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# MESSENGER

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## The Goodman Family Judaic & Archival Museum Celebrating

# 25 years



While we can't be with you in person, we are thrilled to share opportunities for us to gather virtually on Facebook Live, YouTube and our streaming page! Learn, pray, chat and sing with us. We are here with you. For the latest times and locations: [temple-israel.org/virtual](https://www.temple-israel.org/virtual)



## HIGH HOLY DAYS FROM HOME?

As the month of Elul arrives, the Jewish world turns to introspection. Our sages relate that during the year, God is like a queen in a palace – distant and tough to get an appointment. During the month of Elul, they teach, the queen is in the field - happy to greet any of us who approach and ready with a smile and an embrace. So while your Temple Clergy are feverishly creating virtual High Holy Day services for our community to enjoy, it is well worth taking this elevated month to think about how we will observe the High Holy Days in this pandemic year.

It is clearly a drawback not to be able to pray in person with our congregation. Whether from a halachic perspective of the value of a group of ten or more, or from an emotional anchor of feeling supported by a community, we know we are starting at a disadvantage. With that in mind, we might ask how can we up our game in some other way to make up the loss. Fortunately, praying from home makes some of the High Holy Day practices easier rather than harder. So perhaps this is the year when we look over the range of traditions, and pick a few more that would normally be tricky.

For example, you may have heard that on Yom Kippur, there is a practice of not wearing leather shoes. Now if you were to show up at Temple in your suit or dress sporting a pair of flip-flops, you might get a few odd looks. But since we will be observing the majority of the Holy Days from home, how simple to switch your regular shoes for some non-leather footwear, and know you are deepening your connection to the Days of Awe.

Of course another area is the fast itself. Many of us break our fast at the end of services because driving home after not eating for so long would be unsafe. But this year, if we are fasting at home and not fighting traffic and out in the sun, perhaps it would be feasible to continue right through to the end of the standard Jewish day? Many Reform communities break their fast at sunset, which will be 7:20 PM this year in West Bloomfield. In traditional homes it will last until dusk at a reasonable 8:01 PM. So this could be the perfect year to wrap up dinner on Erev Yom Kippur by 7:00, and fast right through the customary Jewish day. As always, anyone with a medical condition should wait for another year when they are fully healthy.

If each of us takes one new aspect of the Holy Days to try this year, then perhaps we will find that, even from our homes and over our virtual platforms, this will be the most meaningful High Holy Days yet!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michael Smolash". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Cantor Michael Smolash

# The Goodman Family Judaic & Archival Museum



Temple Israel's Goodman Family Judaic & Archival Museum is 25 years old, and you are invited to help celebrate its beautiful journey!

Please join us on [Facebook Live](#), **Tuesday, August 25 at 3 pm**, for the second episode of our multi-part series featuring our permanent collection. Learn how the museum was eloquently shaped into a historical treasure by its fascinating exhibits throughout the decades. From detailing powerful Jewish roots to sharing the hopes for the future, you won't want to miss the continuation of this heartfelt series celebrating the 25th anniversary of The Goodman Family Judaic & Archival Museum. If you missed our first episode with Teri & Mark Goodman, Susan and Rabbi Harold Loss and Kari Provizer LMSW, ACSW, click [HERE](#) for the premiere on YouTube.

If you'd like to support our amazing museum, click [HERE](#) and choose The Goodman Family Judaic & Archival Museum Fund.

## VIRTUAL SERVICES AND EVENTS:

Help us connect with you! Now more than ever, we want to stay engaged – especially since we are preparing for high holidays. Please log into your Temple Israel account at [www.temple-israel.org](http://www.temple-israel.org), review your contact information and make sure we have separate email addresses and cell phone numbers for all adults on your account.

### KABBALAT SHABBAT

Fridays • 7 pm

Join us online Friday evening for a virtual Kabbalat Shabbat service. Watch on Facebook, YouTube or on our streaming page. [temple-israel.org/virtual](http://temple-israel.org/virtual)

### VIRTUAL MINYAN WITH CANTOR SMOLASH

Sundays • 9 am

Join us on [Facebook Live](#) for weekly Sunday Minyan. Follow along with the Minyan Prayer Book: [temple-israel.org/MinyanBook](http://temple-israel.org/MinyanBook)

### TALMUD & TASTINGS

Monday, August 17 • 7 pm

Join us for a virtual series that combines unique tastings with insights from Temple's brilliant rabbis. Hosted virtually from a different home each month, we will enjoy an evening of sampling delicious new tastes and digesting delightful Torah teachings. Sponsored by Temple Israel Brotherhood. Details and registration info here: <https://www.temple-israel.org/TalmudTastings>

### ROSH CHODESH

Thursday, August 20 • 7 pm

RSVP to [kheraud@temple-israel.org](mailto:kheraud@temple-israel.org) for the Zoom invite.

### HAZON DETROIT - FOOD FESTIVAL IN A BOX

Now through August 23

<https://hazon.org/regions/detroit/michigan-jewish-food-festival>

## VIRTUAL RESOURCES:

Temple Israel provides families with the resources to meet life's challenges and also a wide array of educational and social programming. While we cannot meet in person during the corona virus crisis, we are providing virtual resources.

Click here for resources: <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLn9spWvsCBveEZxrlbQBrLAW5T7SksXMH>

## VIRTUAL CLASSES & SUPPORT:

The Robert Sosnick Family Life Center will be here for you as we make our way through these uncharted times. Please check back frequently over the next few weeks for updated videos and classes: [temple-israel.org/virtual](http://temple-israel.org/virtual)

## VIRTUAL BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

Thursday, August 13 • 2 pm via Zoom

After the death of a loved one, there are so many thoughts, feelings and experiences to deal with. Please join Diane Levy-Rubinstein, LMSW and others in sharing one's grief within a group setting while also defining the uniqueness of your grief.

Zoom link will be provided upon registration. Register here: <https://www.temple-israel.org/beravementsupport>

## VIRTUAL BINGO

Wednesday, August 19 • 3 pm via Zoom

Join Rabbi Hornsten, Michael Curhan and Kari Provizer for Virtual Bingo via Zoom! Prizes! When you register you will receive a link to a blank card. Register here: <https://www.temple-israel.org/bingo>

## COOKING WITH CAROLE

Don't miss out on our very own Chef Carole's wonderful, easy to prepare, healthy recipes! Recipes and videos can be viewed on her blog: <https://www.temple-israel.org/cooking>



## We have been busy at the ECC, and it has never been more important!



We will be ready with these improvements and anxiously awaiting the arrival of your children. You can trust we will take the greatest care to keep them happy and healthy!



# Registration Opens Soon

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SCHOOL  
*at Temple Israel*

for

We can  
not wait to  
be back!

We are creating the best AND safest  
Religious School experience for our students!

Watch your email for more information.

## ROOTS

New Year, New Roots! We are excited to welcome you back. Stay tuned for more information!

*ROOTS is Temple Israel's experiential learning program for teens in 9th-12th grade that encourages community-building, leadership skills, development of Jewish identity, and a deep connection to Jewish life.*



## VIRTUAL ADULT EDUCATION:

### USER'S GUIDE FOR THE SOUL

Thursdays, August 13 & 20 • 10 - 11 am

Do you want to learn about the structure of your soul? Is it possible to navigate the flow of consciousness through the body more masterfully? Through delving into this powerful kabbalistic text, you will gain the tools to discover your highest self and master the challenges of your life. Taught by Cantor Smolash. Join us virtually. RSVP to [maya@temple-israel.org](mailto:maya@temple-israel.org) for the Zoom invite.



## WELCOME RACHEL KESTENBERG! OUR NEW YOUTH DIRECTOR

Hi! My name is Rachel Kestenberg and I am so excited to be your new youth group director! I grew up in West Bloomfield in a Temple Israel family. I went to Frankel Jewish Academy for high school and graduated from University of Michigan with my Bachelors degree in Education. Growing up I spent my summers at Camp Tamakwa eventually working there as a counselor, Assistant Girls Camp Director and CIT Director. My summers also consisted of going on other adventures like the Teen Mission in 2010 and the Tamarack Alaska trip. More recently I have been teaching at Hillel Day School for the past 2 years in their early childhood center.

Now, here I am entering this new incredible role as your Youth Group Director! In high school I started going to YFTI events with my friends as a freshman. This fun, meaningful, inclusive program has made me who I am to this day. I spent my time in high school on the board for YFTI, starting as Secretary, then Religious and Cultural Vice President and eventually serving as President my senior year. YFTI taught me confidence, leadership, a love for Jewish programming and education. To be able to be a part of the Temple Israel community and working with the youth of temple is what I call my dream job! I could not be more eager and enthused to start working with our teens, building relationships, learning and creating together incredible programs that are meaningful, engaging and fun! It is my goal to make YFTI a safe place for teens to step out of their comfort zone, create everlasting friendships, express their creativity and become great leaders in the temple and broader community. Our youth will take these skills on with them as they grow throughout their life just as I am still using what I have learned from YFTI in my life. I look forward to meeting everyone and can't wait to start this journey!



## IT'S A NEW YEAR FOR SISTERHOOD

Now is the time to renew or join Sisterhood. We have exciting programs and activities that will appeal to everyone! Please join today! Without you we are one sister short. Stay tuned for details on our upcoming opening program in October - FREE to all paid up Members! Join online at [www.temple-israel.org/Sisterhood](http://www.temple-israel.org/Sisterhood). For membership information contact Lori Semel at 248-770-3888 or [lsemelsisterhood@yahoo.com](mailto:lsemelsisterhood@yahoo.com).

## GREENHOUSE LECTURE SERIES

Thursday, August 20 • 11 am

Join us to hear about safe lawn care and a safer environment for those who pollinate. Questions? Contact Andi Weiss at [weissand50@gmail.com](mailto:weissand50@gmail.com) or call 248-701-6732. Register at [www.temple-israel.org/Sisterhood](http://www.temple-israel.org/Sisterhood).

## CHAI MITZVAH

Tuesday, August 25 • 10 - 11:30 am

Chai Mitzvah class continues. Follow the Chai Mitzvah curriculum and develop new ways to understand Jewish tradition. The group is an interactive discussion of subjects such as the High Holy Days, ethics, social justice, the environment, and community, led by Ruth Grey and Nancy Gad-Harf. We meet on the third Tuesday of the month, from 10 - 11:30. The next session will be on Tuesday, August 25 (note: this is the fourth Tuesday of August). Our subject will be "Preparing for the High Holy Days in the Time of a Pandemic." To RSVP, email Nancy Gad-Harf, [ngadharf@aol.com](mailto:ngadharf@aol.com). You will receive the Zoom link upon registration.

## BAKING FOR THE HOLIDAYS WITH PAM TURKIN

Wednesday, September 9 • 1 pm

Start your New Year off sweet! Join Pam Turkin as she teaches us how to make a delicious dessert for the Holidays. Please RSVP to [www.temple-israel.org/Sisterhood](http://www.temple-israel.org/Sisterhood) by September 6th to receive your shopping list and zoom link. We hope to see you there!

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BROWSER NEAR YOU!



Sisterhood  
ONLINE Gift Shop  
at *Temple Israel*  
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## HONEY FOR THE HOLIDAYS

**What better way to wish family, friends and business associates a “Sweet and Healthy New Year” than sending a jar of honey?**

Ship a festive 8 oz jar of 100% pure Kosher Honey anywhere in the United States for only \$12 per jar ( \$5 shipping added per jar). Ordering is quick and easy, just visit [www.orthoney.com/tis](http://www.orthoney.com/tis) - Enter group code “TIS” when prompted. For more information contact Ann Podolsky at [awpodolsky@gmail.com](mailto:awpodolsky@gmail.com) or call 248-722-4555.

## ORDER YOUR TRIBUTE CARDS!

Let someone know that you are thinking of them at this difficult time. Learn more or purchase online at [temple-Israel.org/Sisterhood](http://temple-Israel.org/Sisterhood) or contact Jodie Polk at [chefjimjo@yahoo.com](mailto:chefjimjo@yahoo.com)

## FLOWER OF THE MONTH

**What better gift than A Year of Flowers!**

For only \$35 (one-time charge), your special person will be able to pick up a fresh-cut bouquet or potted plant once a month for a year! Once you place your order you (or your recipient) will be mailed a Certificate that will allow them to go to any English Gardens location and pick up flowers. To place your order or for more information, go to [temple-israel.org/Sisterhood](http://temple-israel.org/Sisterhood)

## COOKBOOK - THE FRUIT OF HER HANDS

**Are you looking for a new recipe?** Sisterhood would like to offer our wonderful cookbook, *The Fruit of Her Hands*. \$10 each or 2 for \$15. Contact us at [tisisterhoodonline@gmail.com](mailto:tisisterhoodonline@gmail.com) to obtain a copy.

# LIFE CYCLE EVENTS

## B'NAI MITZVAH

SATURDAY, AUGUST 1



**MAYA GRACE BELEN**, daughter of Andrea and Jeffrey Belen; grandchild of Kenneth Korotkin and Donna and Jack Belen. Maya attends Derby Middle School. She enjoys tennis and listening to music. For her mitzvah project she raised the funds needed to grant a wish for a child to go to Disney and attended the sendoff. In addition, she gave her time volunteering at the Pierce Elementary School Carnival. Maya also made blankets for

Temple Israel's Juanita and George Victor Mishebeirach Blanket Fund which provides Mishebeirach blankets to hospital, nursing home, and rehab patients.



**EMILY BROOKE FEINSTEIN**, daughter of Lisa and Ken Feinstein; grandchild of Ron and the late Judie Klein and Al and the late Millie Feinstein. Emily attends Clifford Smart Middle School. She enjoys dance, theatre and basketball. As part of her mitzvah experience, Emily raised funds for Operation Smile. She also volunteered at the Friendship Circle and with her peers at the Temple Israel Labor Day Picnic.



**ABIGAIL SYDNEY KLEIN**, daughter of Jessica and Dr. Daniel Klein; grandchild of Judith and the late Alan Miller and Ron and the late Judie Klein. Abigail is an honor student at Geisler Middle School. Her hobbies and interests include flute, tennis, piano and baking. For her mitzvah project Abigail volunteered at the Friendship Circle and with her peers at the Temple Israel Labor Day Picnic. In addition, she raised funds for Operation Smile.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 7



**NOAH MICHAEL KAPLAN**, son of Karen and Evan Kaplan; grandchild of Linda and Steve Kaplan. Noah is a student at West Hills Middle School. His hobbies and interests include tennis, basketball, baseball, forensics and attending sleepaway camp at 6 Points Sports Academy in North Carolina. As part of his mitzvah project, Noah has been collecting and leveling books and toys for Brilliant Detroit. In addition, he volunteers at

telethons for the Jewish Federation of Metropolitan Detroit.

## SATURDAY, AUGUST 8



**MIA OLIVIA BRAGMAN**, daughter of Debbie and James Bragman; grandchild of Sofia Chayt, Brigit and Wolf Chayt and the late Ethel and Paul Bragman. Mia is a student at Bloomfield Hills Middle School. Her hobbies and interests include gymnastics, volleyball and tennis. As part of her mitzvah project Mia shopped for the elderly, packed food at Yad Ezra and delivered food to Jarc Homes. In addition, each year, Mia raises funds for and participates in the Out of The Darkness Walk for Suicide Prevention.



**JAMIE CLAIRE ZOUSMER**, daughter of Stacy and Michael Zousmer; grandchild of Arlene and Richard Agree and Ann and William Zousmer. Jamie is a student at West Hills Middle School. Her hobbies and interests include dance, guitar, singing, volleyball and basketball. For her mitzvah project, she wrapped gifts at the Bottomless Toy Chest for children in the hospital and took part in the Pontiac Food Relief where she

delivered food to homes for the Covid-19 response team. Additionally, Jamie volunteered every Sunday at The Friendship Circle and helped at the Temple Israel Labor Day Picnic.

## SATURDAY, AUGUST 15



**RYAN MATTHEW CALANCHI**, son of Debra and Reuben Calanchi; grandchild of Rena and Ronald Weintraub and Alicia and Rick Calanchi. Ryan is an honor student at Novi Middle School. His hobbies and interests include sports; especially soccer and basketball. As part of his mitzvah project, Ryan volunteered at the Temple Israel Labor Day Picnic and raised funds for JDRF through a bottle drive. In addition, Ryan

volunteered at the JDRF Walk in Detroit where he painted faces and applied temporary tattoos.

## FRIDAY, AUGUST 21



**ARI NATHAN SAPERSTEIN**, son of Halle and Dan Saperstein; grandchild of Marlene Gelfand, Jacque and the late Jerry Cohen and Marshall and the late Bobbie Saperstein. He attends Orchard Lake Middle School. Ari's hobbies and interests include swimming, cooking and pod cast productions. As part of his mitzvah project, Ryan volunteered at Temple Israel at the Labor Day Picnic and the Fresh Free Food Pantry. In addition,

he organized a clothing and supply drive to donate to PJs for Premies for families in need with NICU infants.



**RYAN EZRA SAPERSTEIN**, son of Halle and Dan Saperstein; grandchild of Marlene Gelfand, Jacque and the late Jerry Cohen and Marshall and the late Bobbie Saperstein. Ryan is a student at Orchard Lake Middle School. His hobbies and interests tennis, soccer and video games. As part of his mitzvah project, Ryan donated necessary supplies to families who have newborns in the NICU at Beaumont Hospital for PJs for Premies. In addition, Ryan volunteered at Temple Israel at the Labor Day Picnic and the Fresh Free Food Pantry and at the Henry Ford Hospital Holiday Party for the hospital employees.

## SATURDAY, AUGUST 22



**ANDREW JAMES GREENHUT**, son of Dana and David Greenhut; grandchild of Sue and Jerry Hoffman and Elaine and Kerry Greenhut; great-grandchild of Lillian Greenhut and Norma Stoller. He attends West Hills Middle School. His hobbies and interests include robotics, soccer, playing baritone, reading, swimming, wave boarding and writing for his school newspaper. For his mitzvah project, Andrew gave his time to combat food insecurity in our community by volunteering the Gleaner's Food Bank and the Temple Israel Free Fresh Food Pantry.



**LUKE RILEY FENBERG**, son of Lisa and Aaron Fenberg; grandchild of Robin and Michael Fenberg, Sandy and Jeff Kopelman and Lynne and Leslie Schultz. Luke is a student at Walnut Creek Middle School. His hobbies and interests include baseball, football, basketball and tennis. As part of his mitzvah project, Luke organized at basketball tournament to raise funds for Rett Syndrome. He also volunteered at Hospitality House, helped set up for the Temple Israel Labor Day Picnic and volunteered at the annual Stroll for Rett Syndrome.



**JACOB MATTHEW SEMEL**, son of Lori and Ronald Semel; grandchild of Fran Wolok, the late Harvey Wolok and the late Mary and Robert Semel. Jacob is an honor student at Walnut Creek Middle School. His hobbies and interests include robotics, theater, cooking and baking, all things from the 1980s and reading. For his mitzvah project, Jacob babysat and donated his earnings to No Kid Hungry, an organization that helps to solve problems of hunger and poverty in the United States. He also volunteered with his Temple Israel community serving breakfast to the residents of the South Oakland Shelter and escorting seniors to the graves of their loved ones for the annual Kever Avot program. In addition, he baked challah for the seniors he met through Kever Avot and volunteered at his former elementary school's carnival.

## FRIDAY, AUGUST 28



**KENDYL SLOAN KAUFMAN**, daughter of Sabrina and Brian Kaufman; grandchild of Sheri and David Jaffa and Karen and Jerry Kaufman. Kendyl is a student at Hillel Day School. Her hobbies and interests include swimming and traveling. Among her mitzvah projects, Kendyl found it most meaningful to make soup and scarves for the homeless.

## SATURDAY, AUGUST 29



**TY MATTHEW ROSENBERG**, son of Angela and Dr. Daniel Rosenberg; grandchild of Ann Dings, Joanne and Jack Rubin and Sue and Leonard Rosenberg. He is an honor student at Geisler Middle School. Ty enjoys and plays multiple sports, with focus on his travel baseball team. He also enjoys acting in his school plays. For his mitzvah project, Ty made protective gowns for area medical professionals during the pandemic and will be volunteering at Temple's Food Pantry.



**COREY CHUDLER**, son of Neisha and Brett Chudler; grandchild of Ethel and Cliff Chudler and Myrna and the late Paul Baytarian. Corey is a student at Abbott Middle School. He loves sports and has been playing in soccer leagues since age 4. Additional interests include playing XBOX and animals especially his dog. As part of his most meaningful mitzvah project, Corey volunteered at the Oakland County Animal Shelter.



**CHASE ARI ROSENZWEIG**, son of Jackie and Neil Rosenzweig; grandchild of Barbara and Howard Leshman and Kathleen and Dennis Rosenzweig. Chase is a student at West Hills Middle School. His interests include basketball, baseball, flag football, gaming and spending his summers at Camp Tamakwa. For his mitzvah project, Chase raised funds for the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network (PanCAN); his grandfather Howard Leshman was diagnosed with this disease in the fall of 2019. Chase launched a Facebook fundraiser on his grandfather's 73rd Birthday to honor him and has thus far raised over \$7500. In addition, he volunteered at the Temple Israel for the Hanukkah Bookfair and at 'Cookie's & Dreams', a yearly fundraiser held to raise awareness and funds to send kids with cancer to camp through Camp Mak-A-Dream.

## TEMPLE FAMILY

### Weddings

**Jason Pollak**, son of Tobyann & Lawrence Pollak to Alana Goldman, daughter of Susan & Marc Goldman.

### Births and Blessings

**Myles Jerrick Jahnke**, son of Elyse & Ryan Jahnke. Grandchild of Arlene & Alan Gildenberg, Betta Singer, and Wendy & Keith Jahnke.

### In Memoriam

**CORRECTION FROM JULY MESSENGER: Burton "Burt" Savine**, husband of Sharon May Savine; father of Toby (Steve) Silverman; grandfather of Jordan (Leslie) Silverman and Zachary (Taylor) Silverman; great-grandfather of Wynn Silverman and Knox Silverman; brother of Elizabeth "Liz" (Gerald "Jerry") Walters. Survived by Sharon May Savine's children Carole May Miller, Mathew (Amy) May, Peter (Lori) May, Berton (Renee) May; grandfather of Sarah May (Will Lohse), Deborah May, Kayla May, Leonard, Micah and Roxanne Miller, Zoe May, Meghan May and Jessica May.

**Olga Adler**, wife of Ernest Adler z"l; mother of Judith (Harvey Babcock) Scheinfeld and Vivian (Michael) Sanfield; grandmother of Carly and Danielle Sanfield; Adam (Rebecca) Scheinfeld and Jordan Scheinfeld; great-grandmother of Alexander, Cruz and Kaia Scheinfeld.

**Lewis Bernard, Jr.**, husband of Geri (nee Seltzer) Bernard z"l; father of Lori (Rabbi Marc Kline) Bernard, Dennis (Hadas) Bernard, Ted (Lauren) Bernard and Alejandro (Silvana) Treuer; grandfather of Aaron and Leora Bernard, Doug (Sonja Vitow) Hopping, Danielle Hopping, Rachel Kline, Joshua (Stacie) Bernard, Rachel Bernard, Jessica Bernard and Evan Bernard; companion of Marlene Mayers.

**Sharon "Sheri" Joy Brown**, mother of Justin (Robin) Brown, Michael (Courtney) Brown, Eric (Alexandra) Brown, Allison (Zach) Weisman and Aaron (Maud) Brown; sister to Susan (Stuart) Kaufman and David (Craig Trompeter) Rice; sister-in-law of Nancy Weisman Rice z"l; grandmother of Benjamin, Jonathan and Peter Brown, Harper, Parker and Samantha Brown, Emi Brown, Liv and Noah Weisman; aunt to Scott Kaufman and Robin (Lee) Trepeck, Adria (Andy Kryshak) Rice and Jordan (Greg Schweizer) Rice; great-aunt of Jamie and "Andy" Andrew Trepeck; cousin of Dr. Sandy and Joan Weitzbuch; daughter of Faye and Howard Rice z"l.



**Wendy Bundgaard**, mother of Jared (Alison) Bundgaard; daughter of Dolores (Harold z"l) Greenspan; grandmother of Ava Bundgaard; sister of Lori (Steve) Smith and Jay (Karen Laub) Greenspan.

**Dr. David Burnstine**, husband of Elaine Burnstine z"l; father of Steven Burnstine, Robert Burnstine, and Michael (Diana) Burnstine; grandfather of Alexa, Ryan, Jack, Adam, and Zachary Burnstine; brother of Barbara (Harold z"l) Nelson z"l and Jeanie (Jerry z"l) Kabeck; brother-in-law of Jerome "Jerry" (Janet) Rosman.

**Noah Samuel Cutler**, son of Michael and Dr. Nancy Cutler; brother of Adam Cutler; grandson of Michael and Margo Goldman and Janice (Donald z"l) Cutler; nephew of Ilisa (David) Bernstein, Jeff (Staci) Goldman, Kevin (Amy) Goldman and Alan (Cindy) Cutler.

**Dorothy Diskin**, wife of Martin Diskin; mother of Robert (Hillary Weil-Diskin) Diskin, Jeffrey (Sharon) Diskin and Stuart (Carol) Diskin; grandmother of Tyler and Ryan Diskin, Rachel Diskin, Daniel Diskin, Jody Diskin and Joshua Diskin.

**Alene Farber**, wife of Dr. Robert Farber; mother of Merrick (fiance' Denise Shaheen) Farber, Michele and Brian Elias and Dr. Corey and Brittany Farber; grandmother of Lindsey and Ashton Farber; Rachel Arkin, Daniel Elias, Jake, Shane, Chase and Griffin Farber and Simon and Logan Shaheen; sister of Lisa (Dr. David) Moss, Anita (Larry) Stollman; sister-in-law of Dr. Sydney and Mae Farber; daughter-in-law of Esther and David Farber z"l; daughter of Zelda and Louis Lofman z"l.

**Maxine Feig**, wife of Leon Feig z"l; mother of Susan (Larry) Adler and Andrea ("Rick" Richard) Berman; grandmother of Stephanie Adler, Evan (Fiancee' Marina Pulik) Adler and Pamela Weinberg; sister of Doris Broder z"l.

**Morton A. Freedman**, husband of Harriett (Bresoff) Freedman; father of Dr. Aaron Rivkin and Ryan Rivkin, Dr. Suzanne Rivkin, and Dr. Nancy (Dr. Gary) Klein; grandfather to Julie (Dr. Spencer) Schneider, and Dr. Jamie (Omer) Bar-Ness; great-grandfather to Adeline Mollie Schneider, Ziv Aryeh Bar-Ness, and Leona Sydney Schneider; brother of Natalie (Donald z"l) Canvasser and Lewis (Marian z"l) Freedman z"l; brother-in-law of Barbara (Erwin) Gutenberg and Marvin (Betty) Bresoff z"l.

**Dr. Irwin "Irv" Lutwin**, husband of Cheryle Lutwin; father of Darin (Matthew) Lutwin, Sean (Juliana) Lutwin, and Melanie (Scott) Chismody; grandfather of Jacob Lutwin, Emma Lutwin and Shay, Lexi and Chad Chismody; brother of Fran (Howard z"l) Waldman; brother-in-law of Lesley Lavens.

**Marion Reich**, daughter of Ruth and Lawrence Reich z"l, sister of Judith "Judie" ("Jerry" Jerome) Kroot; aunt of Heather Kroot and Stefanie Steinberg z"l; great Aunt of Levi Steinberg and Ari Kroot; niece of Gertrude Goldstein and Benjamin Goldstein z"l, Blanche and Ozzie Comras z"l and Eleanor and Emile Reich z"l; cousin of Madelyn and Al Katz, Walter and Toni Goldstein, Donald Comras, Al Husted, Joel Goldstein, Reed Goodman, Wendy Reich and Lloyd Reich z"l.

**Edward Shapiro**, father of Amy Shapiro, Ronald Shapiro and Beth & Andy Isola; grandfather of Jennifer, Benn, Rebecca, Jaclyn, Adam, and Max; great-grandfather of Zara; husband of Golda Shapiro z"l; son of Sophie and Harry Shapiro z"l; twin brother of Irwin Shapiro z"l; brother of Rita Feinstein z"l and Barbara (Bobbi) Weisberg z"l.

**Dr. Sarra Shegelman**, mother of Galina (Matvey) Milman and Simon Shegelman; grandmother of Boris (Raya) Milman, Marta and Leo (Polina) Milman, great-grandmother of Eliana, Adam, Joseph and Gabriella.

**Ronald "Ron" Sherr**, husband of Linda Sherr; father of Bonnie Sherr Flood, Robin (Danny) Davids and Dawn (Jeff) Menning; brother of Paul (Rita) Sherr; grandfather of Justin, Jack, and Emily Flood, Jonas and Georgie Davids and Hudson Menning.

**Clara B. Showfer**, wife of Robert Showfer z"l; mother of Sandra (Ralph Josephson) Showfer Josephson and Steven Showfer; grandmother of Haleigh Josephson and Kirby (Stephen) Valenti; great-grandmother of Eleanore Claire Valenti.

**Zinovy Soybel**, husband of Larisa Soybel; father of Isabella (Mark) Kostukovsky and Elina (Tony) Gelfand; grandfather of Samuel, Jacob and Abigail Gelfand, Brian Kostukovsky and Emily "Mila" (Ilya) Elkin; great-grandfather of Eliza, Breanna, Ella and Zoe.

**Jerome "Jerry" Weisman**, husband to Nancy Weisman; father of Neal Howard (Mimmi) Weisman, Elisa Robyn (Alfie) Vick, Cary Devan (Julie) Weisman, Lisa Jennifer Squarcia; grandfather of Mia Manjit Weisman, Ben Schaj Weisman, Mackinley Walker Vick, Meko Riley Vick, Jessica Squarcia, Jacquelyn Squarcia, Derrick (Anyia) Hoffner and Zachary Squarcia; great-grandfather of Aidan, Austin, "Joseph" Giuseppe, Sophia and Madelina Squarcia, Sean Squarcia and Syren Hoffner; brother and brother-in-law of Florraine (Joseph z"l) Dorn z"l and Steven Horowitz z"l; and Judith Weisman.

**Myrna Zack**, mother of Steven (Marla) Zack z"l; grandmother of Blake, Joshua "Josh" and Samuel "Sammy" Zack; aunt of James "Jim" (Vera) Gell; great-aunt of Jared (Lauren) Gell and Wendy Shanker.

# TRIBUTES

## **APPEL FAMILY CONCERT FUND**

*Provides funding for an Annual Music Program.*

In Honor Of:

Mazel Tov on your 80th Birthday Bob Appel – Sue Ellen and Barry Lakind

In Memory Of:

Barbara Rubenstein – Arlene and Fred Miller

## **DONNA & ALLAN APPLE FUND FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS**

*Provides madrachim support for children with special needs.*

In Honor Of:

Wedding Anniversary of Carole and Jerry Maltzman; Anniversary of Doreen and Nison Sabin – Donna and Allan Apple

In Memory Of:

Marvin Gantz – Ellen and Frank Wolff

Burt Savine; Robin Willis – Donna and Allan Apple

## **SUSIE F. ARNOLD CHOIR FUND**

*Provides funding for the Shabbat Singers Choir.*

In Memory Of:

Jerry Blum – Emily Arnold

Marking Yahrzeit Of:

Beney Kittner – Emily Arnold

## **BARRIS FAMILY FUND**

*Provides speakers for Temple Israel programming.*

In Memory Of:

Gerald Rudin – Dr. Harvey and Anita Zalesin

## **BARBARA & DOUGLAS BLOOM SPECIAL NEEDS FUND FOR SINGLE MOTHERS**

*Provides assistance to single moms in crisis who are Temple Israel members.*

In Honor Of:

25th Anniversary of Rabbi Josh Bennett at Temple Israel – Barbara and Douglas Bloom

In Memory Of:

Gerald Rudin – Sara and Louis Brooks

## **TEMPLE ISRAEL BROTHERHOOD FUND**

*Supports Temple Israel Brotherhood programming.*

*In Memory Of:*

Paul Gold – Shellie and Steven Achtman  
Jerry Rudin – Debbie and Jeff Chutz

**COURTNEY LISA CANTOR ISRAEL TRAVEL SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

*Provides funds for youth travel to Israel.*

*In Honor Of:*

Mazel Tov on your 75th Birthday Sherry Cantor – Barbara and Allan Ben

**CARING COMMUNITY FUND**

*Supports the programs of Temple Israel's Caring Community.*

*In Honor Of:*

25th Anniversary of Rabbi Josh Bennett at Temple Israel – Charlotte Arbit; Linda Feldman; Lois and Jerry Gerenraich; Shirley Halprin; Rose and Steve Sallen & Family

Mazel Tov on your 80th Birthday Harvey Lash – Anita and Edward Haenick

Special Birthday of DeDe Weinberg – Randie Levin and Cyril Moscow

*In Memory Of:*

Michael Fayne – Caryn and Harold Rothenberg

Beatrix Margolis – Lois and Alvin Rubin

Marvin Gantz – Beverly and Richard Bernstein; Paula and Melvin Menuck; Lois and Alvin Rubin

Elaine Siegler – Kari and Jeff Provizer & Family

Gerald Rudin – Harriet Trager and Herb Cohen; Judi and John Marcosky

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**CONCERT/LECTURE FUND OF TEMPLE ISRAEL**

*Assists in the support of concerts and lectures at Temple Israel.*

*In Memory Of:*

Michael Jacobson – Richard Cavaler

**ARTHUR DUBIN CHILDREN'S SPECIAL NEEDS SCHOOL FUND**

*Aids families with children with special needs.*

*In Honor Of:*

25th Anniversary of Rabbi Josh and Meg Bennett & Family at Temple Israel – Art, Susan and Howard Dubin

*In Memory Of:*

Marc Traurig – Harvey Babcock

## **ZACHARY M. TALAN EDELSON MACCABI SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

*Provides scholarships for Temple Israel Maccabi participants.*

In Memory Of:

Dr. Jeffrey Forman; Janet Stein – Wendy Talan  
Irving William Oberfelder – Linda and Andy Jacobs  
Marvin Talan – Wendy Talan & Jeff and Brad Edelson; Janis Sattler-Fried;  
Dorie Miller; Gloria and Milton Siegel

## **GENERAL ENDOWMENT FUND**

*Provides long term funding for Temple Israel.*

In Memory Of:

Helen Pollack – Ilene and Howard Emmer  
Burt Savine – Elinor and Howard Marsh

## **GENERAL GIFTS FUND**

*Provides general financial support of Temple Israel.*

In Memory Of:

Gerald Ingber; Rachel Ingber – Gloria and Milton Siegel  
Irving William Oberfelder – Hilary and Edan King

## **DR. FREDRIC & LINDA GOLD NEWLYWED MEZUZAH FUND**

*Provides a new Mezuzah and scroll to all newlywed couples blessed by our rabbis.*

In Memory Of:

Adele Strager – Linda and Dr. Fredric Gold

## **GOODMAN FAMILY JUDAICA MUSEUM FUND**

*Provides funding for the Temple Israel Judaica Museum and its programs.*

Marking Yahrzeit Of:

Betty Provizer Starkman – Janie and Rob Starkman & Meredith and Charlie

## **STEVEN GOTLIB MEMORIAL FUND**

*Supports our annual Housing the Homeless project.*

In Memory Of:

Gerald Levy – Sylvia and Michael Gotlib

## **AVIVA PEARL HERMAN MEMORIAL SHARE FUND**

*Provides support to those who have experienced miscarriage, stillbirth, or infant loss.*

In Honor Of:

In appreciation of Meg and Rabbi Josh Bennett – Merle and Ron Schwartz & Family  
25th Anniversary of Rabbi Josh Bennett at Temple Israel – Linda and Steve Kaplan & Karen and Evan Kaplan

In Memory Of:

Helen Faye – Merle and Ron Schwartz & Family

### **LOIS & FRED HOWARD MEZUZAH OUTREACH PROGRAM FUND**

*Supplies Jewish ritual items for the Jewish Personal Trainer Program which serves our congregational homes.*

In Honor Of:

25th Anniversary of Rabbi Josh Bennett at Temple Israel – Connie and Hal Schwartz

### **HUTTON FAMILY YOUTH GROUP FUND**

*Provides non-budgeted goods, services and equipment to Temple Israel's High School youth activities.*

In Honor Of:

25th Anniversary of Rabbi Josh Bennett at Temple Israel; Birth of Jagger Sasson – Shelley and Lenny Hutton

In Memory Of:

Robert Lesser – Shelley and Lenny Hutton

### **IWREY FAMILY SPECIAL NEEDS FUND**

*Provides senior programming, transportation and other special needs.*

In Memory Of:

Marvin Gantz – Debbie and Alvin Iwrey

Gerald Rudin – Debbie and Alvin Iwrey; Carole and Donald Pomerantz

### **STEPHAN ROSENBERGER KANDEL NURSERY SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

*Provides scholarships for nursery and bereavement books for bereaved parents.*

In Memory Of:

Stephan Rosenberger Kandel – Karen and Allen Amber; Renee Feinberg Marilyn Logan – Jacqueline and Larry Taffel

### **BERTHA & HARRY KIFFERSTEIN SENIOR ADULT PROGRAMMING FUND**

*Supports senior programming at Temple Israel.*

In Honor Of:

25th Anniversary of Rabbi Josh Bennett at Temple Israel – Marsha and Warren Kifferstein

### **DR. DENNIS J. AND MILLY KOVAN MEMORIAL FUND**

In Honor Of:

25th Anniversary of Rabbi Josh Bennett at Temple Israel – Linda Kovan and Family

In Memory Of:

Dr. David Eisenberg – Linda Kovan and Family

### **HARRY & SARAH LAKER MEMORIAL CONCERT FUND**

*Provides Temple with a concert of music with Jewish content.*

In Honor Of:

25th Anniversary of Rabbi Josh Bennett at Temple Israel; 55th Wedding Anniversary of Renee and Marty Laker – Bonnie and Michael Singer & Family

### **JOSEPH & BESSIE LEBOWSKY NURSERY SCHOOL FUND**

*Supplements toys, equipment and supplies used by the Nursery School.*

In Memory Of:

Harold Radin – Shellie and Mike Anstandig

Burt Savine – Marcia and Ira Auslander

### **LARRY LEVIN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

*Provides a scholarship for a Temple Israel student for camp or other youth summer trips.*

In Memory Of:

Bea Margolis – Arlene Pierce

### **LIBRARY FUND**

*Supports Temple Israel libraries.*

In Honor Of:

25th Anniversary of Rabbi Josh Bennett at Temple Israel – Sherrie and Norty Stern

In Memory Of:

Richard Colby – Carole Isne

Gerald Rudin – Bella and Paul Brookenthal

### **ROSALYN LINER & BARRY LINER MEMORIAL FUND**

*Supports the annual Temple Israel Chanukah party.*



In Honor Of:

25th Anniversary of Rabbi Josh Bennett at Temple Israel – Judy and Kent Siegel

In Memory Of:

Marvin Gantz; Gerald Rudin – Natalie and Sidney Blatnikoff

### **SUSAN & RABBI HAROLD LOSS EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

*Provides Early Childhood Center scholarships.*

In Honor Of:

Mazel Tov on the High School Graduation of Eli Levine – Lois and Jerry Gerenraich

In Memory Of:

Dr. Jeffrey Forman – Marla and Jimmy Gartrell

Marvin Gantz – Lois and Jerry Gerenraich

Jerry Rudin – Harvey Hauer; Barb and Dick Rosenthal; Barbara Saltz

Alyssa Stybel – Carolyn and Steven Marks

### **BARBARA AND LAWRENCE MILLMAN FAMILY CHANUKAH FUND**

*Provides holiday celebrations for those in need, through the Temple Israel No Temple Family Without A Chanukah Program.*

In Honor Of:

Mazel Tov on the marriage of Arielle and Josh – Laurel and Steve Epstein

Special birthday of Dennis Wolgin – Barbara and Larry Millman

In Memory Of:

Gerald Rudin – Barbara and Larry Millman

### **RITA & MICKEY MINDELL EMERGENCY NEEDS MEMORIAL FUND**

*Provides emergency assistance to families in crisis.*

In Honor Of:

Special Birthday of Bob Appel – Liz and Eliot Bank

Mazel Tov on the Wedding Anniversary of Kari and Jeff Provizer – Yolanda and David Tisdale

In appreciation of Kari Provizer – Marti Silver

In Memory Of:

Frank Kutinsky – Barbara and Larry Millman

### **LYNN & GLENN MOVISH FAMILY YOUTH ISRAEL SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

*Provides scholarships for the Teen Mission to Israel.*

In Memory Of:

Gerald Rudin – Linda and Steve Jacobson

### **ISAAC z"l & YETTA PANN BIKKUR CHAVERIM FUND**

*Provides volunteer support and materials for visitation of home bound/ nursing home individuals.*

In Memory Of:

Marvin Gantz; Michael Weiner – Yolanda and David Tisdale

### **SCOTT DAVID PAZNER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND FOR SINGLE PARENTS**

*Provides Temple Israel Religious School scholarships to single parent recipients.*

In Memory Of:

Stanley Beltzman; Irving William Oberfelder; Elaine Siegler – Sher and Sandy Kaplan

Phyllis Pazner – Shelli and Michael Dorfman; Shelli and Harold Etkin; Kari and Jeff Provizer and Family; Laurie and Peter Winston

### **PRAYER BOOK FUND**

*Provides prayer books and other religious publications for Temple Israel use.*

In Honor Of:

Mazel Tov on the Wedding Anniversary of Yolanda and David Tisdale – Linda Brodsky

In Memory Of:

Juanita Victor – Past Presidents of Temple Israel Sisterhood

### **RABBIS' DISCRETIONARY FUND**

*For charitable purposes.*

In Honor Of:

In appreciation of Rabbi Josh Bennett – Bruni and Borson Families; Stacy and Matthew Cohen; Barbara and Steven Tronstein  
25th Anniversary of Rabbi Josh Bennett at Temple Israel – Ellie Farber and Mitch Barnett; Karen and Alan Barry; Joan and Bill Bobee; Marcy Chudnov; Debbie and Bob Ernst; Beth and Sidney Feldman; Nancy and David Gad-Harf; Jessica Cicurel and Danny Gubin; Debbie, Larry and Danny Harwood; Sheryl and Bill Isenstein; Mann Family; Beth and Steve Margolin; Dr. Amy Marks & Family; Carolyn and Steven Marks; Rochelle Meyers; Judy Shewach and Fred Stevenson

In appreciation of Rabbi Harold Loss – Robert Lipson

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**In Memory Of:**

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Freedman; Ronnie Kurtin and Gary Lew  
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Bob Levy  
Burt Savine – Karen and Alan Barry

**FAYE & DON REIFLER MEMORIAL YOUTH TRIP SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

*Provides scholarships to Temple Israel youth group members to attend youth trips.*

**In Memory Of:**

Jack Aronson – Ann and David Rosenberg  
Michael Weiner – Amy, J.J., Madi and Morgan Reifler

**JEFFREY DAVID ROCHEN MEMORIAL FUND**

*Provides programming for suicide prevention and to combat bullying for young people in our community.*

**In Honor Of:**

Donald Rothen – Debbie and Ryan Tracht

**Marking Yahrzeit Of:**

Mary Poperitz Been; Phoebe Elkan Rothen – Phyllis and Don Rothen

**MICHAEL N. ROTH CAMP SCHOLARSHIP MEMORIAL FUND**

*Provides support for URJ Camp Scholarships.*

**In Memory Of:**

Jeffrey Feinstein – Jackie, Eric and Jeffrey Lipshaw  
Barbara Rubinstein – Jackie Lipshaw

**LYNN & HARVEY RUBIN SOCIAL ACTION FUND**

*Funds social action programming.*

**In Honor Of:**

25th Anniversary of Rabbi Josh Bennett at Temple Israel – Jan and Robert Emmer; Barbara Saltz and Sol Light; Dr. Phyllis Seel

**SAMSON FAMILY MINYAN FUND**

*Assists in the expenses of the daily Minyan.*

**In Honor Of:**

Mazel Tov on the Marriage of Arielle and Josh – Mona and Mark Dembs  
25th Anniversary of Rabbi Josh Bennett at Temple Israel – Sue Ellen Simon and Arthur Berlin

In Memory Of:

Michael Fayne – Annette Rosen, Harvey Miller and Andrea, Brian & Bob  
Gerald Rudin – Rae Jean and Sandy Lichterman  
Burt Savine – Debbie Rottman

### **DEBRA & JOSEPH ז"ל SILVER L'DOR V'DOR, GENERATION TO GENERATION FAMILY GARDEN FUND**

*Perpetuates the care and maintenance of Temple Israel's L'Dor V'Dor, Generation to Generation, Family Gardens.*

In Memory Of:

Marvin Gantz – Lori and David Liner

### **JOHANNA, & I. WALTER AND ANNE GONTE SILVER SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

*Provides scholarships for pre-school.*

Marking Yahrzeit Of:

Dr. Morris Starkman, MD – Janie and Rob Starkman & Meredith and Charlie

### **TEMPLE ISRAEL SISTERHOOD FUND**

*Supports Temple Israel Sisterhood programming.*

In Memory Of:

David Miller – Sari and Marc Roland

### **SISTERHOOD GREENHOUSE FUND**

*Provide support for the Early Childhood Center Greenhouse.*

In Honor Of:

Wishing a speedy and complete recovery to Susan Singer – Elissa and Danny Kline; Laila Cohen and Diane Okun

In Memory Of:

Myrna Coleman – Wendy and Larry Kohlenberg

### **ROBERT SOSNICK FAMILY LIFE CENTER ENDOWMENT**

*Supports Temple Israel's Family Life Center.*

Marking Yahrzeit Of:

Lloyd Finsilver; Ronald Finsilver – Shari and Stanley Finsilver

### **RABBI M. ROBERT SYME MEMORIAL FUND**

*Provides for summer music programming.*

In Memory Of:

Gerald Rudin – Cynthia and Stuart Pernick

## **JUANITA & GEORGE VICTOR MI SHEBEIRACH BLANKET FUND**

*Provides Mi Shebeirach blankets to hospital, nursing home and rehab patients.*

In Honor Of:

Special birthday of Rabbi Jennifer Kaluzny – Linda Brodsky

In Memory Of:

Dr. Jeffrey Forman; Juanita Victor – Sandra and James Hack  
Gerald Rudin – Linda Brodsky; Linda and Kevin Steiner; Kelly and  
Annette Tighe

## **WENDY & RABBI PAUL YEDWAB YOUTH ENRICHMENT FUND**

*Supports a variety of youth enrichment activities offered or sponsored by Temple Israel.*

In Honor Of:

In appreciation of Rabbi Paul Yedwab – Joanie Climie; Betsy Rudin,  
Cheryl and Jon Peisner, Leslie Blair and Howard Rudin

In Memory Of:

Marvin Gantz; Jerry Rudin – Sheila and David Lipschutz  
Irving William Oberfelder – Rose and Steve Sallen & Family

## **YFTI FUND**

*Supports YFTI activities.*

In Honor Of:

25th Anniversary of Rabbi Josh Bennett at Temple Israel – Karen and  
Ricky Erlich

## **YOUTH ISRAEL PILGRIMAGE FUND**

*Supports youth scholarships for Temple Israel sponsored trips to Israel.*

In Honor Of:

25th Anniversary of Rabbi Josh Bennett at Temple Israel – Janis and  
Harvey Eisman

In Memory Of:

Michael Weiner – Sherrie and Norty Stern

## **JUDITH & RICHARD ZATKIN YOUTH FUND**

*Provides resources for Youth Group programs.*

In Honor Of:

In appreciation of Rabbi Josh and Meg Bennett and Family – Apel  
Family

In Memory Of:

Marsha Krinsky – Apel Family

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In Honor Of:

40th Wedding Anniversary of Julie and Billy Stern – Karen and Keith Simmons

### AARON FENTON MEMORIAL FUND

In Memory Of:

Dr. Jeffrey Forman – Sheila and Mark Fenton

### DAVID AND STACY GORDON FAMILY "DO GOOD FUND"

*Supports programming at Temple Israel that benefits the greater good of our community geared toward social action endeavors.*

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David Miller – Cheri Epstein

Marking Yahrzeit Of:

Ronald Licht – Stacy, David, Sam and Jacob Gordon

### RICHARD MONASH CARING FUND

In Honor Of:

55th Wedding Anniversary of Dr. and Mrs. Russell Horton; 75th Birthday of Goldy Kriseman – Donna and Jack Belen

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In Memory Of:

Stanley Beltzman – Rozie and Bernie Friedman

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