



Back to Shul BBQ

Friday, September 6, 2024

5:30-7:15 pm

(On the Oakfield side lawn)

Open to current & prospective members

\$5 per person, 2 years old & under are free

***New & Prospective Members are invited to attend as our guests**

*Please see the registration form on page 7
Contact Membership so we can properly prepare*

Email Nadine, membership@tbtwantagh.org, with dietary concerns

**Temple B'nai Torah Arms offer many services, social activities, avenues for activism,
and other opportunities in which you can participate.**

For information, below are the Arms of the Temple & their contacts.

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**FOR MORE INFORMATION ON OUR
UPCOMING**

MEMBERSHIP ENGAGEMENT FAIR

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH!!!!

**AND LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR
MANY TEMPLE COMMITTEES AND
ARMS**

CIRCLE OF FRIENDS

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Youth Group/BNTY: Mark Derwin at mderwin@temple-bnai-torah.org

Visit our website, TBTWantagh.org for membership forms and more information

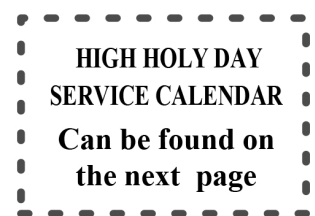
Ritual Calendar - September 2024

Please check the Weekly Scroll and the Temple Calendar
for the most up-to-date information!

All services, unless otherwise noted, will be in-person and streamed



Tuesday, September 3	1:00pm	Torah Study (Last Tuesday Meeting) *
Friday, September 6	5:30pm	TOT SHABBAT (In Person Only)
	5:30pm	Welcome to TBT BBQ (RSVP required)+
	7:15pm	Family Shabbat Service
Saturday, September 7	9:30am	Torah Study *
Monday, September 9	12:00pm	Torah Study *
Friday, September 13	7:15pm	Erev Shabbat Service
Saturday, September 14	9:30am	Torah Study *
Monday, September 16	12:00pm	Torah Study *
Friday, September 20	7:15pm	Erev Shabbat Service
Saturday, September 21	9:30am	Torah Study *
	10:30am	Shabbat Service, Bat Mitzvah of Juliana Manashirov
Monday, September 23	12:00pm	Torah Study *
Friday, September 27	5:30pm	TOT SHABBAT (In Person Only)
	7:15pm	Erev Shabbat Service
Saturday, September 28	9:30am	Torah Study *
	7:00pm	Selichot Congregational Dinner +
	8:00pm	Selichot Program at TBT – Israel:
		On our lips and in our hearts
	9:00pm	Selichot Service/Iyyun T'filah
Monday, September 30	12:00pm	Torah Study *



HHD Prayer Book, HHD Tickets & Honey Pickup Dates

Sunday, **Sept 15** - 9:30 am to 12:00pm
 Wednesday, **Sept 18** - 3:00pm to 5:00pm
 Monday, **September 23** - 6:00pm to 8:30pm
 Saturday, **September 28** - 6:30pm to 7:00pm (Books Only)

October

October 2 - 4	Rosh Hashanah (see HHD Service Calendar)
Saturday, October 5	9:30am Torah Study *
Sunday, October 6	11:45am Tashlich Service at Forest City Park, Wantagh
Monday, October 7	12:00pm Torah Study *
October 11-12	Yom Kippur (see HHD Service Calendar)

KEY: * = on Zoom + Watch for important information regarding Dinners & Luncheons close to their dates.
 Details for Services can be found on the Scroll and our Website # At TBT and Facebook Live
Always check the TBT Website\ Calendar prior to Services & Events for the most up-to-date information .

5785/2024 High Holy Day Services and Holidays

Saturday, September 28	Selichot 7:00pm Congregational Dinner (RSVP Required) + 8:00pm Selichot Program at TBT – <i>Israel: On our lips and in our hearts</i> 9:00pm Selichot Services /Iyyun T'fillah
Wednesday, October 2	Erev Rosh HaShanah 7:15pm Erev Rosh HaShanah Service
Thursday, October 3	Rosh HaShanah (Day 1) 9:00am Rosh HaShanah Family Service 10:30am Rosh HaShanah Morning Service 10:30am Youth Programming and Service (K-12)
Friday, October 4	Rosh HaShanah (Day 2) 10:30am Rosh HaShanah Morning Service 6:30pm Shabbat Shuvah Service
Sunday, October 6	11:45am Tashlich at Forest City Park
Friday, October 11	Erev Yom Kippur 7:00pm Prelude & Torah Processional 7:15pm Kol Nidre Service
Saturday, October 12	Yom Kippur 9:00am Yom Kippur Family Service 10:30am Yom Kippur Morning Service & Yizkor 10:30am Youth Programming and Service (K-12) 3:15pm Community Yizkor Service 4:15pm Yom Kippur Mincha & Ne'ilah Services 6:45pm Shofar Blast
Wednesday, October 16	Erev Sukkot 6:30pm Erev Sukkot Festival Service in the Sukkah 7:00pm Sukkot Dinner in the Sukkah +
Thursday, October 17	Sukkot 10:30am Sukkot Morning Service in the Sukkah 12:00pm Sukkot Luncheon in the Sukkah +
Wednesday, October 23	Erev Simchat Torah 5:45pm Yizkor Service 6:30pm Erev Simchat Torah Festival Service & Consecration
Thursday, October 24	Simchat Torah 10:30am Atzeret Festival Morning Service & Yizkor 12:30pm Simchat Torah Luncheon (KL) +



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Wantagh, New York
11793

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RABBI'S MESSAGE

Rabbi Daniel Bar-Nahum



Looking to the future...

Welcome back! As I'm writing this, it's late June. Due to my sabbatical this summer, I have no choice but to look ahead to September to consider what might be worthy of sharing or teaching in this space.

Looking ahead, telling the future, that's something that is usually reserved for the Prophets. I don't aim to predict the future, rather, consider what the future might hold. Though the age of prophesy is over, there is still benefit to thinking about what will happen, and this is the perfect time of year to begin doing so!

On September 4, the Hebrew month of Elul begins. This is a month of preparation for the High Holy Days, which this year begin in October. Many years, the end of our summers and the onset of Elul overlap. We miss out on the opportunity to embrace this full month of introspection. Elul is a month for what's called in Hebrew *chesbon hanefesh*, an accounting of the soul. This is the beginning of the hard work of *teshuvah*/repentance. It asks us to take stock of our actions over the past year. We give ourselves a whole month to consider the last year. According to some, this is another opportunity to mimic the Divine. In the first chapter of creation, when God creates over six days, God takes time to evaluate what God has done. We know this from the times when God declares that the creations are good, or even very good.

Cheshbon hanefesh asks us to look back over what we've created over the last year – physical creations as well as what we create through our speech and actions. What environment have we created for those around us? Have we been productive or destructive in the last year? Have we sought to repair the world? We take stock of what we've done, good and bad. What are the days in the past year we can call good or very good? What are the days in the past year which we might seek to do over? What are the moments in the past year that call out to us? Cheshbon hanefesh over the month of Elul gives us the time to really think about our year as it nears its end.

But you may be wondering, isn't that looking backward? How does cheshbon hanefesh ask us to look

forward? Well, by looking at who we have been, we then can dedicate ourselves to who we might become. It is through the work of looking backward that we can begin to look forward to the new year ahead. What will 5785 have in store for us? What will we hope to do better in the next year? What will we hope to build on? What do we hope to not bring with us? These are questions about the future which can only be answered through an accounting of the past.

There are many customs for this month of Elul. First, we are supposed to hear Shofar every day, serving as a reminder that the year is coming to an end. The horn's blasts remind us to do the work. Additionally, we add special prayers to our liturgy. You'll notice that this month we will be using a special prayerbook for Elul which includes some revised settings and additional readings pointing us to the spiritual work we're asked to do.

It is customary to read the words of Psalm 27 each day of the month of Elul. It's a beautiful Psalm which includes many verses about seeking closeness to God, and ultimately finding hope through God. Hope rings on our tongues through the closing words of Psalm 27. Hope is also future-focused. We hope for what we want to come to pass. We hope for what we aspire to do and be. Hope pushes us to think about what's next. The lingering idea of Psalm 27 is hope for the future. Coupling this with the work of *chesbon hanefesh* adds an additional facet to the way our looking back pushes us to look ahead.

May this month of Elul afford us ample opportunities to examine who we have been in 5784 and inspiration to become the best versions of ourselves in 5785.

As I mentioned in the opening paragraph, I'm writing this as I am preparing to take this summer's portion of my sabbatical. I want to thank Cantor Timman, Rabbi Emeritus Lowenberg, our Executive Director Eileen and Morah Sheryl for handling things so ably in my absence. I have been looking forward to these travels, and I am looking forward to sharing much of what I've learned over these last two months in the weeks ahead!

With Blessings,
Rabbi Daniel Bar-Nahum

SAVE THE DATE!!!

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2024

**Sukkot services and dinner
in the Sukkah!!!**



NOTES FROM OUR CANTOR

Cantor Rica Timman



This past July I went on an extraordinary ten-day mission throughout Israel along with sixty colleagues from the American Conference of Cantors. We traveled and met Israelis who are making a difference, bore witness at some of the hardest hit areas near the Gaza border, volunteered at an IDF base, met Jewish and Palestinian musicians and artists and saw how they are building lasting bridges of trust and collaboration, heard from hostages' families, led havdalah in Tel Aviv's Hostage Square, received updates from IDF commanders and Knesset leaders, and so much more.

Over the summer I began sharing some of what I witnessed and learned. I look forward to opportunities to continue to share with our TBT family this fall as we focus our Lifelong Learning series this year on Zionism and Israel.

I especially want to thank all those who made generous donations and who helped to underwrite a portion of this trip. We raised over \$4,000! During our mission, I was able to see first-hand the incredible grass-roots organizations that are working tirelessly to aid all who are struggling. Israelis are collectively in trauma and many are in need of our continuing support. The money collected I donated on behalf of TBT to several worthy organizations. I recommend, if you are able, to continue supporting these organizations:

[The Hostage and Missing Families Forum](#) is the organization of volunteers supporting, advocating, and being the voice of the families of hostages. They make the dog tags so many of us are wearing to remind us that there are over 100 innocent men,

women, and children being held captive in Gaza under unbearable conditions for over 10 months, as of this writing. I brought back more dog tags for anyone who would like to wear one.

[Healing Space Havat Marpe](#) is a grass roots organization created after Oct. 7th to help those who are dealing with trauma and emotional triggers. Their staff are made up of cutting-edge therapists who are working tirelessly to help as many Israelis as possible. They have cared for over 10,000 people to date and are hoping to help 28,000 Israelis by the end of this year. They desperately need to expand their campus and professional staff as the demand is huge and on-going, especially among IDF soldiers and displaced families.

[Smiles for the Kids](#) supports Israelis struggling with the emotional and physical aftermath of October 7th, and the ongoing military operations occurring across Israel. Their team is delivering food, shopping for groceries, and providing critical necessities like clothing and household goods to displaced families, single parent households whose loved ones are serving on the front lines, and teens or young adults living together while their parents work long shifts at hospitals caring for the wounded, and making and serving meals to IDF soldiers on the field.

Thank you again for your generosity and support for this mission! May we soon see an end to the war, hostages returned to their families, and Israelis returned to their homes, with prayers that their future is safe and secure.

L'shalom,
Cantor Rica Timman



MILITARY BRIDGE



It's not really military and it's not really bridge, and you don't have to know how to play.
Our master of ceremonies will lead us in a game of flags.

The winning team for each round gets awarded little flags valued in points. The team with most points wins the game & prizes. The master of ceremonies will guide you through the evening.
Each team must have 4 people -- If you don't have a team, we will try to form one for you.



DATE – Saturday, September 21, 2024 TIME – 7:00 P.M.

COST — \$28. per person for Circle of Friends members
\$33. per person for non-members

For more information regarding reservations and dinner, please see the TBT Scroll, Facebook or:

Contact: Debbie Schlesinger 516- 998-8083 Email - dvorajane@gmail.com

MAZEL TOV TO OUR BAT MITZVAH AND HER FAMILY

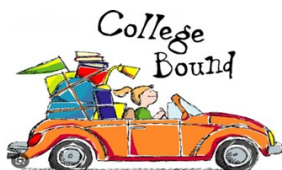


September 21

Juliana Manashirov

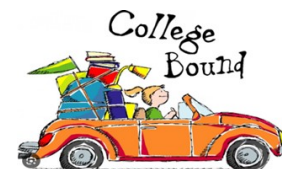
Maya

My name is Juliana Manashirov and I'm an 8th grade honor roll student at Jonas E. Salk Middle School. I enjoy doing flips, theater, being part of BNTY and Scout Troop 186. I love performing in the TBT Main Stage and Junior productions. I would like to thank Sheryl Gordon, Morah Emily, Rabbi Bar-Nahum and Cantor Timman for helping me, encouraging me and preparing me for my Bat Mitzvah.



TBT College Connection

Is someone you love heading to College?



We invite you to register your college student for Temple B'nai Torah's College Connection! We will send small packages for 3-4 Jewish holidays per year as well as a birthday greeting. All packages will include an appropriate prayer/message along with a small gift and/or sweet treat that corresponds to the occasion. There is nothing like getting a care package in college!

To participate in the 2024-25 program please complete the form below and return it with your check for \$42 per student by September 3rd to:

**TBT College Connection
Temple B'nai Torah
2900 Jerusalem Avenue
Wantagh, NY 11793**

Checks should be payable to Temple B'nai Torah and note "College Connection" in the memo field.

Questions may be directed to: Ilene Hellman Email: ilenetbt@gmail.com or call or text (917)620-7604

College Connection 2024-25 (Please PRINT clearly)

Student Name: _____

Student's College: _____

Student Mailing Address: _____

Student Email Address: _____

Student Birthday (MM/DD): _____

Will the Student graduate this year? If so, what month? _____

Congregant Name, Email and Phone Number: _____



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Name _____
of people attending (over the age of 2): _____
Names of all attending _____



I am a CURRENT/ NEW*/ PROSPECTIVE* member (Please circle one)

Email address _____

Phone # _____

Amount enclosed \$_____ (Check # _____, for office use)

Please make checks payable to: Temple B'nai Torah (*mark "BBQ" on Memo Line*)
Form or email reply MUST be received by 9/2 membership@tbtwantagh.org

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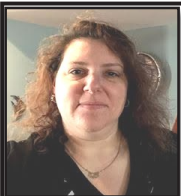


Earth Sustainability Tip Series:
Help Our Planet Every Month!



September Tip

Reduce junk mail by opting out of prescreened credit card offers!
This reduces a lot of paper waste, and makes getting your mail less of a hassle.



RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

WELCOME BACK! I am so excited for another school year. We've been hard at work planning and organizing. We've worked hard to craft another school year that allows us to continue to provide the best education possible. We've updated our Junior Congregation prayer books to make it easier for the students to learn and participate. We've redesigned our library and brought in a librarian. We're staffing our classes to make sure that our students learn in the best possible way. We're lucky that we have extra time this year so we can build up our High Holy Day Curriculum.

Some important dates to know:

September 8, 2024: First Day K-6. Mandatory Parent Orientation

September 9, 2024: First Day 7-12. Mandatory High School Orientation for Students and Parents

September 11, 2024: First Wednesday

If you haven't registered yet, there's still time! WWW.TBTWANTAGH.ORG/REGFORM

In addition to my role as Religious School Director, I am now working closely with the Lifelong Learning Committee to bring you programming that meets the needs of all ages. We'll have sessions with Rabbi and Cantor about High Holy Days and the current situation in Israel. We are looking to bring in speakers on Lifecycle events and Prayer and Practice. Be in touch if you want more information on how to suggest a topic or participate in our many options!

Looking forward to another successful school year!

-Sheryl

Temple B'nai Torah
A Reform Congregation

REGISTRATION FOR RELIGIOUS SCHOOL NOW OPEN

LARGE, GROWING RELIGIOUS SCHOOL IN A VIBRANT REFORM SYNAGOGUE ON THE SOUTH SHORE

TOT SHABBAT & MAZEL YEARS TOTS | **K-7TH GRADE** | **8TH-12TH HEBREW HIGH SCHOOL**

- ✓ Bar/Bat/Bet Mitzvah Prep
- ✓ Israel
- ✓ Bible Stories
- ✓ Art & Music
- ✓ Holocaust/Antisemitism

To Register:
www.tbttwantagh.org/regform

Classroom Teacher positions available
Songleaders and Art Teachers needed!

More Information: Sheryl Gordon, Religious School Director
sgordon@tbttwantagh.org
516-221-2370



**Temple B'nai Torah
Judaica Shop**

**Open every Sunday
for your Holiday needs!**

**Shop with us on
Sunday, September 8th
during the
Engagement Fair
And save 15% off
your entire purchase!**

**For more information and hours
contact Joni
at Lollipop@optonline.net**



Gun Violence Prevention Program

Sunday, September 15, 9:00-10:00 a.m.



Learn How to Keep Your Children and Grandchildren
Safe from Gun Violence

Join us for a special **Be SMART**
presentation by
MOMS DEMAND ACTION

Did you know that over 13 million households with children
contain at least one gun?

It is vital that those firearms are secured responsibly. Whether yours is one of those households, or your child/grandchild visits one of those households, it is important to be informed.

The **Be Smart** program aims to bring together parents, grandparents and all adults concerned about kids, guns and safety.

You will also learn about Red Flag laws which permit the temporary removal of firearms from a person who may present a danger to others or themselves, along with other legislation currently being discussed.

Be informed! Ask questions!
Share with others!
Open to congregants/friends/family

For info contact Janet Goldstein djagold@aol.com or
Rona Kauffman ronakauffman@yahoo.com

A big thank you to all our members who supported our used shoe drive and reached out to family, friends and colleagues, to make this fundraiser a success. We even exceeded our goal and raised \$1,200 for Temple. A special shout out to Jan Friedman who got her entire school involved and Phyllis Biernick who had the members of The Meadowbrook Women's Initiative contribute in large numbers.

This would not have been possible without the hard work of Laurie Kaminsky, Jayne Kromprier, and Nadine Salzman who helped me pair and bag over 2,500 pairs of shoes. Also the maintenance staff, Eileen and Sheryl who shlepped bags on collection day. They all really put their heart and "soles" into it. (see what I did there?).

We not only fundraised, but there were other benefits of keeping the shoes out of the landfill and aiding micro-industries in underdeveloped countries.

This project will continue in the future so please save your shoes going forward

Thank you, Ellen Kraut





PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

WOW! September already. Anyone who knows me knows that my happy place is near water – beach, pool, shower, so if I am not smiling it is because the beach cabana is closing this week. But that is only one thing that makes me happy. Another is my family. They are the best. Another is my Temple community. There are so many wonderful things that happen at Temple. And really fabulous people here. This makes me very happy and grateful.

So, I am into my second year as president of this congregation. A year ago, I was enthusiastic and anxious; now I am enthusiastic and calm. I am so happy for how things have been going. The Board of Trustees and members of the congregation have been working on developing and revising the framework under which we operate to better provide the religious, social, educational and other services to our members. We have reviewed the Constitution and passed amendments. There will be more discussions over constitutional changes that you, the congregants, have requested. We have adopted a code of ethics. The next phase will be implementing procedures to be associated with the rollout of the code.

The Temple has engaged a company to help us with our development and fundraising through a grant. There is a group of congregants working on this now. We are installing a new roof on the school wing. The housing committee has made a list of repairs that need to take place in the next five years. We will work to maintain this building through general repairs and capital improvements.

We have listened to our congregants and are in year two of a pilot program for young adults. If you know of anyone who would like to join this group, just let membership know. We have a buddy/mentor program for all new congregants.

We can't talk about this excellent community without discussing our valuable senior staff. Rabbi Bar-Nahum continues to lead inspiring services, teach educational classes, administer to our congregants in need and be there for our young people. Cantor's voice continues to mesmerize me. She is available to those that need guidance. And the choir, adult and junior, under her leadership, continue to share their melodious voices. Morah Sheryl has led the religious school with organization and skill. The curriculum has improved and she has incorporated classes and lessons that the children want to be here for. Eileen has kept the office and the building running with the myriad of items that must be taken care of.

As for myself, I hope that I have been here to answer your questions, listen to your thoughts and ideas, and facilitate all that goes on behind the scene. I would like to once again thank our recently honored past presidents, Les Kule, Lane Rubin, Joni Christie, Karen Friedlander, and Dee Greenberg, for all that you have done for TBT. It was terrific to celebrate you in June with the brunch in your honor.

In addition to reminding you to become involved, I also want to remind you to make a Kol Nidre pledge and to support our Temple fundraisers any way that you can. As has been repeatedly stated, our dues only cover less than half the expenses of running the Temple. Please give from the heart.

Question of the month: What is the best part of being President? I love being able to problem solve and help people. Sometimes when I get a simple thank you from someone, it brightens my day and makes everything better. Hopefully, my presidency will be filled with making a difference in someone's life with the small things.

L'Shanah Tova. From my family to yours, may you be inscribed for a good year. Health, happiness and prosperity to you all.

Amy Neidle

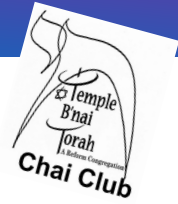


Mazel Tov & Best Wishes To:

- * Barbara Gouveia on the birth of her great grandson, Robert Kennedy & great granddaughter, Charlotte Kennedy!!
- * Ronni & Dante Fauci on the birth of their grandson, Weston Brooks!!
- * Lou & Heather Gottfried on the birth of their granddaughter Alice Olivia!!

The 2024 Membership Engagement Fair

Temple B'nai Torah



Want to get involved?
There is something for EVERYONE here!

Arms of the Temple

- Brotherhood
- Chai Club
- Circle of Friends
- PTA
- Sisterhood

Committees to Join

- Beautification / Housing
- Communications / Publicity
- Finance
- Fundraising
- Membership
- Religious Education
- Ritual
- Social Action
- Youth Activities

Pursue an Interest

- Choir
- Life-Long Learning
- TBT Musical Ensemble
- Theatre

Join us in the Temple Social Hall to Find Out More Sunday, September 8 – 10AM-12PM
Come enjoy a FREE breakfast at 10:00 am provided by our
TBT Brotherhood, Sisterhood, Chai Club and Circle of Friends!



Temple B'nai Torah Sisterhood is now accepting orders for ROSH HASHANAH FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS



Flowers provided by PETITE FLORIST

All questions, please call Ellie Dayton 516-785-0446.

All orders must be received no later than Tuesday, September 24, 2024.

There is a delivery charge of \$5 to: Bellmore, Merrick, Seaford and Wantagh.

For deliveries to other areas, please call for pricing.

Please make **check payable** to: Temple B'nai Torah Sisterhood

Mail to: Ellie Dayton, 3828 Miami Street, Seaford, NY 11783

Deliver to: Name _____ Address _____ Phone _____

(If Gift) Name & Phone # of Sender: _____

Size - Circle One:	Type - Circle One:	Delivery - Circle One:
Medium - \$45.00	Vase Basket	Wednesday, October 2, 2024 Thursday, October 3, 2024
Large - \$60.00	Vase Basket	Wednesday, October 2, 2024 Thursday, October 3, 2024





SISTERHOOD NEWS

The start of a new year is always exciting – hope springs eternal, all things are possible... My dream is a vibrant Sisterhood with activities, programs and education for all who are interested. Please join us this year for what is sure to be our best year yet. If you are a longtime member, we are glad to welcome you once again. If you are new to the Temple, please join us for a year of complimentary membership and see what we are all about. If you are a longtime Temple member and have never joined Sisterhood, or if you were a Sisterhood member in the past and have stepped away, you are the ones we really are hoping will join us this year.

This is not “your mother’s Sisterhood”. We are a group comprised of diverse ages, backgrounds and interests. We are warm and welcoming, and all members have a voice. We schedule our activities flexibly, to account for the variety of schedules that people have. We have exciting plans this year and want everyone to be part of them.

We do educational programs, active programs and crafts. We have a social action committee with our own special projects, though always supportive of Temple social action projects as well. We have a Book Club. We do our own Fundraising, to be able to support the Temple in a meaningful, financial manner. And yes, we do food – we offer catering services, we sell food at Bingo, we prepare festival luncheons, and we provide the lovely Oneg after every service.

We can always use more help and we are always looking for new and fun ideas for programs and activities. Surely something mentioned above sounds good to you! So, what are you waiting for?? Join Sisterhood today and help make my dream come true!

From my family to yours, all the best for a sweet and healthy 5785!

See you around the Temple,
Helaine



23-24 FUNDRAISING SUCCESS!

By Ronni Fauci, Joyce Rappaport, Stephanie Gwerner, 23-24 Fundraising Committee

We are proud to announce that the Fundraising Committee enjoyed another successful year and contributed \$107,304.42 to the Temple's day-to-day operating costs. These funds help pay for the Temple's expenses and overhead costs, develop educational programs, and make improvements that will benefit the future of our Temple and its members. Monies brought in from our Fundraising events also help our Board keep our dues as manageable as possible.

We are very pleased to report the results of our fundraisers from the past fiscal year.

FINAL NUMBERS FOR 2023-24 YEAR



Kol Nidre -	\$ 46,393.82
Book of Remembrance -	\$ 14,418.43
New Years Cards -	\$ 2,577.93
Honey Fund -	\$ 6,820.38
Square Dance -	\$ 1,724.18
River of Dreams -	\$ 6,262.33
Cash Calendar -	\$ 3,600.00
Decades Dance -	\$ 12,216.75
Junior Players and Musical (Annie) -	\$ 9,000.00
Golf Outing -	\$ 3,135.00
Shoe Collection Fundraiser	\$ 1,155.60
Grand Total	<u>\$107,304.42</u>

The Fundraising Committee would like to thank everyone who participated in our fundraisers and made this year so successful. We sincerely hope you will help us make 24-25 successful as well.

The success of our Temple depends on all of us.



Production of

PETER PAN JR.

AUDITIONS!!!

Temple B'nai Torah and the TBT Junior Players are proud to invite all of our young friends ages 6-18 to join us and audition for Peter Pan Jr!

AUDITIONS!!!	Sunday, Sept 8	11:30am – 2:00pm
	Monday, Sept 9	5:30pm – 9:00pm

CALL BACKS!!! Wednesday, Sept 11 **5:30pm – 9:00pm**

Tryout for any characters including ...

Peter Pan, Captain Hook, Tinkerbell, and more!

Lots of singing and dancing ensemble roles!

3 PERFORMANCES IN DECEMBER!!!

EVERYONE GETS A ROLE!!!

Email: TBTJuniorplayers@tbtwantagh.org

Join the Facebook Group: New TBT Jr Players

Participation Fee: \$75 per family



**THE HIGH HOLY DAYS ARE
COMING SOON**

**Be on the lookout for your Kol
Nidre mailing.**

**We look forward to seeing you at
Temple and wish you a sweet New
Year.**

The Fundraising Committee



*happy
Rosh Hashanah*

*Honey Pickup
Dates and Times*

Sunday, 9/15 from 9:30am–12:00pm

Wednesday, 9/18 from 3:00pm–5:00pm

Monday, 9/23 from 6:00pm–8:30pm

Unsure if you received honey? Reach out
to Ilene Hellman at ilenetbt@gmail.com



BROTHERHOOD NEWS

Hi!

I am your new Brotherhood President. I served as Men's Club President at Temple Emanu-EL for two years a few years ago. So, this is my third year in this position. I want to thank my wife, Barbara for allowing me to share my time with my Brotherhood members this year.

I see the coming year as a transitional year for Brotherhood. While we will continue to support events that our current membership enjoys, we plan to have new, family-oriented events, coordinated with our partner arms of the Temple. Please join Brotherhood to get on our email list to get in on our upcoming activities!

One of the first of these new events was our summer picnic and BBQ after the Temple softball game at Cow Meadow Park on July 7. Everyone who attended with their family had fun and an excellent BBQ (cooked to perfection by Anony Baroukh), after watching our Temple softball team in action.

I want Brotherhood to play a stronger role in supporting Temple through our events. I welcome the advice and support of our incoming Brotherhood Board of Trustees, our Officers, and our membership in guiding us.

We will be a "greener" organization this year – reducing the amount of plastic waste by replacing plastic utensils with good old washable place settings.

We will continue to have Congregation breakfasts. I invite everyone to join us for a delicious breakfast prepared by Brotherhood members. Check the Temple calendar for the dates of our breakfasts.

We will also be having periodic Brotherhood dinners for our membership. Twice a year, the dinner will also serve as our full membership meeting.

I want to thank Eric Altman for three years of service as President of Brotherhood. I also want to thank my Executive Vice President, Anony Baroukh, along with the entire Officers and Trustees of Brotherhood. I also want to congratulate Mark Chasen – our 2024 Brotherhood Man of the Year.

I know that this will be a great year to be a member of Brotherhood!

Happy New Year!

-Vic Wurtzel



CIRCLE OF FRIENDS

Joni & I hope everyone had a wonderful Summer with family and friends. We had our board BBQ at Joni's house -loads of fun. The Polo event was a blast. Our new board has lots planned for the new year; Military Bridge, Axe Throwing, Hanukkah Party, Game Night, Zoom events, Ballroom Dance Lessons, Escape Room, Membership Dinner, Gardening Tips (with Richard Tepper) and Tea Party in the Temple Garden. We look forward to everyone from all ages, couples or singles, all are welcome to join Circle of Friends!!!

Hope to see you at the membership engagement fair on September 8th,
The flyer is out for Military bridge on September 21st.

All our prayers, that the hostages get released.
Esther and Joni





2900 Jerusalem Ave,
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516-221-2370

Selichot Services

Selichot prayers call out to God for forgiveness. Traditionally, they are held on the Saturday evening before Rosh Hashanah to give people a chance to reflect on the changes of behavior they wish to make. The service is held late in the evening when, it is said, the heavens are especially open for God to hear our prayers most clearly.

Saturday, September 28, 2024

7 p.m. - Dairy Dinner

8 p.m. - Learning

Israel: On Our Lips and In Our Hearts

9 p.m. - Havdalah and Selichot Service

The Selichot Dairy Dinner is FREE for members and prospective members.

Questions or concerns about dietary issues can be sent to Nadine, membership@tbtwantagh.org.

Please return the completed form by September 15th.

RSVP Required for Dinner ONLY

Name _____

Phone # _____

Email address _____

of people at Dinner _____



YOUTH GROUP

Shalom from Youth Group! Happy almost Fall! I hope everyone had a great summer. I am looking forward to another amazing year of BNTY, BNTY Jr and MNTY. We have great meetings planned, fun events and many surprises ahead.

First a little closure from the 2023 – 2024 year. We ended with an amazing day at Adventureland. Twenty-five members and chaperones had the park pretty much to ourselves. We got to go on all the rides and sample many of the foods. It was a great day.

I also want to congratulate Alec Spar and Mandy Krauss on their winning of the Harvey Beller Senior award and the Bishop Youth Group award respectively. These awards were well deserved.

Our Executive board for the 2024 – 2025 is: President, Maddie Rothstein; Programming Vice President, Sam Brown; Religious and Cultural Vice President, Elias Katz; Social Action Vice President, Jamie Klein; Membership Vice President, Rose Fioribello; Treasurer, Levi Schulyer and Secretary, Marissa Plavin. I cannot wait to work with such an amazing group of teens!

Many of our meetings are already on the calendar. Watch your email for information on all meetings and events. Hope to see all 5th – 12th graders at a meeting soon!

Sincerely,
Mark Derwin Youth Director



CHAI CLUB NEWS

The summer months allow the Chai Club to recharge our energy and lead us into the High Holy Days to further lift our spirits.

Chai Club members had a busy summer. The Chai Board closed out the year in June with an end of year luncheon at Wantagh Inn. In July, we had a joint program with Circle of Friends at beautiful Wantagh Park where we enjoyed a delicious picnic. The day was bright and sunny - not too hot – and everyone enjoyed the afternoon.

At the end of August, we had an open house incorporating our first program of the year: Trivia with Diane Schoenberg as our host, MC and all-around expert on trivial knowledge. She is always enlightening and makes the evening enjoyable.

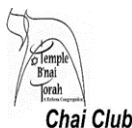
We will have our September program on Monday, September 30. Please look for the flyer. The paid-up Membership Dinner will be in October; see the details next month.

We hope you fill out the Chai Club membership form and send it back with an \$18 check, per person. If you are a new member of TBT and 50 years of age or “better”, your membership is free for the first year.

We look forward to welcoming you to another successful year of camaraderie.

Best wishes for a Happy and Healthy New Year. L'Shanah Tovah, from the Cernese family. We wish you a season of new beginnings and reflection.

Sharon and Ben Cernese
Co-Presidents





Chai Club Foods of New York

Monday, September 30, 2024 at 7:00 p.m.



New York is synonymous with food! Have you ever wondered about how potato chips were created; how Nathan's hot dogs became an American staple; why pizza is red, white and green; how immigrants preserved their foods without refrigeration; and the origins of many of flavorful foods we eat today that were brought from all over the world? This presentation will answer these questions and many others. Whether or not you are a "foodie," you will enjoy this look back at New York's food history. This **in-house** program will be led by Art & Sue Zuckerman, who have appeared on the History and Travel channels.

We will also celebrate September birthdays.

Drinks, snacks, and desserts will be served.

RSVP by September 25 to Jay Schoenberg at (516) 476-0989 or Email to jaydiane@yahoo.com

Temple B'nai Torah, 2900 Jerusalem Ave, Wantagh, NY 11793



**Joint Chai Club & Circle of Friends
Picnic - June 18, 2024**



PTA UPDATES

Welcome back to shul! We are so excited to be your new PTA presidents and we have a lot in store for the children of our religious school this school year! Last year the High Holy Days came upon us fast, but this year we have some time to get into the groove in September! On the first day of religious school, we are excited to provide each student with a Philly Pretzel and will be at the Engagement Fair and Brotherhood Breakfast schmoozing with all the parents!

Some of the highlights of our upcoming activity schedule: providing apples & honey to all students during their religious school times (Sunday and Monday) leading up to Rosh Hashanah and our annual event, "Sleepwear in the Sukkah" for grades K-4 on October 19th- join us for pizza, Havdalah service and fun in the Sukkah all while wearing our PJ's. We will have a similar event for grades 5-12th in January 2025.

Last summer, the PTA funded half the classrooms (9 classrooms) with the new dry erase boards, removing the old chalk boards and supplying paint supplies to brighten up the rooms. With your continued support, we plan to have all the classrooms done by summer 2025, if not sooner. PTA year is filled with exciting, fun, and enriching activities, from providing Rosh Hashanah apples and honey to the students, to our annual Chanukah Brunch and Family Bingo activities, to our fabulous spring programs and many things in between. TBT PTA supports and enriches the education of all of the Religious School students. I strongly encourage you to (re)join us officially, with a Family or Sustaining membership of just \$18. That bit of money is the key to allowing us to fund our activities and support the Religious School in many ways—including providing items and equipment not in its budget. On Sunday, September 8, 2024 at 9 AM there will be a parent orientation in the sanctuary, followed by the Brotherhood Breakfast (free for all!) & Engagement Fair in the Social Hall. Be sure to stop by the PTA table to hear more about the exciting plans we have for the school year and how you can get involved! Membership forms will be handed out that day and we are excited to add a Zelle payment option this year, which is the easiest way to become a member right away!

Looking forward to a great year!

Jessica Katz

Wendy Shatz, Co-Presidents TBT-PTA



Brotherhood Softball and BBQ July 2024



Congratulations to the TBT Brotherhood Softball Team! Their 6th season has been their most successful, making it far into the playoff season!

**Bravo to the entire team and kudos to Team Captains
Gregg Wallis & Jason Zim!**



Join Lifelong Learning for

Sunday Mornings with Rabbi Bar-Nahum "Ask Me Anything"

Sunday, September 15, 2024
10:00 am in the Kiddush Lounge

Have you ever wondered why we do things the way we do them at the High Holy Days? Have you ever been curious as to where a custom or tradition comes from? Do you have a question about why something happens or doesn't in the span between Elul and Simchat Torah?

In this one-session Ask Me Anything, Rabbi Bar-Nahum will answer all your pressing (and even not so pressing) High Holy Day questions.



TBT SISTERHOOD PROGRAM BUNKO

TUESDAY, October 29, 2024 from 7- 9 PM



Like to play games???

We have the perfect night of fun for you...

Please join us for our most requested program as we play **BUNKO**.

If you have never played before – have no fear, you will be up and running in no time.

All Temple members are welcome...

No charge for Temple members
Nominal \$5 charge for non-members

Please RSVP by September 25th by email, or call for further information.

Ronni Fauci 516-650-1508 or rfauci@gmail.com

Joyce Rappaport 516-532-8488 or joycerappaport13@gmail.com

We look forward to seeing you and enjoying a fun and relaxing evening together.





Social Action/Social Justice Committee

The Social Action/Social Justice Committee hopes you all had a restful and restorative summer! We have been working on a variety of programs for the coming year and hope you will join as many as you can.

Our **School Supplies Collection** once again allowed students in need to start school confident and prepared for their classes and homework assignments. Items collected were distributed to Choice for All in Roosevelt, local school pantries and the INN.

We are hosting a **Gun Violence Prevention Program** presented by Mom's Demand Action on September 15. This program is important for parents, grandparents and anyone concerned about children's safety. See flier for details.

On September 29, TBT is hosting a **Reverse Tashlich Beach Clean Up**. During a regular Tashlich service we cast our sins into the water. A Reverse Tashlich asks us to *remove* our sins *from* the waterways, by clearing the area of plastics and other discarded items that are harmful to wildlife. Join us and be part of Repair the Sea's 7th annual International Jewish Waterfront Clean-up. See flier for details.

We are also beginning TBT's annual **High Holy Day Food Drive** on behalf of Island Harvest and Mazon: A Jewish Response to Hunger. Please pick up and fill one of the grocery bags we will provide and return it when you come to TBT for services (see flyer for details.) Remember that after the High Holy Day drive is over, we suggest you consider bringing a non-perishable food item whenever you come to TBT. These donations help local pantries, including the kosher pantry at Congregation Beth Ohr.

Our **Garden** Volunteers and AHRC Crew have worked hard to keep our crops healthy, our garden beautiful and our harvests strong. At this writing, we have already grown over 500 lbs. of food this season and with the additional items gleaned from congregant gardeners and local farms, we have donated over 1000 lbs. We also continue to provide floral arrangements to congregants through our Mitzvah Makers/Garden at TBT partnership with the aim of bringing cheer and connection to those who may need it.

Please let Rabbi Bar-Nahum know, if due to financial difficulties, you are in need of fresh produce. All information is kept strictly confidential and you will be able to receive periodic deliveries of harvested items.

We are continuing our partnership with PTA and Religious Ed. to bring information and programs about antisemitism, and ways to respond to it to TBT via ADL's **Kulanu** program.

We are happy to report that TBT continues to take steps to see that procedures, infrastructure and instruction reflect its **Climate Action Plan** goals.

We always welcome new members! For information about the Social Action/Social Justice Committee or any of our projects, contact Rona Kauffman at ronakauffman@yahoo.com, Jason Newman at jaynew4@gmail.com or Jayne Kromprier at turtle54@msn.com

Our next meeting will be on **Sept. 25 at 7:00 p.m. (on ZOOM)**

The Garden at TBT



Volunteers hard at work



Reverse Tashlich







JOIN US TO CLEAN THE BEACH AND SAVE THE ENVIRONMENT!

During a Tashlich Service, we cast our "sins" into a body of water. In Reverse Tashlich, we do the opposite, and remove human "sins" (plastic and other debris) from the water.

Last year, with Repair the Seas, 300 teams in 23 countries removed debris from their local waterways.



Click on the QR Code on the right to register or use the website below.

 **September 29, 2024**

 **Jones Beach Field 10**

 **1:00 pm – 3:00 pm**

 **bit.ly/ReverseTashlich24 to register**

Children, while welcome, must be accompanied by an adult at all times.

Contact Rona Kauffman and Carol Drucker – socialaction@tbtwantagh.org
2900 Jerusalem Avenue, Wantagh, NY www.tbtwantagh.org 516-221-2370


Circle of Friends - Paint and Sip

June 17, 2024










HIGH HOLY DAY FOOD DRIVE


Sept 28 - Oct 23, 2024

FOOD PANTRIES ON LONG ISLAND STILL NEED OUR HELP




Each year we do what we can to fulfill the mitzvah of **“Feeding the Hungry”**
Paper bags to fill, as well as envelopes for monetary donations will be provided during ticket/prayer book/honey pick up and at services

Bring your donations of non-perishable food items, including canned proteins and baby foods, anytime you come to TBT during the High Holy Days or when you drop off your High Holy Day prayer books). Please, no glass jars.



Food items collected will be donated to **Island Harvest.**

Monetary donations can be sent to **Mazon**



For further information or questions, contact Jason Newman at jaynew4@gmail.com
Or Rona Kauffman - ronakauffman@yahoo.com

*We are also exploring more opportunities to support local pantries year round.
Please let us know if your school runs a food pantry.*

SPECIAL FUNDS AND DONATIONS

The giving of Tzedakah for a birth, birthday, Bet Mitzvah, wedding, anniversary, or death is part of our heritage. Your generosity provides for Temple B'nai Torah to sustain programs for our members. An inscribed card is mailed to the person named, acknowledging your gift. We thank you for your donation.

For either the *Rabbi's Discretionary Fund* or *Cantor's Discretionary Fund*, *Capital Fund* or *Endowment Funds*, please make your check payable to the fund; for all other fund donations, please make your check payable to TEMPLE B'NAI TORAH, 2900 Jerusalem Avenue, Wantagh, NY 11793-2025.

Below is an up-to-date list of temple funds:

Adult Education Fund/

Lifelong Learning

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Social Action/Social Justice Rosenheck

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Please call the Temple office (516-221-2370) with any questions.

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**DO YOU WANT TO SHARE THAT
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**SIGN UP TO BE A
TBT B'NAI BUDDY!**

"How much time will this require?", you might ask...
As much or as little as you'd like!

Call to introduce yourself to your B'nai Buddy (a new member) and then periodically remind your buddy when different events are happening at the temple that they might be interested in attending. Reach out occasionally to check in and see how your buddy's first year is going.

**CONTACT THE
MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE
FOR INFO AND TO SIGN UP!**

Membership@temple-bnai-torah.org


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**Have you heard about
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- ♦ Social programming
- ♦ Low annual temple dues

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Contact our Membership Committee,
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for more information

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MAY			JULY			JUNE		
5/4	905	Cindy Talisman	7/1	818	Jackie Wasserstein	6/3	706	Ilene Russo
5/7	369	Mindy Cohen	7/11	519	Ali Mainhart	6/4	924	Karen Friedlander
5/12	135	Amy Weiner		519	Beth Levin	6/9	326	Joyce Rappaport
	135	Stan Friedman	7/14	317	Anony Baroukh		326	Sheryl Gordon
	135	Barry Block		317	Bonnie Moravcik	6/13	220	Micky Alterman
5/15	699	Jayne Kromprier	7/18	816	Barry Block		220	Barry Block
5/20	506	Jennifer & Rob Rubinstein	7/19	308	Derek Mainhart	6/17	418	Cindy Talisman
5/20	506	Stuart Suckle	7/28	111	Mindy Cohen		418	Susan & David Rifkind
5/22	137	Warren Vanderwater		111	Steve Block	6/26	128	Judy Kule
5/25	79	Neil Zuckerman	7/29	171	Sharon Schubach		128	Jordan & Natalie Leeds
			7/31	716	Stan Brosowsky			
				716	Joni Christie			

The following is a list of the children who will be celebrating their Bar/Bat/Bet Mitzvah **September 21, 2024** through **December 30, 2024**. Circle the names of those to whom you would like to send congratulations, and PRINT your name and SHORT sentiment as you want it to appear on the Uniongrams. Please return the list promptly with **\$1.25** for each Uniongram made payable to:
TEMPLE B'NAI TORAH SISTERHOOD and **MAIL** to **Marlyn Appelt, Temple B'nai Torah 2900 Jerusalem Ave. Wantagh, N.Y. 11793** at least 2 weeks prior to the event.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>CHILD'S NAME</u>	<u>PARENTS</u>
Sept. 21	Juliana Manashirov	Maya
Oct. 26	Brandon Ays George Ays	George & Jessica George & Jessica
Nov. 2	Raymond Feldman	Michael & Christine
Nov. 9	Kylie Levine	Joshua & Ashley
Nov. 16	Leah Mc Gee	Damian & Dava
Dec. 7	Adam Brandoff	Rick & Lisa
Dec. 14	Seth Rand	Suzanne

_____ Uniongrams @ 1.25each _____

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JOIN US IN WISHING A HAPPY OCTOBER BIRTHDAY TO:

Bernie Deutsch	Leann Staines	Richard Swartz	Alisa Baroukh	Jay Fund
Marshall Kopelman	Barry Block	Gail Levine	Dava McGee	Noam Bonkowski
Sanford Siegel	Judith Horowitz	Sandy Dabrusin	Jeff Finkel	Laurie Zuckerman
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Jason Zim	Eric Altman	Jed Levine	Zane Hellman	Helene Goodman
Steven Himmelstein	Chad Summers	Alex Kushnir	Sandy Spielberg	Shana Weber
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Michael Heit	Harvey Feder	Allison Friedman	Riva Meyer	Edith Naps
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Marty Drucker	Lori Freeman	Bonnie Cataldo	Andrea Baron	Shari Kantor
Rachel Minkowsky	Joyce Rappaport	Glenn Rosen	Kathy K. Maus	Rachel Fullerton

JOIN US IN WISHING A HAPPY OCTOBER ANNIVERSARY TO:

Elina and Gregg Wallis	Stephanie and Derick Giwner	Karen and Phil Liebovitz
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Caryn and Stuart Suckle	Amie and Jeremy Gorman	Jo-Ann and Lloyd Portnoy
Jodi and Russell Luce	Gail and Perry Calo	

To send your wishes, circle the names of those you wish to send a uniongram. Please sign greeting as you would like it to appear. Leave list in the temple office box designated **"UNIONGRAMS"**, or mail to: Ellice Toscano @ 3655 Woodbine Avenue, Wantagh, NY 11793. Make check payable to: **TBT SISTERHOOD**.

ALL LISTS MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN AUGUST 20TH, OR REQUEST CANNOT BE PROCESSED.

Number of Uniongrams @ \$1.25 each _____

Sign as: _____



Zionism: Not a Dirty Word

A 5 session Course with Rabbi Bar-Nahum

Sundays, 10:00 am – 11:30 am

November 3, 17, 24, December 8, 15

In the aftermath of the October 7 attacks, Zionism has been misunderstood, misrepresented, and attacked. In this course, we will seek to remind ourselves of the origins of Zionism in Jewish thought and prayer beginning in the year 70 and until the 19th Century.

Then we will turn our attention to the early Zionist thinkers, learning who they were, what inspired them, and how their influences spread. Together, we'll explore how today's Israel compares to the varied Zionists' visions. We will also examine how Zionism has been the target of attacks, beginning well before October 7, and how Jews in America might best respond. No experience necessary, all texts will be studied in English.



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Please contact the Lifelong Learning Committee

lifelonglearning@tbtwantagh.org,

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In memory of:

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Barbara Litwin from Joyce Zimmerman

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In appreciation of:

Rabbi's service at the funeral for Gerson Sabel from the Sabel & Yorek Families

Rabbi's service at the funeral of Gary Wasserstein from the Wasserstein Family

Rabbi's support for Autumn Asness from Manny Kay & Leslie Ashinoff

Rabbi's service at the funeral of Paul Rosen from The Rosen Family

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Julia Pierre-Louis's immersion & Beit Din

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In honor of:

Elijah Baroukh becoming a Bar Mitzvah from The Baroukh Family

Alec Spar graduating from High School from The Spar Family

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In appreciation of:

Cantor's support & in memory of Gary Wasserstein from Jacqueline Wasserstein

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In appreciation of:

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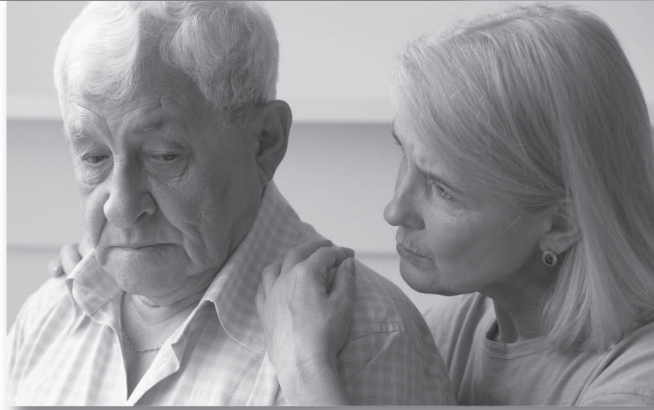
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