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Highlights in March

Paper Midrash

March 1-March 3
-See page 5

Women's History Shabbat

Friday, March 22

Purim Carnival & Megillah Reading

Sunday, March 24 Location: JCC Megillah: 10:30am Carnival: 12pm

Highlights in <u>April</u>

Night at the Races

Thursday, April 4
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Passover Seder

Monday, April 22 -See pages 12-13

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A Message from Our Rabbi

I have been reflecting lately on what it means to be creative. With Paper Midrash coming the first weekend in March, as I have been talking to people about it, I keep saying that you don't have to be naturally artistic to take part in any of the



activities they lead. (This is true, and if you read this before their residency weekend, I hope you know they will walk us through everything!) This got me thinking about how being artistic is just one way to show creativity. There are many ways to be creative, and I like to think we are all creative in some ways. Some of us are artistic and can create works of art with yarn, paper, or paint. Some of us are creative with our words and can write stories or poetry or prayers. Others are expressive and able to do things like act in plays or are really good storytellers. Some fight for social justice and seek to create a world that is more just and equitable. And others are good teachers who help other people find their creative spark. I have seen all of these types of creativity in our congregation, and it is inspiring.

One concept I love in our tradition is the idea in the *yotzer*, the morning creation prayer, that says that God renews the work of creation day by day. This expresses the newness of each moment, even knowing that God created the world millennia ago. And it reminds us that we, too, have the chance to achieve a fresh start each day. We have a chance to create, to refresh and renew, to change or enhance our lives in some small way.

In our Thursday Adult Education sessions, we have been talking about the Psalms and how they are a timeless collection of poems that still resonate with us today and get used widely in our prayer services and in rituals like weddings, funerals, and baby namings. We are also talking about how people today also write new poems and readings with more modern language and that this can also resonate. In Judaism, we are constantly honoring our tradition and the past, while also creating fresh ways to relate its concepts and its beauty to the modern world around us.

There are many opportunities to express your creativity this month. Whether you join us for Paper Midrash, come to Sit and Stitch, explore the creativity of words with us during Adult Ed, or come up with a really fantastic Purim costume for Purim this month, I hope you find ways to create sparks of newness with each day. May we all find joy and meaning in continuing to create the world we want to see.

L'shalom, Rabbi Courtney Berman



March Shabbat Schedule

In-Person & Virtual
Friday, March 1, 2024 | 6:00pm
In-Person & Virtual
Saturday, March 2, 2024 | 9:45am
Torah Portion: Ki Tisa, Exodus 30:11-34:35

In-Person & Virtual
Friday, March 8, 2024 | 6:00pm
In-Person & Virtual
Saturday, March 9, 2024 | 9:45am
Torah Portion: Vayakhel, Exodus 35:1-38:20

In-Person & Virtual
Friday, March 15, 2024 | 6:00pm
In-Person & Virtual
Saturday, March 16, 2024 | 9:45am
Torah Portion: Pekuday, Exodus 38:21-40:38

In-Person & Virtual
Friday, March 22, 2024 | 6:00pm
In-Person & Virtual
Saturday, March 23, 2024 | 9:45am
Torah Portion: Vayikra, Leviticus 1:1-5:26

In-Person & Virtual
Friday, March 29, 2024 | 6:00pm
In-Person & Virtual
Saturday, March 30, 2024 | 9:45am
Torah Portion: Tzav, Leviticus 6:1-8:36

Zoom Information Meeting ID: 889 3788 5747 Password: 1202021

March 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					Paper Midrash Shabbat Service 6pm	Shabbat Morning Service 945am Paper Midrash 1pm
Religious School 930am Paper Midrash 10am	4	5	Religious School 6pm	Rabbi Berman Study Session 10am	Shabbat Service 6pm	Shabbat Morning Service 945am
Religious School 930am	11	OBS Sit N' Stitch 930am	Religious School 6pm OBS Board Meeting 7pm	14	Shabbat Service 6pm	Shabbat Morning Service 945am Torah Study 12pm
Religious School 930am	18	19	Religious School 6pm	Rabbi Berman Study Session 10am	Women's History Shabbat Service 6pm	Shabbat Morning Service 945am HAPPY PURIM
Megillah Reading at JCC 1030am Purim Carnival at JCC 12pm	25	OBS Sit N' Stitch 930am	27	Lunch & Learn 12pm	Tot Shabbat 5pm Shabbat Service 6pm	Shabbat Morning Service 945am





PAPER MIDRASH

FRIDAY, MARCH 1, 2024 | 6PM

Join OBS for a Friday night Shabbat service with a dynamic visual sermon given by Isaac & Rabbi Shawna Brynjegard-Bialik. Dinner will follow the service.

SATURDAY, MARCH 2, 2024 | 1-4PM

After the Saturday morning Shabbat service and Kiddush sponsored by Kim & Mark Zeidenstein, there will be a papercutting workshop called "Torah Study with Knives" for adults & teens. Space is limited, so please get your RSVP for the afternoon program in early. Please come early and join us for Kiddush.

SUNDAY, MARCH 3, 2024 | 10AM

Come and be a part of a "Fingerprint Mosaic" project that will transform into permanent artwork for OBS. Those unable to attend (and snowbirds) can still add their fingerprints a later date.

Please RSVP to all events by February 27.





Husband and wife "dynamic duo" Isaac and Rabbi Shawna
Brynjegard-Bialik create new pathways into Torah, combining
deep Jewish scholarship with comic books and pop culture for a
unique take on traditional texts. Isaac cuts up comic books and
reassembles them into papercuts that explore the stories of the
Jewish people. Rabbi Shawna adapts traditional Jewish concepts
to a modern Reform context and brings that synergy to students
of all ages. Together, they are "Paper Midrash."

To learn more about Paper Midrash, go to: PaperMidrash.com

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March Yahrzeits

In the rising of the sun and in its going down, We remember them.

At the opening of the buds and in the rebirth of spring, We remember them.

For as long as we live, they too will live, for they are now a part of us as, We remember them.

March 1, 2024 & March 2, 2024

21 Adar I 5784 & 22 Adar I 5784

*George J. Alfred	*Bessie Gaffin	*David Alan Harmon	*Manuel Mendelson	*Frances D. Shapiro
Theresa Balakoff	Ralph Goldich	*Harry Jannes	Anne Oppenheimer	*Ida Simon
Eric Barr	Dr. Bertram Goldstein	Sara Kassorla	Judith Pataki	Bessie Sniderman
*Morris Berkowitz	*Maeola K. Goldstein	*Benjamin Katz	*Benita Penner	*Cecelia R. Snyder
Rachel Birnbaum	*Andrew M. Goodman	Stanley Katz	*Louis R. Polster	*Susan Carole Spain
Marilyn Bloom	*Bertram J. Goodman	*Hannah P. Kaufman	*Dorothy Pomper	*Dr. Saul J. Tamarkin
Jerome Braff	*Esther Goodstein	*Jenetta P. Kehn	Rose Rome	*Morris Vierfelder
*Simon Brody	Herman Gorsky	*Ruth Levy	*Ruth Rosenblum	*Marie Williams
*Craig Elliott Chentow	*A. Ray Gossoff	*Fanny Hess Liebman	*Geraldine Routman	Marcia Wolff
Mildred Dietz	*Mose I. Greenberg	*Anna Malkoff	*Rose Bolotin Rudberg	*Neil Yutkin
*Rabbi Abraham Feinberg	Danielle Ami Greenburg	Eugene Mallen	Charles Schlosser	Stella Zeigler
*Allen Foxman	*Jack M. Greenwald	Shirley Gerber Medvin	*Alfred Schwartz	*Mina B. Zifferblatt
*Joseph Friedman	*Sandra W. Hansell	*Elizabeth Mendelson	*Dorothy Ungar Schwebel	

March 8, 2024 & March 9, 2024

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*Gussie Applebaum	Frances Greenberg	*Jerome D. Lieblich	*James K. Rosenbaum	Dr. Sam Spikell
*Edward I. Aron	*Edgar Hartzell	Sarah Klatman Lipsitz	*Marian Henkin Routh	*Clarence J. Strouss
*Ann Belinky	*Ike M. Hartzell	Lucille Manning	*Maurice Earl Routh	*Leo Sukoff
Dr. Edward Bleier	Jerald Isserow	*Jeanette T. Mizel	Samuel Ruffman	*Fannie S. Sussman
Edna Bun <mark>tman</mark>	Herman Katz	*John S. Nachtman	Daniel Sabelli	Dr. William Teitelbaum
*Ida Levy <mark>Ches</mark> lin	Rowena Katz	Ronda Pincus	*Esther Sacherman	*Jean Wagman
Ruth Cohen	Gerald Kazdin	*Joseph Reich	*Gary Schlosberg	*Ralph Waldhorn
*Marcel Dreyfus	*Gerald Kessler	*Samuel Reich	*Lillian Schmidt	*Isaac Wilkoff
Lea Edelstein	Henry Kinast	*Helen Reiff	Theodore H. Shaprio	*Gertrude "Pepi" Wolfe
*Sylvia Estulin	*Dora L. Klivans	*Mamie Robbins	*Sarah Sherman	William York
*Samuel L. Friedman	*Marjorie H. Kohn	*Myron Rose	*Helen Blau Simon	*Bertha Rubin Young
Frances Gittis	Bernard Laskovitz	*Alice Marx Rosenbaum	*Rose K. Solomon	*Louis E. Zoss

March 15, 2024 & March 16, 2024

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Richard Ackerman	*Howard Rayen Dunn	*Harriet Heller	*George S. Livingston	David Schwebel
*Natalie Altman	*Sedalia Ekker	Blanche Hirsch	Anne Mahalko	*Ralph B. Shwartz
Fayette Barr	Lillian Falkinson	*Morris Hirsch	*Martin Julius Mayer	Mollie Sigler
*Selma Baskin	*David Fine	*Shirley Kessler	Rudy Oppenheimer	*Pauline Tamarkin
Suzanne J. Berk	*Rose K. Frankle	*Frank R. Kline	Irving Ozer	*Paul H. Waldman
*Fannie Bostocky	*Mildred Franklin	*Dr. Albert Kovsky	*Ann B. Philo	Bernard Weiss
Harold Chevlen	Shirley Sonya Glick	*Barney I. Levenson	*Anne G. Roth	Irwin Yanowitz
Herschel Cooper	*Minnie R. Goldberg	*M. Harriet Liebermann	Henrietta Schaffer	
*Lena Cooper	*Robert Goldblum	*Bertha Livingston	Mac Schloss	

March 22, 2024 & March 23, 2024

12 Adar II 5784 & 13 Adar II 5784

*Pauline Bashlow	Donald E. Feindt	*Arnold Gross	J. Newman Levy	*Bernard Pomper
*Leon Birnbaum	Sidney Feltenstein	*Herman Handler	Albert Lockshin	*Dina Rudick
*Ruth Bloch	*Janice Frank	Ruth Hersh	Ruth Levine Lockson	*Eugene Rusnak
Anne Chait	*Herta W. Frankle	Sam Hollander	Abraham Malkoff	Blanche Schwartz
Sarah Cohen	*Jerome H. Frankle	Sara Itts	*Rena Mannheimer	*Nettie Simon
Paul Cyncynatus	*Kate G. Friedman	Inga Kinast	Phyllis Matz	*Shirley L. Strasberg
*Max Davis	*Roy Albert Gerstle	*Fay Kirkorsky	*Helen Miller	*Mono Wise
*David Ekker	*Emma R. Goldstein	*Rose R. Kline	Ruth Perlman	*Lillian Yanow
*Clara Fallenberg	*Dorothy Greenberger	*Jack A. Lavine	Betty Pitinii	Sarah Zuckerman

March 29, 2024 & March 30, 2024

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*Philip David Barlow	*Edward N. Crone	*Sarah M. Katz	Lawrence Pass	Millie DeBroff Shepse
*Jacob M. B <mark>azell</mark>	Phil Deangelo	William Leebaw	*Rachel Rosenblum	Jacob Shuklansky
*Morris I. B <mark>enjam</mark> in	*Philip Ellovich	Laura Kohan Levy	*Jacob S. Roth	*William J. Solomon
David Berger	*M. Murray Fibus	*Bess M. Lowendorf	*Samuel Rothschild	Seville Spiegel
*Roberta H. Berkowitz	*Bernard Fleck	*Cecile V. R. Lyman	Leonard Routman	Jack Tamarkin
*Lillian M. Berman	Barbara Goldberg	Audrey Malkin	*Lillian Schantz	*Irma Diamondstein Yutkin
Joseph Bleier	*Abram Gordon	*Anita Malowitz	*Helaine Schlesinger	
*Molly Brody	*Solomon Hamburger	Penny Meislik	*Mildred Schneider	

*Marc Orgel

*Mollie Shafran

Bernhart Cohen

*Aaron Harr

OBS Sisterhood News

Prayer - Study - Network - Get Connected! The future is ours to create!



Pictured from L to R: Co-Presidents - *Kandy Rawl & Sally Blau*, Secretary - *Phyllis Freedman*, Treasurer - *Milana Dimenstein*, Sisterhood Member-at-Large - *Jane Pollack*

"The joy of Purim, the merry making, the food, the drink, the whole carnival atmosphere, are there to allow us to live with the risks of being a Jew - in the past, and tragically in the present also - without being terrified, traumatized, or intimidated."

~Rabbi Lord Jonathan Sacks

Purim - The Feast of Lots

Begins at sunset on Saturday, March 23 through Sunday, March 24

The festival of Purim is derived from the biblical story of Esther and commemorates the Jewish people's success over people who tried to destroy us. The Purim story is all about taking a stand for what is right. On Purim, we celebrate the bravery of Queen Esther, whose Uncle Mordecai, was her directive with his guidance and influence during Queen Esther's trials and tribulations while married to King Ahasueras. Queen Esther learned that Haman, who held a parliament position in King Ahasueras court, was plotting against the Jewish people of Shushan, and was planning to exterminate them. Queen Esther summoned the courage to tell the King about Haman's evil plan and this act of bravery saved her people. Purim is a celebration of the deliverance for the Jews from a royal death decree. With everything said about Purim, it is an occasion about joy, celebration, and fun because of this deliverance. A delicious food treat, Hamentaschen - a three-sided pastry which symbolizes Hamen's hat, has become a favorite tradition which symbolizes, Purim. Queen Esther who had a specific calling, a particular task to complete, is so exemplified within our own Sisterhood (Sisters) of Congregation Ohev Beth Sholom. Sisterhood also has a specific calling and tasks to complete. This is shown every time we have Shabbat Meals, special Jewish holidays, and events.



BAKER'S NEEDED



Sisterhood is in need of baker's to help support Brotherhood's Night at the Races event. The event is on Thursday, April 4 and we are providing brownies and cookies. Please let us know if you are able to bake. All baked goods should be in disposable containers and can be dropped off on April 2 or April 3. If you want to bake ahead of time, we can certainly keep them in our freezer until the event, but please make arrangements with the office so we know you are coming.

With Love and Sisterhoood-Sisterhood Co-Presidents | Sally M. Blan & Kandy Rawl

Save the Date for the Sisterhood Donor Luncheon



Sisterhood Donor Luncheon Featuring Boutique



Sunday, June 2, 2024 | 11am

Congregation Ohev Beth Sholom

Join Sisterhood for a lovely brunch, luxury basket raffles, and more including - Boutique Bingo! More details to follow in the coming months.



SIt N'Stitch

with Ther Beth Sholom

Tuesday, March 12, 2024 | 9:30am Tuesday, March 26, 2024 | 9:30am

Congregation Ohev Beth Sholom

Join friends at Ohev Beth Sholom for our 'Sit and Stitch' series. Learn fiber arts, have coffee, and meet with great friends.

Let us know if you can join us!

OBS SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE

COMMITTEE CHAIR, SAMIE WINICK



"Informed Citizen's are Democracy's Best Defense"

~ the Brennan Center for Justice

The following information was written by Julia Kirschenbaum and Michael Li and posted at the Brennan Center for Justice website:

From the time of Virginia's very first congressional map when Patrick Henry attempted to draw district boundaries that would block his rival, James Madison, from winning a seat, to this past year in Ohio, Gerrymandering has been carried out by both sides. Today, technology has caught up to the process making it more dangerous than ever before. As defined:

Gerrymandering is the act of achieving a result by <u>manipulating</u> the boundaries of an electoral constituency. It is traditionally done by either "cracking" or "packing."

Cracking splits groups of people with similar characteristics, such as voters of the same party affiliation, across multiple districts. With their voting strength divided, these groups struggle to elect their preferred candidates in any of the districts. **Packing** is the opposite of cracking: map drawers cram certain groups of voters into as few districts as possible. In these few districts, the "packed" groups are likely to elect their preferred candidates, but the groups' voting strength is weakened everywhere else.

Every 10 years, states redraw their legislative and congressional district lines following the census. Because communities change, redistricting is critical to our democracy: maps must be redrawn to ensure that districts are equally populated, comply with laws such as the <u>Voting Rights Act</u>, and are otherwise representative of a state's population. Done right, redistricting is a chance to create maps that, in the words of John Adams, are an "exact portrait, a miniature" of the people as a whole. But sometimes the process is used to draw maps that put a thumb on the scale to manufacture election outcomes that are detached from the preferences of voters. When this happens the result of gerrymandering is disempowerment of the American public. Regardless of which party is responsible for gerrymandering, it is ultimately the public who loses out. Rigged maps make elections less competitive, in turn making even more Americans feel like their votes don't matter.

This year, in Ohio, we have a chance to break this cycle, and end the unfair practices associated with Gerrymandering, through the Citizens not Politicians ballot initiative. In short, this constitutional amendment will take the act of redistricting away from the state legislature and put it in the hands of a 15 - member Ohio Citizens Redistricting Commission. The members of the Commission will be geographically and demographically representative of Ohio residents. The movement to collect signatures to get it on the ballot is underway and is being supported in a bipartisan manner. For more information about the CNP campaign go to https://www.citizensnotpoliticians.org/. To join the signature collection campaign, please contact your OBS Social Action Committee and look for more volunteer opportunities in upcoming issues of "What's the Buzz". Remember to Vote in the Primary Election on March 19th.

Respectfully Submitted by Samie Winick



THURSDAY, MARCH 28 4PM

The Heaven & Earth
Grocery Store: A Novel
by James McBride

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Study Session

with Rabbi Berman

Session Dates: Thursdays at 10am

March 7 & March 21

The book of Psalms is an expressive and interesting book. Within it we find a wide variety of emotions that resonate with what it is to be a human being living in the world God created. The poetry within them includes some of our earliest prayers, and shows us ways people expressed their anguish or celebrated their great joy. In this class, we will read and study the Psalms together, exploring how their ancient messages still hold an important place in our modern lives.

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Join OBS for a Lunch & Learn and welcome Raphaël Elmaleh, an author and tour guide from Morocco. Raphaël will be discussing his book, *Jews Under Moroccan Skies: Two Thousand Years of Jewish Life*, which tells the story of Jewish life in Morocco, describing in realistic detail how Jews and Muslims interweaved their lives in peace for centuries. A light lunch will be provided. Please RSVP by Monday, March 25.



Raphaël Elmaleh

LUNCH & LEARN

THURSDAY, MARCH 28 12PM

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CONGREGATION OHEV BETH SHOLOM

Ther Beth Sholom's Passover Sed 917

MONDAY, APRIL 22, 2024 [6:00 PM

Register online at ohevbethsholom.org

Location: Congregation Ohev Beth Sholom Catered by Jeff Chrystal Catering

Passover Service:

Tuesday, April 23 | 10AM Passover Yizkor Service:

Monday, April 29 | 10AM





Kosher meals catered by Jeff Chrystal Catering

Reservations are required. RSVP no later than April 15, 2024.

Any seating requests must be submitted in writing to the office via mail or email.

Reservations can be made by phone, by mail, or in person with a check, credit card, or cash.

You can also register online at **ohevbethsholom.org**.

Name:	Email:
Phone:	
Please PRINT the names of	all attendees (including children):
Adults:	
Children:	
Seating Preference:	
The dinner entre	e will be a chicken meal.
Number of Children (6-12yrs): x \$	Number of Non-Members/ Guests: x \$60 20 Number of Children under 6: x Free cial Requests
Number of Vegan meals:	Number of Gluten Free meals:
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To register, visit www.ohevbethsholom.org/brotherhood to pay by credit card or fill out the form below and mail in with payment. Make checks payable to: Ohev Beth Sholom.

Name:	I wish to purchase General Tickets
Address:	I wish to sponsor additional horses for \$10 each
Email:	I wish to sponsor race(s) for \$250 each race
Phone:	Total Amount enclosed:
1st Horse Name:	4th Horse Name:
2nd Horse Name:	5th Horse Name:
3rd Horse Name:	6th Horse Name:

Additional horse sponsors can be listed on the back of this form.

MAZEL TOV TO THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS ON THEIR MARCH ANNIVERSARIES:

March 6:	Karen O'Malia & Phil Zauderer (36 years)	March 22:	Carol & Bruce Sherman (54 years)
March 10:	Irina & Mark Perlman (23 years)		Deborah & Harry Bloomberg (26 years)
March 12:	Fran & Ralph Rothenberg (46 years)	March 23:	Kandy & Bob Rawl (50 years)
	Hilari & Andy Lipkin (41 years)		Catherine & Louis Katz (49 years)
March 15:	Bonnie & Scott Lehman (60 years)	March 26:	Debbie & Ben Post (7 years)
March 17:	Maggie Henderson & Zak Kozberg (4 years)	March 28:	Sybil & Art Epstein (61 years)

Mazel Tov to the following members for a *special birthday* in *March:*

March 1:	Beverly Greenberg	March 26:	Bettina Clebone
March 5:	Emily Fitzpatrick	March 27:	Florine Rusnak
March 12:	Rachel Muser	March 30:	Susan Sokolov
March 16:	Judy Lockshaw		

Todah Rabbah! ~ Many Thanks!

Todah Rabbah to all of our Shabbat Meal Sponsors for February: **Samie & Alyson Winick** in loving memory of their mother, Elaine Schwebel Winick. **Shari & Ron Della Penna** in loving memory of Sherri's mother, Louise Feld. **Patricia Kelvin** in loving memory of her father, Richard Kelvin. **Kandy & Bob Rawl** in loving memory of Bob's mother, Violet W. Rawl.

BARUCH DAYAN HAMET

PRAISED BE THE JUDGE OF TRUTH

It is with sorrow that we note the death of our member:

Barry Schecht

May his memory be for a blessing and may his loved ones be given comfort and strength.

TZEDAKAH CIRCLE

Building Fund

In loving memory of:

Jacalyn Golden

By Laura & Dave Gorsky

Cemetery Fund

In loving memory of:
Simon Bostocky
By Susan & Jerry Bostocky

In loving memory of:

Alice Lev

By Dr. Steven Eppstein

General Endowment Fund

In loving memory of:

Marvin Sacks & Abe Suppe

By Hilari & Andy Lipkin

In loving memory of:

Paul H. Waldman

By Debra Burger

In loving memory of:

Helen Brooks

By Frances S. Brooks
In loving memory of:
Marjorie Helen Kohn
By Kenda & Seth Kohn

TZEDAKAH CIRCLE CONT

In loving memory of:

Dorothy Bolotin

Jacalyn Golden

Barry Schecht

By Rabbi Courtney & Jeffrey Berman and Family

By Sarah & David Wilschek and Family

In loving memory of:

Ida Simon

By Norman Simon

In loving memory of:

Anna Fish

By Sandy Fish

In loving memory of:

Rachel Birnbaum

Hellen Miller

Leon Birnbaum

By Gay & Sam Birnbaum

In loving memory of:

Helen Miller

By Terry & Sam D. Roth

In loving memory of:

Emil Huttner

By Beatrice Huttner

Marilyn's Mitzvah Meals In loving memory of:

In loving memory of:

Dorothy & Bernard Pomper

By Linda & Fred Knox

In loving memory of:

Stanley Katz

By his children, Sue Soss, Sandi Sachs,

& Bob Katz

In loving memory of:

Lillian Schantz

By the twins, Sue Soss & Sandi Sachs, and Bob Katz

Music Fund

In celebration of:

Heidi & Chuck Hersh's 50th

Anniversary

In loving memory of:

M. Harriet Liebermann

By Yetta & Paul Gluck

In loving memory of:

Dr. David Brown

By Judy Brown

In loving memory of:

Lucille Manning

By Dr. Kathy Zoss

In celebration of:

Yetta & Paul Gluck's 60th **Anniversary**

By Barbara Kirkorsky

By Sarah & David Wilschek and Family

By Rabbi Courtney & Jeffrey Berman and Family

By Sandy Miller

By Ingrid Cohen

Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

In celebration of:

Sandy Kessler

By Emily, Erik, & Sidney Braslawsce

By Lark Dickstein-Rienerth

By Patricia Kelvin

In loving memory of:

Gerald Kessler

By the Kessler Family

In celebration of:

Sam Bernstine's Retirement

The Birth of Wanda & Mark **Huberman's Grandson**

By Chaya & Sandy Kessler

Barbara Fine

By Rick Fine & Family

In loving memory of:

Mollie Greenblatt

By Beth Holloway

Security Fund

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WHEN

March 21st, 2024

4:30pm-7:00pm

Check-in & Networking begins at

3:30pm

WHERE

Congregation Ohev Beth Sholom 1119 Elm St, Youngstown, OH 44505

RSVP

Please RSVP at Valleyedp.com by 3/18/2024

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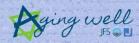






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Sunday, March 24 | 12:00 - 3:00 p.m. | JCC Multi-Purpose Room & Gymnasium

Enjoy carnival food, games, prizes, a bounce house, a costume contest, and more! Admission is free, tickets for games and food will be available for purchase. All families are welcome!

JOIN US FOR A MEGILLAH READING AT 10:30 A.M. WITH RABBI STERNSTEIN AND RABBI BERMAN!



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Register online at jccyoungstown.org/jcare.





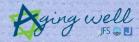
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• Thursday, March 21



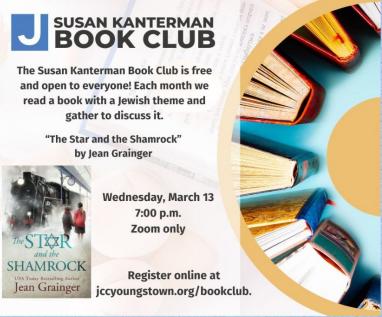
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