

Kol HaShalom

Adat Shalom's Newsletter

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2024 ADAT SHALOM SHABBATON

We hope you will join us January 12th through 14th, 2024 for a meaningful weekend of fun, food, community, and of course dancing!

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WINTER MUSICALE: JANUARY 2024

Don't miss this very special concert with world class musicians, right here in our home at Adat Shalom.

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Standing with Israel

RABBI MIRIAM POTOK

If this issue of Kol HaShalom had gone to print just a few weeks ago, I would have had something very different to say. After all, I began serving this community as Senior Rabbi just this past July! Since then, I've been grateful to have stepped

into this new role, this new beginning, with seven years of experience as a member of the Adat Shalom community, serving as Torah Reader, Religious School Teacher, Rabbinic Intern, and Rabbi-in-Residence. I am even more grateful for this experience, and for the relationships I've built in our community over time, as the tragic events since October 7th have continued to unfold for Israel, for us, and for the Jewish people across the globe.

We are a proudly pro-Israel community, united in support for the State of Israel, the

manifestation of our two-thousand-year-old hope to be a free people in our own land. We pray for the safety and the success of all the brave soldiers of our Israel Defense Forces. We pray for the swift and safe return of all the two-hundred-forty-plus hostages in Gaza, knowing that our only option is to bring them home to their families. And we sing Hatikvah, proclaiming our solidarity with the State of Israel and with the Jewish people worldwide.

We read in the book of Kohelet, the book of Ecclesiastes, that there is a time for every purpose under heaven. This time — right now — is our time for solidarity and support, for speaking up and speaking out. May we be blessed to rise to the occasion. And - very soon - may we be blessed with the safe return of our hostages, and with a time of safety, security, and peace.

“ This...is our time for solidarity and support, for speaking up and speaking out. ”



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An evening of Classical & Jewish Music
Sunday, January 28, 2024 at 7:30pm

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From President Marla Knoll



At the high holidays just a few months ago, we spoke about new beginnings and a new chapter in the story of our community. We talked about the longevity of our memories over the past 75 years and the commitment that we feel toward our sacred community and the individual people that make up our membership. We talked of the excitement and possibilities ahead with Rabbi Potok as our spiritual leader. And then on October 7th, our focus was pivoted by the news of the brutal attack on our brothers and sisters in Israel. We were shocked and the world we knew suddenly felt more fragile and uncertain. And in Adat Shalom fashion, we gathered and we prayed. In Adat Shalom fashion, we reached out to show care and concern. In Adat Shalom fashion, we relied on community for comfort, for connections. On Yom Kippur, I asked you to support our community. Now, I ask that we continue to support our community and to support Israel and Jews around the world with the same loving concern. You can find some ways to act and organizations to support on our

new Israel Action page on our website. As we weave our way through this next period in our history, our connection to community and to Israel and support of one another will be crucial.

Under the leadership of our new Rabbi, I am excited for all that is happening at our synagogue. Our religious school, under the direction of Rabbi Isenberg, is filling our youngest members with a love of Judaism. They will be joining our community for many holidays and Shabbat mornings throughout the year. Rabbi Potok's inspiring teachings continue to enrich us. The book club, Ladies Lounge, holiday programs, guest speakers, and regular Shabbat services and Friday night dinners, including Shabbat Across Adat, continue to bring us together. I think all of you who joined us for the Annual Congregational meeting and Chanukah Party. We are excited to join together at the Annual Shabbaton on January 12-14th, 2024 and for the exciting Winter Musicales Concert on January 28th and Tu B'shvat event on the morning of January 28th. Join us to build community and to strengthen the bonds that make Adat Shalom a special place. Coming together we can support each other and Israel, with connection and caring.

From Executive Director Renalee Pflug



New Beginnings ... Adat Shalom turns 75!

It is impossible to write this article without acknowledging the devastating events in Israel these past weeks. Everything in our community from the mundane to the spiritual has been impacted by the events of October 7th. While my article is focused on security installation, which has been in the

planning for over a year, with construction and installation in full force the past six months, the timing for completion is eerily prescient given the current situation.

The project is the result of funding from two security grants, which includes new fencing surrounding the campus, security cameras, enclosure of the trash bins, phone system, and exterior lighting. Three new gates have been installed in the interior, separating the synagogue space from other campus activities. Finally, a new 'state of the art' intercom and access control system has been installed that will require coded key fobs to enter the campus. This new system will be rolled out soon, if it hasn't already by the time you read this. Thank you to Esther Margulies for her guidance, advice and expertise throughout the planning and installation process.

We are pleased to have installed new stainless steel, commercial-grade refrigerator and freezer units in the dairy kitchen. They're gorgeous! Many thanks to the generosity of an anonymous donor and to the Adat Shalom Women's League for their donations.

And, the Social Hall has a new dance floor! The new floor, covering the majority of the room, creates a beautiful addition. A major gift from an anonymous donor made this possible. And, thank you to the Social Hall Committee, Board of Directors, and to the Israeli Dance community for their contributions. A huge thank you to the volunteers who came to install the floor on a Sunday afternoon, and again to Esther for guidance.

The most exciting among these new beginnings is the welcoming of Rabbi Miriam Potok as the Adat Shalom spiritual leader. Rabbi Potok brings a calm, thoughtful and insightful approach to the daily issues and challenges, along with her offbeat sense of humor and love of sushi, making working together exciting, productive and fun.

Adding to our new beginnings, we welcome Shira Sergeant, as Communications Coordinator, and Rabbi Karen Isenberg, as Religious School Director to the Adat Shalom staff.

Michael and I were fortunate to travel to Ireland for a two-week vacation in October. I am tremendously grateful for the support of Joanna Garcia, Shira Sergeant and Cesar Oliveras, who managed things beautifully while I was away. Thank you to Rabbi Potok for wearing two hats, hers and mine, providing extra support in my absence. And, an enormous thank you to Marla who valiantly kept things under her hat while I was away.

Finally, while traveling is exciting, educational, and stimulating, it is so good to come home to Adat Shalom.

עם ישראל חי!

Upcoming Services

Links provided on www.AdatShalomLA.org; please check weekly e-Blasts for up-to-date information

MORNING MINYAN

Mondays & Thursdays at 7:00am
(in person & live stream)

KABBALAT SHABBAT SERVICES

Fridays:
January 12 (at Shabbaton only)
February 16 (in person & live stream)

SHABBAT MORNING

Saturdays at 9:30am
January 13
(In-person & livestream; see weekly e-B last for link)

WOMEN'S LEAGUE SHABBAT

Saturday, January 20



Upcoming Events

Links for the livestream are provided in our weekly e-blasts. Please check them for up-to-date information.

BOOK CLUB FOR JANUARY

Wednesday, January 17
at 7:00pm

COMMUNITY SHABBAT DINNER

Friday, February 16

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Wednesday, January 10

BOARD OF DIRECTOR MEETINGS

Wednesdays, January 24
& February 28

ADULT EDUCATION

Sundays at 10:00am:
January 7
February 4, 11, 18 & 25

SHABBATON

January 12-14, 2024

WINTER MUSICALE

January 28, 2024



Mazel Tov!

Births

Cozen & Iosim Families
on the birth of
Ethan Andrew

Gabai & Lewis Families
on the birth of
Mordechai Avraham

Ziff & Friedman Families
on the birth of
Avery Jonah Ziff

Bnai Mitzvot

Clara Stern
Winter Goldmann

Engagements

Schatz Family
on the engagement of
Jonah Schatz to Lily Kravetz

Paz Family
on the engagement of
Adam Paz to Ravenna Smith

High School Graduations

Laila Dixon
Marley Gelb
Jacob Gordon
Talía Soffer

Weddings

Knoll Family
on the wedding of
Jonah Knoll to Arielle Davidow

Paz Family
on the wedding of Maya Paz to
Micah Arnson-Serotta

Stanger Family
on the wedding of
Elliot Stanger to Piper Harris

College Graduations

Sam Knoll
Lilia Destin
Jalen Gelb
Cesar Olivares, Jr.

Office Closures

Christmas Day
Monday, December 25, 2023
Office Staff Remote Dec 26-29, 2023

New Year's Day
Monday, January 1, 2024

Martin Luther King Jr. Day
Monday, January 15, 2024

Presidents Day
Monday, February 19, 2024

Our Deepest Condolences

Marks Family on the passing of Elsie Marks
May her memory be a blessing

Adat Shalom Shabbaton 2024

A Celebration of New Beginnings!

Sponsored By The
ALVIN & VIOLET HARRIS MEMORIAL FUND

Friday, January 12 – Sunday, January 14, 2024

AJU Brandeis Bardin Campus

A participatory Shabbat experience with services lead by
Rabbi Miriam Potok, Cantor Dale Schatz,
and members of our community.

Create unforgettable memories and make lifelong friends...

Adat Shalom Member Pricing as of 12/19:

Adults (Double Occupancy)

\$300 per person

Children (Ages 2-17)

~~\$140~~ per person

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***Includes two children per family,
attending with one paid adult/guardian**

Activities for
the whole
family!



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Dessert Reception to follow



Barry Gold, cellist
with LA Phil and
Principal Cello, Los
Angeles Jewish
Symphony



Gavin Martin, award
winning pianist,
performing around
the globe and with
the LA Phil.

TICKETS

VIP \$125

*Premium seating and pre concert light
supper with Barry Gold & Gavin Martin*

Premium \$75 - Reserved section

General \$45 - Open seating

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& VIEW SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

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Adat Shalom Refugee Support Program

SANDRA HELMAN

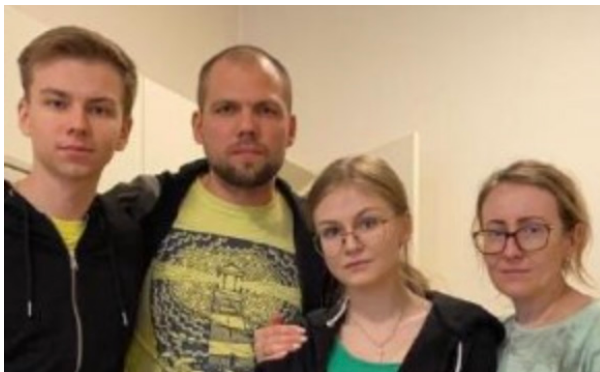
People ask, "How are the refugees doing?" The short answer, things are moving along well. The Bogancha family, Andrii, Maryna and Mylana, is living in a bright two-bedroom, one-bathroom apartment in Culver City. It's a great location, walking distance to bus lines, supermarkets, a Target, Culver City High School for the daughter, Culver City Adult School for the adults and the County Library, and Andrii has his driver's license.

Now the longer answer. The Welcome Circle began under HIAS's aegis with hope but with no specific path. It's been an education. Members of Adat Shalom and Temple Akiba joined to create the Welcome Circle, the hub, seven members in all. Areas of need became the spokes of the Circle, fundraising, housing, basic needs, education, employment and more. We work together, sharing what we learn and supporting each other. The unexpected bonus, new friends.

The family's arrival date was the great unknown, and government paperwork a formidable barricade keeping them in Austria. The call came in mid-May allowing them to leave. We had to hustle. We had not settled the housing piece yet. On June 1, 2023, they landed at LAX, each with

one suitcase and a small carry on. Their 18-year-old son Alex, who lives with a family in Santa Monica, was there to meet them. Imagine the tears, the hugs, the kisses.

Almost a year ago, when the bombing began, they left Ukraine. Now a better departure. Early morning June first they traveled from a small town in Austria to Vienna, flew to Paris, had a five hour lay-over at Charles De Gaul Airport and finally boarded a flight to Los Angeles. HIAS provided an Air B and B for their first weeks.



This phase is complete now. They have a permanent address, Social Security numbers, government social services, medical connections, ESL classes, are learning to use public transportation, and much more. The next phase is

employment. Andrii, an attorney in Ukraine, had a side business as well, building swimming pool complexes. He is ready to become independent. Maryna continues to manage a Kharkiv children's music school online. Mylana begins high school with the new semester. The Welcome Circle continues its work.

Adult Learning

Sundays 10-11am: 1/7 (kickoff), 2/4, 2/11, 2/18 & 2/25

Sefer Bereishit: The Book of Genesis. In this class, we'll be exploring this first book of the Torah in more detail.

Adat Shalom Hosts Dialogue on the Refugee Experience

HOWARD UNTERBERGER

On October 26th, our Social Justice Committee presented a conversation in which Andrii Bogancha and Muqim Rashidi gave us first hand accounts of their experiences as refugees from Ukraine and Afghanistan, respectively. With Adat Shalom member Howard Unterberger moderating, we heard about the journeys Andrii and Muqim have taken from their familiar homes abroad to a new life in Southern California and how they are adapting to a new language and culture here.



Andrii and his family are supported by a Welcome Circle formed by Adat Shalom and Temple Akiba, with Sandy Helman, Gloria Crane and Merrie Boran representing Adat Shalom. Muqim and his family are supported by a Welcome Circle formed by Temple Isaiah and Temple Emanuel. Special thanks to everyone at Adat Shalom who has contributed to the Welcome Circle effort!

The event was funded through a generous grant provided by United Synagogue of Conservative Judaism Pacific Southwest Region.

New Beginnings Shabbaton

We are looking forward to our community gathering at the beautiful AJU Brandeis Bardin campus in Simi Valley from January 12-14, 2024 for what has become an annual Shabbaton tradition.

Come rain or shine, we will have fun, active and engaging activities for members of all ages including spiritual prayer, festive singing, yummy kosher meals, ice-breaker games, learning and sharing, yummy kosher meals, hiking, mahjong, arts & crafts for the kids, yummy kosher meals, Israeli dancing, improv, and did we mention yummy kosher meals? And so much more...so please call the office to RSVP or visit: www.adatshalomla.org/form/shabbaton-2024.html. More details will be provided in the weekly e-Blasts.



Adat Shalom Israel Action Committee

Chair Aliza Wine. This piece authored by David Schechter

Israel remains at war, with a goal of destroying Hamas completely and returning as many hostages as possible. Israel has made many advances in its conquest of Gaza and news sources like Jerusalem Post, Times of Israel, and Arutz Sheva can be helpful to get the 'real scoop' from Israel.

What can we do? At this point, showing the solidarity of the American Jewish community is very important. Write and call your Israeli family and friends. Give them your support and concern. Write President Biden and thank him for his support. <https://www.whitehouse.gov/contact>

Mention that Israel needs to complete the destruction of Hamas to live in peace. Mention your concerns about antisemitism in the United States and ask for action.

Write or call Senator Padilla and Butler. <https://www.butler.senate.gov/share-your-opinion/>. Thank them and indicate your support for Israel and need for action against antisemitism on campuses, etc. Your calls and emails make a difference. They are counted. The other side keeps calling, we need to speak up and express ourselves.

Am Yisrael Chai.

Team Adat Shalom in the Tour de Summer Camps



RICHARD DESTIN

The 11th Annual Tour de Summer Camps took place on Sunday, Oct. 29th at the American Jewish University Brandeis Bardin Campus. The ride through Simi Valley was well organized with great food and a fun course. Team Adat Shalom raised over \$3,200 as part of the nearly \$900,000 raised for the Jewish Federation enabling thousands of children to benefit from life-changing Jewish camping experiences next summer. The team rode the 36 mile course through winds so strong some riders were almost blown off their bikes. With the extra pedaling effort, the 36 miles felt more like 48. Fortunately, all three made it back to the finish line without incident.

Pictured with their bikes from left to right is Team Adat Shalom: Richard Destin, Dr. Richard Miller & Paul Miller.

Book Club

LISA SCHECHTER & NATALIE STANGER

This year, the Adat Shalom Book Club has enjoyed lively and interesting discussions of eight books about Jews and mostly by Jews. Most of the books were fiction, but some were non-fiction. We are glad we have been able to gather in person again and at the same time offer an option to join in virtually. Here is our 2023 Book List: *The Girl From Foreign*, by Sadia Shepard; *Florence Adler Swims Forever*, by Rachel Beanland, *Spies of No Country*, by Matti Friedman; *The Thread Collectors*, by Shaunna Edwards and Alyson Richman; *One Hundred Saturdays*, by Michael Frank; *The Gown*, by Jennifer Robson, *Kantika*, by Elizabeth Graver, *A Horse Walks into a Bar*, by David Grossman. All are welcome to our meetings. Please follow the weekly newsletters for the information on the next book title and meeting date.



Religious School Update



CARIN SCHACHAT

If you are ever on the synagogue campus at the end of Religious School, stop outside Newmark Hall and listen in to hear our students singing with Cantor Dale. Each time I hear the children singing Hatikva together, I smile with pride. It's a special moment, one I look forward to each Sunday.

The format of our Religious School changed a bit this year. Nearly every month, the students and teachers meet on a Shabbat to learn together in addition to Sunday sessions.

Building relationships and strengthening our community is central to Adat Shalom. When our students and their families come to learn with one another, participate in the Shabbat service and stay to eat bagels, we are all blessed and get to experience the beauty of watching our youth learn and practice Jewish traditions. Watching our youth help lead Vayehi Binsoah Aharon or Ein Keloheinu is a highlight of the service for me; a true moment of *Idor Vador*.

Our fabulous teachers continue to offer our children learning about holidays, Parshat Hashavuah (weekly Torah portion), Jewish values and relevant themes through different modalities: song, art, writing, stories and thought-provoking discussion. In addition, they have an opportunity for individual Hebrew tutoring with Rabbi Karen, thanks to a generous donor! Rabbi Karen will work on building students' knowledge of and facility with the Hebrew language, particularly reading.

We recently enjoyed wrapping gifts for Chai Lifeline together with our Religious School students and look forward to singing Hanukkah songs together as a community at the Annual Congregational Meeting on December 10th.



Community and Commitment



RABBI KAREN ISENBERG, Religious School Director

As the new director of the Religious School this year, I feel truly blessed to be part of the Adat Shalom community. Being new to Adat Shalom, I was welcomed in so warmly, with open arms, by everyone I've met. I've gotten to know many members here—both from the Religious School and from the general membership. Aside from the warmth and heimish-ness I've encountered here, I've found the synagogue to exemplify a sense of community and commitment to Jewish traditions and values.

In the V'ahavta, the paragraph we recite after the Sh'ma (from Deuteronomy 6:5-9), we are told "V'shinantam l'vanecha"—You shall diligently teach your children. I take this mitzvah very much to heart, as I believe many of you do as well. This commandment can be read both specifically and in general. If we have our own children and grandchildren, it is our responsibility to educate them as to the customs, traditions, knowledge, and values of our people. But in a broader sense, it is incumbent on all of us to assume this responsibility. All Jews are considered "b'nei Yisrael," children of Israel. By supporting Jewish education in our community, we can all participate in this important mitzvah. The Talmud also underscores this directive in saying "Kol Yisrael arevim zeh bazeh"—All Jews are responsible for one another.

I'm very excited about all the meaningful learning going on in our Religious School. We are blessed with wonderfully knowledgeable and talented teachers and the opportunity to share music and song with the inspirational Cantor Dale. It's gratifying to see our Religious School students so eagerly learning and embracing their Jewish heritage. Our areas of focus are Hebrew, prayer, knowledge and customs of holidays and Shabbat, Torah, and Israel. We begin each Sunday session in song with a Havdalah service, acknowledging the separation of Shabbat from the other 6 days of the week. And we conclude our learning day with song and the singing of Hatikvah. I am grateful for the opportunity to contribute to the continuation of Judaism into the next generation and beyond.

Thank you for the very warm welcome to the Adat Shalom community! It's an honor and a pleasure to be part of it!

Ladies Lounge

January 9th – 7:00pm

Please bring a shareable
vegetarian dish.

RSVP to:

Karen Michelle Halaszi

(310) 890-1969

Sharon Atlas Stein

(818) 517-4313

Proudly sponsored by Women's League of
Adat Shalom.

All women welcome. Bring friends.

Members and non-members of Adat Shalom
welcome.



Ladies' Lounge is quickly becoming a trending new tradition among Jewish women from the Los Angeles area. This group, sponsored by Women's League of Adat Shalom, meets monthly to create a unique blend of shared cultural and meaningful connection. Every gathering brings a fun blend of food, lively conversations, and empowering moments.

Beyond the amazing meals, these gatherings provide a safe and caring space for support, laughter, and a sense of belonging, reinforcing the enduring bonds of sisterhood within our Jewish community. The Ladies' Lounge is more than just a social gathering; it's a testament to the strength of Jewish identity, community and the joy of celebrating time together.

HESED (compassion)

Adat Shalom volunteers are ready to help with meals...
...if you are celebrating the birth of a newborn
...if you would like meals after surgery or hospitalization
...if you will be sitting shiva

If you would like to join the happy volunteers,
please contact us as well!
Email hessed@adatshalomla.org or call the office.
We will call you back!

Marla Knoll and Natalie Stanger
Hesed Co-chairs





You Are Invited

*Women's League Torah Fund Shabbat
Celebrating Our Togetherness and
Honoring Elana Dixon*

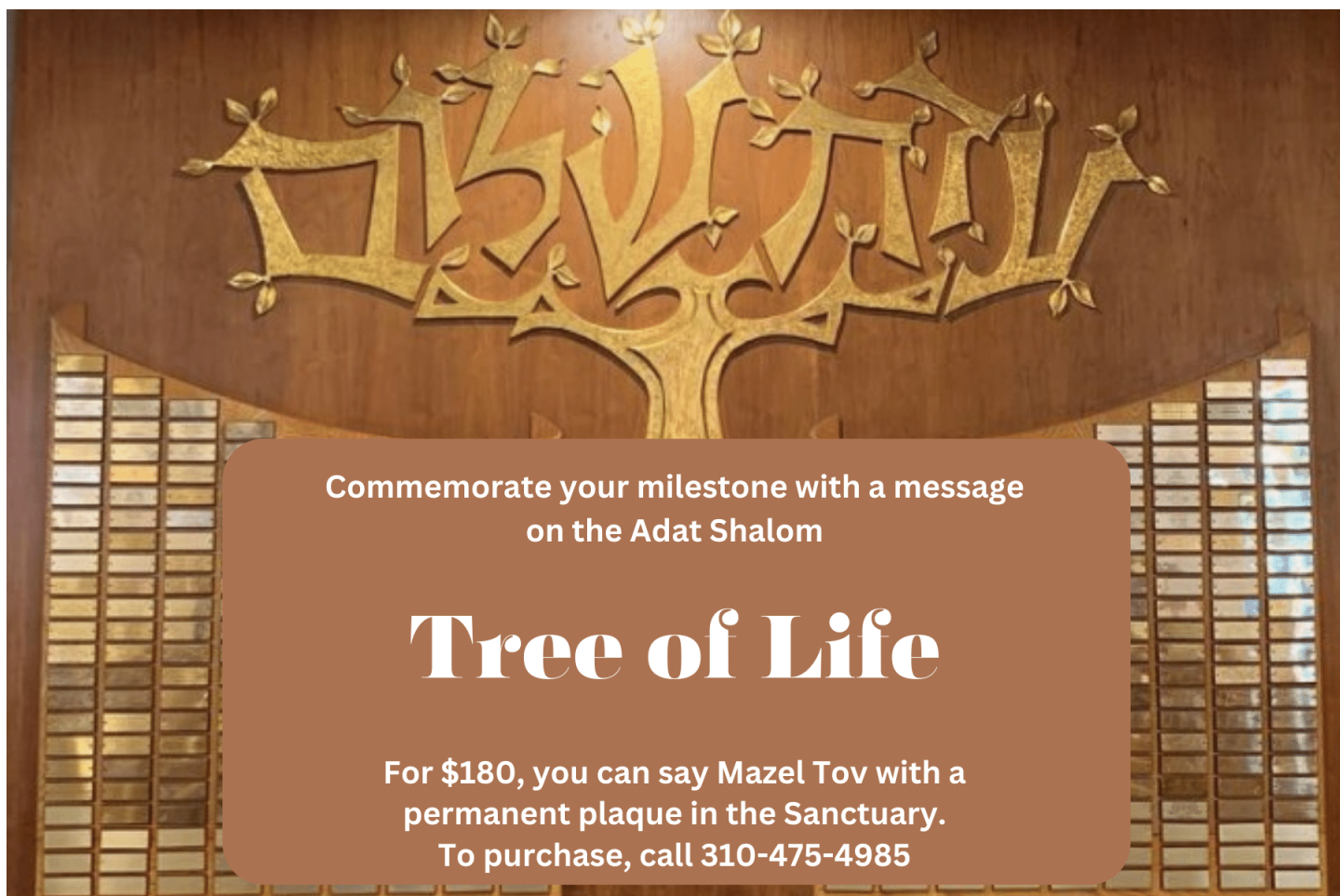
*Shabbat Morning, January 20, 2024
9:30 A.M.*

*Please join us to Celebrate our Togetherness
and to Support
Israel and Torah Fund,*

*Torah Fund is an International Scholarship Fund
Supporting Education for
Rabbis, Cantors and Jewish Communal Leaders.*

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Adat Shalom Yahrzeit Memorial Board

The Adat Shalom Yahrzeit Memorial Board, located in the Main Sanctuary, provides a sacred space to remember your loved ones. The digital display commemorates each yahrzeit by lighting the names on the anniversary of their passing. All the names of all our loved ones are lit four times a year when we come together for the Yizkor Service during Yom Kippur, Sukkot, Passover and Shavuot.

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From January 1, 2023 through October 31, 2023

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Cindy Benson's birthday
In memory of
Jean Schwartzman*
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in memory of Dorit Paz
- BORAN,
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In loving memory of
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- BOROUKHIM, PARI
- BRANDES,
HOWARD & DEBORAH
*wishing Jessica Wacht
a Happy Birthday*
- BROWN,
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*in honor of
Rabbi Melissa Lefkowitz*
- BUDIN, HELEN

We Need Your Help...

We rely on our Adat Shalom community to let us know when someone has been hospitalized, ill, or has lost a loved one. Rabbi Potok would also love to know if anyone is celebrating a birth or other simchah. Hospitals are not permitted to release patient information, so we would appreciate your calling the Adat Shalom office at 310-475-4985 or emailing Joanna@AdatShalomLA.org if you have such information about someone in our community.



- **BURTIN, BARBARA**
in honor of Clara's Bat Mitzvah. I am very grateful to Adat Shalom.
 - **COHEN, JUDITH**
 - **COHEN, YORAM & WOLFE-COHEN, LOTTIE**
 - **COZEN, DENNIS & SHIRLEY**
 - **CRANE, GLORIA**
 - **DESTIN, JOSIAH**
 - **DIAMENT, MICHAEL & CYNTHIA**
 - **EHSANIPOUR, SAEID & HABIBEH**
 - **EPSTEIN, MARSHA**
I came during the pandemic after my sister died, to say Kaddish for her. Thank you for having outside services
 - **ERNSTOFF, MICHAEL & DONNA**
 - **EULE, CAROLE**
 - **EZRA, ESAYAS**
 - **FACTOR, DAVID & HOLLY**
*in memory of Ruth Kalin
Ian Black
Sidney Margulies
Dorit Paz
Ruth Benveniste*
 - **FELDMAN, LEONID & SCHICK, SUSIE**
 - **GERSTLE, JEREMY & ROSENTHAL, ADINA**
 - **GINZBURG, DANIEL & STEPHANIE**
 - **GREENWALD, RICHARD**
 - **GROSSMAN, RUTH**
in honor of Bonita Selk's 80th birthday
 - **HOFFMAN, JOSEPH & BERNSTEIN, MAUREEN**
 - **KACHADOORIAN, ALEXANDRIA**
 - **KANER, PAULINE**
in memory of Lewis Sternfels
 - **KASS, SANDRA**
*in memory of Elsie Marks
Mari Monath
Ruth Kalin
Sidney Margulies
Ruth Benveniste
Ian Black
Dorit Paz*
 - **KHODADADI, FLORA**
 - **KNOLL, JAIME & MARLA**
*In honor of the birth of Dennis & Shirley's grandson Ethan, Michael Gabai's grandson, and Rose & Ron Ziff's grandson, Avery Jonah.
In memory of Abraham Knoll
Henrietta Knoll
Cecil Levin
Sally Abrevaya
Yosef Schechter
Beverly White
Ruth Benveniste
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