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Temple Israel of Brevard

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Parashat Ekev

Deuteronomy 7:12 – 11:25

Parashat Ekev continues the speeches of Moses to the Israelites. He tells them that, if they maintain their covenant with God by observing all the commandments, God will make them fruitful and victorious over their enemies. Reminding them of their forty years of wandering through the wilderness, Moses tells them: “God subjected you to the hardship of hunger...then gave you manna...in order to teach you that human beings do not live on bread alone...” He then warns them that after settling in their land and enjoying its fruits, they should not arrogantly assume: “My own power and the might of my own hand have won this wealth for me.” Nor, continues Moses, should they conclude that it is for their virtue that God allows them to defeat their enemies and conquer their land. Rather, it is punishment of the inhabitants for idolatry, and it is God’s fulfillment of the covenant made with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. Moses recalls the disloyalty of the people; how they built the golden calf when he was receiving the Ten Commandments on Mount Horeb; how they rebelled at

Kadesh-barnea; and how he intervened with God to save them, granting them another set of the tablets on which the Ten Commandments were engraved. Moses recounts the death and burial of Aaron. He also tells the people that God wants them to “cut away the thickening about their hearts,” observe the commandments, and learn from their history how God freed them from Egyptian slavery and led them through the desert. If you keep the commandments, Moses promises, God will dislodge all nations before you. No one will stand before your power.

Friday, August 7

Our Rabbi has not been feeling well (it is not COVID-19 related) this week and will not be able to lead us for this Shabbat service. She will be leading us next week for the Pajama Shabbat. You can view any of our past services at www.youtube.com/templeisraelofbrevard

Saturday, August 8

9 AM Bagels and Bible will not be held this week due to a celebration for our much-loved Trudy Horkin. For more information on the joyous event, please look at the congratulatory message on our last page.

Tuesday, August 11

Rabbi will be resuming her normal duties. Please give her a chance to rest until this day.

Friday, August 14

7 PM Family Pajama Shabbat Service will be held on Zoom. You can join by going to <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9138512321?pwd=M1NWa3h5NHRwWnBXaVI2a2lkUXFNdz09>

SHELOSHIM

Daniel ben David Talegaonkar, husband of Johannes Corely's cousin
Minnie Grosman, aunt of Jeff Fishkin

Yahrzeits

Eugene Atlas, Annette Benson, Tillie Ettinger, Ellen Manheimer

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

**Kelly Berkowitz, Katie Kantor, Srah Mansfield-Gross, Bernard Hochman,
Zachary Locke, Stefanie Marino, Aiya Messina, Leo Swingle, Jerry
Trachtman**

ANNIVERSARIES

**Harold and Leslie Simmons
Richard and Gail Ellis
Jordan and Rachel Winsten
Larry and Cindy Bishop**

REFUAH SHLEMA

**Sharon Arnold, Sandy Ashendorf, Marion Burnett, Sue Cohn, Diane
Cooper, Stacy Eastwood, Eve Elfassy, Gail Ellis, Hudel Fabisch, Beverly
Friedberg, Gene Friedman, Nancy Garfield, Ronald Garfield, Debrorah
Goldstein, Nicole Greenblatt, Celia Grossman, Mike Kalogris, David Kaye,
Sam Kaye, Robert Kreyling, Diana Lando, George Leader, Lori Licker,
Nancy McKinley, Edward Natenberg, Netty Pogach, Stuart Rosinger, Pam
Siegel, Patti Siegel, Kelsey Siber, Jessica Smith, Scott Smith, Reena bat
Michael v'Dinah Sogawkar, Erin Jane Speer, David Slotkin, Golda bat Reena
v'Daniel Talegaonkar, Liebel bat Reena v'Daniel Talegaonkar, Marta Toran,
Diana van den Boogaard, Sara Jane Victor, Brian Wasserman, Arthur
Weinberger, Jodi Welner**

YOU ARE INVITED

**GALA HONORING
RABBI PATRICIA ERNEST HICKMAN'S
18 years of service to Temple Israel**

Saturday, October 24, 2020 at 6:30 PM

*Temple Israel of Brevard
7350 Lake Andrew Drive
Melbourne, Florida*

*Entertainment by Jenny Hickman
and surprise speakers*

\$54.00 per person

Dressy casual attire

*Please contact the Temple Office for information
about placing an ad and/or your message for Rabbi Pat
in our Dedication Program*

Date subject to change based on CoViD-19

Women of Temple Israel

Need a mask to protect you or a child during this second wave of COVID-19 infections?

Get a handmade mask and support the Women of Temple Israel at the same time. Please call Joy at 321-604-0245 to make plans if you would like a cotton, triple layer, washable mask.

It is respectfully requested that you make a donation to the Women of Temple Israel to show your appreciation for Joy's craftsmanship, time, and effort. Please mail all donations to:
Rose Schoenfeld
6717 Sutro Heights Lane
Viera, FL 32940

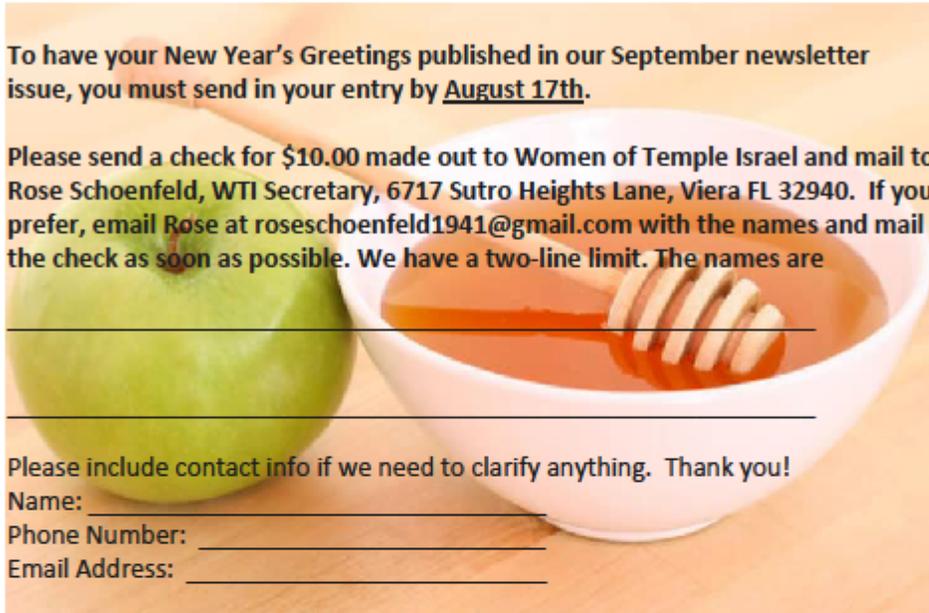


Please participate in our New Year's Greeting fundraiser. Your greetings will be published in the Temple's September newsletter, giving you the opportunity to wish friends, family, and fellow Temple members a SWEET and HEALTHY New Year. Please see the form below or look for the form in the August newsletter or Shabbat to Shabbat.

Women of Temple Israel / Sisterhood New Year's Greetings

To have your New Year's Greetings published in our September newsletter issue, you must send in your entry by August 17th.

Please send a check for \$10.00 made out to Women of Temple Israel and mail to Rose Schoenfeld, WTI Secretary, 6717 Sutro Heights Lane, Viera FL 32940. If you prefer, email Rose at roseschoenfeld1941@gmail.com with the names and mail the check as soon as possible. We have a two-line limit. The names are



Please include contact info if we need to clarify anything. Thank you!

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

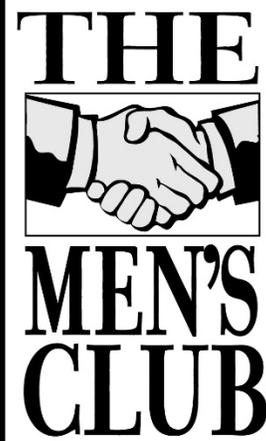
New Virtual Onegs from Women of Temple Israel

Are you missing gathering with friends at the onegs following Shabbat services? Our WTI onegs provided an important way to meet and renew our friendships as well as raising funds. We have a way you can sponsor an oneg to celebrate or honor loved ones for our virtual services.

- 1. Make a \$40 donation to WTI for a specific Shabbat service (down from \$45.)**
- 2. Contact WTI Treasurer Rose Schoenfeld to reserve your date, 321-622-6454, or roseschoenfeld1941@gmail.com.**
- 3. Join the service on Zoom and light the candles. Rabbi Hickman will work out the details with you.**
- 4. At the end of the service you will be honored for contributing the Oneg. We hope to have a colorful illustration of the virtual foods you want to share. We will work with you to create an illustration of these foods.**
- 6. August 21 and 28 are already reserved.**

Please sponsor an oneg and contact Rose Schoenfeld!

MEN'S CLUB UPDATE



Men's Club will resume meeting when it is safe to do so.

Do you know anyone that could use or needs a baby sweater?

Joy Inventasch is selling hand-made baby sweaters with all proceeds going to Temple Israel of Brevard.

Please support her effort by placing an order.
To place an order, please call Joy at
321-604-0245.

Help Needed

Temple Israel of Brevard needs a volunteer to help with our website. If you have been to our website recently, there are some older photos and incomplete areas. If you have experience building websites and would like to volunteer to make our website current, visually appealing, and complete, then please email tioffice@tiofbrevard.com with your contact information.

Congratulations!

Temple Israel of Brevard would like to acknowledge the amazing accomplishment of our dear Trudy Horkin, who is celebrating her second Bat Mitzvah. We regret that we all cannot join you in-person or virtually for this momentous event that you have worked hard towards. May you be blessed for many years to come with good health, a good mind, and a good sense of humor.

If you would like to have something featured in this location, please email the office at tioffice@tiofbrevard.com. All submissions must be publicly appropriate and may not be commercial in nature.

AMAZON FUNDRAISER

Smile Amazon is a way to give to Temple Israel. .5% of all regular purchases will be donated to Temple Israel. You must enter through smile.amazon.com. Search for Temple Israel of Brevard and then follow the directions for entering Amazon. This costs you nothing to use - Amazon donates the .5% to Temple Israel.

Would you like to share a success or major event with the rest of the congregation? Do you wish to share something with the rest of the congregation? Please email the office at tioffice@tiofbrevard.com to have it shared in Shabbat to Shabbat.

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