



# ***ATC Bulletin***

אלול תשפ"א - תשרי - חשוון תשפ"ב / September - October 2021

*L'shanah  
Tovah!*

*May this New Year  
be filled with health  
and happiness for  
you and your family*



# Ahavath Torah Congregation

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## From our President



On behalf of the Executive Board, Board of Directors, Rabbi J, Hazan Dan Bauman, everyone at Ahavath Torah Congregation, and especially the Bornstein family, we wish you and your families a happy, healthy New Year.

It is a privilege to continue serving as your congregational president. I am proud to be part of such a warm, welcoming, and inclusive community, one that honors and cherishes our past and continues to embrace the future.

*Robert Bornstein*

President

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## Team Leaders

**Annual Community Dinner** Diane and Bob Cohn Helayne Magier

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## From the Rabbi's Desk

Rosh Hashanah marks the beginning of the Jewish calendrical New Year. Yet, it does not mark the end of the old year. That task belongs to the holiday of Sukkot. On three separate occasions, the Torah refers to Sukkot as the end of the year (Exodus 23:15, 34:24 and Deuteronomy 31:6). In other words, the Jewish New Year begins before the old year has ended. Such a concept is foreign to the western way of thought, where we ring out the old and ring in the new at midnight, as December 31 turns into January 1.

We have a similar concept each and every day. While secular culture moves from day to day precisely at midnight, the Jewish day moves at a much slower pace. The period of *bein hashemashot*, twilight, has features of both day and night. While the sun has set, it still remains light outside. It is for this reason that Shabbat extends for 25 hours, beginning before sundown but not ending until the sky is dark.

Time, in Jewish thought, is not a singular moment, but that which links the past to the future. A new day is born before the old day passes on. We thereby link days, years, and generations in the great chain of Jewish history.

Time is the enemy of physical beings as time is finite, and once lived is gone forever. But for spiritual man, time is ennobling. The first mitzvah given to the Jewish people (Exodus 12:2) was to sanctify time, to separate it from its physical limitations and imbue it with meaning and permanence. The past offers insight into the present and direction for the future.

During the first three weeks of Tishrei, we transition from one year to the next, building on our success and improving our failures. We look back on the old year and look forward to the new. On Rosh Hashanah the focus is on the upcoming year; even the foods we eat are meant to symbolically usher in a sweet, healthy, and happy new year. On Yom Kippur, however, the focus is on the year that was; we analyze our past deeds and beg for forgiveness, first from those we have wronged, and only then from G-d. On Sukkot, the past and future join together. We recall our sojourn in the desert, but look forward to the *sukkah* of peace serving as our canopy.

Linking the past and future is the making of eternity. The ineffable name of G-d is an acronym of He was, He is, and He will be always. The eternal link between G-d and the Jewish people is the source of great joy, and it is Sukkot which is *z'man simchatenu* par excellence.

From my family to yours, a happy and, most importantly, a healthy 5782.



*Rabbi J*

**SHARON MEMORIAL PARK**

Please join us for our  
**Annual High Holiday Memorial Service**

**Sunday, September 12, 2021 - 10:00am**  
rain or shine

**Rabbi Joseph Meszler**  
**Cantor Becky Khitrik**  
Temple Sinai, Sharon MA

[www.sharonmemorial.com](http://www.sharonmemorial.com)





## Calendar

*Please note that as of this printing, the building may or may not be available for any of the services listed below.*

***Z indicates you may join the service via Zoom***

***I indicates you may attend in person (possibly by invitation only)***

***L indicates that the service will be live streamed on our website***

*Since the situation is very fluid, please watch your email or  
contact the office (781-344-8733 or [office@atorah.org](mailto:office@atorah.org)) if you are unsure*

### Shabbat Nitzavim

**Friday September 3**

Candle lighting.....6:56 PM  
Kabbalat Shabbat (**Z**).....7:30 PM

**Saturday September 4**

Tefillah (**Z**).....9:30 AM  
Havdalah.....7:56 PM

### Rosh HaShanah

**Monday September 6**

Candle lighting.....6:51 PM  
Ma'ariv (**Z**).....7:00 PM

**Tuesday September 7**

Tefillah (**I, L**).....9:45 AM  
Tashlich (**Z**).....5:00 PM  
Maariv (**Z**).....7:00 PM

**Wednesday September 8**

Tefillah (**I, L**).....9:45 AM  
Havdalah (**Z**).....7:48 PM

### Tzom Gedalya/Fast of Gedalya

**Thursday September 9**

*Fast begins 5:27 AM and ends 7:47 PM*

### Shabbat Shuvah/VaYelech

**Friday September 10**

Candle lighting.....6:44 PM  
Kabbalat Shabbat.....7:30 PM

**Saturday September 11**

Tefillah (**I, L**).....9:30 AM  
Havdalah.....7:43 PM

### Yom Kippur

**Wednesday September 15**

Candle lighting.....6:35 PM  
Mincha (**I, L**).....6:15 PM  
Kol Nidre (**I, L**).....6:35 PM

**Thursday September 16**

Tefillah (**I, L**).....9:45 AM  
*Yizkor will be recited*  
Mincha/Ne'ilah/Ma'ariv (**Z**).....5:30 PM

### Shabbat Ha'azinu

**Friday September 17**

Candle lighting.....6:31 PM  
Kabbalat Shabbat (**Z**).....7:30 PM

**Saturday September 18**

Tefillah (**I, L**).....9:30 AM  
Havdalah.....7:30 PM

### Sukkot

**Monday September 20**

Candle lighting.....6:26 PM

**Tuesday September 21**

Tefillah (**I, L**).....9:30 AM

**Wednesday September 22**

Tefillah (**I, L**).....9:30 AM  
Havdalah (**Z**).....7:23 PM

### Shabbat Hol HaMoed Sukkot

**Friday September 24**

Candle lighting.....6:19 PM  
Kabbalat Shabbat (**Z**).....7:30 PM

**Saturday September 25**

Tefillah (**I, L**).....9:30 AM  
Havdalah.....7:18 PM

### Shemini Atzeret

**Monday September 27**

Candle lighting.....6:14 PM  
Ma'ariv (**I, L**).....5:30 PM

**Tuesday September 28**

Tefillah (**I, L**).....9:30 AM  
*Yizkor will be recited*

### Simchat Torah

**Tuesday September 28**

Ma'ariv (**I, L**).....7:00 PM

**Wednesday September 29**

Tefillah (**I, L**).....9:30 AM  
Havdalah .....7:11 PM

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## Calendar

### Shabbat Bereisheet

#### Friday October 1

Candle lighting.....6:07 PM  
Kabbalat Shabbat (Z).....7:30 PM

#### Saturday October 2

Tefillah (I, L).....9:30 AM  
Havdalah.....7:06 PM

### Shabbat Noach

#### Friday October 8

Candle lighting.....5:55 PM  
Kabbalat Shabbat (Z).....7:30 PM

#### Saturday October 9

Tefillah (I, L).....9:30 AM  
Havdalah.....6:54 PM

### Shabbat Lech Lecha

#### Friday October 15

Candle lighting.....5:44 PM  
Kabbalat Shabbat (Z).....7:30 PM

#### Saturday October 16

Tefillah (I, L).....9:30 AM  
Havdalah.....6:43 PM

### Shabbat VaYera

#### Friday October 22

Candle lighting.....5:33 PM  
Kabbalat Shabbat (Z).....7:30 PM

#### Saturday October 23

Tefillah (I, L).....9:30 AM  
Havdalah.....6:33 PM

### Shabbat Chayei Sarah

#### Friday October 29

Candle lighting.....5:23 PM  
Kabbalat Shabbat (Z).....7:30 PM

#### Saturday October 30

Tefillah (I, L).....9:30 AM  
Havdalah.....6:24 PM

#### Board of Directors Meetings:

Thursday, September 23, at 7:30 PM

Wednesday, October 13, at 7:30 PM

These will be virtual (Zoom) meetings. Watch your email for instructions.

## ATC Fundraising Update

Planning for the 2021-2022 ATC fundraising year is going strong. Here's an idea of what's in the works.

### Raffle

Every day (except Shabbat) of October will offer you a chance to win more than 30 great prizes, including a one-night stay at the Newport (R.I.) Bay Club (a \$300 value), a one-hour massage at Wings Wellness in Brockton, a home-cooked meal for four, a month's worth of coffee (along with a nice mug), lottery tickets, cash prizes, and much more!

Tickets will be priced as follows: \$18 for one, \$36 for three, \$54 for five, and 10 tickets for \$108. The more tickets you buy, the better value you get! The deadline will be September 27 to be eligible to win every prize!

### Other Events

Over the course of the rest of the year, there will be Purim Baskets, a cooking demonstration by Rob Yunich and Elana Milstein for Passover, and so much more!

If you have any questions, concerns, or comments-or would like to contribute-please contact Rob Yunich at [fundraising@atorah.org](mailto:fundraising@atorah.org).



## Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

Emily White in memory of beloved mother,  
Mildred Segall Stahl, and stepfather, Wilbur Stahl

Barbara and Buddy Marcus and Risa Clark, in memory of  
beloved son and brother, Michael Marcus

Sandy and Fred Sussman, in memory of Larry Fox

Barry and Dee Unger, in memory of Larry Fox

Nanci Burtman, in memory of beloved grandmother and  
ATC founder, Rose Crane

Vera Burtman, in memory of beloved mother and ATC  
founder, Rose Crane

Ina and Gary Winer, in memory of beloved mother,  
Elaine Winer

Sandy and Fred Sussman, wishing Karl Flanzer  
a speedy recovery

Shelly and Alan Zelbow, in memory of Larry Fox

Sandy and Fred Sussman, wishing Hap Leven  
a speedy recovery

Dottie and Joe Spivack, in memory of Larry Fox

Lesley and Bob Bornstein, in memory of Sue Sharrow

Leslie Kirsner, in memory of Sue Sharrow

Howard Cohen, in memory of Sue Sharrow

Randy Lynch and Michael Dalterio, in memory of  
Sue Sharrow

The Freshman family, in memory of loving husband,  
father and grandfather, Warren Freshman

Fred Sussman, in memory of Sonny Hirsh

Phoebe Lipsky Reff, in memory of Bessie Lipsky

Beverly Kargir, in loving memory of dear friend,  
Sue Sharrow

Carole Maynard, in memory of Sue Sharrow

Sue and Sandy Toochin, in memory of beloved parents,  
Dorothy and David Ramla

Sue and Sandy Toochin, with profound thanks

Bev Barbell and Al Gersin, in memory of George Kostick

Leslie Levine, in memory of George Kostick

Merle and Lester Levenbaum, in memory of  
George Kostick

The Goldman family, in memory of George Kostick

Diane and Bob Cohn, in memory of Millie Berman

Dottie and Joe Spivack, in memory of Millie Berman

Dale Appel, in memory of Millie Berman

Ellen and Neil Nager, in memory of Millie Berman

## Torah Repair Fund

Linda Rudman, in memory of Millie Berman

## Levy Chapel Fund

Barry Levy

Lesley and Bob Bornstein

Cindy and Stu Weiner - purchase of new planter

David Moonay

June/Gary Blumenthal

Madeleine Lewis

Marv, Peter, & Sheryl Asnes - purchase of granite bench

Paul Schneider

Sheryl Savage - purchase of granite bench

Women of ATC - Tree of life leaf honoring  
Madeleine Lewis

Stanley Shaffran

Women of ATC - for our new entry seating area

The Fox Family - new bench in memory of  
Linda and Larry Fox

Stacey and Howard Andler

Diane and Bob Cohn - new bimah floral arrangement

The Berman Family in memory of Millie Berman

Eric Kahn

Lou Lasky

Eileen and Stanley Shaffran

June and Gary Blumenthal - new bimah floral arrangement

The Hait family for the new floral arrangement vases



## Women of ATC



Shalom,

The Women of ATC are busy preparing for the upcoming year.

Our annual Pink Minyan in support of breast cancer research will be held virtually on October 22nd. Watch for more details.

Paid-Up Supper will be held virtually on October 14th. Meals will be available for pickup and we will meet on Zoom to enjoy each other's company and listen to a virtual speaker. Watch for details. This is available to paid-up members at no charge. This includes new members to ATC who are members at no charge for their first year.

We are looking forward to our wonderful Women's Seder in the Spring. You can enjoy both of these at no cost if you are a paid-up member.

Our exercise classes, Rosh Chodesh group meetings, and Book Club continue. Please join us.

Please contact Bev Barbell at [bbarbell@aol.com](mailto:bbarbell@aol.com) for cards for all occasions.

Please email with any questions or suggestions.

Looking forward to seeing you soon!

*Madeleine Lewis*

President

[WomenOfATC@atorah.org](mailto:WomenOfATC@atorah.org)

## Our sympathies are with the families and friends of

Millie Berman

Larry Fox

Susan Sharrow

Bennette Shultz

## Women of ATC Acknowledgment Cards

The Women of ATC can send acknowledgment cards for your convenience. Each card gratefully acknowledges a donation has been made, and is suitable for Condolence, Get Well, Mazel Tov, or most any other occasion.

The cost of each card is \$4.00 if purchased, or \$4.50 if mailed by the Card Coordinator. All proceeds benefit the Women of ATC, which in turn, benefits our congregation.

To learn more, or to have a card sent, please contact Beverly Barbell, by email at [Bbarbell@aol.com](mailto:Bbarbell@aol.com), or by phone at (781) 910-5527.



## We are glad that you are now part of the ATC Family

Anne and Philip Weiner  
Freda and Joe DeNapoli  
Janice and Marty Sklar  
Amy Rothstein  
Debra Wolfe



Finishing the basement?

Use ATC scrip ...

It's a Mitzvah!



**ATC's October 2021 Raffle**  
**Tickets are \$18 for one, \$36 for three, and \$100 for 10!**  
**28 prizes in 21 days! (No drawings on Shabbat.)**  
**To buy tickets, visit [ATC website](http://www.atorah.org/raffle.html).**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Luxury in R.I. One night stay at Newport Bay Club on OCTOBER 17 (\$300 value) 	2 No raffle drawing on Shabbat
3 Car maintenance Oil change and lube from Jake's Brakes (\$40 value) 	4 Coffee Lovers Dunkin' \$25 gift card/one month of free coffee and a mug (\$20 value) 	5 Be a Winner! \$25 worth of Bingo entries at ATC 	6 Italian Feast A \$100 gift card to Amelia's Restaurant in Stoughton 	7 Groceries and Gas \$25 gift cards to Stop and Shop and Gulf  	8 Keshet Friday \$36 in cash! 	9 No raffle drawing on Shabbat
10 Eat out without leaving your home Home-cooked meal for four 	11 Be a Winner! \$20 worth of lottery scratch-off tickets 	12 Fresh Produce A \$36 Katsiroubas Produce Box 	13 Relaxation One-hour massage at Wings Wellness (\$85 value) 	14 Kosher Feast \$36 gift card to Zayde's Market 	15 Keshet Friday \$36 in cash! 	16 No raffle drawing on Shabbat
17 Fresh Produce A \$36 Katsiroubas Produce Box 	18 Be a Winner! \$20 worth of lottery scratch-off tickets 	19 Kosher Foods Galore \$36 gift card to Zayde's Market 	20 Dues Free One-month free ATC dues A priceless value 	21 Coffee Lovers Dunkin' \$25 gift card/one month of free coffee with mug (\$20 value) 	22 Keshet Friday \$25 in cash! 	23 No raffle drawing on Shabbat
24 Stay home, we cook for you Catered dinner for four 	25 Dine Out \$25 gift certificate to West End Grill in Randolph 	26 Groceries and Gas \$25 gift cards to Stop and Shop and Gulf  	27 Dine Out Dinner for two at Back Street Grille (\$50 value) 	28 Keshet Friday \$36 in cash! 	29 THE GRAND PRIZE One-night stay at Bayside Resort Hotel in West Yarmouth and two passes to Cape Codder Resort water park (\$400 value) 	

## Buy Your Raffle Tickets Now!

ATC is pleased to announce a full month of raffle prizes (28 prizes in 21 days!) in October featuring a grand prize of a one-night stay at Bayside Resort Hotel in West Yarmouth and two passes to Cape Codder Resort water park (a \$400 value)! Other prizes include a one-night stay at the Newport (R.I.) Bay Club (a \$300 value), a one-hour massage at Wings Wellness in Brockton, a home-cooked meal for four, a month's worth of coffee (along with a nice mug), lottery tickets, cash prizes, and much more!

Tickets are priced as follows: \$18 for one, \$36 for three, \$54 for five, and 10 tickets for \$108. The more tickets you buy, the better value you get! The deadline is September 27 to be eligible to win every prize! Buy your tickets online at [www.atorah.org/raffle.html](http://www.atorah.org/raffle.html) or fill out the form to the right and drop off your check at ATC.

## ATC October Raffle Order Form

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Tickets (see below): \_\_\_\_\_

Total Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Tickets will be priced as follows: \$18 for one, \$36 for three, \$54 for five, and 10 tickets for \$108.

Payments can be made via check (payable to Ahavath Torah Congregation). To buy tickets, visit the ATC website.





## Religious School News

Welcome to the new Religious School year.

A beautiful new banner has been purchased. Watch for it in front of our shul.

New students are needed. Please let me know of anyone you know who might be interested in enrolling and I will let Bob Cohn know so he can contact them.

Classes will be held virtually on Wednesday and Sunday.

Mazel Tov to Brent Forman on his upcoming Bar Mitzvah, October 16th.

Our curriculum and activities are planned with special events each month, computer time and the special art projects, a favorite of the students. Of course, the students will continue to learn Hebrew from our excellent Shalom Hebrew reading program and prayers and their meaning from our Hebrew in Harmony program. Our Jewish history and values and Torah study and more will round out our learning.

I am so glad that Arthur Arkanase, and Lesley Bornstein will be part of our school this summer. Of course, none of this would be possible without the help, guidance, and support of Rabbi J and Rabbi Gouze.

I wish you and your family a happy and healthy New Year.

Please contact me with any questions or suggestions.



*Madeleine Lewis*

Ed Director  
[EdDirector@atorah.org](mailto:EdDirector@atorah.org)  
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### Hebrew Reading Crash Course Level I

Participants in the free Hebrew Reading Crash Course will learn to read Hebrew in five, 1 and 1/2 hour weekly sessions. Designed for Jews with little or no background...

in Hebrew, it concentrates on teaching the Hebrew alphabet and reading skills. Each participant will receive a free copy of NJOP's *Reishith Binah* Hebrew primer.

Sample Hebrew Primer:



Classes will be held every Sunday in October immediately following morning minyan. Contact Madeleine Lewis for more information.

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# **THE BROTHERHOOD OF ATC/TBE** *PRESENT OUR* **15<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL SCOTCH DINNER**

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20<sup>TH</sup> FROM 7:00 - 11:00 P.M.**

The Brotherhoods of *Ahavath Torah Congregation* and *Temple Beth Emunah* cordially invite you to our **15<sup>th</sup> Annual Scotch Dinner**. This will be a fantastic evening including a large selection of fine Single Malt Scotches, classic Bourbons, a gourmet dinner, music, raffles, door prizes  
... plus much, much more.

There will be limited seating for only 90 people so be sure to make your reservations now.

The cost is \$80.00 per person and advanced reservations are **definitely required**.

Reservations will be accepted until Friday, November 6<sup>th</sup> or until we sell out.

You must be of legal drinking to attend and only confirmed reservation holders will be admitted.

RSVP by e-mail to David Schulze  
at [davidschulze47@gmail.com](mailto:davidschulze47@gmail.com)

or call/text at (781) 856-1408

We can accept cash, checks,  
credit cards or Venmo

prepayment is expected



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## Introducing Our Executive Board for 2021-2022

**Sound the fanfare!** It's with great pleasure that we announce our Executive Board for Ahavath Torah Congregation. We honor and give special thanks to Paula Gaffin, Jeff Blacker, and Howard Levenson for their immense service to the Executive Board as they step down, but never far away.

<b>President</b>	Robert Bornstein
<b>Executive Vice-President</b>	Open Position
<b>Vice President</b>	Peter Asnes
<b>Vice President (Development)</b>	Rob Yunich
<b>Vice President (Ritual)</b>	Rob Vazzana
<b>Treasurer</b>	Wendy Schulze
<b>Vice President/Financial Secretary</b>	Stuart Weiner
<b>Corresponding Secretary</b>	Diane Thaler
<b>Recording Secretary</b>	Beverly Barbell
<b>Advisor to the Executive Board</b>	Alan Olans
<b>Immediate Past President</b>	Arthur Mallock

Ahavath Torah Congregation is proud of its extraordinary leadership. With guidance from Rabbi Jonathan Hausman, our Board of Directors, and our professional staff and members elected to leadership positions, work to improve our facilities, strengthen our programs, and meet the challenges of 21st century Judaism.

## Introducing our Board of Directors for 2021-2022

Stacy Andler	Marv Asnes	Sheryl Asnes
Jeff Blacker	Marcia Boland-Wells	Lesley Bornstein
Leslie Boyle	Adam Chale	Bob Cohn
Rick Frederics	Maxine Frutkoff	Janna Gabel
Paula Gaffin	Alan Jacobson	Everett Levenson
Madeleine Lewis	Helayne Magier	Emily Prigot
David Schulze	Debbie Springer	David Steinberg
Fred Sussman	Rob Vazzana	Cindy Weiner

## Introducing our Team Leaders

Bingo	David Schulze, Leslie Boyle	Lifelong Learning	Michael Shain, Arthur Arkanase,
Bingo Café	Marcia-Boland Wells		Maxine Frutkoff
Blood Drive	Howard Levenson	Life and Safety	Dr. Alan Lader
Book an Event	Maria Woolf	Member Services	Bob Cohn, Marv Asnes
Brotherhood	Stuart Weiner	Bulletin	David Steinberg
Building and Grounds	David Schulze	Ritual	Rob Vazzana, Everett Levenson
Communications	Rob Yunich	Scrip	Wendy Schulze, Sheryl Asnes, Helayne Magier
Community Dinner	Diane Cohn, Bob Cohn,	Sisterhood	Madeleine Lewis
	Helayne Magier	Technology	Marc Happes, David Schulze
Finance and Budget	Fred Sussman	Tree of Life	Deb Springer
Israel Engagement	Michael Shain	Youth and Family Education	Madeleine Lewis,
Jewish Family Table	Elliott Rosen		Sheryl Asnes, Lesley Bornstein, Nancy Hait
		Youth and USY	Lesley Bornstein





***Now is the time to GET Involved - No age discrimination***

**Our Teams and Groups:**

The ATC community has many ways to get involved. All members are welcome to participate in our community in many ways. For personal assistance as how to get connected please contact the Team Leader as noted.

**Member Services** works to develop strategies to recruit and retain members. Recruitment efforts include outreach to Jewish families and individuals in the greater South Shore and beyond, who are not yet affiliated with a congregation. Members of this team reach out to the new members to help them integrate comfortably within our ATC community and to encourage their involvement in activities, often serving as buddies to meet and share company at services and events. Member Services also assists in maintaining the communications with congregants to reinforce our concern all synagogue members are involved.

**ATC Cares** reaches out to congregants in need. There are many opportunities for our members to participate in various activities. Members may visit an ill member, either at a hospital or at home while recovering or deliver a cooked meal (preparation by NRM Catering). They take an ill member to a doctor's appointment. It is our goal to support our fellow congregants.

For additional information, or to join Member Services / ATC Cares, please contact Bob Cohn at [robcohn@verizon.net](mailto:robcohn@verizon.net).

**Ritual Committee** works in collaboration with Rabbi J, offering comments and advice in regard to fostering attendance and participation. They examine elements of congregational worship, including worship times, the language of prayer, new ritual forms, music, configuration of the worship space, and how members are greeted when they enter the sanctuary. Ritual oversees the upkeep and maintenance of the Synagogue's ritual objects, including prayer books, Sifre Torah, silver ornamentation, Tallitot and Kippot. To get involved please contact Rob Vazzana at [rv@comcast.net](mailto:rv@comcast.net) or Everett Levenson at [everettlevenson@gmail.com](mailto:everettlevenson@gmail.com).

**Family Table** is ATC's representative to the **Family Table Program**, providing Kosher dry goods to families in need. We encourage Members to donate designated items throughout the year and we accept donations in lieu of admission to many events. Would you like to help? Please contact Elliott Rosen at [Hoopsrosen@verizon.net](mailto:Hoopsrosen@verizon.net).

**Lifelong Learning Committee** selects and organizes adult classes at ATC, from Adult beginning Hebrew to advanced courses. New courses and events are added throughout the year. To take a course please contact Arthur Arkanase at [Elliotle44@aol.com](mailto:Elliotle44@aol.com).

**Youth Education Team** works in partnership with Rabbi J, and Madeline Lewis, Lead Teacher, and the team of parents to help develop school policy. They review curriculum and accomplishments, oversee operations and help coordinate activities and enrichment programs for the Religious School students. To volunteer or join please contact Sheryl Asnes at [spasnes@verizon.net](mailto:spasnes@verizon.net).

**Building and Grounds Team** ensures that our building and grounds foster the spiritual, educational, cultural, and social needs, and activities to our congregation. We are concerned about the safety, cleanliness, comfort, and appearance and to maximize the functionality of our facilities.





The building team works to ensure that the staff is well managed and meets the needs of our community, efficiently and economically. The team benefits from the valued experience in facilities management, engineering, and construction.

If you have watched "This Old House", this work may be of interest to YOU! Please contact David Schulze at [davidschulze47@gmail.com](mailto:davidschulze47@gmail.com)

### **Book Group**

Connects on a monthly basis to read and discuss books by Jewish authors or with connection or of interest to Jews. Please contact Madeleine Lewis at [Lewis.madeleine@gmail.com](mailto:Lewis.madeleine@gmail.com). Check back soon for our current and past reading list.

**The Combined Brotherhoods of Ahavath Torah and Temple Beth Emunah** provides a wide variety of programs and activities that reach out to all members of both congregations - building camaraderie, friendships, and warmth. Our primary purpose is to provide social, educational, cultural, and spiritual services for the men, as well as for the broader community. While we provide opportunities for men in our congregation to gather together for fellowship, recreation, personal growth, and mutual support, we also work to support the mission, services, and activities of the Congregation. We support Jewish youth in the congregation, in school and in the Community. New participants are always heartily welcomed. Interested? For more information, contact Stu Wiener at [nedlam87@verizon.net](mailto:nedlam87@verizon.net).

### **Israel Engagement Committee**

The role of the committee is to raise consciousness about the significance of Israel in Jewish life. We focus on different aspects of the State of Israel by presenting issues connected to history, politics, multiculturalism, and religion, through films, speakers, seminars, etc. Interested? Contact Michael Shain at [presidential2011@aol.com](mailto:presidential2011@aol.com).

**Fundraising, Development, and Special Events Team** is formed yearly to organize annual fundraisers and events supporting our ATC operating budget. To join our Team, please contact Rob Yunich at [robyunich@gmail.com](mailto:robyunich@gmail.com).

**Communication Team** consults with our lay leaders, Rabbi, and Team leaders to select and develop methods of internal and external communications most appropriate for Ahavath Torah Congregation to use. These may include print and/or emailed information, news briefs, event promotion and information, assists with our website, social media, all produced for new members, holidays, fund raisers, or general congregation promotion. Contact Rob Yunich at [robyunich@gmail.com](mailto:robyunich@gmail.com).

**The Finance and Budget Team** reviews the financial operations of the synagogue and reports to the Board of Directors. The team reports the results of financial operations at the annual congregational meeting and presents a proposed budget approved by the Executive Board for the upcoming fiscal year. The Committee benefits from members with varied experience in finance and synagogue operations. Contact Fred Sussman for more information at [fsuss69178@verizon.net](mailto:fsuss69178@verizon.net).



Ahavath Torah Congregation recognizes all of our synagogue presidents. Thank you for your effort and devotion.

A dedication date will be set in the near future.

Recently our Women of ATC presented a Tree of Life Leaf to Madeleine Lewis for her efforts as co-President of Women of ATC, her role as Education Director, and the planning and coordination of many programs during this difficult year.

Thank you Madeleine from the Women of ATC.







New Banner for our Religious School

	<p><b>Susan and David Bernstein on their 50th Wedding Anniversary</b></p> <p><b>Marge and Allan Slotnick, on the marriage of their granddaughter, Samantha, to David Stanton</b></p> <p><b>Marcia and Karl Flanzer, on their of granddaughter, Brylie Weinstein, becoming a Bat Mitzvah</b></p> <p><b>Rick and Sarah Frederics on their 50th Wedding Anniversary</b></p> <p><b>Annette and David Williams, on the birth of their granddaughter, Ella Mae. Parents are Samantha and Sam Barros.</b></p>
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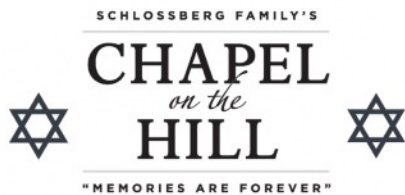
*Donations received after August 22nd will be acknowledged in the next issue.*



***My mother's Shabbos candles  
Which made our home so bright  
Which faithfully she lighted  
With a prayer on Friday night.  
And then, around the table  
We gathered and we heard  
My father chant the Kiddush  
His heart in every word.***

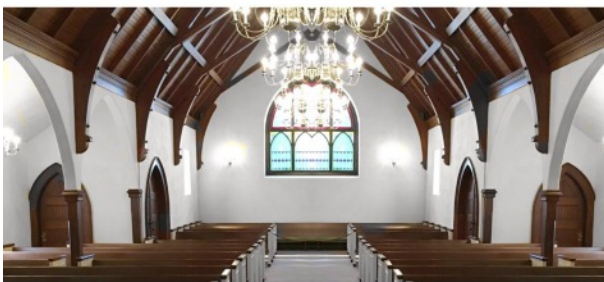
***Our humble home  
Became a mansion in that mystic glow  
Our hearts were filled with hopes and dreams  
And thoughts of long ago.  
And yet, the tragic stories  
Of Israel's darkest nights  
Will never dim the glory  
Of my mother's Shabbos lights.***

*Millie Berman used to sing this song at our Friday night Kabbalat Shabbat services*



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## September Yahrzeit Calendar

### ***September 1***

Barnat Goodman  
Rhoda Olans  
Nathan Stogel  
Sidney Yosovitz

### ***September 2***

Samuel Shain  
Samuel Soroco

### ***September 3***

Leo Graupen  
Israel Shalit

### ***September 4***

Charles Sibulkin

### ***September 5***

George Hamburg  
Edith Miller  
Samuel Spivack

### ***September 6***

Bessie Backman  
Sadie Borr  
Ethel Carter  
Paul Hoffstein  
Jean Liberfarb  
Herbert Robinson  
Ida Snetsky  
Sylvia Stein  
S. Lillian Stickler

### ***September 7***

Jacob Goldstein  
Albert Max  
Sarah Schachter  
Herbert Waterman  
Etya Zaika

### ***September 8***

Adam Greenfield  
Gerald Hartstone  
Esther Young

### ***September 9***

Nathan B. Green  
Irving Nisson  
Beverly Schneider

### ***September 10***

Ida Tolpin Cohen  
Esther Gabel  
Ida Dorothy Goldman  
Frank Meyerhoff  
Ida Reinherz

### ***September 11***

Sara Teper Gaffin  
Sadie Thaler

### ***September 12***

Ida Fine  
Alfred S. Lipshires  
Bella Lipsky  
Sylvia Rubenstein  
Alvin Segelman

### ***September 13***

Rubin Band  
Samuel Levine  
Nathan Rudman

### ***September 14***

Sophie Gabriel  
Goldie Nadler  
Elizabeth Platter

### ***September 15***

Edna Connors  
Eugene Notkin

### ***September 17***

Sheila Bader

### ***September 19***

Betty Harfield  
George Hillson  
Harry "Archie" Kroner  
Lillian Lehrman  
Abbott Nager  
Pearl Sheff

### ***September 20***

David Chefitz  
Saul Litwack  
Morton Ruderman  
Pearl Sheff

### ***September 21***

Dorothy Fruit  
Morris Goldstein  
Harry Grubert  
Susan Shain

### ***September 22***

Abraham J. Niers

### ***September 23***

David S. Rosenthal  
Yefim Segal

### ***September 24***

Louis Fisher  
Dorothy Goldberg

### ***September 26***

Arthur Bloom

### ***September 27***

Kimberly Anne Berkovitz  
Philip Jacobson

### ***September 28***

Paul Geller  
Oscar Hoffstein  
Florence Perry  
Mollie Resnick

### ***September 29***

Samuel Greene  
Dora Westerman

### ***September 30***

Morris Bornstein  
Louis Brezner  
Ivoja Donath  
Paul Gorin



## October Yahrzeit Calendar

### October 1

Irma Lampert Ciccolo  
Howard J.S. Magier

### October 2

Bessie Kaminsky  
Anna Komrower  
Louis Mirchin  
Clara Pearlmuter  
Gayle Cohen Yassen  
Milton Zwerdling

### October 3

Fira Fisher  
Lillian Sherman

### October 4

Myer Grubert  
Paul Olans

### October 5

Rose Avidon  
Elizabeth Lieberman

### October 6

Hyman Drukman  
Aaron Samuel Goldberg  
  
Alicia Sarah Goldberg  
Julia Novoson

### October 7

Michael Frank  
George J. Kay

### October 8

Jeanne Kohner  
Pauline Livingstone  
James Sandler  
Esther Weisberg  
Philip Zelbovitz

### October 9

Milton Weinick

### October 10

Paul Berkowsky  
Marilyn Ann Bloom  
Beverly Manburg  
Herbert Neitlich  
Daniel Tassel

### October 11

Hyman Bresner  
Abraham Fox  
Pearl Gitter  
Murray Rosman  
Simon Wolf

### October 12

Milton H. Adleman  
Vickie Beth Waxman

### October 13

Moyshe Fisher  
Molly Glickin  
Sam Heller  
Abraham Shufrin  
Israel Soolman

### October 14

Florence Belle Glaser  
Reva Reinstein

### October 15

Sara Zelbovitz

### October 16

Sumner Williams

### October 17

Rose Interest

### October 18

Benjamin Botbol  
Barbara Indeck  
Clara Worobey

### October 19

Gary Mirliss  
Irvin Pinkofsky

### October 20

Samuel Dressler  
Virginia Gianelly  
Bessie Kassler  
Enid Mallock  
Sol Rosenthal

### October 21

Iris Sonia Katz Cohen  
Harry Oppen  
Jacob Asa Stuart

### October 22

Lena Brezner

### October 23

Leonard Connors  
David H. Miller  
Ruth Robinson  
Larry Vodkin

### October 24

Philip Cantor  
Deborah Markson  
Rose Stogel  
Mary Tutun

### October 25

Abram Chandler  
Rona Katz

### October 26

Stan Cohen  
Betty Egel

### October 27

Rose Feldman  
Dr. Arnold Lehrman

### October 28

Michael H. Kamin  
Barnett Interest

### October 29

Martha Gosian-Davis  
Irving M. Levine  
Dr. Joseph Tobin

### October 30

Yvette Feinstein  
Mildred Reed  
Sally Rubin  
William Shapiro  
Rose Wallace

### October 31

Abraham Feldman  
Elyse Schneider



# Rosh Hashanah GREETINGS



The Hausman family

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Joan Fogel

Richard and Sarah Frederics

Howard Levenson

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Madeleine Lewis and Family

Tina and Arthur Mallock

David Moonay

Neil and Ellen Nager

Beth Ross

Nancy and Bruce Sarnowitz

Harry and Carol Savas

Rochelle and Alan Sherman

Ron Shufrin

Marge and Allan Slotnick

Joe and Dot Spivack

Diane and Ed Thaler

Ron and Marcia Wells

Rob Yunich and Elana Milstein

*May this New Year be filled with health and  
happiness for you and your family*