



Congregation
Emanu El

THE BULLETIN

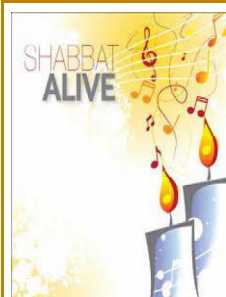
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SHABBAT CELEBRATIONS



Friday - March 6, 2015

SHABBAT ALIVE!

Mediterranean-Style Catered Shabbat Dinner at 6:00 pm

"Shabbat Alive" Service at 7:00 pm

Led by Rabbi Jay Sherwood and Charlie Kramer

Saturday - March 7, 2015 - ☆

Torah Study - 9:15 to 9:45 am - Shabbat Morning Service - 10:00 am

Parashat Ki Tissa - פרשת כי תשא - Exodus 30:11-34:35 - Haftarah - I Kings 18:1-39

Kiddush Following the Service



Friday - March 13 - 7:30 pm ☆ *

Rabbi Cohn will speak on "Back to the Basics"

Oneg Shabbat Following the Service

Saturday - March 14, 2015 ☆ *

Torah Study - 9:15 to 9:45 am - Shabbat Morning Service - 10:00 am ☆ *

Parashat Vayakhel-Pekude - פרשת ויקהל-פקודי - Exodus 35:1-40:38 - Haftarah - I Kings 7:40-50

Kiddush Following the Service



Friday - March 20, 2015 - 7:30 pm *

Cantor Bern-Vogel will be joined by the Volunteer Choir in a special musical service

"Welcoming Rosh Hodesh Nisan - The Time of Singing has Come"

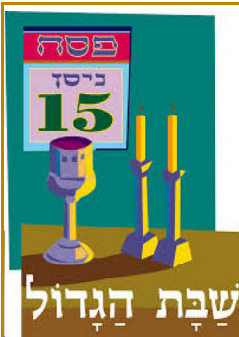
Oneg Shabbat Following the Service

Saturday - March 21, 2015 ☆ *

Torah Study - 9:15 to 9:45 am - Shabbat Morning Service - 10:00 am

Parashat Vayikra - פרשת ויקרא - Leviticus 1:1-5:26 - Haftarah - Isaiah 43:21-44:23

Kiddush Following the Service



SHABBAT HAGADOL - שבת הגדול - THE GREAT SABBATH
(Shabbat preceding Passover)

Friday - March 27, 2015, 2015 - 7:30 pm ☆ *

Rabbi Cohn will give a "Guided Tour" of the Haggadah Exhibit

Oneg Shabbat following the service will be hosted by Michele and Paul Zipperstein

Saturday - March 28, 2015 ☆ *

Torah Study - 9:15 to 9:45 am - Shabbat Morning Service - 10:00 am

Parashat Tzav - פרשת צו - Leviticus 6:1-8:36 - Haftarah - Malachi 3:4-24

Kiddush Following the Service

☆ = Rabbi Cohn officiates

* = Cantor Bern-Vogel officiates

The return of an old & wonderful Temple Emanu El Tradition
Purim Mishuggas - A Night of Craziness

Purim at



“The Happiest Purim On Earth”

**The Eve of Purim
Wednesday - March 4, 2015**

**Purim Carnival - 5:00 to 6:00 pm
Plenty of Games - Prizes - Fun for All**

**Purim Eve Dinner at 6:00 pm
Vegetarian Dinner Will Be Served by the Temple
Staff**

**Free for anyone coming in a costume
\$8.00 for anyone not wearing a costume**

PLEASE CALL THE TEMPLE OFFICE (909)307-0400 BY MONDAY-MARCH 2nd TO MAKE DINNER RESERVATIONS

**And then - from 7:00 to 8:00
The 2015 Edition of Purim Mishuggas**

**A Reading & Telling of the Purim Megillah Story
as you have never heard it before
(and may never want to hear it again!!)**

**We will be joined by members of Congregation Etz Hadar for this joyous celebration!
*Hamantashen and Beverages will be served!!***

Rabbinic Reflections



While this issue of *The Bulletin* will reach you just as we are about to celebrate Purim, it is not too early to think about the observance of Passover which will begin on Friday evening, April 3rd. Passover is the great festival of our Liberation.

The *Haggadah* is the basic text of the Passover Seder. There are literally thousands of editions of the *Haggadah*. I have been collecting *Haggadot* for many years and while my collection is fairly modest - about 400 as of the moment - I enjoy sharing it with others so that they can appreciate the various degrees of creativity that have gone into the making of *Haggadot*, old and new. I will be exhibiting my collection on Friday, March 27th as part of our Erev Shabbat service since that Shabbat is *Shabbat Hagadol*, "The Great Sabbath", the name given to it because it comes right before Passover.

In one of the newer *Haggadot* in my collection - one that I added just a year or two ago - there is a fine commentary on that portion of the *Haggadah* where the account is given of the four children who ask about the Seder in different ways. In *Wellsprings of Freedom* Rabbi Ronald Aigen writes, first, of the Wise Child:

"The wise one questions whether redemption can be achieved through rational, intellectual laws and rules. Redemption, after all, must be lived and experienced, not just talked about. The truly wise are those whose Torah is lived out faithfully."

And of the Wicked Child he writes:

"The 'wicked' are those cynical people who exclude themselves from the community. They cannot imagine that anyone would be motivated to do some good except for self benefit. Nor do they realize that their own actions might benefit others. It is this ingratitude of selfish individuals that causes them to be answered with isolation."

Of the Simple Child Rabbi Aigen writes:

"The simple one is uncomplicated, and is neither overly intellectual, like the wise child, nor overly emotional like the wicked one. This one simply serves God with a child's mind and asks 'what is this?' Thus one's 'what' is an open question without guile or wickedness.

And of the "One who does not know how to ask":

"This child is completely closed. You must initiate the conversation... To open a dialogue you yourself must be open in order to find a way into the heart of the other..."

May Passover this year be a time that finds our celebrations filled with joy and meaning.

Rabbi Hillel Cohn

Cantorial Comments



*For Haman the son of Hamdata the Agagite, the enemy of all the Jews, had schemed against the Jews to destroy them, and had cast a **pur** – that is, the lot – to consume them, and to destroy them... Therefore they called these days "Purim" after the **pur**.. Esther 9:24-26*

Can you imagine comparing Purim to Yom Kippur?? I think you will find the following article, based on the teachings of the Lubavitcher Rebbe quite fascinating!

There is another day on the Jewish calendar associated with the casting of lots: Yom Kippur. In one of the most dramatic moments of the Yom Kippur service in the Holy Temple, the *Kohen Gadol* (High Priest) stood between two goats and cast lots to determine which should be offered to God and which should carry off the sins of Israel to the desert. It would seem that one could hardly find two more dissimilar days in the Jewish calendar. Yom Kippur is the most solemn day of the year. It is a day of soul-searching and repentance; a day on which we connect with the inviolable core of purity within us – with the self that remains forever unsullied by our failings and transgressions – to draw from it atonement for the past and resolve for the future. So it is only natural that Yom Kippur should be a day of unfettered spirituality, a day on which we transcend our very physicality in order to commune with our spiritual essence. The Torah commands us to "afflict ourselves" on Yom Kippur--to deprive the body of food and drink and all physical pleasures. Yom Kippur is the day on which terrestrial man most resembles the celestial angel.

Purim, on the other hand, is the most physical day of the year. It is a day of feasting and drinking – the Talmud goes so far as to state that "a person is obligated to drink on Purim until he does not know the difference between 'cursed be Haman' and 'blessed be Mordecai.'" As our sages explain, Purim celebrates the salvation of the body of the Jew. There are festivals (such as Chanukah) that remember a time when the Jewish soul was threatened, when our enemies strove to uproot our faith and profane the sanctity of our lives; these are accordingly marked with "spiritual" observances (e.g. lighting the menorah, reciting *Hallel*). On Purim, on the other hand, it was the Jewish body that was saved – Haman did not plot to assimilate or paganize the Jews, but to physically destroy every Jewish man, woman and child on the face of the earth. Purim is thus celebrated by lavishing money on the poor, sending gifts of food to friends, eating a sumptuous meal, and drinking oneself to oblivion.

On Yom Kippur we fast and pray, on Purim we party. Yet the Zohar sees the two days as intrinsically similar, going so far as to interpret the name *Yom HaKippurim* (as the Torah calls Yom Kippur) to mean that it is "a day like Purim" (*yom k'purim*)!

CHAG PURIM, SAMEACH! HAPPY PURIM!

Cantor Jennifer Bern-Vogel

Presidential Perspectives



The last sixteen months has been quite a ride! We have dealt with many issues, both financial and operational, but the most important has been our search for a rabbi to lead us into the future. Difficult decisions needed to be made and your Temple leadership stood tall and made those decisions. I am proud to have them as my partners in the sacred task of being lay leaders. In addition, Rabbi Hillel Cohn stepped in to fill a crucial leadership role as he returned to be our Rabbi this past year. His love for this congregation is clear and I am most appreciative of his presence on the *bema*, his tireless work on behalf of the congregation, and his advice on many matters, including our rabbinic search. I also wish to thank Cantor Jennifer Bern-Vogel for her leadership and professionalism during this period. She not only brings her cantorial skills to us but also has led services on many occasions. The partnership between Rabbi Cohn and Cantor Bern-Vogel has led to warm, meaningful services full of music and learning as well as joyful prayer.

As of the writing of this bulletin article we will be making or will have made our decision on the election of our new leader, Rabbi Jay Sherwood. It was my goal, and that of the Rabbinic Task Force, to include the entire congregation in this selection process. I believe that we have met that goal and have also kept the congregation informed throughout the process. Your feedback during our focus groups provided us with meaningful information that led to the questions we asked the candidates both by Skype and in person. I can assure you they were 'put to the test' by the Task Force and were well vetted. As we elect our new rabbi it is important to remember that he will need your support if he is to be successful. Those of you who have not seen him lead a service are encouraged to attend (frequently I hope) services and enjoy his warmth. I am sure that you will find him open to your suggestions for change or improvement.

Craig Beasley has selected Stuart Sweet to lead a committee that will work together with Rabbi Sherwood to develop programs and services that will meet your needs. If you have suggestions, contact Stuart and he will add your thoughts to those of the Executive Committee and Board of Directors. Thank you for your support not only during the last sixteen months but also for the entire period of my presidency. It is an honor to serve you.

B'Shalom,

Paul Zipperstein

From the Educator's Desk



Spring is quickly approaching, which means that we have entered the Hebrew month of Adar, and the English month of March. Our School for Jewish Living will be closed in March for two weeks during the local school districts Spring Break. In April, we will take a week off for Pesach. How can you and your children maintain your Jewish learning and Jewish community connections during this time off? Here is a list of "18 Things To Do During Spring Break To Stay Jewishly Connected":

1. Attend the Purim Megillah reading
2. Read a Jewish book: something serious like "Introduction to the Talmud," something thought provoking like "Rashi's Daughters," or something just for fun like "Jewish Pirates of the Caribbean"
3. Look up your favorite Torah story and try to read it in Hebrew
4. Visit a Jewish museum: in Los Angeles you can check out the Skirball Cultural Center, The Zimmer Children's Museum, the American Jewish University Art Galleries, or the Los Angeles Museum of the Holocaust, among others
5. Eat Hamantashen during Purim
6. Come to a Friday night Shabbat service (or come to more than one!)
7. Watch Maccabi Electra Tel Aviv basketball team play in the round of 16 in the EuroCup Basketball Championships (on-line in Hebrew and in English)
8. Take your Hebrew folder home and practice the reading exercises
9. Have a Shabbat dinner at home and recite all of the blessings
10. Attend a Passover Seder
11. Learn about modern Israel beyond the Middle East conflict at <http://www.israel21c.org/>
12. Come to a Saturday morning Shabbat service (or come to more than one!)
13. Open a siddur (prayer book) to a random page and read the prayer
14. Eat Matzah during Pesach
15. Take in a production of the Broadway classic "Fiddler on the Roof" (March 14th at the California Theatre in San Bernardino or March 28 at the Spring Auditorium in Ontario)
16. Goggle "free Hebrew lessons" and do a lesson on a random website
17. Go to a Jewish deli and order a corned beef on rye with a bowl of matzah ball soup on the side, and a Dr. Brown's Cream Soda to wash it all down
18. Call me for more ideas, since my complete list won't fit on this page!!

Have a happy Adar!!

Rabbi Jay Sherwood

Mental Health Awareness

in Action



Half of our mental health problems begin by age 14, and $\frac{3}{4}$ of them by age 24, according to the National Alliance on Mental Illness. Did you know that? Not too many of us do. It's time to learn more about mental disorders – for the young people in our congregation

and our communities, and for their parents and grandparents. Since most of us are either young or parents or grandparents or friends and neighbors, we all need to make sure we know the signs telling us that someone needs help. And we all need to know what to do about them when the signs appear. Because when problems are recognized early, even the most difficult ones can be treated and managed.

In March we're focusing the attentions of Mental Health Awareness In Action on our young people. On Monday, March 2nd at 6:00 pm we're treating our TYGER youth to pizza and a short video of a young woman talking about a mental illness, her own, and about mental illness in society. Leone Hyman, Joan Francis and Susan Damron will guide the evening and answer questions that arise.

On Tuesday, March 10th at 7 pm, TYGER parents and grandparents are invited to see the same video and talk about their concerns.

Half of mental disorders by age 14? Three quarters of them by age 24? Please support us and join us as we sweep aside stigma and learn about and discuss mental problems, and help our young people who need to know.

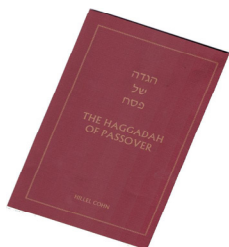
Monday, March 2nd - 6:00 pm - TYGER

Tuesday, March 10th - 7:00 pm

TYGER Parents and Grandparents

Both programs will be held in the temple Social Hall

Rabbi Cohn's Popular Haggadah Available at Gift Shop



"The Haggadah of Passover" written by Rabbi Cohn is used by families and congregations throughout the country. It is a Haggadah that blends the traditional and the contemporary and includes all of the significant portions of a Passover Seder in language that enables people of

all ages to fully participate in the Seder. All of the Hebrew portions are transliterated.

You can purchase copies of this Haggadah for use at your home Seders from our Sisterhood Gift Shop at \$3.00 per copy. We encourage you to buy enough so that everyone at your Seder can have their own copy and be able to fully participate in your Seder.

In Memoriam זכרונם לברכה

The congregation notes with sorrow
the recent deaths of

ELAINE ELFORD

sister of Burt Orland

MARC BENJAMIN LUBEY

son of Cherrie and Ronald LubeY

brother of Stacy (Jim) Knox

uncle of Shaina, Ethan, Micah and Sidra Knox

May the memories of the righteous be for a blessing.

Leona Aronoff-Sadacca to be Honored by Hebrew Union College



Our long-time member and generous benefactor, Leona Aronoff-Sadacca, will be honored at the 2nd Annual Benefit Gala of the Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion Skirball Campus in Los Angeles. The Gala will be held at the Skirball Cultural Center in Los Angeles on Tuesday, May 19th at 6:00 pm.

The event is a "Celebration of Jewish Leadership" and our congregation is extremely proud of this recognition given to Leona Aronoff-Sadacca.

Leona has served on the Board of Overseers of the Hebrew Union College Los Angeles campus for a number of years and established a Mentoring Program for Rabbinic Students that has added a significant dimension to their rabbinical training at HUC-JIR. Leona has been a member of our congregation since the late 1950's when she came to this community after her marriage to the late Jack Aronoff. She has served as an officer of our Sisterhood, as a member of various committees of our congregation and as a member of our Board of Directors. Though she and her husband, Joseph Sadacca, now live in Newport Beach and Palm Desert, they have maintained their association with our congregation and continue to generously support us.

The Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion is the seminary of the reform movement. Founded in 1875 in Cincinnati it now has campuses in Cincinnati, New York, Los Angeles and Jerusalem. Rabbi Cohn and Cantor Bern-Vogel are both alumni of HUC-JIR.

We hope a good representation of our congregation will attend the Gala at which Leona will be honored. For further information please feel free to call Rabbi Cohn or contact the Hebrew Union College at (310)859-2211.

Exhibit of Rabbi Cohn's Passover Haggadah Collection



On Friday, March 27th, Rabbi Cohn will share with the congregation an exhibit of his extensive collection of Passover *Haggadot*. The collection includes one of the earliest printed *Haggadot* from 18th century Amsterdam and some that have just been published this year. It also includes many “art” Haggadahs as well as contemporary Haggadahs that have been edited for special groups including feminists, those suffering from addictions, and others. Rabbi Cohn’s collection consists of close to 400 different editions of the Passover Haggadah.

This promises to be a most interesting opportunity to learn more about the range of *Haggadot* that are part of our Jewish experience.

The exhibit is being held on *Shabbat Hagadol*, the Great Sabbath, which always precedes Passover and traditionally was a time when rabbis lectured to their congregations on the intricacies of Jewish law and practice related to the observance of Passover.

Marriage Reconsecration on April 10th



A cherished tradition of our congregation is the annual Marriage Reconsecration ceremony which is held during or immediately following Passover. This year our Marriage Reconsecration ceremony will take place on Friday, April 10th which comes at the very conclusion of Passover. (Passover is observed for seven days by liberal Jews as well as by all Jews in Israel. Traditional Jews outside of Israel add an additional day to the biblically prescribed seven days). It is held on or near Passover since it is the custom to read the biblical Song of Songs, a great poem exalting love, on the Shabbat of Passover.

The Marriage Consecration ceremony is an opportunity for all couples who are observing Quinquennial (5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th, 55th, 60th, 65th) wedding anniversaries during 2015 to reconsecrate their marriage vows on the *bema* as they stand under the *chuppah*. Rabbi Cohn introduced this ceremony in our congregation many years ago and it has since been adopted by numerous congregations throughout the country.

If you are observing a Quinquennial anniversary during 2015 please notify the temple office so that a special invitation can be extended to you to participate in this lovely ceremony.

Passover Services Schedule

1st Day of Passover and Shabbat

Saturday - April 3, 2015 - 10:00 am

The service will be led by
Rabbi Cohn and Cantor Gregory Yaroslow

Eve of 7th Day of Passover

Thursday - April 9, 2015 - 7:30 pm

Brief Festival Eve Service

7th (Concluding) Day of Passover

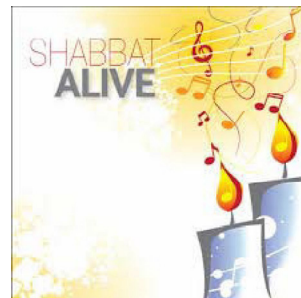
Friday - April 10, 2015

Matza-Brei Breakfast at 9:00 am

Festival Morning Service at 10:00 am

The service will be led by
Rabbi Cohn and Cantor Bern-Vogel
Yizkor/Memorial prayers will be recited

“SHABBAT ALIVE” Friday, March 6th



“Shabbat Alive” is a congregational Shabbat celebration that is held on the first Friday of each month from September to June. Adults and children of all ages have come to look forward to these services that are especially lively. This

Shabbat service is designed to appeal to congregants of all ages and features participatory traditional and contemporary music.

“Shabbat Alive” is preceded by a dinner which affords plenty of time for socialization.

The next “Shabbat Alive” service will be held on Friday, March 6th. The catered dinner begins at 6:00 and will feature a Mediterranean-Middle Eastern menu.

The dinner includes the traditional Shabbat eve table rituals. The dinner and service will be led by Rabbi Jay Sherwood and Charlie Kramer.

In order to be able to provide ample food for everyone it will be necessary for you to call the temple office by March 4th to make reservations.

Mazal Tov

- The congregation extends its congratulations to Cheryl Fisher Austin and Greig (Justice) Stewart on their recent engagement.

- We congratulate Charlie Kramer, a member of our School for Jewish Living faculty as well as our popular song leader, on receiving a Fellowship that will take him to Australia in April for a six-month program where he will be working with the reform Jewish community in a variety of capacities. Charlie is a student at the University of Redlands.

TYGER - Youth Group

On Monday, March 2nd at 6:00 pm TYGER, our high school youth group, will be meeting in the Social Hall with the members of the Mental Health Awareness in Action Committee for an amazing presentation about mental illness stigma. Dinner will be served.

On Wednesday, March 4th TYGER will be putting on the annual Purim Carnival! There will be games, a jumper, and face painting! It will be a fantastic afternoon. We hope everyone is able to join!

On Tuesday, March 10th, the members of Mental Health Awareness in Action Committee will be putting on a presentation for the parents of our youth group members.

On Wednesday, March 11th TYGER members will be meeting at the temple at 5:00 pm to go to Cornerstone Church in San Bernardino to serve dinner to the homeless.

Temple Board of Directors Meeting

**Thursday - March 19th - 7:00 pm
at the temple**

All members are invited to attend and participate in the deliberations affecting our temple. Your input is truly valued

Board of Directors Meeting Highlights

The major portion of the February meeting was devoted to considering the recommendation of the Rabbinic Search Task Force to recommend to the membership the election of Rabbi Jay Sherwood. The Board voted to take that action.

The board heard and approved a proposal by Ethan and Micah Knox to construct a "Ga-Ga" pit on the temple grounds as an Eagle Scout project. This will be done on Mitzvah Day in April.

New Names to be Inscribed on Wall of Perpetual Memorial

The Wall of Perpetual Memorial is a most sacred



place in our temple. It was part of the main hallway of our temple building in San Bernardino and is now part of a beautiful Memorial Alcove in our new temple edifice.

Names are added to our Wall of Perpetual twice each year. The next dedication will take place as part of our Erev Shabbat service on Friday, March 27th. When a name is inscribed on the Wall of Perpetual Memorial it is read from the *bema* each year on the Shabbat closest to the *Yahrzeit* (the anniversary of death) and is included in the annual Book of Memory which is used at the four Yizkor/Memorial Services held during the year (Yom Kippur, Sh'mini Atzeret, the Conclusion of Pesach and Shavuot). Additionally, family members are notified annually of the impending *Yahrzeit* and provided with guidance on how they can appropriately mark the *Yahrzeit* of their loved one.

The Wall itself is made of exquisite marble and names are inscribed in gold leaf lettering.

The contribution for the inscription of a name on the Wall of Perpetual Memorial is \$650.00 for members of the congregation desiring to place the name of a loved one on the Wall. The contribution for non-members is \$1250.00. It is also possible to make pre-need arrangements for the placement of a name on the Wall after one's demise.

If you wish to have the name of a loved one inscribed on our Wall of Perpetual Memorial in time for the dedication on March 27th please contact the Judy Filsinger, Temple Administrator, no later than March 12, 2015.

Sun Lakes Discussion Group

**Wednesday - March 18th
7:30 to 9:00 pm**

**Rabbi Cohn will lead the discussion on
"Jewish Ethics and Contemporary Society"**

**You are invited to join in a festive celebration of Passover
at the**



Community Seder

sponsored by Sisterhood of Congregation Emanu El

**2nd Night of Passover
Saturday - April 4, 2015 - 6:00 pm**

**Rabbi Hillel Cohn will lead the Seder that blends the traditional
and the contemporary into a
lively and memorable Passover experience**

**Professionally Catered and Fully-Served Seder meal with all of
the traditional foods (including vegetarian main-course option).
Wine is provided.**

Members of Congregation Emanu El or Sisterhood

Adults - \$45.00 - Children 4-12 - \$12.00

Children under 4 - Free

Non-Members

Adults - \$55.00 - Children 4-12 - \$20.00

Children under 4 - Free

**Make reservations by calling the temple office no later than
March 25, 2015. Please specify the number of vegetarian meals as well.
Those wishing to be seated together (tables accommodate 8 people) are
requested to make their reservations together.**

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SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 2015

7:00 PM

Emanu El Event Center

1495 Ford Street, Redlands

(Corner Ford and Patricia)



Congregation
Emanu El

save the date

saturday, june 27 2015

a special dinner dance
in honor and appreciation of
RABBI hillel cohn

To be held at
Congregation Emanu El's Social Hall

Plan on an evening of dinner and dancing
as we come together to thank Rabbi Cohn
for his 52 years of service to
Congregation Emanu El and especially
for his volunteering to return to active
service as our rabbi for 2014-2015.



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Yahrzeits

The Yahrzeits of the following whose names are inscribed on the Wall of Perpetual Memorial will be observed during March:

March 6-7, 2015

Jay Friedman
Rebecca Kirshbaum
Jewel Braman
Frances Shapiro
Lea Gilad
Joseph Gordon
Esther Belovsky
Norman Haydis
Michael Stelzer
Randy Aronoff
Philip Korengold
Joseph Langer
Barry Rubinstein
Etta Halpern
Jack Becker
Rose Jacobs
Morris Bellman
Selmar Anker
Irving Gimble
Anita Weissman
Marcus Langer
Hilde Erlanger
Edith Pasman
Benjamin Smith
Rose Robin
George Weinstein
Elizabeth Starr
Sam Robinson
Lillian Rabenstock
Jack Greenwood
Albert Sanders
Lillian Finkleman
Frances Katzeff
Lynette Halevy
Abe Lerner
John Leinen
Bennet Meyers
Mollie Lerner
Sally Unickel

March 13-14, 2015

Clara Rubinstein
Sarah Galper
Florence Teirsten
Brett Rifkin
Alex Novack
Noel Novack
Emanuel Jacobson
Jacob Blaiss
Gilbert Gilbert
Alfred Slabodkin
Helga Nadel
Charles Shamrock
Eleanor Young
Aaron Brill
Louis Press
Isidore Abramson
Minnie Helfman
Betty Ernstein
Albert Tilton
Ethel Margolis
May Gainsboro
Walter Reissman

Maurice Mertens
Leon Sperber
Pauline Eckstein
Isaac Vitsky
Jacob Gallin
Harriet Mueller
Leonard Koren
Pearl Dvoskin

March 20-21, 2015

David Drumlevitz
Herman Harris
Mollie Olenick
Annette Meyer
Anna Fremland
Joseph Friedland
David Press
Coral Scherba
Oscar Eckstein
Bertha Chudacoff
Mary Newman
Sadie Helman
Sophie Joseph
Joseph Litsky
David Schlein
Morris Swedlove
Jerome Sorkin
Isabel Klein
Eugene Mink
Stephen Stone
Louis Greenberg
Emma Cohn
Max Cohn
Boris Rubinstein
Mark Birnkrant
Nic Fish
Sam Rubinstein
Rose Fradkin
Harold Cohen
Helen Rosenberg
Justice Marcus Kaufman

March 27-28, 2015

Bessie Skadron
Doris Elitzak
Mildred Newman
Harold Blizin
Louis Rosenberg
Hyman Weitzman
Goldye Budd
Herbert Feinberg
Bernard Berry
Philip Abrams
Lewis Meyers
Harry Kristal
Ben Wixen
Patsy Nourok
Nathan Drayer
George Malacoff
Feodore Robbins
Fannie Rosenbaum
Rose Goodman
Mildred Meyer
Esther Eisenberg

Happy Birthday!!!

יום הולדת שמח

We rejoice with those whose birthdays occur in March and wish them a *Mazal Tov*:

Orville Spears
Delores Eirew
Sheila Barrad
Marvin Reiter
Burt Orland
Elaina Reiter
Barry Eskin
Philip Stillerman
Susan Stillerman
Rita Bramhall
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We congratulate and extend a *Mazal Tov* to the following whose wedding anniversaries occur in March:

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Throughout the year we have many events that are created to provide enriching religious, cultural, educational and social experiences. Many of these events involve the serving of some kind of refreshments.

We appeal to each and every member of our congregational community to make reservations for events when such reservations are requested. This will enable our custodial staff to have the proper number of chairs and tables set up for your comfort. And, above all, it will help those wonderful volunteers who prepare meals and refreshments to prepare the proper amount so that there will be enough for everyone and waste will be minimal.

This is a simple courtesy that you can practice. So, when you see an event publicized and there is mention of the need to make reservations - do your part and make them in a timely manner.

AND - If you do make reservations, please be sure to honor them by attending.

Don't forget - our temple is our community home and we owe one another the simple courtesies of helping to make our home warm and inviting.





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