



*The Oldest Congregation in Monmouth County,
and the One with the Youngest Attitude.*

Newsletter

From Rabbi Cy Stanway

When we gather for our Seder this year we are doing something very special indeed. The Seder is a big circle and in encompasses our immediate family and friends gathered around the table and the greater Jewish world which is sitting around tables and doing Seder in every country and place that there are Jews. But the circle is not just spatial. It is also temporal. Consider that we are participating in a rite and ceremony that had its roots on the very first Passover when the Israelites left Egypt, evolved into the Seder we have today somewhere in the 3rd Century CE and embellished and personalized by every family and every Jew since then. And our connection is not just to the past. Our Seder is an anchor to the future.



When our children and grandchildren, our significant others and those of the next generation sit down to tell the story of the Exodus, the temporal circle widens and broadens. The message of the Pesach extends into the unknown future. But, even though Yogi Berra was right when he said, "It's tough to make predictions, especially about the future," the fact is that the Seder is primarily about the future and it is a future that is filled with hope despite the darkness that pervades all around.

During the Holocaust there are so many stories of makeshift Seders in the death-camps. Was it to fulfill a mitzvah? Maybe, but on a deeper level, no. It was about an affirmation the future will be better. Today, there are forces of deprivation and hatred that seem to be bottomless. Anti-Semitism is so prevalent in Europe that European Jews are openly wondering whether it is time to leave what is becoming an oppressive continent. And throughout the Middle East every day brings word of atrocity and unchecked hatred that seems to know no bounds. Populations which have lived in these ancient countries for thousands of years are seeing their families enslaved, dispersed or destroyed. Their heritage has been turned to dust.

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Our buildings have been destroyed throughout history as well. The ghettos in the Middle Ages have disappeared because the Jews were expelled to somewhere. Great synagogues have been destroyed the evil de-jour. In recent history it was the Nazis, in the Middle Ages it was the Inquisition, today it is the Islamic extremists and the governments that support them or turn the other way not to look. But Jews don't need the buildings for ours is a heritage that is built on words and books. It is no coincidence that the Seder uses a book to tell the story. Its words are holy and its words have echoed a message of hope from the darkest times to times of light and will continue to do so as long as Jews sit down at this special meal.

So as you sit down to your Seder, take a moment to reflect on how you got there and reflect that light into the future for with our holy words and messages, we will be that light unto the nations that the prophets so believed us to be.

Chag Sameach!



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*A Reform Congregation Serving
Monmouth County.*

We welcome you to Temple Beth Miriam's Newsletter. If you are in need of more information about the temple, we are always ready to help out.

If you are 'shul-shopping" we would love to show you around the temple. Just drop in to the Rabbi's office (but call first at 732.222.3754 to make sure he is there) and he will be your guide.

You are welcome to worship with us any time. We hope you do. Check the calendar for details.

If you are viewing this as a PDF or online all links are active.

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE:

**April 20 for the
May Newsletter**

NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

All flyers, photos, and articles MUST be either emailed tbadminasst@comcast.net or delivered to the office **by the above date** to ensure that they get into the next newsletter.

Temple Beth Miriam Bulletin is produced monthly except for August.

Three consecutive months of the newsletter will be sent to prospective members.



Yahrzeits are a very special moment in the service especially for those who are remembering a deceased loved one. The Religious Practices Committee would like to add even more meaning to this ritual.

When a name is read for the Yahrzeit, you may send us a two sentence description of the person you are remembering (eg. Joe Horowitz, a wonderful father and avid Jets fan who loved his grandchildren so much and is fondly remembered). If the description is more than 2 sentences, the office will edit it down to two sentences so as not to unduly lengthen the service.

You are also invited to bring a picture of a loved one on the night of the Yahrzeit with a paragraph about the person and their relationship to you, etc. Those pictures will be put out in the foyer for that Friday night service.

Please send the description of your loved one to tboffice@bethmiriam.org.

DID YOU KNOW...

You can pay your dues, make donations, register for events as well as for school ONLINE by simply using your credit card?

If you have never opened a Chaverweb account, please call Stella Stanway at 732-918-1940 and she will set you up.

THANK YOU!



A Word from our President, Harry Silverman

As I complete the third month as President, I have been able to take a step back and observe the activity of the many committees and our staff; their dedication and hard work oriented to the task at hand.

I mentioned in a previous article that the Friday night services were organized to span approximately 1 hour. What I didn't mention was that the services now have a musical instrument theme, with small percussion instruments handed out to congregants that wish to participate. The resulting sounds add to the service and make for a unique experience. Those instruments, by the way, (and 150 children's prayer books) were purchased courtesy of our talented Cantor, who was able to sell in excess of 74 Purim Spiels. You really need to come out on a Friday night (when it isn't snowing) and sample this musically spiritual experience.

Speaking of the Purim Spiel, it was a terrific event enjoyed by all. The talented cast played to a standing room only crowd. If you missed it, you can catch the 're-runs' on YouTube (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ihW7yAE6Xwk>). The Purim Carnival which followed was also a tremendous financial success benefiting our Temple youth group. Thanks go out to the Brotherhood of TBM and those that donated raffle items. Did you ever wonder how those Purim baskets made it to your door? It was the result of a volunteer intensive group that planned the entire event, purchasing the products, putting the baskets together, making phone calls, organizing the routes for the drivers and handling the accounting at the end.

I want to personally recognize and thank all the volunteers who took part in this fund raising event. They are: **Dawn Berkeley, Liz Calcitrai, Kathy & Mark Cohen, Joni & Alan Darnell, Danielle Delcuore, Grace Doctorow, Paul Edelson, Joanne & Barry Edison & family, Emily Feldman, Heather Foster, Vivian Fried, Debbie & Scott Gerbman, Lori Goldstein, Marian Gross, Stacy Howard, Lisa Jacobson, Ilene Kellert, Beth Weston-Knotts, Ronni Lippsett, Nancy Maling, Missy Peck, Sue Peckman, Lois Pess, Andrea Phox, Karen Pingitore, Annie Raulerson, Monte Rosen, Pat Shapiro, Steve Silver, Sharon Silverman, Cindy Singer, Wendy Slotter, Miriam Tetelbom, Gayle Topper, Nancy Wiener, Laura Ziegler, and Milt Ziment.**

I would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone a happy Passover.

Harry Silverman



What's Happening at Temple Beth Miriam April 2015

Wed, April 8

Theology class 10 AM
No School

Thurs, April 9

Passover Experience 7 PM

Fri, April 10

Last Day of Passover - Office closed
Shabbat Services/Birthday Blessings
7:30 PM

Sat, April 11

NEW! Shabbat Together kids 6 & under
11 AM (see ad for info)

Sat, April 12

No School
No Talmud Study

Wed, April 15

Theology class 10 AM

Thurs, April 16

Yom HaShoah

Fri, April 17

Grade 6 Family Service & Dinner 6:15 PM
Shabbat Services 7:30 PM

Sat, April 18

Jack Bricken Bar Mitzvah 10 AM

Sun, April 19

Grade 6 Family Ed/Tallit Workshop
Teen Academy
Yom HaShoah Holocaust Memorial
Observance Freehold Jewish Ctr 4 PM
(see ad in this newsletter)

Wed, April 22

Yom HaZikaron
Theology class 10 AM

Thurs, April 23

Yom HaZmaut

Fri, April 24

Shabbat Services 7:30 PM
NFTY Spring Kallah

Sat, April 25

Maya Restifo Bat Mitzvah 10 AM
NFTY Spring Kallah

Sun, April 26

"Making Prayer Real" class 9 - 10:30 AM
Executive Board Meeting at TBM 9 AM
SISTERHOOD PAID UP BRUNCH & SPA DAY

Mon, April 27

Board of Trustees Meeting 8 PM

Wed, April 29

Theology class 10 AM



A special **THANK YOU** to
PAT SHAPIRO for vounteering in
the office last month. We appreciate you!



FLUTE
(optional)



A Note from our Cantor

It's April! Which means spring is here, the weather is warming up and Passover is coming!

On March 22, our Sisterhood hosted a lovely Women's Seder. On April 4, TBM will be hosting our congregational second day of Passover Seder at 5:15pm. This family friendly seder will be lots of fun and have great food! I hope you will join us! On April 9, we will have our Passover Experience which will include a Yizkor Service. Please check the calendar for the time.

April also brings us our brand new Shabbat Together (Shabbat B'Yachad) Shabbat experience for families with children age 6 and under. This Saturday morning experience, will debut on April 11 at 11am. There will be music, dancing, instruments, a PJ Library story and a Shabbat themed craft. Did I mention there will also be breakfast? Parents and grandparents are welcome to attend! There is no charge, and members and non-members are invited! (This event is co-sponsored by PJ Library.)

Shalom,

Cantor Marnie
cantor@bethmiriam.org



Cantor Marnie leads the Women's Seder at Temple Beth Miriam,
which was sponsored by The Sisterhood.
A great time was had by all!!



From the Principal's Desk

4/5th Grade Family Ed...Beautiful Fimo Clay mezuzot handmade by Grade 5 and heirloom Siddur covers made by 4th Grade in honor of their brand new sidurrim.



Stella Jeruzalmi Stanway -
stellastanway@bethmiriam.org

EBRS School Calendar 2015

MARCH 2015							APRIL 2015						
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MAY 2015						
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The entire congregation is welcome to enjoy a meal together before services whenever there is a Family Shabbat with the children of the Eisenberg-Bierman Religious School. Online reservations on Chaverweb at <https://www.chaverweb.net/Logout2.aspx> and then login using your usual username and password.

Shabbat Dinner! Save the dates!

April 17 @ 6:15, featuring Grade 6

May 8 @ 6:15, featuring Grade 7 Siyyum

Every member of the Eisenberg Bierman Religious School can be reached by email:



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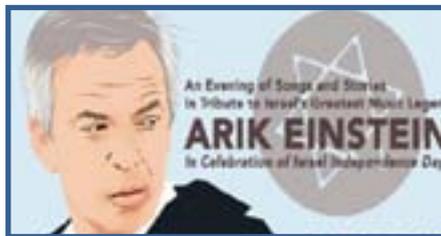
Join us on April 9 at 7 PM for our Passover Experience.

The experience will include the Yiskor service and a text study and, of course, a kosher for Passover snack (yum!). There is no cost and everyone is welcome.



Yom HaShoah Holocaust Memorial Observance April 19 at 4 PM

Everyone is welcome to join Temple Beth Miriam, Congregation Kol Am and Congregation Agudath Achim at the Freehold Jewish Center to commemorate Yom HaShoah - Holocaust Memorial Day - at the Freehold Jewish Center (59 Broad & Stokes Streets Freehold, NJ 07728. Phone: (732) 462-0254). The commemoration is open to everyone, adults and children. No charge!



An Evening of Song and Stories Celebrating Arik Einstein, Israel's premier troubadour.

SATURDAY, APRIL 25 AT 9 PM

Temple Beth Miriam is happy to announce a special presentation with very special pricing from Axelrod Theater for an evening of song and stories in memory of Arik Einstein and in celebration of Israel Independence Day.

Tickets are available at the temple office. Call us or email Sarah Domino at tbmreception@bethmiriam.org to reserve your seats.

\$20/adults

\$15 for children 17 years and below

Men's Club News



Family Fun Day - April 26 - Jewish Heritage Day

The Men's Club of Beth Miriam has put together a fantastic day of fun with the Lakewood Blueclaws!

Everyone is welcome on April 26 at 1:00 PM as the Blueclaws play Hagerstown.

The cost is ONLY \$10 for adults and \$8 for seniors and children. There is general parking so you will need to get to the FirstEnergy Park.

We will be together as a Beth Miriam group on BlueClaws Jewish Heritage Day.

Going to the ballpark is always fun and, at this special price and on this special day, it will be even more fun.

For tickets, please contact Barry Edison at eyedocbarry@gmail.com or call the temple at 732-222-3754 to join us!





Join us for our Shabbat Together program for children, parents and grandparents.

Our first Shabbat Together is April 11 at 11:00 AM

This program is specially designed for children 6 and under and will include:

Lunch, Music, Craft on a Jewish theme, special Jewish story

Rabbi and the Cantor and will include:

****A combination of music, movement, and learning offering young children and their parents/grandparents/caregivers an early exposure to the Shabbat experience through age-appropriate songs & prayers**

****A basis for learning songs, hand motions and language that reinforce the meaning of Shabbat, its rituals, the Torah parsha (Torah portion) and the importance of Tikkun Olam (Healing our World) through story and crafts**

****An opportunity for parents and their young children to have their first taste of the warmth and joy of the Shabbat experience. It also provides a community within Beth Miriam through parent/grandparent/ caregiver socializing, wrapped around the Tot Shabbat service.**



Teen Academy with Rabbi Cy

April 19

May 3 (w/ 7th grade)

**Teen Academy meets monthly
on Sundays.**

**Grades 8 & 9 will meet from
9 AM- 10:30 AM.**

**Grades 10, 11 & 12 will meet from
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM**

**A delicious breakfast will
be served!**

Social Action

“Souper” Fundraiser at TBM

Despite the snowy, slippery conditions outside on Saturday evening, February 21, the delicious smells coming out of the kitchen at Temple Beth Miriam in Elberon were amazing. A group of 9 dedicated volunteers came together that evening to make soup and fresh rolls to sell and raise money for the local pantry. Thanks to Liza and Frank Restifo, Michael Vernick,

Annie Raulerson, Gayle, Robert, Michael and Elliot Topper and Sue Gruskin for their help making this wonderful soup.

Liza Restifo, a member of the Social Action Committee at Temple Beth Miriam said “Driving to the soup making event was treacherous and eventful with a detour for an accident and blizzard conditions but we were determined to get there to make soup! The ride home was much better except for some unplowed streets that felt like we were skiing on! All in all, the soup making was productive and fun, quite the adventure!”

Michael Vernick was in charge of the chicken noodle soup. Vicki Brosniak had agreed to help by making her wonderful vegetarian mushroom barley soup, but in the end was not able to get to the temple. She did, however, share her amazing and the results were wonderful. In all, 62 quarts of soup and lots of challah rolls were made that night.

The end result of this soup making event was that \$225 was raised to buy food for the local food pantry at the Lutheran Church for the Reformation in West Long Branch. At this time beans and pasta are being bought to fill the shelves that are currently empty.

Thanks to everyone at Temple Beth Miriam who supported our efforts and bought soup and rolls to help feed the hungry.

Keep your eyes open, we hope to have one more soup event before the summer!

Thank You!

Thank you to those who helped at the pantry
this month:

**Pat Shapiro, Susan Hodes, Amy Goldman and Gayle
Topper**

WELCOME
NEW MEMBERS

Josh Braiman
Ocean, NJ

Anya Castellano
Tinton Falls, NJ

Fay Cooperhouse was a beloved teacher and Bar/Bat Mitzvah tutor at Temple Beth Miriam. We recently discovered that she passed away, and we would like to share her beautiful obituary with you.

May Fay's memory be a blessing to all who knew her.

Fay Cooperhouse

March 8, 1921 - March 23, 2015

Fay Cooperhouse, 94, of Tinton Falls passed away on March 23, 2015. She was an amazing and beloved mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, cousin, and inspirational role-model to so many people in her family, her synagogue and in her community.

She was an amazing advocate for education during her entire life and was truly a Woman of Valor. At a time when it was highly unusual for a woman to gain a college education, Fay received her BA and MA degree from Drexel University, and also took classes towards a doctorate. She was a teacher for almost 70 years – first teaching elementary school at various schools around the country and then as a Hebrew School teacher at Congregation B'Nai Israel in Rumson.

Fay met Jack, her husband of blessed memory, while walking to Hebrew School as a young teenager in Philadelphia. They were married in 1942, while Jack was a cadet at the US Military Academy, and married for a wonderful 64 years. The military gave them the opportunity to travel throughout the world, as they were stationed at various places in the United States, France, and Germany, while Jack served as a career officer in the United States Army. Every time they moved, Fay served in a leadership position in the community.

Fay was so loved by her family and friends, and she stayed active on her phone and email until her final days. She will be remembered by her very wise advice on "doing the right thing", and in her tremendous belief in education.

Fay was predeceased by her husband, Jack, in 2006, and is survived by her sons Terel and Louis, their wives Lynn and Elizabeth, and grandchildren Danielle, Ryan, Michael and Jeffrey. Her family will miss her very, very much.



Mazel Tov to Jack Bricken as he becomes Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, April 18.

Jack Benjamin Bricken was born on April 17th, 2005, five weeks early, at Columbia Presbyterian Hospital in New York City. He was pushy then and he is persistent now. He wants what he wants!

Jack has always been funny and curious. He is also perceptive and very sensitive. From a very young age, he was able to articulate just how he felt in situations that elicited emotion. I think that sensitivity is making the preteen years a little tender. Jack is also clever and his common sense serves him well.

Jack was a talkative one in school; the jokester. He currently attends HW Mountz Elementary School in Spring Lake, where he is an honor roll student. Some teachers had fun with his comedic nature, others not so much. It has been comforting to know he will never be afraid to speak up and ask for what he wants.

Jack's sensitivity shows in his relationship with children. He adores his three-year old niece and often says he would love to have a baby sister to play with and take care of. While at a family reunion this past summer, my brother commented, "I've never seen a boy that age be so attentive to another child in such a sweet way." He is also very fond of his Nana and Papa and enjoys frequent visits with them.

I think these sensibilities help contribute to his love of the arts. Jack started playing the piano at age five. His teachers have always commented on his talent and ability to “hear” music easily. He played the saxophone in the school band, was in the school chorus and is now learning to play guitar. He listens to music every day and has his favorite artists. When Jack was in second grade, he participated in community theater. On his first audition, he landed the role of Tiny Tim in Scrooge and sang before a packed house. He reprised the role for the next two years. Jack also auditioned for a few Broadway musicals. It was a memorable experience!

He has a sense of style and has always cared about looking nice. Every year, we take Jack to a Broadway play. Before each trip, he comes downstairs dressed in a jacket and tie because, he says, “We are going to Broadway, I need to wear my New York look.”

Jack loves sports. He was chosen for the school baseball team, has played on the school JV basketball team and plays on a travel soccer team. He skis on family vacations and will continue to hone his surfing skills this summer.



Mazel Tov to Maya Restifo as she becomes Bat Mitzvah on Saturday, April 25.

Maya Restifo is a 7th grade honor student at Bradley Beach Elementary School where she is the Public Relations Director of the Student Council. She has earned an advanced purple belt in Japanese style karate at Budo Way Karate Academy in Neptune City and has participated since 4th grade. Her interests include making homemade arts and crafts, decorating, and summer theater arts. Maya enjoys bicycling, hiking, camping, chillin’ at the beach, playing and watching Minecraft and hanging out with friends.

Maya has been involved in local environmental clean-ups through Clean Ocean Action and Shark River Cleanup Coalition and loves attending music festivals. Maya has assisted at the food pantry and with the Social Action committee during soup making and other events.

For her Kishrei Halev Project, Maya made bracelets and charms on her Rainbow Loom and set up booth sales at three different markets including the Monmouth County Parks Eco-Elephant Sale, Asbury Park Fresh Farm Market, and the Fall Harvest Festival in Asbury Park. Proceeds from the sales were donated to the Boys and Girls Club of Asbury Park.

The Congregation Acknowledges with Thanks the Following Contributions:

RABBI JOSEPH GOLDMAN FUND FOR

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In honor of Ilana Goldman's upcoming graduation
from Lawrence University

Amy & Alvin Goldman

In memory of Esther Lysaght's father

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In memory of Emmett Peck, Missy Peck's father

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Wendy Sloter

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Thank you to TBM for the beautiful Purim basket

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In honor of SALTY

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In memory of Emmett Peck

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Get well soon to Toby Stevens

Thanks to friends & TBM for the Purim goodies

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- In memory of • In honor of • Bar/Bat Mitzvah • Birthday • Anniversary
- Birth • Thank you • Marriage • *for any occasion...*

A complete list of TBM funds appear in this newsletter



March has been a wonderful and busy month for SALT. We put on an amazing Purim carnival and Gift auction which exceeded our expectations. Attendance to this event was greater than it was been in recent years and we could tell...it was practically standing room only. Our teens worked brilliantly as a team and were completely in charge of assembling, running and breaking down the carnival. SALT would like to thank DR. Gary & Lois Pess for their dedicated support and for selling tickets for everything! All of our successes are due in part to your championing our cause...THANK YOU!

SALT also thanks members of the Men of TBM, and especially Larry Nagel and Alan Bonnar for shopping and running the Food Booth and for recruiting volunteers to help. Many thanks to Nancy Wiener, Gayle Topper, Karen Pingitore and Maxine Miller for wrapping and organizing all of the gifts donated to the gift auction.

Thank you to all of the generous folks who donated items to the gift auction and specifically to the following business:

Babur Gardens, At your Service Party Helpers, Buddy's Lots, Shore Fit Club, Shore Music Academy, Shore Cake Supply, The Max of Ocean, Initial Impact, Lion Whale, and the to the following individuals who provided their talents and services: Alissa Reisler, Debbie Gerbman, SaraAnn Stanway, Steven Topper, Marissa Feldmen, Jordan Swartz & Beth Knotts.

If I have left out a thanks you, please let me know and I will make the correction. In all we raised a total of \$2,400 to benefit SALT. On behalf of the hardworking SALT board, I would like to thank the entire Temple Beth Miriam community for this tremendous success!

SALT is not all work and no play. Recently we help our first ever QR Code Scavenger Hunt in Red Bank. With the permission of about a dozen businesses, our event organizers posted color coded QR codes in the window. In 4 groups, about 20 teens, mostly members of SALT, along with a few NFTY guests from around the region, went from store to store, using their smartphones to scan for hints which were riddles about Israel, but the answers led to the next hint. Ultimately all the teens wound up at No Joe's Cafe for hanging out and hot chocolate...the owners were great; they took good care of us and were so impressed with our group that they gave us 25% off our bill!

Events that are coming up include Spring Kallah, for which registration has already begun, and the Senior Send-Off Service in May, which all member of SALT are invited to attend or participate!

Stella Jeruzalmi Stanway



Join one of TBM's Youth Groups



To join one of our three Temple Youth Groups (TYGs) please scan the QR code with your smartphone or go to: <https://saltyyouthgroup.wufoo.com/forms/201415-tbm-youth-group-membership-form/>



Please sign up and have your child sign up to get text updates for TYG events!



**For SALTY
Grades 9-12**

**For SALTeens
Grade 6-8**

**For TamTams
Grade 4-5**

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with this message
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with this message
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April Yahrzeits

March 29- April 4

Benjamin Aronsohn*
Gabriel Barnett
Eli Bialik*
Michael Brower*
Sidney Darnell
Stella Eidelsbeg
Sidney Erlanger*
Alexander Franklin*
Rachel Gelb*
Sol Goldstein
Millie Goldstein
William Greenbaum
Martin Greenstein*
Helen Hirsch
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Max Kasson*
Larry Katz
Samuel Marlin*
Virginia Martin
Marlene Neiderman
Francesca Nelson
Shirley Rossien
Morris Rutenberg*
Becky Selbst*
Maurice Stalberg
Sophie Tenzer*
Seymour Wenger*
Charles Wiener

April 5-11

Wilma Aronson*
Isidore Bady*
Benjamin Bauman*
Joseph Bergman*
Joseph Brower*
William Epstein
Antoinette Farella
Meyer Friedman*
Judy Glassman
Esther Gorsky
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Joshua Neimark*
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Robert Salzberg
William Setrin
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Margaret Zuckerman*

April 12-18

Philip Ader
Isidor Berger*
Eli Berke
Adolph Bialek*
Samuel Borinsky*
Edward Carlin
Pauline Cinnamon
Max Eichenbaum*
Adele Feibel
Barry Fisher
Ceil Freedman
Timothy Gavin
Rose Goldman
Herman Holzman*
Jean Jacobson*
Sarah Kaye*
Martin Kern*
Irving Kirshbaum*
Walter Kohn*
Evelyn Kramer
Minnie Leffert
David Pashall*
Murray Revits*
Diane Rich
Julius Schlatner
Sarah Schwartz
Nancy Stalberg
Richard Weinberg
Edward Weinstein*

April 19-25

Ciony Bacani
Nancy Behrman*
Rose Berg*
Isadore Bey*
Joan Budner*
Sidney Coe
Betty Cohen*
Abe Cohen*
John Costanzo
Harold Dobrin
Alfred Feibel
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Morris Gelb*
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Amalie Jacobson*
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Savannah Oxfeld
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Benjamin Snyder*
Nettie Stolzenberg
Richard Topper
Ida Zlotkin*

April 26-May 2

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Please join Rabbi Stanway on
Friday, April 10 at 7:30 PM
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Happy Special
April Anniversary!

Eugene & Anne Horowitz-20 years
Scott & Gwen Greenberg- 20 years
Dr. Mark & Beth Seckler- 25 years

Please join Rabbi Stanway
for Shabbat Services on
Friday, April at 7:30 PM
to receive your Anniversary Blessings.

New! Guidelines for Sponsoring an Oneg at TBM

Sponsoring an Oneg-Shabbat after Friday night services is a great way to honor someone you love, or to celebrate an upcoming simcha. We ask all Bar/Bat Mitzvah families to sponsor the Oneg on the Friday night before the Bar Mitzvah, but everyone is welcome to celebrate a special occasion by sponsoring an Oneg.

Preparation before the Oneg: (things you need to provide)

Table cloths for four (4) 72" round tables in the color of your choice

Table cloths for three (3) 8' X 3' rectangular tables for food and beverages

Milk, half and half, and/or non-dairy creamer for coffee

Drinks – juice, seltzer, soda

Paper products – plates, cups for cold drinks, cups for hot drinks, silverware, and napkins

Assorted kitchen equipment, glassware, platters, creamer and sugar bowl, serving utensils, pitchers, urns, and risers are available for your use in the TBM kitchen.

On the day of the Oneg:

Please plan to arrive 20-30 minutes before services to set up the food.

Make sure to bring two (2) challahs – one for the bima and one for the Oneg.

You can drop off the food before noon on Friday, and leave perishable items in the refrigerator.

Remember when planning for the Oneg to increase the number of guests you expect by at least 20 or 30 for other congregants who are attending services. TBM does not keep kosher, but NO PORK OR SHELLFISH products are to be served.

Recommendations for minimum amounts (serves max of 40):

- At least 3 platters of assorted sweets – brownies, cookies, cakes or other pastries
- One platter of cut up seasonal fruit
- At least one additional item such as cheese and crackers, chips and dip, nuts, cut up veggies, hummus and pita, or any other hors d'oeuvres (things can be heated at TBM to be served warm)

Please call the TBM Office at (732)222-3754 to set up a date to sponsor an Oneg. Also, please remit \$50 to help pay for the additional kitchen staff on that evening. Please realize that you may be asked to co-sponsor the Oneg, as there are sometimes multiple events occurring on any given evening.

If you have any additional questions, please contact:

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TBM FUNDS

GENERAL PURPOSE

Tree of Life - A beautiful way to honor any occasion of your family with an engraved leaf on the tree bearing the name of the person honored on occasions such as Bar/Bat Mitzvahs, birth, marriage or any other simcha. Contribution \$180.

The Yahrzeit Memorials - Purchase a sanctuary plaque memorializing a loved one who has died. This memorial provides that the name of the loved one will be recited yearly on the anniversary of his/her death. Donation \$500.

Prayer Book Fund - Maintains our supply of prayer books for worship services. Bookplates are inserted in recognition of donation. **Contribution \$36.**

Social and Community Action Fund - Provides support for local community programs.

Family Affair - The goal of this program is to bring a little relief and a sign of caring to any of our temple members experiencing difficulty in life, by providing and delivering meals to their homes.

Heimlich-Aaron Library Fund - Maintains an in depth library of books on current and historic themes for the use of all age groups in the congregation. A growing library of video tapes is available for members use. Bookplates are inserted in recognition of donation. Contribution \$18.

Wish List - A fund for non-budgeted temple expenses.

ENDOWMENT

The Endowment Fund - For the preservation of our temple and to enable us to fulfill our spiritual, educational, cultural and social needs.

Centennial Fund - Proceeds from this fund are used to underwrite two categories of temple activities; up to 50% of the programs and programmatic activities; up to 50% of the annual proceeds can be used to underwrite under-funded pensions of Temple staff members.

Tzedakeh Fund - To be able to help congregants who are in needs of financial assistance.

Rabbi Joseph Goldman Fund for Jewish Learning - Proceeds from this fund will be used to underwrite and support an array of educational programs and activities for all age groups within our synagogue. The objective of these activities will be to enhance Jewish knowledge, experiences, and commitment of temple members.

Heimlich Memorial Scholarship Fund - Established to honor the memory of Ernest Heimlich.

Proceeds of this fund are to be used to underwrite a partial scholarship to a college or school of higher education awarded to a Temple Beth Miriam Confirm and who has distinguished him/herself through exceptional Temple Community activity. High school and college students.

Dorothy Hirsch Scholarship - Honors the memory of Dorothy Hirsch. Proceeds of this fund provide scholarships to leadership training activities sponsored by the Reform Movement for high school and college students.

Rabbi Discretionary Fund

The Carolyn Meyer Memorial Lecture Fund - Proceeds from this fund will enable the temple and community to enjoy a biennial lecture on a theme related to Jewish teaching pertinent to a rich congregational life.

Neimark Shabbaton Institute - Honors the memory of Solomon & Regina Neimark. Proceeds of this gift of \$10,000 is to be used yearly to underwrite activities of temple seniors. The proceeds may be used for the members of the Shabbaton, but are not limited only to seniors.

Berg-Bialek Youth Leadership Retreat Fund - This fund is used to supplement the cost of youth leadership retreats which may include conclaves, biennials and other leadership events. The use of these funds will be at the discretion of the Rabbi, Temple President and Religious School Director.

Conn Music Fund - Established to honor Gert and Ralph Conn. Proceeds of this fund to be used to provide special musical programs and/or performances during holiday or special celebration.

The Rhoda & Norty Kern Youth Scholarship Fund - Proceeds of this fund will be used to send students of the 7th grade in our Religious School on a class trip. The preferred trips to be of Jewish interest, that will be decided upon by the Rabbi and the Mens' Club.

Arthur and Hazel Harmon Fund - To honor the memory of Arthur & Hazel Harmon. Proceeds of this fund are used to purchase a prize for a student of the Religious School who has performed outstanding congregational or community service during congregational year.

The Milton Ziment Fund for Scholastic Achievement - The purpose of this fund will be to provide an annual prize(s) for students of the Religious School who gain recognition for exceptional academic performance.

Sonya Grossman Art & Beautification Fund - This fund is for purchasing works of art& enhancing the beauty of TBM.

The Katz Family Fund - Proceeds of this fund are used to help families in need of funds for Religious School education.

Temple Beth Miriam Wish List - Proceeds are used to help provide needed upgraded technological items and furnishings.

Library Shelves - Available for dedication \$1,000.

Evelyn Blank Choral Fund - To be used for choral and other musical events.

Pess Family Youth Group Fund - Established by Lois & Gary Pess & will be used for all Youth Group activities not covered by other existing funds. It also provides necessary funds for Youth Group members who do not have financial resources to participate in activities & trips.

The Roz Nagel Fund for Religious School Special Projects - To honor the memory of Roz Nagel, proceeds of this fund will be used for religious school special projects.

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