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Exciting times for our SHALOM monthly newsletter!

Our Board of Directors has decided to do what more and more congregations nationwide are already doing. **SHALOM** is going to become an electronic newsletter. The vast majority of temple members will receive **SHALOM** as an email newsletter. For members who are without email, copies will be available at the temple office.

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How are we going to do this? Oy vay, it's not going to be easy, that's for sure! Let's face it – some of our ideas will work really great and some might need tweaking. We ask for your patience in advance.

To help get the new **SHALOM** off to a strong and manageable start, we're going to change how some information is presented and put some features on at least temporary hiatus. Once the new **SHALOM** format and workflow settle into place, we'll revisit feature articles and bring to life some new content ideas.

This is the final issue of **SHALOM** in this printed format. If you now receive emails from temple, you will receive **SHALOM** in your email.

We want to thank all the past Editors of **SHALOM** for the tremendous job they've done. Special thanks go to Len Alper for stepping up as Interim Editor these past few months.

B'Shalom,

Sherry Levin
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SHABBAT SERVICES

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7:30 p.m.

Last Saturday Morning of the Month
9:30 a.m

Led by Sheldon Skurow, Spiritual Leader

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President's Message

I hope this message finds all congregants filled with the joy, peace, and sense of hope that the High Holy Days provide. Once again our sanctuary was filled with prayers, meditations, sermons, and song. Our sanctuary also had a large contingient of young members all sitting together as well as an almost overflow attendance at each service. This would be great to see on a regular basis on each Shabbat.

We have seen the results of the hard work that was our High Holiday services, and now it is time to channel that energy into our everyday Temple Shalom life.

Next month we will transition from a paper Shalom to a digital version, which will be a work in progress with many opportunities which a paper copy would not, and could not offer.

I have recently met with the Executive Board for the purpose of putting together an agenda for the upcoming years. I, myself, as well as leaders from the other prominent Jewish groups met and will continue to meet on a regular basis for the purpose of working and supporting each other. This is a good opportunity to work as a united Jewish community and may have interesting and long lasting results. I will be appointing an ad hoc committee soon to continue with this work, and will keep you informed as we progress.

Our Feasibility and Needs committee is fast approaching its conclusion, and after analysis we will be looking into many areas involving the possibility for expansion of our Temple. There is also much talk about a Jewish community Center type of building.

The excitement of the future, the continued growth of our membership (currently 684) is a reason to find a place on one of our committees. Give us your experience and be part of the Temple Shalom Experience.

Coming soon: 10 Minutes Of Torah co-branded with our Temple from the URJ. Go on line at URJ.ORG and find out more about this wonderful daily feature.

Steve Lowe
President, Temple Shalom of Central Florida

FROM THE HEAD OF THE TABLE

Motions from last board meeting:

1. Motion made and passed to pay for Torah repairs,$2,000.00, out of maintenance reserve restricted fund.
2. Motion made and passed to purchase piano using choir funds. One vote against.
3. Window protection done before holiday. Motion made and passed to pay out of restricted funds for $ 700.
4. Motion made and passed to increase sale of gift cards from $2,500 to $ 12,000. To attract shopping at new stores coming to area.
5. Motion made and passed to keep office close on second day of Rosh Hashanah and office manager will be paid.

Brotherhood—Where It's Happening!

L'Shana Tovah! Brotherhood extends best wishes for a Sweet, Healthy, Happy New Year to all. As the weather starts to cool (hopefully) we look forward to the start of our Fall activities. Planning events, fund raising and supporting the needs of our Temple is the main focus of our participation. Brotherhood offers more than that, it offers the opportunity to meet new members and create new and lasting friendships.

On October 19th, Brotherhood along with Sisterhood will be sponsoring a Breakfast meeting with an outstanding presentation by the Price Library of Judaic Studies at the Universityof Florida. This is a DO NOT MISS EVENT!

Special thanks to Paul Elias and his committee John Adams and Mike Broverman for creating another successful Brotherhood Golf Tournament. The weather cooperated, good food, good golf and everyone was a winner. Bragging rights go to the winning team of Marty Stein, Mel Harf and Tom Nevelle with a score of minus 1. Closest to the pin: Mike Belitz; Stan Bartell. Putting contest: Alan Matasoff.

We salute Joe Harvest having been selected for the September 12th Honor Flight to Washington D.C. This honor is extended to the Heroes of WW11. Joe will be our honoree at The Brotherhood Breakfast meeting September 21st celebrating and sharing his experience.

Casino night is a work in progress. Don't forget Texas Hold em is played the 2nd and 4th Tuesday evening of the month.

Brotherhood welcomes our newest members: Alan Feingold, Sam Janowitz, Jeff Koltenuk and Jay Newman. We look forward to continue welcoming new members, your ideas, experience, enthusiasm and participation in our activities is a valuable part of Temple Shalom

Ralph Coster.
Brotherhood President

Temple Shalom Sisterhood Gift Shop

Now that Fall is here and the snowbirds are coming back there will be lots things going on. In case you need a gift the Gift Shop has many beautiful items for these occasions. New things arrive all the time. Custom & special orders are available. We have selections from *The Gary Rosenthal Collection & The Source for Everything Jewish*. We have many items for birthdays, holidays, weddings, Bar & Bat Mitzvahs & other special occasions. Check us out in the Temple lobby.

The Gift Shop is open Monday thru Thursday 9:30 am to 3:30 pm and Friday till noon. Call Toby 753-2622, Lynn 633-0285, or Derick our Office Manager 748-1800.

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BINGO!!

TEMPLE SHALOM BINGO has returned!! New times, new packages, new games… Loads of fun and profit for YOU, AND our Temple! Play BINGO any Wednesday and try your luck! Doors open **2:45**..Games begin at **4:30**. If PLAYING BINGO isn't your game, VOLUNTEER! Once every 6th week for a few hours!! Shifts (1st shift **2:30**!) and all positions available!! Spread the word and play…or volunteer…for our largest, weekly FUNdraiser!

New team leaders or co-team leaders are needed to ensure our continued success! Do you like to bake? We sell slices of homemade cake each week!! Please call Joanne at 205-7516 or email joanieabc@aol.com or call the Temple office to offer YOUR help!! Thank you!

I NEVER KNEW I HAD A CHOICE
Counselling Sessions

Barbara Glick, who holds a Masters Degree in Psychiatric Social Work, will conduct the group. The group will meet every week on **Thursdays** at **10:00 - 11:30 a.m.** at Temple Shalom.

Come and explore new choice to be made. No one is alone. Hope to see you there. Any questions, please call or e-mail Barbara:

(352) 350-6457 or mmbglick@att.net

CHUMASH STUDIES

Torah Discussion

Last Saturday of the Month

Next session October 31

Sisterhood—Where It's Happening

As I write this piece, Summer is quickly heading into Fall. The High Holy Days are nearly here. A time for reflection on our lives and a time to pray for a happy and healthy New Year for all of us. And then the Sisterhood Fall Season begins .

Monday, September 20 sees the beginning of Sukkot presentations at Independent and Assisted Living and Rehabilitation Centers in the Villages by the Sisterhood Community Outreach Committee. A special presentation will be made by Committee Members at the Hospice off Morse Boulevard. If you are interested in participating in the Committee, please contact Sylvia Elinoff, Chair at sjelinoff@gmail.com.

First up is the annual Vendors' Fair on October 12, 2015. Temple Shalom is transformed into an indoor Market with people from all over the Tri-County area coming to socialize, purchase some great stuff from the vendors and enjoy baked goods from the Sisterhood bakers. Sharna Vitale has once again asked for Sisterhood volunteers to bring in their great home baked goods. Contact Sharna Vitale at s143sharna@aol.com and let her know you're on the "team".

On Monday, October 12, the Price Judaica Library revisits Temple Shalom Sisterhood at the Brotherhood/Sisterhood Joint meeting. This visit, the Library will be featuring writings brought to this country by Jewish immigrants. Instead of lunch, breakfast will be served.

Sunday, October 25th at 2:30pm, Sisterhood holds Rosh Chodesh. The featured speaker is Sheila Shayne who has a very special presentation *"Fifty Shades of Health and Happiness"* planned. New and established members of Sisterhood are encouraged to attend this really unique and growing Sisterhood function.

On Wednesday, October 28, a New Members Tea Party will be held at the home of Michelle Uss. New members be on the look out for e-vites [e mail invitations] and be sure to rsvp. You will have a lovely time.

Wednesday, November 2 is the Mah Jongg Tournament**.** This is a wonderful chance for Sisterhood members to re-gift. The Tournament needs those items you don't. And bakers are always welcome. One of the features of the Tournament is the Baked Goods and Coffee Breakfast. Contact Rita Montroy at r2montroy@comcast.net for more information.

Sisterhood is growing in membership, volunteerism, events and spirit. Grow with us.

Miriam Jersky
Sisterhood President

Kisses and Knishes

By Rosalind Gantz and Ann Jasper

The Hebrew calendar is lunar cycle based. The Western world calendar is solar based. So why is this a problem for American Jews? Because for us the holy days like Rosh Hashanah can start in either September or October, Chanukah can be celebrated in November or December, Passover in March or April. But there is one holy day that is the same whichever calendar you go by. That day is the Sabbath.

Here or in Israel Sabbath always starts with the lighting of the candles near sunset on Friday and ends with the lighting of the Havdalah candles at sunset on Saturday. No matter which country of the world you are in, that is how it is. Sabbath, like so many of our holy days has its traditions. Especially concerning the foods that we eat and when we eat them. It is traditional to eat 3 specific meals starting with a festive dinner Friday night. The meal usually consists of a meat, such as brisket, or a roasted chicken, gefilte fish and a kugel. There can also be 2 challahs on the table. The 2 challahs represent the double portion of manna delivered to the Jews in the desert on Sabbath.

The main meal on Saturday is something that can be prepared on Friday and left to keep warm overnight in the oven, or can be prepared in a crock pot and is served in the afternoon. Because of the prohibition of lighting a fire on the Sabbath a meal like this is necessary. The most common type of food served is a cholent, a very slowly cooked stew usually containing meat, barley, potatoes and dry beans. The evening meal will usually be a lighter foods, such as salads.

Like most Jewish meals, different forms of cholent are served in Jewish homes around the world. In the Sephardic tradition, the cholent would be made sweet or savory, and always contains chickpeas, eggs, beans and meat. In Italy it would use sage, white beans and swiss chard and chicken meatballs. Iraqi Jews make a dish called "tebit." It is made with chicken stuffed with rice, using cardamom, nutmeg, cinnamon, pepper and paprika as seasoning.

Although most of living here in Florida are far away from family, we can still observe the Sabbath. Dinner with friends followed by Shabbat services is a nice way to end the week. And of course, the oneg after services is always an enjoyable time.

Here is a recipe for mouna, the traditional Sabbath bread among Algerian Jews.

2 1/4 cups flour, 1/3 cup sugar, 1 package rapid rise yeast, 1 1/2 T warm water, 3 1/2 T warm milk, 2 room-temperature eggs, 1/4 cup soft butter, zest of 1/2 orange, scant 1/4 cup jam, oil, cold water, confectioners sugar

Combine 1 cup flour, 2 T sugar and the yeast. Stir in milk and water. Cover and allow to rise for 1 hour.

With a fork, mix the remaining sugar and 1 egg and 1 egg yolk, the orange zest, and butter; slowly add the rest of the flour and then knead.

Knead the yeast mixture into the egg mixture about 10 minutes. Shape the dough into a ball; cover; allow to rise for 1 hour.

Knead for 4 minutes. Divide the dough into 2 disks, one slightly larger. Spoon the jam onto the larger disk; cover with the second disk and pinch the edges together.

Place the loaf on a baking sheet that has been lined with oiled parchment paper; cover the loaf and allow to rise 1 hour.

Brush the loaf with a mixture of the egg white and a little water. Bake in a preheated 375 degree oven for twenty minutes. Remove from the oven and dust with confectioner's sugar.

ED-JEW-CATION: Trick or Treat

By Charlotte Newman

So you need a costume for a Jewish Halloween (now there's an oxymoron for you! Jewish Halloween?) party to " witch" you've been invited? What to wear that's Jewish? Other than the Purim characters and Superman (yes, Superman… see previous Ed-Jew-Cation article)) who is there? Well ,you should think about " Star Wars " and " Star Trek"—very popular costume characters – starting with Spock, Captain Kirk, Princess Leia, and Darth Vader, . Darth Vader?!! Yes, it has been pointed out that there are some random Hebrew letters on Darth Vader's armor. They probably don't mean anything, especially since they are upside down, but they are there! Besides, there's his history -- a nice Jedi (Jewish?) boy who starts off as a cute kid, studies with the wise one (rabbi?) Obi-Wan Kenobi and then went off with the bad guys but was redeemed in his old age. Sounds like a Jewish fable to me!

You could be Han Solo, because the actor Harrison Ford is half Jewish (his maternal grandparents were Russian Jews and the paternal grandparents Irish Catholic). Ford was quoted as saying "As a man I've always felt Irish, as an actor I've always felt Jewish." Ladies -- why not dress like Carrie Fisher (Princess Leia) who is half Jewish (her father was Eddie Fisher the singer)? And remember, Princess Leia was the gal who took on Jabba the Hut and strangled him to save her people – just like Judith in the Bible.. You could be Yoda, whose name, translated from a similar Hebrew word means "The One who Knows." Yoda was voiced by Frank Oz, who is Jewish. That character would be a little difficult since it was robotic – but then maybe you're small and creative with puppets and could do a voice-over. Or maybe you ladies would just love to wear that gorgeous wedding dress of Padme, Queen of Amidala, in "Star Wars". played by Natalie Hershlag Portman, the stunning Israeli actress. But if you didn't want to be that elaborate, you could just dress like a film director of " Star Wars" , J.J. Abrams. You have choices.

Oh, and let's not forget THE CAPTAIN. KIRK, Of the starship Enterprise. One of you handsome guys could wear a round necked, long sleeve shirt, and hang a large chai around your neck. Then you would look just like William Shatner, who wouldn't care about the chai, because he is Jewish. Another great choice! If you like really big ears you could think of Quark, played by Armin Shimerman (a Jewish Ferengi?) The Ferengis were culturally characterized as being believers in free enterprise and profit – lots of profit, and for being misogynous . Mmmmm, maybe that character is not such a good idea. OK, then, choose Data – that's easy except for the yellow eyeballs. That very smart character was played intently by Brent Spiner (nee Mintz), yet one more Hebraic trekkie.

Ah, I save the best idea for last – Spock. Talk about Jewish!! Leonard Nimoy (may he rest in peace) as Spock, was the very embodiment of Jewish! Spock, despite being Vulcan (Roman fire god) was conceived of as cerebral, pacifist, and intellectual. You recognize us Jews in him – bookish, scholarly, intelligent, logical, maybe not as spacey as the others. Spock was the alien outsider, the different one, the wanderer in foreign realms. Nimoy himself devised the greeting sign, the V-like split fingers on one hand – based on the raising of the hands during the priestly blessing in the Temple. Nimoy said it was a deliberate remembrance of his childhood when he peeked at the priestly blessing in shul. Me? Naturally I'm going to be the Druish Princess from "Spaceballs". How about you?

Anyway, all you Yiddish ghosts and goblins, when you go to the Jewish Halloween party be sure to say a barucha over the cider and a motzie over the pizza. Better have some halava for me when I come by for Trick or Treat!!,

"May the Schwartz be with you! Live long and Prosper!"

Sisterhood Elections

The Sisterhood Nominating Committee (Iris Holtz, Chair; Evie Brauer; Marlene Sontz and Lynn Sindoris) met and drew up the slate of candidates for the upcoming Sisterhood board elections. The nominees are:

Sandy Solomon	Fund Raising Vice President
Eleanor Neff	Membership Vice President
Rita Montroy	Recording Secretary
Marsha Belitz	Trustee
Gloria Rodetsky	Trustee
Sherry Elias	Trustee.

The Nominating Committee at-large members for 2016 are: Iris Holtz, Evie Bauer and Bobbi Silver.

Any Sisterhood members in good standing who are interested in running for a position should contact Iris Holtz at iholtz@comcast.net. Elections will be held at the general Sisterhood meeting on Monday, December 7, 2015.

~ October 2015 ~

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Sukkot	2 Sukkot	3 Sukkot
4 Sukkot	5 Shemini Atzeret, Yizkor 10:30 Sisterhood Meeting	6 Simchat Torah 10-11:30 Bereavement Group R/S	7 Bingo	5 pm Choir Practice	7:30 Shabbat Services **Oneg:** *Elaine & Robert Via celebrating their anniversary*	
11	12 Vendors Fair	13 Rosh Hodesh Cheshvan 10-11:30 Bereavement Group R/S 4 pm Brotherhood Board R/S 6:30 pm Texas Hold 'Em	14 Rosh Hodesh Heshvan Bingo	8 10-11 Holocaust Committee B/S 5 pm Choir Practice	9 7:30 Shabbat Services	10
18 2:30 Rosh Hodesh Cheshvan observed	19 9-noon Brotherhood Meeting 10 am Sisterhood Board R/S	20 10-11:30 Bereavement Group R/S	21 Bingo	22 10-noon Hadassah Oneg Room 5 pm Choir Practice	23 7:30 Shabbat Services **Oneg:** *Marvin & Ann Jasper celebrating Marvin's birthday*	24
25	26 10am Alzheimer's Support Group R/S	27 10-11:30 Bereavement Group R/S	28 Bingo 6:30 pm Texas Hold 'Em	29 3:00 p.m. AED Course CPR Training Fire Station 44 5 pm Choir Practice	30 7:30 Shabbat Services	31 9:30 Shabbat Services Kiddush Brunch

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

William & Martha Krone	10/11/2015	Joe & Laurie Coop	10/28/2015
Rick & Rita Montroy	10/16/2015	Martin & Diane Stein	10/28/2015
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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Donald Katz	10/18/2015	Sharon Borovay	11/2/2015
Charlotte Rosenberg	10/18/2015	Michael Broverman	11/3/2015
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Linda Dukes	10/24/2015	Elliott Seiden	11/10/2015
Joy Jacobs	10/26/2015		

RITUALLY SPEAKING

L'Shanah Tovah. The High Holy Days are well under way. The Ritual Committee is gratified by the enthusiastic response and support shown by the congregation to the strengthening of Reform Judaic tradition and practices at Temple Shalom.

On September 11, a wimpel, signed by many members of Temple Shalom, was tied around the Torah scroll. I incorporated this innovation into my sermon on 9/11 by discussing the similarity between the notes on the wimpel [the Torah binder] with the notes and prayers placed at the Wailing Wall in Jerusalem. Then, Marsha Riefs, who brought the wimpel to Temple Shalom, described what a wimpel is and tied the wimpel to the Torah.

This year, the Ritual Committee wrote a Tashlich Service held after services on the First Day of Rosh Hashanah at the Summer Hill Lake. A luncheon was held afterwards at Too Jays in Sumter Landing.

I have appointed Ann Jasper as Publicity Liaison for the Ritual Committee. Ann will work closely with Sherry Levin to develop and distribute publicity for the Committee's events.

Wishing all of Temple Shalom's congregation a health joyous New Year,

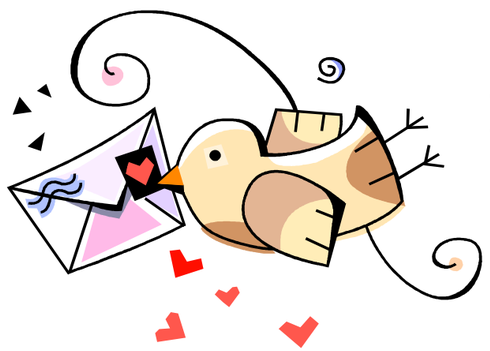
Miriam Jersky, Ritual Committee Chair

Celebrate Shemini Atzeret and Simchat Torah

Both holidays are observed at Temple Shalom on Monday, October 5th.

A Yizkor service will be held at 10 AM that morning.

A joyous celebration showing our devotion to Torah will be held at 7 PM that evening. At that time, we will complete the reading of the Torah, and start all over again at the beginning. See you all there!



Sisterhood Donation Cards

The card for all occasions! A picture of Temple Shalom on the front, lined inside for your personal message. A convenient way to show you care.

Just $5 for a package
of 4 cards w/envelopes.

Contact: Ruth Glazier
(352) 259-5171
Email: pdgrg@comcast.net

THE BORSCHT BELT CLUB

A great place for married/interfaith couples & singles of Jewish heritage to gather and make new friendships. Our Club is open and welcome all Village residents. For membership info, contact Arlene Kaplan 352-753-0482 or email borschtbeltclub@gmail.com.

We meet the 3rd Sunday of each month (except July/August) at Lake Miona Rec at 6 pm. All events are RSVP only. Our next event (Ralph & Dawn DiNome for your listening and dancing pleasure) is Sunday, October 18. RSVP a Must! A $3. Entertainment Fee will be collected at the door. BYOB and snacks to share.

Our Annual Dues are being collected as of September 1 ($10.) per person which covers September 2015 thru June 2016. Please make check payable to Borscht Belt Club and mail to 333 Colony Blvd. #116, The Villages, FL. 32162. Include your name, email address & phone/cell numbers. Thank You.

JSC (Jewish Singles Club)

Meets the first Thursday every month,
at Churchill Street Recreation Center.
Jewish Singles Club (JSC)

October 1st.

Meet & greet @ 11:30 a.m.
Brunch @ 12:00 p.m.

Presentation:
Colleen Pallamary "Scam Prevention"

RSVP: PLEASE CALL ETTY 352-391-1699
OR EMAIL: SANDEECOLE13@GMAIL.COM
and state what item you will bring or have an item assigned.
Please bring your name tag to the meeting.
If you do not have one, contact Etty.
For additional information please contact:
Etty or SanDee

MITZVAH COMMITTEE HERE TO HELP

The Mitzvah Committee is a caring group of Sisterhood members, here to assist you with your shiva or memorial arrangements. We know how difficult it may be to focus on such things following the death of a loved one. We will provide all that the family requests with the family assuming the cost of purchased items and custodial services.

For assistance or if you wish to help us help others, please contact one of the following:

Carol Pozen	391-9329
Lydia Greene	233-9133
Sandy Mele	259-1728
Barbara Fieldman	350-2950

Still looking for "**a way to give back**"
...a way to contribute your time and talent to your Temple?
We are looking for help in the Audio Visual room during **some** Friday night services.
We will train you!!!
Please contact John Uss at **203.623.4892**
or **johnuss770@gmail.com**

ONEG SHABBAT

The Temple would like to take this opportunity to thank the following people who sponsored an Oneg or Kiddush in the month of September:

SEP 4	Ann and Marvin Jasper IHO their anniversary and Ann's birthday
SEP 11	Susan and Jim Gerson IMO their son, Adam Scott Gerson and Temple Shalom Sisterhood IHO The New Year
SEP 18	Temple Shalom Sisterhood IHO Shabbat Shuvah
SEP 25	Adele Kisber IMO her husband, Louis Kisber

IMO = In memory of **IHO = In honor of**

Please consider sponsoring an Oneg IHO or IMO a loved one. **Contact Elaine Via** at **(352) 653-9337** or **ladyvia13@magicalgrove.com**. Onegs cost $150.00 or half the cost if it is co-sponsored. Saturday morning Kiddush Brunch is $75.00.

BEREAVEMENT GROUP

If you have lost a loved one within the last year and are interested in joining a Bereavement Group at the Temple, we meet from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon every Tuesday in the Sisterhood/ Brotherhood Room. Please contact Leah Frederick at (352) 751-1808 for further information.

TO ALL VETERANS

Join our expanding new Jewish War Veterans Post 352, Judith A. Resnik.

If you have any questions, please contact: Gerry Prezioso (352) 350-2165.

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP

Temple Shalom offers an Alzheimer's Support Group for caregivers. Meetings are held the last Monday of the month, 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. Call Leah Frederick 751-1808 or Sharon Schactman 350-1538.

Donations

Building Donation

Coster, Ralph & Renee: IMO Shirley Lichtig, mother of Phyllis Lowe; IMO Fran Broverman, wife of Michael Broverman
Frimet, Bruce & Leslie: IMO Maurice Frimet, father of Bruce GFrimet

Torah Repair Fund

Eberle, Tom & Roseanne:
Gantz, Herbert & Rosalind:
Godlin, Ted & Kaufman, Kelley:
Greenberg, Barnett & Marti:
Greenberg, Daniel & Carol:
Honigstein, Saul & Marlene: Sponsor Torah Education Program Aug 31
Rosenbaum, Denise:
Rosenberg, Phil & Charlotte:

Skurow Choir Fund

Gillon, Robert & Vesta: Comfortable and uneventful recovery for Marvin Jasper
Heyman, Norman & Nancy: IMO Mildred Rosenthal, mother of Nancy Heyman; IMO Samuel Heyman, father of Norman Heyman

Carol Cohan Music Fund

Dessert, Thomas & Deborah: IMO Daniel Glickman, nephew of Deborah Dessert
Schachter, Richard & Kathy: IMO Max Sommer, father of Kathy Schachter
Stern, Aileen: IHO Lynne C. Elkes 48th birthday, daughter of Aileen Stern; IMO Jerol Garber, brother of Aileen Stern; IMO Sy Rosenblatt; Get well for Marvin Jasper

Jack Vitale Edu Fund

Gold, Lawrence & Paula: IMO Betty C. Gold, mother of Lawrence Gold
Greenberg, Allan & Florann: IHO continued nachos" from our grandchildren"
Resker, Robert & Terry: Get well to Judy Balkansky, wishing you good health
Rosenbaum, Denise: Arline Cooke - Hope things are going better; Carol Taylor - Hope you are feeling better
Via, Robert & Elaine: Speedy recovery for Marvin Jasper

Morgan Landscape Fund

Goldin, Jerry & Joanne: Speedy recovery to Michael and Susan Ray; Speedy recovery to Marvin Jasper; Speedy recovery to Marvin Glick; Speedy recovery to Fay Waitzman; Speedy revocery to Renee Gershman; Good wishes for better health to Judy Balkansky
Lebowitz, Dr. Eric & Paulette: IHO Alex Rae's Bat Mitzvah
Mele, Sandra: IMO Esther Wax, grandmother of Sandra Mele

General Donations

Coster, Ralph & Renee: Speedy recovery to Marvin Jasper
Fudin, Gilbert & Brachfeld, Davida: Speedy recovery for Marvin Jasper; Speedy recovery for Gerry Prezioso
Miller, Toby & Bob: IMO Carol Blum
Prezioso, Gerald & Karen: Wishing Fay Waitzman good health; Wishing speedy recovery for Sheila Feinstein; IHO recovery of Rita Moyers, Glickstein's daughter
Ross, Gregory & Marilyn: Speedy recovery to Fay Waitzman
Smith, W. Richard & Marlyn: IHO Aubrey Garson's creativity
Zinman, Bruce & Marlene: Thanks for hospitality

Yahrzeit-General Fund

Belgraier, Lorette & Jacobs, Joy: IMO Melvin Belgraier, father of Lorette Belgraier
Braude, Judie: IMO Brad Barney, son of Judie Braude
Ceader, Reva: IMO Naomi Levine, mother of Roger Levine
Cimino, James & Frances: IMO Toni Stulzaft, sister-in-law of Frances Cimino
Davidoff, Lois: IMO Paul Kniznik, brother of Lois Davidoff; IMO Sadye Sief, mother of Lois Davidoff
Ettedgui, Hanania & Dr. Eva: IMO Nissim Ettedgui, father of Hanania Ettedgui
Evans, Martin & Bussin-Evans, Lois: IMO Leonard Bussin, father of Lois Bussin
Fudin, Gilbert & Brachfeld, Davida: IMO Sondra Fudin, wife of Gilbert Fudin
Gallin, Jerry & Rita: IMO Irving Savitt, father of Rita Gallin; IMO Ruth Savitt, mother of Rita Gallin
Gerson, James & Susan: IMO Adam Scott Gerson, son of James & Susan Gerson
Godlin, Ted & Kaufman, Kelley: IMO Eugene Godlin, brother of Ted Godlin
Goldsmith, Linda: IMO Leah Baum, mother of Linda Goldsmith
Greenberg, Barnett & Marti: IMO Milton I. Greenberg, father of Barnett Greenberg
Greenberg, Daniel & Carol: IMO Barney Greenberg, father of Daniel Greenberg
Hankin, Stewart & Doreen: IMO Edna Hankin, mother of Stewart Hankin
Herbst, Albert & Natalie: IMO Samuel Segal, father of Natalie Herbst; IMO Sally Segal, mother of Natalie Herbst
Hook, Leonard & Elaine: IMO Jack Mogilefsky, father of Elaine Hook
Jaffe, Heinz A: IMO Gertrude Jaffe, mother of Heinz Jaffee; IMO Walter Jaffe, brother of Heinz Jaffee
Klein, Barbara: IMO Fannie Pomerance, mother of Barbara Klein
Moore, Ron & Patty: IMO Margaret Moore, mother of Ron Moore
Newman, Irwin & Charlotte: IMO William Newman, father of Irwin Newman
Poretz, Joel: IMO Harry Poretz, father of Joel Poretz
Rittberg, Samuel & Geri: IMO Sarah Rittberg, stepmother of Samuel Rittberg
Silver, Robert: IMO Fannie Silver, mother of Robert Silver
Sober, Eugene & Adams, Linda: IMO Toby Sober, mother of Eugene Sober
Wieselthier, Harold & Merna: IMO Sol Zeitz, father of Merna Wieselthier
Williams, J. Herbert & Salpeter, Jennifer: IMO Richard Salpeter, father of Jennifer Salpeter

Trees for Israel

Arnie Blume: IMO Hilda Sanders, mother of Mrs. David Berger
Gallin, Jerry & Rita: IHO Erv Margulis' birthday and thanks for his Temple work
Pergamit, Howard & Francine: IMO Anna Singer from Mitzvah Group of Stonecrest
Regina family: IMO Richard Sulzer