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Mazel Tov to:

Colleen and Ira Dubin on their 35th wedding anniversary

Sharon and Dan Meyer on their 34th wedding anniversary

Susan and Zvi Tannenbaum on the birth of their grandson, Joshua Dennis Kreisler

Max Tannenbaum on the birth of his great grandson, Joshua Dennis Kreisler

Gita Fajerstein on the birth of her great grandson

Elaine Loseff on the marriage of her granddaughter Elizabeth Lavin and Aaron Levine

Dolly Moline on the birth of her great grandson

Sheila Gerber on her birthday

Ellen Kaufman and Jeff Roth on their 30th wedding anniversary

Marilyn and Gary Rubin on their 41st wedding anniversary

Etta and Frank Greenfield on their 55th wedding anniversary

Lisa and Matt Rothenberg on their 4th wedding anniversary

Esther and Dave Galantowicz on their 20th wedding anniversary

Jill and Sam Neusner on the marriage of Sam's sister, Margalit

Trude Schnitzer on her 91st birthday.

Michael Ross on his daughter Emily becoming a Bat Mitzvah

Carole and Don Babendir on the birth of their two new great grandchildren born just weeks apart: Yoel Roth and Noah Caleb Babendir

Trude Schnitzer on her 91st birthday

Ellen Brull and Eli Lavie on the birth of their granddaughter, Maya Hadassah Lavie

Cheryl Balaban and Zoe's aunts, Beth Balaban and Susan Balaban on the engagement of Cheryl's daughter, Zoe and Michael Annunziata

Sashie Kraff on the marriage of her grandson, Noah to Sophie

Jackie Ernest on the marriage of her daughter Chessa to Paul Buttita

Bev Reinglass on her birthday

Larry Gerber on his birthday

Marla and Steve Krause on the engagement of their son Daniel to Kathleen Keene

Barbara and Joel Dolin on the marriage of their daughter, Marissa and Herschel Harris

Leah Novak on her daughter, Sarah Novak's Bat Mitzvah

Gail and Jerry Swerdlik on their great niece Sarah Novak's Bat Mitzvah

Deborah Silver-Fagel and Jeffrey Fagel on their son Jay's Bar Mitzvah

Adrienne and Jeffrey Krizelman on their 50th wedding anniversary on November 21

Condolences to:

Lane Rubinstein and Cynthia Lerner on the passing of Lane's sister in Israel, Esther Nadborny

Lisa and Lee Bloom on the passing of Lisa's mother, Minnie "Minn" Lecker

Marcia and Marshall Dolnick on the passing of Marshall's brother, Alfred Dolnick

Andrea and Jeffrey Meltzer on the passing of Jeffrey's mother, Rita Kissel Meltzer

Rozelle Langer on the passing of her husband, Harlan

Marilyn Sprung on the passing of her husband, Aron

Michele and Joel Melnick on the passing of Joel's father, Morey Melnick

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Dear BHBE Community:

I have always enjoyed the month of December. It has always provided a bit of a slow-down from my kids' busy school schedules and activities, my husband's many nighttime events, and then, of course, there is Hanukkah and

all its at-home customs and pageantry.

My childhood home was adorned with decorations and we, as I am sure many of you, had our rituals. As each evening approached, we would always have dinner first, then light three menorahs—my brother and I would each light our own—and then Kevin and I would sprint to the fireplace downstairs where presents sat for us to shake, sort through and open. How blessed we were, and how blessed I am to have these amazing memories and to create new ones for my children. Phil and I kept my parents' fireplace ritual and decorate ours yearly with the childhood creations of our now three teenagers. From preschool Hanukkah cards and stained glass paper dreidels, to hand-tracings made into menorahs, I tape them to the mantle and down the sides. They are the perfect bridge to years past when my wide-eyed children also begged to open gifts before dinner.

We have also, throughout the years, reminded our children that getting begets giving. We have participated in Adopt-A-Family programs, for example, so they can understand the significance of helping others. If you and your family are looking for such a cause, there are several to choose from including Rush University Medical Center's Adopt-A-Family Program 2020

(<https://www.rush.edu/about-us/rush-community/office-community-health-equity-and-engagement/adopt-family-program-20200>), and Lurie Children's Hospital toy and gift donation program (<https://www.luriechildrens.org/en/ways-to-help/Ways-to-Give/toy-gift-donations/>).

As I write this in late October, however, with headlines blaring that we are entering, perhaps, the darkest days of the pandemic, it is hard to juxtapose this news with the Festival of Lights, but this is just what we need. In addition to giving tzedakah to others, I have also come across some wonderful new ways that we can both celebrate and reflect on our current public health crisis.

One that I particularly love is using each candle to represent a theme or reflection point, perhaps of this past year. You and your family can come up with these together. Perhaps, the first night is dedicated to ending anti-semitism; the second to eradicating famine; the third to Black Lives Matter, and so on. Celebrate your chosen theme each night with an additional reading, a service project, reflections, a discussion. In short, turn the beautiful lights of our menorahs in action.

May the lights of Hanukkah unite us with our loved ones everywhere and lead us to brighter days ahead.

Chag Sameach,

Keri





A number of Midrashic and Talmudic interpretations tell us a story of Adam, the first man who shortly after he was created began to be afraid of darkness. It is said that this fear gripped Adam as he was observing the days getting shorter and the nights getting longer.

At some point even the moon in the sky was not seen at night and the day's light was also dim. Adam was even more afraid then but with God's help he made his own light and lit the dark night with it. After he did that, Adam's fear was gone and he was content.

This metaphorical interpretation has a very physical connection to both the solar and the lunar calendars and the ongoing cycles of the sun and the moon. According to the solar calendar, December 21 marks the winter solstice, the shortest day and the longest night of the year. Hanukkah that begins on the 25th of the Hebrew month of Kislev, brings us to the darkest night of the year with the moon not being visible at night towards the end of the month. It is thought what Adam has observed might have been the manifestation of the lunar cycle and the darkness-the end of a Jewish month shortly before the new moon.

Darkness is something that we as humans are often afraid of. Things are not clear to us in the dark. We feel vulnerable and not in control of our environment especially when we experience darkness in unfamiliar settings or in nature. Our immediate response to darkness is to find light and to light the way to regain sense of visibility and control. Physically and emotionally we are wired to do just that. Likewise, we are innately drawn to the concepts and ideas that take us out of the gloomy places in our souls and give us spiritual light and emotional uplift. We especially seek light at the times of darkness because it is exactly in those times that we feel the most urgent need to have it.

Hanukkah combines the wisdom of the Jewish calendar and the story of miracle and redemption where the miracle of light is a focal point. While the seasonal features of Kislev frame our Hanukkah celebrations in the way in which we transition from darkness to light, the story of Hanukkah makes the same transition much more pointing and complete.

This year, as we approach the Hanukkah season, our yearning for light is particularly strong for we find ourselves in the middle of the deadly pandemic and all the gloom and doom that it represents. Just like Adam before us we too are afraid of the darkness that seems to envelope our world. And just like the Maccabees, we hope for the miracles while fighting our way through the unknown.

And yet, it is particularly in these times that we must believe that we can dispel the darkness and light the candles of hope through our faith and our collective efforts for the brighter tomorrow. While we may not be in control of the universe around us we can still do our part to pave the way for God's miracles to come. To quote a Great Maharal, "Man should create light when God's light has dimmed."

So as we find ourselves in these challenging times and as we approach the holiday of Hanukkah we need to remember that even in darkness there is light. We also need to remember that even in the darkest of times the miracles can still take place as they did for those who came before us. And that is why we continue to hope and pray and also to work hard for the better tomorrow.

May a new light shine upon Zion and may we all swiftly merit its radiance. Amen

Cantor Pavel Roytman

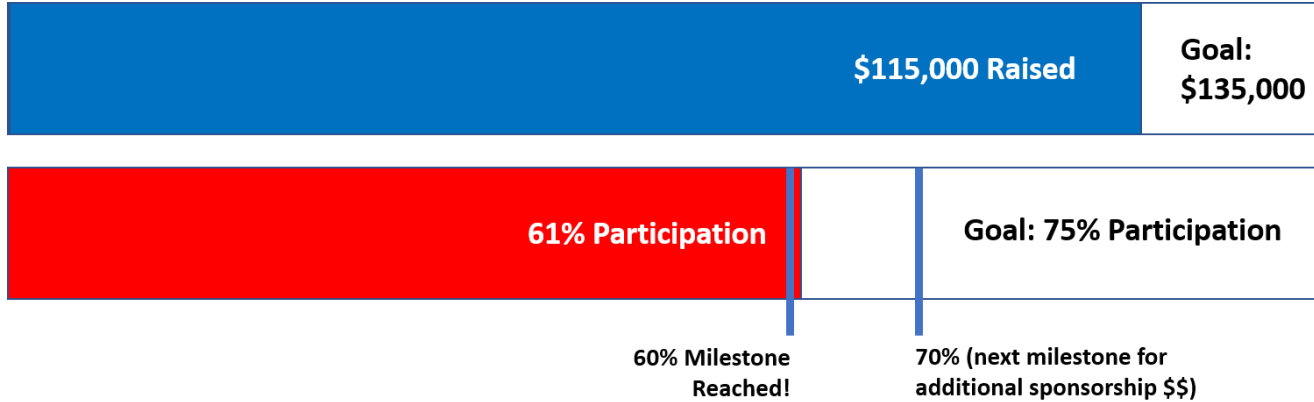


Happy Hanukkah
Let the light shine
bright

High Holiday Appeal 5781: Help BHBE Reach Our Goals

We are coming near the end of our 5781 High Holiday Appeal, but we need more donations to achieve both our dollar and participation goals.

Generous sponsors have agreed to donate additional funds once we hit milestones of 60%, 70%, and 75% participation rates. We hit 60%, and 70% is not out of reach **if you help**. Your donation – at any level – will generate even more donations.



Donations may be mailed to the office or made here: <https://www.bhbe.org/payment.php>
If you have questions/comments, please email alanbhbe@gmail.com.

Sanctuary Cutouts: Pray Virtually In Person

We can't all attend services in-person, but we can do the next best thing! Buy a personalized cutout of yourself, your family, and your friends. We have placed our first set of cutouts in the sanctuary and you can join them. You can even sit with those who live across the country, or across the globe. Order now. Order often. Order for others. Cutouts are \$40 each, or five for \$180. To place your order go to: <https://www.bhbe.org/form/cutouts.html>

Questions? Email Alan Littmann at alanbhbe@gmail.com.



In these challenging and anxious times, we miss our normal routines and ordinary interactions. We crave the connectedness we took for granted before the pandemic. We need community now more than ever before.

Although it was sad and disorienting not to be together for the High Holidays – praying in the sanctuary, chatting in the hallways, hearing the laughter of young children as they chase each other throughout the building -- the hard work of our clergy, lay leadership, and staff to produce high-quality streaming services clearly paid off. There was something magical about hearing Cantor Roytman's transcendent voice fill the rooms of our house. For my family, it brought a new kind of depth and meaning to the holidays, as I know it did for so many others. Indeed, we have heard from so many people – congregants and not-yet-congregants who attended live – who felt the same power of prayer and community despite not being together in person.

During these difficult times, it has been inspiring to see the solidarity and collective commitment of the BHBE community. Our members have stepped up in a big way. The overwhelming majority of members have recommitted to being members for the current year. The participation rate for the High Holiday appeal continues to rise (if you have not already, please do contribute whatever you can to push our participation number even higher)! Sisterhood and Men's Club have planned exciting new programming and other opportunities to strengthen our community. Weekly services continue to be well attended, despite being mostly virtual. Myriad simchat and Bnai Mitzvot lie ahead.

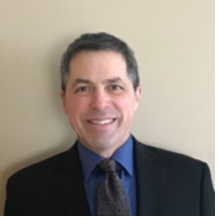
Thanks to a generous, anonymous donation by a family in our congregation, we were able to establish a new member incentive program to recruit and support new families with children in grades K and 1 to enroll in the Academy and become full members. In addition to bringing into our community a number of wonderful young families, this program has resulted in a large, robust first-year class, which portends well for the future. New friendships are forming and community engagement is deepening as we speak. The incentive program will continue to help grow our community in 2021, with details on future plans to come.

The generous donation has also enabled us to begin overhauling our website -- a much needed upgrade that will allow us to present a more modern, user-friendly experience for all visitors. This will be critical both for new member recruitment and for existing members to be able to navigate our abundant programming and access other resources remotely.

So, the state of our membership is strong. Thank you to each and every one of you for all that you have done to support BHBE during the pandemic. Of course, it will take ongoing effort from all of us to maintain the vibrancy of our community during the shorter, colder days of winter. Let's continue to make our shul a source of joy and connection for all of us, even if we must do it over Zoom!

Dan Galvin, VP of Membership





I hope that you and your family and friends are staying healthy and safe this season. This year certainly has presented us with many challenges and I am confident that we will get through this!

I look forward to the day we can be back together again at BHBE! I cannot thank each of you enough for your ongoing support of BHBE, our clergy and staff.

I'm often asked about staying connected with and supporting BHBE during these turbulent times. Here are many ways to stay connected and be supportive. As always, please reach out to me with any ideas or questions you may have. I'm excited to hear from each of you!

Be sure to watch for these exciting ways to stay connected!

- * Join us for our twice-daily minyanim on Zoom!
- * Participate in services at home via our online stream! Read our Thursday "BHBE News" email. This has lots of great information about what's going on at BHBE!
- * Watch for our early morning daily emails with links to programs for the day.

Go to our website (www.bhbe.org), hover over "About Us" and select "Calendar" - here you'll find different events and programs that might interest you.

- * Come to our weekly Town Hall (via Zoom,) Wednesdays at 7:30pm ("doors open" at 7:15 to say hi to each other.)
- * Watch for our "drive-by" pick up dates! We'll be offering different things to stop by and pick up, including fabulous Friday night and other meals. You can even just drive by to wave and say hi from a distance!
- * Support our many programs, including:
 - *The Legacy Program
 - *Our "cutout" program - have a cutout of yourself placed in the sanctuary
 - *Contribute to the HH Appeal
 - *Honor someone mentioned in our weekly "Mazal Tov" email

There are many more ways to stay connected! Please let me know if you have any questions.

Be well!

Michael Kahn
BHBE Executive Director
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The BHBE Academy has gotten off to a solid start so far this year! We have had several live experiences in the parking lot, and our virtual experiences are substantial and varied.

Grades 2 - 7 meet virtually on Sunday mornings and Tuesday afternoons, joined by our 1st year class on Sunday mornings. We are using an integrated curriculum called Shalom Learning, which is designed to be done both live and virtually, and incorporates text study, videos, Jewish values, holidays, rituals and more! Each unit in grades 3 - 7 is based on one key Jewish value, and the lessons and experiences springboard from that core theme. Our classes have just completed the first unit, *Teshuva*, repentance (which correlates to the fall holidays), and have begun unit 2, *Betzelem Elohim*, made in the image of God. The 2nd grade curriculum is structured slightly differently. Each lesson is based on one core Jewish value and incorporates the work of a Jewish artist. In the picture above, our 2nd graders have created binoculars as part of their exploration of the value of *Hakarat Hatov* -- seeing the good in each other and in the world.

Every student in grades 3 - 7 is also being tutored in Hebrew twice a week for decoding, tefillah skill, pre-Bnai mitzvah work, vocabulary, conversational Hebrew, and more. Tutoring is done in pairs or individually, and there are two groups of 3 meeting as well. This tutoring is done by myself, Sarah Rodin, and Gal Spivak, with help by three madrikhim -- Zachary B, Adina T, and Sophia K, who provide the students with extra practice and attention.

Starting this coming Sunday, students in grades 6 and 7 will participate in biweekly Israel tours led by a live Israeli tour guide in Israel. First up -- climbing Masada! For many of these tours, families will be provided with physical materials from Israel that correspond with the location the students are visiting, such as Israeli mud from the Dead Sea, or Jerusalem stone.

Our 8th graders are meeting virtually with Sarah Pila (our former youth director). Using a curriculum called *Heart to Heart* from the Moving Traditions organization, they will be exploring issues of concern to teens through a Jewish lens, such as maintaining and forming friendships online and off, communicating with parents, racial justice, and challenging sexism.

Online and offline electives will be starting shortly, such as book groups with librarian Marcie Eskin and a debate club where students will debate as key Biblical characters. We have a number of high school students participating as Hebrew tutors, assistants to our teachers, video editors, and even facilitators of electives.

All in all, in spite of the complexity of the situation, students are engaged, connecting with each other and with their teachers, and growing in their Jewish knowledge and skill.

Aaron Frankel
Director of Education

BHBE Thanksgiving to Go

Wednesday November 25, 2020

Hummus Basket (v) Roasted red pepper & plain hummus served with pita chips, bagel chips, carrots, & naan \$42.00

Grilled and Chilled Vegetables (v) Chef's selection of grilled vegetables sliced & chilled served with balsamic reduction & basil \$54.00

Fresh Fruit Platter (v) Chef's selection of fresh fruit sliced & garnished with fresh berries (Serves 4-6) \$36.00

Crudite Platter (v) Carrots, celery, peppers, zucchini, jicama, & mushrooms served with Hummus \$36.00

The items below are available in individual servings, or in family size portions serving 4-6. If you choose all of these items as individual servings the cost will be \$36

Shaved Brussel sprout salad (v) Shaved brussel sprouts, red onion, & dried cranberries, tossed in a honey lemon dressing \$7.00 or \$27.00

Apple Date Challah Stuffing (v) Challah, celery, apples, dates, onions, & sage baked to perfection. \$8.00 or \$36.00

Sauteed Mushrooms & Caramelized Onions (v) Mushrooms, onions, garlic, sauteed to create the perfect side item. \$7.00 or \$27.00

Cranberry Sauce (v) Cranberries, Oranges, brown sugar, & a hint of vanilla and cinnamon. \$5.00 or \$18.00

Sweet Potato Casserole with Marshmallow Topping (v) Sweet potatoes, pineapple, sugar, & cinnamon, topped with marshmallows \$7.00 or \$27.00

Apple & Dried Cherry Crisp (v) Apples, dried cherries, oats, cinnamon, nutmeg, & maple syrup baked together. \$7.00 or \$27.00



Shalom Chaverim,

With the High Holidays behind us, Sisterhood started its year with some very successful virtual programs! Thanks to Suzi Shulman for our opening program, a cabaret style

journey of women's rights from the beginning of the passing of the 19th Amendment which gave women the right to vote up until the 100th anniversary of its passage this year. We had over 60 members in attendance and I heard from many participants how much they enjoyed the program.

We had a wonderful first program of our Daytime Program Series planned by Cynthia Lerner and Gail Swerdlik. Dr. Julie Straus gave a fascinating talk about what it is like for a woman to run for a political office. There were some interesting follow up questions from our participants. Thank you to our two co-chairs for providing such a thought provoking afternoon and we are looking forward to the other two programs in the series!

We also had a friendly Kum aun Zoom program. This is a casual online get together that meets each month on the second Monday at 10:30 am. The members who participated spent the hour chatting and catching up with friends about what everyone had done over the summer. Our next program in November will feature Carolyn Dinofsky leading a discussion on bubbe meises. Please bring your favorite "grandmother's tale" and perhaps learn how these stories got started.

I am looking forward to providing Thanksgiving Baskets to families in need thanks to the congregation's donations. Please give generously so we are able to provide enough gift cards to people in our community who need a little extra help - especially this year. Thank you to Dena Levenson and Linda Becker for organizing this project.

Aileen Primack, Gail Swerdlik, and Judy Panko-Reis have put together a wonderful online shoppportunity in lieu of having our normal holiday boutique. Please visit the BHBE website to shop some of our favorite vendors from past years.

A big welcome to our new BHBE members and new BHBE Sisterhood members. We will be holding a special virtual program to welcome them on November 9. Thank you to our membership VPs, Sheri Offenbach and Elly Rousso, for organizing the event.

Finally, a last thought to my fellow officers and general board members: Thank you for all that you do! I am grateful to you for motivating me to grow, to work harder, to achieve more, and for all the ways in which you make me smile.

L'hitraot,
Barbara Ungar
BHBE Sisterhood President

**BHBE SISTERHOOD
AFTERNOON SERIES**

Thursday, January 11, 2021

Lisa Barr

Local author, columnist and television personality will talk about her newest novel, "The Unbreakables"

Thursday, March 11, 2021

Heidi Stevens

Chicago Tribune columnist will discuss the joys and tribulations of being a newspaper columnist

Both programs will begin at 1pm. ZOOM will open at 12:45 pm. Contact Cynthia Lerner at 1948cynthia@gmail.com to register and receive the ZOOM link. Programs are free to Sisterhood, Men's Club and BHBE congregants. If you would like to sponsor a program for \$25.00 please contact Gail Swerdlik at gmswerd@aamil.com



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Celebrate Hanukkah
With Hanukkah in a Box**

Choose Option 1 or Option 2

Option 1: One Box of Candles

Nut Free Chocolate Gelt

Dreidels

12 Jelly Munchkins

For pickup Erev Hanukkah, December 10th

OR

Option 2: Send To Out of Towners

One Box of Candles

Nut Free Chocolate Gelt

Dreidels

A Menorah

For pickup Monday, November 30th

Number of Boxes _____ Option _____

Please enclose your check for \$10 per box to:

Cynthia Lerner, 1280 Rudolph Road, #4E, Northbrook, IL 60062

Todah Rabbah

Thank you so much for the birthday wishes. I really appreciate the beautiful thoughts.

Fondly, Ellen Sered

Thank you, kind ladies of BHBE Sisterhood. In this upside down world, it was a delightful gift from you for my birthday wishes on August 4th. Especially this year it was nice to be thought of. Thanks for making my day! **Fondly Shelley Nathan**

THANKS to everyone who sent me their Happy Birthday wishes. I had no birthday cake or candles this year but never fear, I had plenty of birthday greetings and treats to get me through the day. It's so nice to have my Sisterhood friends reach out to me - we may be distanced but still we're still a family.

Stay well. Barb London

Dear Friends, Sincerest thanks for all donations in my and my family's honor. **Mickey Davis**

Thank you to everyone for their birthday wishes on my ?? birthday. May the Lord bless you and everyone around. **Kooki Finkelman**

Virtual Holiday Boutique

The year 2020 has indeed been unique, Therefore we offer our NEW Virtual Boutique!

Our vendors have been hard at their work Creating their special one-of-a-kind goods.

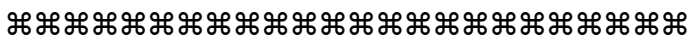
Including jewelry, pottery, knitwear, leather and goods

The place to view is the synagogue website Items will be shown from morning to night.

During the entire month of November You will need to "click," so please remember.

In order for exhibitors to ring up your sales Please check back for the exact details.

Don't forget to check out our flyer So you can be an informed buyer.



We have a unique way for you to shop for all your Holiday needs. Our most popular exhibitors will present their merchandise on our website. During the month of November go to BHBE.org and click on Sisterhood or Upcoming events. You will be able to view samples and contact information. For further information contact: Aileen Primack, 847.677.6195. HAPPY VIRTUAL SHOPPING



Plant Thank You

We appreciate and thank the following women who helped to make the Rosh Hashanah Plant Sale such a success: Dena Levenson, Melinda Sharkan, Marjorie Breisblatt, Marsha Lyons, Sheila Gideon, Cynthia Lerner, Joan Meyers, Carolyn Dinofsky and Eva Sern. We are especially thankful that so many helped during this very challenging time. **All our best, Marsha Weitzman and Etta Greenfield**



Challah Sale Thank You

Thank you for all the help and support in making our annual Challah Sale a wonderful success.

We want to thank Michael Kahn, Mike Goldberg, Jackie Ernest, Percy Ferguson and Arturo Lopez for all their help. Thank you to Suzi Shulman, Ida Ioffe and Gail Swerdlik for all their help during pick up. **Aileen Primack and Carole Dunn**

THANKSGIVING BASKETS

Why is this time different from all other times? Our world has changed, and there are more people than ever in need, due to circumstances related to COVID-19.

We need you to be a light during this darkness, perform a Mitzvah. Please be generous and make a donation to help families who are experiencing many hardships.

Due to COVID-19, Sisterhood will be giving Jewel Gift Cards, distributed by the ARK to 28 families.

If you are unable to make a monetary donation, donations of paper towels, aluminum foil, plastic bags, toilet paper and toiletries are welcome.

Contact Dena Levenson at 847.942.1966 to make arrangements to collect paper goods.

For monetary donations, send checks payable to BHBE Sisterhood to: Aileen Primack, 9450 Kedvale Avenue, Skokie, IL 60076

Any questions call: Linda Becker, 847.251.1443 or Dena Levenson, 847.942.1966. Thank you for your generosity!



TORAH FUND *B'Yachad*
CAMPAIGN GUIDE
2020-2021



B'Yachad, Together

Your annual donations support scholarships and programming at all five seminaries of the Conservative/Masorti Movement. This year's Torah Fund Pin, featuring the theme of B'Yachad (Together), is your gift for donations of \$180 or higher. It will take all of us, working together in this difficult time of the pandemic to meet our goals and live Torah. New pins have been received by the New York office, but are not being distributed since the Torah Fund office is closed. No one is currently allowed to be in the office, therefore the pins cannot be packaged and shipped to us. We still can make any type of donation which will be greatly appreciated! The pins will be available very soon. As soon as I have them I will make arrangements to deliver the Pins and JTS Tribute Cards. JTS greeting/condolence cards are currently available for \$3.00 each. Mark your calendars for April 29, 2021 for our Torah Fund Event. Send your donations to Ida Ioffe, 240 Thelin Court, Wilmette, IL 60091. Make checks payable to Torah Fund. Thanks for your understanding and support. If you need further information please contact Torah Fund Chair, Ida Ioffe, at: idaioffe@comcast.net or 847.814.5573.

HANUKKAH BOXES FOR SALE

Sisterhood would like to help you celebrate Hanukkah by offering you a Hanukkah Box filled with goodies. We are giving you two options in selecting which box will fill your needs. There will be one for you and family near by and one that you can mail.

Option 1: 1 box of candles, nut free chocolate gelt, dreidels, and 12 jelly Munchkins. **Pickup will be Erev Hanukkah, Thursday, December 10.**

Option 2: 1 box of candles, nut free chocolate gelt, dreidels and a menorah. **Pickup will be Monday, November 30.**

All contents are kosher and only \$10.00 per box. Send the enclosed flyer and your check payable to BHBE Sisterhood to: Cynthia Lerner, 1280 Rudolph Road #4E, Northbrook, IL 60062
Deadline for orders is: Monday, November 16.



***SPECIAL JUDAICA SHOPPORTUNITY
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(to the tune of "I have a little dreidel")

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And Hanukkah candles for you.
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And latke servers too.

(chorus)

Oh...come online to our Judaica Shop,
Buy your gifts galore – oye!
Artistic masks to talking toys,
Who can ask for anything more.

New Hanukkah items and gifts will be featured every week beginning in November.
Watch your emails! Robin Smulson, 847.287.1233, Joan Meyers, 847.602.2257



Please note: The deadline for bulletin material is the first of every other month.

Send a Note of Thanks

Send a Note of Thanks for only \$10 printed in the Sisterhood Bulletin. We make it easy to say "thank you" for all the Leagrams, Happy Day, Torah Fund or Memorial Cards you have received. For only \$10 we will print your "thank you" in the bulletin. When you print your "thank you" in the bulletin, we save you money on stationery, and stamps, plus no trips to the post office, saving you money on gas. Just call Rochelle Leff at 847.724.9348, or send your message via email to rdleff@att.net. You can also mail your message and a check to Rochelle Leff, 20 Mulberry Court, Glenview, 60025.



Happy Day & Memorial Cards

Are you looking for a special way to remember your friends or relatives as they experience special occasions? Sisterhood has Happy Day and Memorial Cards for all occasions. All you have to do is call Maureen Bornstein. Maureen will address and mail your card for only \$3.50. No trips to the card store, post office or mailbox. A packet of 10 cards for only \$25 are also available for you to address and mail yourself. The next time you need to remember someone with a special card, think of sending a card from Sisterhood by calling Maureen 847.251.9121.



Leagram Option

Receiving a Leagram on your birthday is always a special treat. We are going to make it easier for you to send Birthday Greetings to all your Sisterhood friends. No more missing someone's birthday because the deadline has passed, the bulletin is late in arriving, you just forgot, or you were out of town... For \$72 you can send a Leagram Birthday Greeting to **EVERY** Sisterhood member for the **ENTIRE YEAR!** Of course, lists will still be available monthly for those who choose to continue sending greetings as before, at 25 cents per name.

Please email your Leagram wishes to marcykreiter2@gmail.com by November 10

December

1 Eva Sern
3 Rachel Stempel
7 Beverly Fleischman
9 Estelle Elekman
16 Marcia Dolnick
16 Randi Gideon
17 Fay Goldblatt
17 Marcy Kreiter
17 Susan Lieberman
19 Viviene Cohen
19 Myrna Millman
21 Gitta Fajerstein
21 Dena Levenson
25 Bernice Bossov
25 Marsha Lyons
31 Sheri Fox

January

1 Carla Banoff
1 Maxine Roth
7 Annetta Friedman
9 Ida Fisher
9 Sashi Kraff
13 Ruth Hecktman
15 Melinda Sharkan
17 Karen Thirman
18 Debra Lawrence
19 Flora Helfand
21 Joan Meyers
23 Muriel Kasanov
24 Deborah Boxerman
28 Karen Drazin



Do you see a Sisterhood friend with an December 2020 or January 2021 birthday? Send a birthday wish. Add your name to a Leagram, only 25 cents. Please send info. to: Marcy Kreiter, 9033 Keeler Ave., Skokie, IL 60076 or mail:marcykreiter2@gmail.com

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2021 Mah Jongg Cards

We are now taking orders for the 2021 Mah Jongg Cards. The cost is \$9.00 for the standard size card And \$10.00 for the large print card.

To purchase cards: mail your check payable to BHBE Sisterhood to:

Sheri Offenbach, 3025 Lexington Lane,
Highland Park, IL 60035

Include your name, address and amount of cards you wish to purchase.

Questions, contact Sheri at:
mrsoffl@aol.com

Deadline for orders is January 20, 2021

Rabbi Crane's Discretionary Fund

A donation has been made to this fund by:

Sandra Brostoff thanking God for her kids and grandkids safety in Texas after the hurricane

Karen and Rick Bornstein

Sheila and Larry Gerber

Joan Kripke in honor of Rabbi Crane's thoughtful d'vrai torah during Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur

Sabra Pitler in honor of Rabbi Crane Jean and Howard Rice

Greer and Arthur Braun in honor of Rachel Crane and wishing her a speedy recovery and thanking Rabbi Crane for the most wonderful way he and Cantor Roytman have made virtual services so meaningful in this difficult time

Susan and Irving Zagorin

In honor of

Carole and Don Babendir on the birth of their great grandson, Yoel by Marilyn and Aron Sprung

Rachel Crane's complete and speedy recovery by Jerry Perlow

In memory of

Sylvia Gilbert by Harriet Robbins-Ost

Esther Nadborny by Jerry Perlow

Cantor Roytman's Music Fund

A donation has been made to this fund by:

Jean and Howard Rice

Ray Gilbert in memory of his beloved wife, Sylvia

Joan Kripke in honor of Cantor Roytman for being an inspiring ba'al tefilah during Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur Greer and Arthur Braun thanking Cantor Roytman

for the most wonderful way he and Rabbi Crane have made virtual services so meaningful in this difficult time

In honor of

Julia Smulson by Irene and Basil Jacobson

Rachel Crane's speedy recovery by Jerry Perlow

In memory of

Robert Koppel

-by Melinda and Phil Sharkan

-by Harriet Robbins-Ost

Edith Stern by Irene and Basil Jacobson

Alvin Vinegar by Barbara and Maimon Lusky

Minn Lecker by Judy and Sheldon Reis

Tikva Frymer-Kensky Adult**Education Fund**

A donation has been made to this fund by:

Pearl Korey

In honor of

Ellen Brull and Eli Lavie on the birth of their granddaughter, Maya Hadassah

Lavie by Randi and Rob

Feder

Jackie Ernest on her daughter Chessa's marriage to

Paul Buttita by Randi and Rob Feder

In memory of

Tikva Frymer-Kensky by Rabbi

Allan Kensky

Annette W. and Mel F. Seidenberg**Family Youth Fund****In honor of**

Phyllis and Leonard Berlin on their 64th wedding anniversary by Mel F. Seidenberg

Colleen and Ira Dubin on the birth of their grandson, Samuel Aaron Dubin by Mel F. Seidenberg

Greer and Arthur Braun on the birth of their great granddaughter, Rochel Leah born in Israel by Mel F. Seidenberg

Gita Fajerstein on the birth of her great grandson by Mel F. Seidenberg

Carole and Don Babendir on their 63rd wedding anniversary Mel F.

Seidenberg

Susan and Zvi Tannenbaum on the birth of their great grandson by

Mel F. Seidenberg

Max Tannenbaum on the birth of his great grandson by Mel F. Seidenberg

Dolly Moline on the birth of her great grandson by Mel F. Seidenberg

Elaine Loseff on the marriage of her granddaughter Elizabeth Lavin and

Aaron Levine by Mel F. Seidenberg

Sashie Kraff on the birth of her great granddaughter, Sadie

Charlotte Cooper by Mel F.

Seidenberg

Rochelle Leff on her granddaughter receiving her doctorate from Oregon

Health and Science University by

Mel F. Seidenberg

Marlene Wein on her 88th birthday by Mel F. Seidenberg

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wein good luck in your new home by Mel F. Seidenberg

Janie Wein's speedy recovery by Mel F. Seidenberg

Jackie Ernest on her daughter

Chessa's marriage to Paul Buttita

-by Mel F. Seidenberg

-by Etta and Frank Greenfield

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In memory of

Sylvia Gilbert by Phyllis and

Sy Zaban

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Minn Lecker by Mel F. Seidenberg

Esther Nadborny

-by Mel F. Seidenberg

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Barry A. Pitler SKIP

A donation has been made to this fund by:

Sabra Pitler thanking everyone for their birthday wishes and New Year's Greetings

In memory of

Joseph Pitler by Sabra Pitler

General Fund

A donation has been made to this fund by:

Carole and Don Babendir "thank you to our first responders, clergy, office staff, and maintenance for getting us through these crazy times."

Jay Goldstein and Marc Matlin in honor of Shemini Atzeret

Marlene and Henry Wasserstrom Ken Goldfarb

The Malkin Family in honor of Zev Weiss

Elaine Pollack in honor of Yizkor

Carole and Don Babendir on the birth of their great grandson, Noah Caleb

Babendir born to Gittel and James Babendir

Dorothy and Ed Stone thanking Rabbi Crane, Cantor Roytman, Julia Smulson and the others who made our high holiday services so beautiful and meaningful

Dorothy and Ed Stone thanking everyone for their New Year's greetings and wishing everyone a safe and healthy New Year

Robin Hershey-Nexon and Norm Nexon for being honored as Hatan and

Kallat Torah

Barbara and Joel Dolin on their daughter Marissa's marriage to

Herschel Harris

Robert Silverstein

General Fund cont'd.....**In honor of yizkor**

- by David Greenstein
- by Jay Goldstein and Marc Matlin
- by Sandra Brostoff

In honor of

- Sashie Kraff on her many simchas by Gita Fajerstein
 - Dolly Moline on the birth of her great grandson by Gita Fajerstein
 - Elaine Loseff on the marriage of her granddaughter Elizabeth Lavin and Aaron Levine by Gita Fajerstein
 - Paulette Lieb's speedy recovery by Ellen and Steven Greenwald
 - Omi's 91st birthday by Gail and David Eisenberg and Family
 - Carole and Don Babendir on the birth of their two new great grandchildren
 - by Dorothy and Ed Stone
 - by Sheila and Larry Gerber
 - Greer and Arthur Braun in honor of their great grandchildren by Eunice and Bruce Hershman
 - Larry Gerber's birthday by Beverly and Howard Reinglass
 - Jackie Ernest on her daughter Chessa's marriage to Paul Buttita
 - by Aileen and Harold Primack
 - by Beverly and Howard Reinglass
 - by Terrie and Joel Hellman
 - by Sashie Kraff
 - by Marilyn and Gary Rubin
 - by Carole and Michael Dunn
 - by Eileen Davis
 - by Cheryl and Michael Kahn
 - Sashie Kraff on the marriage of her grandson Noah and Sophie by Carole and Michael Dunn
- In memory of**
- Robert Koppel
 - by Terrie and Joel Hellman
 - Jay Goldstein and Marc Matlin
 - by Debbie and Toni Landi
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 - by Susan and Zvi Tannenbaum
 - by Robin and Paul Smulson
 - by Susan Kay and David Baron
 - by Aileen and Harold Primack
 - Sylvia Gilbert
 - by Betty and Robert Katz
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 - Irene A. Friedman by Ellen and Allen Sered

- Sylvia Gilbert
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- Howard N. Gilbert by Ellen and Allen Sered
- Carol Moss by Ellen and Allen Sered
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- Elwood "Woody" Kreger by Ellen and Allen Sered
- Alfred Dolnick
 - by Ellen and Allen Sered
 - by Ely and Maurice Rousso
 - by Beverly and Howard Reinglass
- Harlan Langer
 - by Irene and Basil Jacobson
 - by Elly and Maurice Rousso
 - by Beverly and Howard Reinglass
- Aron Sprung
 - by Joan and Harvey Meyers
- Steven Meller
 - by Mickey Davis
 - by Michael Rabin
- Andi and Mike Zimmerman
 - by Ellen and Allen Sered
- Carole and Don Babendir
 - by Janice and Jeff Aronoff
- Dorothy and Edward Stone
 - by Sheila and Mort Winer
- Dorothy and Ed Stone
 - by James Ruttenberg by Vivienne and Floyd Cohen
- Donald Matlin by Jay Goldstein and Marc Matlin
- Minn Lecker
 - by Karen and Michael Thirman
 - by Aileen and Harold Primack
 - by Jay Goldstein and Marc Matlin
 - by Jessica and Alan Littmann
 - by Beth and Menash Zadik
 - by Eileen Rae Feldman
 - by Cheryl and Michael Kahn
 - by Marla and Steve Krause
 - by Jackie Ernest
 - by Sheila and Vern Gideon
 - by Susan Kay and David Baron
 - by Maria and Ed Chupack
 - by Sheila and Larry Gerber
 - by Ellen and Allen Sered
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 - by Marsha Lyons
 - by Jennifer Oppenheimer
 - by Joan and Harvey Meyers
 - by Selma Stanzler
- Esther Nadborny
 - by Jay Goldstein and Marc Matlin
 - by Terrie and Joel Hellman
 - by Sashie Kraff
 - by Jean and Howard Rice
 - by Marvin Berger
 - by Susan Kay and David Baron

- by Aileen and Harold Primack
- by Marcy Kreiter
- by Cheryl and Michael Kahn
- by Jerry Perlow

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Elissa Hope Strom Fund****In honor of**

- Dr. Harry Strom on his birthday by Helene Rivlin

Library Fund**In memory of**

- Sylvia Gilbert by Esther Chereck

H.O.P.E. Garden Fund**In memory of**

- James Ruttenberg by Phyllis Simon
- Esther Nadborny by Phyllis Simon

Inclusion Fund**In memory of**

- Harlan Langer by Anita and Michael Miller

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A donation has been made to this fund by:

- Mark Swerdlik

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- Dolly Moline on the birth of her great grandson by Sharon Yusim
- Gita Fajerstein on the birth of her great grandson by Sharon Yusim

Memorial Fund

A donation has been made to this fund by:

In memory of

- Myrtle Tasky by Michael Gordon
- Rae Gordon by Michael Gordon
- Cameron Davis by Mickey Davis
- Jeanette Sered by Ellen and Allen Sered
- Isadore Sered by Ellen and Allen Sered
- Norman Mittman by Marilyn Mittman
- Donald Mittman by Marilyn Mittman
- Idel Ioffe by Sofia Muller and Dmitriy Shternberg
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- Fenya Ioffe by Ida and Garry Ioffe
- Idel Ioffe by Ida and Garry Ioffe
- Francine and Stanley Bakshy
- Ariyah Leib Horwitz by Barbie Braude
- Sarah Berkowitz Horwitz by Barbie Braude
- Phillip Wilensky by Jay Goldstein and Marc Matlin
- Harry Zeid by Jay Goldstein and Marc Matlin
- Joseph Goldstein by Jay Goldstein and Marc Matlin

Memorial Fund cont'd.....

Ana Montalvo by Rosita Schloss
 Manuel Montalvo by Rosita Schloss
 Nathan Schloss by Rosita Schloss
 Yael Hoffman by Zachary Spector
 Bernard Manowitz by Ellen and Allen Sered
 Haya Kleyman by Mira Kaufman
 Muriel Furlager by Hillel Furlager
 Moshe Forlager by Hillel Furlager
 Sima Forlager by Hillel Furlager
 Jack Bakshy by Francine and Stanley Bakshy
 Louis Mogul by Karene Schneider and David Mogul
 Aaron Dubniewski by Maria and Ed Chupack
 Betty Schmitt by Anne Gendler and David Leib
 Esther Nadborny by Susan and Zvi Tannenbaum
 Ruth Ginsburg by Marvin Ginsburg
 Irving Wolfmark by Barbara and Joel Dolin
 Minn Lecker by Ira Becker
 Betty Schmitt by Anne Gendler and David Leib
 Beverly Lasky by Judith Stern



*In
Loving
Memory
of*

Thank you to everyone who sent their condolences on the passing of my beloved husband, Robert Koppel. It was so nice to hear from so many of you.
Alisa Winston Koppel

**REPORT FROM FUNERAL/CEMETERY COMMITTEE**

There are two things that we can't avoid, death and taxes. This informative report is about the former. Several years ago the Funeral Subcommittee of the Midwest Region of the United Synagogue of Conservative Judaism, of which I was a member, visited all the local Jewish Funeral Homes to institute a United Synagogue Funeral Plan. The purpose was to relieve the stress of choosing various components of the funeral for a departed one. The plan includes the picking up and transporting the body to the funeral home, providing a muslin shroud (tachrechim), a curved top, stained, wooden, kosher casket, service at the funeral home, transportation to the cemetery and earth from Israel to be placed on the casket. There is also the option of having the service in the Sanctuary of BHBE or graveside services. NOT included are a family limousine, ritual washing of the body, Tahara, death notices placed in the newspaper, Shomer, chairs and coat rack for Shiva and all cemetery expenses, which I shall get into later on. The services of the clergy are included in your dues however should you desire, contributions can be made to the discretionary funds of the clergy. Costs vary with each funeral home. BHBE does not endorse any Funeral Home. The choice is entirely yours. All that is needed is a phone call to the Funeral Home and tell them that you want a United Synagogue Funeral Package. It is also recommended that you pre-plan and make arrangements well in advance, so that when the time comes your wishes are already known.

As for the cemetery portion, many years ago, Beth Hillel and Bnai Emunah had sections in Shalom Memorial Park which have been completely sold out, A new BHBE section has been established at Shalom. The price of the graves is dependent on where within the section the lot(s) is (are) purchased. The cost of the lot(s) does NOT include the opening and closing of the grave, the concrete vault, required by the State Of Illinois, nor the bronze marker identifying who is in the grave. It does include perpetual care and the placement of the sod after the burial. Preneed lots can be purchased interest free and paid for over a period of three (3) to five (5) years.

Should you desire more information on the United Synagogue Plan or the purchase of lots at Shalom Memorial Park, please do not hesitate to contact me at 847.769.3827.

Mel F. Seidenberg
Chairman, Funeral/Cemetery Committee



Heshvan / Kislev 5781

Friday, November 6

Light Candles.....4:18 pm

Shabbat, November 7

20 Heshvan 5781

Torah Reading: Vayera

Friday, November 13

Candles.....4:11 pm

Shabbat, November 14

27 Heshvan 5781

Torah Reading: Chaye Sarah

Friday, November 20

Light Candles.....4:05 pm

Shabbat, November 21

5 Kislev 5781

Torah Reading: Toldot

Friday, November 27

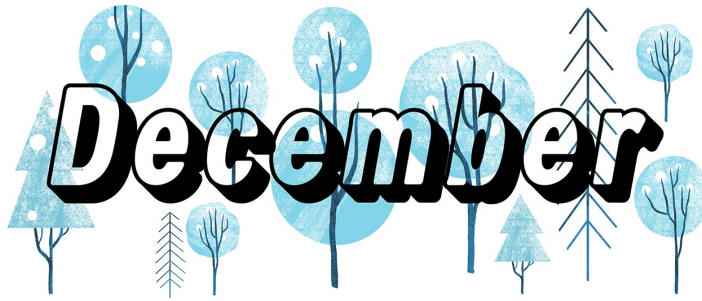
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Shabbat, November 28

12 Kislev 5781

Torah Reading: Vayetze





Kislev / Tevet 5781

Friday, December 4

Light Candles.....4:00 pm

Shabbat, December 5

19 Kislev 5781

Torah Reading: Vayishlach

Bat Mitzvah: Sarah Novak

Friday, December 11

Hanukkah - Day 1

Light Candles..... 4:00 pm

Shabbat, December 12

26 Kislev 5781

Torah Reading: Vayeshev

Hanukkah - Day 2

Bar Mitzvah: Jay Fagel

Friday, December 18

Hanukkah - Day 8

Light Candles.....4:01 pm

Shabbat, December 19

4 Tevet 5781

Torah Reading: Miketz

Friday, December 25

Light Candles.....4:05pm

Shabbat, December 26









11 Tevet 5781

Torah Reading: Vayigash













Beth Hillel Bnai Emunah Calendar of Events

November 2020 Heshvan / Kislev 5781

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 14 Heshvan Academy Yoga sponsored by Sisterhood	2 15 Heshvan Contemporary Jewish Thought II with Sandy Goldberg	3 16 Heshvan Election Day No Academy	4 17 Heshvan Town Hall Meeting Sisterhood General Board Meeting	5 18 Heshvan	6 19 Heshvan Shabbat to Go Meal pickup Siddur Sim Shalom pickup  4:18	7 20 Heshvan Vayera  5:19
8 21 Heshvan Academy Yoga sponsored by Sisterhood	9 22 Heshvan Kum aun Zoom Contemporary Jewish Thought II with Sandy Goldberg Zoom Office Hours with Keri Bahar	10 23 Heshvan Conversational Hebrew for the Child In You Academy Hidden Histories and Untold Stories	11 24 Heshvan Veteran's Day Office Closed Talmud Class with Rabbi Crane Town Hall Meeting Equity, Forgiveness and Intersectionality	12 25 Heshvan Executive Board Meeting	13 26 Heshvan  4:11	14 27 Heshvan Chaye Sarah  5:12
15 28 Heshvan Academy Yoga sponsored by Sisterhood Israeli Line Dancing with Sarah Rodin	16 29 Heshvan Rabbi Kensky teaching Lamentations Contemporary Jewish Thought II with Sandy Goldberg	17 1 Kislev Rosh Hodesh - Kislev Conversational Hebrew for the Child In You Academy Hidden Histories and Untold Stories General Board Meeting	18 2 Kislev Talmud Class with Rabbi Crane Town Hall Meeting Men's Club Board Meeting General Board Meeting Equity, Forgiveness and Intersectionality	19 3 Kislev Sisterhood Executive Board Meeting	20 4 Kislev  4:05	21 5 Kislev  5:07
22 6 Kislev Academy Yoga sponsored by Sisterhood	23 7 Kislev Rabbi Kensky teaching Lamentations Zoom Office Hours with Keri Bahar Contemporary Jewish Thought II with Sandy Goldberg	24 8 Kislev No Academy	25 9 Kislev Office Closed	26 10 Kislev Office Closed Thanksgiving Day	27 11 Kislev Office Closed  4:01	28 12 Kislev Vayetze  5:03
29 13 Kislev No Academy Yoga sponsored by Sisterhood	30 14 Kislev Rabbi Kensky teaching Lamentations Contemporary Jewish Thought II with Sandy Goldberg	Virtual	Holiday	Boutique	The Whole month of	November

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6 20 Kislev Academy Food For Thought Men's Club Breakfast Yoga Sponsored by Sisterhood	7 21 Kislev Zoom Office Hours with Keri Bahar Contemporary Jewish Thought II with Sandy Goldberg	8 22 Kislev Academy Hidden Histories and Untold Stories	9 23 Kislev Talmud Class with Rabbi Crane Town Hall Meeting Executive Board Meeting Equity, Forgiveness and Intersectionality	10 24 Kislev Erev Hanukkah	11 25 Kislev Hanukkah - Day 1  4:00	12 26 Kislev Hanukkah - Day 2 Vayeshev Bar Mitzvah: Jay Fagel Congregational Hanukkah Celebration  5:02
13 27 Kislev Hanukkah - Day 3 Academy Hanukkah Celebration Yoga Sponsored by Sisterhood	14 28 Kislev Hanukkah - Day 4 Contemporary Jewish Thought II with Sandy Goldberg	15 29 Kislev Hanukkah - Day 5 Rosh Hodesh Tevet - Day 1 Academy General Board Meeting	16 1 Tevet Hanukkah - Day 6 Rosh Hodesh Tevet - Day 2 Talmud Class with Rabbi Crane Town Hall Meeting Men's Club Board Meeting	17 2 Tevet Hanukkah - Day 7 Sisterhood Executive Board Meeting	18 3 Tevet Hanukkah - Day 8  4:01	19 4 Tevet Miketz  5:04
20 5 Tevet No Academy Yoga Sponsored by Sisterhood	21 6 Tevet Contemporary Jewish Thought II with Sandy Goldberg	22 7 Tevet	23 8 Tevet Talmud Class with Rabbi Crane Town Hall Meeting	24 9 Tevet Office Closed	25 10 Tevet Office Closed  4:05	26 11 Tevet Vayigash  5:08
27 12 Tevet No Academy Yoga Sponsored by Sisterhood	28 13 Tevet Contemporary Jewish Thought II with Sandy Goldberg	29 14 Tevet No Academy	30 15 Tevet Talmud Class with Rabbi Crane Town Hall Meeting	31 16 Tevet New Year's Eve Office Closed	1 17 Tevet New Year's Day Office Closed  4:10	2 18 Tevet Vayechi  5:13

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