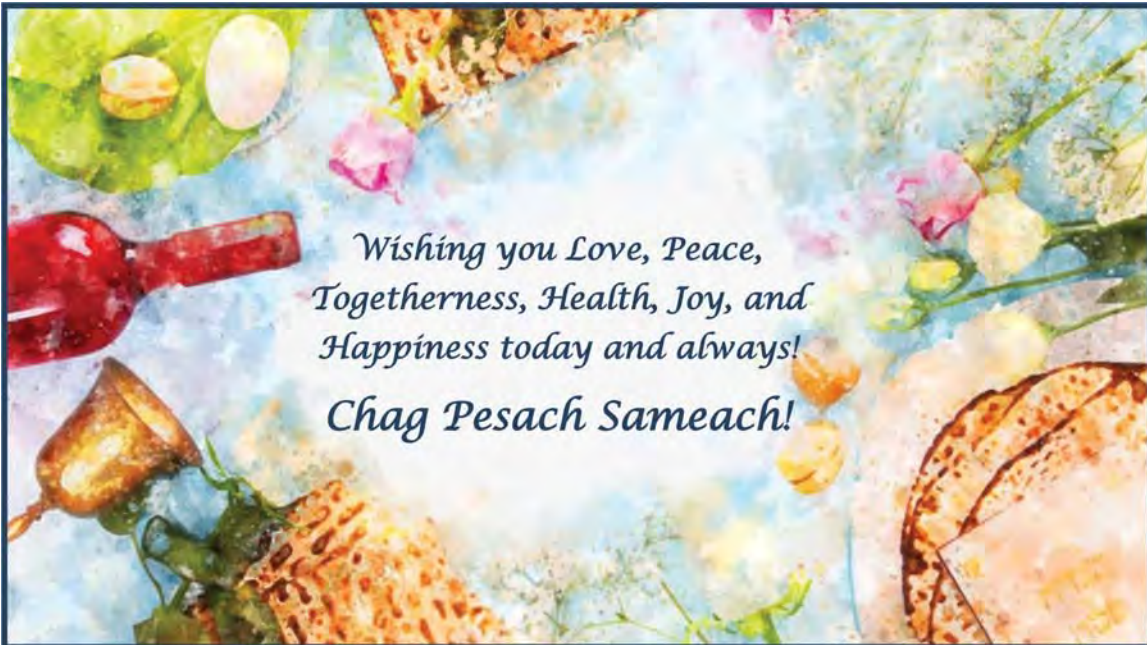


# Temple Beth El Bulletin

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## B<sub>ETH</sub> E<sub>L</sub> Connected



### 2023 Pesach Service Schedule

Wednesday, April 5th

*No Service*

**EREV PESACH - FIRST SEDER**

Light Candles 7:12 pm

Thursday, April 6th, 10:00 am

**1<sup>st</sup> DAY OF PESACH**

**SECOND SEDER**

Torah portion **Passover**

Light Candles 8:13 pm

Friday, April 7th, 10:00 am

**2<sup>nd</sup> DAY OF PESACH**

Torah portion **Passover**

Saturday, April 8th, 9:30 am

**CHOL HAMOED PESACH**

**Dor L Dor Program "Crums of Wisdom" - 10 am**

Torah portion **Passover**

Tuesday, April 11th

**CHOL HAMOED PESACH**

Light Candles 7:19 pm

Wednesday, April 12th, 9:30 am

**7<sup>th</sup> DAY OF PESACH**

Torah portion **Passover**

Light Candles 8:20 pm

Thursday, April 13th, 9:30 am

**8<sup>th</sup> DAY OF PESACH - YIZKOR**

Torah Portion **Passover**

## APRIL 2023 SERVICE SCHEDULE

**\*Each Friday and Saturday Service  
will be available on TBE Facebook  
Page and YouTube Link**

Saturday, April 1<sup>st</sup>, 9:30 AM

*SHABBAT HAGADOL*

APRIL BIRTHDAY SHABBAT

Guided Prayer Service GPS - 10:30 AM

Torah portion **Tzav**

Friday, April 7<sup>th</sup>

**No Service this evening**

Light Candles 7:14 PM

Saturday, April 8<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 AM

*CHOL HOMOED PESACH*

Dor L' Dor – Crumbs of Wisdom

10:00 AM

Torah portion **PASSOVER**

Friday, April 14<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 PM

Kabbalat Shabbat Service

Light Candles 7:22 PM

Saturday, April 15<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 AM

Shabbat Service

Torah portion **Sh'mini**

Friday, April 21<sup>st</sup>, 6:00 PM

Kabbalat Shabbat Service

Light Candles 7:29 PM

Saturday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 9:30 AM

Shabbat Service – ROSH CHODESH

**GRADE 6 CLASS LED SERVICE**

Torah portion **Tazria –M'tzora**

Friday, April 28<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 PM

Kabbalat Shabbat Service

Light Candles 7:36 PM

Saturday, April 29<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 AM

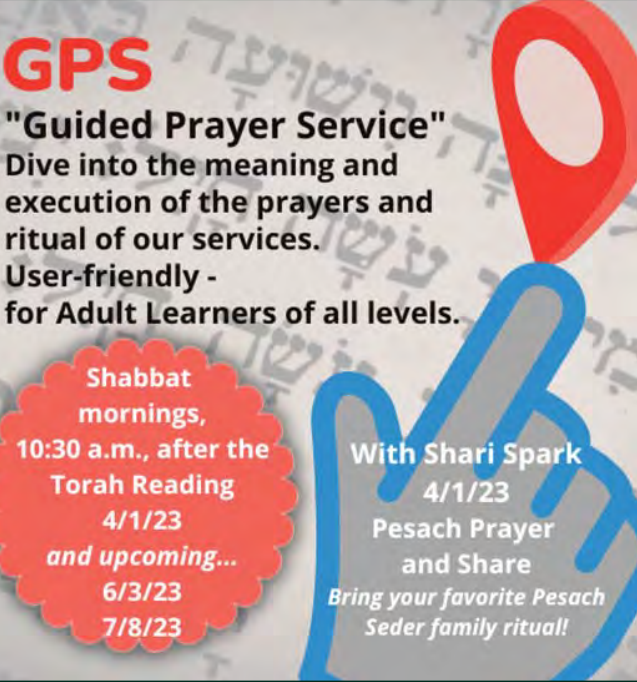
Shabbat Service

**B'MITZVAH OF**

**AUGUST NEUWIRTH**

Torah portion **Acharei Mot – K'doshim**

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4/1/23  
and upcoming...  
6/3/23  
7/8/23

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4/1/23  
Pesach Prayer  
and Share  
Bring your favorite Pesach  
Seder family ritual!

**Please Join Us For  
APRIL BIRTHDAY SHABBAT  
SATURDAY, APRIL 1<sup>st</sup> at 9:30 am**



Please open your TBE Birthday Cards, you will find a  
bonus coupon for 20% off at our Sisterhood Gift Shop  
for the entire month of your birthday!



## Rabbi's Message

Jews and food go together. Every Jewish holiday has its special food. Rosh Hashanna has apples and honey, Chanukkah has latkes and sufganiyot, Purim has humantashen, Shavuot has cheese cake and dairy products. What about Passover? So many foods associated with Pesach and many of them have ritual significance at the seder – matzah, bitter herbs, Karpas (parsley or celery), wine. Many of these have specific blessings or liturgical passages associated with their consumption. What about the egg? What is the egg doing on the seder plate? When do we even eat the egg? And why is there no beracha associated with eating the egg? All of these are good questions.

In Judaism, an egg is a food that is normally associated with mourning. According to the 16<sup>th</sup> century Rabbi Moshe Isserles (Poland), the egg symbolizes mourning. It is the staple food at the Meal of Consolation in a house of mourning. The egg, because it is circular, serves to remind us that life always goes on. Why would we incorporate mourning at a Passover Seder celebration? For the same reason that a groom breaks a glass under the Jewish wedding canopy at the wedding, and that we don't sit shiva on Shabbat or during holidays. We ritually experience sadness at times of joy, and joy at times of sadness to remind ourselves that neither should ever constitute the entirety of one's expectations.

Judaism is a religion that was described by the Jewish philosopher Philo of Alexandria (first half of the first century BCE) as "Sober drunkenness," by which he meant a religion that does not go to extremes, but attempts to maintain a balance in life. Just as life and death, joy and sadness are natural parts of life, freedom and enslavement is part of daily life. We are never completely free, nor are we ever completely enslaved or constricted. Life is a combination of the two. The Hebrew month of Nissan, in which Passover falls, is considered a new year, much like Rosh Hashanna. The roundness of the egg symbolizes the end of the previous year and the beginning of the New Year. Thus, Passover serves as a time for us to turn inward and consider ways in which we are truly free and ways in which we continue to be bound. Chag Sameach!

Rabbi Moshe Re'em

## We Need Your Help!

Rabbi Re'em will visit or contact the members of Temple Beth El who are in the local hospitals. HIPPA laws prevent hospitals from releasing medical information. Upon routine admission, please use our **Temple Code 17**: for all the locations for Lehigh Valley Hospital and for all locations at St. Luke's Hospital.

***When admitted through Emergency Room,***  
*please have your family member or friend notify*  
*the Temple Beth El office.*



## CHAI SOCIETY

Temple Beth El ***Chai'ly***  
appreciates the support of  
our ***Chai*** Society Members  
for 2023:

Your generosity and participation  
in this program subsidizes school  
scholarships and programs, adult  
education programs, and Jewish  
Family Life Education programs.

**Chai'er Level**  
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**L'Chaim Level**  
Jean Wiener

**Double Chai Level**  
Stephanie &  
Robert Kricun



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It's our  
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**Saturday, April 8th**

**10:00 - 11:30 a.m.**

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## The Amazing Legend of "Matzo Crumbs of Wisdom"!

*Shari Spark, Ritual and  
Service/ Jewish Family Education*

Many years ago...the magical "Chai-18", to be exact...families from all over Temple Beth El and the community came together to celebrate Pesach with fun, food and frolicking! A scavenger hunt on Pesach-Shabbat morning marked our first "Matzo Crumbs of Wisdom", and a legend was born!

Ever since, "Matzo Crumbs of Wisdom" has been a Shabbat morning event where we learn in an experiential way. Whether it's about the 10 plagues, Moshe the Hero, Crossing the Reed Sea, What's in This Box, Parody Songs...all these amazing, engaging activities have brought and become legendary moments for families.

In that spirit, we'll be celebrating Pesach *and* our 18<sup>th</sup>/Chai Shabbat and Passover morning with "The Amazing Legend of Matzo Crumbs of Wisdom". Come meet all your favorite Passover Legends: Batya the Egyptian Princess, Miriam and Yocheved Heroines, Nachshon the Water Leader, and more! Our program takes place on Shabbat/Pesach, April 8<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m.

Plus, the greatest JFE legend and invention of all time: YUMMY S'more L'Dors! If you've never made S'more L'Dors, you've never had a Pesach treat! Pile chocolate spread, marshmallows, bananas on top of your matzo...or maybe you prefer cream cheese and strawberry jam with sliced strawberries. You're the chef!

We cannot wait to greet you and play, learn and eat together at "Matzo Crumbs of Wisdom" 2023!

*Pesach Sameach!*



**Save  
the  
Date**

Temple Beth El  
94th Anniversary Celebration  
Honoring Michelle Rohrbach

**Sunday, June 4, 2023**

Details to follow

## Hadassah Virtual Study Group

**Every other Wednesday, 12:30 PM  
Temple Beth El**

Allentown Hadassah presents a stimulating series of short story seminars. All are welcome to attend these FREE sessions on Zoom. The group will be reading selections from anthologies available from **Amazon.com**. For dates and stories, email Marilyn Claire at [mjclaire@gmail.com](mailto:mjclaire@gmail.com) or call 610-972-7054.

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## SOUP KITCHEN DONATIONS

Clementine and/or Brownies

\*Next Drop OFF dates ....  
**Monday, April 24<sup>th</sup>!**



Please drop off a bag of **CLEMENTINES** or a disposable tray of **BROWNIES** to  
Amy Morrison's house,  
1493 Buck Trail Road, Allentown.

**There is a large plastic covered container on the porch, for your donations.**

Monday afternoons before the fourth Tuesday of each month, Amy Morrison will deliver your Clementine, and or Brownies to the Soup Kitchen. If you would like an email reminder, or with any questions please email Joanne Palumbo at [DocRobP@aol.com](mailto:DocRobP@aol.com).

Thank you from the  
Chesed Committee of Temple Beth El.

**TBE Sisterhood MAH JONGG CLUB is BACK!**

**Are you ready to play!**



**Sunday, May 7, 2023**

9:45 am to "check in"

10 am-1 pm **PLAY MAH JONGG**

Please join us for Mah Jongg, Friends, Laughter and some Noshes!

**\$10 per player donation to Sisterhood.**

**RSVP a MUST** for a seat at the table to play!

to Ilene Rubel [IRUBEL@aol.com](mailto:IRUBEL@aol.com) or 484-347-7837

You also can sign up on our website [www.bethelallentown.org](http://www.bethelallentown.org)

Click on the flyer on the opening page.

**Please RSVP by Thursday, May 4th by 12 noon**

# SISTERHHOD GIFT SHOP ONE DAY (ONLY) PASSOVER SALE

**SUNDAY, APRIL 2ND**

**9:00 TO 12:00 - IN THE GIFT SHOP**

**18% OFF  
ALL PASSOVER ITEMS**

(DOES NOT INCLUDE ITEMS ALREADY ON SALE/CLEARANCE)



## Sisterhood's Message

"There are always flowers for those who want to see them." *Henri Matisse*

Thank you to everyone who attended the **Passover Recipe Exchange**. It was wonderful to be together and sample such delicious food. I know I'll be making some of the dishes for my Passover crowd this year. For anyone who wasn't able to attend, but would like a copy of the recipes, please contact our wonderful hostess, Susan Musselman.

The **Spring Plant Sale** is here! We appreciate all who have supported this fundraiser by purchasing hanging flower baskets or flats of flowers supplied by Lehigh Valley Home & Garden. Coupons to pick up your flowers will be mailed to your home. Thank you to Laurie Eisenberg for the beautiful order form and to Marilyn Claire for organizing this program for our community.

Join us on Sunday April 16th at 9:45am for our next **Sisterhood meeting**. We'll meet at Temple Beth El after Hebrew School drop-off. We'll be discussing our end of year programs as well as plans for the 2023-2024 program year. An email will be sent with details, so please RSVP.

**Sisterhood Shabbat** is May 6th and in person! Contact Miriam Pitkoff and Alison Post to participate

in this special service. We invite all congregants who would like to attend to share a morning of prayer and togetherness, followed by a delicious oneg. I can't wait to see you there.

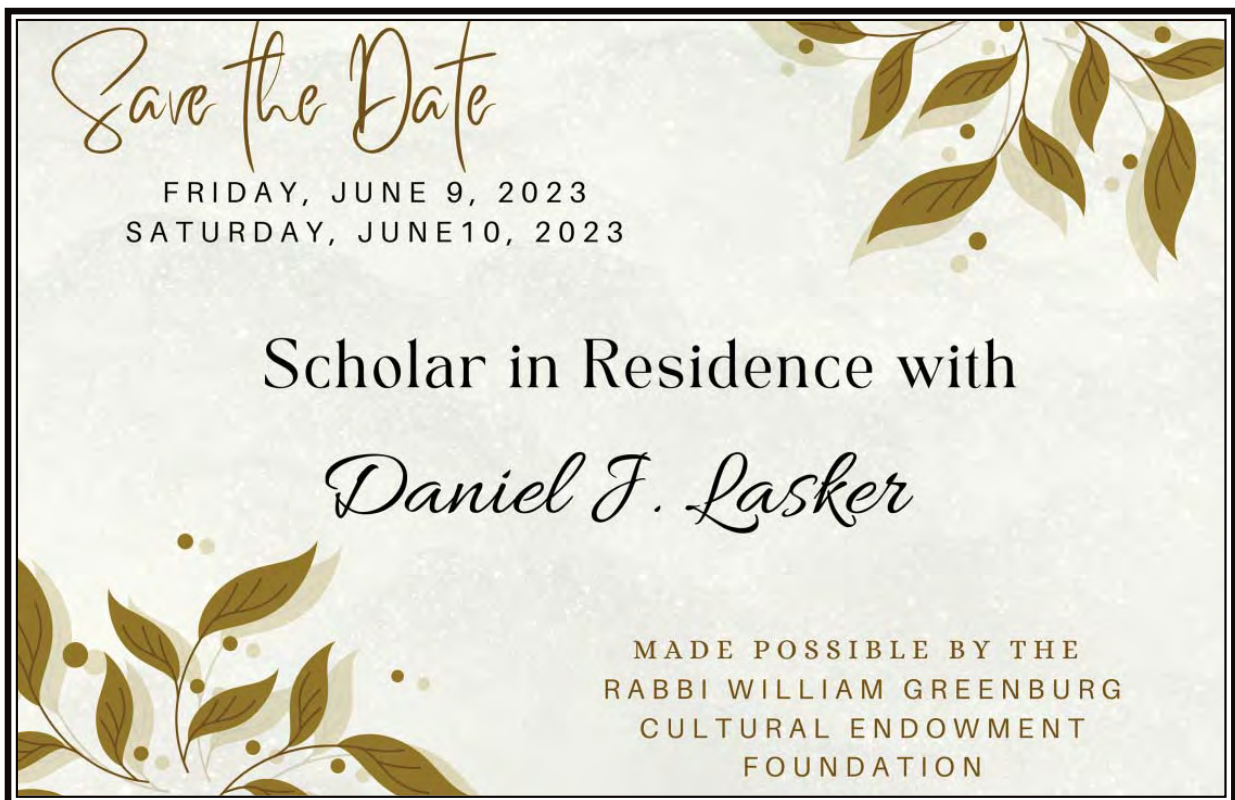
May 7, the very next day, is a morning of **Mah Jongg**! Sign up to join the fun and get together with friends, new and old. Contact Ilene Rubel to RSVP.

We are making plans for the annual **Donor Event** on Wednesday, May 25<sup>th</sup>. Invitations will be sent by email.

My term as President is over in June. **YOU** will make it possible for TBE Sisterhood to continue by stepping up and saying **YES**! Join a committee to run a program, organize a Brunch & Learn, say you'll be "on call" for once and done projects. Or volunteer to be President. This is a pivotal moment. The time is now. We have been isolated for so long. Make a difference and volunteer to bring us together. Sisterhood needs you.

Please contact me to learn more, [chelseakarp@yahoo.com](mailto:chelseakarp@yahoo.com).

Chelsea Karp  
Sisterhood President



# April Yahrzeits

*The following are the names of our beloved departed whose Yahrzeits will be observed this month*

## 4/1/2023

Ben H. Berman  
Nelson Gandelman  
Leonard Grunther  
Morrie E. Kricun  
Morton Lackritz  
June Levinson Siegel  
William K. Max

## 4/2/2023

Sidney B. Berman  
Milton Gussow  
William H. Mendelsohn  
Max Rosenfeld

## 4/3/2023

Evelyn Feldman  
Stuart B. Karess  
Esther Kaufman  
Sidney S. Levy  
Irv Spilker

## 4/4/2023

Nella Altschuler  
Isadore Arbitman  
Dr. Louis Pollen Diamond  
Dr. Daniel Goldfarb  
Charles Kaplan  
Rev. Louis Levine  
Samuel Rosenberg

## 4/5/2023

Samuel "Sell" Becker  
Lucille Binderman  
Dorothy Gergely  
Leonard Kaplan  
Jacob Kreindel  
Douglas Roth  
Harry Spiro  
Meyer Tope

## 4/6/2023

Samuel Frank  
Toby Neff  
Sydney Roth

## 4/7/2023

Esther Malko  
Ronald Blank  
Irving Gross  
Rose Matte  
Samuel Ofrichter  
Morris Sass  
Beryl Sheftel  
Dr. Itic Zighelboim

## 4/8/2023

Betty Goldstein  
Martha Kobrovsky  
Dora Nemirofsky  
Robert Sussman  
Beatrice Roth Zimmet

## 4/9/2023

Ray B. Alexander  
Barney Barr  
Morris Eisenberg  
Julius Fraenkel  
Isidor Friedman  
Belle Hindin  
Harry Kodroff  
Hyman Litwak  
Esther Rodale  
Ethel Roth Lerner

## 4/10/2023

Abraham Roth  
Frieda Sass  
Isadore Wolson

## 4/11/2023

Yetta Cohen  
Herman Ginsberg  
Clara Goldenberg  
Leon Kessler  
Jack Lobell  
Claire Meislin  
Naomi Wimmer

## 4/12/2023

Ida Gold  
Edward Kahan  
Hyman Sandler  
Louis Spiro

## 4/13/2023

Anna Dembicer  
Benjamin DeRoy  
Mirra Papir  
Rose Perlis  
Pirry Roth  
Ronald Schippell  
Cecelia Sommers Volk

## 4/14/2023

Max Brown  
Barbara Davison  
William Deutsch  
Fanny Krasnov  
Norman Krasnov  
Aaron Sass  
Joseph Ungar  
Meyer Vinocour  
Isadore Weinstein

## 4/15/2023

Benjamin Black  
Gwen Louer  
Mary Prussin  
Isaac Salitsky  
Morris Warshawsky  
Elaine Weiner

## 4/16/2023

Ellin Rudman Dwares  
Charles Glass  
Leah Kinberg  
Morton Levy  
Salo Ratsprecher  
Rose Rosenberg  
Harold Roth

## 4/17/2023

Jacqueline Molovinsky  
Janet West Rosen

## 4/18/2023

Frieda Jozoff  
Meyer Lubow  
Eleanor Miller  
Isadore Nemirofsky  
Cecil Salman

## 4/19/2023

Rose Goldstone  
Sidney Leroy Jasper  
Alex Karol  
Nathan Harris Kinberg  
Nathan Melman  
Jacob Movsoovich  
Mary Rudman  
Ronnie Sheftel  
Abram Shnaper

## 4/20/2023

Herman Benioff  
David Benstock  
Joseph Denitz  
Samuel Genkin  
Rebecca Heisen  
Mildred Kozinn  
Nathan (Nochum) Meislin  
Beatrice (Berocho) Meislin  
Charles Ruback  
Walter Sommers

## 4/21/2023

David Goldman  
Jean Kass  
Dora Kivert  
Frieda Rothstein

## 4/22/2023

Isaac Baylis  
Helen Blum  
Syril Diamond  
Stanley Finkle  
Ethel Sackin Miller  
Rebecca Molovinsky  
Edward Schneider  
Katherine Schwartz  
Sylvia Spilove

## 4/23/2023

Sarah Baylis  
Sophia Fleischman  
Shirley Freudenberger  
Chaya Soroh Goldstein  
Daniel David Pomerantz  
Abraham Sheftel  
Jacob Topolsky  
Mary Wiener

## 4/24/2023

Frank Chariton  
Bernard Ginsburg  
Harry Greenberg  
Edward Kahn  
Leah Kreithen  
Miriam Marin  
Esther Max Coleman  
Gerson Maury Roth  
George Zager

## 4/25/2023

Rhoda Smith Ofrichter  
Annie Orkin

## 4/26/2023

Sarah Gottlieb

## 4/27/2023

Nathan Berkwitz  
Hessy Epstein  
Jacob George Kaplan  
Azeh Segel  
Carl Stein

## 4/28/2023

J. Sydney Bloch  
Henry Glickman  
Marcus Holtz  
Jacob Kinderlehrer  
Helen Roth  
David Tumarkin

## 4/29/2023

Sidney Greenberg  
Abram Gusinsky  
David Abraham Lesavoy  
Max Mechanic  
William Nestler  
Harry Orkin  
Andrew Roth  
Florence Schneider

## 4/30/2023

Aaron Abramson  
Allen Angart  
Samuel Jacob Heicklen  
Helen Holtz  
Robert Schiff  
Harry Schwartz  
Elaine Surnamer  
Sigmund Topfer  
Arthur Young  
Saul Zales

**Honor or Memorialize your loved ones by endowing a tree for \$1,000 at Beth El Memorial Park**  
The tree chosen will be marked by a permanent Memorial Plaque. Other items are also available to endow.  
Contact: Ivan Schonfeld 610-349-1721

## B - Mitzvah

**August Henry Neuwirth, April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2023**



August Henry Neuwirth is an honors student in the 7<sup>th</sup> grade at Orefield Middle School. They enjoy swimming, playing the cello, adventures with their family and being with friends.

August's B'Mitzvah project is in support of the Associated Animal Societies, specifically Popcorn Park which is a sanctuary for abandoned, injured, ill, exploited, abused, or elderly farm animals as well as birds and domestic and exotic animals. Our family sponsors three animals, one of which is a blind tiger, named Kya. We also have Angel, a sassy pig needing her own enclosure and Callie, a baby goat who was separated from her mother shortly after her birth. We love to visit the animals as often as we can. The shelter is always in need of blankets, towels, sheets and linens. Cat and dog toys are accepted for the adoption program. Our family and all of the animals at Popcorn Park thank you.

August and their family hope you can join them as they are called to the torah as a B' Mitzvah on April 29, 2023.



### Parents of Graduates:

In the June Bulletin, we would like to list all High School and College Graduates.



Please call the office at 610-435-3521 or email Ilene Rubel at [ilene@bethelallentown.org](mailto:ilene@bethelallentown.org) with your information by May 3rd!



## It's A Simcha... Mazel Tov

**Arlene Gorchov** on the birth of her grandson, Bennett Gorchov, son of Rachael Gorchov.

**Jay & Marla Melman** on the engagement of their son, David to Alyssa Bussell.

**Greg & Suzy Harris** on the engagement of their daughter, Abbey to Benjamin Levine.

**Steven & Nancy Oberlender** on the engagement of their daughter, Isabelle Roman to Mark Mandel.

**Harold & Linda Kreithen** on the marriage of their son Jeff to Minjeoung.

## In Memoriam

*The congregation extends its heartfelt sympathy to the family of ...*

**Jerome Ginsburg**

Beloved Congregant

Beloved husband of our congregant, Gloria Ginsburg

Beloved father of our congregant, Larry Ginsburg

**Tama Fogelman**

Beloved mother of our congregant, Mark Fogelman

**Vera Silverman**

Beloved mother of our congregant, Kathi Katzman

**Gael Levine Morgan**

Beloved sister of our congregant, Susan Levine

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# TEMPLE BETH EL TRIBUTE FUNDS

Remembering a loved one or marking a special occasion is often done with *Tzedakah*, making a donation in honor or memory of a special person or event.

Reminder: Minimum Contribution To All Temple Funds is \$10.00.

## BUILDING FUND

*Provides funds to maintain our synagogue*

### In Memory Of:

Jerry Ginsburg – Al & Arlene Herling

## CARING COMMUNITY FUND

*Supports the programs of the Temple's Caring Community (Shabbat Angels).*

### In Honor Of:

Jay & Marla Melman on the engagement of their son, David, to Alyssa Bussel – Bobby & Bonnie Hammel

### In Memory Of:

Bob Born – Jeff & Susan Zimskind  
Jerry Ginsburg – Alan & Roberta Penn

## DR. STANLEY STEIN MEMORIAL FUND

### In Honor Of:

Kenny Kavowras on his birthday – Scott & Debbie Rosen

### In Memory Of:

Tama Fogelman – Manya Stein

## E. G. SCOBLYONKO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL FUND

*Provides assistance for religious school tuition for families in need & non-budgeted items for the school.*

### In Honor Of:

Arlene Gorchov on the birth of her grandson – Bruce & Alicia Zahn; Phil & Diane Stein & Family  
Greg & Suzy Harris on the engagement of their daughter, Abbey, to Ben Levine – Bobby & Bonnie Hammel

### In Memory Of:

Jerry Ginsburg – Alan & Enid Tope; Howard & Sharon Richman  
Vera Silverman; Tama Fogelman – Elaine Langer  
Tama Fogelman – Bruce & Enid Reich

### In Observance Of The Yahrzeit Of:

Paul Langer – Eric Langer; Elaine Langer

### Complete Recovery Of:

David Eisenberg – Elaine Langer

## FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION

*(Provides funding for intergenerational Shabbat morning services/activity programs & events)*

### In Honor Of:

David & Susan Hyman on the purchase of their new home – Marilyn Friedman

### In Appreciation Of:

Shari Spark – Seth & Kathi Katzman

## FLORAL FUND

*Provides floral arrangements for the High Holidays, Sukkah decorations, & Bimah arrangements as needed.*

### In Memory Of:

Vera Silverman – Robert & Shelah Luber

### In Observance Of The Yahrzeit Of:

Hilda Bellow; Robert Kopyt – Nelson & Andy Kopyt

## KIDDUSH FUND

*Assists with costs associated with providing weekly Onegs and Kiddushim after Shabbat services.*

### In Honor Of:

Marc & Susan Vengrove on the birth of their grandson, Ronan – Marc & Laurie Berson

### In Memory Of:

Maxine Miller – Marcia Cohen

### In Observance Of The Yahrzeit Of:

Israel Mendelson – Betty Mendelson  
Mildred Hirsch – Jean Mandel

## LIBRARY FUND

*Provides support for the Library to purchase books, videos & resource materials*

### In Memory Of:

Maxine Miller – Mimi Roth

### In Observance Of The Yahrzeit Of:

Muriel Frank – Alan & Roberta Penn

## MINYAN FUND

*Provides resources for Minyan expenses.*

### In Memory Of:

Maxine Miller – Jeff & Susan Zimskind

### In Observance Of The Yahrzeit Of:

Jerry Ginsburg – Marcia Cohen

## MORTON R. LEVY USY SCHOLARSHIP FUND

*Provides scholarships to youth group members of our chapter to participate in USY conventions.*

### In Observance Of The Yahrzeit Of:

Jules Jaspan – Carol Bernhard

Myra Levy – Judith Cohen

## RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

*For charitable purposes at the discretion of the Rabbi.*

### In Appreciation Of:

Rabbi Re'em for Wendy's naming service – Sandra Kazman

### In Memory Of:

Rachel Friedman – Jeff & Susan Zimskind; Jay & Margie Strauss; Carol Bernhard; Seth & Kathi Katzman; Jeff & Elizabeth Greenberg; David & Elizabeth Lischner; Betty Mendelson; Harold & Linda Kreithen; Barnet & Lisa Fraenkel; Alan & Roberta Penn; Jay & Bobbi Needle; Bobby & Bonnie Hammel; Ethel Melamut  
Jerry Ginsburg – Lisa Rosenberg; Marilyn Claire

Vera Silverman – Marilyn Claire

Tama Fogelman – Bobby & Bonnie Hammel

Jonathan Dicker – Alan & Roberta Penn

### In Observance Of The Yahrzeit Of:

Gay Riebenfeld; Paul Zimskind – Jeff & Susan Zimskind

Harold Glantz; Louis Strauss – Jay & Margie Strauss  
Saadia Cohen – Rosine Knafo

Tilford Berg Fisher – Robert & Shirley Malenovsky

Leonard German – Sandi Teplitz

Rebecca Fisher – Peter Fisher & Kathy Zimmerman

Marc Mintzer – Barnet & Lisa Fraenkel

Audrey Perskie – Ruth Gross

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*Supports Sisterhood's general operating budget*

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### In Observance Of The Yahrzeit Of:

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*Supports the general operating budget of our synagogue.*

### In Honor Of:

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##### **In Memory Of:**

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## Who doesn't need a good laugh?

Temple Beth El hosted Comedy Night on February 25<sup>th</sup> with a crowd of 120 people. This was our second big event since the Pandemic. It was good to see new and familiar faces.

### We have three big thank you:

Scott Delin for chairing this event

Mark Stutz for the lighting and sound part

Jessica Volchko for organizing the food.

The night began with a delicious buffet of appetizers, desserts, and beverage spirits. You could feel the happiness in the crowd as everyone greeted each other and ended the first hour catching up with friends.

Our first comedian, Brad Zimmerman (a cousin of congregants Wes and Beth Kozinn) entertained the crowd with his dry Jewish humor. The next comedian, Cory Kahaney, gave her performance of satirical Jewish humor. Both comedians were extremely funny and entertaining to all.

### A special thank you to our Comedy Night sponsors:

Houman and Lori Ahdieh

Sheryl and Rance Block

Scott and Francine Delin

Glenn & Jan Ehrich

Entertainment Services Group

Peter Fisher and Kathy Zimmerman

Mark and Gigi Fogelman

Harold and Sandy Goldfarb

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Greg and Suzy Harris

Beth and Wes Kozinn

Stuart and Lynda Krawitz

Elaine Langer

Enid and Bruce Reich

Ilene and Mike Ringold

Larrie and Judy Sheftel

Mark and Jill Stutz

## **Purim Fun For All !!!**



### **Important Dates**

**April 2023**

**Passover Break**

**No School**

**4/4, 4/9, 4/10, 4/11**

**Dor l' Dor Pesach**

**Shabbat 4/4**

**G-1 Shacharit**

**Sunday 4/16 10:00**

**Grade 6 Service**

**Saturday, 4/29 9:00**

**SAVE THE  
DATE**

**Tuesday 5/9**

**Last Day of School**

**Closing Picnic**

## **TALES WITH A TWIST FOR PASSOVER**

**Sunday, April 2nd 9:00-Noon**

**Eva Grayzel, Master Story teller**



**Passover Stories in the Sanctuary followed by Model Seder  
in Wax Auditorium. All Students and Families Welcome!**

**Middot  
Garden is  
Blooming**

**April 23, 2023**



# TRY YOUR HAND AT POKER



JOIN US AT TEMPLE BETH EL



## PLAY DATES

7pm -10pm

APRIL 10, 2023

MAY 15, 2023

## RSVP

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royben@ptd.net  
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OPEN TO THE COMMUNITY

\$10.00 -Games & Refreshments

Sponsored by the Men's Club of Temple Beth El

**TEMPLE BETH EL  
JEWISH FAMILY EDUCATION  
INVITE YOU TO  
TAKE A HIKE**



**PASSOVER HIKE AND PICNIC  
TREXLER NATURE PRESERVE  
MONDAY APRIL 10TH, 5:30 PM  
FOR ALL AGES**



**COVERED BRIDGE TRAIL - CENTAL  
RANGE 1.2 MILES**

**ADA APPROVED - EASY**

**BRING A PESACH DINNER FOR AFTER THE  
HIKE- PICNIC BENCHES AVAILABLE**

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# "Tales with a Twist for Passover"

*Eva Grayzel*

**Master Storyteller**

**Sunday April 2nd  
9:00am – NOON**



**An Interactive and Educational  
Program For  
Children and Families**



**Storytelling–Sanctuary  
Discussion**

**Model Seder–Wax Auditorium**

RSVP @ [www.bethelallentown.org](http://www.bethelallentown.org)



*Sisterhood of Temple Beth El*

## *Spring Plant and Flower Sale*

*Purchase coupons through Sisterhood and select your plants at*



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*Orders due by April 10th*



*Hanging Baskets, \$22*

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*Please send check payable to Sisterhood Temple Beth El to:*

*Marilyn Claire, 4060 Primrose Drive, Allentown, PA 18104*



**TEMPLE BETH EL  
AND THE HOLOCAUST RESOURCE CENTER  
SUNDAY, APRIL 30, 2023**

**THE U.S. HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL AND MUSEUM  
WASHINGTON DC**



**DAY TRIP BY BUS**

**VISIT [USHMM.ORG](http://USHMM.ORG)  
FOR MUSEUM INFO**

**SCHEDULE**

**8:00 AM: LEAVE TBE - BAGELS & CREAM CHEESE ON THE BUS**

**11:30 AM: ARRIVAL AND SELF-TOUR OF THE MUSEUM**

**2:30 PM: DEPART MUSEUM; KOSHER LUNCH SERVED ON THE BUS**

**\*Your choice of 4 lunch items when you make your  
reservation – lunch cost is not included in the bus  
trip price – must prepaid**

**6:00 PM RETURN TO TBE**

**\*Price \$25.00 (Bus Trip only – not  
lunch ) Limited to first 30 people**

**RSVP AT  
[www.bethelallentown.org](http://www.bethelallentown.org)**

# April 2023

10 Nisan 5783 - 9 Iyar 5783

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						<b>1</b> 10 NISAN 9:30 am - Service and Birthday Shabbat 10:30 am - GPS (Guided Prayer Service) 12:30 pm - Weekly Torah Parasha Study
<b>2</b> 11 NISAN 9 am - Minyan in person and streaming 9 am - Religious School 9 am - Sisterhood Gift Shop Passover Sale 9:15 am - Eva Grayzel Master Storyteller (Tales w/a Twist for Passover)	<b>3</b> 12 NISAN 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 5 pm - Yoga with Deepa 6:30 pm - Midrasha	<b>4</b> 13 NISAN 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 7:30 pm - Fundraising Committee Meeting on Zoom	<b>5</b> 14 NISAN ✠✠Erev Pesach  <b>7:12 pm</b> 7:45 am - Minyan on Zoom	<b>6</b> 15 NISAN ✠✠Passover - Day 1 OFFICE CLOSED 10 am - Service 6 pm - Passover Seder	<b>7</b> 16 NISAN ✠✠Passover - Day 2  <b>7:14 pm</b> OFFICE CLOSED 10 am - Service NO EREV SHABBAT SERVICE	<b>8</b> 17 NISAN ✠✠Passover - First Intermediate Day 9:30 am - Service 10 am - Dor L'Dor Family Service 12:30 pm - Weekly Torah Parasha Study
<b>9</b> 18 NISAN ✠✠Passover - Second Intermediate Day 9 am - Minyan on Zoom	<b>10</b> 19 NISAN ✠✠Passover - Third Intermediate Day 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 5 pm - Yoga with Deepa 5:30 pm - Hike and Picnic 7 pm - Men's Club Poker Night	<b>11</b> 20 NISAN ✠✠Passover - Fourth Intermediate Day  <b>7:19</b> 8 am - Minyan on Zoom	<b>12</b> 21 NISAN ✠✠Passover - Day 7 OFFICE CLOSED 9:30 am - Service	<b>13</b> 22 NISAN ✠✠Passover - Day 8 OFFICE CLOSED 9:30 am - Service	<b>14</b> 23 NISAN  <b>7:22</b> 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 6pm - Erev Shabbat Service	<b>15</b> 24 NISAN 9:30 am - Service 12:30 pm - Weekly Torah Parasha Study
<b>16</b> 25 NISAN 9 am - Minyan in person and streaming 9 am - Religious School 9:45 am - Sisterhood meeting at TBE	<b>17</b> 26 NISAN 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 5 pm - Yoga with Deepa 6:30 pm - Midrasha	<b>18</b> 27 NISAN 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 4 pm - Religious School 7:30 pm - Board Meeting	<b>19</b> 28 NISAN 8 am - Minyan via Zoom	<b>20</b> 29 NISAN 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming	<b>21</b> 30 NISAN ✠✠Rosh Chodesh Iyar - Day 1  <b>7:29</b> 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 6 pm - Erev Shabbat Services	<b>22</b> 1 IYAR ✠✠Rosh Chodesh Iyar - Day 2 9:30 am - Service and Grade 6 class service 12:30 pm - Weekly Torah Parasha Study
<b>23</b> 2 IYAR 9 am - Minyan in person and streaming 9 am - Religious School 9 am - Midot Garden Project (execute)	<b>24</b> 3 IYAR 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 9 am - Midot Garden Project (Execute) 5 pm - Yoga with Deepa 6:30 pm - Midrasha	<b>25</b> 4 IYAR 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 4 pm - Religious School	<b>26</b> 5 IYAR ✠✠Yom HaAtzma'ut 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 7:30 pm - Endowment Meeting	<b>27</b> 6 IYAR 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming	<b>28</b> 7 IYAR  <b>7:36</b> 6 pm - Erev Shabbat Service	<b>29</b> 8 IYAR 9:30 am - Service 12:30 pm - Weekly Torah Parasha Study
<b>30</b> 9 IYAR 8 am - Bus trip to Holocaust Museum 9 am - Religious School 9 am - Minyan in person and streaming						

# May 2023

10 Iyar 5783 - 11 Sivan 5783

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<b>1</b> 10 IYAR 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 5 pm - Yoga with Deepa 6:30 pm - Midrasha	<b>2</b> 11 IYAR 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 4 pm - Religious School 7:30 pm - Fundraising Committee Meeting on Zoom	<b>3</b> 12 IYAR 8 am - Minyan on Zoom	<b>4</b> 13 IYAR 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming	<b>5</b> 14 IYAR ✠✠Pesach Sheini  <b>7:44</b> 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 6 pm - Erev Shabbat Service	<b>6</b> 15 IYAR 9:30 am - Service Sisterhood Shabbat 12:30 pm - Weekly Torah Parasha Study with Chavurat Torah
<b>7</b> 16 IYAR 9 am - Minyan in person and streaming 9 am - Religious School 9:45 am - Mah Jongg Club 10 am - Sisterhood Plant Exchange	<b>8</b> 17 IYAR 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 5 pm - Yoga with Deepa	<b>9</b> 18 IYAR ✠✠Lag BaOmer 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 4 pm - Religious school 5 pm - Lag B'Omer Picnic	<b>10</b> 19 IYAR 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 7:30 pm - Board Meeting	<b>11</b> 20 IYAR 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming	<b>12</b> 21 IYAR  <b>7:51</b> 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 7:30 pm - Erev Shabbat Service and Siddur Ceremony	<b>13</b> 22 IYAR 9:30 am - Service and Birthday Shabbat 12:30 pm - Weekly Torah Parasha Study with Chavurat Torah
<b>14</b> 23 IYAR 9 am - Minyan in person and streaming	<b>15</b> 24 IYAR 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 5 pm - Yoga with Deepa 7 pm - Men's Club Poker Night	<b>16</b> 25 IYAR 8 am - Minyan on Zoom	<b>17</b> 26 IYAR 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 5 pm - Sisterhood Book Club #1	<b>18</b> 27 IYAR 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 7 pm - Sisterhood Book Club #2	<b>19</b> 28 IYAR ✠✠Yom Yerushalayim  <b>7:57</b> 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 6 pm - Erev Shabbat Service	<b>20</b> 29 IYAR 9:30 am - Service 12:30 pm - Weekly Torah Parasha Study
<b>21</b> 1 SIVAN ✠✠Rosh Chodesh Sivan 9 am - Minyan in person and streaming	<b>22</b> 2 SIVAN 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 5 pm - Yoga with Deepa	<b>23</b> 3 SIVAN 8 am - Minyan on Zoom	<b>24</b> 4 SIVAN 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 6 pm - Sisterhood Donor Dinner	<b>25</b> 5 SIVAN  <b>8:03</b> 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 6 pm - JFE Shavuot Event 7 pm - Tikun Leil Shavout Service	<b>26</b> 6 SIVAN ✠✠Shavuot - Day 1  <b>8:04</b> OFFICE CLOSED 9:30 am - First day of Shvuot Service and Confirmation NO EREV SHABBAT SERVICE	<b>27</b> 7 SIVAN ✠✠Shavuot - Day 2 9:30 am - Second day Shavout Service and Yizkor 12:30 pm - Weekly Torah Parasha Study
<b>28</b> 8 SIVAN 9 am - Minyan in person and streaming	<b>29</b> 9 SIVAN  Memorial Day OFFICE CLOSED 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming	<b>30</b> 10 SIVAN 8 am - Minyan on Zoom	<b>31</b> 11 SIVAN 8 am - Minyan on Zoom			