, while Ra in Egyptian referred to the sun deity, the Hebrew word *ra* means evil or calamity. There is no known linguistic connection between the two, but the contrast is fascinating. Against that cultural backdrop, Isaiah’s insistence that one God alone “forms light and creates darkness” stood in sharp contrast to surrounding cultures that divinized the powers of nature.

Over time, the liturgy softened “creates evil” into “creates everything” (*hako!*). Yet the central message remained: Judaism insists there is one Creator over all existence, not separate forces battling for control of the universe. Light and darkness, joy and sorrow, peace and struggle all emerge from the same singular divine source.

Perhaps that is why Judaism speaks so carefully about the sun. Our tradition recognizes its beauty and power without worshipping it. Judaism teaches us to recognize holiness not only in moments of sunshine, but in every season and every shade of human experience. In the end, perhaps the holiest thing about light is not that it shines, but what it allows us to see.

Wishing you a rejuvenating, restful, and light-filled summer!



FROM RABBI BLAIR NOSANWISCH

To be known is a basic human need. Humans are created unique and each of us requires dignity and respect. As the scale of Human awareness has increased, our ability to feel known has dissipated. The greater the sense of a global, interconnected web, the more isolated we have come to feel in our nodes.

It is interesting to note that in the Torah, the descendents of Abraham are promised to be “as numerous as the stars.” In our daily tefilot, we recite these words from Psalm 147, describing God as:

מוֹנֵה מִסְפֵּר לְכוֹכְבִּים כִּכְלָם שְׁמוֹת יִקְרָא:

*[God] reckoned the number of the stars and gave each its name. (Psalm 147)*

God can look at the plurality of creation, and still see the uniqueness of the individual. God knows each star, and each person, by their unique name.

Now it may seem silly to speak about a synagogue database in such lofty terms, but I truly believe that to serve the membership of Adat Shalom well into the next century, we need to know each of you like God knows the stars. To be a part of a community is to feel known, and if we don’t have up to date information, our desire to connect is nullified.

I never thought that much about data and databases before coming to Adat Shalom, but in my five years of service, I have come to realize that something as basic as an outdated phone number or an incorrect birthdate can hinder a hoped-for connection.

I hope I’ve convinced you that you not only want to be known, but that sometimes you have to make yourself known by sharing even the most basic information with the communities you are part of. This summer we are beginning a “data drive,” where we are asking all of our members to visit their member portals on our Adat Shalom website and share basic information with us. The details of the type of information will be clearly specified, but we want to make sure that the reason for this data collection is completely in service of connection. After the High Holidays, a dedicated core of volunteers will be calling members to verify the data we have on file.

If you are interested in being part of this effort, you can contact Sammi Shapiro at [sshapiro@adatshalom.org](mailto:sshapiro@adatshalom.org).

Help us to count the stars (all the individuals of Adat Shalom shine!) so that we can call each of you by name.



Rabbi Nosanwisch and Jerome Pesick at the 2026 Annual Meeting and election of officers. More photos on page 5.

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**SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**

**Mornings:**

Sunday - Friday .....8:00am  
 Shabbat .....9:00am

**Evenings (Minchah-Maariv):**

Sunday - Friday .....6:00pm  
 Saturdays:  
 July 4.....9:15pm  
 July 11, 18, 25, August 1 .....9:00pm  
 August 8 .....8:45pm  
 August 15, 22 .....8:30pm  
 August 29.....8:15pm

Shabbat morning services in the sanctuary will be in-person and live-streamed on the Adat Shalom website.

[adatshalom.org/livestream](https://adatshalom.org/livestream)

All morning and evening *minyanim* in the Shiffman Chapel are in-person and on Zoom.

<https://zoom.us/my/adatshalommi>

Meeting ID 224 778 4919 | Passcode 5782

**SHABBAT**

**July 3-4**

PINCHAS  
 8:56pm CANDLE LIGHTING  
 Shabbat ends 9:56pm

**July 10-11**

MAVARCHIM CHODESH AV  
 MATOT-MASEI  
 8:53pm CANDLE LIGHTING  
 Shabbat ends 9:53pm

**July 17-18**

DEVARIM  
 SHABBAT CHAZON  
 8:49pm CANDLE LIGHTING  
 Shabbat ends 9:49pm

**July 24-25**

VAETCHANAN  
 SHABBAT NACHAMU  
 8:43pm CANDLE LIGHTING  
 Shabbat ends 9:43pm

**July 31-August 1**

EIKEV  
 8:36pm CANDLE LIGHTING  
 Shabbat ends 9:36pm

**August 7-8**

MEVARCHIM CHODESH ELUL  
 RE'EH  
 8:27pm CANDLE LIGHTING  
 Shabbat ends 9:27pm

**August 14-15**

SHOFTIM  
 8:18pm CANDLE LIGHTING  
 Shabbat ends 9:18pm

**August 21-22**

KI TEITZEI  
 8:07pm CANDLE LIGHTING  
 Shabbat ends 9:07pm

**August 28-29**

KI TAVO  
 7:56pm CANDLE LIGHTING  
 Shabbat ends 8:56pm

**High Holidays 5787**

**NEW THIS YEAR**

**High Holiday Edition**

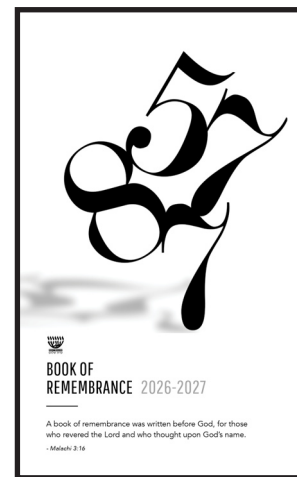
**The Voice**

MAILING MID-AUGUST

**Adat Shalom's complete guide to the holidays!**

Your place to welcome the New Year.

Also visit [adatshalom.org](https://adatshalom.org), watch for weekly email updates, and special holiday videos.



**It is a tradition at Adat Shalom to offer you the opportunity to participate in our annual *Book of Remembrance*.**

This unique book, which commemorates the memory of departed loved ones, is used during Yizkor services throughout the year. It contains the complete Yizkor service, a listing of all Adat Shalom memorial plaques, the names of those you wish to remember, and inspirational meditations and prayers.

Within the memorial prayer, *El Malei Rachamim*, it states that the worshiper resolves to contribute to a charity in remembrance of their loved one's soul. By participating in this mitzvah, you can connect "I'dor vador" – from generation to generation.

Books are available for use in the sanctuary, to pick up in the synagogue office if you would like one at home, and to read on our website.

To be included in this year's *Book of Remembrance*, please submit your information and payment by Monday, July 13, 2026.

You may complete the information by visiting: [adatshalom.org/bookofremembrance](https://adatshalom.org/bookofremembrance), scanning the QR code, or contacting the synagogue office.



**SHABBAT TORAH STUDY**

The cycle of Torah is unending and can be entered at any point in the year or in one's life.



**9:45am | Finishing in time for the rabbi's sermon**

**August 1: Sam Arnold**

**August 22: Ruth Bergman**

**August 8: Rabbi Nosanwisch August 29: TBA**

**August 15: Melissa Ser**

No sessions in July. Resumes August 1

No prior knowledge is necessary to enjoy exploring the Torah during Shabbat Torah Study.

# Tisha B'Av 5786

IS THERE A FUTURE FOR AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN JEWRY?

Congregation Shaarey Zedek  
27375 BELL ROAD • SOUTHFIELD, MI 48034

Wednesday, July 22 • 8:00 p.m.

7:30 p.m. Minchah

8:00 p.m. Panel conversation with Conservative rabbis on the future of American and European Jewry

9:00 p.m. Community-wide Tisha B'Av observance including Eicha and kinnot.

Free of charge. No registration required.

Community partners Adat Shalom, Beth Ahm, Beth Shalom, B'nai Israel, B'nai Moshe and Isaac Agree Downtown Synagogue will join together to begin the observance of the day.



Tikkun Leil Shavuot and the Synagogue Thrival Kit Celebration of Learning, May 21, 2026

## ADAT SHALOM MEMBERSHIP OFFERS

Did you know that all adults under the age of 31 are welcome to a complimentary Adat Shalom membership?

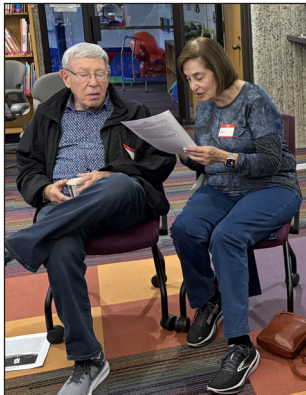
**Did you know** there are special rates available for those under 35 years old?

**Did you know** that you receive two years of membership when you pay for your first year? One year of payments extended over two years if you choose to pay by credit card!

**Did you know** membership perks include free religious school for pre-school through 1st grade and much more?

**Your synagogue is eager to welcome your children. Adat Shalom is their place to be.**

Contact Executive Director, Michael Wolf or visit [adatshalom.org/membership](http://adatshalom.org/membership)



Big Questions Beit Midrash with Rabbi Nosanwisch and Rabbi Michael Langer, May 5, 2026



Sisterhood's Feminist Torah Study with Rabbi Nosanwisch, May 13, 2026

**My Jewish Day**

with Rabbi Blair Nosanwisch

An introduction to Jewish daily rituals taught in bite-sized pieces!

in 30 mins.

Wednesdays - 12 to 12:30pm | Zoom  
 July 1, 8, 15, 22 | August 5, 12, 26  
 no session on July 29 or August 19

RSVP to receive the link  
 Sarah Hirsch  
 shirsch@adatshalom.org

**Tof Me'od**  
 Drum Circle  
 with Hazzan Gross

Drum circles build connection, reduce stress, and spark genuine joy through shared rhythm

Tuesday, August 18  
 7:00pm

No experience necessary  
 Drums provided

No charge for members  
 \$20 for non-members

adatshalom.org/drum  
 kyost@adatshalom.org | 248.851.5100

**Soulful Yoga**

Life is precious. Revitalize, Renew, and Restore with Torah and Yoga

Whether you are new to yoga, or are an experienced practitioner, you will find Soulful Yoga a meaningful and joyful practice.

Saturday, August 29 | 9:45am  
 with Rabbi Bergman  
 and Mindy Eisenberg, yoga instructor

No experience necessary.  
 Bring a mat if you have one or borrow one of ours.

Questions:  
 Jodi Gross, jgross@adatshalom.org

**Meditation & Mindfulness**  
 with Rabbi Bergman

Find your inner spirituality and realize how Judaism can make you feel more whole and spiritually connected.

Sunday, August 30 at 9:30am

- preparing for the High Holidays

No meditation experience is necessary!

Questions: Jodi Gross, jgross@adatshalom.org

**What Does It Mean to Be Part of the Community?**

We are profoundly grateful that you are part of our Adat Shalom *kehillah* (community). Here, you will find endless opportunities to learn, grow spiritually, socialize, connect to Israel, celebrate, and give back through volunteering. Wherever you are on your Jewish path, we are here to guide and support you on your journey.

Adat Shalom is a valuable community within our vibrant Detroit Jewish community. While there are differences amongst the many communities within Jewish Detroit, one core truth unites us: we are stronger together than apart.

Adat Shalom brings this strength to life by serving as a:

- Beit K'neset** (House of Gathering)  
 A central, warm space for our community to connect, socialize, and celebrate Jewish life together.
- Beit Tefillah** (House of Prayer)  
 A sacred sanctuary dedicated to communal spirituality, reflection, and soulful prayer.
- Beit Midrash** (House of Study)  
 A vibrant space for lifelong Jewish learning, and exploring sacred texts.

Our walls do not define our boundaries. Just as we are a gathering place for our own members, Adat Shalom is also a dedicated partner within the wider Detroit Jewish community. From collaborating as a co-sponsor of an event to hosting other organization's events, we believe in a collective impact on our members and community.

At Adat Shalom, we don't just build community within—we help sustain the community as a whole. - Jodi Gross



Tekes Ma'avar, Tuesday, April 21, 2026, is a communal transition ceremony that invites us to hold grief and gratitude together to move forward as a community committed to memory, determination, and life. Together we prepared a dinner with Yifat Golan, based on "Commemorating the fallen soldiers of the IDF and victims of terrorism through cooking," and heard Larry Berry's story of his grandfather, Louis Berry's meeting David Ben-Gurion months before the State of Israel declared its independence.

# Bereavement Circles

at Adat Shalom

Gather with others to process and move through your grief in whatever form it takes. Sessions will include a mix of sharing and learning.

**Growing Through Grief**  
(for 20s, 30s, and 40s)

co-facilitated by  
Rabbi Nosanwisch and Dr. Jackie Issner

**Wednesdays - 7pm**  
July 8 and August 12

**Grieving With Grace (50 +)**

co-facilitated by Rabbi Nosanwisch and Cici Syms, LMSW, Jewish Family Service

**Tuesdays - 4:30 to 6pm**  
July 21 and August 25

Free for members of Adat Shalom.  
Suggested donation of \$10 or \$18/session for non-members | [adatshalom.org/bc](http://adatshalom.org/bc)  
RSVP by the Monday before each session, [shirsch@adatshalom.org](mailto:shirsch@adatshalom.org), 248.851.5100, ext. 233

## Join Rabbi Bergman



# Warrior Movement

Qigong - Traditional Movement - (Mind & Body)

led by Eran Reznik  
IDF veteran  
and creator of  
Warrior Movement

**Move well.  
Stay Strong.  
Regain Your Center.**

**Wednesdays at 5pm at Adat Shalom (weekly)**

- All levels welcome
- Pay what you wish / donation based
- Free to activity duty, veterans, and first responders

**What We Practice:**

- Movement rooted in martial arts
- Internal breath regulation
- Developing balance and resilience

[adatshalom.org/wellness](http://adatshalom.org/wellness)

Questions: Jodi Gross, [jgross@adatshalom.org](mailto:jgross@adatshalom.org)

## Kugel: A Journey Through Jewish History, Tradition, and Taste

• • • with Chef Jennifer Bass



An engaging afternoon featuring a history lecture, cooking demonstration, and hands-on noodle making, centered around one of the most beloved foods: *kugel*.

Jennifer Bass' work bridges Jewish food, art, and cultural history by preserving and sharing the tastes, textures, and traditions that connect generations and celebrates Jewish life.

**August 2, 1 to 4pm** Hosted and co-sponsored by Adat Shalom

more information and registration  
[jhsMichigan.org/calendar/](http://jhsMichigan.org/calendar/)



From potato to noodle, sweet to savory, kugel has been a staple of Jewish tables for generations. But how much do you know about its history? In this fascinating presentation, Jennifer Bass explores the story behind this iconic dish, including its surprising Detroit connection, while demonstrating how to make traditional and non-traditional kugels.

Participants will also learn to make and take home their own lokshenor noodles, to use in a homemade kugel. Don't miss this deliciously educational and truly "filling" afternoon!

### About Jennifer Bass

Jennifer Bass is a pastry chef, culinary instructor, and visual artist whose work bridges Jewish food, art, and cultural history. Based in West Bloomfield, she brings together decades of experience in creative and culinary fields, including painting, graphic design, kosher kitchen leadership, and baking instruction rooted in Jewish traditions. Through her work, Jennifer preserves and shares the tastes, textures, and traditions that connect generations and celebrate Jewish life.

Sponsored by JHSM, hosted and co-sponsored by Adat Shalom.

"A synagogue means a place of gathering. It is not just to gather with others, but to gather yourself together. At Adat Shalom we nurture your mind, body, and soul. We want you to feel healthy, happy, and whole. We offer lots of different programs that cultivate a feeling of wellness in your body, in your spirit, and in your intellect. Come for some, or come for all."

— Rabbi Aaron Bergman



Chesed Fest, May 2026



Anyone Can Paint with Rabbi Bergman and artist Jennifer Bass, June 2026



**SAMMI SHAPIRO**  
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**Building Your Jewish Joy**

I'm grateful that Adat Shalom is the recipient of the Hermelin Davidson Center for Congregational Excellence Grant for a pilot program for parents: Building Your Jewish Joy. Together, we'll explore meaningful, modern ways to celebrate Jewish holidays while balancing the realities of parenting and caring for aging loved ones. This class will meet four times throughout the year focusing on learning about Chanukah, Shabbat & Havdalah, Passover, and Shavuot.

This program is in partnership with Hillel Day School and will be facilitated by Rabbi Bergman, Hillel educators, and Julie Ohana LMSW (Culinary Art Therapy).

For more information please contact me, [sshapiro@adatshalom.org](mailto:sshapiro@adatshalom.org)

**Database**

As noted in Rabbi Nosanwisch's article we are working hard to update our database. Invitations with a direct link to access the portal will come to your email from EasyShul! Please take a few minutes to log in to the portal and make sure that the following are up to date:

- email
- cell phone
- address
- birthdate
- anniversary
- yahrzeits
- Hebrew name

Log in to Easyshul:

1. Open your browser and go to [adatshalom.org](http://adatshalom.org)
2. Click the "Member Portal"
3. You will be redirected to [adatshalom.easysshul.com](http://adatshalom.easysshul.com)
4. Enter your email address
5. You'll receive a verification code in that email account
6. Copy the code and enter it in the Easyshul login
7. Press enter or verify



For video instruction please use the QR code.



**Teva Tots & Shabbat**

Get outside and explore teva – nature. Together, we'll learn all about the changing world around us and enjoy the wonder of being in nature.

FRIDAYS   10AM	
JULY 10	AUG 7
JULY 17	No session
JULY 31	July 24

ADAT SHALOM SYNAGOGUE

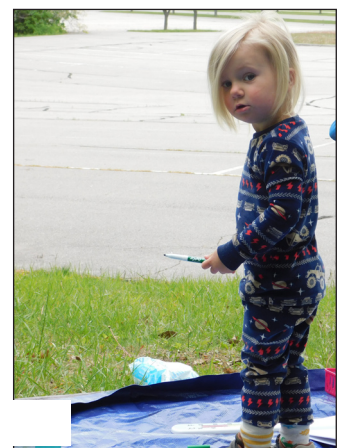
➔ [adatshalom.org/tevatots](http://adatshalom.org/tevatots)

➔ Sammi Shapiro, [sshapiro@adatshalom.org](mailto:sshapiro@adatshalom.org)

**\$36 PER MEMBER FAMILY**      **\$60 PER NON MEMBER FAMILY**



**Teva Tots & Shabbat, May 2026**



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I am excited to announce that our **enrollment for the fall is now open**, using the member portal on EasyShul ([adatshalom.easyshul.com](http://adatshalom.easyshul.com)).

You'll be able to enroll your child(ren) in school, apply for a scholarship if needed, and make your own adjustments to a payment plan! You can even pre-order your child's snacks with registration.

Does your child need some extra Hebrew support over the summer? Hebrew help is available with advance registration -

<https://bit.ly/hebrew-refresher> or QR code



**ENROLLMENT IS OPEN**  
 The Adat Shalom-Beth Achim Learning Community is your child's Place to Be!

Hebrew
 Israel
 Torah
 Mitzvot
 Holidays
 Rituals

**Wednesday classes begin September 9**  
**Sunday classes begin September 20**

**For more information:**  
 Dr. Melissa Ser, CJE [mser@adatshalom.org](mailto:mser@adatshalom.org)  
 Director of Education 248-626-2153

**REGISTER HERE**



**A Reflection on a Semester in Israel**

I just spent 4 months (second semester) of my Junior year of high school in Israel, on a Ramah program (Tichon Ramah Yerushalayim) with Jewish 10th and 11th graders from all over North America. Without question, they were hands down the best 4 months of my life. I not only succeeded academically, but I learned about the history of the Jewish people and the State of Israel

through both classroom teaching and seeing it for myself. I climbed Masada, saw Ben

Gurion's grave, went to Poland and saw what came with it, spent Yom Ha'Atzmaut on the beach in Tel Aviv, and so, so, so much more. Not only did I visit these places and learn about them, I did it with a group of Jewish teens who I truly connected with. Although we spent 40 days, 2 1/2 weeks of which were away from Jerusalem, going into bomb shelters almost every day, not once did I feel unsafe. Not only that, those experiences pulled us closer together as a group than most of us had thought possible. TRY was more than a great 4 months of high school. It gave me strong, personal relationships and connections, reinforced and deepened my pre-existing connections to Judaism and Israel, and truly changed me for the better. It helped to show me who and what I want to be, where I want to be, and who I want to be there with. To anyone interested, I strongly encourage you to consider TRY. I promise, you won't regret it. - Yonatan Ser

**Starting Fall 2026**

**TEEN MADRICHIM**  
 MAKE AN IMPACT

Entering 8th to 12th graders are invited to be part of this worthwhile Adat Shalom-Beth Achim Learning Community Leadership Program

- Assist teachers during Hebrew school
- Are positive role models for kids
- Work with kids who need extra support
- Earn community service hours or a paycheck
- Develop valuable life skills
- Learn and use leadership skills

Questions: [jgross@adatshalom.org](mailto:jgross@adatshalom.org)

**Registration**

**YOUR PLACE TO BE CONNECTED**

**SISTERHOOD**

Over the past year, Sisterhood has brought many projects and programs to our Adat Shalom Community. Most recently, we celebrated Women’s Day @ Adat Shalom where we proudly honored Lillian Schostak and Carol Vieder as Adat Shalom’s 2026 Sisterhood Women of Distinction, for their long time commitment to the Adat Shalom Sisterhood Gift Shop. Through their vision, hard work, and attention to detail, the Gift Shop has become much more than a place to purchase Judaica. It is filled with beautiful gifts, meaningful ritual items, holiday treasures, and a selection of items for every occasion. If you are celebrating a simcha, looking for a hostess gift, welcoming a new baby, or preparing for the holidays, the Gift Shop will have the perfect item. We encourage everyone to stop in, browse, and shop locally. Every purchase helps strengthen our congregation.

In addition to honoring Lillian and Carol we welcomed journalist Linda Gradstein, whose engaging presentation helped make the day a tremendous success. Of course our guests shopped til they dropped and enjoyed an absolutely delicious lunch catered by Quality Kosher Catering.

Looking back over our wonderful year spent together, we have enjoyed a variety of joyful and meaningful events. Our membership Kickoff, “Singing in the Sukkah” with Hazzan Gross was an evening of singing 70’s songs, fun, laughter, and delicious food catered by Silver Linings.

Sisterhood Shabbat showcased the talent, leadership, and commitment of the women in our community. Seeing the bimah filled with women was inspiring and heartwarming.

Another standout event, Sisterhood Shabbaton 2.0, Empowerment Illuminated, brought women together in a truly special way for study and camaraderie.

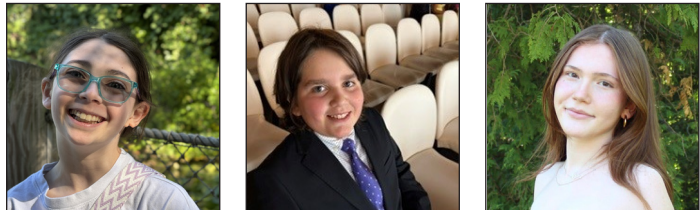
Our Hanukkah White Elephant event included a fun gift exchange, delicious food, friendship, and fun.

We hosted our first Women’s Seder, beautifully led by Rabbi Nosanwisch, as we explored Passover through a women’s lens.

Throughout the year Sisterhood continued the ongoing programs: Rosh Chodesh Study Sessions, Knitting Circle, and Feminist Torah Study.

Thank you everyone who participated, volunteered, supported our events, and shopped at the Gift Shop this year. As we look ahead we hope to foster a multigenerational Sisterhood creating opportunities for women at every stage of life to connect. Fresh ideas, new perspectives, and greater involvement are always welcome.

Thank you for a wonderful year,  
Sharon Kaplan and Sandi Matz, Sisterhood co-presidents



The proud winners of the **Celia Schwartz Writing & Art Contest** providing funds for an experience to enhance Jewish identity, are (left to right) Maya Ser, 3rd-5th grade category awarded \$500, Gideon Herskovic 6th-8th grade, \$750, and Lila Ashmann, 9th-12 grade \$750.

**SISTERHOOD OF ADAT SHALOM | GIFT SHOP**

**A TALLIT FOR THE NEW YEAR**    **FOR A MEANINGFUL GIFT**    **FOR SHABBAT**    **FOR HOME**

*Find beautiful items made in Israel*

10am to 4pm, Monday to Friday or call for a shopping appointment  
Carol 248.821.4512 | Lillian 248.510.2018

Follow us on Instagram @sisterhoodgiftshop

**Annual Sisterhood Rosh Hashanah Honey Fundraiser**

**HONEY FROM THE HEART**

Send New Year’s wishes to your family and friends by ordering an 8-ounce jar of kosher honey with a personalized greeting.

**Order by August 16: \$18 (free shipping)**

**Order after August 16: \$18 + \$8 shipping**

**Order by September 4**  
-receive honey by Rosh Hashanah

**Honey sales close October 5 or while supplies last**

Questions: Lisa Betman lbetman@yahoo.com

\*Choose ASF from the drop-down menu in step one of the ordering process.

orthoney.com\*

**Are you celebrating a special event?**  
a birthday – an anniversary – an engagement – a wedding

**Celebrate your occasion by sponsoring a Shabbat Kiddush on Saturday morning**

For more information,  
Sandi Matz, 248.425.2233

**WOMEN'S DAY @ADAT SHALOM SYNAGOGUE**

THURSDAY, MAY 7, 2026

**See it in pictures on page 14!**

## MEN'S CLUB

### Finding My Voice: Why I Finally Stepped Off the Sidelines

For most of my life, the synagogue was the background music of my world. It was familiar and comforting, woven deeply into the rhythm of my days, yet rarely the center of my identity. Growing up as the son of a rabbi and the brother of two more, I understood the hidden heartbeat of Jewish communal life. I knew its rituals, its joys, and its quiet burdens. Yet, for reasons I could not fully explain, I chose to remain at a comfortable distance.

Few people are fortunate enough to encounter a soul who radically changes the way they see the world. For me, that soul was my mother. She was a true Eshet Chayil, a Woman of Valor. That is not simply in title, but something that existed in every fiber of her being. To say she devoted her life to others feels inadequate; she possessed a rare, radiant soul that effortlessly transformed ordinary moments into deep connections. She built far more than a home; she established a true cornerstone of belonging. She welcomed Jewish souls with a warmth, compassion, and openness that seemed limitless.

Her spirit became my lifelong compass. She taught me that Judaism was never just about ritual. It was about people. It was about opening your arms before opening your mouth. It was about *menschlichkeit* - human decency rooted in kindness and dignity. Because of her, I learned to seek authenticity, embrace tradition, and strive to create spaces where every single person felt they belonged. There is a beautiful Yiddish saying: "A gutte neshama farlichtigt aleh arum ir- a good soul illuminates everyone around them." That was my Mother.

### From Mourning to Awakening

Four years ago, I completed the eleven-month journey of reciting Kaddish for her. Anyone who has walked that road understands that mourning does not simply mark an ending; sometimes, it becomes an awakening. For a long time, I was content standing on the sidelines. I belonged to the shul, I attended services, and I showed up. But I did not truly engage.

My year of Kaddish changed everything. Night after night, standing shoulder to shoulder with fellow Jews in prayer, I felt something stir deep within me. There was a magnetic pull I couldn't fully explain, a sacred transformation happening quietly beneath the surface. I slowly realized that the most profound way to honor my mother's memory was not through words alone, but through action.

Driven by this new awareness, I began looking for ways to get more involved at Adat Shalom. Historically, I had always viewed the Men's Club from afar. In my mind, it was a gathering shaped by and for another generation. While I respected it, I just didn't see myself there. *But nu*, life has a way of humbling us, and I could not have been more mistaken.

A conversation with Gary Graff and Alan Gallatin, the then Men's Club President, shifted something fundamental inside me. They looked at me and said words that forced me to rethink everything: "This isn't our fathers' Men's Club anymore."

Rather than a social club focused on preserving memories of a bygone era, Alan described something much more powerful. He described a brotherhood. A *mishpacha*. He spoke of a vibrant community of men from every stage of life, united by a singular, sacred mission: strengthening Adat Shalom and securing the Jewish future.

At that moment, the truth hit me with tremendous force: I was not joining a club. I was answering a call.

I had finally found a way to honor my mother by continuing the work she loved so dearly. I found a way to strengthen community, sustain Jewish life, and ensure that no person in our orbit ever felt alone. I was reminded of the poignant words of A.D. Gordon: "*Lo yihye li yom machar im lo ani echshov oto hayom*". "I will have no tomorrow if I do not create it today."

### An Intergenerational Brotherhood

"*Kol Yisrael arevim zeh la-zeh*" All of Israel is responsible for one another. We cannot build the future alone.

What I discovered inside the Adat Shalom Men's Club was not a group trapped in the past, but a living, breathing lifeline. This is a true brotherhood where age barriers dissolve and generations become family. Here, the wisdom of our elders seamlessly meets the energy of our younger members.

We celebrate each other's simchas.  
We stand beside each other in grief.  
We protect and uplift our congregation together.  
We laugh, work, and dream together.  
We carry the future of our people together.

### A New Chapter

Today, when I look in the mirror, I no longer see only the reflection of the rabbis who came before me. I see a man who has finally stepped beyond the shadow of the pulpit to carve out his own path of service. Hillel's timeless words continue to echo in my heart: "If I am not for myself, who will be for me? But if I am for my own self only, what am I? And if not now, when?" For me, the "when" is now.

To every man of Adat Shalom - whether you have been here for thirty years or thirty days, there is a seat waiting for you at this table. Together, we are building something modern, meaningful, joyful, and deeply impactful.

"*Hinei ma tov u'ma na'im shevet achim gam yachad*." How good and how beautiful it is when brothers dwell together in unity. For the first time in my life, I truly understand those words. I have finally stepped off the sidelines.

### Looking Ahead: 2026-2027

Our upcoming schedule of exciting events will soon be available on Jlive.app and in *The Voice*. It is my tremendous honor and privilege to introduce the remarkable men serving alongside me on our Executive Board and Board of Trustees for this coming year:

#### Executive Board

- President: Laurence Kirshner
- Executive VP: Rick Goren
- Membership VP: Jeff Cymerint
- VP of Programming: Larry Tepman
- Treasurer: Joey Lebovic
- Recording Secretary: Jeff Tackel
- Corresponding Secretary: Danny Webberman
- Immediate Past President: Jaron Friedman

**Board of Trustees :** Jacob Cymerint, Ike Englebaum, Michael Feldman, David Flaisher, Aaron Greenspon, Alan Kaplan, Aaron Perlman, Steven Woronoff, David Zenlea

#### With Gratitude

A heartfelt thank you to Jodi Gross, Susie Steinberg, Michael Wolf, and our outstanding clergy team. Their tireless work behind the scenes is the true "secret sauce" behind our success. I am profoundly grateful to walk beside them, and beside all of you, as we begin this exciting new chapter together.

Kol Tov,  
Larry Kirshner, Men's Club President | mensclub@adatshalom.org

**YOUR PLACE TO BE IMPACTFUL**

# BACK TO CAMPUS

Empower, Connect, and Prepare for the Year Ahead  
For students heading to or returning to campus, and their parents

College can be exciting, challenging, and complicated for Jewish students today.

Join us for an evening designed to help students and their parents build confidence, connect with Jewish life on campus, and learn practical ways to respond to antisemitism and bias. Parents will also receive resources to support their students.




**Monday, August 10**  
**6pm: Complimentary BBQ\***  
**6:30 - 8:30pm: Program includes breakout groups**  
**Adat Shalom Synagogue**

Sponsored by the Men's Club of Adat Shalom in partnership with Jewish Federation of Detroit, AJC, ADL, BBYO, Congregation Beth Ahm, Congregation Beth Shalom, Congregation B'nai Moshe, MSU Hillel, UMich Hillel, and Hillel of Metro Detroit



Registration and more information  
\* Dietary laws will be observed  
Questions: mensclub@adatshalom.org


# Thoughtful Thursdays



A monthly gathering for men to explore engaging and thought provoking topics - fostering meaningful conversation, connection, and community.

**with Rabbi Bergman**

**Thursday, August 20 | 7pm**



Questions: mensclub@adatshalom.org      Future dates: Oct 22, Nov 19, and Dec 17

**SOCIAL ACTION IN ACTION**

**LIGHTHOUSE HOUSING THE HOMELESS, SUNDAY, JULY 12 -18**  
Volunteers are needed to pick up prepared dinners in Rochester and Commerce and deliver them to the shelter in Pontiac. If you are available to help, please contact Evva Hepner at 248.798.7673.

**RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE**  
Thank you to Deb Lapin and Marcia Garland for serving dinner at the Ronald McDonald House on Sunday, April 26. They shopped, prepared, and served the dinner. The participants were so grateful for this kindness. We will schedule another dinner soon.

**“A single act of kindness throws out roots in all directions,  
and the roots spring up and make new trees.”**  
– Rabbi Abraham Joshua Heschel

Evva Hepner  
248.798.7673 | Ewva.hepner@gmail.com

**SERVE AND BE SERVED**



As is our tradition, we started our community service day by meeting at Soul Café for brunch. What a delight! We had several new faces, great conversations and good food! We later met two returning members and gathered in the dining room at Meer to play games with the residents. There are some good scrabble players and some seasoned Rummikub players! Following the games, the residents rocked out to the band “Michigan Weather” (Rena Kirshenbaum, Mark Sinkoff, and Frank Elias), who entertained the crowd with music from Aime to Choo Choo Chaboogie. There were even requests for us to bring maracas to our next appearance! All in all, a lovely day, despite the downpours, and we look forward to seeing even more new faces in the future.

Speaking about the future, we are planning to return to the Lighthouse Food Pantry in July and maybe do an event at the Ronald McDonald House in the Fall (new for us). More details to come.

Feel free to call us for any questions.

Ken Kirshenbaum                      Rena Kirshenbaum  
248-752-5323                              248-210-3241



**We Want to Hear From You!**

Adat Shalom is launching a membership survey, and we need your voice! This is your opportunity to share your thoughts, experiences, and ideas about what matters most to you as a member of our congregation. Your insights will help us continue building the vibrant, welcoming Adat Shalom family we all value so much.

**SHARE YOUR FEEDBACK**

**WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!**

Please take our survey to help us understand and enhance your experience as a member of the Adat Shalom community.



[\*\*bit.ly/adatshalomsurvey\*\*](https://bit.ly/adatshalomsurvey)

## GREEN TEAM

It is an honor to chair Adat Shalom's Green Team. Thank you Joyce Weingarten for passing the torch to me.

My vision is to continue building on our many accomplishments in improving environmental sustainability at Adat Shalom. This Spring we added new perennials to our garden, and with the addition of Milkweed we officially qualify to be a part of the Monarch Waystation Program. That means our garden along the East entrance helps assure the preservation of the Monarch butterfly.

Through the Good Soil program at the Coast of Maine Growing Good program we received raised bed soil and are grateful for them as well as Ace Hardware in Downtown Farmington, who distributed the soil. We are also grateful for our partnership with Adamah Detroit and excited to collaborate on future projects that align with our core values. **Save the date for November 15, 2025 for Adamah Detroit's first ever community leadership honoring our very own Rabbi Nosanwisch.**

If you are interested in making our building and surrounding atmosphere as green as possible let me know so I can add you to our roster.

Thank you,  
Roni Leibovitch  
roni.leibovitch@gmail.com



We are working to establish sustainable practices throughout our shul -- water, energy, education, and food. *There is so much more to do! We need your help!*

**Planning meeting:**  
Monday, August 17 | 7pm (new time) | Zoom

**Future planning meetings:**  
October 19, December 21, February 15, April 19, June 21

Join the Green Team honoring Rabbi Nosanwisch at the Adamah Detroit Community Summit hosted by Adat Shalom on Sunday, November 15

Questions: Roni Leibovitch, roni.leibovitch@gmail.com

## CHESED COMMITTEE

As I sit here at the beginning of June, reflecting back on my first year as YOUR Chesed Committee Chair, I think about the thank you notes that we received, the texts to clergy, the feeling of community, the difference we made in so many individual's weeks. To put it in perspective, we braided a total of 223 loaves of challah, we baked 132 cookies, and over 12 gallons of soup. Each week we've delivered up to 5 packages to congregants homes. And that does not include the 12 new baby baskets delivered throughout the year.

I would like to give a huge shout out to Julie Rosenbaum for overseeing the baby basket program this year, to Rachel Matz, Jad Nabbouh, Phreddy Nosanwisch, and Jackie Victor for overseeing the challah braiding, baking and soup making, to Tzvi Tanenbaum, Ariella Monson, Lindsey Kessler-Monson, and Clara Pesis for being regular volunteers at Chesed Fest, and to the following individuals who have made deliveries this year: Wendy Winkler, Kim Lifton, Jacqui Elkus, Janet & Howard Halberg, Joe Salzman, Robin Terebello, Lauren Acker, Ellie Slovis, Barbara & Larry Weiss, Sheila Lederman, Nakisha Carson, Lloyd Silberman, Keri Seeney, Eden Levy, Lexie Vineburg, and the children and grandchildren who join them.

I would also like to thank the professional staff team, Sammi Shapiro, Jodi Gross, Sarah Hirsch, Melissa Ser, and Rabbi Nosanwisch. This team along with the team of volunteers makes Chesed Fests and deliveries happen each week!

So now what? Deliveries are happening all summer long. We are always looking for volunteers to do deliveries on Fridays. Enjoying your summer Friday, kids out of school and you need something to do? Why not take an hour to deliver one or more Chesed packages to fellow congregants? Sign up for one delivery today: [adatshalom.org/chesed-committee](http://adatshalom.org/chesed-committee)

Make sure you keep your eye out on the weekly emails and the next Voice for our first Chesed Fest of the Fall!

Thanks,  
Audrey Bloomberg, Chesed Committee Chair  
chesed@adatshalom.org

**CALLING ALL DRIVERS**

Be a mensch and volunteer

Volunteers needed to drop off Shabbat deliveries on Fridays to Adat Shalom members. Scan the QR code for easy sign up!

[adatshalom.org/chesed](http://adatshalom.org/chesed)

### Volunteers, this is how it's done...

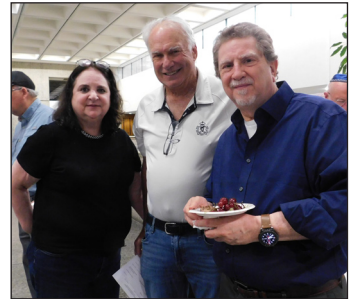
1. Sign up to deliver on whatever Friday(s) work for you using this link: [adatshalom.org/chesed-committee](http://adatshalom.org/chesed-committee) or scan QR code above
2. You'll be contacted with delivery details
3. Pick up at Adat Shalom before noon
4. Deliver to your address(es) - send a text or knock on the door!
5. Discuss together the value of what it means to take care of our community!

**Women's Day at Adat Shalom.** Carol Vieder and Lillian Schostak were honored as Sisterhood's 2026 Women of Distinction for their dedication and ongoing commitment to the Sisterhood Gift Shop. The keynote speaker was Linda Gradstein, and local vendors brought in wonderful items to sell.



**The Adat Shalom Synagogue Annual Meeting and Memorial Service was held on Tuesday, May 19, 2026.**

Congregants participated in the election of officers and trustees and had the opportunity to learn more about the many programs, services, and accomplishments of our synagogue. The current financial status of the congregation was reviewed, followed by a thoughtful question-and-answer session with participation from attendees. The evening concluded with a memorial service honoring those we remember and, of course, dessert and time to connect with friends.



## YOUR PLACE TO BE PROUD

MAZAL TOV!

### WEDDINGS

**Stewart Prog**, son of Josephine z"l & Arthur z'L Prog and **Karen Carter**, daughter of Marilyn z'L & Gustave Doerfler

### BIRTHS

**Eleanor Hazel Fox**, daughter of Leia & Carter Fox, granddaughter of Miry & Dan Serlin, Audrey & Larry Fox, great-granddaughter of Anaruth Bernard, Nancy & Howard Serlin, Jackie & Marty Bracker, Joan Fox

**Asher Fox Rosen**, son of Alyssa & Ryan Rosen, grandson of Lucinda & Sandy Rosen, Diane & Jeff Stroud, great-grandson of Benjamin Rosen, Delores & Jim Palazzolo

**Aiden Lev Wasserman**, son of Naomi & Daniel Wasserman, grandson of Marcy & Phil Epstein, Brad Wasserman and Felicia Silver, Janice & David LeVine, great-grandson of Jack Chase

### MORE GOOD NEWS!

**Wendy Arnold** graduated from the WSU of Social Work and **Sam Arnold** is beginning his studies at JTS's Rabbinical School.

Congratulations to **Lisa Berkey** on her retirement as executive director of the Greater West Bloomfield Community Coalition.

**Elyssa Biederman**, daughter of **Drs. Jason and Maria Pacis Biederman** from Adat Shalom, was drafted into the Professional Women's Hockey League by Hamilton!

Welcome to Adat Shalom's new members **Laura Bromm Saperstein** & **Bruce Saperstein**, and **Marci Shulman**.

**Hazzan Dan Gross** has been elected president of the Michigan Board of Cantors, serving a two year term.

**Allan Nachman** and **Diane Klein** were among the 8 Over 80 Detroit Jewish Changemakers honored by JSL.

**Ray Rebeck** will be recognized by Adat Shalom, August 21 for donating a lifesaving all-terrain ambulance to the medics of Magen David Adom in loving memory of Roz z"l.

**Bobby Schostak** was honored with a Doctor of Business Honoris Causa from Oakland University.

**Liliana Weintraub**, daughter of **Melissa & Laurence Kirshner** and Corey Weintraub & Lauren Greenfield has been awarded an academic scholarship package to attend the Ohio State University Moritz College of Law.

Thank you to **English Gardens** for their generosity in replacing grass in the Green Team Pollinator Garden.



JOIN US TO HONOR  
**JOAN CHERNOFF-EPSTEIN**

Please join us for Shabbat services  
Saturday, August 29, when we will honor Joan  
for the many ways she has contributed to the  
Adat Shalom community

Enhanced kiddush to follow

## ADAT SHALOM IN THE COMMUNITY



**CAMP VISITS**  
Adat Shalom Clergy & Staff  
visit Tamarack

July 3 **Rabbi Nosanwisch,  
Melissa, & Sammi**

July 24-25 **Hazzan Gross**

July 31 **Melissa & Jodi**

Drop off cards the day  
before each visit &  
we'll hand deliver!

Tamarack Camps

Our **clergy** and **staff** visit your campers.



The Laker Concert Fund Proudly Presents  
**Jewish Notes in  
America's 250 Year Song**

A musical celebration of Jewish voices, American ideals,  
and the songs that shaped a nation.

Wednesday, July 1, 2026 at 7:00 p.m.  
at Congregation Shaarey Zedek  
CONGREGATION SHAAREYZEDEK

ALISON WISSOT OLIVIA BRODSKY DAN IWREY DANIEL GROSS RACHEL KALMOWITZ DAVID PROPIS PENNY STEYER

**Hazzan Gross** is part of this musical celebration!

Tickets and information for the concert at [shaareyzedek.org](http://shaareyzedek.org)



JSL hosted the 25th Annual Bessie Spector z"l Oldest Jewish Americans Celebration at Adat Shalom. Welcoming the over 95 year old honorees were **Rabbi Bergman** & **Hazzan Gross**.



**My name is Joely Lyons, and I'm excited to introduce myself as the new synagogue social worker with Jewish Family Service supporting members of Adat Shalom.**

I have been involved in the development and supervision of this program alongside Amy, and I'm grateful for the opportunity to continue building the relationships and support systems that have already been established within the community.

My background includes supporting individuals and families across the lifespan, from my experience as a Temple Israel nursery school teacher to my work in cognitive wellness, aging, caregiving, and dementia support. I'm here as a resource for congregation members and families—whether that means offering support, connecting people with resources, or simply being someone to talk to during challenging times.

I'm looking forward to getting to know the community and becoming a continued presence within the congregation. Please don't hesitate to reach out if I can be of assistance.

I will typically be on-site at the synagogue on Wednesdays from 10am–12pm and can always be reached by phone or email.

Warmly,  
Joely Lyons, LMSW  
jlyons@jfsdetroit.org | 947.234.1510

**Jewish Family Service is partnering with Adat Shalom to bring social work support into our congregation.**

Joely Lyons, LMSW, CDP a Jewish Family Service Social Worker, will provide members access to comprehensive support, education and training during these challenging times.

**Joely will have office hours at Adat Shalom on Wednesdays from 10am-12pm.**

Services may include:

 Emotional Support, Guidance & Resources

 Education

To speak with Joely contact her Monday-Friday between 8:00am-4:30pm, at 947.234.1510 or jlyons@jfsdetroit.org



**Please visit the Adat Shalom website for:**

Weekly sermons | Service times | Upcoming programs & events  
Resources in support of Israel | Resources for emotional support

**adatshalom.org**

**SAFETY & SECURITY**

**Gino Martin – Safety & Security**



Since 2024, I've been in partnership with David Kemp (Shamar Services) providing safety and security for Adat Shalom. I enjoy interacting with congregants, staff, and the Adat Shalom community. It is a privilege being part of a dedicated team committed to keeping our community safe and secure.

Prior to joining Adat Shalom, I worked for nine years with the public school system in Ann Arbor, Michigan overseeing the transportation of children to their homes. Following that, I was recruited to join the Farmington Hills Police Department. I served for over 27 years as a Cadet, Police Officer, and Field Training Officer. Additionally, I was a Community Service Officer responding to public safety needs and crisis intervention. As the police presence supporting Adat Shalom, I enjoyed attending the synagogue on Saturdays for Shabbat.

After the events of October 7th, David and I looked toward the future of safety and security for the Jewish Community. As former partners with the Farmington Hills Police Department, we felt a sense of purpose and set out a plan of action on how to help. Adat Shalom was the answer to this calling. Our position is really quite simple. We use our combined 67 years of knowledge, skills, and wisdom to focus on community service, safety, and security. Our goal is to build a warm welcoming environment for all at Adat Shalom.

“Our Place to Be” profoundly changed my perspective. Personal heart-felt interactions make all the difference. Each day our impact is felt and given with everyone we meet. We support the Jewish community and we feel the support of the congregants, clergy, administration and staff. Making a difference starts with serving and service. Our focus is always, “How can I help?”

As a father, husband, and grandfather I know the true meaning of family. I want to thank you for including me as part of the Adat Shalom family. Please feel free to share your thoughts with us as time and circumstances permit. You may also direct your thoughts through Michael or any member of the Synagogue's Security Committee.

**STAY SAFE FROM IMPOSTERS' EMAIL SCAMS**

Please be aware that on occasion, hoax text messages and emails circulate that appear to be from Adat Shalom clergy or staff.

These messages are not sent from Adat Shalom's official email (adatshalom.org) or phone systems, and they are not from our clergy or professional staff.

**We will never ask you to purchase gift cards, transfer funds, or perform “special” favors on our behalf.**

If you ever feel uncertain about a message you've received, please don't hesitate to contact Susie Steinberg at ssteinberg@adatshalom.org or call the synagogue office at 248-851-5100. We are always happy to help verify.

**JULY BIRTHDAYS**

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|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| 1- Steve Aidenbaum   | 10- Allan Cohen      | Aaron Poris            |
| Erica Bak            | Sandra Kirsch        | Susan Randolph         |
| Carol Blender        | Susan Krakoff        | Schoenberger           |
| Erin Cohen           | Gloria Wolok         | 21- Adam Eisenberg     |
| Mindy Eisenberg      | 11- Rachel Wasserman | Elizabeth Hill         |
| Sarah Jacobs         | Marilyn Goldberg     | Joel Lieberman         |
| Tom Lebovic          | Bonnie Otis          | Daniel Singer          |
| Michael Phillips     | Carol Walters        | Jeffrey Supowit        |
| 2- William Slatkin   | 12- Peter Blair      | 22- Benson Barr        |
| 3- Amber Vieder      | Roger Kushner        | Karen Berger           |
| 4- Moses Fridman     | Arthur Liss          | Ilene Burk             |
| Kim Lifton           | 13- Jaclyn Aidenbaum | 23- Ed Kohl            |
| Linda Rosenbaum      | Rabbi Herbert        | Bruce Saperstein       |
| Doreen Turbow        | Yoskowitz            | Sheila Schechter       |
| Michael Weil         | 14- Alon Langleib    | 24- Lisa Jackson       |
| 5- Debi Banooni      | Michael Morris       | Stuart Logan           |
| Jacob Nothstine      | Neal Robin           | Rabbi Jason Miller     |
| Marci Shulman        | Marshall             | Austin Tucker          |
| 6- Rachel Avshalumov | Saltzman             | David Zenlea           |
| Lesley Feldman       | Rebekah Shievitz     | 25- Cynthia Greenspon  |
| Ariella Monson       | Jacqueline Zeff      | 26- Julie Feldman-Gold |
| Daniel Wiener        | 15- Shira Tucker     | Ruth Rosenfeld         |
| 7- Marcia Aaron      | 16- Marcia Garland   | 27- Tsiporah Blair     |
| Jacqueline Elkus     | Jeannie Weiner       | Allen Goldsmith        |
| 8- Barbara Alpern    | Terry Weingarden     | Barbara Kappy          |
| Helen Brown          | Kate Zenlea          | Paul Walter            |
| Linda Ellen Feinfeld | 17- Harriett Lusky   | Cheryl Yashinsky       |
| Leslie Hubert        | Joseph Roth          | 29- Earle Endelman     |
| Maximillian Matthies | 18- Jonathan Mandras | Mary Greenberg         |
| Debbie Riss          | Barbara Zack         | Jack Juni              |
| 9- Robert Dunsky     | 19- Georgeann Edford | Debby Katan            |
| Marilyn Gold         | Cheryl Hoberman      | Beth Phillips          |
| Gayle Infeld         | Lori Shapiro         | 30- James Labes        |
| Michael Randel       | Stewart Shipper      | 31- Morgan Kaufman     |
| Todd Schafer         | 20- Leonard Gutman   | Debbie Supowit         |
| Dmitry Shamis        | David Kirsch         |                        |
|                      | Barbara Morse        |                        |

**JULY ANNIVERSARIES**

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|------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1- Rochelle & Charles Markle | 6- Alexa & Neal Lepsetz          |
| 2- Morgan & Daniel Kaufman   | Marci & Steven Rotenberg         |
| 3- Rachel & Vadim Avshalumov | Shauna & Scott Schwartz          |
| Karen & Jeffrey Kraft        | 8- Nancy & Ted Schwartzfeld      |
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| Lexie & Isaac Vineburg       | 21- Lauren & Hazzan Daniel Gross |

**AUGUST BIRTHDAYS**

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|------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| 1- Jaron Friedman      | 14- Nancy Kaufman    | Nancy Schostak            |
| Linda Golden           | Jeffrey Tackel       | Alex Stotland             |
| Erin Savage            | Mark Teicher         | Philip Wolok              |
| 3- Caryn Bittker       | 15- Susan Goldfaden  | 26- James August          |
| Carol Plisner          | Eric Greenberg       | Demetry Belski            |
| 4- Jonathan Blatt      | Kate Lachman         | Michael Kovacs            |
| Ronald Levitin         | Cherie Selis         | Sharon Schwartz           |
| Jennifer Mattler       | Joe Tigay            | 27- Howard Halberg        |
| 5- Morley Biesman      | 16- Andrew Hayman    | Adam Vieder               |
| Spencer Burke          | Sharon Shepard       | 28- Mark Aronov           |
| Lauren Gross           | Barry Tigay          | Emily Correll             |
| Lisa Konheim           | 17- Rochelle Klegon  | 29- Joan Chernoff-Epstein |
| Ellen Kroopnick        | 18- Laura Rosenblum  | Marilyn Gutter            |
| 6- Janet Halberg       | Jeffrey Weingarten   | Elaine Raznick            |
| Gale Lawson            | 20- Edna Saltzman    | 30- Elise Gilbert         |
| Barbara Weiss          | 21- Arleen Rochlen   | Aronowitz                 |
| 9- Susan Barr          | Bette Shapiro        | Sharon Kaplan             |
| Beth Bradford          | James Sklar          | Aaron Lebovic             |
| Sissi Lapides          | 22- Allyson Cohen    | Rebecca Schostak          |
| Michael Shapiro        | 23- Robert Bloomberg | Elaine Serling            |
| 10- Eli Scherr         | Karen Kraft          | Ruth Zerlin               |
| 11- Francine Berman    | William Riss         | 31- Aaron Perlman         |
| Michele Elkus          | James Schafer        | Lindsey Waldman           |
| Lilly Stotland         | 24- Laura Goldberg   | Gail Wiener               |
| 12- Lauren Strickstein | Steven Matz          |                           |
| 13- Edmund Aronowitz   | Bobbie Miller        |                           |
| Anaruth Bernard        | Melissa Weisberger   |                           |
| Jennifer Burke         | 25- Rachel Jensen    |                           |
| Joel Golden            |                      |                           |

**AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES**

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|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1- Danielle & Michael Randel    | 17- Alissa & Bryan Anstandig   |
| 2- Samantha & Michael Shapiro   | 18- Meredith & Howard Goldberg |
| 3- Deborah & Thomas Williams    | Karen & Ken Goss               |
| 7- Susan & Rabbi Joseph Krakoff | Leanne & Todd Schafer          |
| Sandi & Steven Matz             | Rita & Edwin Sitron            |
| Rochelle & Eugene Perlman       | 19- Aviva & Moses Fridman      |
| 8- Jessica & Steven Migliore    | Caroline & Paul Margolis       |
| 9- Rabbi Rachel & Dan Shere     | 20- Lisa & Joseph Konheim      |
| Shana & Allen Weiss             | 21- Claudia & Kenneth Been     |
| 10- Sandy & Michael Robbins     | 23- Erin & Jacob Cohen         |
| 11- Beth & Jacob Nothstine      | Jacqueline & Larry Elkus       |
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**Barry Charlip**, husband of Marilyn Charlip z"l; father of David (Maureen) Charlip, Karen (Brian Witus) Laub, and Julie (Larry) Winkelman; grandfather of Amanda (Justin) Polk, Jacob (Maggie) Charlip, Ariel Regner (Nick Danowski), Jami (Tanner) Kiest, Sydney Laub, Ryan Laub, Alex Winkelman, Max Winkelman, and Abby Winkelman; great-grandfather of Jonah Polk, Brooklyn Polk, Eden Polk, and Quinn Charlip; son of Florence z"l and Allen Charlip z"l.

**Susan Cooper**, wife of Eli Cooper; mother of Ryan Rosenfeld; daughter of Robert and Beverly Rosenfeld; sister of Shari (Al) Goldstein.

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**Dr. Steven Kowalsky**, husband of Ilene Burk; father of Marisa Kowalsky (Dr. Dan Myers) and Daniel Kowalsky (Dr. Allison Ho Kowalsky); grandfather of Everett Myers, Sloane Myers, Robin Kowalsky; brothers Howard (Naomi), Mark (Bonnie), and Jeffery (Julie); son of Edith z"l and Larry z"l Kowalsky.

**Joel A. Newman**, husband of Michelle "Shelly" Newman; father of Casey Newman; brother of Susan (Benson) Barr, Neal (Esther) Zalenko, Sherwin Newman z"l, and Sanford z"l (Miriam z"l) Newman; brother-in-law of Robert (Janet) Sher, Lawrence Sher, and Beverly (Albert z"l) Hacker; son of Charles z"l and Libbie Newman Zalenko z"l.

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**Elaine Silverman**, wife of Leslie Silverman z"l; mother of Teri (Steven) Sinkoff, Cindy Silverman, Mitchell (Aviva Panush) Silverman, and Fred (Mandy Mills) Silverman; grandmother of Rebecca, Hilary, Shoshana (Rocky) Marcus, and Alex.

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**Arlene Tilchin**, wife of Asher Tilchin; mother of Robert (Nancy) Schostak, David (Elise) Schostak, Tzvi (Dorit) Schostak, Mark (Lillian) Schostak, Bill Tilchin, Mike (Linda) Tilchin, Marcia (Scott Spitzer) Tilchin, and Minda Tilchin z"l. She is survived by 24 grandchildren and 33 great-grandchildren; sister of Saralee (Isadore z"l) Berlman; daughter of Rudolph z"l and Rosalyn Shulman z"l.

**Alan Vosko**, husband of Sue Vosko; father of Marty (fiancee Tyra Ware) Vosko and Brian Vosko; brother of Mark (Ignacio Romero) Vosko; brother-in-law of Ilene z"l (Seymour z"l) Zate; son of Ruth z"l and Irving Vosko z"l.

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			<b>1</b> 16th of Tammuz 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 12:00pm - 12:30pm My Jewish Day with Rabbi Nosanwisch</li> <li>● 5:00pm Warrior Movement Tai Chi</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>2</b> 17th of Tammuz 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>3</b> 18th of Tammuz 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 8:56pm Candle lighting</li> </ul>	<b>4</b> 19th of Tammuz, Independence Day <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Parashat Pinchas</li> <li>● 10:30am MiniMinyan</li> <li>● 9:15pm Minchah-Maariv</li> <li>● 9:56pm Havdalah</li> </ul>
<b>5</b> 20th of Tammuz 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>6</b> 21st of Tammuz 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>7</b> 22nd of Tammuz 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>8</b> 23rd of Tammuz 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 12:00pm - 12:30pm My Jewish Day with Rabbi Nosanwisch</li> <li>● 5:00pm Warrior Movement Tai Chi</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 7:00pm Growing Through Grief:Bereavement Circle 20s, 30s, 40s with Rabbi Nosanwisch and Dr. Jackie Issner</li> </ul>	<b>9</b> 24th of Tammuz 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>10</b> 25th of Tammuz 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 10:00am Teva Tots</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 8:53pm Candle lighting</li> </ul>	<b>11</b> 26th of Tammuz 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Mevarchim Chodesh Av</li> <li>● Parashat Matot-Masei</li> <li>● 10:30am MiniMinyan</li> <li>● 12:00pm Enhanced Kiddush</li> <li>● 9:00pm Minchah-Maariv</li> <li>● 9:53pm Havdalah</li> </ul>
<b>12</b> 27th of Tammuz 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>13</b> 28th of Tammuz 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>14</b> 29th of Tammuz 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>15</b> 1st of Av 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Rosh Chodesh Av</li> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 10:00am Rosh Chodesh Study Session with Rabbi Nosanwisch</li> <li>● 12:00pm - 12:30pm My Jewish Day with Rabbi Nosanwisch</li> <li>● 12:00pm - 12:30pm My Jewish Day with Rabbi Nosanwisch</li> <li>● 5:00pm Warrior Movement Tai Chi</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>16</b> 2nd of Av 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>17</b> 3rd of Av 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 10:00am Teva Tots</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 8:49pm Candle lighting</li> </ul>	<b>18</b> 4th of Av 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Parashat Devarim</li> <li>● Shabbat Chazon</li> <li>● 10:30am MiniMinyan</li> <li>● 9:00pm Minchah-Maariv</li> <li>● 9:49pm Havdalah</li> </ul>
<b>19</b> 5th of Av 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>20</b> 6th of Av 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>21</b> 7th of Av 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 4:30pm Grieving with Grace: Bereavement Circle for 50+</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>22</b> 8th of Av 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Erev Tish'a B'Av</li> <li>● 8:00am Community Tisha B'Av</li> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 12:00pm - 12:30pm My Jewish Day with Rabbi Nosanwisch</li> <li>● 12:00pm - 12:30pm My Jewish Day with Rabbi Nosanwisch</li> <li>● 5:00pm Warrior Movement Tai Chi</li> <li>● 7:30pm - 8:00pm Minchah @ Shaarey Zedek</li> <li>● 8:00pm - 9:00pm Panel conversation with Conservative rabbis on the future of American and European Jewry @ Shaarey Zedek</li> <li>● 9:00pm Community-wide Tisha B'Av observance including Maariv, Eicha, and Kinnot @ Shaarey Zedek</li> <li>● 9:04pm Fast begins</li> </ul>	<b>23</b> 9th of Av 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Tish'a B'Av</li> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 9:43pm Fast ends</li> </ul>	<b>24</b> 10th of Av 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 8:43pm Candle lighting</li> </ul>	<b>25</b> 11th of Av 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Parashat Vaetchanan</li> <li>● Shabbat Nachamu</li> <li>● 10:30am MiniMinyan</li> <li>● 9:43pm Havdalah</li> </ul>
<b>26</b> 12th of Av 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>27</b> 13th of Av 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>28</b> 14th of Av 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>29</b> 15th of Av 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Tu B'Av</li> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 12:00pm - 12:30pm My Jewish Day with Rabbi Nosanwisch</li> <li>● 5:00pm Warrior Movement Tai Chi</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>30</b> 16th of Av 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>31</b> 17th of Av 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 10:00am Teva Tots</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 8:36pm Candle lighting</li> </ul>	

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# August 2026

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						<b>1</b> <span style="float: right;">18th of Av 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Parashat Eikev</li> <li>● 9:45am Shabbat Torah Study with Sam Arnold</li> <li>● 10:30am MiniMinyan</li> <li>● 9:00pm Minchah-Maariv</li> <li>● 9:35pm Havdalah</li> </ul>
<b>2</b> <span style="float: right;">19th of Av 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 2:00pm Kugel:with chef Jennifer Bass</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>3</b> <span style="float: right;">20th of Av 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>4</b> <span style="float: right;">21st of Av 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>5</b> <span style="float: right;">22nd of Av 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 12:00pm - 12:30pm My Jewish Day with Rabbi Nosanwisch</li> <li>● 5:00pm Warrior Movement Tai Chi</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>6</b> <span style="float: right;">23rd of Av 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>7</b> <span style="float: right;">24th of Av 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 10:00am Teva Tots</li> <li>● 12:00pm - 1:00pm New Moon Circle with Rabbi Nosanwisch</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 8:27pm Candle lighting</li> </ul>	<b>8</b> <span style="float: right;">25th of Av 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Mevarchim Chodesh Elul</li> <li>● Parashat Re'eh</li> <li>● 9:45am Shabbat Torah Study with Rabbi Nosanwisch</li> <li>● 10:30am MiniMinyan</li> <li>● 8:45pm Minchah-Maariv</li> <li>● 9:27pm Havdalah</li> </ul>
<b>9</b> <span style="float: right;">26th of Av 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>10</b> <span style="float: right;">27th of Av 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm BBQ + Back to Campus: Empower, Connect, and Prepare for the Year Ahead</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>11</b> <span style="float: right;">28th of Av 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>12</b> <span style="float: right;">29th of Av 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 12:00pm - 12:30pm My Jewish Day with Rabbi Nosanwisch</li> <li>● 5:00pm Warrior Movement Tai Chi</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 7:00pm Growing Through Grief:Bereavement Circle 20s, 30s, 40s with Rabbi Nosanwisch and Dr. Jackie Issner</li> </ul>	<b>13</b> <span style="float: right;">30th of Av 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Rosh Chodesh Elul</li> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>14</b> <span style="float: right;">1st of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Rosh Chodesh Elul</li> <li>● Rosh Hashana LaBehemot</li> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 8:18pm Candle lighting</li> </ul>	<b>15</b> <span style="float: right;">2nd of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Parashat Shoftim</li> <li>● 9:45am Shabbat Torah Study with Dr. Melissa Ser</li> <li>● 10:30am MiniMinyan</li> <li>● 8:30pm Minchah-Maariv</li> <li>● 9:17pm Havdalah</li> </ul>
<b>16</b> <span style="float: right;">3rd of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>17</b> <span style="float: right;">4th of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 7:00pm - 8:00pm Green Team planning meeting</li> </ul>	<b>18</b> <span style="float: right;">5th of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 7:00pm - 8:00pm Tof Me'od Drum Circle with Hazzan Gross</li> </ul>	<b>19</b> <span style="float: right;">6th of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 12:00pm - 12:30pm My Jewish Day with Rabbi Nosanwisch</li> <li>● 5:00pm Warrior Movement Tai Chi</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>20</b> <span style="float: right;">7th of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 7:00pm Thoughtful Thursdays</li> </ul>	<b>21</b> <span style="float: right;">8th of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 8:07pm Candle lighting</li> </ul>	<b>22</b> <span style="float: right;">9th of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Parashat Ki Teitzei</li> <li>● 9:45am Shabbat Torah Study with Ruth Bergman</li> <li>● 10:30am MiniMinyan</li> <li>● 8:30pm Minchah-Maariv</li> <li>● 9:06pm Havdalah</li> </ul>
<b>23</b> <span style="float: right;">10th of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>24</b> <span style="float: right;">11th of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>25</b> <span style="float: right;">12th of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 4:30pm Grieving with Grace: Bereavement Circle for 50+</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>26</b> <span style="float: right;">13th of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 12:00pm - 12:30pm My Jewish Day with Rabbi Nosanwisch</li> <li>● 5:00pm Warrior Movement Tai Chi</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>27</b> <span style="float: right;">14th of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>28</b> <span style="float: right;">15th of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm Back to Shul Shabbat</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 7:56pm Candle lighting</li> </ul>	<b>29</b> <span style="float: right;">16th of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Parashat Ki Tavo</li> <li>● 9:45am Shabbat Torah Study with Shayla Mostyn</li> <li>● 9:45am Soulful Yoga</li> <li>● 10:30am MiniMinyan</li> <li>● 8:15pm Minchah-Maariv</li> <li>● 8:55pm Havdalah</li> </ul>
<b>30</b> <span style="float: right;">17th of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 9:00am - 2:00pm Faculty/Madrichim Training (26-27)</li> <li>● 9:30am - 10:30am Meditation and Mindfulness with Rabbi Bergman</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>31</b> <span style="float: right;">18th of Elul 5786</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>					

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		<b>1</b> 19th of Elul 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>2</b> 20th of Elul 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 5:00pm Warrior Movement Tai Chi</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>3</b> 21st of Elul 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>4</b> 22nd of Elul 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 7:44pm Candle lighting</li> </ul>	<b>5</b> 23rd of Elul 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Parashat Nitzavim-Vayeilech</li> <li>● 9:00am Bar Mitzvah of Ori Glaser</li> <li>● 10:30am MiniMinyan</li> <li>● 8:43pm Havdalah</li> <li>● 9:00pm Selichot @ Beth Shalom</li> </ul>
<b>6</b> 24th of Elul 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 9:15am Men's Club Board Meeting</li> <li>● 11:00am Cemetery Clean up</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>7</b> 25th of Elul, Labor Day <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>8</b> 26th of Elul 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>9</b> 27th of Elul 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 4:30pm - 6:00pm First Day of Wednesday classes</li> <li>● 5:00pm Warrior Movement Tai Chi</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 7:00pm Growing Through Grief:Bereavement Circle 20s, 30s, 40s with Rabbi Nosanwisch and Dr. Jackie Issner</li> </ul>	<b>10</b> 28th of Elul 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>11</b> 29th of Elul 5786 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Erev Rosh Hashana</li> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 7:32pm Candle lighting</li> </ul>	<b>12</b> 1st of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Rosh Hashana 5787</li> <li>● 10:30am MiniMinyan</li> <li>● 8:31pm Candle lighting</li> </ul>
<b>13</b> 2nd of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Rosh Hashana II</li> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 8:29pm Havdalah</li> </ul>	<b>14</b> 3rd of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Tzom Gedaliah</li> <li>● 5:47am Fast begins</li> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 8:19pm Fast ends</li> </ul>	<b>15</b> 4th of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>16</b> 5th of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 4:30pm - 6:00pm Classes in Session</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>17</b> 6th of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>18</b> 7th of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 7:19pm Candle lighting</li> </ul>	<b>19</b> 8th of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Parashat Ha'azinu</li> <li>● Shabbat Shuva</li> <li>● 9:00am Bar Mitzvah of Gideon Herskovic</li> <li>● 9:45am Soulful Yoga</li> <li>● 10:30am MiniMinyan</li> <li>● 8:18pm Havdalah</li> </ul>
<b>20</b> 9th of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Erev Yom Kippur</li> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 9:00am - 12:00pm First Day of Sunday Classes</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 7:16pm Candle lighting</li> </ul>	<b>21</b> 10th of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Yizkor</li> <li>● Yom Kippur</li> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 8:15pm Havdalah</li> </ul>	<b>22</b> 11th of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>23</b> 12th of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 4:30pm - 6:00pm Classes in Session</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>24</b> 13th of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>25</b> 14th of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Erev Sukkot</li> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 5:30pm Welcome Shabbat Dinner</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 7:07pm Candle lighting</li> </ul>	<b>26</b> 15th of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Sukkot I</li> <li>● 10:30am MiniMinyan</li> <li>● 8:06pm Candle lighting</li> </ul>
<b>27</b> 16th of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Sukkot II</li> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 9:00am - 12:00pm Classes in Session - Sukkot Edition</li> <li>● 9:00am Sukkot Learning - Parents</li> <li>● 9:30am Knitting Circle</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 8:04pm Havdalah</li> </ul>	<b>28</b> 17th of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Sukkot III (CH"M)</li> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>	<b>29</b> 18th of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Sukkot IV (CH"M)</li> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> <li>● 6:30pm Sushi in the Sukkah</li> </ul>	<b>30</b> 19th of Tishri 5787 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Sukkot V (CH"M)</li> <li>● 8:00am - 9:00am Morning Minyan</li> <li>● 4:30pm - 6:00pm Classes in Session</li> <li>● 6:00pm - 7:00pm Evening Minyan</li> </ul>			

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