

Congregation Dor Tamid
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CDT Business Operating Hours :
Monday - Thursday 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Friday 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

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Schedule of Services

Friday (most Fridays) **7:30 PM**

Saturday

Torah Study **9:00-10:00 AM**

June 3, 10

Shabbat Service **10:30 AM**

June 3 and 24

Birthday Recognition Shabbat

Friday, June 2 **7:30 PM**

Friday, July 7 **6:30 PM**

Musical Shabbat Service

Friday, June 9 **7:30 PM**

Shabbat Service & Cookout

Friday, July 7 **6:30 PM**

Welcoming Rabbi Jordan & Family

Community Shabbat Service

Friday, July 28 **6:00 PM**

Held at The Davis Academy

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most current calendar updates!

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Message from the Outgoing Rabbi



Dear CDT Member,

I believe that Congregation Dor Tamid can look forward to strong and fruitful years ahead. Rabbi Jordan Ottenstein's steady and intelligent leadership, Mike Zuspan's warm presence on the bimah and Molly Peled's ambitious and creative plans will energize the Temple.

As I take my leave I reflect upon these last two years.

Much has been accomplished. Just take a look...the school has been strengthened with wonderful energy and over 300 people attended the Chanukah Happening. The Tu B'shevat Seder was incredibly lovely. The Purim festivities were amazing – the musical presentation and the Latke vs. Hamantaschen Debate were a blast. The Art Auction was elegant, both the music and food created a warm communal spirit. The Interfaith Panel was extraordinarily thoughtful with over 100 attendees. The Gala was as fine an evening as we could have hoped for, the Engagement Committee mobilized 100's of congregants to offer their talents, skills and most important, their presence to the many programs, services and events at the Temple. There was an army of Shofar blowers on Rosh Hashanah, the introduction of "Shabbat After Dark" (the wine and cheese oneg AFTER the oneg,) and high quality Adult Ed programs that filled Sunday mornings. We collected food for the hungry. We watched the Men's Club revive. CDTTY continued its quality programming and more students joined the ranks of madrichim. Great progress was made in developing a long term financial plan of giving for the synagogue, and just look at the grounds...new trees, new flowers – new beauty!

Many congregants have put their heart and soul into maintaining the strength of the congregation during this time of transition. These past two years Ellen Mayo and Rob Lederman have served as our Presidents, and deserve accolades. The Executive Board and Board spent countless hours improving the policies and procedures of the synagogue. Along with Mike and Molly, Kerry Sbat, Fran Simon, Ruthanne Warnick and Mister Teddy all weathered the changes in leadership and worked to become a team. Many congregants devoted countless hours to make the year a success. The Temple is in good shape. The future is bright.

Rabbi Jordan will need the support of each one of you. If his goal is to create a congregation that more forcefully expresses the value of learning and he calls upon you to attend Shabbat morning study, you should be there. If his goal is to create a praying congregation and he asks you to attend services, it is important for you to make your attendance a personal goal. If you receive a call from him or the head of a committee to help the Temple in its efforts to "repair the world," you should not hesitate. Rabbi Jordan will be there for you at the most important moments of your life. He will teach and guide you. For the Temple to thrive there must be a sacred partnership between Rabbi and congregant. I know you will step forward.

Thank you for offering me the opportunity to lead you these past two years. I will always have fond memories of CDT.

I wish you the very best.

L'shalom,
Rabbi Katz

welcome

Join us as we welcome
Rabbi Jordan & Family at our
July 7 Shabbat Service & Cookout

Message from the Incoming Rabbi



RABBINIC REFLECTIONS

Dear friends,

Marni, Noah, and Kaden join me in saying how excited we are to join the CDT community and move to Johns Creek in just a few weeks. We are all really looking forward to joining each of you in our new spiritual home.

As I begin my time at the congregation, I want to invite each member of the congregation to come to CDT and say hi so we can begin to get to know one another.

I know that we will have many opportunities to pray together, study together, form relationships together, celebrate together and mourn together, and I hope that many of you will be able to join us for my first Shabbat service at the congregation on July

7 followed by a BBQ dinner of hot dogs, hamburgers and veggie burgers grilled by the members of our Men's Club. Please see this newsletter and your weekly emails for more information.

I look forward to meeting all of you soon.

Shalom,

Rabbi Jordan

Message from the Cantorial Soloist



As we have just celebrated the Holy Day of Shavuot, the time at which, among other things, we celebrate the giving of the Torah at Mt. Sinai, it seems fitting to celebrate and say goodbye to our Rabbi of this past two years who has continued to give us words of Torah throughout his tenure at CDT. I offer Rabbi Katz and his wonderful wife, Nancy (who, herself, has gifted us her beautiful voice singing in the choir), a sincere and heartfelt *todah rabah* – thank you. Rabbi Katz, your leadership brought us through our desert in our time of need, bridging us to our next Senior Rabbi. *Yasher Koach!*

On a personal note, I will miss our time together on the bimah and will always be grateful for your mentorship and the environment you created that allowed me to grow both as a person and Cantorial Soloist.

May your and Nancy's next journey be fulfilling,

L'Shalom,

Mike Zuspan
Cantorial Soloist

Message from the President

Summer is almost here and ch-ch-ch-changes are upon us.

There are many people I wish to thank as this fiscal year comes to a close. Our Board of Directors has worked tirelessly this year. We have been able to address major budgeting issues that have saved our community thousands of dollars. Our **Fundraising Committee**, led by Drew Fonoroff, held our first Art Auction, which raised over \$5000. They also helped us "Plant our Roots", a program that allowed us to plant trees, bushes and flowers around our building. Speaking of fundraising, we can not discuss our successes without thanking our Gala Girls for another fabulous Gala this past March. Denise Abramow, Lynn Elster, Leslie Fox and Lisa Romm spent months in preparation for our 2017 "Night on Broadway" Gala. Kudos to each of you!

Adult Ed had almost a dozen programs this year, including the wildly successful "Panel for Peace" last fall with over 150 members of the Johns Creek community in attendance. This group has been successfully led by Deb Eskenazi. Special thanks to Deb and her committee.

Last year, Jackie Berger and our **Social Action Committee** introduced our Homes Against Hunger program which has already brought in thousands of

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Message from the President (continued)

pounds of food for the Food Bank. They also organized our participation in the Pride Parade, Hunger Walk, Zaban Shelter monthly volunteering, and of course, our beautiful Gan Tamid garden. Thanks to the entire Social Action committee!!!

Our **Religious School** is thriving with an all new curriculum. Thanks to Molly Peled, our Education Director, along with all of our wonderful teachers, teen Madrichim, and our Education Committee for supporting the lifeblood of CDT. They also put on a new, re-invented Chanukah Party in December along with a new Purim Carnival and a tour of Israel a few weeks ago to celebrate Israel's Independence.

A little over a year ago, Rabbi Katz suggested to Ellen Mayo that we should have a long-term plan for our finances. Out of that conversation, our **Long-Range Planning Committee** was born. Led by Seth Katz, this committee consists of Shelly Danz, Mia Fuller, Kelly Mishkoff, Byron Sanford, and Lisa Skyer. And I also need to thank our own Ruthanne Warnick, who, in addition to being our B'nai Mitzvah coordinator, has been using her fundraising background to assist this committee since its inception. We look forward to presenting the committee's program in late summer. Stay tuned...

One of our biggest accomplishments, though, has been the **Engagement Program**. A program created by Rabbi Katz; in its 2 years, our community has donated over 3000 "Moments" to CDT. That means more are coming to Torah Study and Adult Ed, more are involved in committees, more are baking for Onegs. With this program, more in our community are "Engaged". Led by Leslie Fox, this committee consists of Wendy Rosen, Leslie Criden, Mark Klafter, Karl Friedman, Denise Abramow, Lisa Danzig and recently Suzie Gioia.

I also want to thank our **behind-the-scenes crew**. Many of you do not come to CDT during business hours, but we have a wonderful group in our office that basically runs CDT. From our Temple Administrator, Kerry Sbat, to our Executive Assistant, Fran Simon, our Education Director Molly Peled, and our B'nai Mitzvah Coordinator, Ruthanne Warnick - all of these ladies take on many roles and wear many hats. We take our hats off to each and every one of you. I also want to thank our custodial staff. Teddy Smith and Shawn Friley are here at all hours of the day and night. This place would not function without their dedication.

What's in our future? We need for all of you to continue to be an integral part of our community. Come to more events, both spiritual and social. Convince your friends to check us out, even those who have recently left us.

I am happy to announce that CDT version 4.0 will be released on July 1.

Speaking of Version 4.0, we would not have the opportunity to welcome a new Rabbi without the hard work of the **Rabbi Search Committee**. Co-Chaired by Lisa Oxman and Mitch Skyer, this committee worked for 10 months reading through resumes, having countless Skype interviews and more meetings than I care to remember. The committee consisted of the Co-Chairs, Lisa and Mitch, plus Linda Barton, Melissa Black, Gary Blitzer, Audrey Capozzoli, Ruthie Cohen, Art Criden, Drew Fonoroff, Suzie Gioia, Linda Lusins, David Pomerantz, Jodi Rosa, Jared Skyer and Steve Wolfe.

I also wanted to thank the **Board of Directors!!!** CDT could not have continued making forward strides without the time, effort, blood, sweat and tears of each of the wonderful members of the Board. I love all of you, even when we are still meeting at 10:30 at night....

I wanted to take a minute to thank our glue, **Cantor Mike**. Mike Zuspan has been here through thick and thin, bobbing and weaving through Rabbinical changes while always keeping a smile on his face and a positive attitude that shines through. His voice from the bimah has been the one constant throughout our years. And of course, we must recognize one of the best programs each year, the Purim Shpiel. I cannot wait to see what he and Rabbi Jordan have in store for all of us in the years to come.

Lastly, I want to thank **Rabbi Katz** for his time with us! He has played an important role in identifying some of our issues and helping to turn our ship around. His services and Torah study have brought us a needed dose of spirituality. Our Long Range Planning committee, along with the Engagement Program, are both part of Rabbi Katz's legacy. I want to wish Rabbi and Nancy the best of luck in their future endeavors.

Looking forward to CDT: Version 4.0....

This summer, we will be having a number of events at CDT. Rabbi Jordan, his wife Marni and their boys will be moving to Johns Creek in late June, and will officially join us on July 1st. We will be having several "Get to know Rabbi Jordan" events throughout July and August. Stay tuned for information as it becomes available.

I would also like to welcome the new members of our Board of Directors. Ron Harvey, Debra Kerr, and Doug Katz are all joining the Board! I look forward to working with each of you along with the remaining members of the Board.

Keep checking our website for the latest happenings within our community. www.dortamid.org.



Remember, CDT is our community!

As always, let me know if you have any questions or concerns. This is your CDT!

B'shalom,

Rob

Rob Lederman, President



Welcomes Rabbi Jordan!

Rabbi Jordan Ottenstein is excited to serve as the Senior Rabbi of Congregation Dor Tamid. Growing up in Minnetonka, Minnesota, Rabbi Ottenstein's Jewish identity was shaped by his family, as well as his experiences growing up at Bet Shalom, at Temple Israel's Camp TEK0, Olin Sang Ruby Union Institute, the URJ camp in Wisconsin, and by a trip to Israel with the Alexander Muss High School in Israel program. He was active in both his Temple Youth Group as well as the NFTY Northern Region, serving on the boards of each organization. He was also a member of his local BBYO AZA chapter.

Rabbi Ottenstein graduated from the University of Wisconsin with a degree in Jewish Studies and Hebrew and Semitic Studies. After graduating, he began a career in Jewish Education at Central Reform Congregation (CRC) in St. Louis, Missouri. Serving in a number of positions within the education department, including that of confirmation teacher, he ultimately became the Director of Lifelong Learning and was responsible for the synagogue's religious school program, youth programs, and adult education courses. Additionally, he represented the congregation on the St. Louis Jewish Educator's Council and Jewish Family Education Network. While serving at CRC, Rabbi Ottenstein earned his Masters of Arts (MAT) in Teaching Secondary Education with an emphasis on Secondary Social Studies. After receiving his MAT, he was granted the title of Reform Jewish Educator (RJE) by the RJE Title Granting Commission and the National Association of Temple Educators (NATE).

Rabbi Ottenstein earned his Masters of Arts in Hebrew Letters in 2013 and was ordained a rabbi in 2014 by the Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion (HUC-JIR) in Cincinnati, Ohio. While a student, he was awarded the Rabbi Morris H. Youngerman Memorial Prize, which is awarded to the rabbinical student on the Cincinnati campus of HUC-JIR who delivers the best sermon during the academic year, and the Rabbi Ferdinand Isserman Prize which is awarded to the senior rabbinical student who is judged to have contributed the most to the development of community and community relations. His rabbinic thesis was titled "Mishnah Horayot: An Exploration of Rabbinic Authority." At HUC-JIR, he served in a variety of capacities on many committees including the Rabbinical School Association (student government), chairman of the Student Ministrations Committee, student representative to the Rabbinical School Admissions Committee, and the student representative to the Rabbinical School Executive Committee. He also served as the sole student representative to the Jewish Foundation of Cincinnati Fellowship Working Group. Rabbi Ottenstein was selected by his peers to serve as the president of the senior class. He was also selected by members of the faculty to represent the College-Institute at the 2013 Emerging Religious Leaders Institute sponsored by the Institute for Christian and Jewish Studies.

During his tenure at HUC-JIR, Rabbi Ottenstein served many facets of the Jewish community. He was a religious school teacher at the Isaac M. Wise Temple and at Kulanu-The Cincinnati Reform Jewish High School. He also served as a chaplain intern at both the Jewish Hospital of Cincinnati and at Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center. He has served student congregations in Texarkana, Texas and Portsmouth, Ohio. He has served, within these communities, the inmates at the Federal Correctional Institution in Texarkana and the Southern Ohio Correctional Facility in Lucasville, Ohio. Rabbi Ottenstein was also a rabbinic intern for Rockdale Temple in Cincinnati, Central Reform Congregation in St. Louis, The Cedars-Jewish Center for the Aged in St. Louis, and at the Jacob Rader Marcus Center of the American Jewish Archives (AJA), which is located on the campus of the Hebrew Union College. During his internship at Rockdale, he was proud to be able to coordinate the congregation's involvement in the Cincinnati Pridefest and Pride Parade. Additionally, he served on the Board of Trustees of the Ohio Religious Coalition for Reproductive Choice.

Rabbi Ottenstein previously served as the Assistant Rabbi at Beth-El Congregation in Fort Worth, Texas, where he was involved in the local Jewish community, joining the board of the Jewish Education Agency/Lil Goldman Early Learning Center, as well as serving on its Education Committee and its Executive Director Search Committee. He also serves on the Jewish Family Services committee. Additionally, he served as staff chaplain for the Tarrant County Sheriff's Department.

Rabbi Ottenstein is married to Marni Phon, a Certified Pediatric Nurse and RN, whom he met on his trip to Israel in high school and who also is a proud Wisconsin alumna. They welcomed their son, Noah, to the family in August of 2011. Their second son, Kaden, was born in February 2015. They also have a goldendoodle, Keshet.

Save the date!

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Join us for a

Shabbat Service & Cookout

Rabbi Jordan leads his first Shabbat at CDT
Friday, July 7

6:30 PM
Shabbat Service
Followed by a BBQ
& social time



All American Cookout
following services

*hot dogs, hamburgers,
veggie burgers with all
the trimmings, and more*

Details to follow!

Donations

Adult Education

Diana and Drew Fonoroff in memory of Natalie Gewirz

General Fund

Tracy and Ray Dankberg in memory of Sy Dankberg
Lisa and Sol Danzig in memory of Hilde Danzig
Beverly and Thom Mahone in memory of Ben J. Karp
Steven Hochberg in memory of Davida Hochberg and
Julius Popkin

Building Fund

Sharon Rocco in memory of Joseph Baum and
William Cohan

Education Fund

Claire Shapiro in memory of Morris Dressler
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Meridith and Jeff Kaiser in memory of Arlene Kaiser and
Muriel Merlin

Oneg Fund

Amy Brownstein in memory of Heidi Kulbersh

Social Action Fund

Diana and Drew Fonoroff in memory of Natalie Gewirz

Yahrzeit Fund

Amy Brownstein in memory of Harold Brownstein
Michelle and Jason Hall in memory of Jerilyn Gownner

Education Director

The month of May is one of the craziest months of the year. Everyone is busy finishing up the year, summing a year's worth of memories in a ceremony or two. But before we say thank you and goodbye I first want to share with you some amazing programs that happened during the months of April and May.

Yom Hashoah (Holocaust Memorial Day) was a challenging holiday to commemorate. Because this day is so important to me personally and to the entire Jewish people, we couldn't let it pass without learning from our History. Thanks to our amazing 10th graders and their dedicated and wonderful teacher, Ms. Landy Gonzalez, our entire elementary school not only had age appropriate lessons learning about discrimination, bullying and accepting everyone as equals, they also participated in their very first Religious School ceremony honoring Holocaust Memorial Day. Please come and see for yourself the exhibit of what your child did and learned that day. It was truly one of the most special days in my Educational career.

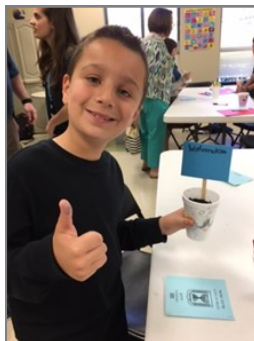


A very special thank you goes to Hershel and Rochelle Greenblat who came after a very long and hard day to speak to our Middle school and tell them his personal story on how he survived the Holocaust. Hershel, you are a true inspiration to us all.

Another very difficult day for me personally is Yom HaZikaron (Israel Memorial Day for the Israeli soldiers). Israel believes that before you celebrate Israel's independence, we all first have to remember how we got our independence. We have to remember that we are constantly fighting to keep Israel as the only Jewish country in the world. This year was exceptionally special for me. I was able to connect my two worlds into one. Thank you to my 6th and 7th graders and their teachers who joined me at The Temple to watch the Israeli ceremony honoring the fallen soldiers of Israel. I know it wasn't easy but watching you be so respectful filled my heart with pride.



After such a hard two weeks of remembering, it's time to have a party, a 69th birthday party (Yom HaAtzmaut – Israel's independence day) And boy, did we have one!! What a great celebration!! Students from all ages got a passport and went from city to city in Israel to learn and have fun! From down south at the Dead Sea, to the Old City in Jerusalem, to a Kibbutz and up north to Tzfat. Oh! We can't forget the best city of all: Tel-Aviv, where kids danced Israeli dancing on the beach!!!



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Education Director (continued)

Even after all the celebrating – CDT never stops – we had the honor of celebrating the graduation of our Derech Tamid seniors. Mazal Tov Jake Burns, Kaela Danzig, Hannah Greenblat, Rachel Jeneff, Emerson Shuster and Rebecca Sohnlein. We wish you a life time of Jewish experiences and that you use what you have learned from CDT throughout your life time. We wish you all the best and hope you will stay connected with us because you are all role models to us.



I want to take this opportunity to thank you all for opening your hearts to me yet again and allowing me to be your Education Director. It takes a village to succeed and without all of you, we wouldn't be where we are today. A special thank you goes out to our unbelievable hard working President, Rob Lederman, and to our amazing VP of Education, Angela Zubar. This was an amazing year and I am looking forward to getting to know your kids even more next year with lots and lots of new and creative programming.

I want to wish you all a fun and safe summer vacation.

Shalom and see you August 20th for sneak a peek,



Molly Peled
Education Director

Be a Cub Scout

Join Pack 1948 at Congregation Dor Tamid

Congregation Dor Tamid is starting its own Cub Scout Pack.

If your son is in 1st through 4th grade in the fall, come to the one of the sign up meetings on Thursday, June 8 or Monday June 12. The meetings will be at CDT and start at 7:00 PM

More info send email to: Doug Katz,
doug@katzrus.com




Please check www.dortamid.org for the most updated calendar of activities.

June 2017 at CDT

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2 7:30 PM Shabbat Service <i>with recognition of June birthdays</i>	3 9:00 AM Torah Study 10:30 AM Shabbat Service <i>Bar Mitzvah Service of Cooper Mendlinger</i>
4	5 12:00 PM Primetimers Brown Bag Lunch Meeting	6	7 11:00 AM Torah Study 5:30 PM B'nai Mitzvah Class 7:30 PM Executive Board Meeting	8 7:00 PM Cub Scout Pack 1948 Information Meeting 7:00 PM Membership Committee Meeting 7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal	9 7:30 PM Musical Shabbat Service 	10 9:00 AM Torah Study
11	12 7:00 PM Cub Scout Pack 1948 Information Meeting	13 7:00 PM Sisterhood Annual Meeting & Appreciation Dinner	14 5:30 PM B'nai Mitzvah Class 7:30 PM Engagement Committee Meeting	15	16 7:30 PM Shabbat Service	17
18	19	20	21 5:30 PM B'nai Mitzvah Class 7:30 PM Board Meeting	22 7:30 PM Painting at Pinot's Palette With drinks/snacks	23 7:30 PM Shabbat Service Last day for Religious School registration at regular rate; late fee applies beginning June 24	24 10:30 AM Shabbat Service <i>B'nai Mitzvah Service of Aaron Ettinger and Sarah Kerr</i>
25	26	27	28 5:30 PM B'nai Mitzvah Class 7:15 PM Ritual Committee Meeting	29	30 7:30 PM Shabbat Service	

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July 2017 at CDT

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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2	3	4 INDEPENDENCE DAY CDT office closed 	5 5:30 PM B'nai Mitzvah Class 7:30 PM Executive Board Meeting	6 7:00 PM High Holy Day Choir Rehearsal	7 6:30 PM Shabbat Service and Cookout with Rabbi Jordan <i>And recognition of July birthdays</i>	8
9	10	11	12 5:30 PM B'nai Mitzvah Class	13 7:00 PM High Holy Day Choir Rehearsal	14 7:30 PM Shabbat Service	15
16	17	18	19 5:30 PM B'nai Mitzvah Class 7:30 PM Board Meeting	20 7:00 PM High Holy Day Choir Rehearsal	21 7:30 PM Shabbat Service	22
23	24	25	26 5:30 PM B'nai Mitzvah Class	27 7:00 PM High Holy Day Choir Rehearsal	28 6:00 PM URJ Community Wide Shabbat Service The Davis Academy (Pre-reception from 5-6PM)	29
30	31					

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Musical Summertime Shabbat Service

Friday, June 9

7:30 PM

Be there!

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The Sisterhood of
Congregation
Dor Tamid

Please Join Sisterhood at our
**Membership Appreciation Dinner &
Annual Board Meeting**
Including 2017-2018 Board Elections

Tuesday, June 13
7:00PM

Home of Ruthie Cohen
11180 Donnington Drive
Johns Creek

Dinner will be catered from Ippolito's
Free to all Sisterhood Members

RSVP to sisterhood@dortamid.com by June 9

JF&CS Presents:

Ask a Professional

As Manager of Intake and Reception at JF&CS, Amy Maslia is the first point of contact for all general information and referral calls that come through the main switchboard. That includes all calls for our Counseling Services group. No matter what someone is looking for, Amy has a wealth of knowledge and resources within the agency and throughout the community at large.

Q: How does the new Walter and Frances Bunzl Family Foundation Clinical Services Wing enhance the service JF&CS provides to its counseling clients?

A: The biggest improvement is to security and confidentiality. It might seem simple, but it is so important. Clients can come in one door and exit through another. That makes it less likely they will run into someone they know walking in or in a waiting room. At the same time, new features in the offices cut down on noise, both in the hallway and office to office, thus increasing privacy.

The space reflects the kind of services our clients always received but now is more true to who we are as a counseling division. We want people to know they are cared for and respected in the space.



For more information on
Counseling Services,
contact 770.677.9474
or info@jfcsatl.org.

JFCSatl.org





**Join us for 2 hours of painting
with professional artist "leader"**

**Thursday, June 22nd
7:30pm-9:30pm**



11720 Medlock Bridge Road #175, Johns Creek, GA 30097

Cost:

\$ 35 per person

\$40 for non-CDT member

Complimentary

wine, bourbon, cheese & crackers

(feel free to bring your favorite wine bottle)

Limited space

RSVP to Mensclub@dortamid.com by June 15

Pay via check (please bring to CDT office)

or via PayPal

(payable to mensclubtreasurer@dortamid.com)

Wish family, friends and business associates a Sweet & Happy New Year!

Send the sweetest of all Rosh Hashanah greetings!

FREE shipping through July 24th*



Just in time for Rosh Hashanah, we will ship an 8 oz jar of Kosher clover honey with a personalized card reading:

"L'Shana Tova - Wishing you a Healthy and Happy New Year." - signed with your name.

Cost is **\$11.00 per jar.**

Order by **July 24th** for free shipping within the U.S. Additional fees apply for international orders.*

Ordering is quick and easy!

Go to www.honeyfromtheheart.org/CDT.

* Shipping

- After July 24th add \$4 per jar for shipping within the U.S.
- Regardless of order date add:
 - \$18 for Canada and \$25 for other countries
 - \$4.00 for APO/FPO military addresses

Order by August 31st for delivery by Rosh Hashanah. Orders accepted throughout the High Holy Days.



For more information contact:

Chairperson's name: Lisa Danzig

Chairperson's email: sisterhood@dortamid.com

High Holy Days

**Look for your information packet with
ticket and reservation forms this summer!**

Selichot
Erev Rosh Hashanah
Rosh Hashanah 1st Day
Rosh Hashanah 2nd Day
Yom Kippur Kol Nidre
Yom Kippur Day
Erev Sukkot
Sukkot
Erev Simhat Torah
Simhat Torah

Saturday, September 16
Wednesday, September 20
Thursday, September 21
Friday, September 22
Friday, September 29
Saturday, September 30
Wednesday, October 4
Thursday, October 5
Wednesday, October 11
Thursday, October 12



2017-18 CDT BOARD

Executive Board

President	Rob Lederman
COO	Penny Blitzer
Finance VP	Lynda Galler
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Marketing VP	Karl Friedman
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Past President	Ellen Mayo

Trustees

Budget	Art Criden
Fundraising/Campaigns	Rachel Allen
Ritual	Jodi Rosa
Membership	Carol Kovar
Internal Communications	Debra Kerr
Trustee at Large	Doug Katz
Sisterhood	To be elected
Men's Club	To be elected



The CDT statements for the fiscal year beginning July 1 will be mailed to members this summer.

In order to enroll your child in Religious School, and in order to receive tickets for the High Holy Day season, members must be in good standing with their dues and other fees current.

Payment can be made through our automatic payment system, post dated checks, or credit card (3% additional fee charged). Please watch for this invoice and remit via the option you select, described above. If you are already on our automatic payment system, there is no need to remit the form again unless you make changes.



Religious School Registration

SEND IN YOUR 2017-2018 REGISTRATION FORMS NOW!

Religious School registration standard tuition fees apply
until June 23rd.

**The \$100 supply/book fee deposit is IN ADDITION TO
the per grade tuition.**

Beginning June 24th a late fee will be applied.

All grades meet on Sunday.

Grades Pre-K through 5	9:15 AM - 12:15 PM
Grades 6-8	5:30-8:00 PM (Grade 8 meets 16 select sessions)
Grades 9-12	5:30-8:00 PM select Sundays

The first day of religious school is Sunday August 20th.

B'nai Mitzvah



Kalman Friedman
May 6, 2017

Kal attends Pine Grove Middle School where he is a 7th grade honor student. He enjoys many subjects but mostly he enjoys his favorite teachers. From his dry witted, Hungarian and hysterical advanced Math teacher to Mr. K his Science teacher, Kal enjoys geography and Drama as well. He has participated in karate at the local dojo for several years, enjoys swimming for the Longlake Marlins in the summer and practicing with Swim Atlanta during the school year. One of Kal's proudest days was when he made the swim team and the reward from his dad, who was also surprised! He loves to read and he enjoys subjects like Greek, Egyptian and Norse mythology.

Kal's other greatest love is for seniors and young children. He gets immense pleasure helping others. **Happy Home** was his *tikkun olam* project and indeed the local Oaks Senior Living facility was very happy to see Kalman enter the room. Specifically, Eileen, Jeff and Louis would look forward to his visits. For many weeks, Kal entertained these seniors at The Oaks and listened to their stories, played cards, dominos and just enjoyed their company.



Jason Heidish
May 13, 2017

Jason is a 7th grader at Webb Bridge Middle School in Alpharetta. He enjoys spending time with friends, playing video games, and playing with his dogs, Lexie and Bella. Jason also loves playing baseball and is looking forward to spending a week this summer playing in Cooperstown, NY.

For his *tikkun olam*/social action project, Jason chose to work with the Foster Care Support Foundation, a local non-profit that provides clothes, toys, books, and school supplies to children in foster and relative care throughout Georgia. During his time volunteering with FCSF, Jason helped sort clothing and toy donations. He also collected sports balls for FCSF to give to children in the foster care system. This is something for which they receive a lot of requests, especially during the summer months.

Please note - due to our combined June/July issue, those who celebrate becoming B'nai Mitzvah in June will be included in our August newsletter.

Shabbat Summer Service Hours



Friday night services will begin at 7:30 PM most Fridays. Please check our web site for the latest information. On July 7, we will welcome Rabbi Jordan with a cookout dinner and Shabbat service beginning at 6:30 PM. On July 28, we will join other area Reform congregations at 6 PM for a Community Shabbat service at Davis Academy.

There will be no early family services held during June and July.



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Sisterhood has had a busy 2016-2017 year! We started out by organizing the annual **Operation Isaiah** Campaign that assists the Atlanta Community Food Bank in feeding people in need. In addition, we volunteered at the **Cohen Home** as well as the **Zaban Shelter**. We were a community partner for the movie "Brave Miss World" hosted by the Jewish Women's Fund and the Atlanta Jewish Film Festival.

We hosted a **Women's Wellness** luncheon where we learned about women's sleep health and also raised money for **Hadassah University Medical Center**.

Our annual **Sisterhood Shabbat** was a beautiful service and our annual **Women's Seder** was educational as well as a fun event.

We coordinated bazaars for both Hanukkah and Purim, and donated money to CDTTY's fundraiser benefitting Camp Jenny.

We had a lot of fun socializing at a self defense class, trivia night, game night, potluck dinner, Hanukkah party and back to school brunch.

A special thanks to the amazing 2016-2017 board for making all the above possible!

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We will be meeting soon to plan activities for next year. Now is the time to email sisterhood@dortamid.com with any suggestions!

Michele

Michele Lederman
Sisterhood President



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Congregation Dor Tamid Men's Club offers its members meaningful opportunities to build special bonds within the congregational family and the greater Jewish community through social and athletic programs, community involvement and support for our congregation.



Men's Club at A&S Culinary Concepts, April 20th



Men's Club Family Kayak/Canoe trip down the Chestatee on May 14th

Men's Club is busy planning events for the 2017-18 year. If you have ideas, suggestions, or want to help in planning, please email mensclub@dortamid.com.

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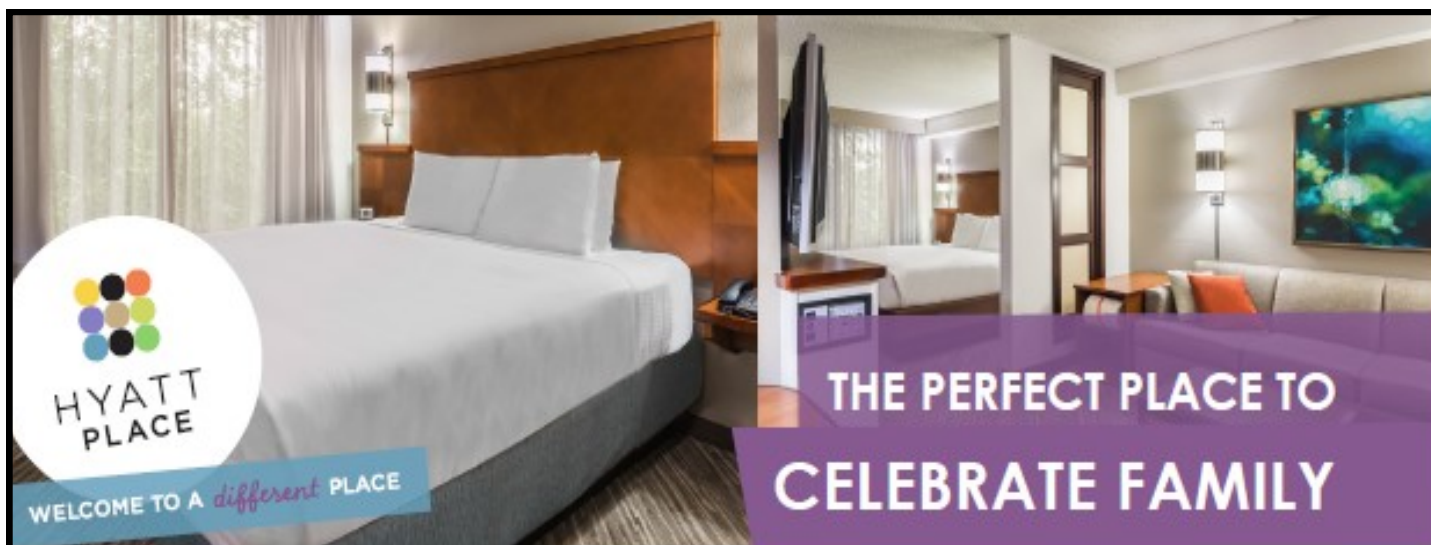
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