



### American Jews & Their Politics: Origins, Agendas and Debates *with Professor Howard Lupovitch*



**Tuesday nights  
beginning at 7:30 p.m.**

- July 2** *American Jews and the Debate over Slavery*
- July 9** *The Quiet Conservatism of the American Jewish Community*
- July 16** *Louis Brandeis, Horace Kallen and the Progressive Movement*
- July 23** *Jewish Immigrants and the Romance of the Left*
- July 30** *Diaspora Politics*

**Tuition: \$15 per session  
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TO ENRICH YOU.  
SMALL ENOUGH  
TO KNOW YOU.



# Mazal Tov



Brooklyn Emma Rubinstein and Sadie Autumn Rubinstein will become a B'not Mitzvah on August 30, 2019. Brooklyn and Sadie are the daughters of Jan Rubinstein and Michelle Rodriguez, and step-daughters of Nicole Jacobson and Ray Rodriguez. Proud grandparents are Joan Shapiro, David Rubinstein, Beverly Mobley and Frank Hurtig. Sisters Marlowe and Angelina will be supporting the girls on this day. Brooklyn and Sadie are students at East Middle School. Brooklyn was on the volleyball team and both were on the track team this past year. Sadie is an avid gymnast. They both enjoy horseback riding, snowboarding, swimming and playing clarinet in the school band. Brooklyn and Sadie are dedicating their special day to the conservation of the earth's oceans.

## MAZAL TOV AND YASHER KOACH TO:

**Vicki & Ben Craine and Family** on the Bar Mitzvah of their grandson **Seth Joshua Davidson**.

**Cathy & Rene Lichtman and Family** on the birth of their grandson **Benjamin Miles Lichtman**.

**Julie & Gary Nitzkin and Family** on the engagement of their daughter **Rachel Sarah Nitzkin** to **Jonathan Louis Silverberg**.

**Barbara Cohen and Family** on the Bat Mitzvah of her granddaughter **Julia Rauber Cohen**.

**Tim & Sara Zivian-Zwickl and Family** on the birth of their granddaughter **Pnina Zeeva Zwickl**.  
Proud great-grandmother is **Etta Zivian**.

**Dr. Larry and Sharon Schwartz and Family** on the birth of their grandson **Penn William Cassidy**.

**David Shapiro** on his engagement to **Jackie Sachs**. Proud parents are **Margie and Steven Shapiro**.

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*Terry and David Kahan in celebration of Naomi's Bat Mitzvah and to honor the memory of Naomi's great aunt,  
Chaya Sara, who perished in the Holocaust at the age of 13*

To learn more about sponsoring Shabbat lunch for a yearzeit, birthday, anniversary, or other occasion,  
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# Synagogue News

## TISHA B'AV תשעה באב

### Conservative Community Commemoration of the Destruction of the First and Second Temples

Saturday night, August 10  
at Congregation Bnai Moshe  
Services will begin at 10:00 p.m.

Sunday, August 11 at Beth Ahm  
Shaharit 9:00 a.m.  
Minha 5:00 p.m.

*As part of the observance of Tisha B'Av,  
we refrain from wearing tallit and tefillin at Shaharit  
but put them on at Minha.*

### **Welcoming Shabbat at Meer Friday, August 9 at 6:30 p.m.**

Everyone is invited to join Rabbi Rubenstein and welcome Shabbat with the residents of Meer Apartments, 6760 West Maple in West Bloomfield. Song, prayer, and tradition make this a great Shabbat experience for children and grandchildren too! Contact Nancy Goldberg at nancyg96@hotmail.com with questions or to let her know you will be attending.

## Josh Warshawsky in Concert



Preparing for the High Holy Days  
Saturday, September 21<sup>st</sup>  
at Congregation Beth Ahm

9:30 p.m. Concert with Josh Warshawsky  
Nationally touring Jewish musician,  
songleader and composer.

10:45 p.m. Selichot

A contemplative service full of the sounds,  
themes and music of the High Holy Days.

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Congregation Beth Shalom, Congregation B'nai Israel,  
Congregation B'nai Moshe, Congregation Shaarey Zedek, Hazon,  
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## *We Extend our Condolences to:*

**Dr. Mark (Lois) Langberg, Andrew Langberg, Dr. Sam (Hannah Chalew) Langberg, Laura (Anson) Smuts and Elia Ivy Smuts** on the passing of their mother, grandmother, and great grandmother **Helen Langberg**.

**The family of Illene Wenner on her passing.**

**Laura (Mark) Adler, and Alyssa, Alexander, and David Adler** on the passing of their father and grandfather **Norman David Katz**.

**Craig (Jill) Menuck and Family** on the passing of their father **Allen Menuck**.

**Mark Bohem (Jill Willen) and Family** on the passing of his father **Alan Eugene Bohem**.

**The Family of Sylvia Hubert Goldberg on her passing.**

**Ruth (Alvin) Kwaselow and Family** on the passing of her father **Dr. Gerald "Jerry" H. Mandell**.

**The Family of Mel Mogill on his passing.**

**Amy (Bob) Folberg and Family** on the passing of her mother **Harriet Pollack**.

**Dennis (Anita) Blender and Family** on the passing of his sister **Ann Osur**.

**Mark (Faye), Sarah, Arielle and Avery Wolf** on the passing of their mother and grandmother **Irene Wolf**.

**The Family of Sally Tuchklaper on her passing.**



# Synagogue News

Sisterhood capped off another wonderful programming year on June 3 with a fun and educational event at Yad Ezra. Participants toured the Giving Gardens, and made an herbal lotion to take home. A big thank you to Francine Levine and Sharona Shapiro for coordinating this event.

We also want to take a moment to thank all of the participants in our annual Sisterhood Shabbat, which was held on May 4. It was truly a special Shabbat. How fortunate we are that women can participate in so many ways at Beth Ahm. A special thank you to Jody Grossman for once again helping SO MUCH with this event! And special thank yous to Rabbi Rubenstein, Paul Wertz and David Goodman for all of their support for this event and Sisterhood.

Sisterhood is not slowing down, as we already have programs planned for the upcoming year:

- We're shaking things up by having our next Sisterhood Shabbat on November 2
- On November 23, we are teaming up with the Men's Club for some ax throwing
- On January 25, 2020 we are getting together with the Men's Club again at Go Comedy!, an Improv Comedy Club in Ferndale

Other programs in the works include going to the Schvitz, visiting Pewabic Pottery in Detroit, as well as a drumming exercise class.

Please be on the lookout for your Sisterhood dues letter toward the end of the summer. Please consider renewing your membership or joining for the first time. We appreciate your support so much. Your dedication to Sisterhood allows us to have these programs, and helps enrich our wonderful shul.

And just a reminder, if you would like to make a donation for the Ruth Mermelstein Kitchen Fund, please contact Beverly Fradis at 248-661-8395. Your contributions go a long way to keeping a much utilized kitchen in good shape!

Our next Sisterhood meeting is on **Sunday, July 14 at 10:30 a.m.** All are invited to participate—we would love your input and energy! Sisterhood is FOR YOU!

Thank you again for your support of Sisterhood! We wish you a safe and enjoyable summer!

Sincerely,

**Marni Foster and Nancy Goldberg**

bahmsisterhood@gmail.com



## **Men's Club Tigers Game**

**Detroit vs. Baltimore**

**Sunday, September 15 at 1:00 p.m.**

Carpool at 11:30 a.m. from the Beth Ahm parking lot to the game. No advanced tickets. Tickets will be purchased at the stadium. Ticket price approximately \$30.

Please RSVP to Steve Davidson at 248-363-5537 or [steviemand@sbcglobal.net](mailto:steviemand@sbcglobal.net)



## **K'tanim (Little Ones)**

**Wednesday, July 17**

**10:00 a.m. at Beth Ahm**

Children up to age 5 and their favorite adults are invited for free play, bubbles, music, stories, snacks & more! We appreciate your RSVP to [tschreiber@cbahm.org](mailto:tschreiber@cbahm.org) or 248-851-6880.

A **BIG** Welcome to  
our Newest Members

Miriam and Pinchas Barak

Stan Meretsky

Harold and Yvette Mizner



# Calendar of Events

## Janice Charach GALLERY

Jewish Community Center of Metropolitan Detroit  
D. Dan & Betty Kahn Building • 6600 W. Maple Rd.  
West Bloomfield, MI • 48322 • 248.432.5579

### ***Beyond Constraint- Birmingham Society of Women Painters through July 18***

This juried group exhibition features paintings by members of the Birmingham Society of Women Painters. For more than fifty years, the Birmingham Society of Women Painters has brought together artists of merit to further their shared interests. Founded in 1944 to provide formal instruction and workspace for women painters, the BSWP is today a dynamic organization of 50 artists working in diverse media. A commitment to the highest standards in creative expression and art education links the generations of BSWP members.



***Nanci LaBret Einstein is featured in the  
Side Gallery with her new series of drawings.***



### ***Divine Feminism August 25-September 18***

**Opening Reception: Sunday, August 25 1-3**

Throughout history, the sacred feminine has often been suppressed and erased. Curated by Rakia Sky, Executive Director of Kibbutz Detropia, this exhibition features 7 artists exploring the feminine presence in spirituality, from history to present.



#### **Gallery Hours:**

Monday-Wednesday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m., Thursday 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.,  
Sundays noon - 4 p.m.

For information, call the gallery at 248-432-5579  
or visit [www.charachgallery.org](http://www.charachgallery.org)  
Free and open to the public.

## **July 2019**

- 2 American Jews & Their Politics
- 9 American Jews & Their Politics
- 14 Sisterhood planning meeting  
Yad Ezra deliveries
- 16 American Jews & Their Politics
- 17 K'tanim playgroup
- 18 Israeli book club
- 20 LGBTQ Issues and the Jewish Community
- 21 Fast of Tammuz
- 23 American Jews & Their Politics
- 30 American Jews & Their Politics

## **August 2019**

- 9 Welcoming Shabbat at Meer
- 10 Tisha B'Av
- 18 Jewish Food Festival
- 30 Brooklyn & Sadie Rubenstein B'not Mitzvah

## **September 2019**

- 14 Tot & Birthday Shabbat
- 15 Men's Club Tiger's game
- 20 Shabbat dinner with Josh Warshawsky
- 21 Selichot and concert with Josh Warshawsky
- 29 Erev Rosh Hashanah
- 30 Rosh Hashanah

### ***Shabbat Morning Torah Study with Rabbi Rubenstein***

Join us Shabbat morning for informal learning beginning at 9:00 a.m. Topics vary and no prior knowledge is needed. For more information, contact Rabbi Rubenstein at [ravsteven@cbahm.org](mailto:ravsteven@cbahm.org) or 248-851-6880.



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# Minyan Matters

Dear Friends,

With the exception of Shabbat morning, a dedicated group of men and women, some who are members of our shul and some who are not, gather in Tauber Chapel for morning and evening services (minyan). Each service includes Kaddish for those who are mourning the loss of or observing the yahrzeit of a loved one.

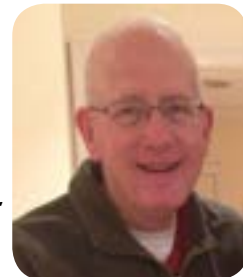
While our minyan program remains strong, we are always looking for the additional involvement of others. Consider joining us one day a week or one day a month, or consider joining us when you have yahrzeit for a loved one. Your total involvement would be no more than thirty minutes for most days. In addition to knowing that you will have helped insure that another person has the opportunity to say Kaddish, you will feel a sense of community, know that you are helping to continue an important tradition and have the opportunity to meet new people. As an added bonus, there is the camaraderie associated with a minyan breakfast if you are able to be a morning participant.

If you are not able to actively participate in our minyan, there is a way that you can help. Many of us know people in the community (e.g. friends, extended family, neighbors, work colleagues) who may have suffered a loss or might be searching for a "spiritual comfort zone" for whatever reason. You should let them know about our minyan and invite them to come join us.

To volunteer or for more information, please call or email me.

*Remember: It's not how often one comes to minyan, but that one makes the commitment.*

**Rick Emmer**  
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minyan@cbahm.org



## **Drop In & Learn at Beth Ahm**

### **Videostreamed Lifelong Learning**

#### **Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. in the Teen Lounge**

Free and open to the community. No reservations needed, all welcome!

#### **Starting July 3 - Summer Learning Potpourri**

Everyone is welcome to drop in and learn as we videostream content on a wide array of topics, featuring engaging and thought-provoking presenters. Our schedule will include sessions from the ADL National Leadership Seminar, the AJC Global Jewish Forum, the Shalom Hartman Institute, JBS TV, Valley Beit Midrash (Phoenix AZ), ELI Talks, and more. For more information, contact Nancy Kaplan at 248-737-1931, text 248-390-4294 or nancyellen879@att.net

## Shabbat Times

### Candlelighting

July 5 - 8:55 p.m.

July 12 - 8:52 p.m.

July 19 - 8:48 p.m.

July 26 - 8:42 p.m.

August 2 - 8:34 p.m.

August 9 - 8:25 p.m.

August 16 - 8:15 p.m.

August 23 - 8:04 p.m.

August 30 - 7:53 p.m.

September 6 - 7:41 p.m.

September 13 - 7:29 p.m.

September 20 - 7:16 p.m.

September 27 - 7:04 p.m.

### Shabbat ends

July 6 - 10:06 p.m.

July 13 - 10:02 p.m.

July 20 - 9:56 p.m.

July 27 - 9:48 p.m.

August 3 - 9:39 p.m.

August 10 - 9:29 p.m.

August 17 - 9:18 p.m.

August 24 - 9:06 p.m.

August 31 - 8:54 p.m.

September 7 - 8:41 p.m.

September 14 - 8:28 p.m.

September 21 - 8:15 p.m.

September 28 - 8:03 p.m.

## Service Times

### Daily Minyan

Monday – Thursday: 7:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Friday: 7:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.

Sunday & Major Legal Holidays: 9:00 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.

\* Weekday morning minyan starts at 6:45 a.m. on Rosh Hodesh (Wednesday, July 3 and Friday, August 2). Thursday, July 4 services will be at B'nai Israel at 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

### Shabbat Services

Kabbalat Shabbat & Ma'ariv – Friday 6:00 p.m.

Shabbat Morning – Saturday 9:30 a.m.

### Shabbat Afternoon

Saturday Afternoon - 5:00 p.m.

# Birthdays & Anniversaries

## July Birthdays

1	Amber Fischer	16	Shellie Kurtis-Koren
1	Benoit Gorge	16	Om-Shrees Prabhupada
1	Nathan Shiovitz	17	Zeev Maine
3	Miles Auster	17	Robert Nusbaum
3	Alexa Dresner	18	Jeffrey Weiss
3	Karol Friedman	19	Eli Ribiat
3	Gail Offen	20	Alan Kimmel
4	William Vine	20	David Schwartz
5	Jarod Fischer	21	Mark Migdal
5	Seth Schmitz	21	Sidney Simonian
6	Matthew Kurzmann	21	Faye Wolf
6	Bernard Schreier	22	Omer Chudnow
6	Deborah Steingold	22	Boris Drigant
7	Zachary Glazier	22	Julia Pais
7	Sandra Vine	22	Isac User
7	Arielle Wolf	23	Gillian Tamaroff
8	Dennis Bernard	24	Leslie Chudnow
8	Matthew Lampear	25	Deborah King
9	Joshua Chudnow	26	Alyssa Aguilar
10	Naomi Frenkel	26	Thomas Barth
10	Phyllis Levin	26	Steven Kohl
11	Jonathan Nusbaum	26	Rabbi Steven Rubenstein
12	Jill Dones	27	Alex Stryk
12	Steven King	28	Cara Dones
12	Bruce Sitron	29	Jennifer Ribiat
12	Milton Stern	29	Ariel Zalesin
13	Sheldon Dulberg	30	Lillian Berg
13	Lillian Harwin	30	Avner Lepsetz
13	Noah Stern	30	Lihi Maine
14	Leonard Cetner	30	Michael Wais
14	Michael Kahan	31	Jordyn Dresner
14	Ari Kohl		
15	Maxim Podolsky		

## September Birthdays

1	Nancy Bluth	14	Sidney Blackman
1	Julia Feber	14	Aaron Dones
1	Dolores Smith	16	Dahlia Schwartz
2	Talya Giske	17	Hilla Maine
2	Susan Sitron	17	Jeffrey Tamaroff
3	Lori Farber	18	Richard Lampear
3	Arthur Nusbaum	18	Alyse Schwartz
4	Jonathan Warsh	19	Edward Kersch
5	Dean Cohen	19	Renee Shoskes
5	Mark Langberg	21	Mia Mechnikov
6	Nancy Goldberg	22	Pat Ritchie
7	Joy Levrant	23	Ira Goldberg
7	Eileen Rosenbaum	23	Allan Lovinger
7	Lawrence Rothstein	24	Sandra Dembs
7	Michael Rubyan	24	Marni Foster
7	Spencer Shapiro	25	Robin Rubenstein
8	Nancy Adler	25	Cherie Warsaw
8	Charles Goldston	26	Ezra Schwartz
8	Stephen Rope	27	Jois Feingold
8	David Shapiro	27	Janis Fishman
8	Maya Skolnik	27	Avery Ribiat
9	Sandor Adler	29	Jacob Ellenbogen
9	Hilde Dreifus	29	Melvin Markham
9	Eli Guttman	30	Lori Nusbaum
10	Barbara Cohen	30	Dorothy Sandberg
11	Daniel Kurzmann		
11	Miriam User		
13	Ilene Kahan		
13	Joseph Nemeth		
13	Tracey Proghovnick		

## August Birthdays

1	Mitchell Blackman	11	Afia Pokuaah	21	Stefani Chudnow
1	Steven Siegler	11	Jody Rosenberg	21	Steven Mientkiewicz
2	Elie Brode	11	Nety User	21	Harriet Sherman
2	Oseygefo Nagbe	12	Melvyn Kalt	22	Nina Harris
2	Avery Wolf	12	Zvi Levrant	23	Benjamin Craine
3	Michael Rubin	12	Daniella Mechnikov	23	Dahvi Lupovitch
3	Anita Zalesin	12	Mackenzie Ritchie	23	Hannah Stryk
4	Marla Golnick	14	Victoria Craine	24	Tammy Kahan
5	Patrick Ritchie	15	James Hobson	24	Salo Korn
5	Evelyn Rosen	15	Nicole Jacobson	24	Martin Newman
6	Gene Goodman	15	Alon Kaufman	25	Thomas Lugosi
6	Ruthe Levy	15	Ron Lebedinski	25	Ilene Rubin
7	Sara Nadis	17	Shaul Englander	25	Andrew Weiss
7	Etta Zivian	17	Beverly Fradis	27	Andrew Klein
8	Steven Kalt	17	Emma Israel	27	Gabriel Maine
8	Erin Stilman	17	Ariel Levi	27	Jodie Mientkiewicz
9	Pelli Mechnikov	17	Michael Schmitz	28	Ari Giske
9	Barbara Nusbaum	17	Jill Willen	28	Diana Kovnat
9	Ayelet Shapiro	18	Leonard Farber	28	Steven Ribiat
9	Michael Shapiro	18	Robert Podolsky	28	Randi Traison
10	Lorne Zalesin	19	Katie Rosen	30	Nicole Hobson
11	Lillian Beavers	20	Ellen Apsel	30	Mia Jacobson
11	Cheryl Darmon	20	Mara Cranis	30	Ruth Kwaselow
11	Mollie Darmon	20	Albert Sasson	31	Edward Shapiro
11	Lilly Jacobson	20	Mia Silver	31	Jacob Tamaroff

## July Anniversaries

2	Sidney & Linda Blackman	12	Zvi & Joy Levrant
3	Joshua & Meredith Ben	14	Joel & Nicole Mazur
3	Eric Edelstein & Tracey Proghovnick	15	Fred & Evelyn Wecker Freeman
4	Jerry & Rochelle Gach	16	<b>Evan &amp; Leslie Chudnow "30<sup>th</sup>"</b>
5	Arnie & Nina Harris	16	Marc & Shelley Shindler
6	Sandor & Ilana Adler	19	Allan & Karen Lovinger
8	Michael & Omer Chudnow	23	Strul & Manuela User
8	<b>Howard &amp; Karen Frehsee "40<sup>th</sup>"</b>	30	Jerome & Michelle Seid
8	<b>Richard &amp; Jody Grossman "40<sup>th</sup>"</b>	30	Robert & Monica Podolsky

## August Anniversaries

2	Michael & Samantha Shapiro	21	<b>Scott &amp; Jody Rosenberg "25<sup>th</sup>"</b>
4	Dahlia Schwartz & Kathleen Moltz	24	Kenneth & Ellen Apsel
5	David & Annise Goodman	24	Isaac & Dayna Slutsky
5	Thomas & Agnes Lugosi	24	Daniel & Ryan Warsh
6	<b>Stan &amp; Anastasia Lebedinski "10<sup>th</sup>"</b>	25	Stephen & Jeri Rope
7	David & Charlene Kott	25	Sherwin & Barbara Sokolov
7	Steven & Janice Traison	26	Marc & Julie Cohen
9	Leslie & Helene Kohn	26	Alex & Svetlana Lebedinski
10	<b>Alan &amp; Belle Kimmel "5<sup>th</sup>"</b>	26	Evan & Sheri Shapiro
14	Andrew & Janet Belsky	27	Justin & Rachel Moss
15	Yaacov Scholar & Elissa Berg	28	Paul & Bella Brookenthal
15	Ronn & Beth Nadis	28	Ashley & Marcie Israel
15	Miles & Deede Auster	28	Miriam & Pinchas Barak
15	Aaron & Winnie Brightman	28	Daniel & Lisa Kurzmann
16	Howard Lupovitch & Marni Foster	28	Ariel & Miriam Levi
16	Todd & Terri Stearn	29	Les & Gail Baron
16	Marvin & Claire Tamaroff	29	David & Andrea Jacobson
16	<b>Harvey &amp; Anita Zalesin "60<sup>th</sup>"</b>	30	<b>Roy &amp; Robin Rosen "35<sup>th</sup>"</b>
18	Jeffrey & Tammy Kahan	31	Joshua & Laura Berg
19	<b>Janet &amp; Herb Pont "60<sup>th</sup>"</b>	31	Seymour & Elaine Cohen
19	Joseph & Nancy Jacobson	31	Charles & Jane Kessler
21	Dennis & Hadas Bernard	31	<b>Moshe Koren &amp; Shellie Kurtis-Koren "5<sup>th</sup>"</b>
21	Charles & Laura Goldston		

## September Anniversaries

3	<b>Robert &amp; Lori Nusbaum "30<sup>th</sup>"</b>	8	Steven & Robin Rubenstein
3	Timothy & Sara Zwickl	9	<b>Harry &amp; Debra Lebovic "40<sup>th</sup>"</b>
6	<b>Belle &amp; Patrick Hornung "10<sup>th</sup>"</b>	19	Benjamin & Victoria Craine
8	Steven & Deborah King	21	James & Suzanne Sondheimer



# Message from the Rabbi



## **LGBTQ Issues and the Jewish Community Today**

The month of June is celebrated as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer Pride Month (LGBTQ Pride Month) all over our country and throughout the world. The month of June was chosen as a way of honoring the Stonewall Riots of June, 1969. It was then that patrons and supporters of the Stonewall Inn in New York City staged an uprising to resist the police harassment and persecution to which LGBT Americans were commonly subjected. This uprising marks the beginning of a movement to outlaw discriminatory laws and practices against LGBT Americans.

While I can't explore the issue at length in this article, it is well known that LGBTQ individuals have often been excluded from the Jewish community and faced challenges of acceptance from family and friends. While the pace of change within the general and Jewish community has been rapid over the past 10 years, LGBTQ and supporters continue to work on issues of inclusion.

Since Fall 2018, Beth Ahm has been a part of a cohort in the Metro Detroit Jewish community with the national organization Keshet. As its website states: Keshet is a national organization that works for full LGBTQ equality and inclusion in Jewish life. You may not have noticed the work we have done so far, but I hope that it will be increasingly clear in the future. Some of the changes are (seemingly) minor inclusion changes in policy statements along with more public ways of showing that Beth Ahm is a place which welcomes LGBTQ individuals.

We'll have an opportunity to explore these issues together at an upcoming Lunch & Learn on Saturday, July 20th. The topic: LGBTQ Issues and the Jewish Community Today. Hope you can join us.

### **Rabbi Steven Rubenstein**

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# Message from the President



As leaders of Beth Ahm we recognize the value of looking both backward and forward.

On a regular basis we ask ourselves: "What aspects of our congregation do we want to preserve, and in what areas do we need to be looking into new ideas and approaches?"

We certainly have our beloved traditions. Just try to move a congregant from his or her usual seat, change the Shabbat lunch menu or a favorite High Holy Day melody, or a color in the sanctuary. On the other hand, we recognize our synagogue's need to grow and adapt. We have a new website with an upgraded portal, the engaging Lev Shalem siddur, and enhanced leadership training.

On Shabbat morning, I can see the interplay of the old and the new, of tradition and innovation, when we participate in the familiar custom of returning the Torah to the ark. Traditionally, we kiss the Torah as it is carried past us on its way back to the ark. The Rabbi has now begun giving our children the opportunity to march along after the Torah and carry the silver Torah crowns. As they pass by, I find myself compelled to kiss not only the Torah, but the children themselves! Just as the Torah is our Tree of Life, so too our children ensure the ongoing life of our people. I think about who they are, what the future holds for them, and how are we nurturing them and planning for them?

I also sit in wonder as adults in our midst, some a little older, some a lot older, take on Judaism in new and challenging ways. They may have an aliyah for the first time, engage in a serious learning opportunity such as Rise of the Rabbis, participate on the Board or on a committee, or plan a creative Sisterhood, Men's Club or Tikkun Olam program. They are also promoting our future by setting an example for us, showing us that Judaism is a living, evolving process.

So if you turn off your "tablet" in order to observe Shabbat, or turn it on to use the synagogue website or view a shul sponsored webcast, you are part of the process of engaging in Judaism and building a community that looks back to our tradition and forward to our future.

### **Beth Nadis**

President

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"What would you say if I told you there's a way to fit all of that on just one tablet?"



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*In Memory of:*

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By: Elayne & Barry Moss

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**Irene Wolf**  
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By: Steven Gershman &  
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## **Dorothy Davis, Mother**

By: Nancy (Joe) Jacobson

## **Nadis Family Fund**

*In Honor of:*

## **The birth of grandson**

### **Eli Matthew Levick to**

### **Jane & Chuck Kessler**

By: Beth & Ronn Nadis

## **Michael Glazier's engagement**

By: Beth & Ronn Nadis

## **The marriage of Rebecca Zwickl to Bill Storm**

By: Beth & Ronn Nadis

*Get Well Wishes to:*

## **Linda Bolton**

By: Beth & Ronn Nadis

## **Sharona Shapiro**

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*In Memory of:*

## **Belle Nadis**

## **Ben Nadis**

## **Esther Tolkovsky**

## **Yitzhak Tolkovsky**

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## **Dolores Farber**

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## **Ann Osur**

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## **Harriet Pollack**

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By: Margi & Morry Opperer

*In Memory of:*

## **Daniel Eric Tuchklaper**

By: Margi & Morry Opperer

## **Dolores Farber**

By: Margi & Morry Opperer

## **Abigail Kott**

By: Charlene & David Kott

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By: Margi & Morry Opperer

## **Our Home Our Future**

*In Honor of:*

## **The birth of grandson**

## **Benjamin Miles Lichtman to**

## **Cathy & Rene Lichtman**

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## **Dolores Farber**

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## **Helen Langberg**

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## **Violet Kreekun**

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## **Dolores Farber**

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## **Illene Wenner**

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## **Dr. Jerry Mandell**

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*In Honor of:*

## **The birth of great granddaughter**

## **Zara Arielle Shamsi**

## **to Nancy & Manny Kalef**

By: Beth & Ronn Nadis

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By: Sherry & Jim Hobson

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## **Jeffrey Blackman's 50th Birthday**

By: Shirley Nadel

## **The birth of granddaughter**

## **Pnina Zeeva Zwickl**

## **to Tim & Sara Zivian Zwickl**

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## **The birth of a grandson to**

## **Joy & Tzvi Levran**

By: Risha Ring

## **The birth of grandson**

## **Eli Matthew Levick**

## **to Jane & Chuck Kessler**

By: Janet & Andy Belsky

# Tributes

## **The birth of grandson**

**Benjamin Miles Lichtman to  
Cathy & Rene Lichtman**

By: Ila & Les Schonberg

## **Engagement of Rachel Nitzkin**

By: Barbara & Larry Traison

*In Memory of:*

## **Bob Katz**

By: Faye & Mark Wolf

## **Illene Wenner**

By: Marilyn & Michael Rice

Nathan Shiovitz

Jody & Rich Grossman

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Margot Efras

## **Helen Langberg**

By: Adele Silver

Jody & Rich Grossman

Cathy & Michael Graub

Dolores Farber

By: Goldie Topper

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Jody & Marshall Sack

Cheryl & Alex Goldis

Linda & Sid Blackman

Helen Indianer

Zita Kirsch

Marilyn & Michael Rice

Joanne & Michael Bellet

Bill Sperber

Ila & Les Schonberg

Dennis Deutsch

Jerry Soble

Risha Ring and Family

Debi & Steve King

Jody & Rich Grossman

Jodee Raines

Anita & Dennis Blender

Helene Brody

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By: Zita Kirsch

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### **College Fund**

*In Memory of:*

## **Daniel Eric Tuchklaper**

By: Suzanne & James Sondheimer

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*In Memory of:*

## **Dr. Jerry Mandell**

By: Marsha Lynn

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## **Dr. Alice B. Segal**

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## **Harriet Pollack**

By: Linda Jacobson

*In Honor of:*

## **The birth of grandson**

**Benjamin Miles Lichtman to**

**Cathy & Rene Lichtman**

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*In Memory of:*

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## **Elsie Yellin's 100th Birthday**

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Barry Gross

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By: Irene Light

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*In Memory of:*

## **Josef Sperber**

## **Henry Sperber**

By: William Sperber



# Tributes

**Ze'ev Ben Zvi Levran**

By: Zvi Levran

**Max Halprin**

By: Sharon Hobson

**Benjamin Topor**

By: Sharon Havis

**Alan Kohn**

By: Helene & Leslie Kohn

**Ron Efros****Werner Fink****Meta Fink**

By: Margot Efros

**Harry Kirsch**

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**Daniel Zalesin**

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By: Susan & Lawrence Rothstein

**Samuel Havis**

By: Sharon Havis

**Milton Superstine**

By: Jody & Rich Grossman

**Larry Nedelman**

By: Anna Nedelman

**Kraindl Brenner**

By: Helene & Leslie Kohn

**David Blazofsky**

By: Frank Blazofsky

**Fannie Luchtan****Bernard Luchtan**

By: Adele Silver

**Joe Metzger**

By: Raye Dinnerstein

**Benny Friedman****Hermine Friedman**

By: Ilene & Jack Friedman

**Lillian Schanz**

By: Barbara & Sherwin Sokolov

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By: Harry Dines

**Esther & Moscu User**

By: Carl User

**Alvin Topper**

By: Goldie Topper

**Max Newman****Nathan Grunt**

By: Cheryl Goldis

**Bertha Rosenbaum**

By: Ira Rosenbaum

**Estera User****Moscu User**

By: Strul User

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By: Barbara & Larry Traison

**S. Walter Stern**

By: Cathy & Rene Lichtman

**Nathan Fink**

By: Margot Efros

**Sarah Akner**

By: Dorothy Sandberg

**Lillian Danto**

By: Sharon Havis

**Mickey Schneider****Philip Schneider****Annette Newman**

By: Marty Newman

**Pearl Kalt**

By: Melvyn Kalt

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By: Bill Sperber

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In Memory of:

**Dolores Farber**

By: Laurie Goldmeier

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In Memory of:

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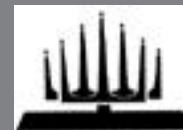
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## July 2019 - Sivan/Tammuz 5779

7/1/2019 (28 Sivan)	Esther Indianer, Hy Kinzer, Louis Ring, Florence Rose, Fanny Schwartz Gordon
7/2/2019 (29 Sivan)	Harry Berg, Morris Korman, Samuel A. Morros, Fannie Ring, Herman Siegel, Minna Stryk
7/3/2019 (30 Sivan)	Leah Baum, Avery Sandberg, Rubye Schreiber
7/4/2019 (1 Tammuz)	Beatrice Brenner, Bertha Brotman, Irma Grund, Zoltan Lugosi, Pauline Saferstein, Samuel Siegel, Solomon "Solly" Yaffe, Jack Morris Zalla
7/5/2019 (2 Tammuz)	Rose Adler, Minnie Eder, Dora Rebecca Lewis, Pincas Reif, Rose Feinstein Simon, Irving Wasserman, Renee Yarzig
7/6/2019 (3 Tammuz)	Abraham Altman, Helen Gettleson, Pinchus Greenberg, Mary Hirsch, Alva Lavine, Diane Ringler, Irving Rubin, Joseph Stilman, Hilda Tennenhouse
7/7/2019 (4 Tammuz)	Nathan Apsel, Abraham Domstein, Irwin Goldman, Chana Gomolinski, Hattie Levy, Sadie Rice, Norman Schreiber, Cyril Silver, Evelyn Starler, Daniel Weisswasser
7/8/2019 (5 Tammuz)	Florence Blau, Harold Diamond, Hyla Offen
7/9/2019 (6 Tammuz)	Richard M. Gerber, Efraim Kahan, Robin Mainster, Ehud Reiter, Sarah Sawitz, Fannie Schweitzer, Mary Silver
7/10/2019 (7 Tammuz)	Rosa Fleiss, Marian Guttman, Helen Medwed, Sarah Rubin, Boruch Simcha Salomon, Isidor Strom
7/11/2019 (8 Tammuz)	Aaron Byron Cohen, Ann Jacobson, Dora Schulman, Sally Schumer, Agnes Seligman, Albert Simons, Zalman Zatzman
7/12/2019 (9 Tammuz)	Norman Blake, David Kaczor, Marika Katzender, Meyer Levin, Philip Yaker
7/13/2019 (10 Tammuz)	Rose Davidson, Ira Gitlin, Marilyn Goldberg, Harold Langberg, Hillel Ari Marcus
7/14/2019 (11 Tammuz)	Sidney Golden, Meyer Metzger, Masha Neshkes, Marshall Rubinoff, Morris Schwartz, Rachel Zussman
7/15/2019 (12 Tammuz)	Esther Kawer, Bernhard Lichtenstein, Maurice Martin Silverman, Celia Terebelo, Sabina Thumin, Lorraine Weisman
7/16/2019 (13 Tammuz)	Louis Grossman, Frances Krinsky, Tylly Frances Levy, Rose Rothenberg, Pauline Stern
7/17/2019 (14 Tammuz)	Aaron Allen, Ben Bazaman, Sarah Dzodin, Jay Goodman, Samuel Kief, Hyman Levy, Clara Marx, Sidney Rock, Oscar Saulles, Nurit Sharabani
7/18/2019 (15 Tammuz)	Irving Belsky, Bertha Cohen, Pearl Gertsman, Hannah Grosser, Helen Kass, Donald Kirsch, Anna Leaderman, Alfred Mitteldorf, David Salita, Elliot Strom, Monroe Title
7/19/2019 (16 Tammuz)	Ivan Lloyd Blazofsky, Abe Emmer, Paula Leserman, Wilburn McCoy, Batsheva Norber, Israel Patrick, Brad Silverstein, Emily Sitron
7/20/2019 (17 Tammuz)	Sylvia Buckfire, Joanne Kreekun Davidson, Esther Feinstein, Evelyn Geller, Henry Halprin, Celia Rudack, Feivel Wallach, Moses Wallach
7/21/2019 (18 Tammuz)	Herman Gantz, Rosa Glancz, Edward Klein, Louis Kozel, Aaron Lankowsky, Morris Mainster, Rosa Schmitz, Kathleen Zimmerman
7/22/2019 (19 Tammuz)	Shirley Goodman, Sally Hechtman, Elias Herman, Victor Lawson, Sara Mitteldorf, Philip Norber, Bertha Selig, Jennie Topper
7/23/2019 (20 Tammuz)	Manuel Charach, Marlene Goldberg, Aron Gross, Sam Kopelman, Walter Manson, Abraham Metzger, Bertha Seiferheld
7/24/2019 (21 Tammuz)	Natalia Drigant, David Kaufman, Erwin Linz, Sylvia Neshkes, Simon Roberts, Samuel Schwartz, Theodore Silverman
7/25/2019 (22 Tammuz)	Richard Berg, Sheldon Eizen, Pinches David Feldman, Monte Gittleman, Esther Pelton, Geraldine (Gerry) Schreier, Paul Schulman
7/26/2019 (23 Tammuz)	Linda Brenner, Lillian Leib, Samuel Lipson, Lisa Maisels, Julius Travis
7/27/2019 (24 Tammuz)	Maxine Rosenberg, Ann Schonberg
7/28/2019 (25 Tammuz)	Adele Bookman, Henry Brode, Daisy Kass, Bernard Kaufman, Lillian Kersch, Julius Steinharter, Nathan Utchenik, Fanny Beneson Wolf
7/29/2019 (26 Tammuz)	Sophie Cohen, Sanford Goldansky, Rose Pearl Leibovitz, Kate Newman, Emma Peck, Ida Phyllis Terris
7/30/2019 (27 Tammuz)	Goldie Bank, Dorothy Vera Goodman, Pearl Levin, Belinda Lyons Freeman, Bernard H. Winer, Sonia Zalesin
7/31/2019 (28 Tammuz)	Frank Amber, Sarah Leah Dubrinsky, Irving E. Glancy, Oren Kewis, Wolf Zahler

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## August 2019 - Tamuz/Av 5779

8/1/2019 (29 Tammuz)	Sara Last, Ruth Mermelstein, Ralph Rice, Lena Tinianov
8/2/2019 (1 Av)	Dorothy Francis Kleinstein Goodman, Sylvia Greenberg, Molly Haar, Walter Siegler
8/3/2019 (2 Av)	Elias Bookman, Jacob Freed, Myra Gold, Jacob Landgarten, Sarah Ring, Max Tauber, Rita Terebelo
8/4/2019 (3 Av)	Cecile Cohen, David Foltyn, Freda Goodgall, Anna Guyer, Irene Kleinberg, Louis Ludwig Leserman, Benjamin Shepard, Hedwig Steinharter
8/5/2019 (4 Av)	Abe Kasle, Sylvia Fay Rappoport, Albert (Obbie) Snow
8/6/2019 (5 Av)	Nathan Brodsky, Sol Davidson, Anna Gordon, Joseph Manela, Philip Rubinoff, Jerome Stern, Robert Weinbaum
8/7/2019 (6 Av)	Bella Ackerman, Max Alspector, Isadore Goldfarb, Pamela Gordon Hessler, Bessie Gursky, Lillian Stilman, Moshe Tunkel, Goldie Vine
8/8/2019 (7 Av)	Jacob Klempner, Michael Magy, Arthur Schanz, Rose Sherefkin
8/9/2019 (8 Av)	Max Draznin, Harry Gordon, Pearl Newman, Anna Schlusel
8/10/2019 (9 Av)	Max Blum, Elaine Folberg, Priva Heller, David Keller, Steward Kepes, Arthur Leiser, Mosheh Nodel, Louis Zahler
8/11/2019 (10 Av)	Sam Altman, Eleanor Kirsch, Nacham Kopelman, Hillel Ari Marcus, Marvin Newman, Harry Silver, Harry Starler, Dorothy Statfeld, Anne Geraldine Yaker, David Yaker, Harold Frank Yaker
8/12/2019 (11 Av)	William Beneson, Meyer Berk, Eliezer Hammer, Siegmund Rosenbacher, Louis Schlusel, Jerome Nathan Superstine
8/13/2019 (12 Av)	Clothilde Bacharach, Jennie Bello, Max Bello, Pauline B. Federman, Caroline Itskovitz, Sarah Silver, Rose Weintraub, Morris Yanowitz
8/14/2019 (13 Av)	Shabtai Ackerman, Walter Aronoff, Esther Curtis, Bessie Markowitz, Philip Spalter, Morris Stramer, Isaac Tennenhouse, Rachel Weintraub, Lawrence Wenokur
8/15/2019 (14 Av)	Ben Gettleson, Dora Kobaker, Esther Shoskes, Gerald Zahler
8/16/2019 (15 Av)	Morris Cohen, Ida Draznin, Mayme Lawson, Minnie Shapiro, Morris Shoskes, Helen Weiss, Salomon Wildstrom
8/17/2019 (16 Av)	Sanford Baron, Katalin Biel, Pinkie Greenberg, Louis Last, Joseph Mash, Fanny Pollack, Louis Woll
8/18/2019 (17 Av)	Stanley Israel Ackner, Fannie Diskin, Maurice (Moishe) Glazier, Walter Kamm, Libby Malowany, Evet Marie Schmidt, Marian Wiseman
8/19/2019 (18 Av)	Hedwig Blum, Jacob Fishman, Harold Gendler, Evelyn Jean Goldberg, Marshal Monte Gorge, Belle Holtzman, Molly Kessler, Lillian Klar
8/20/2019 (19 Av)	Samuel Byck, Esther Goldenberg, William Gutman, Abraham Benjamin Knoppow, Samson Salzman, Gitlya Torban, Bessie Weiner
8/21/2019 (20 Av)	Esther Rochlin, Hattie Shulman
8/22/2019 (21 Av)	Mandell Bernstein, Hershey Binder, Saul Chudnow, John Markham, Morris Zabel
8/23/2019 (22 Av)	Edgar Schlusel, James Schmitz, Berthold Selig, Melanie Bernard, Minnie Cooper, Sylvia Ellenbogen, Ruth Emmer, Anna M. Fox, Moses Pearlman, Adele Zahler
8/25/2019 (24 Av)	Rachel Drigant, Anne Tauber Goldman, Edythe Podolsky, Percy Winer, Lillian Winokur
8/26/2019 (25 Av)	Clara Grandon, Edna Soloman, Hyman Tauber, Sonia Wais, Honey Weingarden
8/27/2019 (26 Av)	Joseph Dorfman, Samuel Friedman, Samuel Jedwab, Fanny Lenhard, Isak Ofner, Julius Schulman
8/28/2019 (27 Av)	Morton Goldberger, Harry Gursky, Ruth Guttman, Celia Schmidt, Isaac Tinianov, Abraham Weisner
8/29/2019 (28 Av)	Betty Byck, Sheldon Fishman, Larry Goldberg, Ralph Gordon, Aaron Greenberg, Harvey Katchan, Rebecca Miller Lesser
8/30/2019 (29 Av)	Anna Berkowitz, Hyman Fogel, Mary Goodman, Rose Goodman, Eva Maister, Hedwig Oppenheim
8/31/2019 (30 Av)	Isadore Bernstein, Fred Futerman, Rose Garrison, Celia P. Goldberg, Gotfried Saloman, Mendel Schlusel

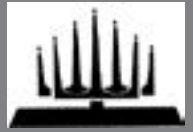
### ***May their memories endure for a blessing***

Honor the memory of your loved ones by purchasing a memorial plaque in the Kahan Memorial Room. The purchase of a plaque will ensure that your loved one's name will be read during the week of their yahrzeit. It is a lasting tribute of your love that links the generations of your family. Plaques are currently \$500 each. We hope that you will take advantage of this opportunity to assure your loved ones will be forever remembered at Congregation Beth Ahm. Contact David Goodman at 248-851-6880.



# Yahrzeits—In Loving Memory

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9/1/2019 (1 Elul)	Rose Genser, Hugo Goldberger, Herman Halprin, Meyer Rosenweig, Michael Silver, Benjamin Terebelo
9/2/2019 (2 Elul)	Goldie Abramson, William Goodman, Philippine Heilbrunn, Minnie Weller
9/3/2019 (3 Elul)	Irving Gittleman, Freda Klein, Nancy Reider, Edward Rice, Bertha Rosemberg
9/4/2019 (4 Elul)	Anna Balamut, Joseph Faigin, Rose Franzblau, Goldie Kotlier, Betty Krinsky, Florence Pais, Mindel Salzman, Mayer Subrin
9/5/2019 (5 Elul)	Phillip Buckfire, Noreen Helen Goodman, Louis Shiovitz
9/6/2019 (6 Elul)	Ann Faigin, Abe Gittleman, Arkadiy Lebedinskiy, Charlotte Leiser, Ruth Lieberman, Amalie Loewenthal, Albert Migdal, Gusty Singer
9/7/2019 (7 Elul)	Saul Berkower, Julius Berkowitz, Simon Drissman, Stella Garrison, Ronda Mardiros, Ida Modiest, Alan Rothberger
9/8/2019 (8 Elul)	Golda Balantzow, Morris Grund, Lester Kaplan, Joseph Mermelstein, Samuel Tartof
9/9/2019 (9 Elul)	Reuben Greenberg, Max Kreshover, Dyna Novetsky, Ida Weinman
9/10/2019 (10 Elul)	Samson Balantzow, Nathan Beerbohm, Evelyn Gach, Esther Gold, Anna Neumann, Bessie Schultz, Fanny Strassburger, Beverly Travis
9/11/2019 (11 Elul)	Violet Korn, Ruth Kwaselow, Walter Litt, Mary Samuels, Rose Segal
9/12/2019 (12 Elul)	Dora Berkowitz Band, Carl Cameron, Aaron Harry Katzman, Harry Louis Rothenberg, Siegfried Siegler, Khana Vinarskaya
9/13/2019 (13 Elul)	Nathan Blazofsky, Hershel Grachniak, Harry Lewis, Jacob Marx, Morris Weintraub
9/14/2019 (14 Elul)	Abraham Pelton
9/15/2019 (15 Elul)	Hermann Bohm, William Baer Demak, Mendel Itskovitz, Samuel Levy, Peggy Lewis, Jakob Offen, Leah Lily Pruchno
9/16/2019 (16 Elul)	Albert Curtis, Marion Golman, Katie Stein, Bertha Supian, Joseph Woll
9/17/2019 (17 Elul)	Fred Ackerman, Klara Kasston, Minnie Shiovitz, Fran Tittle, Samuel Traison, Mark Walker
9/18/2019 (18 Elul)	Sally Ann Brenner, Jean Byer, Isaack Kresch
9/19/2019 (19 Elul)	Rose Bernstein, Esther Haffner, William Heinick, Dorothy Sabbath, Ronald Urbach, Fred Weiss, Bessie Yaffa
9/20/2019 (20 Elul)	Isadore Bernstwin, Morris Blender, Clara Browarny, Pauline Friedenber, Moritz Katz
9/21/2019 (21 Elul)	Stephanie Lichtenstein, Jack H. Schwartz, Else Siegler, Rose Zucker
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9/23/2019 (23 Elul)	Katie Blender, Bradley Gladstone, Louis Greenberg, Osias Gutman, Irving Katzman, Harriet Rogoff, Birdie Winer
9/24/2019 (24 Elul)	Lee Applebaum, William Dubrinsky, Marilyn Eskovitz, Murry Fischer, Moses Klanfer, Marjorie Kurzmann, Franklin Levy, Tillye Weintraub
9/25/2019 (25 Elul)	Polly Binder, Mary G. Friedman, Pauline Gilman, Carol Anne Gordon, Alfred Michael Heilbronner, John Mogill, Sophie Starlit, Bernice Zuckerman
9/26/2019 (26 Elul)	Amy Harvey, Harry Itskovitz, Harry Jacobson, Phyllis Kolnierz, Maxwell Nadis, Jack Schon, Mary Travis
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9/29/2019 (29 Elul)	Betsy Abrams, Jennie Brenner, Rose Gordon Friedman, Allen C. Gross, Rifka Shtern, Esther Weiss
9/30/2019 (1 Tishrei)	Pauline Brandwine, David Feinstein, Tillie Feldman, Tilla Freedman, Johanna Simon, Joseph Wiesenber, Nissan Zahler, Maurice Zissman



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