

The Scroll

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Temple Sha'arey Shalom

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Celebrating Over 60 Years of Reform Jewish Commitment

Worship/Special Events

Tuesday, October 4 <i>Kol Nidrei Service</i>	7:30 pm
Wednesday, October 5 <i>Yom Kippur Service</i> <i>Musical Interlude</i> <i>Seminars</i> <i>Afternoon Service</i> <i>Yizkor</i>	10:00 am 12:30 pm 1:30 & 2:30 pm 3:45 pm 5:15 pm
Friday, October 7 <i>Erev Shabbat</i>	7:00 pm
Sunday, October 9 <i>Sukkot Service</i> <i>At CBI outside in tent</i>	6:00 pm
Friday, October 14 <i>Erev Shabbat</i> <i>Zoom Service Only</i>	7:00 pm
Monday, October 17 <i>Shemini Atzeret</i> <i>Yizkor Memorial Service</i> <i>At our new home - Hatcher Hall</i>	10:00 am
Tuesday, October 18 <i>Simchat Torah Service</i> <i>At our new home - Hatcher Hall</i>	6:30 pm
Friday, October 21 <i>Erev Shabbat</i>	7:00 pm
Friday, October 28 <i>Erev Shabbat</i>	7:00 pm

Shabbat Study Minyan Weekly - 11:00 am

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From the Rabbi...

Simchat Torah is one of my favorite Holydays because it is filled with absolute joy. Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur are about life and death and how we prepare for both. On Sukkot, we notice just how fragile our existence is; then right after the end of Sukkot, we dance with our Torot.

After fragility and death, we dance. The night before my first stroke, I felt off. I knew that something physically was going to happen to me. So I took precautions. I made sure that I had a babysitter at the house all day. I called the school and told the secretary that I would be taking the kids out of school early. As well, I put Shane on high alert. That night at about 6 pm when it started getting dark, it began to rain heavily. It was not so cold so I took the kids out in the front yard and danced. I raised each one above my head as if we were in a ballet. We made our own music. It was a moment to savor. I was conscious of making a powerful memory for my kids. And it did. We came inside, dried off and they excitedly told Shane, when he came home, about our adventure. Sadly, the next day at 11am, I realized that my gait was different. I picked

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From the Rabbi... (continued)



the kids up from school and dropped them with the sitter. Speeding above the limit, I arrived at St. Barnabas' emergency room and then I collapsed. It was not as dramatic as it seems. I lost time. I lost memory. I had to relearn speech. They say that when the body experiences trauma, the brain

shuts the memory away. I still do not know how long I stayed in the hospital. I know that I did not need physical rehab but I did go to speech therapy for a year. After fragility, we dance. I danced a lot that year. I could think and type and move my body so we had dance parties every night.

Like death, we finish the reading of the last Parashah of the Torah and then with one breathe we run from the end to chant the beginning. With one breath we end and are reborn and begin to dance with the Torah Scrolls. We pass the scrolls from person to person, and watch the swirling colors, and bend and bow to the music. One continuous Jewish moment of history, created each year again and again. I get caught up in the memory of it all, how it feels to hold the Torah tightly like a baby, rocking her in my arms and then handing her to another in the community. We dance because we have survived another year. We dance because we are a free people. We dance with Miriam and the women. We dance with the men of Fiddler on the Roof. We dance because we can, even if we have disabilities or challenges. Come dance with me at our Simchat Torah Service.

Rabbi Renee



Dear Friends,

Our High Holiday experience was so wonderful because of Pamela Bain. She worked with Father David Santos to not only get us into 41 South Springfield Avenue for the holidays but also for The year. Pam found the fabulous sound and film team which made us all sound and look professional. She worked on every honor, sat down with the Cantor and I to outline the services. With her beloved Marc beside her, she was there early every morning and closed everything out far after we were all gone. Pam was our Angel this High Holidays. We all bless you. I am blessed to love you!!!

Rabbi Renee

Forgiveness
IS A GIFT
YOU GIVE
Yourself

YOU
CANNOT
BE FREE
WHEN
YOU ARE ANGRY

YOU CANNOT MOVE FORWARD WITH YOUR LIFE
WHEN YOU ARE STUCK
IN THE PRISON
OF YOUR PAST

YOU CANNOT TRULY BE WHOLE
WHEN YOU HARBOR RESENTMENT
IN YOUR SOUL

FORGIVENESS IS A GIFT-
GIVE IT TO YOURSELF!





Shana tova!

It is time to say thank you. Thank you Rabbi for your efforts to enrich our Holy Day experiences. Your D'var Torahs challenged and inspired us. Thank you Cantor for your voice that filled our sanctuary with joy. Thank you to the choir for sharing the beauty of your voices. Thank you Mark Yolleck for your musical accompaniment and the music of our Musical Interlude. Thanks to Suzhan Tsay for the sound of her cello which expressed the mystery of the Bruch Kol Nidre. Who can forget the riveting and powerful sound of Linda Zabladovsky's shofar? Todah rabah Linda.

Thanks to Brad Sklar and the ushers. Thank you to our Honors Monitors. Thank you to John Fitzgerald and The Works, Inc for providing microphones and streaming our services. Thanks to Ellen Lieberman who almost single handedly manned the front desk.

Thank you to our members who participated in the services and everyone who joined us in person or online. Many thanks to Sandy Corritore and Cindy Broderick for all their help.

Thank you to Sisterhood for providing the Break Fast after the Yom Kippur services.

Last but not least, a huge thank you to our president, Edythe Ben-Israel for your many efforts, both large and small, to make our Holy Day observances a success.

If I have forgotten anyone, I hope that you will forgive me.

B'ahava

With love,

Pam Bain



*Wishing you Peace
and a Good and Sweet
Year!*

*The Temple Staff
&
Board of Trustees*

To those

I may have wronged,

I ask forgiveness.

To those I may have helped,

I wish I did more,

To those I neglected to help,

I ask for understanding.

To those who helped me,

I sincerely thank you so much...

Cantor's Corner...



🎵 Notes From The Cantor 🎵

We've all heard of the famous beautiful setting to Kol Nidrei by composer Max Bruch set for solo cello and orchestra. Many of us have also heard that he wasn't even remotely Jewish despite the fact that all of his music would be banned by the Nazis over assumptions surrounding the above-mentioned work. Although "bruch" means "blessed" in Hebrew, in German it means "breakage" or "fracture." Recently, I read several articles online debating whether or not this Nineteenth Century composer was even fond of the Jewish people at all. Though some sources state that he was friends with many Jewish composers, other sources are pointing out that Max Bruch was eager to establish that he was not Jewish and that he did not share Johannes Brahms' affinity for the Jews. So what, then, would inspire someone to arrange and orchestrate the pre-existing Jewish motifs of one of our holiest prayers in a highly acclaimed work of classical music as well as to write an oratorio about the life of Moses?

Max Christian Friedrich Bruch also known as Max Karl August Bruch lived from 1838-1920. He had a long distinguished career as a teacher, composer, and conductor moving among many different musical posts in Germany and also England. From a musical compositional standpoint, he was more of a proponent of the style exemplified by Brahms and he opposed the style exemplified by Richard Wagner. The incontrovertible scoop on Wagner seems to be that he intensely disliked the Jewish people. An article from the Forward, written by Leon Botstein about six years ago suggested that it was this stylistic opposition to Wagner which led Bruch to take a politically more tolerant and cosmopolitan attitude which would distance himself further from the other

composer.

Bruch had apparently learned the Kol Nidrei melody from Cantor Abraham Jacob Lichtenstein who was chief Cantor of Berlin and to whom Bruch had been introduced through Ferdinand Hiller, his mentor. (An interesting side note is that Cantor Lichtenstein's choir director was none other than Louis Lewandowski whom Reform Jews consider to be the most famous Jewish Composer of the Nineteenth Century.) In a letter to musicologist Edouard Birnbaum, Bruch stated that he was fascinated with "folksongs of all nations," a category in which he considered Kol Nidrei to belong, as opposed to a sacred liturgy of the ages.

An excellent point was made in the above-mentioned Forward article. Regardless of how the composer personally felt about the Jewish people or even his attitude towards the subject matter, Max Bruch's Kol Nidrei is no less of a musical treasure than Gershwin's Porgy and Bess and Copland's Appalachian Spring, two works by Jews which have virtually nothing whatsoever to do with Jewish Music. Is Bruch's Kol Nidrei Jewish music? The debate goes on.

Cantor Jason M Rosenman



From the President...



Dear Temple Family,

Wow! Being together for Rosh HaShana in our new home was amazing. The energy of being in community literally brought me tears of joy. It is so sterile

to be praying by sitting on my sofa watching a zoom screen. I am glad we are able to offer virtual attendance for those who are unable to attend in person. But it would never be my first choice. It has been so long since we could celebrate the New Year together. I hope it was just as special for those of you who came.

Our new home has plenty of space to social distance. It allows the Rabbi and Cantor to each have an office. We have classrooms. All of this is on the same floor. There is a chair lift when you enter through door 8 if you are unable to climb stairs. There is also a ramp around back for those who prefer that option. Check out the aerial photo of the building in the scroll.

This year we can plan celebrations and events we were unable to have these past two years. Which activities do you miss? We can celebrate Sukkot, dance and open the entire Torah on Simchat Torah, light the menorah? Someone suggested a latke bakeoff competition. Would you participate? We can bring back Salsa Shabbat, potluck dinners, social action activities and much more. We have a lot to make up. Let me know what you miss.

Have you been to our new home? We are planning a Sunday lunch to welcome everyone. We need to coordinate with St. James to insure there will adequate parking available before we announce the date and time. I hope you will come to familiarize yourself with the space and spend time catching up with other member families.

Our prayers have been answered. Let's show our

appreciation. Now that we have a home, let's make it alive with singing, learning and laughter. Let it be a place that welcomes new people and old friends alike. Let's not waste this opportunity to thrive. We can do it on our terms.

To succeed, we need you to participate. Tell us what you want, what you can do. We do not have a crystal ball. Those who have been shouldering the work are getting tired. We need new ideas. This is your synagogue, help make it the place you are wanting it to be.

May you have an easy fast and be inscribed for a good year in the book of life. A year of good health, a year of good friends, a year of dreams fulfilled.

Edythe



PLEASE NOTE!

The next Scroll will be for
November,
THE DEADLINE FOR THE
NEXT SCROLL ARTICLES IS
OCTOBER 8, 2022

Our New Home at Saint James School

Please note that the entrance, parking and handicap ramp are marked.



DAYS OF AWE ENRICHMENTS at Sha'arey Shalom



HIGH HOLY DAY HUNGER PROJECT

We will not be collecting food this year.

Please make your donations to the

Community Food Bank of NJ, 31 Evans Terminal Rd. #1, Hillside, NJ

Kol Nidre - October 4, 2022 - 7:30 pm

Yom Kippur Day - October 5, 2022 - 10:00 am

It is our custom to remain at prayer and study for the entire day of Yom Kippur. We have created a full afternoon of inspiration including a Musical Interlude and Seminars as well as using our new High Holy Day prayerbook, Mishkan HaNefesh.

Musical Interlude: 12:30 pm

Meditate on the themes of the High Holy Days: life and death, repentance and forgiveness, or just close your eyes and allow the melodies to move your soul.

Yom Kippur Seminars

1:30 - 2:30 pm "Maimonides on Teshuvah: The Ways of Repentance"

Led by Dan Herman

Dan Herman became Bar Mitzvah at Temple Sha'arey Shalom in January 1968. He is currently an adjunct professor of political Science at Rutgers University and has taught at a dozen colleges in New York and New Jersey since 2011.

2:30 - 3:30 pm "Your Inner Sage and your Judge"

Led by Ellen Lieberman

Our past president, Ellen Lieberman PhD is a higher education leader. She was recently published in a graduate textbook on the social determinants of health.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2022

Afternoon service - 3:45 pm

Yizkor with Concluding Service (Ne'ilah) - 5:15 pm

UPCOMING HOLIDAY EVENTS

SUKKOT – SIMCHAT TORAH AT SHA'AREY SHALOM

SUKKOT

Sunday, October 9, 2022

Sukkot Service 6:00 pm

Held at CBI outside in tent



EREV SHABBAT

Friday, October 14, 2022, 7:00 pm

Zoom Service Only



SHEMINI ATZERET SHABBAT SERVICE

Monday, October 17, 2022, 10:00 am.

Yizkor Memorial Service

Held at our new home - Hatcher Hall



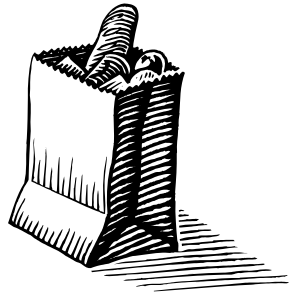
SIMCHAT TORAH SERVICE

Tuesday Evening, October 18, 2022, 6:30 p.m.

Held at our new home - Hatcher Hall

Religious School and Be You Pizza, 6:00 pm

HIGH HOLIDAY HUNGER PROJECT



On Yom Kippur we read from the
Book of Isaiah:



Is not this the fast I look for:

to unlock the shackles of injustice.....

to share your bread with the hungry?

Join our congregation, along with hundreds of other
Reform congregations as we provide food for those whose fast is
neither voluntary or symbolic.

We are not collecting food this year. Please consider making a donation to:
The Community Food Bank of New Jersey
31 Evans Terminal Road #1
Hillside, NJ 07205

To make a donation go to: [Community Food Bank of NJ | Providing Food,
Help & Hope \(cfbnj.org\)](https://www.cfbnj.org) or mail your donation to the above address.

This mitzvah allows us to enhance the meaning of our own fast on the Day of
Atonement by helping to prevent the hunger of those without the luxury of
choice.

Rabbi Renee's Prophet/Haftarah Class



Tuesday Mornings,
10:00 am - 11:00 am

October 11, 18, 25
November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
December 6, 13, 20



Congratulations to Ilene & Hank Rottenberg
on the marriage of their daughter Haley

Congratulations to Roz and Robert Rosenhanst
on the birth of their first grandson

Congratulations to Richard Brown
on the birth of his second grandson, Wesley

Please let the Office know if there is anyone
in the Congregation that is sick, in the
hospital, or if there is a death in
the Congregation.

You can email the Temple office
scroll@shaarey.org,
call the Temple office 973-379-5387
or

email the Rabbi at
rabbirenee@gmail.com



Religious School Happenings

Dear Friends,

Jewish learning for our youth and teens is upon us and I am so excited for our new offerings. Our program now begins at 1st grade and continues through High School graduation. Jewish education should be a part of everyone's lives. If we end in 7th grade, we have the Jewish knowledge of a twelve year old. Would we want the same for our kid's secular learning?

Our program this year is robust and exciting. We have classes on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4-6 pm at St. James' Educational building, right across from our old Temple Building.

We begin with grades 1 and 2 coming on Tuesdays from 4-5 pm to give them a taste of things to come. 3rd grade - 5th grade will come to religious school weekly to learn of our history, our values and to begin B'nei Mitzvah preparations. Those in grades 6th and 7th will be solely focused on Bar or Bat Mitzvah training.

Students will receive their Torah portions in 6th grade and begin to read them for meaning in English and to chant them in Hebrew. They will also receive their Haftarah portion as soon as they work on the Hebrew. Our goal is to have each and every student prepared and excited about becoming a B'nei Mitzvah at Temple Sha'arey Shalom.

As usual, your students will be working with Morah Bain on their prayers and individually with in house TSS tutors. They will be on the Bimah at Hatcher Hall well before they become a Bar or a Bat Mitzvah.

For 7th grade after they become Bar/Bat Mitzvah through 10th grade, students are recommended to continue their religious school education with Keshet, our Hebrew High School, taught by Betsy Best and myself, or to join Makom (the place) the Hebrew High School of Union County, usually held at Temple Emanuel-El of Westfield where students will be able to learn interesting topics taught by the Reform and Conservative Rabbis of Union County. This exciting program was introduced last year to high acclaim. If you

are a high school Junior or a Senior, you have the opportunity to discuss what happens on college campuses, from the BDS (anti-Israeli movement) to how to discuss anti-Semitism on campus to being without your families for the first time of your life.

In the Keshet and Be You program, we will be serving pizza, if we have enough students. Please come and join us. We are so very excited to see you and to learn from you!!!!

Rabbi Renee



Religious School

Begins

Thursday, October 13, 2022

Religious School 4:00 - 6:00 pm

Be You 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Keshet begins October 25, 2022

6:00 - 7:00 pm

at St. James School, Hatcher Hall

45 South Springfield Avenue,

Springfield

**WE HOPE TO SEE YOU ALL
HERE!!!**

Temple Events

Religious School Events



Oct. 1	Study Minyan	11:00 am
Oct. 3	Board of Trustees	7:00 pm
Oct. 5	Office Closed - Yom Kippur	
Oct. 8	Study Minyan	11:00 am
Oct. 10	Office Closed Sukkot Sisterhood	7:30 pm
Oct. 11	Rabbi Renee's Prophet/Haftarah Class begins	10:00 am
Oct. 15	Study Minyan	11:00 am
Oct. 17	Office Closed Yizkor service Brotherhood	7:00 pm
Oct. 18	Rabbi Renee's Prophet/Haftarah Class	10:00 am
Oct. 22	Study Minyan	11:00 am
Oct. 24	Executive Board	7:00 pm
Oct. 25	Rabbi Renee' Prophet/Haftarah Class	10:00 am
Oct. 29	Study Minyan	11:00 am



Oct. 9	Sukkah Service	6:30 pm
Oct. 13	Religious School begins Be You begins	4:00 pm 6:00 pm
Oct. 18	No Religious School No Keshet Pizza for Religious School Simchat Torah Service	6:00 pm 6:30 pm
Oct. 20	Religious School Be You	4:00 pm 6:00 pm
Oct. 25	Religious School Keshet	4:00 pm 6:00 pm
Oct. 27	Religious School Be You	4:00 pm 6:00 pm



JUDAISM COMES ALIVE!



HIGH HOLY DAYS

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News From SISTERHOOD



*Sisterhood of Temple Sha'arey Shalom
wishes everyone a healthy and happy
New Year!*

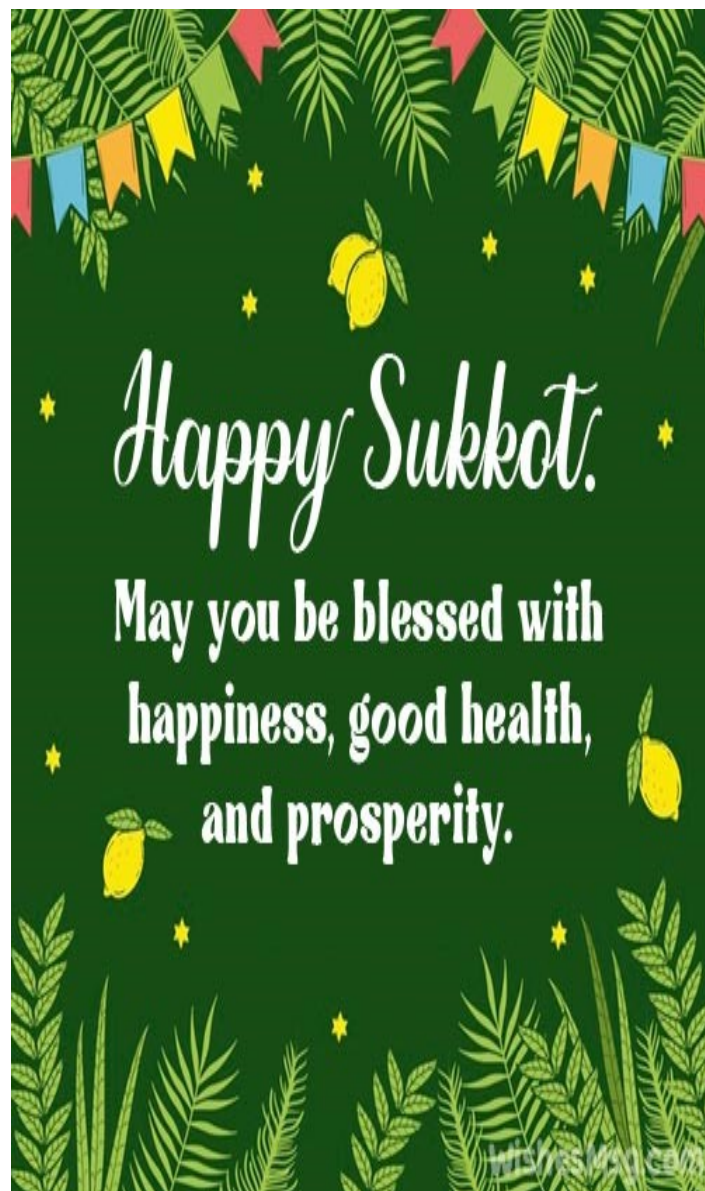
Please join us at our meetings for friendship and support from all our sisters.

Your \$36 membership allows us to:

- * Make charitable donations (Ukraine refugees)
- * Help TSS as needed
- * Sponsor Onegs
- * Provide B'nei Mitzvah and Confirmation gifts
- * Send Purim Shalach Manot bags
- * Have fun events - Bingo, speakers, etc.

Meetings are the 2nd Monday each month on Zoom
All are welcome!

Call the Temple office for Zoom information
973-379-5387



Sisterhood

Please see
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Membership

Brotherhood

News From SISTERHOOD



Sisterhood of Temple Sha'arey Shalom

Women of Reform Judaism, District 4

Membership 2022-2023

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM WITH YOUR PAYMENT

Name: _____

Address: _____

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☐ Sisterhood Dues: \$36

☐ Lifetime Membership \$360

Send your check made payable to: **"Sisterhood of Temple Sha'arey Shalom"**

Send to Lori Weshnak-Needleman: 23 Tulip Road, Springfield, NJ 07081



News From BROTHERHOOD



Please Join Temple Brotherhood

ME LOVE LATKES



Temple Sha'arey Shalom Brotherhood is an organization whose main goal is to give back to the Temple and its members.

Our membership dues and fundraising efforts help us create annual events such as the Hanukkah Brunch, Purim Carnival and Ice Cream in the Sukkah. In addition, our contributions provide numerous and vital temple improvements and sponsorships.

Help support us by joining the Brotherhood with a \$36 annual membership fee by completing the form below and sending a check to the temple office or:

Brad Sklar
29 Janet Lane
Springfield, NJ 07081

BECOME A MEMBER

Name: _____

E-mail: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone #: _____



Gift Cards are still available!



The Temple has in stock:

Target, Walmart,

Dunkin' Donuts & Amazon



For \$10



Or

ShopRite & Bed Bath & Beyond

For \$25

Other denominations of cards can be ordered.

An order will be placed on the 17th of each month. Please let Edie know by the 16th of any special cards you may want.

Call Edythe at 908-603-9908

Happy Birthday!OCTOBER

Benjamin Graulich
 Frieda Haimoff
 Doreen Salerno
 Stacie Sargis
 Steven Sarnotsky
 Adina Sklar

*Happy Anniversary!*OCTOBER

Patricia & Mark Hurwitz
 Lori Weshnak & Larry Needleman
 Maria & Michael Sklar



Have a
 ♦ **HAPPY** ♦
anniversary

If we are missing your
 Birthday
 Please let us know!

Happy Anniversary
 to all those whose
 Anniversaries are this month
 but we don't have on file.
 If you want your anniversary
 listed please email the
 Temple office
 scroll@shaarey.org

YAHREZEITS - We remember our family and friends

OCTOBER

October 7, 2022

Jackier Barski, uncle of Ellen Lieberman
Norma Blank, sister of Robert Cohen
Leonard Brown, brother of Pearl Lynn
 husband of Barbara Brown
Sylvia Gerwitz, mother of Doreen
 Salerno
Molly Kaplan, mother of Ellen Cohen
Joseph Kreuter
Isadore Rothstein, father-in-law of
 Edythe Ben-Israel
 grandfather of Laurie Ben-Israel
Edwin Schlosser, brother of Melvyn
 Schlosser
William Smith, brother-in-law of
 Lawrence Lerner

October 14, 2022

Ceil Kaplan Goldfarb, mother of
 Howard Kaplan
Marge Grossbarth
Ida Grossman, mother of Morris
 Grossman
Elsie Newman, grandmother of Ellen
 Lieberman
Harriet Rosemoff, aunt of Michael
 Sargis
Dora Schiffman
Max Schneier, father of Paul Schneier
Sara Schwarzbarg, mother of Robert
 Schwarzbarg
Sigmund Segall, brother of Sherry
 Bratter
Celia Shapiro, mother of Ruth
 Wasserman
Sam Scherb, father of Marvin Scherb

Howard Werner, father of Betsy
 Fabricant
Mitzi Young, mother of Ilene
 Rottenberg

October 21, 2022

Raymond Baumrind
Molly Bromberg, mother of Charles
 Bromberg
Lillian Gleicher, mother of Chick
 Gleicher
Hazel Horowitz
Elaine Hurwitz, mother of Mark Hurwitz
Jeanette Kampf, mother-in-law of
 Corinne Kampf
Lillian Lesnik, mother of Leon Lesnik
Bernard Lesser, father of Sharon
 Moesch
Sylvia Matlofsky, mother of Theodore
 Cohen
Philipp Rebacz, father of Marian
 Fabricant
Ronald Resnick, uncle of Stacie Sargis
Estelle Rosengarten, mother of Karen
 Schutz
Albert D. Schmidt, father-in-law of
 Lee Eisen
Jerome Schneider, brother of Sandra
 and Leon Silver
Ella Steir, mother of Avron Steir
 grandmother of Michelle
 Tempkin
Dena Walters, mother of Leigh Walters
David Yablonsky, father-in-law of
 Naomi Yablonsky

October 28, 2022

Morton Bratter, father-in-law of Avron
 Steir
 grandfather of Michelle Tempkin

Florence Eisenstein, mother of David
 Eisenstein

Salo Enis

Martin Grossbarth

Benjamin Grossman, father of Morris
 Grossman

Joyce Hershkowitz, sister of Lynn Traum
 sister of Carol Mardenfeld

David Lesser, grandfather of Sharon
 Moesch

Samuel Pearl

I. Gerald Pliskin

David Weshnak, brother of Lori
 Weshnak-Needleman

Gerald Yablonsky, husband of Naomi
 Yablonsky



YAHREZEITS

*We remember our family and friends
We gratefully thank you for these Gifts and Donations*

David Cohen, father of Robert Cohen
Goldie Gologorsky, mother of Norma Diamond
Ernestine Tesse, mother-in-law of Harriet Tesse
Max Loechel, grandfather of Harold Loeshelle
Etta Cohen, mother of Robert Cohen
Carl Baumgarten, father of Mark Baumgarten
Harry Fielo, father of Joan Baumgarten
Gertrude Gerstenfeld, mother of Herbert Gerstenfeld
Marcel Tesse, husband of Harriet Tesse
Antoninia Kramer, mother of Doris Buttery
Leona Kleinman, wife of Hy Kleinman
Annabelle Zeitler, mother of Pat Hurwitz
Lorraine Greenhouse, mother of Edythe Ben-Israel
Irving Steir, father of Avron Steir
Robert Waterman, brother of Maxine Gleicher
Lily Krop, mother-in-law of Marion Krop
William Krop, father-in-law of Marion Krop
Max Seeman, father of Phyllis Zlatin
Estelle Segall, sister of Sherry Bratter
Dinah Sacher, grandmother of Felice Schneier
David Sacher, grandfather of Felice Schneier
Sandra Goldstein, aunt of Felice Schneier
Molly Kaplan, mother of Ellen Cohen
Isadore Rothstein, father-in-law of Edythe Ben-Israel
 grandfather of Laurie Ben-Israel
Sam Scherb, father of Marvin Scherb
Lilly Scherb, mother of Marvin Scherb
Evelyn Scherb, sister of Marvin Scherb
Frank Lesnik, father of Leon Lesnik
Lillian Lesnik, mother of Leon Lesnik
Andrea Lesnik, daughter of Leon Lesnik
Norma Blank, sister of Robert Cohen
Leonard Brown, husband of Barbara Brown
Norman Ripes, brother of Dayle Treece
Sylvia Gerwitz, mother of Doreen Salerno

DESIGNATED FUNDS

We gratefully thank you for these Gifts and Donations

Please make all Designated Funds checks payable to Temple
 Sha'arey Shalom, not the name of the fund.
 Thank you.

RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

In honor of the B'nai Mitzvah of Eli and Sara
 Rosenberger, from Erica and Greg Rosenberger

CANTOR'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

In honor of the B'nai Mitzvah of Eli and Sara
 Rosenberger, from Erica and Greg Rosenberger

GENERAL FUND

To Lori, Randy and Bruce Seroff, deepest sympathy to you,
 Randy and family on the loss of Ron, from Carole Ring
 and Judy Waller

R & V COHEN HUNGER RELIEF FUND

To Bill Stromeyer, wishing you a speedy and complete
 recovery! L'Shana Tovah!, love, Viv & Bob Cohen

To Arthur Draznin, wishing you a speedy and complete
 recovery, love Viv & Bob Cohen

***A donation was made to the Community Food
 Bank from the R & V Cohen Hunger Fund***



c/o Congregation B'nai Israel
160 Millburn Avenue
Millburn, New Jersey 07041
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www.shaarey.org



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Rabbi Emeritus: JOSHUA GOLDSTEIN
Cantor: JASON ROSENMAN
Cantor Emerita: AMY DANIELS
President: EDYTHE BEN-ISRAEL

Designated Funds Form

Through the centuries, Jews have maintained the custom of commemorating occasions of joy and sorrow by making special contributions to their temples. Contributions may be made announcing joyous events, in honor of special occasions, in memory of the departed, or as an expression of sympathy or gratitude. Temple Sha'arey Shalom has established several funds for this purpose. As many congregants may be unaware of the various funds, we have listed them for your guidance,

Payments can be made by Check (made payable to "Temple Sha'arey Shalom" not the individual fund name), also by cash, and mailed to the Temple office or by Zelle. To speed up recognition of gift email the information to Judy Waller at mrlnwaller@yahoo.com

Donation Amount: ☐ \$18 ☐ \$36 ☐ \$50 ☐ \$100 ☐ \$180 ☐ \$360 ☐ Other _____

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