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FROM THE RABBI'S DESK

Make An Example of Them

On Jan 15, 2021 Madeleine Albright wrote:

At this moment of shock, sadness, and hope, it might be wise to reflect on the two most dangerous words in the human vocabulary: “us” and “them.” Last week, we received a dramatic reminder of this peril when our nation’s political divisions erupted into a spectacle of lawlessness on Capitol Hill.

(“‘Us vs. Them’ Thinking Is Tearing America Apart,”; published in Time, Feb 1 / Feb 8, 2021)

This is like the Black Lives Matters/All Lives Matter/Blue Lives Matter conversation that has been going on as well and not much different from the Chosen People dilemma we have always had and with which we struggle.

In Genesis we hear of the wrestling in Rachel’s womb:

“Two nations are in your womb, Two separate peoples shall issue from your body; One people shall be mightier than the other, And the older shall serve the younger. (Genesis 25:23)

Rabbi David Kimḥi (Redak) (Narbonne, France; 1160 - 1235) confronted this inequity:

[Two separate peoples] shall issue from your body – as soon as they come out of your womb they will appear separate from one another in that one will be reddish

with a hairy mantle all over (Gen 25:25) and the other like most babies.

They also will differ in their activities when they grow up, as it says: one will be “a skillful hunter” and the other “a mild man” (Gen 25:27). And they will be of different sensibilities: each one will hate the other forever.

Kimhi suggests one is not better than the other, they just have different purposes for which they were created. He recognizes the hierarchical approach can only result in hatred and anger.

The dangers of seeing ourselves as better, chosen or even holier are real. They may be one of the sources of the world’s hatred of the Jew. I believe we have a unique contribution to make. I believe we have a message to bring to the world, a message of love, resilience, and hope, of rebirth and humanity and God’s presence, but that is not the only thing this world needs. Other nations need to make those gifts and we all will be the beneficiaries.

Last month we saw the tragic disappearance and ultimate discovery of the body of Gabby Petito. There was a nationwide manhunt for her fiancé and accused murderer, Brian Laundrie.

Jeremy Barr of the Washington Post wrote:

How much media coverage should any one news story get?...

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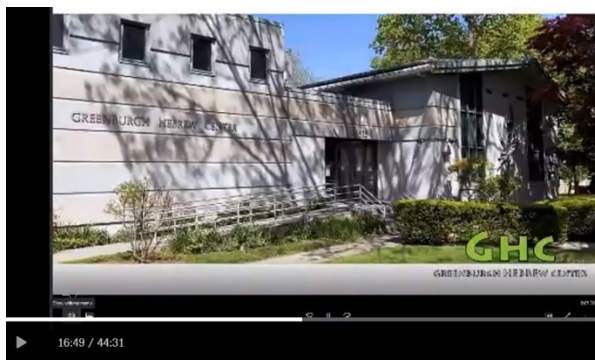
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SECURING OUR FUTURE: THE CAMPAIGN FOR GHC 2025

Around 1990, GHC undertook a major capital campaign for a new building. Our fundraising since then has had an annual emphasis, focused on the Kol Nidre appeal and other events. After Rabbi Stein completed his first few years at GHC, the time seemed right to begin a new campaign to secure GHC's future.

On June 27th, we officially launched the Campaign for GHC 2025 via a Zoom event. At that time, we were pleased to announce gifts and pledges worth about \$1.1 Million. In case you missed it, please feel free to contact us for an event recording.



At our opening event, we debuted a video featuring different congregants speaking about why GHC is meaningful to them.

The focus of our campaign is on building long-term relationships with you, our congregants. We want to understand your bond to GHC and explore what a gift could do to further your relationship. We have secured gifts and pledges from a number of congregants and are now suggesting that every congregant participates at a level that is comfortable for them. We have also integrated gifts made previously for the renovation of the Rabbi's residence in 2017 and thank all of these donors for their support.

For the current phase of our campaign, we have identified three strategic pillars:

- Improving the Building
- Inspiring Programming
- Increasing the Endowment

Recent developments with the Campaign

Over the summer, we held several parlor meetings with congregants to discuss their relationship to GHC and the campaign.

As the weather turns cooler and outside meetings are not possible, we will be contacting the remaining members of our congregation individually. You can also reach out to one of us directly if you like – bruce.segall@gmail.com or dluftig@gmail.com

Please keep up with further progress in upcoming issues of [the Hamvaser](#). We will have updates on money raised, acknowledgments to donors, and the process for deciding how to allocate money among our strategic pillars.

B'shalom,

David Luftig and Bruce Segall, Campaign Co-chairs

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In a seven-day period ending Wednesday, Petito had been mentioned 398 times on Fox News, 346 times on CNN and 100 times on MSNBC, according to a Washington Post tally, with coverage across both news programs and opinion talk shows. Television networks have sent reporters on the road and leaned on their pool of former law enforcement officials to provide commentary about the investigation. (9/23/21)

Barr concludes:

CNN contributor Ana Navarro, who, like [Joy] Reid, expressed her sympathy for the Petito family, issued a call on Instagram for more inclusive coverage. "I want to take nothing away from this horrible case. My thoughts are w/ her family," she wrote. "I just want there to be same interest and energy [for] every disappeared young woman in America — Brown, Black, Native-American, transgender."

..."I always look for the silver lining in things," she said. "I'm hoping and praying that we're in a moment where we are able to make a shift."

The same could be said of nearly all minorities, and all atrocities around the world.

So let this be an example, a teachable moment, a learning opportunity. When the anniversary of 9/11 called us to "never forget" that is language we learned from the Holocaust.

I want to thank Dr. Alan Cooper of The Jewish Theological seminary of America for providing such wonderful Jewish texts for study.

CANTOR

One of the loneliest days I ever spent in Israel was Thanksgiving. I had just recently made aliyah and did not realize how that quintessentially American day would make me feel so isolated. It felt wrong not to mark the day somehow, but I had no family in Israel, or American friends to turn to. My adopted family was Russian, and while they were sympathetic, they did not really understand the significance of the holiday. When I think about my time spent in Israel, I am grateful for the experiences

I had there, but this showed me that while you can take the girl out of America...well, you know the rest.

While Thanksgiving is not celebrated in Israel, there is a Hebrew word for it — *Yom Hahodiah*, *hodia* being from the same root as *Todah*. The word *Todah*, which you can hear every day on the streets of Israel, goes all the way back to Ancient Jerusalem, when it is said that one would bring a *korban Todah*, a thanksgiving offering, to the Temple, to acknowledge a miracle or in order to fulfill a vow. The person bringing the offering would recite Psalm 100, *Mizmor L'Todah*, which, according to tractate *Shevuot* (vows) in the Babylonian Talmud, was "sung with harps and cymbals and music on every corner and every large boulder in Jerusalem". Because this offering was not made on Shabbat or on festivals, as offerings were only made communally on those days, Psalm 100 is omitted in our Shabbat and festival service.

The word *Todah* comes from the Hebrew root Yud-daled-heh, *Yadah*, which can be translated as to thank or to praise, but also to acknowledge or to confess. We see in the root the word for hand, *yad*, because people would throw up their hands in praise to God, or as a gesture of making a vow.

Judaism places a lot of importance on gratitude. Though Jews are (in)famous for complaining a lot, we also say thank you a lot. Prayers of thanksgiving are said every day and on every occasion. One of the first prayers we say in the morning, *Modeh/Modah Ani* thanks God for waking us up, returning our soul to us each morning, and having great faith in us. Psalm 100, which I mentioned earlier, is a psalm of thanksgiving that we say each weekday morning as part of the liturgy. It includes the line *ivdu et Hashem b'simcha, bo-u l'fanav birnana* — serve the Lord in gladness, come before God's presence with joyful song. Psalm 136, also known as the great Hallel, which we say in the morning on Shabbat and festivals, repeats the line *hodu L'Adonai ki tov, ki l'olam chasdo* — give thanks to Adonai, for God is good, God's love endures forever. We recite *modim anachnu lakh*, the 6th blessing of the silent *Amidah*, saying we thank You, for You are ever our God and the God of our ancestors.

Leonard Bernstein's 1965 *Chichester Psalms* uses the text of Psalm 100 in the first movement. To see a live performance of him conducting the Israel Philharmonic: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3kBsSORVFqk>

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Psalm 100 -Mizmor L'Todah

הָרִיעוּ לַיהוָה, כָּל־הָאָרֶץ.
עֲבֹדוּ אֶת־יְהוָה בְּשִׂמְחָה;
בָּאוּ לִפְנֵי, בְּרִנָּה.
דַּע-- כִּי יְהוָה, הוּא אֱלֹהִים;
הוּא־עָשָׂנוּ, וְלֹא (וְלוֹ) אֲנַחְנוּ--
עָמּוּ, וַיֵּצֵאן מִרְעִיתוֹ.
בָּאוּ שְׁעָרָיו, בְּתוֹדָה--
חֲצִירְתּוֹ בִּתְהִלָּה;
הוֹדוּ־לוֹ, בְּרִכּוֹ שָׁמּוּ.
כִּי־טוֹב יְהוָה, לְעוֹלָם חַסְדּוֹ;
וְעַד־דּוֹר וָדוֹר, אֲמוֹנָתוֹ.

Hari'u l'Adonai kol ha'arets.
Iv'du et Adonai b'simḥa
Bo'u l'fanav bir'nanah.
D'u ki Adonai Hu Elohim.
Hu asanu v'lo anahnu.
Amo v'tson mar'ito.
Bo'u sh'arav b'todah,
Ḥatseirotav bit'hilah,
Hodu lo, bar'chu sh'mo.
Ki tov Adonai, l'olam ḥas'do,
V'ad dor vador emunato.

Make a joyful noise unto the Lord all the Earth.
Serve the Lord with gladness.
Come before God's presence with singing.
Know that the Lord is God.
God made us, and we are God's
We are God's people and the sheep of
God's pasture.
Enter God's gates with thanksgiving,
And into God's court with praise.
Be thankful and bless God's name.
the Lord is good, God's mercy everlasting
And God's truth endures to all generations.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I was sent an article a month or so ago that really hit home for me. Instead of writing my normal President's article, I feel this will be more appropriate and eye-opening. I hope this makes you think and acts as a validation as to why you are a member of GHC.

"4 REASONS TO JOIN A SYNAGOGUE THIS YEAR

(or *Why I'm renewing my synagogue membership, and why you should too!*)

by Dr Yvette Alt Miller

With the upswing in Covid cases worldwide, many synagogues are facing another year of Zoom or socially-distanced services. I've been hearing a question from some friends: With synagogues still so different – and many of the benefits of synagogue membership, like in person events and Hebrew School, still up in the air, is it worth joining again this year?

We made the decision to renew our membership. True, it's a lot of money and we have spent far fewer hours at synagogue events over the past year and a half, but the benefits we accrue justify the costs.

Here are four reasons we decided to join – any why you should too.

FINDING CONNECTION

Even with current health and safety measures, synagogues give us a place to connect with others. It's the setting for some of the most intimate and important moments in our lives. The very act of being near other

people, united for a common purpose, can give us the feeling of bonding with other people that we all crave.

Joining our synagogue reminds us that we're part of a wider community and gives us the chance to reach out to and unite with others. Some of the most important moments in Jewish prayer, such as reading the Torah publicly and saying the Mourners' Kaddish, are only done with a minyan present. In this year of pandemic-related isolation and uncertainty, being with other people in synagogue is more important than ever.

In my own synagogue, I've seen first-hand the importance of staying together as a community. Members have looked out for each other, arranging meals and visits and other help to members who have become sick from Covid or who've been adversely affected by the pandemic.

TEACHING OUR KIDS RESILIENCE

Synagogue memberships and Hebrew school attendance rates are down this year, and that's a shame because taking our kids there helps to nurture a commitment to Jewish learning that they'll remember for years to come. What better way to show our kids we care about being Jewish and being part of the Jewish community than making a commitment to do so even when it's difficult?

Our kids are watching. The way we handle the pandemic – the choices we make, the activities we prioritize and those we cast by the wayside – sends a powerful message to our children about what we truly value in life. Let's use this teaching moment to show our kids that even when it's hard, we prioritize being an active member of the Jewish community.

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CELEBRATING THE JEWISH YEAR

Joining a synagogue helps give shape to our Jewish year. I'll always remember last year, just a few months into the pandemic, when a friend told me that for the very first time, her family wasn't getting together for Rosh Hashanah dinner. Since they decided not to renew their synagogue membership, they felt there was little point in celebrating the holiday.

Making a commitment to join your synagogue is a powerful way to connect with the rhythms of the Jewish year. Shabbat or daily services shape our Jewish week. Holiday celebrations are a focal point to the Jewish year. Receiving a weekly newsletter or being part of a synagogue-sponsored group can strengthen our Jewish connection and sense of being part of the wider Jewish community.

INVESTING IN THE JEWISH FUTURE

People report becoming more introverted and solitary over the past year and a half. I've heard people express the feeling that they'll wait out the worst of the pandemic, and in a year or so when things are better, then they'll take part in more community activities once again. Yet when it comes to joining a synagogue, that logic is flawed, for if we wait to re-join our synagogues, then in a few years we might find they've gone under and are no longer there for us to join.

That would be a tragedy. Jews have always supported their local synagogues. In poverty-stricken shtetls in the Middle East, everywhere Jews have lived, we've always built and maintained and attended our synagogues. It's in our spiritual DNA to come together and find a way to pray and learn and experience our Jewishness together.

Oprah Winfrey once quipped, "Lots of people want to ride with you in the limo, but what you want is someone who will take the bus with you when the limo breaks down." We all recognize that at times of stress in life, we find what people truly value. As we enter another Jewish year in the midst of the coronavirus pandemic, let's double down on commitment to our Jewish communities and our local synagogues."

Jeff Liss
President

GHC RELIGIOUS SCHOOL AND EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

We're BACK!

It has been amazing having all of our classes back in person! Our ECC students spend their days outside playing and laughing in our tents, and are all adjusting to being in school. Our Early Morning Drop Off and Extended Afternoon programs have begun, as well as our "specials." Our "specials" include yoga, sign language and music. Our intergenerational reader, Arlene, from our GHC congregation, also began reading with our students in October. The Rabbi has already visited us twice to celebrate Sukkot and Simchat Torah with us, and Cantor May has spent time with our Extended Day program. We had a very well attended "Back to School Night" on Zoom and are planning more parent meetings for the coming months.

After a year and a half, what a joy it is to have our religious school students back in the building! We have three new teachers this year, and have extended our huge GHC welcome to them: Aliza Erber (4th grade/Dalet), Donna Divon (5th grade/Hay) and Jonathan Divon (6th grade/Vav). Morah Aliza has a degree in Rabbinic Pastoral Counseling and was a Hebrew Professor at SUNY Purchase; Morah Donna worked as a religious school teacher and at UJA for more than 20 years; and, Moreh Jonathan, who was raised in Westchester, volunteered to serve in the Israeli military as a Lone Soldier. Our students have been getting acclimated to being back at GHC with their classmates and their teachers. They have already resumed studying Hebrew and have celebrated all of the holidays with us. Did you see our beautiful sukkah? The students are also working with Cantor May every week and Rabbi Stein has visited our classes. Full steam ahead!

Dates in November

Saturday, November 13th: Please join us for *Mispacha Shabbat/Junior Congregation at 10:30 a.m.*! Mispacha Shabbat is geared to children 0-7 years old, and Junior Congregation is for our older students. Come for singing, praying, snacks and fun!

Sunday, November 14th: Come to GHC's *Chanukah Mini-Mart* at 9:30 a.m., to get everything you need for the holiday and to support GHC!

Wednesday, November 17th: *ECC Parent Teacher Conferences on Zoom begin at 5 p.m.* There is Early Morning Drop Off but NO Club Lunch for our ECC.

****MEETING NOTICE****

**A Regular Meeting of the Membership
of Greenburgh Hebrew Center will be held on
Sunday November 7, 2021
at 10:00 a.m. via ZOOM
(ZOOM Details to be sent via separate email.)**

The business to be conducted at this Meeting shall be:

- **D'var by Rabbi Stein.**
- **Call to Order.**
- **Approval of the Minutes of the Congregational Meeting of May 16, 2021 (attached).**
- **Officer's Reports.**
 - **President – Jeffrey Liss**
 - **Financial Report – Jeffrey Liss**
 - **Vice President – Education – Stephanie Luftig**
 - **Executive Vice President – Robin Rosenberg**
 - **Executive Secretary – Deborah Jagoda**
 - **Vice President – Religious Affairs – Michael Katz**
 - **Vice President – Membership – Elyse Milun**
 - **Vice President – Fundraising –David Luftig**
 - **Vice President – Management – Andrew Weiss**
 - **Vice President – Adult Education and Cultural Affairs – Meredith Rusoff**
 - **Sisterhood – Allyn Salpeter**
 - **Men's Club – Howard Baskin**
 - **Selection of four members of the congregation to serve on the Nominating Committee.**
 - **Such other business as may be brought up by Officers, Trustees, and Members of Greenburgh Hebrew Center.**

Good and Welfare.

Very truly yours,

Andrew L. Jagoda, Recording Secretary

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

In the last few months, many in our community have lost loved ones, my family included. During this time, we are all reminded that GHC is comprised of members who go out of their way to support each other. Thank You!

In the last two months, our GHC Family has also grown. I would like to introduce our new GHC members and thank them for choosing GHC. They are: Lee Fanwick; Samantha Jacobs & Jeffrey Abergel; Stacey & Eyal Alper; Miriam Cohen Tepper & Adam Bass; Ariane & Peter Braverman; Nili Geldwert & Philip Futernik; and, Lori Edo.

GHC Zoom Bingo is back! We had our first game on October 21st and everyone had a great time! The next Bingo night is scheduled for December 16th. Look for information in GHC News to RSVP to get your new set of Bingo cards and have your coins, M&M's, or beans ready.

As Chanukah is early this year - first night is November 28th - we know that everyone will still be full from Thanksgiving. So, instead of a Chanukah dinner, we are hoping to have a Post- Chanukah dinner on December 12th. If the dinner is a go, we will let everyone know via GHC News and via email.

Membership is working on developing new programs and activities to support and enhance membership and to continue to bring our community together, whether virtually or physically. If you would like to be part of the committee, please contact me.

Please spread the word and join us in all that GHC has to offer: Our services, educational opportunities, social events, committees and activities.

Stay safe and healthy!

Elyse Milun

CARING COMMUNITY

As we begin a new year, I wish for you what Hal and I wish for ourselves, a year of sustained good health, peace and much happiness. What I wish for our GHC community is a re- commitment to our communal values. One of those commitments is to our Caring Community.

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Many of you have found value in what we aim to provide. You are a volunteer. You make friendly visits. You make friendly calls. You deliver soup and challah after Shiva has concluded. You share information with the Rabbi, if permitted by the member, as we work hard to keep information confidential. You make donations to the Hesed fund. What you do enables this committee to do what it does. We can only continue because of you and your support, generosity and core values.

If you are not yet a volunteer, please join us. If you can no longer volunteer, please accept our appreciation for your previous service. Life continues to be complicated, but perhaps being there for each other helps. I know it does for me.

Sheila Greenwald—on behalf of the Caring Community

CONDOLENCES

OUR SINCERE CONDOLENCES

The entire Greenburgh Hebrew Center community expresses its deepest sympathy to:

Suzanne, Marc and Lori, on the passing of their beloved husband and father, Steve Neuburger

Doris, Evelyn, Janice and Mary, on the passing of their beloved husband and father (and former Religious Affairs Vice President), Harry Levy

The family of our beloved member, Lois Greenwald

Judy, Andrew, Ilana and Joseph, on the passing of their beloved father and grandfather, Elliot Blumenthal

Rabbi Jonathan & Susan Lubliner and Avichai, Elior and Itamar, on the passing of their beloved mother and grandmother, Sylvia Lubliner

Davin, Elyse, Ashley, and Lisa, on the passing of their beloved mother and mother-in-law, Charlene Milun.

May their memory always be a blessing.



Scroll of Gratitude

Greenburgh Hebrew Center



We have all, at some period in our lives, experienced difficult times, both before and during the pandemic. However, there have also often been bright spots, people who have reached out to help. Was there someone who went shopping, picked up a prescription, took your dog for a walk, called to say hello, brought you a meal, drove you to the doctor, picked up your kids from school, etc.? Recipients are not limited to members of GHC.

If saying "thank you", just wasn't enough, here is an opportunity to show your appreciation. Inscribe their names on our Scroll of Gratitude. We are asking for a small donation of \$18.00 per name and a description of how that individual helped you in your time of need. Only his/her name will be added to the scroll, but with your permission, we will print the specific information as to why the name appears.

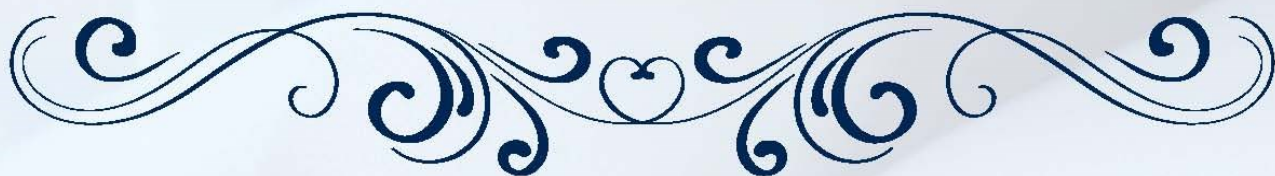
Your Name_____

Person(s)you are grateful for_____

Reason(s)_____

___ I give permission to have this information shared with the congregation





Scroll of Gratitude

Greenburgh Hebrew Center



Naomi Feinkind

Andrew Goldstein

Linda Markowitz

Allyn Salpeter





GHC SISTERHOOD 2021-2022 MEMBERSHIP

SEE WHAT'S **UP** AT TODAY'S SISTERHOOD!

SISTERHOOD GHC offers: - **UP**lifting friendships, fun and festivities for Women of ALL ages!
- Enlightening and exciting **UP**coming 2021-2022 events
- Inspiring and informative programs and speakers to keep you **UP**-to-date on timely topics.

Now is the time to join **UP**!

Membership in Sisterhood GHC is \$45/year and is open to all women in the GHC Community.
Membership in the Women's League for Conservative Judaism is also included.



For more information, go to www.ghcny.org/sisterhood or email sisterhood@ghcny.org



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Please make check payable to Sisterhood GHC and return with this completed form to: Sisterhood GHC,
515 Broadway, Dobbs Ferry, NY 10522

To pay by credit card, please to go www.ghcny.org , then Donations/payments - Sisterhood Dues

Thank you for your support!

SISTERHOOD

We hope you are enjoying the wonderful Fall weather and spectacular colors as the leaves transition from green to red and golden shades.

Sisterhood was very pleased that after a year's hiatus due to Covid we were once again able to provide congregants with Break Fast cake and juice after the Neilah service on Yom Kippur. To comply with protocols, each slice of cake was individually wrapped in its own baggie and the juice was pre-poured into cups. Congregants appreciated having something sweet to tide them over until they arrived home. Thank you, Elyse and Zach Milun, for your help in the preparation and setup in the Atrium.

Sisterhood's first Fall event, Welcome Back Brunch and Decoupage, was held on September 19 at 10AM, outdoors in the GHC Parking Lot and was a great success. Whether the attendee made a decoupage item or not, all had a great time, being outdoors on a perfect morning, socializing with friends and guests. A super big thank you goes to our two decoupage mavens, Sharon Stein and Sharon Rabinowitz! Their expertise in the art of decoupage contributed tremendously to the fun and creativity of the event.

Sisterhood's next event, **Women of the Wall**, was held on October 24 at Noon. **Women of the Wall** is an organization based in Israel whose mission is to attain social and legal recognition of the right of women to wear Tallitot, pray and read from the Torah at the Western Wall. Our live guest speaker, Rabbi Linda Henry Goodman, Rabbi Emerita at Union Temple of Brooklyn, led an inspiring and powerful presentation and Q&A discussion about the organization. Rabbi Goodman's talk was also available via GHC's Livestream for those who wished to view at home. A luncheon followed at 1PM in the Social Hall.

Hard to believe but Hanukkah is fast approaching. The first night of Hanukkah falls on Sunday, November 28 this year. Weather permitting, Sisterhood plans to set up a table for our annual Hanukkah Mini-Mart in the GHC Parking Lot on Sunday November 14 from 9:30AM until Noon. We have loads of items, ranging from the traditional, such as candles, menorahs and drip trays, to the novelty, such as socks, dreidel head boppers, fun dreidels and snow globes, and so much more.

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GREEN TEAM



Green Bite...

Save the date, Sunday, February 6th, in the afternoon

The Green Team along with Sisterhood and Adult Education present...

A Vegetarian Cooking Class with a well-known local chef

More Information to follow.



B'NEI MITZVAHS

Josh

Vayeitzei

Josh is a middle school student who loves basketball. He works very hard in school and enjoys spending time with his friends. He can usually be found shooting hoops in his driveway with his brother.

Josh loves spending his summers at camp in Pennsylvania. He describes it as his favorite place to be. This past summer was his best summer yet. Josh enjoys playing golf, especially with his grandpa (Yaya). He also loves when his uncle and future aunt join them on the golf course.

Josh is a third generation GHC member, as his mom, Karen, and grandparents, Lynne (Safta) and Larry (Yaya), have been at GHC for over 40 years. Josh is very close to his Bubbe, aunt, uncle and cousins in Florida, and he always looks forward to his trips there.

Karen and Todd, along with Josh's entire family, are all very proud of his dedication and hard work in preparing for his Bar Mitzvah. Along with his studies, Josh is volunteering to help collect and prepare Thanksgiving Day meals for clients of The Jewish Board, an agency that provides programs and services to support mental and behavioral health. The Jewish Board is special to Josh, as he has grown up visiting its programs and volunteering there.

Josh and his family would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to Rabbi Jay Stein, Cantor Anna May, Amy Kessler and Morah Roberta Horowitz for supporting and helping him to prepare for his special day.

Sabrina Pasternak

Vayishlach

We are thrilled to be celebrating Sabrina this November as she is called to the Torah as a Bat Mitzvah. She is supported by an adoring fan club, including her parents, Stacey and Shiran, her sister Julia, her grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins, and, of course, her puppy Nutmeg.

Sabrina's Bat Mitzvah is a culmination of a long educational path at GHC that started at the Early Childhood Center, continued in religious school, and has been enhanced with active participation in junior congregation services.

She has, of her own volition, taken on the challenge of running much of her Bat Mitzvah service, and we could not be prouder of her monumental efforts. We know that the Jewish education that she has received will continue to serve her on her lifelong Jewish journey.

Sabrina's love of Jewish culture and tradition extends beyond the halls of GHC. She has made strong connections with wonderful friends and counselors at a Jewish sleepaway camp that acts as her second family every summer. She also keeps in close contact with her family in Israel. We are thrilled that many of her relatives and friends who could not attend in person will still be able to participate in the simcha via livestream.

Beyond her devotion to Judaism, Sabrina exhibits passion, tenacity, and conscientiousness in all that she does. She excels academically in school and participates enthusiastically in numerous clubs and extracurricular activities. Sabrina loves acting, singing, and dancing, and has appeared in numerous community theater productions, often in a starring role. She holds a black belt in karate. She loves expressing her creativity through new forms of art and through writing. During the height of the pandemic, Sabrina took up cooking and baking, designing elaborate cakes and pastries to delight her family.

What also defines Sabrina is her compassion and kindness towards others. This is evident not only in the tight-knit friendships she developed but also through humanitarian advocacy for the rights of animals, particularly pets. For her mitzvah project Sabrina will be volunteering her time at Paws Crossed Animal Shelter in Elmsford, NY, and helping to organize donations of needed goods and supplies.

Sabrina surprises us at every turn with an extraordinary drive and motivation to always go above and beyond and by striving to be her best. We are proud beyond measure of the person that she has become, and we look forward to whatever else she has in store for all who know her.

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Emma Silverman

Miketz, Rosh Chodesh Tevet

Emma entered GHC's Nursery School as a one-and-a-half year old. She is a proud alum of Tot Shabbat, the ECC, and Religious School, where she currently volunteers for Morah Marcia's class.

It will come as no surprise that Emma loves the theatre. According to her friends, she regularly sings and dances in the school halls. Emma has performed in dozens of shows at Random Farms and volunteered as a Junior Director. For five years, she participated in Kids for a Cause, a program that produces musical reviews at children's hospitals, nursing homes, and homeless shelters around Westchester. Emma also sang in the all-county chorus. Additionally, Emma competes on the JCC's swim team and her favorite stroke is backstroke. She spends her summers at camp in Pennsylvania.

An excellent student, her favorite subjects are Social Studies and French. She is currently the Vice President of her school's Student Council. She also plays the flute in the band and she even practiced a little during the pandemic. During free time, Emma loves reading, baking, painting, and streaming YouTube videos of golden retrievers. She lives with Jack (her older brother), Harper (the golden retriever), Daisy (the cat), and her parents.

Thank you to Rabbi, Cantor May, Cantor Janet, and all of Emma's Hebrew School teachers. We look forward to celebrating with the congregation in December.

AJ Sloyer

Vayechi

AJ is a passionate, smart and energetic seventh grader, and his entire family is excited about his upcoming Bar Mitzvah in December.

AJ loves being surrounded by his friends and family, although he is just as happy being surrounded by his two dogs: Pickles and Luna. AJ's love for dogs is the primary reason that for his Bar Mitzvah project he decided to raise money and awareness for Paws Crossed Animal Shelter in Elmsford, New York.

When he is not spending time with his two dogs, AJ can usually be found with a ball in his hand. He plays on travel baseball and basketball teams, and also enjoys golf, tennis and flag football. (AJ also loves a good game of Cornhole!) The mix of team and individual sports is well representative of AJ's character: an individual who holds himself to high standards and consistently strives for success, as well as someone who is a trusted and adored team player.

While AJ is a talented athlete, it is the competition that really drives him. That same competitive spirit also helps make him a gifted student, consistently making Honor Roll and also being selected for honor's math.

Finally, AJ would not be the exceptional son and person he is if he were not such an awesome big brother to his sister Abigail (9) and his half-sister Remy (3). He loves them and looks out for them, and this is just one of the many reasons they constantly look up to him.

AJ's parents, Annie and Adam, invite the congregation to share in their simcha.

SOCIAL ACTION

On behalf of GHC's Committee for Social Action/Tikkun Olam (SATO), todah and thank you for helping collect a box full of new socks and underwear to Midnight Run in Dobbs Ferry to distribute to the homeless in New York City.



UNDERWEAR DRIVE

Thanksgiving



17th Annual Turkey Drop

Greenburgh Hebrew Center's
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are asking the GHC community to participate in our
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On **Sunday November 21st,**
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please "drop" your FROZEN turkeys, yams,
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Hanukkah Mini Mart sponsored by GHC Sisterhood. ^[SEP] For more information, please contact Allyn at Sisterhood@ghcnyc.org



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Click on this link to view our online catalog: <https://photos.app.goo.gl/V32wJFmmjyxuiYQ79>. Clicking on the photo will give a description of the item and the cost. You may also order in advance if you so choose and then pick up your order at GHC on Sunday, November 14 or 21. Other pickup times can be arranged, if necessary. Once you have selected your items, please go to the following link to place your order:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc42SCSbKzykqZ-zcCMIDvtMJ-T7vTishcQZs9zYlht4KLrKQ/viewform>. Additional details can be found in the flyer in this issue of the Hamvaser and GHC News. If you have any questions feel free to e-mail Sisterhood@ghcnyc.org.

Sisterhood is planning a Hanukkah event on the evening of Wednesday, December 1 but the plans have not yet been finalized. Look for the details in a later GHC News as we get closer to the date of the event.

The 2022 Mah Jongg cards are now on sale. Prices are \$9 for a regular-type size card and \$10 for the large type. GHC benefits from the sales. Order as many cards for your Mah Jongg group as you choose. Or you may even use your card to play Mah Jongg in a socially distant way on the website, www.realmahjongg.com, which enables you to play online against the computer, your friends or other members of an online group. Your 2022 cards can be ordered from Iris Sherman by e-mailing mahjonggcard@ghcnyc.org or by going to the Mah Jongg page on the GHC website, ghcnyc.org/mahjongg. Payments can be made either by mailing a check to the GHC, payable to Sisterhood GHC, or with a credit card by going on the www.ghcnyc.org website and going to Donations & Payments and selecting Sisterhood-Sales. Do not delay – the deadline for ordering is January 21, 2022. Thank you, Iris, for all your help in running the Mah Jongg Card sale!

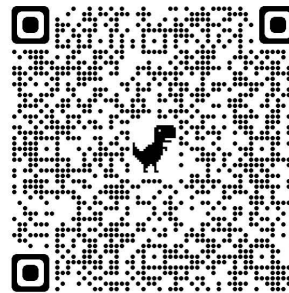
Our Membership Drive is underway! Please remember that Sisterhood is a major supporter of GHC culturally, spiritually and financially. Apart from the educational, cultural and religious programs we present, we do much more for the GHC. We provide the beautiful flower arrangements you see on the Bima for the holidays, send Shiva dinners to bereaved families, operate the GHC Gift

Shop, present each Bar and Bat Mitzvah celebrant with a personally inscribed Siddur and fund ECC and RS activities, to name a few. If you have already joined for 2021-2022, we say Thank You! If you still need to join, please see our Membership flyer in this issue of the Hamvaser and on the Sisterhood page on the GHC website, www.ghcnyc.org/sisterhood.

Enjoy a wonderful Thanksgiving weekend and a joyous Hanukkah with your family and friends!

Allyn Salpeter, Sisterhood GHC President

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Milefsky, Norman & Vivian		Donation
Rosenberg, Naomi	In Memory of	Arthur Gold

CARING COMMUNITY/HESED FUND

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Salpeter, Allyn	In Memory of	Elliot Blumenthal
	In Memory of	Lois Greenwald
	In Memory of	Steve Neuburger
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	In Honor of	Rachel Kunstadt being named by Jewish Week to the "36 under 36" list.

EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

Feinkind, Michael & Naomi	In Memory of	Elliot Blumenthal
	In Memory of	Lois Greenwald
	In Memory of	Harry Levy
	In Memory of	Charlene Milun
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	In Honor of	The marriage of Leor & Lori Edo

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Damesek, Simone	In Memory of	Steve Neuburger
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Steinberg, Florence	In Memory of	Lois Greenwald
Frankel, Martin & Natalie	In Memory of	Elliot Blumenthal
Fried, Deanna	In Memory of	Lois Greenwald
	In Memory of	Steve Neuburger
	In Memory of	Harry Levy

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	In Memory of	Harry Levy
	In Memory of	Steve Neuburger
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	In Memory of	Harry Levy
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	In Memory of	Steve Neuburger
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	In Memory of	Elliot Blumenthal
Leib, Myra	In Memory of	Elliot Blumenthal
Liss, Jeffrey & Leslie	In Memory of	Lillian Allman
Maddon, Gladys	In Memory of	Lois Greenwald

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Adult Education and Cultural Affairs

We kicked off our new year with a fun event—Sangria in the Sukkah, on September 25th. It was great to mingle with so many members in and around our lovely sukkah. Many thanks to Cantor May, for leading us in Havdalah to begin the event. Thanks also to Jacki Samolsky, Lisa Goldman, and Robin Rosenberg, for helping with shopping, setting up, and general support!

Coming up, Rabbi Stein is offering a mini-course for adults about stories in the Book of Genesis, “In the beginning...with Rabbi Stein”. Rabbi’s preview: “The stories you have been told from the Torah are much more complicated than their simple childlike versions.

They challenge what we believe about relationships, about God, Judaism and about ourselves. Join us as we learn and grow. No prior knowledge required.”

Each session will take place on the third Wednesday of the month from 8:00pm -9:00pm on Zoom. The first session will be on October 20th and the next session will be on November 17. The link is <https://zoom.us/j/96603944928?pwd=VnJBbXYzSm5ieEdqa0lXQUkzajRiUT09>

I am putting together a committee to help plan more events. Please reach out to me at vpadulteducation@ghcny.org if you would like to join!

Meredith Rusoff, VP Adult Education and Cultural Affairs

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Milefsky, Norman & Vivian

	Wishing everyone a New Year filled with happier and healthier times. Please wear your mask, stay out of crowds and indoor activities and get vaccinated. Shana Tovah Tikateivu to all.
In Honor of	Linda Markowitz
In Honor of	Naomi Feinkind
In Honor of	Andrew Goldsein
In Honor of	Mazel Tov to Jeff on his ascension to the presidency of GHC.
In Honor of	Mazel Tov to Phyllis Glantz on the arrival of your latest great-grandchild, Mateo.
In Honor of	Mazel Tov to Rabbi Stein on Gavi's engagement.
	Thank you to Linda Markowitz for her phone calls and caring note cards. Thank you for our 40 year friendship and the hot cocoa for three youth groups.
In Honor of	Mazel Tov to Naomi Feinkind for a wonderful, productive and creative GHC Presidency under the extreme duress of terrible pandemic times.
In Honor of	Thank you to Dr. Goldstein for always being there.
In Honor of	Thank you to Rabbi Stein for all of the misheberachs for friends and family.
In Honor of	Mazel Tov to Allyn as new Sisterhood President. We wish her well and look forward to a great year.
in memory of	To Morris Chohen, our hearts go out to you on the loss of your beloved wife Eve and your mother Bernice Cohen, one after the other. May fond memories sustain you
in memory of	Eve Cohen, beloved wife of Morris Cohen, and beloved mother.
In Memory of	Nettie Ostrager Goldstein, beloved wife of Mel Goldstein and beloved mother and grandmother. Unbelievable bundle of energy around GHC. Our love to Mel. May her name always be for a blessing.
In Memory of	Lois Greenwald
	Joan Fuhrman wishing you good health. Please walk slowly and carefully
	On behalf of Pat Conlan, we wish you a return to good health. We miss you.
	Lee Fanwick, welcome mother of Leslie Liss. Now Eric and Michelle Fanwick will have to travel this way from Wilton, Conn. And Lily will have to go to a new ice cream store.

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Lee Fanwick, welcome mother of Leslie Liss. Now Eric and Michelle Fanwick will have to travel this way from Wilton, Conn. And Lily will have to go to a new ice cream store.

A refuah Sheleima to Bernice Strauss. Looking forward to your recovery and healing.

Mi Sheberach for grandson Tyler Sepinski, son of Judy and Brain Sepinski. So happy to see eye is healing and hoping for no residual effects.

Phil Karmel how nice to see you at the Dobbs Ferry vaccination days. Thanks for keeping Norman in your prayers.

Mi Sheberach for Norman Milefsky. Happy for his recovery.

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Sunshine Fund

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Taub, Michael & Amy	In Memory of	Ray Taub
	In Memory of	Eliot Blumenthal
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	In Memory of	Steve Neuburger
Teschner, Ina	In Memory of	Lois Greenwald
Wallenstein, Judith	In Memory of	Steve Neuburger
Weiss, Andrew & Sharon	In Memory of	Lois Greenwald
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	In Memory of	Steve Neuburger
Zucker, Gilda	In Honor of	Dr. Evie Jagoda

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SATO/MIDNIGHT RUN

Feinkind, Michael & Naomi	In Memory of	Steve Neuburger
Rusoff, David & Meredith		Community Outreach and Enrichment programs
Segall, Bruce & Rosenberg, Robin	In Memory of	Harry Levy
	In Memory of	Steve Neuburger

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SCROLL OF GRATITUDE

Milefsky, Norman & Vivian	In Honor of	Dr. Andrew Goldstein, for all that he does at GHC; for bearing up under difficult times as VP and as a friend. Thank you for always being there.
	In Honor of	Naomi Feinkind, for being a very strong, wonderful, productive and creative GHC President under terribly, difficult times and for her supportive, caring phone calls.
Kals, Willys & Stephen	In Honor of	Linad Markowitz, for being a friend who is supportive by phone and by note card and for all she has done for GHC over the past 40 years. Thank you for your friendship and for the hot cocoa for three youth groups! Naomi Feinkind Allyn Salpeter

SISTERHOOD

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Damesek, Simone	In Memory of	Steve Neuburger
Fuhrman, Joan	In Memory of	my father, Sol Abramson
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	In Memory of	Nettie Goldstein
	In Honor of	Andy Goldstein, distinguished service award
	In Honor of	Rabbi Stein, honorary Doctorate JTS
	In Honor of	Naomi Feinkind
	In Honor of	Robin Rosenberg, Woman of the year

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Alalouf, Howard & Helene cont'd.	In Honor of	Naomi and Michael Feinkind, the birth of grandson, Joseph Isaac
	In Honor of	Sheila and Alan Greenberg, the birth of grandson, Allie Gribetz
	In Honor of	Caryn and Alan Kravitz, on the birth of granddaughter, Charlotte Rose
	In Honor of	Jeff and Leslie Liss on the birth of granddaughter, Celine Elizabeth
	In Memory of	Lois Greenwald
	In Memory of	Claire and Saul Holand, Frances and Isaac Alalouf
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Bierman, Fredrick & Mara-Lee	In Memory of	Steve Neuburger
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Kals, Stephen & Willys	In Honor of	Birth of Karl Antell McGehee
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