

timely topics

May 2023
Iyar/Sivan 5783

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Two Opportunities to Celebrate Rabbi Tornberg!

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EDUCATION SHABBAT
FRIDAY, MAY 5
SERVICE & FAMILY DINNER

SERVICE & DINNER: 6:00 P.M.

All students
will participate
in the service

Honor our Mensch Lab & Beit Noar teachers.
Join us as we celebrate Rabbi Tornberg!

Dairy dinner & special ice cream treats.
Adults: \$12.00
Children 12 & under: FREE!

Register on ShulCloud
or Venmo @OYRTBA
by **Wednesday, May 3**

MENSCH LAB
BEIT NOAR

*Celebration in Honor of
Rabbi ~ Educator
Shoshannah Tornberg*

Join Us
Friday, May 19 at 6:00 p.m.
Kabbalat Shabbat Service
& Catered Congregational Dinner

Adults \$36.00
18 & Under Free!

Register on
ShulCloud!

RSVP by: Tuesday, May 9

May Erev Shabbat Schedule

5/5 - 6:00 p.m. - Rabbi Tornberg & Cantor Zarkh
Kabbalat Shabbat - May Birthday Blessings in **Molish Sanctuary**

5/12 - 7:00 p.m. - Rabbi Tornberg & Cantor Zarkh
Brotherhood/Sisterhood Erev Shabbat Service with
Adult Choir in **Molish Sanctuary**

5/19 - 6:00 p.m. - Rabbi Leib, Rabbi Tornberg & Cantor Zarkh
Kabbalat Shabbat in **Molish Sanctuary**

5/26 - 6:00 p.m. - Rabbi Leib & Cantor Zarkh
Kabbalat Shabbat Service in **TBT Chapel**



Celebrating 75 Years!

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Mazal Tov!



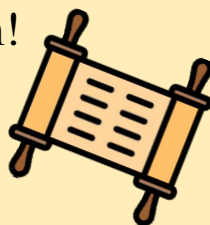
Eliana Rubin - Confirmation

Proud parents are Jody & Bruce Rubin



Mazal Tov!
Matt Hasness
Juliana Perry

On completing their process of
choosing Judaism!



Administrative Office Closures:
Friday, May 26 & Monday, May 29

Are you interested in helping or
participating in our Under the Stars Pride
Shabbat service? Are you creative and
want to lend a hand with our Rainbow

Oneg that evening?

Call the office (215) 886-8000

or email

Monica, mlynn@oyrtbetham.org

Brotherhood

Meeting

Wednesdays, May 3

7:00 p.m. in the Multipurpose room
(former Library)

Poker Nights

Wednesdays, May 10 & 17

7:00 p.m. in Multipurpose room



Sisterhood

Sisterhood Spring Supper

Thursday, May 18

6:30 p.m. - Strick Auditorium

Persian Dancing & Catering by Soraya

Cost \$30.00

Questions? Contact **Sue Fleishman**
(215) 900-0438



2022 – 2023 SOEL Grads



Zoo Train

Music Train



BROTHERHOOD/SISTERHOOD EREV SHABBAT SERVICE WITH ADULT CHOIR


**HaTikvah - Israel at 75
Through the Decades**

**Friday, May 12
7:00 PM
Molish Sanctuary**



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Annual Congregational Breakfast & Meeting

Sunday, May 7, 9:00 a.m.
This event is in-person only
STRICK AUDITORIUM

*Join us as we reflect on a fantastic
75th anniversary year!
Special presentation
by Cindy Garber & Larry Kane.
Breakfast will be served.*

RSVPs required!

REGISTER NOW

ON SHULCLOUD

Social Action

GET OUT AND VOTE

Tuesday, May 16

7:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

This year's statewide races are all for Pennsylvania's three appellate courts. There are two open seats on the Superior Court, one on Commonwealth Court, and one on the Supreme Court.

The Democratic and Republican primaries for Supreme and Commonwealth Courts are all competitive, meaning at least two candidates are vying for one seat. The Democratic primary for Superior Court is also competitive, while the GOP primary for Superior Court is not. Locally you will vote for School Board and County Commissioners in the primary. Local elections are so important as government starts in your own backyard. Voting is a privilege. See you at the polls!



Shavuot/ Yizkor Service: Come and Eat Your Slice of Cheesecake, Too!

Friday, May 26, 10:00 a.m. TBT Chapel

Have you ever wondered what it means to stand at Sinai? This is arguably one of the most important questions – and challenges – of our day. For if not, it means that we are perpetually bound to Egypt. Having undertaken our long, 7-week journey from Pesach to Shavuot, from the enslavement of Egypt to the sovereignty of Sinai, we invite you to join with us as we stand, once more, at Sinai's foot ready, willing, and able to renew the ancient covenantal promise. Together, as one community of faith, we'll renew that ageless vow around the Torah table, and hear the stirring, majestic words of Exodus 20, the Ten Commandments. In addition, we'll celebrate the "confirmation" of Eliana Rubin, daughter of Jody and Bruce Rubin, as she pledges her devotion to a life of Torah. Our Shavuot service will, of course, include the full recitation of Yizkor. An unforgettable and joyous celebration of Torah to be followed by a delicious, dairy reception!

If you are unable to attend, join us on Zoom!

Meeting ID: 875 9075 3929

Passcode: 1050613



Mitzvah Day, April 23

A big thank you to all those who helped plan, participated in & supported Mitzvah Day!!



June upcoming events

Friday, June 2, 6:30 p.m. – Under the Stars Pride Shabbat Service with T'filah band & June birthday blessings.

Friday, June 16, 6:00 p.m. – Kabbalat Shabbat Service
Farewell tribute to President Joshua A. Posnan, including a special oneg.

Friday, June 23, 7:00 p.m. – Erev Shabbat Service with Adult Choir
Installation of New Officers & June Anniversary Blessings

