Opening a Lev Shalem
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latey, as I daven each morning, there is a verse from the book of Psalms that is part of our opening prayers that catches my attention. Yismah lev m’vakshay Adonai – “May all who seek Adonai find joy in their hearts.” I’m not sure that we always think of seeking God as a source of joy. Joy comes from meaningful moments: the celebration of a simha (which, by the way, literally means “joy”), special time with family and friends, and yes, even the triumph of Philadelphia sports teams. But seeking God? As the medieval philosopher Rabbi Joseph Albo points out, our happiness often depends on the attainment of a material goal. We made it to the vacation we’ve been waiting for, our investments paid off, or we finally finished a project. One who seeks God, however, is on a journey that never really ends. Rather, it is filled with moments of closeness and moments of distance. Not all of these moments are joyful, but the journey itself is one that can fill our hearts with meaning, with trust, and also with joy.

Prayer is the language we use to help guide us in our seeking. The siddur (prayer book) is a scrapbook of our people’s experiences and yearnings for God throughout the centuries. Each generation has added new prayers and reinterpreted old ones to more deeply connect to Israel, to the Jewish people, and to God. We are a diverse community – with different backgrounds, experiences, and theologies. Additionally, and this is true for me as well, there are some days when prayer speaks to us and other days when it is more challenging. Despite all of this, coming together for prayer, at our daily minyanim and on Shabbat and holidays, is at the core of what binds us together as a community.

Because of all this, we want to make prayer as accessible and meaningful as possible for everyone. To help achieve this, this Fall we will be transitioning to Siddur Lev Shalem, the new siddur of the Conservative movement. Lev Shalem is a wonderful tool to help all of us renew our relationship with prayer. It contains instructions for choreography, more Hebrew words in transliteration, and thoughtful ancient and modern reflections on our liturgy. In addition to using Lev Shalem in the main sanctuary, we will use it in our Rabbi Albert & Sarah Lewis Religious School and HaMakom High School Program, and Alex Weinberg will be adapting it as a family siddur for use in our family services. Our entire community will be able to benefit from this wonderful new siddur.

Thanks to a generous gift from Bonnie Friedman, we were able to purchase Siddur Lev Shalem this summer. Bonnie is dedicating a portion of the siddurim to the memory of her husband Nathan and her son Saul. Dedicating a siddur in memory or in honor of a loved one, or in honor of a simha, is a wonderful way to recognize those special people and special moments in our lives by giving tzedakah to support our community. On page 9 you will see a form to make a dedication for someone or something special in your life. I hope that you will consider doing this mitzvah for our TBS Family.

We will have special preview Shabbat mornings, where we will be using Siddur Lev Shalem, on continued on page 4....
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OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday, April 11, 2019
TBS Tribute Dinner
Honoring Cantor Jen Cohen, Margie & Mark Dannenbaum, and Judy & Bernie Platt

Wednesday, May 29, 2019
TBS Annual Meeting
Annual Meeting celebrating our community
Have a great summer at
Camp Ramah in the Poconos!

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Sara Kreisman
Rabbi Micah Peltz
Liz Perlman
Ariel Rosov
Liat Rosov
Rachel Zivic

B’nai Mitzvah
July 28
Rachel Sanie
Daughter of Myriam & Alan Sanie

Passover Readers
Over the course of the holiday we heard the following chant Shir HaShirim: Cantor Jen Cohen, David Hollander, Sam Hollander, Robin Kaufman, Sue K. Levine, Jane Lindemann, Alvin Stern, and Josh Stern.

On the 8th Day of Pesah, the following pre-b’nai mitzvah children demonstrated their skills at reading Torah: Sara Abrams, Liam Davis, Ty Greenberg, Ariel Ivler, Addison Kozuch, Avery Kozuch, Sam Safier, and Anna Sukoneck.

Shavuot Readers
On the Second Day of Shavuot, the following young Torah readers shared their talents in the main service. Y’shar kochechem to: Gavrin Gershon, Gabe Goldstein, Ari Peltz, Yael Peltz, Eli Pollack, Ilana Shanes, Hannah Shaw, and Yona Weinberg.

Kol HaKavod to all!
Anyone interested in reading Torah, please contact Alvin Stern at eyeontorah@aol.com.

Mazel Tov
Debbie Zimmerman on her new position on the Mid-Atlantic Region of Women’s League for Conservative Judaism’s (WLCJ) Executive Committee.

Cynthia & Norman Rosen on the birth of their great grandson Alec Jett.

Lyn & Steve Harley on the birth of their granddaughter Ruth Margaret.

Roxanne & Sam Mennes and Ann & Paul Simon on the engagement of their children Lauren Mennes and Ian Simon.

Carol & Jon Orwitz on their son Matthew graduating from The Lewis Katz School of Medicine at Temple University.

Robin & Larry Kaufman on the engagement of their daughter Amanda to Mike Abrams.

Amanda & Dan Linick and Marcia & Cliff Brown on the birth of their daughter and granddaughter Maya Brooke.

Toby & Howard Winter on the birth of their grandson Adam Elijah Winter.

Toby & Howard Winter on their son Michael graduating with a Doctor of Medicine from The Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine.

Sharon & Mark Schwartz on their son Michael graduating with a Doctor of Medicine from The Medical College of Wisconsin.

Sharon & Mark Schwartz on the marriage of their son Michael to Yaara Sandowski.

Judith & Harold Einhorn on the birth of their great grandson Justin Edward Einhorn Wong.

Cheryl & Chuck Scott on the birth of their granddaughter Olivia Blaire Scott.

Gilah & Brian Sietz on the engagement of their daughter Rachel to Sarah Weiss.

Howard Silverstone on being made a Member of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (MBE) by Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

Condolences
Sharon Reed, Richard Seltzer, and Linda Mrozinski on the death of their beloved father Arthur Seltzer.

Michael Kingan and Lynne Lapidus on the death of their beloved father Joseph Kingan.

Howard Lassin on the death of his beloved mother Francine Lassin.

Stuart Goldstein on the death of his sister Lynne C. Goldstein.

Steven Glik on the death of his beloved father Rodolfo Glik.

Paul Simon on the death of his beloved mother Muriel Simon.

Sue K. Levine on the death of her beloved aunt Helen Weisz Leichtman.

Albert Stein on the death of his beloved father Arthur M. Stein.

Cheryl Scott on the death of her beloved father Benjamin Wexler.

Gail Solomon Dorfman on the death of her beloved father William Solomon.

Jane Kramer and Rachel Kaufman on the death of their beloved husband and father Jeff Kramer.

Helene Klimberg on the death of her beloved father Selwyn J. Brown.

Sid Amster on the death of his beloved brother Steven Arbel.

Maxine Amon on the death of her beloved father Sidney Guss.

Mindy Rosenblum on the death of her beloved mother Florence Sbar Leace.

Alice Post on the death of her beloved daughter Leslie Gorin.

Robert Chvala on the death of his beloved mother Rosalie Chvala.

Marc Cohen on the death of his beloved uncle Richard Alan Cohen.

IN THE
MISHPAHA
Our Annual Meeting was held on Tuesday, May 29th and chaired by Lisa Gershenfeld. It was a terrific opportunity to recap the year as well as honor many deserving staff and lay leaders. Looking back to the beginning of our year, we started strong out of the gate when Rabbi Wexler joined our clergy. Another fantastic early in the year event was the creation of the Rabbi Lindemann Lifelong Learning Center. This project, thanks to a generous donation from Milt and Emily Gottchalk, the Mildred M. Soefer Foundation and The Ravitz Family Kindness Fund, completely reimagined our former library. Thanks also to the many generous congregants that donated to the Rabbi Lindemann Learning Center program fund.

We reached the 10th anniversary of Rabbi Lewis’s yahrzeit and rededicated our school as the Rabbi Albert and Sarah Lewis Religious School. We recognized the rededication with a beautiful morning program in February. We also had another year of stimulating discussions and speakers on bioethics. This program is in its second year and I am happy to announce that it will be renamed the Dr. Jeffrey Kramer Bioethics Initiative, in memory of our dear friend, Jeff, who, along with Yale Asbell, Gregg Bannett, and a number of generous donors, helped to create it.

A hearty mazel tov to Sherrie Cohen, Vivian & Bart Friedman, Randi Goldblatt, Roy Levinson, and Mark Shapiro as our service award winners. You can read about them on page 8. Also mazel tov to Amanda Kaufman, Karen Malmud, Susan Sturtz and Linda Winiarski for their five year staff service awards. A special thank you and mazel tov to Sandy Brown, who received the David J. Levy Award and to our beloved Jill Hammel for receiving the Professional Staff Service Award.

At the Annual Meeting, I also had the great honor and privilege to announce that we have a new five-year contract with Rabbi Peltz. We all know how fortunate we are to have him as our spiritual leader and I was thrilled to share the news.

Fundraising is an extremely important aspect to what we do here, and we’re fortunate to have access to world class talent. Last October we had Max Weinberg from the legendary E Street Band and in April we enjoyed the musical stylings of our very own Cantor Cohen, who rocked the house with over 600 fans during Shul of Rock II, as we celebrated Israel’s 70th year. We’ll have more fun entertainment this fall when TBS hosts the Capitol Steps for a return engagement on October 25th, shortly before the mid-term elections.

It has certainly been a special year at TBS and I look forward to participating in many more special moments in the year ahead.

Mazel Tov to Sandy Brown on receiving the David J. Levy Award, TBS’s highest honor, at the TBS Annual Meeting this past May. Sandy’s leadership enriches our journey as a congregation.

Lifelong Learning Committee

Temple Beth Sholom will be creating a Lifelong Learning Committee under the leadership of Lisa Gershenfeld and Alex Weinberg. The goal of the LLC is to look systematically at how congregational education is executed for all populations at TBS — from the schools to the affiliate groups. The LLC will have representatives from our schools as well as adult learners who will work together to create a coordinated focus and approach for all learning at Temple Beth Sholom.
Memorship Update
The 2018/2019 (5779) membership renewal process is now underway.

We are very excited about our new, online membership renewal process, which we hope you will find very user friendly. You should have received an email with instructions on submitting the membership renewal form. That email contained a link to the online version of the membership renewal form for those who prefer to fill out the form online and submit electronically. That email also contained a link to a PDF attachment of the 2018/2019 (5779) membership renewal form that allows you to print and then mail, or drop off, to the TBS office along with your payment. If you did not receive the email and would like it resent, or if you prefer to have your membership renewal form mailed to you (or picked up at the TBS office), please contact the TBS office at membership@tbsonline.org or (856) 751-6663.

Please submit your form and payment to the TBS office by August 17.

Please note: As in previous years, High Holy Day seating will be determined on a first come, first serve basis as membership renewal forms are received by the TBS office. Only those members who are current in their financial obligations to TBS will be issued tickets for the High Holy Days.

RITUAL AND SERVICE SCHEDULE

Daily Services: Monday-Friday, 7 am
Sundays and major secular holidays: 8:15 am
Evening Services: Sunday-Thursday, 8 pm
Shabbat Services: Friday, 6:15 pm; Saturday, 9:30 am

We are blessed in our TBS community to have a weekday minyan that meets twice daily. Attending minyan is not just an opportunity for personal prayer and reflection, it also fulfills an important mitzvah of giving those who have suffered a loss or who are coming to observe Yahrzeit the opportunity to say Mourner’s Kaddish. Please consider attending minyan. Your attendance will make a difference!

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Tisha B’av
Saturday, July 21 – Minha, Ma’ariv and Eikha reading at 8:00 pm
Sunday, July 22 – Shaharit at 8:15 am; Minha and Ma’ariv with Tallit and Tefillin at 8:00 pm

HIGH HOLY DAY SERVICES

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Back to School

Eric B. Jacobs Early Childhood Education Center
September 4 – Day Care and Early Childhood

Rabbi Albert & Sarah Lewis Religious School
September 16 – grades 2-6, Bet-Vav
September 23 – grades K-1, Gan-Aleph

HaMakom
September 23 – grades 7-12

We are excited to introduce HaMakom, the new Teen, 7th-12th grade Engagement Program! Our program includes:
• HaMakom High School
• HaMakom On The Road
• HaMakom Hangout

At HaMakom teens will experience dynamic classroom experiences, once-in-a-lifetime memory making trips, fun social programs that are both meaningful and exciting, and Shabbat and holiday celebrations that are both engaging and spiritual.
We welcome members of our community to consider making a tribute throughout the year to honor an occasion or a loved one, express gratitude, wish a speedy recovery to someone who is ill or memorialize a yahrzeit. To send a contribution card online, log into your account at tbsonline.org and click on the TBS Member Login button. You may also contact Ruth Brodnick in the TBS office at 856-751-6663 or ruthb@tbsonline.org. We gratefully acknowledge the following contributions.

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In Appreciation of
Rabbi Bryan Wexler-Family of Karen Baer, Carl & Beverly Byck, Alan & Miriam Feldman, Arthur & Janet Simmons

In Honor of
Rabbi Bryan Wexler-Sophie Fishman

In Memory of
Karen Baer-Joan Vaughan, Sachiko Yamamoto
Barry Epstein-Alison & Mark Shapiro & family
Milton Shanker-Stephen & Michelle Scheinfeld

Yahrzeit
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In Memory of
Karen Baer-Ellen Feinstein, Adam & Seth Engel

Ravitz Family Kindness Fund
In Honor of
Lake Ravitz Bar Mitzvah-Margery & Mark Dannenbaum, Sam & Lisa Gershfenfeld

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In Honor of
Susan Trager birthday-Karen & Richard Prince

S. Benham Kahn Library Fund
In Memory of
Barry Epstein, Oren Klein, Philip S. Schwartz-Jeffrey & Sherrie Cohen

Sandra Frame Music Fund
In Memory of
Mina Bennett, Karen Baer, Hannah Abrams, Linda Ilene Zell Randall, Adelle Oberlander, Ruth Heymann, Sidney Baumgarten, Madeline Kramer, Sally Michelson-Jeffrey z”l & Jane Kramer
Barry Epstein-Harry & Debbie Zimmerman

Yahrzeit
Jeanette Horn-Abraham & Pauline Horn
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In Honor of
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In Memory of
Oren Klein-Debra & Howard Sukin

Yahrzeit
Shirley Lazar-Irvn Lazar

Sonya Katz Social Action Fund
In Honor of
Birth of Andi & Neil Levin grandson Yosef Ephraim Barocas-Alison & Mark Shapiro
Leah Wayne Bat Mitzvah, Eli Barnett Bar Mitzvah-Andi & Neil Levin
Jordan Weiner & Vanessa engagement-Ferne & Mitch Cohen

In Memory of
Karen Baer-Jacqueline & Steven Baumgarten, Sandee & Bob Chalik
Hank Becker-Andi & Neil Levin
Anne Liss Solomon, Jack Fingerman-Geoffrey & Jill Hammel
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In Memory of
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Speedy Recovery to
Shira Sklar-Leslie & Stephen Jaffe
TBS 2018-19 Service Award Recipients Honored at this Year’s Annual Meeting

Sherrie Cohen
Sherrie has been actively involved in Sisterhood for many years – ordering food and then chairing Shalach Manot for three years and serving as Sisterhood Vice President of Fundraising for four years. Sherrie has chaired many committees and programs including High Holiday Babysitting, Young Members Group hayrides and adult education brunches. She has been an active member of the Young Members Group, Membership Outreach Committee, Early Childhood Education Center Board, and served as Home & School Association (HSA) Chair. Sherrie has run various Rabbi Albert and Sarah Lewis Religious School fundraisers, and has started the TBS Book Club in 2001 and continues to organize the book group to this day. Sherrie ran Franny’s shop for several years, and she has handled the shop’s finances since 2015. Sherrie has chaired TBS’s College Connection program since 2015, and this year, she served on the Rabbi Albert and Sarah Lewis Morning of Learning/Religious School Rededication committee and helped to coordinate all of our archive materials that were displayed for the community. We are grateful for all that she does for TBS!

Vivian and Bart Friedman
Vivian and Bart Friedman are two energetic and dynamic TBS leaders! They both serve on the Hazak Board, and they have chaired many programs and trips including the Jewish Bronx and Jewish Harlem. Bart can always be counted on to help in any way including large mailings to Hazak members. Vivian serves on the Board of Directors, and she organizes our Shabbat morning Board greeters who volunteer to welcome our community into Shabbat morning services each week. Vivian and Bart recently co-chaired this spring’s Shul of Rock featuring Cantor Cohen, and they worked tirelessly guiding the event committee and coordinating our incredible raffle. Vivian and Bart infuse their warmth and creativity into every program they touch, elevating our TBS experiences while building connections in our community.

Randi Goldblatt
Randi is an innovative rising star at Temple Beth Sholom! She is the creator of TBS’s Transportation Day – a program that started in the Eric B. Jacobs Early Childhood Education Center, and was opened to the community for the first time this year in partnership with TBS’s Membership Committee. Randi has recently served on this spring’s Shul of Rock Committee, and she has served on the Young Members Group steering committee for several years.

She has chaired Let’s Make a Meal led by Morah Harriet Baker and holiday programs such as Sweets and Stories in the Sukkah. We are thrilled to welcome Randi as our new Young Members Group chairperson, and we look forward to her continued leadership!

Roy Levinson
Roy is a dedicated TBS leader. He has been involved with TBS’s Men’s Club for three decades and has helped to coordinate Men’s Club Shabbat services each year. He is a Shabbat regular, frequently volunteering to help lead Shabbat morning services whenever he is asked. Roy has been a member of Makhelat Beth Sholom, TBS’s adult choir, since its inception. This year, Roy stepped up to chair our new Sustainability Project Team helping TBS to become certified with Hazon’s Seal of Sustainability. The Hazon Seal of Sustainability certifies a Jewish organization’s commitment to sustainability, environmentally-friendly practices, higher welfare treatment of animals, and reduced impact on climate change. Receiving this certification signifies that TBS, along with a network of over 50 Jewish organizations, is emerging as a leader in the realm of Jewish sustainability. Throughout the past year, we have taken substantial steps with our Sustainability Project Team thanks to Roy’s leadership, and we look forward to continuing this important work in future years as we launch exciting new initiatives. We appreciate the many ways in which Roy has enriched the life of our community at TBS.

Mark Shapiro
Mark has been an indispensable leader at TBS for several years, helping to guide our funds development team as TBS’s Sponsorship Chair. Mark has worked closely with our clergy, staff, and lay leaders sharing his expertise in helping to envision and shape TBS’s overall fundraising strategy. He focuses on obtaining corporate sponsorships and guiding the sponsorship committee to develop donor relationships and a coordinated sponsorship outreach plan. Mark was an instrumental resource to TBS’s Governance Task Force last year assisting the group in reviewing and editing our new Bylaws. Mark serves on TBS’s Governance Committee which provides for Board’s effectiveness and continuing development, and we are grateful for his ongoing guidance and support.
Dedicating a Siddur Lev Shalem that will be used in our congregational services is a wonderful way to celebrate family, remember loved ones and honor our Temple Beth Sholom community. Through a generous contribution to TBS, there will be 400 Lev Shalem siddurim available to dedicate.

**Temple Beth Sholom Dedication Opportunities**

![Siddur Lev Shalem](image)

**Levels of Contribution:**
- **$54** – Lev Shalem Siddur
- **$118** – Lev Shalem Large Print Siddur
- **$36** – Siddur Sholom (Lev Shalem Siddur for Families and Schools)

Please make checks payable to Temple Beth Sholom and return to the TBS office.

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It’s expensive to feed and clothe your family! But did you know you can make a contribution to TBS while doing your everyday shopping?

Gift Cards are available for:
- ShopRite
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- Target
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Contact Sherrie Cohen at sherrielc91@gmail.com

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B’EMTZA (“in the middle”) is a brand new group for adults in our community who fall into this demographic. Through B’Emtza, you will know which TBS programs are a match for you, receive personal invitations to attend special events, build and strengthen B’Emtza relationships within our TBS family plus more! Contact Ann Sundstrom / ayay51@yahoo.com and Susan Trager / strager1@comcast.net

EVENT PLANNING/FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE focuses on exploring and creating special events and coordinating entertaining and innovative projects that develop relationships and raise funds for our synagogue. Contact Rena Platt-Goldstein / renaplett@verizon.net

HAZAK provides enriching programming and activities for adults who are 55+. Contact Lyn Stein / lyn_stein@hotmail.com

HESED (KINDNESS) COMMITTEE comforts TBS congregants by performing acts of lovingkindness during lifecycle events and times of need (such as birth, illness or death). Contact Jodi Ziets / jodiziets@comcast.net

LIFELONG LEARNING COMMITTEE helps to shape learning initiatives for learners of all ages in our community. Contact Lisa Gershenfeld / lisagershenfeld@hotmail.com

MAKHELAT BETH SHOLOM Adult Choir meets weekly with Cantor Cohen and Director Robert Ross and performs on the High Holy Days and as musical ambassadors to the community throughout the year. Contact Cantor Cohen / cantorcohen@tbsonline.org

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE supports the synagogue in the recruitment, retention and satisfaction of members. Contact Alison Shapiro / alisonshapiro@hotmail.com

MEN’S CLUB offers a wide array of social and educational programming for men of all ages. Contact Seth Mirowitz / smirowitz@hotmail.com

PROJECT YAHAD provides an environment that addresses and nurtures individuals with special needs and their families with consideration of their strengths and abilities in all areas of congregational life. Contact Sara Kreisman / rrpressinc@gmail.com

RITUAL COMMITTEE is charged with implementation of Halakhic observance (interpretation of Jewish laws), assuring that there are knowledgeable leaders for all synagogue services and shiva minyanim in private homes. Contact Allyson Pollack / allyson.pollack@comcast.net

SISTERHOOD is a vibrant group uniting Jewish women by offering diverse, meaningful and innovative programs. Contact Staci Boiskin / jonboi1@verizon.net

SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE helps coordinate TBS’s efforts in fulfilling the mitzvah of tikkun olam (repairing the world). Contact Michele Levine / levines5@yahoo.com

SPONSORSHIP OUTREACH COMMITTEE focuses on obtaining sponsorships that raise funds for our synagogue and cultivating relationships with our sponsors throughout the year. Contact Mark Shapiro / Shapiro@hylandlevin.com and Shirley Feigenbaum / Shirleyfeigenbaum@gmail.com

SUSTAINABILITY PROJECT TEAM works to engage in healthier and more sustainable behaviors in our community consistent with the Jewish values of B’aal Taschlit, and inspire others to follow our lead. Contact Roy Levinson / roy@levinson.me

YOUNG MEMBERS GROUP COMMITTEE is an active community of young adults and families that offers meaningful social, religious, and educational experiences both at TBS and in our local community. Contact Randi Goldblatt / randigoldblatt@gmail.com
Havdallah at the Beach

Led by Cantor Cohen

Saturday, August 11 at 9 pm

Hosted by Cindy & Eric Stevens at the Island House in Margate
RSVP to Jill Hammel, jillh@tbsonline.org

Young Members Group at
Castaway Cove, Ocean City

Sunday, August 19 • 3 pm

Private reserved party area, wristbands for unlimited rides, dinner for the entire family

Contact Randi Goldblatt at randigoldblatt@gmail.com for complete details.