### **Temple Beth El**

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Shofar

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Sunday March 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29 @ 9:30 AM Religious School

Friday, March 6 & 27 @ 7:30 PM Shabbat Worship Service

Monday, March 9 @ 11:30 AM Simcha Set Luncheon

Monday, March 9 @ 6:00 PM Erev Purim Megillah Service Megillah reading & Lots of Fun!

איחוד פיהנות מתקרפת כאפריקה Tuesday, March 10 @ 7:00 PM Board Meeting

Friday, March 13 @ 6:00 PM Family Potluck Shabbat

Saturday, March 14 @ 7:30 PM Adult Purimspiel - More Fun!

Sunday, March 15 @ 3:00 PM Sisterhood Meeting

Friday, March 20 @ 6:00 PM Chardonnay Shabbat



Tuesday & Thursday

9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Dear Chevrei,

Yasher Koach to all those Congregants that worked so hard in February. If you are interested in hosting an Oneg, leading a service, doing a drash or anything that moves you, please contact Irvin Pike, Laura Wolfe, me or the office and we will make it happen! I know you can do it!

I'm sure everyone received their billing statement from Andy for 2019. You also received an updated Membership book with your statement. Yasher Koach to Andy for putting the book together!

Our Rabbi Search Committee has had phone interviews with prospective candidates and are reviewing others. As information becomes available, I will pass that on.

Adison did a magnificent job for her Bat Mitzvah. She chanted with excitement and experience. It was so delightful to be a part of this joyous occasion! Thank you to everyone that came. The Synagogue was filled!

Sisterhood will be meeting on February 23rd to discuss some outstanding programs for the Women of Temple Beth EI. The Mensch Club will be posting information in the Shofar as to their upcoming meeting and events for the Men of Temple Beth EI! Look for upcoming events for both of these groups.

February 10th the school children had a Seder for Tu Bishvat. Tim did an awesome job with the help of many parents that lent their expertise! Yasher Koach to all that participated!

The first Simcha Set met at Marie Callender's on February 10th. We had eight Congregants that came and enjoyed a relaxed and fun event. Our next lunch will be on Monday, March 9th, at 11:30 am at The Crest Bar & Grill at 5025 Wible Road. If 50ish and above, you are welcome to join us. Please contact Marsha Parr or Ilene Schechter if you are interested in participating.

March 9th is the Megillah Reading. Jill Egland is looking for volunteers to participate in the Megillah reading. If you are interested in doing your own Drash in a fun and unique way, please contact her. March 14th is the Purimspiel, Tim Fromm and Peggie Soltis-McGraw to chair. If interested in participating in either one of these outstanding events, please reach out to Jill, Tim and Peggie!

Thank you again to all the Congregants of Temple Beth El for all you do to keep Us thriving with excellence!

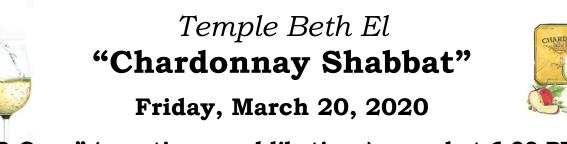
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Shalom,

**Ilene Schechter** 

## Oneg

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	March		April		
6	Bill & Laura Wolfe	3	Len & Carla Epstein Marc Schulman & Rosa Barrera		
13	Jeff Russinsky & Laura Morales	10	Jill Egland (Passover Potluck		
20	Jay & Marsha Greenstein	17	Lyle & Marianne Gartenlaub		
27	Barry & Teri Goldner	24	Steve & Gail Magnus Heber Cruz Berber		



"PrOneg" (appetizers and libations) served at 6:00 PM

# Shabbat Service at 6:30 PM

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(Note: No 7:30 PM service that night!)



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- 10William & Laura Wolfe30th
- 19Stacy & Mark Davis14th
- 24 Jeffery Russinsky & Linda Morales 29th





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- 14 Jeffery Russinsky
- 15 Linda Hakimi
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- 17 Jill Egland
- 18 Jessica Kessler
- 20 Isabella Rudnick 22 Michael Feldman
- 25 Amy Knight
- 26 Irene Christenson
- 27 Mauritz Theron



Beginning on Monday March 9th 11:30 A.M.

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Friday, March 6 @ 7 Shabbat Worship S Service Leader: Irv	ervice	<b>Parashat - Tetzareh</b> Exodus 27:20 - 30:10	<b>Haftarah</b> Samuel 15:2-34	
Candle Blesser Etel LewisTorah Bearer Leonard Epstein		<b>Torah Blesser</b> Emma Goss	<b>D'var Torah</b> Avital Anders	
<b>Torah Reader</b> Avital Anders	<b>Kiddush</b> Christopher Jacobson	<b>Oneg Hosts</b> Bill & Laura Wolfe	<b>Usher</b> Marc Schulman	
Friday, March 13 @ Family Pot Luck Sh Service Leader: Irv	abbat	<b>Parashat - Ki Tisa</b> Exodus 30:11-34:35	<b>Haftarah</b> Ezekiel 36:16-38	
Candle Blesser Isabella Rudnick	Torah Bearer Larry Saslaw	<b>Torah Blesser</b> Marc Schulman	<b>D'var Torah</b> Avital Anders	
<b>Torah Reader</b> Avital Anders	<b>Kiddush</b> Larry Elman	<b>Oneg Hosts</b> Jeff Russinsky & Linda Morales	<b>Usher</b> Josh Rudnick	
Friday, March 20 @ 6:00 PM Chardonnay Shabbat Service Leader: Susie Simrin		Parashat - Pequdei Exodus 35:1-40:38	<b>Haftarah</b> Ezekiel 45:16-46:18	
Candle Blesser Etta Robin	<b>Kiddush</b> Jay Greenstein	<b>D'var Torah</b> Susie Simrin	<b>Usher</b> Laura Lauria	
		<b>eg Hosts</b> rsha Greenstein		
Friday, March 27 @ Shabbat Worship S Service Leader: Irv	ervice	<b>Parashat - Vayiqra</b> Leviticus 1:1-5:26	Haftarah Isaiah 43:21-44:23	
<b>Candle Blesser</b> Gail Magnus	Torah Bearer Steve Magnus	<b>Torah Blesser</b> Heber Cruz Berber	<b>D'var Torah</b> Fim Fromm	
<b>Torah Reader</b> Tim Fromm	<b>Kiddush</b> Marsha Parr	<b>Oneg Hosts</b> Barry & Teri Goldner	<b>Usher</b> Elliott Magnus	
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# March 2020 Yahrzeits

3/06 Shabbat Worship Service	
Dan Neal, father of Laurie Henderson	3/06
Rabbi Israel Neuman, brother-in-law of Shirley Ann Newman z"l; uncle of Heidi Allison	3/06-Adar 10
Marie Redding, mother of Jeanne Moore	3/06
Noah Todd Widelock, son of Marc & Ellyn Widelock; brother of Jenna Odlin	3/06
Melvin Adelstein, brother of Sylvia Katz; uncle of Larry Saslaw	3/07
Herbert Blatt, husandd of Rose Blatt; father of Barbara Kessler; grandfather of David Kessler	3/07-Adar 11
Clara Goldstein, grandmother of Judy Potter	3/07
Amram Sheriki, father of Haya Klein	3/07-Adar 11
Eunice Sostock, remembered by TBE	3/07
Esther Schwartz, grandmother of Diane Andrews	3/08
Naum Genel, father-in-law of Ana Genel z"l; grandfather of Janet Blumberg	3/10
Herbert Baron, remembered by TBE	3/11-Adar 15
William Fish, grandfather of Larry Fish	3/11
William Greenberg, father of Ella Abrams	3/11-Adar 15
Barry Schwartz, father of Stacey Rodriquez	3/12
Mike Scott, foster son of Stan & Norma Schwartz z"l	3/12
3/13 Family Pot Luck Shabbat	
Esther Flaxman, aunt of Larry Saslaw	3/14
Marshall Harris, brother of Billie Bizieff z"l	3/14
Bessie Kaplan, mother of Marsha Parr	3/14
Shirley Roseman, aunt of Judith Joyce	3/14
Sarah Kasse, great-aunt of Steven Magnus; great-great-aunt of Elliott Magnus	3/15
Sam Saslaw, uncle of Larry Saslaw	3/15
Helen Goldberg, sister of Risha Grosberg	3/16-Adar 20
Jess Leighton, father of Jan Rockoff	3/16-Adar 20
Jay Leopold, brother-in-law of Judy Strauss	3/17-Adar 21
Moshe Eliezar Neuman, father-in-law of Shirley Ann Newman z"l; grandfather of Heidi Allison	3/17-Adar 21
Shifra Neuman, mother-in law of of Shirley Ann Newman z"l; grandfmoher of Heidi Allison	3/17-Adar 21
Rifka Rubenstein Sprung, great-grandmother of Heidi Allison	3/17-Adar 21
David Kosakowski, husband of Dorise Bitton	3/18
Salome Pincoski, daughter of Sheryn Pincoski z"l	3/18
Samuel Epstein, father of Etta Robin	3/19
Allen Wolfe, father of William Wolfe	3/19

3/20 Chardonnay Shabbat Service	
Zelda Baron, friend of Dan z"I & Mary Speare	3/20
Rae Cherry, sister of Norma Schwartz z"l; aunt of Jeff Schwartz & Helen Armistead	3/20
Bradley Dillon, grandson of Peggie Soltis	3/21
Dr. Ralph Franklin, friend of Dan z"l & Mary Speare	3/21
John Nichter, father of Sheryn Pincoski z"l	3/22
Arline Pike, mother of Irvin Pike	3/22
William Pike, father-in-law of Arline Pike z"l; grandfather of Irvin Pike	3/22
Stanley Schwartz, husband of Norma Schwartz z"l; father of Jeff Schwartz & Helen Armistead	3/22-Adar 26
Anne Caplan, mother of Diane Robers	3/24-Adar 28
Peter Golombek, remembered by Len & Carla Epstein	3/25
Geitel Stern, great-grandmother of Steven Magnus; great-great-grandmother of Elliott Magnus	3/25
Mickey Wayne, mo6ther of Wendy Wayne z"l	3/25
Max Gruber, father of John Gruber	3/26
Jim Humphrey, father of Karlyn Farber & Laura Reyes; grandfather of Kari Aguilar	3/26
Tony Rodriquez, father of Adam Rodriquez	3/26
Milton Shilkrout, uncle of Judy Strauss	3/26-Nisan 1
Betty Younger, remembered by TBE	3/26
3/27 Shabbat Worship Service	
Eddia Branstein, brother of Stanhan Branstein	2/27

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Eddie Bronstein, brother of Stephen Bronstein	3/27
Morris Schwartz, father of Brenda Neal	3/27-Nisan 2
Anna Goodman, mother of Vickie Hugo	3/28
Mazal Hadida, grandmother of Dorise Bitton	3/28-Nisan 3
Hyman Hoffman, grandfather of Steven Magnus; great-grandfather of Elliott Magnus	3/30
Bruce Pagni, friend of Connie Wellman z"l & Peggie Soltis-McGraw	3/30
Jeanette Stevenson, mother of Phil Stevenson z"l	3/30
Rudolph Cohn, father of Ethel Cohn Katz	3/31
Florence Burstein Goldy, mother of Lynne Joseph	3/31
Fannie Hobmann, remembered by TBE	3/31-Nisan 6
Emily Lepp, great-aunt of Laura Lauria; great-great-aunt of Amanda Garza	3/31-Nisan 6
Ione Lollar, mother of Laura Wolfe	4/01
Marvin David Teplitz, brother-in-law of Dan z"l & Mary Speare	4/01
Esther Bernstein, mother of Stacy Davis	4/02
Pierre Laborde, father of Fanny Jacobs	4/01
Abraham Levey, grandfather of Muriel Vekas z"l & Arline Pike z"l; great-grandfather of Irvin Pike	4/02
San Rudnick, brother of Marcus z"l, Milton z"l & Phil Rudnick & Miriam Stull; uncle of Joshua & Daniel Rudnick & Libbie Mahan	4/02
Tommy Ubacz, son-in-law of Muriel Vekas z"l	4/02

# Contributions (1/17-2/18)

# **Kol Nidre**

Greg & Rose Broida Jeffery Russinsky & Linda Morales

# **Memorials/Yahrzeit**

Greg & Rose Broida In memory of Ruth Broida Harter Ronald & Laura Lauria In memory of Morris & Milton Gintzler

### **Rabbi Rosenstein Campership**

Marsha Parr In memory of Bess Kaplan

### Tree of Life

Timothy Fromm In honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Adison Gartenlaub Ronald & Laura Lauria In honor of the naming of Reece Ori Garza Etel Lewis In honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Adison Gartenlaub Marsha Parr In honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Adison Gartenlaub

# **Building Fund**

Deborah Rosenthal

# In Memory

We mourn the loss in recent days of. . . .

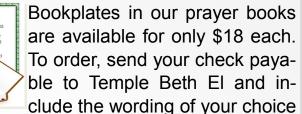
Ana Marie Degamo Roselada, cousin of Epie Rittenberg	2/24-Shevat 29
Zina Lekht, niece of Etel Lewis	2/13-Shevat 18
Edward Bishop, father of Linda Hakimi	2/12-Shevat 17

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Jewish tradition prescribes that a meal be provided for the family following the burial of a family member. To that end the Caring Committee of Temple Beth El is prepared to provide a Meal of Condolence for temple families who experience the loss of a loved one. Please consider making a donation in memory of your loved one to the Caring Committee so that we may continue to provide this Mitzvah to others!

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> Questions? Call the TBE office: (661) 322-7607

Thank you

# March, 2020

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 9:30 AM Religious School	2	3	4	5	6 7:30 PM Shabbat Worship Service	7
8 9:30 AM Religious School	9 11:30 AM\ Simcha Set Luncheon 6:00 PM Erev Purim Megillah Service	10 7:00 PM Board Meeting	11	12	13 6:00 PM Family Potluck Shabbat	14 7:30 PM Adult Purimspiel
15 9:30 AM Religious School 3:00 PM Sisterhood Meeting	16	17	18	19	20 6:00 PM Chardonnay Shabbat	21
22 9:30 AM Religious School	23	24	25	26	<sup>27</sup> 7:30 PM Shabbat Worship Service	28
29 9:30 AM Religious School	30	31				

# **Temple Beth El**

Provides a sanctuary for your sacred prayers, a social hall for special celebrations, a library to study our heritage, a school to teach our eternal values and ways to remember ones who are no longer with us. One of the traditional ways we honor those who helped shape our lives is by placing a made-to-order bronze Memorial Plaque which will be added to the walls of the Temple foyer.

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