



Congregation  
Emanu El

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## SHABBAT CELEBRATIONS



**Friday - February 7, 2020 - 7:00 pm**

**Choir Shabbat - Shabbat Shira**

**Led by Rabbi Reznick and Cantor Bern-Vogel**

**Oneg Shabbat following the service hosted by the Reiter family in honor of Lauren's Bat Mitzvah**

**Saturday - February 8, 2020**

**NO TORAH STUDY**

**SHABBAT MORNING SERVICE AT 10:00 AM**

**Led by Rabbi Reznick and Cantor Bern-Vogel**

**Lauren Reiter, daughter of Lisa Delorme & Michael Reiter,  
will be called to the Torah as a Bat Mitzvah**

**Parashat Beshalach - פרשת בשלח - Exodus 13:17 - 17:16**

**Haftarah - Judges 4:4 - 5:31**



**Shabbat B'Yachad - Friday - February 14, 2020 - 6:30 pm - 7:30pm**

**Led by Rabbi Reznick**

**Oneg Shabbat following the service hosted by the Feinstein family in honor of their parents' birthdays**

**Saturday - February 15, 2020**

**NO TORAH STUDY**

**NO SHABBAT MORNING SERVICE**

**Parashat Yitro - פרשת יתרו - Exodus 18:1 - 20:23**

**Haftarah - Isaiah 6:1 - 7:6; 9:5 - 9:6**



**Friday - February 21, 2020 - Book signing - 6:30 pm - Shabbat Services - 7:00 pm**

**Rabbi Norman F. Feldheym Memorial Lecture - Dr. Mark Biederman**

**Led by Rabbi Reznick and Cantor Bern-Vogel**

**Oneg Shabbat following the service hosted by Margie Orland in honor of the parent's yahrzeits**

**Saturday - February 22, 2020**

**NO TORAH STUDY**

**NO SHABBAT MORNING SERVICE**

**Parashat Mishpatim - פרשת משפטים - Exodus 21:1 - 24:18**

**Haftarah - II Kings 12:1 - 12:17**



**Shabbat - Friday - February 28, 2020 - 7:00 pm**

**Sisterhood Shabbat**

**Led by Rabbi Reznick, Cantor Bern-Vogel and Sisterhood members**

**Oneg Shabbat following the service hosted by Sisterhood**

**Saturday - February 29, 2020**

**NO TORAH STUDY**

**NO SHABBAT MORNING SERVICE**

**Parashat Terumah - פרשת תרומה - Exodus 25:1 - 27:19**

**Haftarah - I Kings 5:26 - 6:13**

## Rabbinic Reflections



It is quite shocking we are already into the second month of 2020. A great time to pause, reflect on if you are making happen what you desire. The winter is a great time to plug into your Jewish community. We have so many incredible initiatives happening this month at Emanu El. Our goal as a community is to help connect you to your Jewish community by engaging in something meaningful and meeting some wonderful people at the same time. This month we are truly offering a little something for everyone. My charge to you Emanu El this February is to pick one new event or experience that appeals to you and may be different than what you normally do, see what that does for your spirit and sense of community. If you are not finding what you desire please let us know, so we can figure out how to create a meaningful experience for you here with Emanu El.

Friday February 21st, is our annual **Feldheym lecture and Shabbat** service. Come out to pray and learn with us. This year's we chose to have an author share his families story, **Schindler's Listed: the Search for My Father's Lost Gold**. Rabbi Feldheym was an army chaplain in World War 2 where he encountered many Holocaust survivors and their stories. He ministered to them and found this work very meaningful. He was greatly affected by his chaplaincy position and therefore we chose to invite someone whose family story revolves around this same time period. It is an honor to have an incredible author, Dr. Mark Biederman, join us for our uplifting services and share his families incredible journey with us. Come pray and be delighted as we delve into some meaningful family history.

From 6:30-7:00 p.m. our special speaker will be selling and signing his books before services. Come pray and learn with us starting at 7p.m.

If you have little ones, or are a grandparent or senior, come on out to temple on Saturday night February 1st for **PJ's with PJ Library** 5-6:30p.m. Together we will be reading and telling stories, playing bingo and winning prizes and noshing on some yummy treats. We will close the evening with Havdallah all together. There will be goodies for everyone and an opportunity to win more fun stuff. Please join us. All are welcome to wear their PJ's or dress comfortably.

We are offering a **Mitzvah of the Month**, a way to give back to our local community and get our selves involved in the work of Tikkun Olam, healing the world. This months mitzvah is **collecting infant clothing, and toiletries for The Children's Fund**. The donations will be given to the Children's Assessment Center for the babies that are seen and treated there. New items requested are 1)Baby clothing 2)Desitin (large & small) 3)Wipes (large & small) 4)Johnson&Johnson travel toiletry items 5)Formula (regular sized) 6)Infant grooming kits (including baby nail clippers and nasal bulbs) 7)Teething rings.

This month we celebrate Tu'BShevat, the birthday of the trees. It is a time to connect with nature, get outside and take in the beauty that is all around us. On Friday night February 28th at 7p.m., we are having a special **Sisterhood Shabbat** focusing on **healing our earth**. If you care about the environment come and pray, and learn with us, so together we can take action and help heal our earth.

Are you looking for a different shabbat experience? Come join us at **Shabbat B'Yachad**, Shabbat Together, the second Friday of every month from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Together we sing, play and celebrate the joy of Shabbat together, young and old as one community.

This is only a small taste of all the exciting things happening here this month, but as you can see there is something for everyone, those who are spiritual, intellectual, playful, young and old. Emanu El there is a place for you here in our community, always. Join us!

*Rabbi Linda Reznick*

## Cantorial Comments



**Mi Chamocha Ba'eilim Adonai, Mi Kamocha ne'edar ba-kodesh [Exodus 15:11]**

[Who is like you, Eternal One, among the celestials;

Who is like you, majestic in holiness

Awesome in splendor, working wonders!]

Once again, we have arrived at the shortest but one of the most jam-packed, excitingly musical months of the year! This month, our first Friday will be a Choir Shabbat to help us celebrate 'Shabbat Shirah' – the Sabbath of Song. This is what the portion 'Beshalach' has come to be called. And our lucky and gifted bat mitzvah student, Lauren Reiter, will be chanting the portion on Shabbat morning in two different tropes – the traditional Torah trope and a special cantillation, just for sections of the 'Song of the Sea', when the waters parted for the Israelites fleeing the Egyptians.

The second Friday is *Shabbat B'yachad*, an upbeat, one-hour service with contemporary camp-style music.

The CEE Choir will also be participating on the final Friday night of the month of February In order to enhance this year's Sisterhood Shabbat.

Last but not least.... After months of anticipation and planning – join us for 'A Sentimental Journey' from the 1920's till 2020 – The Cantor's Cabaret! Saturday night, February 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7:30 p.m.

We hope you'll celebrate Jewish music month with us!

*Shalom,*

*Cantor Jennifer Bern-Vogel*

## Presidential Perspectives

Does she or doesn't she? Only her hairdresser knows for sure.



It's easy to look back at the past and remember "the good old days." If you're old enough, you remember this ad campaign for Miss Clairol. It asked, "Does she or doesn't she?" and you were supposed to understand that it referred to the unforgivable sin of coloring one's hair. Hair dye became common in the mid-20<sup>th</sup> century. I guess before that a person over 30 simply gave up on trying to look nice.



You see, friends, it's a lot of fun to get nostalgic. It's even better to remember that back then, some things were good and some things were bad. This is Black History Month and it's a time when we can all take a step back and remember that the good old days were really only good if you looked a certain way. They weren't so good depending on the color of your skin, your gender expression, your physical appearance, or even your religion.

This is a time when we can realize that in terms of equality and representation, we still have a long way to go but we have certainly accomplished a lot. Back when people asked "Does she or doesn't she," not everyone could share in the American Dream. A lot more people can share in it now and hopefully we will live to see a time when everyone can.

I'm extremely proud of the civil rights record of our Rabbis dating back to Rabbi Norman F. Feldheim. Together, this extraordinary group has helped our congregation embrace people of color, people whose sexuality (or lack of) is different than we may expect, people who have always felt like misfits. I am proud that Congregation Emanu El judges you not by what other people see when they look at you, but at what's inside.

I'm most proud to say that as your President, I absolutely value the uniqueness of each one of you and am anxious to welcome everyone who comes in our door with the goal of celebrating Jewish values. We are at our strongest when we are at our most diverse.

So whether you dye your hair or not, I embrace you in my heart. I look forward to seeing each unique and diverse one of you soon.

Shalom,

*Stuart Sweet*

### Temple Board of Directors Meeting

**February 20, 2020, 7:00 pm**  
**Members of the congregation are welcome.**

**Sisterhood Board Meeting**  
**February 2, 2020, 10:45 am**  
**All Sisterhood Members are welcome.**

## Sisterhood Speaks



I would like to thank everyone who helped make Casino Night 2020 a success! We could not have pulled this event off without the continued efforts of Jill Weissman, Lori Fenster, Stacy Knox, Barb Smith, Franchesca Sweet and ALL of the Sisters that contributed time, money, resources and boots on the ground! It truly takes a village and key leaders, to pull off this event!

Thank You, Thank you, Thank ALL OF YOU!!!!

As we inch toward spring, toward the light, toward growth and reemergence from the darkness of winter, we have so much to look forward to!

We have the Maj tournament on February 17<sup>th</sup>, and Sisterhood Shabbat 2020 on the 28<sup>th</sup>.

Ongoing programs include the Sisterhood book club, and Sisterhood board meetings (the next one is Feb 2<sup>nd</sup> at the Temple at 10:45am).

Purim is quickly approaching, and we will need help making Hamentaschen, and putting together Shalach Manot bags.

Please join us!

In Sisterhood,

*Karyn Lehmann*

*President, Sisterhood*

sisterhood@emanuelsb.org



# Treasurer's Report



Dear CEE Congregants,

Shalom!

The Income and Expenses for Congregation Emanu El from August 1, 2019 till December 31, 2019 are presented on this page. This is a mid-year statement. Below I have explained several of the variances:

- Dues – not all congregants pay on a monthly basis. Some congregants have paid in full and some congregants have made no payments to date. You cannot analyze if we are on target to capture all dues pledged without consulting a receivable statement. The Finance Committee will be reviewing the receivable statement and making phone calls in the next month or so. If you owe on your dues – save us a phone call and send a check to cover your dues pledge to the Temple!
- Since we have not had any significant fund raisers to date our budget reflects the deficit of this line item.
- None of our expense line items need to be addressed or explained. We are on target to meet the amount budgeted for the year or to come in under budget.

Our amazing Temple Administrator Judy Filsinger has mailed out the Annual Contribution Statements to all congregants who made donations, paid dues, or monetarily supported any programs at Congregation Emanu El during 2019. Please contact her if you have not received a statement from her or if you think any donations or contributions are missing.

If you have any outstanding pledges for dues or donations, please review your January Statement and send the balances in as soon as possible. Thank you in advance for keeping your accounts current.

If you have any financial concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at [kathy.rosenfeld@gmail.com](mailto:kathy.rosenfeld@gmail.com) or my cell phone is 704-756-7427.

Shalom!

*Kathy Rosenfeld*

Congregation Emanu El Income Statement  
for the Period Ending

	Dec 2019	Dec 2018	\$ Change	Year To Date	Annual Budget
<b>Income</b>					
Total 30000 - Dues	\$ 22,608	\$ 22,658	\$ (50)	\$ 184,846	\$ 283,500
Total 30001 - Temple donations	\$ 1,544	\$ 4,393	\$ (2,849)	\$ 8,213	\$ 21,000
Total 30002 - High Holy Days	\$ 5,056	\$ 6,925	\$ (1,819)	\$ 31,431	\$ 31,500
Total 31715 - Building Fund	\$ 3,257	\$ -	\$ 3,257	\$ 12,506	\$ -
Total 30003 - Temple Use + Fees	\$ (1,872)	\$ -	\$ (1,872)	\$ 2,581	\$ 3,500
Total 30004 - Walls	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,850	\$ 6,000
Total 30005 - Bar/Bat Mitzvah	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 80	\$ 500
Total 30008 - Fund Raising	\$ -	\$ 54	\$ (54)	\$ -	\$ 125,000
Total 30009 - School for Jewish Living	\$ 900	\$ 1,050	\$ (150)	\$ 8,039	\$ 8,000
Total 30010 - Temple Programs	\$ 972	\$ 277	\$ 695	\$ 2,296	\$ 2,600
Total 30012 - Misc. Income	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 15	\$ -
Total 30013 - Credit Card Fee Income	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 60	\$ -
Total 4030 - Contributions Income - MRF	\$ 2,492	\$ 5,935	\$ (3,443)	\$ 11,771	\$ -
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$ 34,957</b>	<b>\$ 41,342</b>	<b>\$ (6,385)</b>	<b>\$ 267,291</b>	<b>\$ 481,600</b>
<b>Expenses</b>					
Total 40000 - Rabbi Expenses	\$ 11,986	\$ 11,197	\$ 789	\$ 69,889	\$ 149,000
Total 40001 - Rabbi Emeritus Expenses	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,619	\$ 5,000
Total 40002 - Cantor's Expense	\$ 5,579	\$ 4,170	\$ 1,409	\$ 27,529	\$ 48,300
Total 40003 - Building Operations	\$ 5,705	\$ 15,639	\$ (9,934)	\$ 28,709	\$ 37,925
Total 40004 - Temple Utilities	\$ 3,390	\$ 1,610	\$ 1,780	\$ 18,512	\$ 36,100
Total 40005 - Temple Insurance	\$ -	\$ 6,159	\$ (6,159)	\$ 17,471	\$ 33,000
Total 40006 - Administration	\$ 7,350	\$ 7,545	\$ (195)	\$ 44,235	\$ 92,765
Total 40007 - School for Jewish Living Exp.	\$ 4,237	\$ 3,355	\$ 882	\$ 13,707	\$ 20,820
Total 40008 - Music	\$ 2,216	\$ 1,884	\$ 332	\$ 13,076	\$ 26,730
Total 40009 - Ritual	\$ 1,360	\$ 739	\$ 621	\$ 8,138	\$ 4,450
Total 40010 - URJ Dues	\$ 980	\$ 1,960	\$ (980)	\$ 5,880	\$ 11,760
Total 40011 - Memorial Expenses	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,817	\$ 1,500
Total 40012 - Community Programs	\$ 64	\$ -	\$ 64	\$ 64	\$ 4,250
Total 40014 - Services	\$ 270	\$ 832	\$ (562)	\$ 1,087	\$ 3,500
Total 40016 - Property	\$ 848	\$ -	\$ 848	\$ 848	\$ -
Total 41112 - Fund Raising Expenses	\$ -	\$ 63	\$ (63)	\$ 143	\$ 5,000
Total 47160 - Meetings and Conferences	\$ -	\$ 84	\$ (84)	\$ 507	\$ 750
Total 6200 - Interest Expense	\$ 4,279	\$ 4,607	\$ (328)	\$ 26,562	\$ -
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 48,264</b>	<b>\$ 59,844</b>	<b>\$ (11,580)</b>	<b>\$ 281,793</b>	<b>\$ 480,850</b>
<b>Total Other Income</b>	<b>\$ 2,241</b>	<b>\$ (5,200)</b>	<b>\$ 7,441</b>	<b>\$ 8,436</b>	<b>\$ -</b>
<b>Total Other Expenses - Loan Fees</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 750</b>
<b>Net Income</b>	<b>\$ (11,066)</b>	<b>\$ (23,702)</b>	<b>\$ 12,636</b>	<b>\$ (6,066)</b>	<b>\$ -</b>

## From Our Director of Education & Youth



Dear SJL Families,

On Tu B'shvat, Jews all over the world celebrate "New year of the trees." This holiday we are thankful to the trees and nature in general. We are grateful for the food, shade and oxygen they provide us with.

The meaning of the Name is TU = טו, the value of the two letters in Hebrew is 15, meaning the 15<sup>th</sup> day of the month of SHVAT.

Some of the Tu B'shvat traditions include, having a Tu B'shvat seder, in which we say blessing on the 7 species that represent the land of Israel: wheat, barley, grapes, figs, pomegranates, olives and dates. There are also blessings and drinking 4 cups of red and white wine, or grape juice, illustrating the shifting of seasons.

Tu B'shvat reminds us to care for our earth. Some steps we can take in order to give back to our planet include: Reduce waste by buying products that use less packaging, use the reverse side of paper as scrap paper or for art projects, learn about your community's most up-to-date regulations on recycling and consider the slightly more advanced step of starting to compost.

This year Tu B'Shvat falls on Monday February 10th. We will be celebrating in SJL on the 9th. This year, go out, spend more time in the nature, being outside is good for the body and soul. Maybe take the family on a hike or visit a local farm or garden. You can plan, with family and friends, to "adopt" an area and pledge to clean it. Sometimes that can make a big difference. Or think about other ways to give back to nature. Remember, every little thing counts.

Tu B'Shvat Sameach!

*Marcela Lavi*

Director of Education & Youth  
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**February SJL Dates**  
**Sunday, February 2nd - 9:00 - noon**  
**Sunday, February 9th - 9:00 - noon**  
**Sunday, February 23rd - 9:00 - noon**



### **Mental Health Awareness in Action**

The British Broadcasting Corporation is truly dedicated to bringing the issue of mental health to everyone's ears. It's their way of helping to end the societal stigma of mental illness. And being the BBC, they do a super job of it. And sometimes we feel a little envious of our friends across the Atlantic.

For example, they did a recent story on a non-profit in Britain called "Minds @ Work." That group is aiming to make our workplaces more "life-enhancing" by ending the stigma and by teaching skills for caring for all the humans at work. Minds @ Work describe themselves as "a community of learners." They're always on the lookout for new ways of helping.

They provide free events, open to workers and management, on various topics such as the ones from last year (2019):

- Why the Menopause is Everyone's Business
- Me and my Smartphone – Protecting Mental Health in our Hyperconnected Lives
- The Future of Work – The Humans are Coming
- Let's talk about Suicide
- And their annual event – This is My Story

They also call themselves "a movement," and a "connector, curator, convener, collaborator and a catalyst for the difficult conversations on mental health topics that are still taboo."

"Through storytelling and community, we help members to navigate the challenges of creating mentally and emotionally healthy workplaces."

Do we in North America have an organization like that? We need it. Recently we heard a report on National Public Radio about the prevalence of suicide in the U.S. construction industry. Surely storytelling and building community would help there and in many other workplaces.

And kudos to both BBC World Service and NPR for all their reporting, helping us to hear the stories and lessen the stigma.

**Heidi Nimmo and Nancy Sidhu,**  
Co-Chairs, Mental Health Awareness In Action (MHAIA)

## **In Memoriam**

### **זכרונם לברכה**

We note with sorrow the recent death of

### **Cantor Gregory Yaroslow**

He is predeceased by his father  
Samuel Yaroslow.

He is survived by his sister Rita McCarthy,  
his mother Marcia Yaroslow, and longtime  
companions Lynne Speed and Yitzak Geronimo.

May the memories of the righteous  
be for a blessing

## **Bat Mitzvah**

### **בת מצוה**

**Lauren Reiter**

**February 7, 2020**

My name is Lauren Reiter and I am having my Bat Mitzvah on February 8th. I attend the Grove School in Redlands. I play club volleyball at Rancho Valley Volleyball Club. I love playing volleyball and hope to pursue it further by playing in college, and maybe even professional volleyball one day. I also adore animals, and I even created a fundraiser for the Redlands Animal Shelter. I am very excited for my Bat Mitzvah and can't wait to see you there!

## **INTRODUCTION TO JUDAISM CONVERSION CLASSES**



**Tuesdays - 6:30-8:30 p.m.**  
**Congregation Emanu El -**  
**Raynes Learning Center**

**Feb. 4th, Feb. 11th, Feb. 18th, Feb. 25th**

Our INTRO to Judaism course explores Jewish history, tradition, ideas, and culture. Our vibrant introduction community comes together to celebrate, learn, and explore together. Our goal is to learn and grow in connection as study and open our hearts. Wherever you come from. Wherever you are going. Your Jewish journey begins here with Congregation Emanu El.

**Rabbi Lindy Reznick**

# THE **RABBI NORMAN F. FELDHEYM** M E M O R I A L L E C T U R E

## **DR. MARK BIEDERMAN**

speaks on

## **“SCHINDLER’S LISTED: THE SEARCH FOR MY FATHER’S LOST GOLD”**



## **February 21, 2020 • 7:00pm**

with book signing before the event at 6:30pm

Mark and Randi Biederman are authors and researchers based in southern California. Their first book, *Schindler's Listed: The Search for My Father and His Lost Gold*, was released in 2019. The book tells a story of the very dark days of the Holocaust and their impact upon two teenagers, who, against all odds, survived, met and fell in love and somehow found the strength to emigrate and thrive in their new American life.

Dr. Mark Biederman was born in Detroit, Michigan in 1961, the son of two Holocaust survivors both of whom lost their entire families.

After graduating from veterinary school (specializing in horse medicine and surgery) in 1988, he located my practice in Windsor, Ontario due to the success of the horse industry in that province. He spent 15 years in Canada living on a farm in Maidstone, Ontario where he raised Standardbred racehorses and practiced veterinary medicine. He met his wife, Randi, a native Torontonion, in 1996 and married in 1997 and have one daughter.

## **This event is free and open to the public.**



The Rabbi Norman F. Feldheim Lecture series honors Congregation Emanu El's rabbi who served from 1937-1971. Rabbi Feldheim was a decorated chaplain in World War II and presided over Congregation Emanu El's dramatic expansion in the San Bernardino area in the mid-20th century. The Feldheim Central Library in San Bernardino bears his name and recently, Google has popularized the name "Feldheim" for the neighborhood near the library.

The lecture series was established in 1985 at the time of Rabbi Feldheim's passing.





**Saturday  
February 1st  
5:00 p.m.**

**Please join us for an  
intergenerational experience.**

A fun afternoon with PJ library.  
Bingo, books ,crafts and Havdalah .

Come in your pjs, if you like , bring your  
grandparents or borrow a bubby or a  
zeide . We'll have hot cocoa and cookies  
and a light dinner will be served, too.

Please RSVP to [sjl@emanuelsb@org](mailto:sjl@emanuelsb@org)



**Sundays  
February 2nd, March 1st  
9:30-10:00 a.m.**

**Join us with your babies and  
toddlers as we sing, dance and  
celebrate in a fun interactive  
way.**

**All are invited and  
the program is free.**

## **Women's Torah Study**

**Join Rabbi Reznick for the monthly**



**Women's Torah Study  
using the WRJ  
The Torah: A Women's  
Commentary**

**Thursdays, 7:00 pm at the temple**

**Cost: \$36.00**

(Also need to purchase a copy of the Commentary,  
available through the Sisterhood gift shop)

**Upcoming Dates:**

**February 13th**

**March 12th**

# **SAVE THE DATE**



**Saturday  
February 29th**

**Sunday  
March 8th**



**9:30 am - 12:00  
Purim Celebration  
with Temple Beth El,  
Riverside  
Carnival & Purim Shpiel  
Check email and the temple  
website for more info**

## **PURIM SCHLACH MANOT**



**Watch your mailbox!**

**Sisterhood's Schlach Manot Letter  
is on it's way!**

**Must be returned by February 17th.**



# SISTERHOOD GIFT SHOP SALE

**FABULOUS FAIR TRADE FEBRUARY  
20%-60% OFF MANY ITEMS**

**FABULOUS FAIR TRADE FEBRUARY** has arrived in your temple gift shop. What is that you say? A quick definition is: **Fair prices** are paid to the marginalized producers in **developing countries**. **Stable income** for workers and a trading partnership help communities sustain themselves.

**20% off your New Handcrafted Jewelry from India** that dazzle.

Have you seen the wall art in the gift shop available for special order? They are **made in Honduras from recycled metal**.

Most of our **new kippot** are Hand Crocheted in **Guatemala and Peru**. We have **Shalom Bracelets, Hand beaded Mezzuzot**, placemats and pot holders from these companies. Their **special order hand woven Tallitot** are absolutely stunning **20% off**

**20 % Off 6x6 Quilled cards**. They are hand-worked in **Vietnam** in association with a fair trade company in the U.S.

**20% off reverse hand painting on glass Eglimose** from South America. Coasters sets and tissue, hostess and keepsake boxes.

**WE ARE EXTENDING OUR JOYS OF JANUARY SPECIALS!!!!**

**For your body, mind and home.....**

**NAKED BEE** products are *made in the U.S. We carry their signature Orange Blossom Honey scent, "all the good stuff, none of the bad stuff"*.

If you have been blessed to visit *Israel*, you know of the *DEAD SEA*. We have new *AHAVA Dead Sea water mineral lotion scents ; rose, prickly pear, sea-kissed, cactus & pink pepper.....*

*Purse size ROLL ON PERFUMES from Objects With Purpose. Testers here for you to find your own special scent !!!*

**BOOKS BOOKS BOOKS---- 20 - 60% OFF---LOOK LOOK LOOK**

All **NAMBE, LILY GLASS** from Israel, **BADASH CRYSTAL** and **PORCELAIN GARDEN LITHOPHANE\* NIGHTLIGHT---** Still **20% off !!!**

*\*A lithophane is defined as an etched or molded artwork in very thin translucent porcelain that can be seen most clearly when back lit with a light source.*



As always, Shalom from your gift shop team,

Lisa Wise-Wolk, Phyllis Sweet,  
Barbara Smith and Margie Henkin



## Happy Birthday!!! יום הולדת שמח

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

1-February	Matthew Klein	22-February	Marjorie Brown
4-February	Daniel Gorenberg	22-February	Sophia Paisner (9 years old)
6-February	Rita Cohn (80 years old)	23-February	Aaron Katz
6-February	Lia Robinson	23-February	Bonnie Goler
8-February	Hilary Levine	23-February	Dylan Kress (6 years old)
9-February	Beth Freimuth	24-February	Cantor Jennifer Bern-Vogel
10-February	Alexis Harris (10 years old)	25-February	Gary Fenster
10-February	Aliyah Harris (10 years old)	25-February	David Sukenik
12-February	Denise Schnitzer	26-February	Francine Wixen
12-February	Cheryl Sukenik	27-February	Sheryl Austin-Fischer
12-February	Francesca Sweet	27-February	Seth Needelman (18 years old)
14-February	Harriet Herman	27-February	Jonah Needelman (18 years old)
15-February	Zachary Glasser (10 years old)	28-February	Stanley Roshwald
16-February	Janet Rabinowitz	28-February	Deanna Levin
18-February	Liliana Posalski (1 year old)	28-February	Taylor Brooks (18 years old)
19-February	Bruce Ferguson		



### Grow a Leaf on Our Simcha Tree

**Do you have a special occasion to commemorate?  
Anniversary? Bar/Bat Mitzvah? Birthday? Graduation?  
Celebrate it with the entire  
Congregation Emanu El community!  
Purchase a leaf on our beautiful  
Simcha Tree for your special occasion.  
Call the temple office to order your leaf today!**

## Happy Anniversary!!!

We extend a hearty *Mazal Tov* to the following whose wedding anniversaries occur in the month of February:

3-February	Lia & Mark Robinson	15-February	Donna & Gregory Spears
6-February	Emily & Craig Beasley	19-February	Marjorie & Neil Brown
9-February	Louise & Daniel Gorenberg	22-February	Carole Phil Wizer
9-February	Karyn & Stephen Lehmann		

## We Gratefully Acknowledge

We gratefully acknowledge these contributions to our various temple funds:

### TEMPLE FUND

*In observance of the Yahrzeits of...*

**George Siddel** by Patricia Berger

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**Idelle Warsaw** by Irving Warsaw

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*In memory of ...*

**Becky Hanover** by Norman Hanover

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*For the birth of ...*

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*In observance for the yahrzeit of ...*

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*In honor of ...*

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*In honor of ...*

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**Cantor Jennifer Bern-Vogel** by Ethel McAfee

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*In observance of the yahrzeit of ...*

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*In memory of ...*

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*In memory of ...*

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*In observance for the yahrzeit of ...*

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**Announcing the  
Cherrie Lubey  
Sisterhood Pulpit Flower Fund**  
named in honor  
of our Sisterhood Past President



On occasions of joy or sorrow a contribution to one of our temple funds is always appropriate.

Contribution can be made to the following funds:

Home of Eternity Cemetery Fund  
Rabbi Hillel & Rita Cohn Campership Fund  
Temple Fund  
Cherrie Lubey Sisterhood Pulpit Flower Fund  
Mortgage Reduction Fund  
Lionel Heller Music Fund  
Rabbi Reznick Discretionary Fund  
William Russler Memorial Archives Fund  
Cantor Bern-Vogel Discretionary Fund  
Landscape Fund  
Temple Security Fund  
Gloria Cutler Meal of Condolence Fund  
Beautification Fund  
Security Fund

# Yahrzeits

The following Yahrzeits will be observed during the month of February: Those with a (★) are inscribed on the Wall of Perpetual Memorial:

February 7-8	February 14-15	February 21-22	February 28-29
★Rose Aronoff Morris Barnett Alicia Benativil ★Jennie Berman Sam Charlick ★Marcelle Cohen ★Florence Connell ★Michael Craely James Darling ★Sidney Eliot ★Joseph Erlanger ★Max Goodman Howard Grossman ★Harold Hanover ★Abraham Harris ★Mildred Harrison Rose Hirsch ★Michael Klein ★Ralph Kress ★Minnie Kritzer Anne Lebowitz ★Leah Levene ★S. Harry Litsky ★Steven Lubey Tillie Lubey ★Rose Meyers ★Katie Philipson Evelyn Raphael Georgia Richmond ★Elaine Robbins ★Oscar Salow Oscar Sandoval ★Bess Shvemar ★Samuel Snyder Sidney Solomon ★Rhoda Stahlberg Harriet Stein ★Samuel Steinsapir ★Margaret Tancos ★Gladys Teeter ★Jack Vaugall ★David Walder Morris Williky Sy Zucker	Morris Atlas ★Evelyn Berger ★Reuben Berkman ★Leonard Berry Evelyn Cohen Stanley Cohen Arlene Cohn ★Elaine Elford Nettie Elsenstein ★Alta Ernstein ★Samuel Finkle ★Rhoda Fox ★Natalie Gilbert Rose Goler ★Samuel Hearsh ★Stanley Helfman ★Sylvia Irom ★Annie Isenberg ★Arnold Kershner Jacob Kitay ★Betty Kress ★Barney Lampe Patricia Langer Clara Leevan Bettie McCarthy ★Bernice McDonald ★Elizabeth Metz ★Samuel Neuburger ★William Pass Kay Prestidge Gustave Roth Shirley Roth Hertzl Rubinstein Mildred Scharf ★Helmar Schlein Milton Schon Bessye Schulman Lillian Schwartz ★Marcus Shimoff Elliot Slutsky ★Lucille Venne Nettie Winter ★Esther Zafman ★Sarah Zeller	★Rose Abber ★Marianne Bern ★Tillie Birnkrant Robert Brill ★Fred Cammack ★Carl Cohn ★Harry Corhan Anne Darling Samuel Eckhaus Irene Eliot ★Rabbi Norman Feldheym ★Bette Finkler ★Sam Fredason Sarah Gerber Abraham Goldschlager Nathan Goler ★Lillian Gottlieb ★Sol Gorman ★Frances Harris ★Jeannette Harris ★Frank Heller Lena Israel ★Eva Jerome ★Muriel Kattan ★Ruth Katzeff ★Hymen Klingman ★Helene Koren ★Rachel Kramer ★Marcia Kravitz Frieda Lichtenstein ★Marian Lippman Luby Lubinsky Samuel Nachman ★Arthur Neumann ★Lester Orland ★Rose Patrovsky Abraham Peters ★Stanley Pro Arnold Ray ★Arnold Raynes ★Ruth Reissman ★Harry Robin ★Jacob Samuels ★David Sentob Sheldon Swedlove ★Jack Tancos ★Edith Tiner R.N. Boris Vaysman	★Frieda Aronoff ★Leonard Baum ★Joseph Berenbaum ★Sydney Berman ★Beth Bernstein ★Mary Black ★Samuel Braman Eleanor Byman ★Haskell Davidson Benjamin Davis ★Anna Feldheym Benjamin Feldman ★Rose Gottlieb ★Rose Greenberg George Groupp William Guzik ★Jack Harris ★Rosa Hertz Kurt Homburger ★Benjamin Katzman ★Samuel Kaufman ★Sylva Kord ★Harry Langer Isadore Lebowitz ★Marc Lubey ★Louis Meyer ★Zohra Ohana Judah Ohayon Stanley Paleg ★Jean Richmond ★Evelyn Rose Max Ruben ★Sholom Schwartz ★Victor Simon ★Benjamin Stein ★Enia Tabatchnik Sadie Tannenbaum Alice Vogel Sachs Gerson Wolk ★Samuel Yaroslow Lillian Zlatin



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