

# Vibrant Judaism – Welcome Home

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or call (847) 205-9982 to register  
for programs, receive links for virtual  
attendance, or more information.

## Services

September & October, 2023

Temple Beth-El warmly welcomes our congregants to a wide variety of worship opportunities. From casual services to services with a more formal feeling, from family services to adults of all ages, Temple Beth-El has a worship experience that is right for everyone.

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### EARLY ONEG, 5:30 PM

#### KABBALAT SHABBAT, 6:00 PM

Fridays, September 22, October 13\*, 27

\*with Anniversary Blessings

### EARLY ONEG, 5:30 PM

#### SHABBAT YELADIM AND CONSECRATION, 6:00 PM

Friday, October 6

### EARLY ONEG, 5:30 PM

#### FAMILY SHABBAT SERVICE, 6:00 PM

Friday, October 20

### EARLY ONEG, 5:30 PM

#### SHABBAT YELADIM AND CONSECRATION 6:00 PM

Friday, October 6

### CASUAL MORNING MINYAN SHABBAT, 9:30 AM

Saturdays, September 23, 30, October 7, 14, 28

### SHABBAT SERVICE, 10:00 AM

Saturday October 21

### SUKKOT/SIMCHAT TORAH

#### Friday, September 29

Sukkot Service and Celebration, 5:00 pm

#### Saturday, September 30

Sukkot Festival Service and Lite Lunch, 10:00 am

#### Friday, October 6

Special Simchat Torah, Consecration and  
Shabbat Service, 6:00 pm

#### Saturday, October 7

Simchat Torah and Yizkor Service and Lite Lunch

## High Holidays



Registration is required for most High Holiday Services.

### EREV ROSH HASHANAH

Friday, September 15

Evening Service 7:30 pm

### ROSH HASHANAH

Saturday, September 16

Children's Service 9 am

Morning Service 10:15 am

Youth Experience 2 pm

Tashlich at Wood Oaks Green Park 3:30 pm

Sunday, September 17

Second Day Morning Service at TBE 10 am

### KOL NIDRE

Sunday, September 24

Evening Service 7 pm

### YOM KIPPUR

Monday, September 25

Children's Service 9 am

Morning Service 10:15 am

Youth Experience 1:45 pm

Contemporary Afternoon Service 1:45 pm

Prayers of Your Heart in front of the Ark 3:30 pm

Yizkor and N'ilah Service 4 pm

All services and programs are at Glenbrook South  
High School unless otherwise indicated.

Doors to the high school open 30 minutes before s  
ervices begin.



# From the Rabbi's Study

## If I am not for myself, who will be for me?

By Rabbi Sidney M. Helbraun



**"If I am not for myself, who will be for me?  
If I am only for myself, what am I? And if not  
now, when?"**

This oft quoted saying of Hillel offers a balanced perspective on how to prioritize our responsibilities. The first phrase teaches that our primary responsibility is towards own well-being and that of our family. The second, reminds us that if we only focus on our own needs, we are missing the mark. And the third, makes us aware that both of these our obligations must be continuously met, rather than focusing on the first one now, and the second one later on in our lives, perhaps because we can never be certain of what the future will bring.

I was thinking about this teaching in the context of our upcoming High Holidays and realized that the structure of Hillel's teaching is opposite of how the High Holidays arrive. For rather than beginning by focusing on the self, as Hillel directs, our Rosh Hashanah focuses on the world as a whole. It is not until 10 days later on Yom Kippur that we direct our attention towards ourselves and our own needs. I was curious why on these days we uprooted Hillel's pattern of starting with the personal – making sure that we are in a healthy, stable place, before we expanded our attention outward into the world. Why the difference?

Perhaps it's because there are times when it's really hard to look at ourselves. Times when things might not be going the way we want or expect, and the

thought of figuring out why might be more than we can face.

When those moments arise, and they do for all of us, it's helpful to be able to look out at the world and be met by warm, caring people who are looking out for us and ready to lend a hand; to find a world like the one that God intended for us, where we can find comfort and support and realize that we're not in this all by ourselves. A world that enables us to let go of some of the reasons that prevent us from looking in the mirror taking an honest stock of ourselves. When we know there are people who will provide support, it's easier to let down our guard and see our flaws.

Perhaps our High Holidays begin with Rosh Hashanah, with the communal, to remind us that the support we need is around us, so that when Yom Kippur arrives we can take on the hard work we need to do to lift ourselves up.

**When it comes to what we do in the world,  
we start with the personal and work  
outwards, never forgetting our obligation for  
both. When it comes to the work we need to  
do for ourselves, it often starts with seeing  
that there's loving, caring people around us  
who will support our work along the way.**

May we take good care of ourselves, our family and community, and may we provide good support to enable each of us to reach our fullest potentials.





# Getting to know TBE

## When is the office open?

Monday 9:15 am–5:00 pm  
Tuesday 9:15 am–6:00 pm  
Wednesday 9:15 am–5:00 pm  
Thursday 9:15 am–5:00 pm  
Friday 9:15 am–3:00 pm  
Sunday 8:30 am–1:00 pm (when school is in session)

The building has programs on Monday, Tuesday and sometimes Wednesday evenings. We are generally closed (or dark) on Thursday evenings.

## Where do I enter Temple Beth-El?

Most people enter the building at our West or “back door” because the parking spaces are closer to the door and it is where our accessible parking spaces are located. All of our internal doors are locked for security purposes. Within the vestibules, you can press the appropriate button to have the door remotely unlocked by a staff member (one for when the office is open, another for when the office is closed). If you find the outer door is locked, please press the outside button to reach the building attendant.

## What are some of the different spaces within the building?

**Beider Social Hall:** Beider is our upstairs social hall used for our weekly “pre” Oneg shabbat and many of our other large group gatherings. There is a full-service kitchen attached to Beider because who can gather and socialize without food? In this room you will find the wall of honor for those members who have contributed to our endowment fund.

**Werner Social Hall:** This lower-level social hall is larger than Beider and provides us with a second gathering space for our congregation. Werner Hall also has an attached kitchen.

**Brown Family Sanctuary:** Our beautiful sanctuary seats up to 250 people with room to expand thanks to a moveable wall between the sanctuary and Beider Hall. This space, designed by the architect Fred Bernheim, is modeled after a sanctuary in Germany. Bernheim wanted to recreate his childhood synagogue, which was destroyed on Kristallnacht. He vowed to one day recreate that sanctuary and TBE is the lucky recipient of his fond memories. The two pillars (that you see from the outside of the building) are a center point of the design and the stained glass honors the 10 Commandments. The Bimah is flexible, providing the clergy options for different types of services. Our Ark symbolizes a Torah and houses our many scrolls.

**The Mishkan:** The word MISHKAN means “dwelling” or “tabernacle”. It was a “Tent of Meeting” for G-d and Moses, and was considered a holy place. Our Mishkan is our second worship space and provides us a very beautiful space for more intimate worship experiences.



Join Our  
Community Connection  
Facebook Group.







## Cantor's Corner

Forts by Cantor Adam Kahan

The sweet innocence of grabbing living room couch cushions, and securing them in their cubical formation with a blanket placed atop. The comfort of climbing in and dwelling in that new fort. That's a cherished hallmark of childhood, with Saturday morning cartoons liling in from the television ("I'm just a bill, and I'm only a bill..."), as heaters chase off the licks of winter's chilly intrusion. That little hideaway was so flimsy, but it felt so safe. Precious, was that incubating nook, in a big overwhelming world that can make little sense to a child.

We have just come through the Days of Awe. Rabbi Alan Lew<sup>(z"l)</sup> writes, in his magnificent book "This Is Real, And You Are Completely Unprepared", about how we journey from the summer observance of Tisha B'Av through the High Holy Days, and conclude this segment with Sukkot. Rabbi Lew notes how we start by tearing down the walls of our safe dwelling (Tisha B'Av marks the destruction

of the Holy Temples in Jerusalem), and then we lay ourselves bare during Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. Only then, after being at our most vulnerable, and allowing for our deep cleansing, then we can begin to rebuild with the flimsiest of structures... the Sukkah. It's a nice shelter in an overwhelming world that can make little sense to an adult. It is a fancy fort that each person can decorate with their own touches, be it gourds, paper chains, or other trinkets. Together, we can build the most magnificent structures, gorgeous dwellings.

### **These past six months have already seen an amazing renaissance at Temple Beth-El.**

The vibrance of this community grows exponentially, and yet we always strive to maintain the intimacy and connections that have been the hallmark of TBE. We are building our congregation moment by moment, and each person adds their own decorative touch. As this season continues to unfold into the year to come, let us continue to revel in the sweet innocence of dwelling together.





# Education Update

## Beyachad – Coming Together

By Laura Perpinyal, RJE, Director of Congregational Learning

### I love the way the Hebrew language works.

Each word is based off a 3-letter root and each root can sprout tens if not more words. The root י-ה-ד (yud, chet, dalet) pronounced yahad means united. Add a ב bet and it becomes ביהד beyachad usually translates as together. Take just the yud and the dalet and you have the word יד which means hand. It is also the word that we use to describe the tool used to help us read Torah so that our fingers don't touch the parchment. The word beyachad then can be looked as "hand in hand" literally describing what it means **to be together**. Add a ו vav and another י yud and you get יהודי Yehudi, meaning Jew! There are so many of these connections and spirals off just one root!

**I love this exploration of Beyachad because it truly captures the essence of Jewish community: it means being together, in hands-on partnership to build the world we want to see.**

We can still learn on our own, we can still do the work of tikkun olam, repairing the world on our own; but its inherent in our language that we should be **together**.

This year in school we will be exploring ביהד beyachad from every angle! We will be focusing on building friendships and strengthening our community. We will be diving deeper into the Hebrew language and both the literal and figurative meanings and how they apply (or don't!) to our lives. We will be using our hands to build, to explore and create new things **together**.

There will be so many opportunities through the year to **come together**, whether is weekly for school and Shabbat, monthly for youth programming and holidays, or for special events such as the Family Retreat up at OSRUI. I can't wait to see how our lives are enriched by deepening our friendships and how our world will change for the better when we are together.





# Early Childhood, Youth & Teen Programs

✓ = Registration required  
🖥️ = Virtual attendance available

## EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAMS

### JBaby Broadway Storytime ✓

Wednesdays, October 4–November 22

Movers and Shakers: 9:30–10:30 am

Babies: 10:30–11:30 am

## YOUTH AND TEEN PROGRAMS

### KoBE — Kids of Beth-El

Open to 3rd–5th graders ✓

KoBE is the place for FUN, social time with a Jewish twist! It's a great way to meet new friends and get to know each other outside the classroom. Events are hands-on, drop-off and engaging!

### Jr. YoBE — Youth of Beth-El

For 6th–8th graders ✓

**NEW!** Jr. YoBE is the space for middle schoolers to connect with friends, to try something new and explore the world around them with a Jewish lens.

### YoBE — Youth of Beth-El

For 9th–12th graders ✓

YoBE is where leadership and fun meet and become friends! YoBE events are created and implemented by teen leaders, with the support of our Engagement Coordinator. Events range from social action, to trips to the theater to broader Chicago Jewish teen experiences!

For more information on Youth and Teen Programs, contact Jessi Hersman at [jhersman@templebeth-el.org](mailto:jhersman@templebeth-el.org).

### Madrichim Team

Sundays, 9:30–11:30 am ✓

Sign-up:

[www.templebeth-el.org/form/Madrichim](http://www.templebeth-el.org/form/Madrichim)

Do you enjoy working with others? Love to be part of a team? Do you like hanging out with kids? Join our MADRICHIM team!! Being a part of the Madrichim Team is open to any TBE member in 8th–12th grades. It's a great way to build new skills, be a part of a professional environment and gain leadership experience. Madrichim help in our school in a variety of ways:

- Classroom Support, where Madrichim are embedded into one classroom for the year
- Inclusion Support, where Madrichim work directly with specific students in a classroom to achieve their full potential
- Elective Support, where Madrichim help with Elective classes such as Art, Improv, Hebrew Through Movement, Music or the Children's Library
- Office Support, where Madrichim help with the administrative needs of the school office

### Teen Limmud

Sundays, 11:30 am–12:30 pm ✓

Teen Limmud (the Hebrew word for learning) meets over pizza lunch. We will be diving into a national curriculum designed specifically for teens! Where “Jewish teens ask big questions about where, why and how they belong while exploring issues of identity, equity, and justice with Jewish wisdom as a guide... teens connect with each other in brave, safe spaces that foster open and honest discussions.” Can't wait to learn with you!



*Religious & Hebrew School*

## RELIGIOUS SCHOOL AND HEBREW SCHOOL

**It's not too late to begin with us! Starts on September 10 ✓**

Meet your teacher, classmates and Madrichim!

We will kick the year off exploring Rosh HaShanah, the Jewish New Year together!



**Register with this QR code.**



**Beyachad ביחד TOGETHER**

## FAMILY RETREAT

**SAVE THE DATE  
MARCH 15–17, 2024  
FOR OUR TBE FAMILY RETREAT**

At Camp OSRUI in Oconomowoc, WI  
Everyone welcome!

Enjoy a relaxing, music-filled weekend with many fun activities.

Such a special experience for families!



**OSRUI**  
RETREAT CENTER

### Camp Scholarships

Scholarships are available for OSRUI (<https://osrui.org/>) and youth trips to Israel for children of TBE members. For applications, please contact Leslie Hanus: (847) 205-9982, ext 202 or [Lhanus@templebeth-el.org](mailto:Lhanus@templebeth-el.org)

# Adult Education & Programs

► TempleBeth-El.org/Adult-Education

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👤 = Virtual attendance available

## PARASHAT HASHAVUAH

(Weekly Torah portion)

with Rabbi Helbraun or

Cantor Kahan

Ongoing Saturdays

11:00 am–Noon 🧑🏽

Join Rabbi Helbraun or Cantor Kahan for teachings from the weekly Torah portion. On mornings when there is a B'nei Mitzvah, Tom Burnstine will lead the class.

## RABBI HELBRAUN'S ANCIENT WISDOM ON MODERN DAY QUESTIONS: REFORM RESPONSA

Starting Monday, October 16 ✓

Mondays, 7:00–8:00 pm 🧑🏽

## GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

4th Wednesday of the month

7:00 pm at TBE

TBE has partnered with JCFS to provide members and the community with a professionally facilitated grief support group. If you are interested, please, contact Marsha Raynes at JCFS at (847) 745-5408 or MarshaRaynes@jcfs.org for more information.

## WEDNESDAYS WINDOWS

Starting Wednesday, October 18

Wednesdays, 1:30 pm ✓

Meeting monthly for social and light educational experiences for adults. Each month there will be different speakers and topics that offer a “window” into a part of our world. Topics such as the Jewish stories in “Barbenheimer” the 2 major movies of the summer Barbie and Oppenheimer and the Jewish connections within both.

## SUNDAY NIGHT LIVE

Sunday, November 5, 7:00 pm ✓

Dessert and Discussion with  
Rabbi Diana Fersko



Author of the new book *We Need to Talk About Anti-Semitism*. She will share her meaningful insights into explores why we're reluctant to discuss antisemitism—and empowers us to fight against it. More information at [rabbidianafersko.com](http://rabbidianafersko.com)

**Register today!**



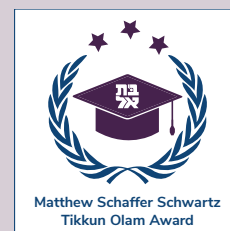
## MATTHEW SCHAFER SCHWARTZ TIKKUN OLAM SCHOLARSHIP

By Cyndee Schaffer and Doug Schwartz

Cyndee and I, along with our three children, Matthew, Ari, and Jordan, moved to Northbrook in 1990. We almost immediately joined Temple Beth-El and found the congregation warm and welcoming to our special needs family. In 1992, our son Matthew celebrated his Bar Mitzvah, one of the first special needs Bar Mitzvah's at the synagogue. Our beloved son, Matthew, passed away in 2003, at the age of 24. We established the Matthew Schaffer Schwartz Tikkun Olam Scholarship in his memory the next year, 2004. We have been awarding this scholarship to a Temple Beth-El graduating senior who has made a significant contribution to the Jewish ideal of helping to “repair the world”.

Adam Maisch, the winner of the Matthew Schaffer Schwartz Award for 2023, is an outstanding young man who has worked hard to help others. He was a Madrich (teaching assistant) at the Temple for four years. He has a passion for environmental issues which included the Prairie Restoration at the Middlefork Savanna near Lake Forest, water conservation, and creating and developing clean energy solutions. He is also an advocate for universal voting rights. As a well-rounded student athlete, he was a high school pole vaulter and on his schools' debate team as a debater and coach. He plans on a career in science after college.

We wish him good fortune as he embarks on his future endeavors. Congratulations to Adam.





# Tikkun Olam / Social Action

► TempleBeth-El.org/Social-Action

## CARING COMMITTEE B'YACHAD

Now more than ever people need a hand during these challenging times. Please let us know if you would like to volunteer to help our members most in need including wellness check-in calls, shopping, delivering treats to those who are ill, or helping with other requests. We especially need volunteers who are west of Milwaukee Avenue. Email Holly at [hhamburg@TempleBeth-El.org](mailto:hhamburg@TempleBeth-El.org).



## A JUST HARVEST

**5th Wednesday and Thursday of the month**

Many of our students choose to decorate the Bimah with food baskets representing our support of A Just Harvest. AJH's mission is to fight poverty and hunger in the Rogers Park and greater Chicago community by providing nutritious meals daily while cultivating community and economic development and organizing across racial, cultural and socioeconomic lines in order to create a more just society. For more information visit [www.ajustharvest.org](http://www.ajustharvest.org). Volunteer to shop and/or deliver food to A Just Harvest, the largest community soup kitchen in the Chicago area. Volunteers from Temple Beth-El join together four times a year to help feed those in need.

To participate in A Just Harvest shopping or delivery, register using this link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080C4FA8AF2DA02-ajustharvest>



## FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN

Many of our students choose Feed My Starving Children for their B'nei Mitzvah projects. FMSC believes hope starts with food and is dedicated to

seeing every child whole in body and spirit. They work with food distribution partners that stay with communities for the long haul, empowering them to move from relief to development. To get involved, visit [www.fmsc.org/get-involved](http://www.fmsc.org/get-involved).

## PLEASE JOIN OUR NEW PROGRAM MENSCH MATCH!



Would you or your family like to bring more joy into the life of an elderly person? Teach your children about a different kind of mitzvah and enjoy a feel good experience?

TBE Sisterhood is partnering with Gidwitz Place for Assisted Living in Deerfield to create a one-on-one matching program for residents and any TBE congregant/family. You or your family will be matched with a resident who could use an occasional visit to bring them some much needed happiness. You would commit to visit your "mensch match" at least once a month. You can bring activities or games to play, books to read, or even a special treat to eat together. Even just stopping by briefly to say hello will make your resident feel special.

Please reach out to Jolie Genender at (847) 224-5052 if you're interested.



## CHAVUROT Friendship Groups

To kick off the new year we are continuing our efforts to build Chavurot (Friendship groups), so that TBE families can get to know one another and connect in a more intimate setting. Once you sign up you will be grouped with a few other families/couples in a similar life stage.

The goal is for each group to meet about once a month and do fun things together of their own choosing (Shabbat Dinners, volunteering, casual playdates, cooking together etc.). This is a great opportunity to meet new Temple families with similar interests and build lasting friendships!



Register with this QR code.

**Questions?** Call the Temple office for more information or to join the planning team.




## SISTERHOOD EVENTS


### BOOK CLUB

Second Wednesday of the Month  
 12:30–2:00 pm 


### CANASTA MONDAYS

10:15 am–2:30 pm at TBE  
 Begins Sept. 11 


### VIRTUAL LILITH SALON

Thursday, Sept. 14   
 7:00–8:00 pm on Zoom Only


### PEACE, LOVE & PIZZA

Thursday, Sept. 21  
 6:30–8:30 pm   
 at California Pizza Kitchen


### SUKKAH SIT-IN

Monday, Oct. 2   
 7:00–9:00 pm at TBE Garden


### CANCER AWARENESS EVENT

Sunday, Oct. 15  
 9:30–11:30 am at TBE 


### MEMBERSHIP APPRECIATION LUNCHEON

Sunday, Oct. 29  
 12:00–2:00 pm at TBE 

### COFFEE AND KIBBITZ FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL MOMS

Sunday October 22  
 9:30–10:45 am at TBE 

### “I’LL HAVE WHAT SHE’S HAVING” THE JEWISH DELI EXHIBIT AND LUNCH,

Sunday November 5   
 10:00 am–12:15 pm at  
 Illinois Holocaust Museum



### GIFT SHOP

Come browse in our Temple Beth-El Gift Shop. You'll find us located off the lobby. Shop for your tallit or check out our wonderful selection of Judaica for all your holiday needs.

## COLLEGE CONNECTIONS



### JEWISH HOLIDAY CARE PACKAGES FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS

The College Connection Team of Temple Beth-El Sisterhood wants our college students to stay connected with Jewish life and to their family while away from home. Four times a year (Rosh HaShanah, Chanukah, Purim and Passover), the College Connection Committee sends your students Jewish holiday gift packages loaded with delicious baked goods and fun treats.

Scan for more info and to order!





# 23rd Annual TBE Men's Club Golf Outing

Thank you sponsors & donors!



Thanks for supporting the outing, which allows The Men's Club to do many great things to support our community. We support our Temple in very tangible ways. That's only possible through supporters like you.

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White Deer Run Golf Club



## Behind The Scenes

New Beginnings, Welcome Home By Amy Huck, President, Board of Directors

**Rosh Hashana, Yom Kippur, Simchat Torah and Sukkot are holidays that provide us the opportunity to reflect on the past**

**year and to begin anew.**

It is a time of reflection, a time to atone, and a time to look forward. To me, this period marks a new beginning. These holidays remind me of our long-standing traditions, the importance of our spirituality and the link to our heritage.

**Temple Beth-El has a 152-year history and has been a home to many in the local Jewish Community.**

We have sustained periods of membership growth as well as periods of decline. Throughout, Temple Beth-El has remained a welcoming community led by outstanding clergy and enriched by members with diversity of thought and great kindness. This is our spiritual home.

**As we begin a new year, we are blessed by the strength of our community. More than 135 new families have been welcomed to their new home.**

Many, but not all, of our new members have joined us from Temple Chai. In addition to these wonderful families, we continue to attract a good number of families from Northbrook and the surrounding communities. The Temple Beth-El community warmly embraces all our new families. We are honored that you have selected Temple Beth-El as your new spiritual home and we enthusiastically welcome you.

As we begin a new year, let us reflect on our long history while we open our arms to a vibrant and enduring future. Let this upcoming year be one of good health, joy and peace.

*L' Shanah Tova.*

## Are you ready to get involved?

**Our Temple family is full of experts in many areas, and we need you. Please consider joining one of our teams/committees.**

Community Involvement/Activities	Facilities
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More teams are expected to form this fall — please share your team ideas with us! **Learn more at: [www.templebeth-el.org/get-involved](http://www.templebeth-el.org/get-involved)**





# **TEMPLE BETH-EL** *Hineni* AWARD

In every language there are certain words that have deeper meaning than their dictionary definition can convey. One example is the Hebrew word: Hineni, which could be defined as “Here I am”. But a more apt definition would be “I am ready.” When God spoke to Abraham, he responded Hineni even before he was told where to go. When Abraham spoke to Isaac for that climactic ascent up the mountain, Isaac answered Hineni. When Jacob called out to Joseph, the response was instantaneous. Here I am, Joseph said, I am ready! Hineni is an answer that can come even before a question is asked.

**This past summer we honored Tom Harris**, who for several years now has volunteered his time to stream our Friday night services, ensuring that those who are unable to attend in person can still be with us. There are literally hundreds of people who have been touched by his gifts to our congregation. Thank you Tom, for the comfort you have brought to our community!



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### ***In honor of***

Celebrating our 55th wedding anniversary from  
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The High Holidays from Gloria and Bob Septon

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Congregation Achra Bakerem from Wendy Kaufman &  
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### ***In honor of the wedding of***

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Hannah Daphne Kinzer becoming a Bat Mitzvah from  
Myra Hershfield

Asher Goldberg's Bar Mitzvah from Richard &  
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Gloria & Bob Septon's 55th Wedding Anniversary from  
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### ***In honor of the wedding of***

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Lindsey Harris, Sidney Blumberg & Steven Blumberg from  
Donna Blumberg  
Howard Kahen from Gary & Robin Kahen  
Bertha Hibel, Sidney Hibel, Ida Metz, Reuben Metz,  
Shirley Schulman & Aura Nelson from Morton &  
Bonnie Hibel  
Reuben Metz & Ida Metz from Rhoda Lenkoffsky

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## **YOUTH OF BETH-EL**

### ***In honor of***

Norman Nathan from Lauren and Bill Levy



# Good Things are Happening!



## Engagements

Mazel Tov to Debbie and Mark Glickman on the engagement of their daughter Rachel to Cameron Liss – March 18, 2023

## Marriages

Charlotte and Roy Leventhal on the marriage of their son Aaron Leventhal to Mari Megias - June 17, 2023

Susan and Ivan Zoot and Grandmother Judy Darch on the marriage of their son/grandson Logan Zoot to Annie Kukla – June 25, 2023

Carly and Daniel Zolecki – June 3, 2023

## Babies

Mazel Tov to Sherry & Steve Rundell on the birth of their grandson Brody John Barnes to parents Erica and Matt Barnes and big sister Brielle - July 19, 2023

Mazel Tov to Patricia and Allen Robin on the birth of their grandchild Beau Levi Robin to Cindy and Ryan Robin – July 17, 2023

Mazel Tov to Grandparents Robin and Howard Diamond and Great Grandmother Sue Groner on the birth of Hailey Jane Diamond to Talia & Scott Diamond – July 3, 2023

Mazel Tov to first time grandparents Susan and Ivan Zoot and great grandmother Judy Darch on the birth of Sophie Lev to parents Austin and Dori Zoot - August 16, 2023

## B'nei Mitzvahs

Brooke Carroll on becoming a Bat Mitzvah and to her parents Katrina Carroll and Jonathan Carroll – June 3, 2023

Leah Stringfellow on becoming a Bat Mitvah and to her parents Arina Stringfellow and Max Yurov – June 3, 2023

Lillian Lawrence on becoming a Bat Mitzvah and to her parents Nikki and Scott Lawrence – June 10, 2023

Mazel Tov to Miriam and Ron Weitz on the Bat Mitzvah of their Granddaughter Abigail Marczak – July 29, 2023

Mazel Tov to Emily Loevski on becoming a Bat Mitzvah and to her parents Olga Portman Loevski and Baruch Loevski – August 5, 2023

Mazel Tov to Josh Deltoro on becoming a Bar Mitzvah and to his mother Dana Weiner – August 19, 2023

Mazel Tov to Max Noren on becoming a Bar Mitzvah and to his parents Traci and Doug Noren – August 26, 2023

## Milestone Anniversaries

### June

Robert and Gloria Septon – 55 years  
David and Sara Braunstein – 50 years  
Alan and Sandra Jourdan – 45 years  
Donald and Andi Solomon – 30 years  
David and Joianne Smith – 25 years  
Michael Stutzman and Sharon Rosenberg – 25 years  
Douglas and Sally Belofsky – 20 years  
Jeffrey Goodman and Jennifer Polacheck – 15 years  
Mikeal Lane & Erin Pollyea – 15 years  
Eric and Lisa Newman – 15 years  
Daniel and Jenifer Resnick – 15 years  
Linda Iser and Peter Vigushin – 15 years  
Steven and Jennifer Fingerman – 10 years  
Brian and Jessica Smart – 10 years  
Victoria and Spencer Lieberman – 5 years

### July

Earl and Sharon Lichtenstein – 50 years  
Linda and Philip Abrahams – 40 years  
Jeffrey and Betsy Kushen – 30 years  
Barbara and Marc Berman – 30 years  
Wayne and Susan Shapiro – 25 years  
Lee and Susie Emery – 15 years  
Stacie and Derek Bogdan – 15 years  
Sydney and Raymond Zhang – 10 years

### August

Judith and Theodore Roseman – 60 years  
Barbara and Jeff Gordon – 55 years  
Scott and Alana Glickson – 50 years  
Stewart and Sherrie Schram – 50 years  
Ira and Lynn Lawrence – 50 years  
Bruce and Linda Gordon – 45 years  
Craig and Robin Berk – 45 years  
Ronald & Wendy Weiss – 45 years  
Orrin & Lauren Edidin – 35 years  
Joel & Lori Haberman – 35 years  
Lisa and Larry Goldfine – 30 years



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# New Members!

May 3 – Aug 31, 2023

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Jacob & Robin Axel  
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Laura Azriel-Prager &  
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Phil & Mary Chaikin  
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Mark & Jacqueline Dlatt  
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Jason & Melissa Gluskin  
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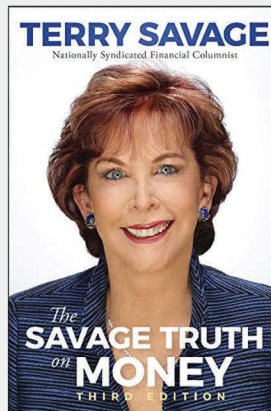


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