



# Ezra-Habonim, the Niles Township Jewish Congregation

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September – October 2014

Elul/Tishri/Cheshvan 5774~5775



## From the Rabbi's Desk

Dear friends,

We need each other.

We need each other now as the terror campaign against Israel continues and as violence against Jews worldwide persists. The unabated rocket attacks demand a strong response. Israel deserves our unwavering support in its campaign to stop the rockets, and it deserves the world's admiration for striving to avoid civilian casualties. Meanwhile, the persistent attacks against Jews in the United States, Europe, Australia, and elsewhere demand our attention and vigilance.

This situation demands solidarity. As we chant in the blessing for an upcoming new month, “Chaverim kol Yisrael” – all of Israel, friends.

We also need each other as the High Holy Days approach. For, although each one of us passes under the shepherd's staff one by one, we stand in line together. We engage in a solitary accounting of our own selves, but the presence of others engaged in the same process enhances our individual meditations. During our High Holy Days, we pray together and will repent, G-d willing, together too.

Our synagogue community at Ezra-Habonim, the Niles Township Jewish Congregation offers abundant opportunities to be together – socially, musically, at Shabbat meals, in prayer, in learning, on walks, and more. Our calendar veritably bursts with wonderful communal activities. I sincerely hope you will take advantage of what we have to offer in 5775.

Rabbi Hillel taught two millennia ago, “Al tifrosh min ha'tzibbur. Do not separate yourself from the community.” Our commentators elaborated on this dictum, teaching that we should “share in the community's woes and do nothing to undermine its solidarity.” All this is true, but I would revise it: May we share each other's woes; may we share each other's joys; and may we be strong and strengthened by our solidarity.

L'Shana Tova!

Rabbi Jeffrey Weill

*From our Cantor...*



Greetings,

For those of you who don't know, I am big fan of NFL football. Although we are in Bears country, when it comes to the NFL my allegiances are split. I love the Bears and always have since I was a child growing up in Baltimore. Who could forget McMahon, Singletary, Payton, the "Fridge", or the Superbowl Shuffle. Not me, but I must admit, I am first and foremost a Baltimore Ravens fan. (Lucky for me the two squads are not even in the same conference, so they rarely meet.)

The Ravens have an aura around their franchise for being a family, and for playing like a Raven. Notice they don't talk about playing like an all-star, they talk about the Raven way and playing like a Raven. A few summers ago during training camp Coach John Harbaugh introduced what would become one of the Ravens mantras throughout the season and beyond. His words were simple but powerful..."Attack each day with an enthusiasm unknown to mankind!"

These words have gotten me thinking recently. Lately, it seems that we are in some strange global melancholy. With so many struggles and sad events happening all around the world it seems that we are being lulled into wariness of each dawning day and what troubling news it will bring. But this is why Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur come around. They remind us that no matter what patterns we get stuck in, or what circumstances affect our lives, we get a chance to recreate ourselves on Rosh Hashanah and a chance to prove that our new stance, along with atonement, merits us another year on Earth by the end of Yom Kippur.

So, how can we make the most of it in Shul?

By attacking each day with an enthusiasm unknown to mankind! Pray, volunteer, teach, learn, hang-out, help, smile! But most importantly, COME TO SHUL! Our synagogue and our community are built by each individual one of you and when you are not involved we cannot be complete. We may not have the physical tools to play like Ravens (or Bears for that matter), but we sure can pray like EHNTJC'ers!

From myself, Heather, Adina, and baby Samuel we wish you all a happy, healthy, and invigorating year full of joy. And I pray that we all find the strength and focus to..."attack each day with an enthusiasm unknown to mankind!"

ShanaTova!

Cantor Benjamin Warschawski



**AVAILABLE EHNTJC CDS & DVDS**

Cantor Warschawski's High Holiday CD is  
available in the office, only \$18



**From our house to your home. From our congregational families to each other, we wish one another a healthy and meaningful New Year. May we be inscribed for the coming year. L'Shanah Tovah Tikatavu!**

# NEW YEAR GREETINGS

Lois and Paul Ankin and Family  
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 Adie Fuchs and Ron Salsburg  
 Franklin Gerber and Family  
 Barbara and Howard Gilbert  
 Lee and Abraham Golden  
 Mickey and Phil Gordon and Family  
 Ronia and Jerry Gross and Family  
 Abby and Neil Gurevitz  
 Joanne Hamer  
 Dr. Steven and Marla Hara  
 Judy and Alan Harris  
 Ricki and Bob Herling  
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 Rose-Lynn and Randy Jaffe  
 Sandy and Ken Kaiz  
 Alvin Kaplan  
 Dr. Arthur and Judith Klowden  
 Elaine and Bennett Koffman  
 Dr. and Mrs. Michael S. Korey  
 Evelyn and Earl Kuznetsky  
 Kaurryne and Shelly Lev  
 Lee and Elena Batman Levin

Bobbie and Stuart Levin  
 Paulette and Julian Levy and Family  
 Shaynee and Michael Lichtenstein  
 Pauline Lifton  
 Dorothy Elias Lipstadt  
 Evelyn (Evie) Lowenthal  
 Shirley and Marty Lubowich  
 The Maer Family  
 Esther and Bob Manewith  
 Tita and Harvey Mantel and Family  
 Sara and Mark Mayer  
 Rhoda Neubauer and Family  
 Marsha and Rich Newman  
 Debbie and Henry Novoselsky  
 Idelle Peaceman  
 Raymond Pershing  
 Sherry and Allen Petlin  
 Ada and Beryl Rabinowitz  
 Debbie and Stewart Reich and Family  
 Howard Romanek  
 Sherry and Ben Rontal  
 Diane Rosenfeld  
 Evie and Ralph Ruebner  
 Nora Saposnik  
 Arona and George Sarfatty  
 Dorothy Shaffer  
 Dr. and Mrs. Stanford Shulman  
 Jeanette Sigler and Seth and Trevor Karol  
 Dr. Martin and Flora Steigman and Family  
 Carol and Walter Straus  
 Irwin Sutker  
 Cynthia and Neal Toback  
 Frances and Lita Toll  
 Cantor Benjamin Warschawski,  
 Heather Johnson and Family  
 Barbara and Joel Wax  
 Elaine and Harry Wayne  
 Rabbi Jeffrey and Julie Weill and Family  
 Ruth Williams  
 Sally Brown-Winter and Jeff Winter  
 Dolly and Bob Zavell  
 Ida and Irving Zeman  
 Sharon and Jay Zite

*"And when you reap the harvest of your land, you shall not wholly reap the corner of your field...  
 You shall leave them for the poor and the stranger..."* Leviticus 19:9

For 37,000 Chicagoland Jews, the Yom Kippur fast is not always a voluntary activity. Please help us end the shame and pain of hunger. During Rosh Hashanah, bags will be distributed for you to fill with non-perishable kosher food items and paper goods and return to Ezra-Habonim, the Niles Township Jewish Congregation on Yom Kippur. These items will be donated to The ARK for distribution to Chicagoland Jews in need.



Please join us for  
**Selichot**  
 Septemer 20, 2014 at EHNTJC

Men's Club Program

9:30pm **Critical Times: Israel Security Briefing and European Anti-Semitism** Speaker: Amy Miller, Assistant Director, International Affairs and Communications at the American Jewish Committee Chicago

10:15pm Dessert Reception

10:45pm Selichot Service  
 with  
 Rabbi Jeffrey Weill  
 Cantor Benjamin Warschawski

**Fasting on Yom Kippur**

The Talmud declares that the commandment to save a life overrules the Yom Kippur fast. People who are ill or taking certain medications, as well as pregnant and nursing women, should eat.

***Remember to bring the following on the High Holidays:***

- Tallit Bag
- Prayer Book Mahzor Hadash
- High Holy Day Tickets
- Filled to the brim ARK Food Drive bags
- Sweater, jacket or wrap (cool inside)

**5775/2014 High Holiday Service Schedule**

**5775**

**TISHREI CYCLE**

**2014**

Saturday	September 20	Selichot - Men's Club Program - Amy Miller, American Jewish Committee	9:30PM
		Havdalah-Men's Club Reception	10:15PM
		Selichot Service	10:45PM
Wednesday	September 24	Erev Rosh Hashanah	8:00PM
Thursday	September 25	Rosh Hashanah Day I	9:00AM
		Young Children Service (Grades K-5) in Learning Center	10:00AM
		Youth Service (Grades 6-12) in Chapel	10:00AM
		Tashlich	3:30PM
		Erev Rosh Hashanah Day II	7:00PM
Friday	September 26	Rosh Hashanah Day II	9:00AM
		Rosh Hashanah Teshuva Tots	3:30PM
Friday / Saturday	September 26/27	Shabbat Shuva	7:00PM & 9:30AM
Friday	October 3	Kol Nidre	7:00PM
Saturday	October 4	Yom Kippur	9:00AM
		Young Children Service (Grades K-5) in Learning Center	10:00AM
		Youth Service (Grades 6-12) in Chapel	10:00AM
		Learning with Michael Rosenberg	2:30PM
		Yom Kippur Teshuva Tots	3:00PM
		Mincha	4:00PM
		Yizkor-Memorial Service	5:00PM
		Neilah	5:45PM
		Havdalah & Congregation Breaking of Fast	7:10PM
<b>SUKKOT-SIMCHAT TORAH</b>			
Wednesday	October 8	Erev Sukkot	7:00PM
Thursday	October 9	Sukkot Day I	9:30AM
		Erev Sukkot Day II	7:00PM
Friday	October 10	Sukkot Day II	9:30AM
		Shabbat Service	7:00PM
Saturday	October 11	Shabbat Service	9:30AM
Wednesday	October 15	Erev Shemini Atzeret	7:00PM
Thursday	October 16	Shemini Atzeret-Yizkor	9:30AM
		Erev Simchat Torah - Pizza Dinner (by reservation only)	6:00PM
		Consecration & Hakafot (Torah processions)	7:00PM
Friday	October 17	Simchat Torah - Hakafot	9:30AM

# MAZEL TOV TO...

- Mike & Helen Abrams on the birth of their grandson, Avi Rohan Bernstein.
- Parents Jeffrey & Valerie Reich and grandparents Stewart & Debbie Reich on the birth of Hudson James Reich.
- Dean Ralph & Evie Ruebner on the engagement of their daughter, Dr. Rebecca Ruebner to Dr. Samuel Sanders, son of Judy and Michael Sanders of Potomac, Maryland.
- Martin & Flora Steigman on their new granddaughter, Zaria Tess Zucker-Steigman.
- Parents Christopher Skaggs & Tracy Jaffe Skaggs and grandparents Randy & Rose-Lynn Jaffe on the birth of Ryder Storm Skaggs.



...to George & Veronika Urban for sponsoring the Kiddush luncheon in honor of their 40th wedding anniversary & the baby naming of Maya Eve & Kayla Eden.

...Jack & Roz Goldberg for sponsoring the Kiddush luncheon in honor of Jack's 80th birthday.

...Beryl & Ada for sponsoring the Kiddush luncheon in honor of their 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

...Barry & Bobbie Berkowitz for sponsoring the Kiddush luncheon in honor of Barry's birthday.

...Rich & Marsha Newman for sponsoring the Kiddush luncheon in honor of their anniversary.

## Welcome to Our New Members -

Doris Baer  
Douglas Bellows & Bonnie Stesin  
Brent & Barbara Brotine  
Abraham & Lee Golden  
Robert & Ricki Herling  
Ethel Sostrin  
Jeff Winter & Sally Brown-Winter

## Tree of Life

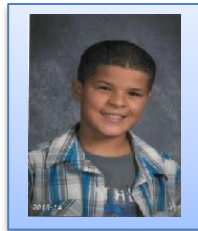


Share Your Joy

Dedicate a leaf on the  
Tree of Life sculpture  
in the synagogue lobby.

Celebrate your happy events.  
Call Bill Gerber in the office.

## Mazel Tov to Allan Burgin on his Bar Mitzvah!



Allan, son of Lori Struthers, will celebrate his Bar Mitzvah on September 20, 2014. Allan is currently in the 8<sup>th</sup> grade at Old Orchard Jr. High. At school he participates in soccer, volleyball and band. He also enjoys playing video games, reading and collecting cards.

Allan has designated a soup kitchen for his tzedakah contribution.

Kiddush luncheon will be sponsored by Lori Struthers.

## Mazel Tov to Hanna Schoeneman on her Bat Mitzvah!



Hanna, daughter of Judy Orbach and Larry Schoeneman, will celebrate her Bat Mitzvah on October 11, 2014. Hanna is currently in the 8<sup>th</sup> grade at McCracken Middle School. At school she participates in student council, orchestra and concert choir. She also enjoys acting and baking.

Kiddush luncheon will be sponsored by Judy Orbach and Larry Schoeneman.



The Ezra-Habonim, Niles Township Jewish Congregation

## **SISTERHOOD CORNER—September, 2014**

Evelyn Lowenthal, Sisterhood President

Judy Arkin, Editor ([kjarkin99@comcast.net](mailto:kjarkin99@comcast.net))

### ***From the President's Desk...***

This last Shabbat we recited the blessing for the new month of *Elul* which gives us warning that the High Holidays are just around the corner—a month away. *Selichot* is the official beginning of the High Holiday season, this year on September 20<sup>th</sup>, the Saturday evening before Rosh Hashanah.

Our 2014-2015 Sisterhood year has also just begun, kicking off with our Opening Luncheon and Fashion Show on September 10<sup>th</sup>. On October 19<sup>th</sup>, we hope you will join us at the Devonshire Center for “*Condo-mania!*” featuring our member, Sally Jablo. Flyers for both events are enclosed. Watch your mail for details on all of our exciting programs and activities!

It's not too late to join Sisterhood! Dues for this year are \$36 for a Standard Membership, \$54 for a Sustaining Membership and \$72 for a Benefactor Membership. Contact our Membership Chair—Ada Rabinowitz at (847)673-0697 for more information.

On Sunday, October 5<sup>th</sup>, our Sisterhood will be helping the religious school students decorate the *sukkah* and sponsoring a pizza lunch. We hope you will come and help—11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. From our Sisterhood Board—*L'Shana Tovah* 5775 to all the members of EHNTJC and our Sisterhood!

*B'Shalom! Evelyn Lowenthal*

### ***News and Notes...***

- Be a media mogul! A \$5 contribution makes you a sponsor of our Sisterhood bulletin. Please mail your contributions to:  
Judy Arkin c/o EHNTJC Sisterhood  
4500 Dempster Street  
Skokie, IL 60076
- If you have news to share, contact Judy Arkin at [kjarkin99@comcast.net](mailto:kjarkin99@comcast.net).
- Sisterhood donation cards are 10/\$10 and the Chai cards are 6/\$18. The cards are available in the synagogue office.
- Check out our **GIFT SHOP** cases for new honey dishes, hostess gifts, mezuzahs and kosher parchments! Call Evie Lowenthal at (847)673-2505 for more information.
- The new Women's League **Calendar Datebooks** are here! They are just \$10 and are a great way to carry your plans everywhere with Jewish holidays and dates at your fingertips. Contact Evie Lowenthal at (847)673-2505 to place your order!

### ***SAVE THE DATE...***

Join us on **Thursday, November 6<sup>th</sup>** at **7:30 p.m.** with author Ken Krimstein as we celebrate Jewish Book Month!



### **OPENING FASHION SHOW and LUNCHEON**

Featuring fashions from *BONJOUR MADAME* and *BOUTIQUE UNIQUE*

Come join us at our Opening Luncheon and Fashion Show on Wednesday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 noon. It will be fun to see all of you there! Sisterhood models will be walking the runway.

The cost is \$18 for 2014-2015 Sisterhood Members, \$23 for Guests and \$25 at the door.

Idelle Peaceman  
Program Vice President

## BOOK CLUB TO DISCUSS "The Goldfinch"

The next meeting of the Sisterhood Book Club will be on Wednesday, September 17th at 10:30 a.m. at the synagogue. We'll discuss "The Goldfinch" by author Donna Tartt.

Theo Decker, a 13 year-old New Yorker, miraculously survives an accident that kills his mother. Abandoned by his father, Theo is taken in by the family of a wealthy friend. Bewildered by his strange new home on Park Avenue, disturbed by schoolmates who don't know how to talk to him, and tormented above all by his longing for his mother, he clings to the one thing that reminds him of her—a small, mysteriously captivating painting that ultimately draws Theo into the underworld of art.

Please join us for a lively discussion!  
Refreshments will be served.

RSVP to one of our Book Club Chairs:  
Dorothy Lipstadt (847)673-3525  
Elaine Lampert (847)537-1240  
Judith-Rae Ross (847)673-7728

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A hearty **WELCOME** to our new  
2014-2015 Sisterhood members:

Sally Brown-Winter	Ann Pervosky
Judith Cohen	Clara Pirsch
Pearl Cohen	Heddie Romanoff
Lee Golden	Beverly Rosenthal
Connie Kaminsky	Evie Ruebner
Elaine Koffman	Galete Shachar
Jacqueline Levin	Veronika Urban
Sandy Miller	Barbara Werner

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## **KNITTING PROJECT**

Sisterhood is making shawls for breast cancer patients. The yarn is available at Michael's or any hobby store. The office has copies of the instructions.

If you would like more information, feel free to call Idelle Peaceman at (847)254-7745. There is no time limit on how long it takes. It is a spare-time project. Have fun doing this!



## **Rosh Hashanah...and You** by Judith-Rae Ross

Rosh Hashanah, the Jewish new year 5775 begins at sundown, Wednesday, September 24<sup>th</sup> and ends at sundown, Friday, September 26<sup>th</sup>. It's a joyous holiday. Rosh Hashanah means family get-togethers, complete with matzo-ball soup, baked chicken, or a vegetarian casserole, wine and challah. Rosh Hashanah exudes warmth and love. It tastes like apples and honey, and smells like plum cake. 'New Year's' greetings are sent; shouts of "Shana Tova" ring out on the streets.

But Rosh Hashanah has a darker side; it ushers in the "Days of Awe". God passes judgment on all the Jews on Rosh Hashanah, inscribes their fate and seals it on Yom Kippur. The Rosh Hashanah service includes a list of fates God may inscribe. The image of a stern, bearded man scowling over a clipboard looms large as He decides "who shall live and who shall die".

My dread grows as we begin the public confession of sin in the Rosh Hashanah service. "For the sin wherein we have sinned before Thee by..." And I find myself guilty of each count. By service's end I'm demanding my lawyer.

There's no relief after services end the first day. Many Jews observe the custom of *Tashlikh* by going to a river and casting away their sins symbolized by small pieces of bread. Unfortunately, the sense of awe too often overpowers the joy of reaching another year.

Yet, this doesn't have to happen. Rosh Hashanah actually celebrates the world's creation. It's a birthday party of sorts; time to think about how to make this world better; and time to take stock of shortcomings and start life anew.

Happy New Year! May you be inscribed in the Book of Life for health, happiness and love—and may we all work together to make this a better world.

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## **Good and Welfare...**

- *Mazel Tov* to Flora Steigman on the birth of her new granddaughter—Zaria Tess Zucker-Steigman.

# Fashion Show

## THE *Sisterhood* of EZRA-HABONIM, THE NILES TOWNSHIP JEWISH CONGREGATION



Invites you to attend our  
***Opening Luncheon and Fashion Show***

Featuring fashions from  
***BONJOUR MADAME and BOUTIQUE UNIQUE***  
in Niles

**DATE:** Wednesday—September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2014

**TIME:** 12:00 noon

**PLACE:** EHNTJC Social Hall

**COST:** \$18.00 for 2014-2015 Sisterhood Members  
\$23.00 for Guests • \$25.00 at the door

PLEASE CLIP FORM BELOW AND RETURN WITH YOUR PAYMENT BY SEPTEMBER 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2014

### EHNTJC Sisterhood Opening Luncheon/Fashion Show

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

I have paid my 2014-2015 Membership Dues and plan to attend the luncheon \$18.00

I would like to pay my Membership Dues (\$36) *now* and attend the luncheon \_\_\_\_\_

I am bringing a guest(s) \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$23.00 each Guest(s) name: \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed is my check payable to EHNTJC SISTERHOOD for \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(cash or check only – no credit card charges)

Please send in your completed reservation by September 3<sup>rd</sup> to:

EHNTJC SISTERHOOD  
ATTN: Sisterhood Opening Luncheon  
4500 Dempster Street  
Skokie, IL 60076

*For more information, please contact Idelle Peaceman at (847)254-7745.*



# THE *Sisterhood*

of EZRA-HABONIM, THE NILES TOWNSHIP JEWISH CONGREGATION

*Invites you to join us live and in person!*



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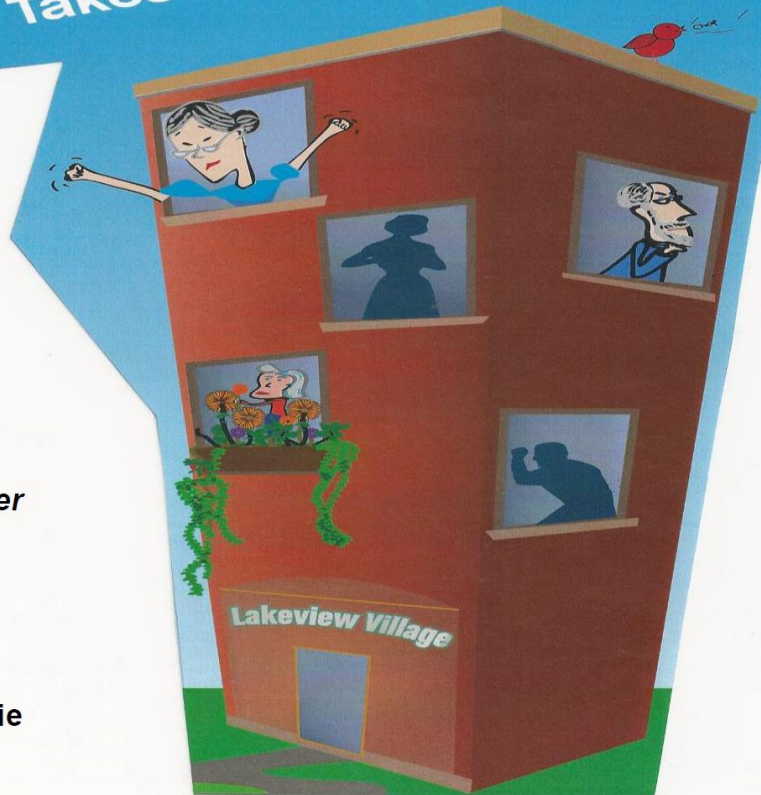
Your favorite singing seniors are living the high-rise life – and the condo board had better watch out! Everyone has a story – a complaint – a passion – and an opinion. Can they all get along? Make yourself at home and you'll see why *It Takes a Village*!

**Featuring our Sisterhood Member  
Sally Jablo**

**Sunday--October 19<sup>th</sup>, 2014  
2:00 p.m.**

**Devonshire Center  
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**Tickets -- \$14.00 each**



PLEASE CLIP FORM BELOW AND RETURN WITH YOUR PAYMENT BY OCTOBER 5<sup>TH</sup>:

**EHNTJC Sisterhood Condo-Mania!**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of tickets for Sunday, October 19<sup>th</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$14 each      Total Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_  
(cash or check only – no credit card charges)

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For more information, please call Idelle Peaceman at (847)254-7745.

## MEN'S CLUB BRIEFS

### Share a Sunday Brunch with Jeff & Janis

Men's Club presents the exciting duo of Jeff Winter and Janis Fine for your Sunday brunch pleasure. They will offer an eclectic variety of selections that includes popular music from different eras, show tunes and standards, Jewish, Yiddish, Israeli and other ethnic selections. Enjoy their performance as they use engaging, interesting harmonies, guitar, autoharp, harmonica, percussion, and occasional ukulele.



Join us for brunch  
Sunday, September 7th at 10 am

### It Isn't the Popcorn

Two recent programs sponsored by Men's Club were presented by members of our synagogue on widely differing topics. And, would you believe, the audiences didn't miss the popcorn? (Actually, we served sweets instead!)



Michael Lichtenstein spoke at length on his experiences during his tenure as a NASA project manager. He was visibly affected as he spoke of the Challenger disaster.

"Bringing Yiddushkeit to the Former Soviet Union" was the subject of the Power Point presentation by Esther Manewitz. Her program was especially meaningful in light of the events currently taking place in Russia and Ukraine.

### Tentative Program Schedule (Sept.-Oct.)

Sept. 2	Board Meeting
Sept. 7	Sunday Brunch with Jeff & Janis
Sept. 20	Selichot program
Oct. 6	Board Meeting



The officers, board and members of EHNTJC Men's Club wish you and yours a healthy, happy and sweet new year.

### EHNTJC offers heartfelt condolences to...

Lee (Elena Batman) Levin on the loss of his mother Lorolei Levin, grandmother of Alyssa.

Roz Gallai on the loss of her nephew, Arthur Hackin.

*May G-d comfort them among the mourners of Zion and Jerusalem.*

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# Rabbi Neil and Erica Brief

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Dear EHNTJC Member:

Think of all the merchants you shop at, the professionals you see, the services you use during the month. If every EHNTJC member helped us solicit just one ad for our Tribute Ad Book honoring Rabbi Neil and Erica Brief — just one — we would more than reach our goal to raise \$25,000 toward synagogue programs.

And because we realize not every member is able to purchase an ad — many of you were especially generous in your Torah Fund Project contributions and we appreciate that — this is an additional, easy way to benefit EHNTJC.

In fact, purchasing space in our Tribute Ad Book is a real win-win for area businesses. They gain valuable promotion among our membership and pass-along readers who are local prospects. And they receive a tax deduction as a contribution or advertising expense.

Many businesses already have dollars allocated for ad books and similar programs — especially outlets of large national companies. So in many cases, you simply have to ask ... leave a copy of our advertising contract ... and give yourself a hand for a job well done!

We've attached a copy of the advertising contract, which you can duplicate or pick up additional copies in the synagogue office.

Thanks in advance for your help. We are eager to make our 2014 Tribute Ad Book a huge success!

Best regards,

Judy Frank and Ada Rabinowitz  
Tribute Ad Book Chairpersons

Allan Carroll  
Congregation President

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best to solicit?**

**Anyone from A to Z ...**

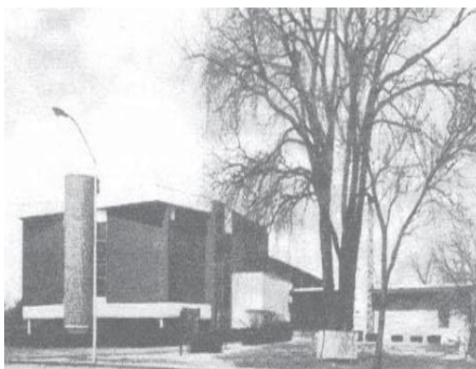
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## Honoring

# Rabbi Neil and Erica Brief

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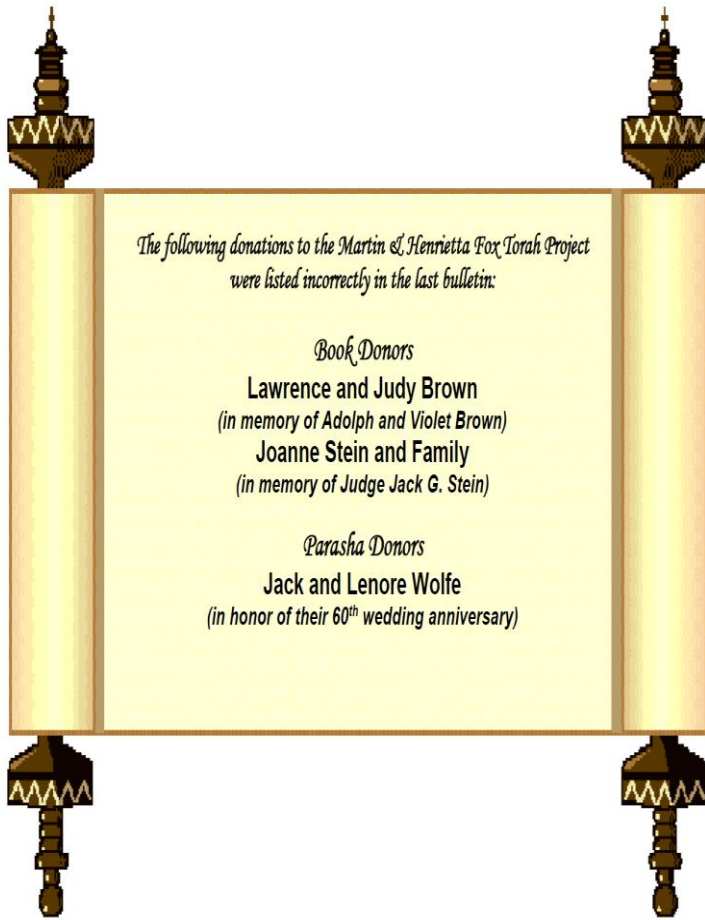
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## Save the Date...

Sunday--October 12th, 2014

11:00 a.m.

at

EHNTJC

Celebrate the culmination of  
this year's Ad Book  
at a festive brunch honoring  
Rabbi Neil and Erica Brief.

Please mark your calendar and plan  
to join us for this special occasion!  
The Ad Book will be distributed at  
that time. Invitation to follow.

### EHNTJC Adult Education Courses Fall 2014 – Summer 2015

In the fall of 2014, Rabbi Weill will teach an Introduction to Judaism class to be held on Thursday evenings from October 30<sup>th</sup> thru December 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm to 8:45p.m. Cost is \$75 for EHNTJC members/\$85 for non-members.

Hazzan Fortune Belilos will teach an 8-session haftarah class in the spring of 2015 (March through May).

Following the haftarah class, in the summer of 2015, Rabbi Weill will continue Introduction to Judaism (part 2). You may take these classes just for "Torah Lishma" – learning for its own sake – or as prerequisites for becoming an adult bat/bar mitzvah.

In addition to the above classes, Rabbi Weill will continue to teach his weekly Torah classes.

## Save the Date

Scholar-in-Residence 2014

**Rabbi Peretz Rodman**

Friday, November 14<sup>th</sup>

*Prayers that Annoy, Prayers that  
Amuse: Reading the Siddur with  
Open Eyes and Tongue in Cheek*

Shabbat Dinner at 6:30

Shabbat Service at 8:00



EHNTJC invites you to join us for a production at the Skokie Theatre

### "Sweet Charity"

*Musical Direction by Gary Powell*

Sunday, September 14<sup>th</sup> at 2:00pm

Wednesday, September 17<sup>th</sup> at 1:30pm

Tickets: \$36.00

For more information, contact Judy Frank at (847)677-4950.

## SOCIAL ACTION CORNER SEPTEMBER – OCTOBER 2014 – Ruth Siegel – Chair

### UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

On **October 29<sup>th</sup>** at 7:30PM, following minyan, a special program from Decalogue of Lawyers, ***"Hate Crimes: Criminal and Civil Remedies, and the Effects on Targeted Communities"***, will be presented at EHNTJC. (CLE credit will be available.)

The final program in our series on marginalized groups will be the morning of **November 16<sup>th</sup>**. Following a shacharit service, there will be a presentation focusing on issues of domestic violence by **Bobbie Gordon from Shalva**. A light breakfast will be served so please call the office to RSVP so we know how much food will be needed.

### **METALS, SPORTS EQUIPMENT, APPLIANCES & COMPUTERS RECYCLING EVENT -**

Sunday, September 7<sup>th</sup> 9:00am to 1:00pm in the EHNTJC parking lot.

### **MAOT CHITIM ROSH HASHANAH FOOD PACKING & DELIVERY –**

Please call the office to let us know if you are going to join our packing group.

**NORTH SHORE JEWISH COMMUNITIES CAMPAIGN FORUM** – October 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm (see below for details)



## SAVE the DATE

# Election 2014

North Shore Jewish Community  
Candidate Forum

We are partnering with 23 other synagogues, Jewish communal groups, and day schools to host a North Shore Jewish Community Candidate Forum.

Come meet and hear from the federal and state legislative candidates in our area as they address the hottest issues facing our country, our neighborhoods, and our Jewish community. For more information about the Candidate

Forum, please contact:

Scott N. Schreiber  
312-985-5595

Monday  
October 6, 2014

7:30PM

B'nai Jehoshua Beth Elohim  
1201 Lake Cook Road,  
Deerfield



### Metals, Sports Equipment, Appliances & Computers Recycling Event

Sunday September 7, 2014

9:00AM – 1:00PM

4500 Dempster – EHNTJC Parking Lot

Bring in your outdated, unwanted, broken materials for recycling.

#### Recycled Materials Include

**Metals** - Metal sinks, aluminum siding, holiday lights, all types of electric or telephone cords, all types of wire, faucets and faucet parts, copper tubing, metal tubing, aluminum cans, steel shelving, file cabinets, lamps, propane tanks, hot water tanks, cutlery, silverware, oxygen tanks, metal lawn chairs, outdoor metal furniture, pots and pans, tools, expired fire extinguishers, cars (with titles), motorcycles (with titles), car and truck batteries

**Sports Equipment** - Sports equipment, exercise equipment, weights, weight lifting benches, bicycles, tricycles

**Appliances** - Small kitchen appliances, large appliances - washers, dryers, refrigerators, stoves

**Computers\*** - Computers, all computer parts, computer screens, copiers, fax machines, printers, scanners, all-in-ones, computer cords

**HELP THE ENVIRONMENT – GET RID OF YOUR CLUTTER**

**HELP THE CONGREGATION**

*This event is sponsored by the Social Action Committee  
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**SAVE THE DATES!**

**Maot Chitim of Greater Chicago**

**Rosh Hashanah Delivery**

- Packing Day: Sunday, September 14, 2014 11:30am
- Delivery Day: Sunday, September 21, 2014 9:00am

Location: 3411 Woodhead Drive, Northbrook

*Maot Chitim's mission is to purchase and distribute kosher holiday food to needy Jewish individuals in the Chicagoland area. We do this, so they may observe the holidays in a traditional dignified manner.*

*We work with all segments of the Jewish community to join together to perform an incredible Mitzvah. We count on you, the volunteers to help us pack and deliver food for the holidays. It's an experience that everyone can appreciate. The events of the day create rewarding memories that last year to year.*

*If you have any questions, or need more information, please call Joellyn at 847-674-3224 or email us at [info@maotchitim.org](mailto:info@maotchitim.org)*

A partner in serving our community, supported by the Jewish United Fund/Jewish Federation

## Our great funds to donate to:

**BELLA BRIEF FUND** – This fund is used by our Rabbi to schedule programs and guest speakers for the congregation.

**CANTOR'S MUSIC FUND** – This fund is designated for the Cantor's use to benefit the congregation's musical programs.

**VIVIAN CHANNON SOCIAL ACTION/TZEDAKAH FUND** – This fund is used for social action and/or tzedakah projects for people in need and disasters in the world.

**CONGREGATION FUND** – This fund is used by the congregation for general operating expenses.

**GEMILITH CHESED – LOTTE GRUEN FUND** – This fund *confidentially* assists needy members of the congregation. Funds are awarded by a committee.

**HERMAN GREENBAUM CAMP RAMAH FUND** – This fund assists needy members of the congregation to attend Camp Ramah. The scholarships are awarded by a committee.

**HILLMAN LIBRARY FUND** – This fund is used to purchase books and materials for the congregation's library.

**GERALD MELTON SIMCHA FUND** – This fund provides support of our *Onegs* and receptions – donations can commemorate a special event or *simcha*.

**PRAYER BOOK FUND** – This fund is used to purchase prayer books and Chumashim. Bookplates are inscribed and placed in the front of purchased books. (\$25 minimum donation)

**RABBI EMERITUS FUND** – This fund is designated for the Rabbi Emeritus' use at his discretion to promote the synagogue, for education or charitable organizations.

**RABBI'S SPECIAL FUND** – This fund is designated for the Rabbi's use at his discretion to promote the synagogue, for education or charitable organizations.

**STEVE & MARGRIT REICH RELIGIOUS SCHOOL FUND** – This fund provides confidential support to families who need scholarships for their children to attend our Religious School. It also helps the school to underwrite needed projects.

**RELIGIOUS SCHOOL EDUCATION FUND** – This fund is used for the Religious School as needed with the approval of the Religious Education Committee.

**RUBIN/LEVETON CAMP SCHOLARSHIP FUND** – This fund assists children of the congregation to attend Jewish-oriented summer camps (other than Camp Ramah). The scholarships are awarded by a committee.

**AVRAHM STAMPFER FUND** – This fund assists member children who will be going on sponsored trips to Israel. Scholarships are awarded by a committee.

**TALCOTT/LEVIN YOUTH ACTIVITIES FUND** – This fund is used for youth activities and programs with the approval of the Youth Activities Committee.



## HERE'S A GREAT WAY TO HELP THE SYNAGOGUE AND IT'S SO EASY!!

If you shop at Jewel, purchase our \$100 Jewel cards. You get full value and the synagogue gets money back for each card sold.

Jewel cards can be acquired from Bill Gerber in the synagogue office.

## Synagogue Wish List

There are so many items the synagogue truly needs that our congregants, if only they knew, would be pleased to provide. Here are some of our Wish List items with approximate costs:

**New Paint (Social Hall)**  
\$10,000

**New & Improved Website and Maintenance**  
\$5000

**Help with a Membership**  
\$1218 Single  
\$2218 Family

**Chairs on Bima Reupholstery (Named)**  
\$1000 each

**Carpet Cleaner/Shampooer**  
\$600

**Vacuum Cleaner**  
\$540

**Religious School Books & Supplies**  
\$110/student

**Gift cards from Sam's Club or Office Max**  
Any denomination



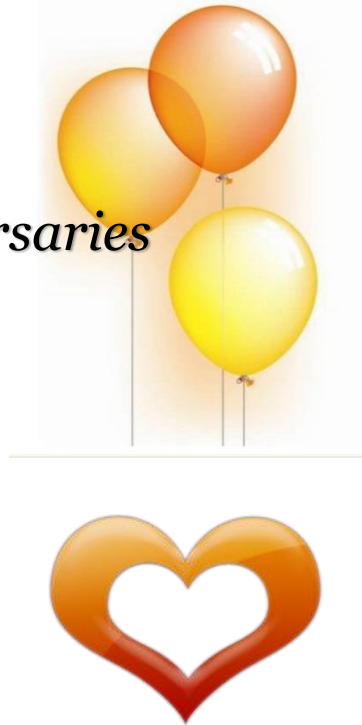
# Let's Celebrate!!

## September Birthdays

Tracy Ankin	Jacob Karb	Gabriel Rubin
Hillary Bartman	Yelena Kolezeva	Ruth Siegel
Bette Blumenthal	Leah Lazere	Helene Simon
Brent Brotine	Jonathan Maer	David Solovy
Joshua Burton	Michelle Maer	Edie Sue Sutker
Herbert Cohen	Marsha Newman	Shelley Sutker-Dermer
Joan Cook	Bonnie Powell	Janet Terry
Dale Elikan	Dmitri Preobrazhensky	Irene Walanka
Marlynn Fleischer	Fred Ring	Julie Weill
Harline Goldberg	Jack Rosenberg	Ruth Williams
Vera Gorr	Stanley Rosenbloom	Jeff Winter
Joyce Hoyt		Lenore Wolfe

## October Birthdays

Joanne Abelman	Sophia Kreinik
Michael Abrams	Gloriann Levy
Penny Arnold	Dorothy Lipstadt
Esther Berman	Lawrence Margolies
Roger Berman	Allen Petlin
Jeanette Block	George Peyovich
Rabbi Neil Brief	Sheldon Post
Nina Brody	Allan Price
Linda Chizewer	Stewart Reich
Kay Dicker	Deborah Rheinstrom
Lawrence Eisman	Jeffrey Sacks
Abby Gurevitz	Elaine Stein
Joanne Hamer	Lloyd Stein
Gail Isaacson	Sigmund Steinfink
Sally Jablo	Lori Struthers
Sandy Kaiz	David Zavell



## September Anniversaries

Ted & Rochelle Adler  
Jerry & Ronia Gross  
Melvin & Sally Isenstein  
Fred & Yvette Karb  
Bob & Esther Manewith  
Jeff Sacks & Pye Squire  
Eugene & Lois Schaffner  
Alex & Judi Stein  
Norman & Phyllis Weiner

## October Anniversaries

Benji & Faye Bearman  
Douglas Bellows & Bonnie Stesin  
Marvin & Marcia Cooper  
Larry & Lisa Kaplan  
Dmitri Preobrazhensky & Yelena Kolezeva  
James & Darcee Rabinowitz  
Stewart & Debbie Reich  
Joel & Barbara Wax  
Yigael & Lila Weltman  
David & Carla Zavell

## Have a Simcha?

Call the office if you would like to sponsor a Kiddush luncheon in honor of a birthday or anniversary or to make a donation to the **Gerald Melton Simcha Fund**. This fund provides support of our Onegs and receptions. Donations can commemorate a special event or simcha.





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<u>CANTOR'S MUSIC FUND</u>	<u>IN MEMORY OF</u>
Sally & Cy Jablo	Lorolei Levin
Phyllis & Sheldon Post	Lorolei Levin
Carol & Walter Straus	Lorolei Levin
<u>CANTOR'S MUSIC FUND</u>	<u>IN HONOR OF</u>
Sally & Cy Jablo	a speedy recovery to Mary Schenk Ada and Beryl Rabinowitz's 50 <sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary Barry Berkowitz's special birthday
Paulette & Julian Levy	Ada and Beryl Rabinowitz's 50 <sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary
Carol & Walter Straus	Morrie Cook's special birthday
Debbie and Stewart Reich's new grandson—Hudson James Shaynee and Michael Lichtenstein's birthdays	
<u>CONGREGATION FUND</u>	<u>IN MEMORY OF</u>
Barbara Barnett	Harry Barnett Esther Barnett Arnold Barnett Vernor Jones
Sophie & Michael Baron	Abram Karpul Jakob Baron Rachel Baron
Anita Blum	beloved husband, Walter Blum beloved mother, Fanny Finkle Selma Weil
Bobbie & Barry Berkowitz	Bernie Nudelman Lorolei Levin
Elaine Bogetz	Sam Light
Ruth Bresler	Meyer Poll
Marsha Brody	Bessie Brody Benjamin Brody
Edith Buntman	Renee Stern
Yetta Byster, Norman Byster & Dani	Albert Byster
Sherry Chedeck	Ronald Chedeck Edward Solomon Arnold Greenberg
Sigrid Rita Cohen	beloved father, Alfred Neumann
Joan & Morrie Cook	Hannah Markin
Kay & Gerry Dicker	Ruth Dicker beloved father, Samuel Hoffman
Beverly Didech	Marvin Didech
Max Dolins	beloved sister, Ethel Lax beloved grandfather, Litman Dolinsky
Victor Drower	Joseph Bramson
Rachell Eisenberg	Isadore Drower
Bonnie & Dennis Feinberg	Israel Eisenberg Norman Chase
Marcy & Michael Feinberg	Paul Chase Elaine Shepp Irma Zelman
Rose Ferger	Benjamin Beckerman
Sylvia Footlik	beloved sister, Fannie Randell Losoff beloved brother, Nathan Gollay beloved brother-in-law, John Lustig beloved brother, Mel A. Gollay beloved mother-in-law, Rose Footlik beloved sister, Ida Landesman
Shirley Franks	Emil Alter Ada Thumin
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Fran & Mel Green	Adie Davis Miriam Green Abraham Gross Evelyn Levy Edward Kroichick Yale Hecktman Nathan Hecktman beloved father, Paul Rivlin Zelda Herman Mandel Herman Renee Stern
Marilyn & Sylvan Gross	
Ronia Gross	
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Marlene & Jordan Hecktman	
Ethel Herman	
Jack Herman	
Rosalie Hoffen	
Dr. & Mrs. Gilbert A. Jacobs	beloved niece, Merle Lee Kaufman beloved father, Dr. Harry A. Jacobs
Randy Karp	Edward Karp Mary Karp beloved mother, Anna Becker Renee Stern
Marcia Klaber	
Miriam Kohn	
Ruth, Elizabeth & Maura Kugelman	David Lieberman
Leah Lazere	beloved sister, Sarah Ruth Rosenthal
Dr. Roberto & Beatriz Levi	David Chichelnitzky
Bobbie & Stuart Levin	Lorolei Levin
Rabbi Shlomo & Annabel Levine	Austin Lett Kathleen Lett Lorolei Levin Lorolei Levin Lorolei Levin Murray—father of Lipin Family Lorolei Levin Minna Durchslag Donald Richmond Lorolei Levin Harry Rubin
Gloriann Levy	
Shaynee & Michael Lichtenstein	
The Lubowich Family	
Michelle & Jonathan Maer	
Shelle' & Bernie Malina	
Sara & Mark Mayer	beloved sister, Josephine Meninger Abrams Lorolei Levin Renee Stern Gertrude Meyerowitz Joseph Mittelman Gerti Baum Olga Sitzman Herbert Sitzman Clarence Newman Lorolei Levin beloved son, Jeremy Newman Lorolei Levin Lillian Berman Sam Persky Vivian Price Emma Barkan Lorolei Levin Steve Reich Berthold Reich beloved mother, Frances R. Myers Lorolei Levin Sally Rosenfeld dear uncle, Jack Cowan dear friend, Bertha Revesz Lorolei Levin Etta Tarson Dr. Harry Saposnik Harry Resnick our beloved, Debbie Anna Leff beloved sister, Anne Srery beloved brother, Benjamin Katz Lorolei Levin Al Ritz Lorolei Levin Mildred Schwartz
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Jeff Meyerowitz	
Anita & Daryl Mittelman	
Marsha & Richard Newman	
Rosalie & Norm Persky	
Carla & Allan Price	
Eileen Propp	
Ada & Beryl Rabinowitz	
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Sherrine Zaransky  
Dolly & Bob Zavell

## IN MEMORY OF cont'd.

beloved aunt, Esther Levitt

Fannie Simon

Joan Silberman

Sheldon Solovy

beloved son, Fred Sostrin

Sam Stookal

Bernard Epstein

Ida Sweet

Ida Susman

beloved brother, Sheldon Millman

beloved brother-in-law, Morris Nelson

Mark Topol

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Annette Davis

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Molly Festenstein

Mildred Moss

Evelyn Yavitz

Bernice Axelrod

Minnie Zavell

## CONGREGATION FUND

Stanley Bakshy

Bobbie & Barry Berkowitz

Marsha and Richard Newman's 47<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Esther & Roger Berman

Jeanette Block

Cantor David & Goldie Brandhandler

Kay & Gerry Dicker

EHNTJC Men's Club

Lana & Cal Eisenberg

Rachell Eisenberg the members who helped when I lost my car keys

Bonnie & Dennis Feinberg

Ada and Beryl Rabinowitz's 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Miffie and Sy Nagorsky's 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

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Sally and Cy Jablo's 48<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Rabbi Neil and Erica Brief's wedding anniversary

Rabbi Victor Weissberg's birthday

Judy & Howard Frank

Debbie and Stewart Reich's new

grandson—Hudson James

Bill Gerber

a speedy recovery to Gerry Dicker

a speedy recovery to Jeff Meyerowitz

Paulette and Julian Levy's 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Bill & Frank Gerber

Ada and Beryl Rabinowitz's

50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Abby and Neil Gurevitz's 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Marsha and Richard Newman's wedding anniversary

Bill, Frank & Joel Gerber

a speedy recovery to Rochelle Adler

Tom Harris and Family

Joel Chupack's installation as President

of the Decalogue Society

Gail Isaacson

a speedy recovery to Rochelle Adler

Sally & Cy Jablo

a speedy recovery to Marcy Feinberg

Veronika and George Urban's new twin granddaughters

Veronika and George Urban's 40<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

a speedy recovery to Jeff Meyerowitz

Dr. Gilbert & Miriam Jacobs

our 69<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Marcia Klaber

Sally and Cy Jablo's wedding anniversary

## CONGREGATION FUND

Marcia Klaber

to thank Cy and Sally Jablo for driving me to  
shul on Shabbat

Lillian & Herb Lang

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Ada and Beryl Rabinowitz's 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Gloriann Levy

Veronika and George Urban's new

twin granddaughters

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Dr. Stanford Shulman receiving the

Distinguished Physician of the Year Award

a speedy recovery to Marlene Hecktman

a speedy recovery to Madeline Goldman

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Rabbi Shlomo and Annabel Levine's grandsons' Bar Mitzvahs

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grandson—Hudson James

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Shaynee Lichtenstein's birthday

Jack Goldberg's 80<sup>th</sup> birthday

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## GEMILUTH CHESED—LOTTE GRUEN FUND IN HONOR OF

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## IN MEMORY OF

Jackie Schwartz

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Sandi Cowen

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## IN HONOR OF

Ted's birthday

Paula & Lois Ankin

Ada and Beryl Rabinowitz's  
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Bobbie & Barry Berkowitz

Ken Kaiz's 75<sup>th</sup> birthday

Bill Gerber

Debbie and Stewart Reich's new  
grandson—Hudson James

Bill & Frank Gerber

Jack Goldberg's 80<sup>th</sup> birthday

Bill, Frank & Joel Gerber

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Barry Berkowitz's special birthday

Abby & Neil Gurevitz

Marsha Brody's special birthday

Sally & Cy Jablo

Marcia Klaber's birthday

Shelle' Malina's grandson's wedding  
a speedy recovery to Davida Grossman

Marcia Klaber

our Kiddush lunch

Leah Lazere

Barry Berkowitz's special birthday

Ada and Beryl Rabinowitz's 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Evelyn Lowenthal

Debbie and Stewart Reich's new  
grandson—Hudson James

Shirley & Marty Lubowich

Mike and Helen Abrams' new  
grandson—Avi Ronan

Sara & Mark Mayer

our birthdays

Ada & Beryl Rabinowitz

Jack Goldberg's 80<sup>th</sup> birthday

Debbie & Stewart Reich

Ada and Beryl Rabinowitz's  
50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Abby and Neil Gurevitz's 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Paulette and Julian Levy's 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Dr. Martin & Flora Steigman

our wedding anniversary

## PRAYER BOOK FUND

Idelle Peaceman

## IN MEMORY OF

beloved parents, Dora and Max Narter

## PRAYER BOOK FUND

Kathy & Mike Harris

## IN HONOR OF

Ada and Beryl Rabinowitz's  
50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Shirley & Marty Lubowich

Abby and Neil Gurevitz's  
50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Paulette and Julian Levy's 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

The Lubowich Family

Ada and Beryl Rabinowitz's  
50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Marsha & Richard Newman

Ada and Beryl Rabinowitz's  
50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Idelle Peaceman

my birthday

Elaine & Ron Prebisch

Abby and Neil Gurevitz's  
50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

## RABBI'S SPECIAL FUND

Gail Bogetz-Gelb & Arnold Gelb

## IN MEMORY OF

Renee Stern  
Joseph A. Graff  
Mollie Bloom  
Lorolei Levin

Luisita & Howard Graff

Lee Levin

## RABBI'S SPECIAL FUND

Sandi Cowen

## IN HONOR OF

Debbie and Stewart Reich's new  
grandson—Hudson James

Ada and Beryl Rabinowitz's 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Abby and Neil Gurevitz's 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Paulette and Julian Levy's 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Rachell Eisenberg

Rabbi Weill's good deeds on behalf of  
the members of EHNTJC

## RABBI'S SPECIAL FUND

Rachell Eisenberg

## IN HONOR OF cont'd.

Rabbi Weill's good sermons and classes

Arlene & Harry Feiger

Rabbi Weill's "Stories" class

Marcy & Michael Feinberg

Rabbi Weill's birthday

Luisita & Howard Graff

Abby and Neil Gurevitz's  
50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Paulette and Julian Levy's 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary

Susan & Daniel Hoffman

Rabbi Weill's "Stories" class

Shelle' Malina

Rabbi Weill's birthday

Debbie & Stewart Reich

Rabbi Weill officiating at the *bris* of our  
grandson—Hudson James  
general donation

Barbara & Charles Schwartz

## REICH RELIGIOUS SCHOOL FUND

Bill Gerber

## IN HONOR OF

Debbie Reich's birthday

Shirley & Marty Lubowich

Debbie and Stewart Reich's new  
grandson—Hudson James

## RELIGIOUS SCHOOL EDUCATION FUND

Shirley & Marty Lubowich

## IN MEMORY OF

Lorolei Levin  
Arthur Hackin

## RELIGIOUS SCHOOL EDUCATION FUND

Rose-Lynn Jaffe

## IN HONOR OF

Veronika and George Urban's  
new twin granddaughters

Shirley & Marty Lubowich

Joel Chupack's installation as  
President of the Decalogue Society  
a speedy recovery to Rusty Rursch

## *In Loving Memory*

If you wish to honor the memory of a dear one,  
a most fitting, traditional and dignified remembrance  
is through a memorial plaque.

Each memorial plaque, bearing the name and  
*yahrzeit* date, is mounted in the Memorial Alcove in  
our chapel. On the day of the *yahrzeit*, your loved  
one's name is listed on a tablet in the chapel alcove.

For more information or to order a plaque,  
contact Bill Gerber in the synagogue office.

The following memorial plaque has recently  
been dedicated in the chapel:

Renee Stern  
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Cantor  
President  
Executive Director

## SEPTEMBER 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Office Closed Labor Day	2 First day of Religious School	3 7:30 RSC Mtg	4 7:30 Communications Mtg	5 6:30 Prosp. Mem Shabbat Dinner 8 Shabbat	6 9:30 Shabbat 5:30 Havdallah, Dinner & Movie
7 9 Metals Recycling 10 Men's Club Brunch	8 7:30 Men's Club Mtg	9	10 12 Sisterhood Opening Lunch & Fashion Show 7:30 Exec. Com	11 7:30 REC mtg	12 7 Koleinu	13 9:30 Shabbat 2 Challah Making
14 Maot Chitim Packing	15	16	17 10:30 Sisterhood Bookclub	18 9 Sisterhood Bd. Mtg	19 8 Shabbat	20 9:30 Shabbat Bar Mitzvah of Allan Burgin Selichot
21 Maot Chitim Delivery	22	23	24 12 Office early close Erev Rosh Hashanah	25 Office Closed Rosh Hashanah	26 Office Closed 8 Shabbat Rosh Hashanah	27 9:30 Shabbat
28	29	30				

### Candle Lighting Times

September 5	7:01
September 12	6:49
September 19	6:37
September 26	6:25

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## OCTOBER 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 7:30 RSC Mtg	2	3 12 Office early close Kol Nidre	4 Yizkor Yom Kippur
5 10 Story Hour Sisterhood & REC Sukkah Decorating	6 7:30 Men's Club Mtg	7	8 Erev Sukkot	9 Office Closed Sukkot	10 Office Closed 8 Shabbat Sukkot	11 9:30 Shabbat Bat Mitzvah of Hanna Schoeneman
12 Brunch Honoring Rabbi Brief	13	14	15 7:30 Exec Com	16 Office Closed Shemini Atzeret Yizkor	17 Office Closed 8 Shabbat Simchat Torah	18 9:30 Shabbat
19	20	21	22 7:30 Board Mtg	23 9 Sisterhood Bd Mtg 11 Torah Class	24 8 Shabbat	25 9:30 Shabbat
26	27	28	29 7:30 Hate Crime Seminar	30 11 Torah Class 7:30 Intro to Judaism class	31 8 Shabbat	

### Candle Lighting Times

October 3	6:13
October 10	6:01
October 17	5:50
October 24	5:39
October 31	5:29

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