APRIL 2023 Nissan - Iyar 5783



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Rabbinic Reflections

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By the time this article is released, Pesach (Passover) will be less than a week away. Undoubtedly, the majority of us are in the midst of our holiday preparations, which may range from shopping and cooking to the intense spring cleaning that rids our homes of chametz, or leavened products.

Throughout my own life, Pesach has always been a time to which I look forward with great joy and anticipation. Like its American counterpart Thanksgiving, Pesach is a time when family and friends gather to share a wonderfully bountiful meal in a spirit of gratitude and an awareness of the blessings with which we have been provided.

For many families, in order to get to the "good part" of the seder during which we can simply relax with those we do not see often enough, we must suffer through everything in the Haggadah that precedes the meal. On one hand, perhaps this feeling of suffering is actually quite appropriate; after all, we are meant to be re-creating the experience of bondage. Of course, I say this in jest.

The truth is that the Haggadah is not a book of liturgy which was designed to be read word for word from one cover to the other. Much of this ancient text of ours is designed as a means of *fostering* conversation around the central theme of the day. The Pesach Seder is supposed to be a time when we gather for a guided conversation around our national and personal experience of freedom.

To illustrate this point, I draw your attention to the "Four Questions." If you take out your Haggadah and look, you will find that, first of all, there are not four questions being asked. There is only one question ("Why is this night different from all other nights?) which is followed by four answers. Even that one question is not actually a question at all! In Hebrew the word "Mah" means "what," but it can also mean "how," as in "How wonderful," "How awful," or in our case, "How different." Our Haggadot misunderstand and therefore mistranslate a statement that should read: "How different this night is from all other nights! For on all other nights we do that, but tonight only this!" If we look at the Mishnah, the foundational text of Jewish law, we can more clearly understand what the Four Questions are and for what purpose they were included in the Seder.

"They pour for him a second cup [of wine]. Here the son asks. And if the son has insufficient understanding his father teaches him: "How different this night is from all other nights! For on all other nights we dip once.... According to the child's ability to comprehend should the father teach." (Mishnah Pesachim 10:4)

The most striking point of this Mishnah is that, unlike our modern custom, it is not the child who "asks" the four "questions," but the person leading the seder. And they are only "asked" if the child is not already naturally asking questions. What the leader is doing by mentioning all the things that are so different about this night

is setting up the kids, and adults too, to ask the question, "Why?"

So much that we do during the Pesach seder is extremely different from the way we have meals every other night of the year. To a very large degree, many of the ritual items and procedures of the evening are consciously designed to encourage the asking of questions and the development of the ensuing conversations.

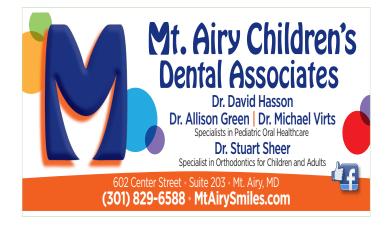
What I hope each of us takes away from this understanding is the notion that we can, and indeed ought to, create a seder experience in which we and our guests are truly engaged in discussions that are real and meaningful. One way to do this is to ask in advance that each of your guests come with a story of how they experienced a feeling of freedom from something that was holding them back. You can also ask each guest or family member to share the story of a group who is currently in need of redemption. Including topics like this will enliven your seder by adding new dimensions. Give yourselves permission to not read every single word of the Haggadah. In fact, I would argue that if you simply read the words as quickly as possible to get through it, though you may be doing so because of the belief that this is how it is properly done, the whole purpose of Pesach and the seder is being lost. What is most important is that real conversations around freedom are taking place and that we leave with a feeling of redemption, or at least that freedom is possible.

Wishing you all a Chag Sameach and the ability to arrive at that place where you feel as if you personally went out of Egypt.

MINYAN AT BSC

Please join us in the Beth Sholom sanctuary on Thursdays at 8:00 AM for minyan.





Message from the President

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Dear Beth Sholom Community,

I hope everyone is enjoying these beautiful signs of spring and getting ready for Pesach, my favorite time of the year!

I wanted to give you an update of the goings-on at Beth Sholom. As you probably realize, we've been very busy! We've worked hard to continue our progress

in offering new, fun programming. In March we held a fabulous Purim bash, had our first successful game night at Frederick Social, and held a wine tasting with our own Garry Cohen. In April we will celebrate Rabbi's promotion to Captain in the US Army, will hold our annual Yom Hashoah service in conjunction with Kol Ami, and will celebrate Yom Haatzmaut together with a picnic at Staley Park. It's certainly wonderful to see you all in 3-D again. We've also made great strides in identifying a new Executive Director. The top candidates will visit Beth Sholom during an upcoming Shabbat. Our subcommittees are hard at work as well. The finance committee is working hard to create a sustainable budget for next year, and an ad-hoc committee is looking into solar panels which will reduce our long-term electricity costs. And, this month we started using a texting system to help keep all congregants in the loop about everything Beth Sholom. Be sure to add the texting contact in your phone.

As always, I also want to remind you that there are many ways to donate to make sure all this activity is sustainable. Donating covers our costs for programming and makes it possible for everyone to participate in congregational activities. There are many reasons to donate to Beth Sholom throughout the year. A donation may be made to celebrate life events such as birthdays, engagements, weddings, anniversaries, Bar/Bat Mitzvahs, and the birth of a child. Donations can also be made to honor someone's memory. Your donations help to ensure Beth Sholom continues to provide a welcoming and inclusive presence in the community. You can easily provide a monthly donation of any size by contributing using our Sustainable Operations Support (SOS).

Sharon Edelstein Beth Sholom President 2022-2024

RELIGIOUS AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

The RAC will be meeting **April 20 at 11:15 am** in person and by Zoom to study source material about when Kaddish can be said and who can be counted in the minyan. We will also start planning for next year. Anyone interested is welcome to come but please let Monda know if you are coming at **Monda.Sagalkin@gmail.com**.

BINGO VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteering at Bingo is both a great way to help the finances of the congregation and to get to know both the broader Frederick community and Beth Sholom congregants. It's an excellent opportunity to meet new people, and have fun while also helping our community. Please get in touch with Marcia Newfeld (Mknewfeld1251@gmail.com) or Sharon Edelstein (smabeg@gmail.com) about volunteering.

WHAT ARE THE OPPORTUNITIES TO SUPPORT THE BETH SHOLOM COMMUNITY AND ITS MISSION?

MEMORIAL & HONORARY GIFTS

Throughout the year, memorial or honorary gifts may be made in memory or in honor of a person for a birthday, anniversary, holiday, or for a personal achievement. Gifts may be made to the General Fund, to a named fund or to the Beth Sholom Legacy Endowment Fund, and will be acknowledged each month in our *Bulletin*.

MONTHLY SUPPLEMENTAL DONATIONS

You can set up a monthly supplemental donation which will help Beth Sholom meet our day-to-day operating expenses, which we call our "SOS Fund". These may be made in honor of a person as described above. Such gifts will be acknowledged each month in our *Bulletin*.

LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES

Life insurance policies are often an advantageous way to fund an endowment gift because a large donation can be created through relatively small tax-deductible premium payments.

CHARITABLE TRUSTS

One flexible method for leaving a contribution to Beth Sholom is through a Charitable Remainder Trust, which also provides taxfree benefits to the donor.

CHARITABLE GIFT ANNUITIES

Similar to charitable remainder trusts, gift annuities provide another way to contribute to the future of Beth Sholom, take advantage of tax-free benefits, and ensure a continual stream of investment income for the congregation.

If you have any questions regarding donations, please do not hesitate to contact our Executive Director Rob Allen and/or your financial advisor.

From the Executive Director - April Shabbat Dates in History

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April 1 / 10 Nissan

Seven years after the cornerstone was laid, on April 1, 1925, the Hebrew University campus on Mount Scopus in Jerusalem officially opened in a gala ceremony attended by leaders of the Jewish world, and international dignitaries that included Winston Churchill. The University's first chancellor was Judah Magnes, who served in that capacity until 1935, after which he became the

school's president. Among the University's first Board of Governors were Albert Einstein, Sigmund Freud, Martin Buber and Chaim Weizmann. Since its founding, Hebrew University has

grown to three campuses in Jerusalem, and one in Rehovot. The world's largest library for Jewish studies, the National Library of Israel, is located on one of the Jersualem campus sites. Today's Hebrew University also has five affiliated teaching hospitals,



including Hadassah Medical Center, seven faculties, more than 100 research centers and 315 academic departments.

April 8 / 17 Nissan



Following the exposure of an illegally held United States bank account, Israel's fifth Prime Minister Yitzchak Rabin resigned from government service on **April 8, 1977**. Rabin succeeded Golda Meir after she resigned in 1974. Under Rabin's leadership, Israel and Egypt formulated the Sinai Interim Agreement that eventually lead to the peace treaty between the two countries that was signed in 1979. It was on Rabin's orders that the Israel Defense

Forces carried out Operation Entebbe, the undercover raid that rescued the passengers of an airliner in Uganda which was hijacked by Palestinian militants. Rabin was re-elected in 1992 for a second term as Prime Minister. With Rabin in attendance as the keynote speaker at the Jewish Federation of North America General Assembly in 1994, I had the honor of singing "HaTikvah" along with the Colorado Hebrew Chorale. It is a moment I will always cherish. Rabin was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize that year, along with Yasser Arafat and Shimon Peres, for his role in the creation of the Oslo Accords. Sadly, Rabin was assassinated in 1995 at a mass rally in Tel Aviv by a rightwing Israeli extremist who opposed the Accords.

April 15 / 24 Nissan

On its maiden voyage from Southampton to New York, the British luxury passenger liner Titanic sank on April 15, 1912, after striking an iceberg. Some 1,500 people died, and according to records from the White Star Line who operated the ship, several hundred of the passengers were Jewish. It is speculated that there may have been many more Jews who were fleeing the religious persecution and pogroms of Russia using forged documents and altered names. Among the more prominent Jews who perished on the Titanic that night were famous American mining magnate

Benjamin Guggenheim, and Isidor and Isa Straus, owners of Macy's Department Store. Straus' brother, Nathan, was also supposed to have been on the ill-fated ship but made a decision to remain in Israel to help the impoverished Jews who were



struggling in Jerusalem. He credited that decision for saving his life. The city of Netanya is named for him.

April 22 / 1 Iyar

Ground-breaking took place eight years earlier, but it was on April



22, 1993 that the Holocaust Memorial Museum was officially dedicated in Washington, D.C. It was under the administration of President Jimmy Carter that the concept of the memorial museum was established, and 1.9 acres of land adjacent to

the National Mall in D.C. was made available for the museum site. The construction cost was nearly \$200 million dollars (which probably would have been more than twice that amount based on today's economy) and was paid for by private donations. At the time of the ground-breaking, two milk cartons containing soil and ashes from several concentration camps were buried on the site to symbolize the Museum's mission and historical message. Among those in attendance at the dedication of the Museum were President Bill Clinton, Israeli President Chaim Herzog and Nobel Peace Prize winner Elie Wiesel, who was one of the children rescued by my father's Army unit when they liberated Buchenwald in 1945.

April 29 / 8 Iyar

We've heard and used the term "ghetto" for many years in reference to the horrific conditions under which European Jews found themselves living in the years leading up to World War II. But the word itself actually traces its beginnings to the date of 8 Iyar 5276 (April



20, 1516), when it was first used in reference to a restricted area of the Jewish Quarter of Venice, where the city's Jews were forced to move by decree of Dodge Leonardo Loredan and the Venetian Senate. The area was formerly the site of a foundry which manufactured weapons for the government of Venice. The Italian term for foundry is "ghetto."

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Holocaust Remembrance Day

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April 16, 2023 1:00 pm — 2:30 pm **Beth Sholom Congregation** 1011 N. Market St.



Growing Up With Holocaust Survivor Parents

Laizer was 16 and Lili was 12 when the Nazis wrested them away from their homes in Poland. Unbelievably, they met in 1945 through the barbed wire fence of a concentration camp, got married, and moved to New York City, where they've been since 1949. They will join us by video while their older son, Dr. Harvey Levy, a local dentist, author, lecturer and martial arts master, tells their story and describes the impact of the Holocaust on his familu.

Sheriff Chuck Jenkins will describe hate groups and activities in Frederick County. There will also be a candle lighting, proclamations from the City and County, appropriate Readings and Music.

> - No charge, but donations are always appreciated - Appropriate for ages 12 and up







Rosh Chodesh Group



Will Celebrate the Month of Ivar with Cantor Shulie Thursday, April 20th 7:00 pm In Person

Condolences to

Bob and Hannah Blumenthal on the passing of Bob's father, Herman Blumenthal

Jamie Wetrogan and Howard Wetrogan on the passing of Jamie's father, Ira Bluestein

Sylvia Guralnik, Jack Guralnik, Rich Guralnik and Betsy Maymon on the passing of husband and father, **David Guralnik**

Mazal Tov to

Dan and Amy Allex on the birth of their new grandchild (their first grandson) Noah David Allex

SUPPORT THE GIFT SHOP

The Gift Shop is now open on Sundays during Religious School hours, or by calling the synagogue office at 301-663-3437 to set up an appointment during office hours Monday through Friday.

You can also shop online at: https:// bethsholomgiftshop.com/



Religious School News

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March came in like a Purim carnival and went out with preparations for Pesach in our Religious School. We kicked off the month with a student-created spiel (skit) and and an amazing Purim carnival (a huge thank-you to Katelyn Vaughan who organized it and to all the parents who ran it). The social hall was packed with Purim games, food, and community. It was truly incredible.

Throughout the rest of the month, we focused on the value of recognizing the good, or Hakarat Hatov. Our 1st and 2nd graders took home their Havdalah boxes filled with crafts they had been working on, and our Pre-K and Kindergarten classes discussed Shalom Bayit, or how to create peace in the home. Before we knew it, the halls were filled with the sweet sounds of Mah Nishtanah as we prepared for Pesach.

We ended the month with a fantastic morning of family learning to prepare us for Passover. As a reminder, please check the April calendar as we will be closed for Passover and Spring Break. Chag Sameach, and may we all enjoy our journey from slavery to freedom this year.



TOT SHABBAT WITH CANTOR SHULIE

SATURDAY, APRIL 15TH AT 11:30 AM FOR CHILDREN AGES 2 - 7

GRAPE JUICE AND COOKIES WILL BE SERVED AFTERWARD



An opportunity for parents and their young children to experience the warmth and joy of Shabbat together

APRIL RELIGIOUS SCHOOL CALENDAR

Sunday, April 2

Religious School

Wed, April 5-Wed, April 19

Passover/Spring Break-no classes or Hebrew Power Hour

Sunday, April 23

Religious School

Wednesday, April 26

Hebrew Power Hour

Sunday, April 30

Religious School



Learning the four questions

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APRIL 2023

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APRIL 1 THRU APRIL 7

3/31 – 4/1 Days the names are read from the Bima

Herb Berkowitz

Carol Germain

Charlotte Glick

Rita Gordon

Gertrude Horowitz

William Loew

Bruce Magazine

Pauline Mower

Lillian Pittel

Yetta Poilev

Paul Ross

Benjamin Sager

Celia Shatsky

Paul Stein

Seth Zebovitz

APRIL 8 THRU APRIL 14

4/7 - 4/8 Days the names are read from the Bima

Mordecai Ben Mair

Bernard Bromberg

Maribeth Cornish

Minerva Rachel Dorris

Mae Diane Lohman

Arthur Markowitz

Moshe Miller

Maurice Raderman

Marsha Schochet Ruck

Sarah Rude

Irwin Solomon

Solomon Zamkoff

APRIL 15 THRU APRIL 21

4/14 - 4/15 Days the names are read from the Bima

Benjamin Adelman

Norman Cohen

Faye Cohen

Joseph Erlichman

Selman Ginsburg

Harriet Grever

Brenda Joyce Herman

Beverly Kaplan

Rita Kimmelman

Joseph Kravitz

Rose Levine

Lael Lubing

Herman Miller

William Nacher

Miriam Novick Rosenberg

Frances Polansky

Marilyn Raderman

APRIL 15 THRU APRIL 21

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4/14 - 4/15 Days the names are read from the Bima

Helen Royston

Rose Shapiro

Robin Travis

Mvra Treiber

Mr. Milton Vender

APRIL 22 THRU APRIL 28

4/21 – 4/22 Days the names are read from the Bima

Henry Adelman

Gladys Botkin

Benjamin Brandorff

Gussie Freilich

Dora Gordon

Frances Greenspan

Boris Hirschhorn

Harry Kroll

Vera Kuebbing

Gloria Langsam

Arthur Lepson

Ingebord Markowitz

Hodes Mogelever

Albert Pargament

Allison Gayle Patchen

Patricia Snyder

Harry Tulchinsky

George Weissman

APRIL 29 THRU MAY 5

4/28 - 4/29 Days the names are read from the Bima

Arthur Alper

Danielle Basford

Fannie Chadakowsky

Yetta Dubin

Judy Eissenstat

Samuel Gorelick

Albert Herzog

Hessie Lazerow

Morris Lenkin

Rudy Riskamm

Celia Rossio

Eva Schreibfeder

Marlene Smith

Art Stamler

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

June Bigelow Gabrielle Dwoskin John Flynn Susan Dwyer Ibby Levine John Helmer Mona Canter Michael Blum Randi Toth Richard Haber Daniel Allex **Judah Marcus** Martin Erlichman Robert Pincus Nathan Oconis Sandra Dorfman Linda Chapin Max Kenberg Balian Vaughan Stanley Binder Bryan Poltilove Lynda Sowbel Eric Green





Bryan Poltilove
Lynda Sowbel
Eric Green
Michael Lieberman
Andrea Groag
Cameron Holland
Penelope Popkin
Iris Green
Lindsay Morris
Jacob Levine
Gail Fineberg
Arnie Satin
Owen Weiss Zesati
Benjamin Myers



APRIL ANNIVERSARIES

Kevin & Jill Rance Alan & Sandra Winter Coleman & Donna Clarke Edward & Louise Myers Sherry & Christopher Wyskida Suzanne & Richard Markowitz

SAVE THE DATE:

Annual Congregational Meeting Thursday, May 18

at 6pm



The plan is to meet in person with a Zoom option



Mark Your Calendar!

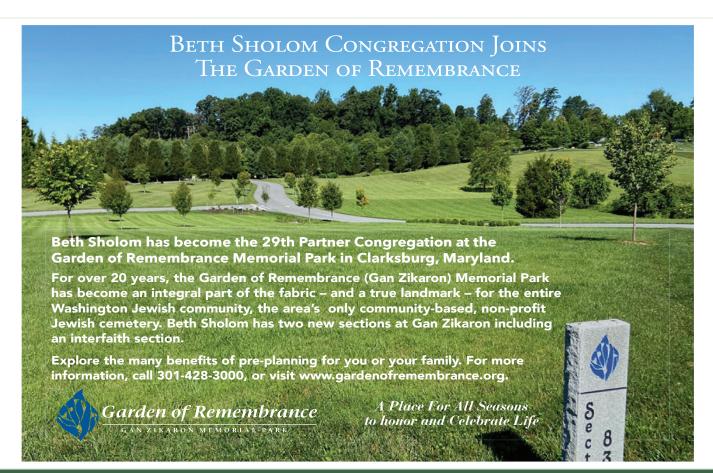
Saturday 1 (10 Nisan) Tzav Shabbat HaGadol Shabbat Morning . 9:30am Kiddush luncheo. 12:00pm Havdalah 8:23pm	8 (17 Nisan) Chol Hamoed Pesach 2nd Day Omer OFFICE CLOSED Shabbat Morning . 9:30am Havdalah 8:30pm	15 (24 Nisan) Shmini Shabbat Mevarchim 9th Day Omer Shabbat Morning . 9:30am Tot Shabbat w/ . 11:30am Havdalah 8:37pm	22 (1 lyyar) Tazria-Metzora Rosh Chodesh lyyar 16th Day Omer Shabbat Morning . 9:30am Kiddush luncheo. 12:00pm Havdalah 8:44pm	29 (8 lyyar) Achrei Mot-Kedoshim 23rd Day Omer Shabbat Morning . 9:30am Havdalah 8:51pm
Friday Sameach	7 (16 Nisan) Pesach 1st Day Omer OFFICE CLOSED Kabbalat Shabbat 7:00pm Candle Lighting 7:23pm	14 (23 Nisan) 8th Day Omer Kabbalat Shabbat. 7:00pm Candle Lighting 7:30pm	21 (30 Nisan) Rosh Chodesh lyyar 15th Day Omer Kabbalat Shabbat 7:00pm Candle Lighting 7:37pm	28 (7/yar) 22nd Day Omer Kabbalat Shabbat 7:00pm Candle Lighting 7:44pm
Thursday Charge C	6 (15 Nisan) Pesach OFFICE CLOSED Candle Lighting 8:20pm	13 (22 Nisan) Pesach Yizkor Yizkor 7th Day Omer OFFICE CLOSED Havdalah 8:35pm	20 (29 Nisan) 14th Day Omer Rosh Chodesh Gro. 7:00pm	27 (6 lyyar) 21st Day Omer
April 2023 Wednesday	5 (14 Nisan) Erev Pesach Taanit Bechorot Office Closes at 12:00 pm Hebrew Power Hour 5:30pm Candle Lighting 7:21pm	12 (21 Nisan) Pesach 6th Day Omer OFFICE CLOSED Candle Lighting 8:26pm	19 (28 Nisan) 13th Day Omer Adult Education. 11:00am Hebrew Power Hour 5:30pm Executive Commit. 7:30pm	26 (5 lyyar) Yom Ha'Atzmaut 20th Day Omer Adult Education. 11:00am Hebrew Power Hour 5:30pm Yom Ha'Atzmaut I. 6:00pm Board of Trustee. 7:00pm
Tuesday	4 (13 Nisan) Adult Education . 7:00pm	11 (20 Nisan) Chol Hamoed Pesach 5th Day Omer OFFICE CLOSED Candle Lighting 7:27pm	18 (27 Nisan) Yom HaShoah 12th Day Omer 12th Day Omer ESR Kabbalah 101. 1:00pm Adult Education . 7:00pm	25 (4 lyyar) Yom Hazikaron 19th Day Omer 19th Day Omer FSR Kabbalah 101. 1:00pm Adult Education . 7:00pm
Beth Sholom Congregation Sunday Monday	3 (12 Nisan) Mah Jong 12:00pm	10 (19 Nisan) Chol Hamoed Pesach 4th Day Omer OFFICE CLOSED	17 (26 Nisan) 11th Day Omer Mah Jong 12:00pm	24 (3 lyyar) 18th Day Omer Mah Jong 12:00pm
	2 (11 Nisan) Religious School 9:30am Rabbi's Army Pr. 11:30am Bingo 5:00pm	9 (18 Nisan) Chol Hamoed Pesach 3rd Day Omer OFFICE CLOSED	16 (25 Nisan) 10th Day Omer Annual Holocaust. 1:00pm Bingo 5:00pm	23 (2 lyyar) 17th Day Omer 17th Day Omer 9:30am Bingo 5:00pm 30 (9 lyyar) 24th Day Omer Religious School 9:30am Bingo
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Not only did we avoid starvation but, WOW!...you proved yourselves to be darn good chefs! I'll try to avoid the temptation to repeat the bothersome surgery just to get a few more DELUXE meals out this way!

Much love to you all!!

Carolyn Snyder & Jim Lewin



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LIFE CYCLE INFORMATION - WHEN A DEATH OCCURS

When a death occurs during working hours, please call the synagogue office at 301-663-3437 and ask for Rob Allen so that we may be of assistance. After hours, please call Rob's cell phone 303-717-3933, leave a message, and Rob will return the call.

Chesed/Religious Affairs Committee:

The Chesed Committee assists families who have experienced a death by providing food following the funeral. The Religious Affairs Committee will help set up and lead shivah minyanim. We welcome your interest and encourage your participation and assistance. We need you. Please join us in helping fellow congregants.

If you have any questions, please contact Rob Allen at 301-663-3437.



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Purim Fun at Beth Sholom





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