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PANCAKE BREAKFAST**
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דאמר מר: למד לשונך לומר איני יודע, שמא תתבדה ותאחז

By Rabbi Scott Meltzer

There is a master who teaches: teach your tongue to say 'I do not know,' lest you become entangled in deceit.
(TALMUD BERAKHOT 4A)

I don't know. I meant it, I truly don't know. Even more important to me than my awareness of the limits of what I know is the willingness to say: "I do not know."

This isn't, simply, some trite, pithy truism to be bandied about as a punchline – "it is remarkable how much less I know than I did when I was younger." It is the realization of how much of what I do is based on limited knowledge, limited understanding and limited processing power.

First I realize: "I don't know." Then I admit: "I don't know." Then I refuse to be paralyzed in my ignorance: I must ask questions; I must listen intently and humbly to those I respect; I must keep learning and moving forward to the best of my ability.

I must never be so arrogant as to say: "I know it all." I must never be so arrogant to believe that I know enough. I must always be confident enough to say humbly and proudly: "I do not know."

We are very lucky. As a community, we live together in this space of shared exploring. It is such a blessed place to live, learning and searching together, rather than accepting pat answers. Ignorance with a desire to learn and grow is invigorating, and, hopefully, the pathway to a life of holiness.

The tradition is that Moshe, the one who brought Torah to us directly from God on top of the mountain, was the humblest of all. To be shown the secrets of the universe and to still not know is a powerful statement of the ultimate unknowability of life.

In the Talmud, Menachot 29b, Moshe asks God to show him the reward of Torah, and God shows him the future with Rabbi Akiva. Ask about this story. I can read it with you. Ask me about its meaning and the universe it reflects, and I can be quiet, or I can say: "I do not know."

Life is an incredible gift. We live with so many blessings, including the blessing of being part of this holy community.

There is so much I do not understand, and even more that I do not know.

Thank you for being engaged in this lifetime with Ohr Shalom and with me.

Purim at Ohr Shalom Synagogue

Monday, March 9

5:30 - Kid-Friendly Dinner & Activities

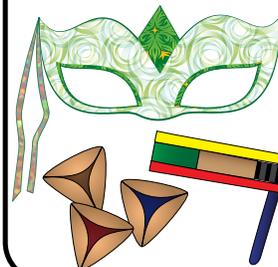
6:15 - Minyan

6:30 - Singing, Kids Megillah, Shpiel

7:30 - Dessert

8:00 - Full Megillah Reading

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WORDS FROM THE PRESIDENT

Lynn Mendelsohn
President

Fanny and Nick

Ohr Shalom's selection for this year's January sing-along was the 1968 musical *Funny Girl*. Based on the life of Jewish vaudeville comedian **Fanny Brice**, the film, and the Broadway show that preceded it, made Barbra Streisand a star. In both, young Fanny quickly rises from bit player to headliner with the *Ziegfeld Follies*. She falls for the suave Nick Arnstein, but their marriage is far less successful than her career.

Fanny and Nick were real people, which made me wonder how accurate *Funny Girl* might be as biography. Let's see...

Fania "Fanny" Borach was born October 29, 1891 in New York, the third of the four children of Jewish immigrants Rose and "Pinochle Charlie" Borach. From 1896 to 1904, the Borachs operated a chain of saloons in Newark, all managed by Rose. Then the family moved to Brooklyn, where Rose sold real estate. Charlie, who preferred to drink and gamble, was loved by his children but didn't contribute much else.

Fanny was not a typical little girl. At 8, she entertained in the saloon. She brazenly shoplifted food and cosmetics.



Nick Arnstein and Fanny Brice

She invented tearful tales of dire family misfortune to finagle free trolley rides and theater admissions. By age 14, Fanny was a regular at Amateur Night at Keeney's Theater, Brooklyn. Nearly 5-foot-7, she was gangly, but she was determined, with a clear singing voice and a bold willingness to distort her highly plastic face for laughs. Fanny regularly won, gathering a \$10 first prize, plus coins thrown by appreciative patrons. Her routines were assembled

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davar@ohrshalom.org

Deadline:

• March 5 for April issue

• April 5 for May issue



May 3, 2020

15th Annual
**LIGHTS OF
OHR SHALOM**

Honoring Ohr Shalom's "Sages," our beloved most senior members.
Their zest for life inspires us, and their wisdom enriches us all.

Honorees:
**Jacquelin Ander, Sara Artenstein, Izzy Braun, Dorothy Canter,
Lilly Hecht, David Jacobs, Sara Limenes, Ruben Lisker,
Fortune and Enrique Milstein, Sallie Palash, Rafael Sloatizki,
Esther Tishman, Elena Waisbord, Eileen Wingard**

Luncheon, starting at 11:00am in the Ohr Shalom Social Hall

Look for your invitation and Tribute Journal information in the mail in March!

OHR SHALOM SERVICE SCHEDULE

KABBALAT SHABBAT SERVICE SCHEDULE

Friday, March 6 - 7:15pm (Kabbalat Shabbat Zamru)

Friday, March 13 - 7:15pm (Kabbalat Shabbat Service with Choir)

Friday, March 20 - 6:15pm (Shabbat Kehillatit Service)

Friday, March 27 - 6:15pm (Kabbalat Shabbat Service)



TOTS IN PJs Kabbalat Shabbat Service

Friday, March 6 at 6:00pm

Bring your infants and toddlers in their pajamas to welcome Shabbat in song.



ZAMRU "SING OUT" SHABBAT

Friday, March 6, 7:15pm

Join Yale Strom and Elizabeth Schwartz and celebrate Shabbat through vibrant, musical prayer.

TEEN SHABBAT Friday, March 13, 6:00pm

Teens in 7th-12th Grades meet for tater tots before a fun service... for teens, by teens! Connect with each other and start Shabbat together! The service will be followed by teen oneg and game hour.



Kabbalat Shabbat Service with the Ohr Shalom Choir

Friday, March 13, 7:15pm

Shabbat Morning Learners Shacharit

Saturday, March 14 at 9:30am (Torah Service 10:15am)

Become better acquainted with the morning service, its contents, organizations, choreography and meaning. Discuss and practice modalities of Jewish spirituality as related to praying within the community.



JR. CONGREGATION

Saturday, March 14 at 10:30am

An interactive, hands-on service for pre-B'nai Mitzvah kids (5-12). We'll sing, discuss, laugh, and find ways to make the Shabbat morning service accessible and enjoyable for each one of us.

Shabbat Kehillatit Shabbat & Community Dinner

Friday, March 20

Family-friendly service: 6:15pm

Community Dinner: 7:15pm

RSVP for dinner by March 16

Members

Adults: \$12

Children (5-12yrs): \$5

Non-members

Adults: \$15

Children (5-12yrs): \$8



PARSHAT TETZAVEH

Shabbat Zachor

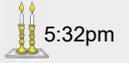
Fri: March 6 | 10 Adar

Sat: March 7 | 11 Adar

Torah: Exodus 27:20 - 30:10,

Deuteronomy 25:17-19

Haft: I Samuel 15:2 - 15:34



PARSHAT KI TISA

Shabbat Parah

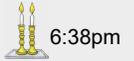
Fri: March 13 | 17 Adar

Sat: March 14 | 18 Adar

Torah: Exodus 30:11 - 34:35,

Numbers 19:1-22

Haft: Ezekiel 36:16 - 36:38



PARSHAT VAYEKHEL-PEKUDEI

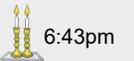
Shabbat HaChodesh

Fri: March 20 | 24 Adar

Sat: March 21 | 25 Adar

Torah: Exodus 35:1 - 40:38, Exodus 12:1-20

Haft: Ezekiel 45:16 - 46:18



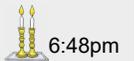
PARSHAT VAYIKRA

Fri: March 27 | 2 Nisan

Sat: March 28 | 3 Nisan

Torah: Leviticus 1:1 - 5:26

Haft: Isaiah 43:21 - 44:23



OHR SHALOM'S CHOIR!

Our Ohr Shalom Choir is fun and refreshing, and we hope you join us! Everyone is invited - Ohr Shalom members, friends and relatives!

Come join us on Mondays at 6:30pm. You'll be happy you did!

March Dates

March 2

March 16

March 23

March 30



SHABBAT MORNING BABYSITTING

Babysitting available. Reservations are strongly recommended.

E-mail your reservation to: office@ohrshalom.org.



RITUAL COMMITTEE

Shoshanah Feher Sternlieb
Ritual Chair

BE HAPPY! IT'S ADAR!

Megillat Esther states that we are to “observe the fourteenth day of the month of Adar and make it a day of merrymaking and feasting, and as a holiday and an occasion for sending gifts to one another.” Next time, we’ll talk about the mitzvah of sending gifts to one another but for now, let’s focus on the merrymaking and feasting, which is why we’re happy it’s Adar!

This year, Erev Purim will include such fun stations as Face Painting, Hair Styling, Games, Crafts, and Hamentaschen Baking! There will be a light, family friendly dinner, singing, megillah reading, a purimspiel, and much fun!

Festivities begin at 5:30pm on Monday March 9th. Please see the box on this page for details.

Don't forget to wear to a costume!

COMMUNITY EVENTS



COMMUNITY PURIM Carnival

CO-HOSTED BY:
Congregation Beth Am | Shabbat San Diego
Ohr Shalom | Lawrence Family JCC

SUNDAY MARCH 8, 2020
11:00 am – 2:00 pm

Lawrence Family JCC | JACOBS FAMILY CAMPUS
4126 Executive Drive, La Jolla

Rides | Jumpies | Games | Arts/Crafts
Hamentaschen Bake | Food | Entertainment
Silent Auction | Much More!

REGISTER NOW!
purimsandiego.org

Ohr Shalom Religious School 10:00am at the JCC



Purim Celebration

at Ohr Shalom Synagogue

Monday, March 9

5:30 - Kid-Friendly Dinner & Activities

6:15 - Minyan

6:30 - Singing, Kids Megillah, Shpiel

7:30 - Dessert

8:00 - Full Megillah Reading



Games • Hamentaschen Baking
• Hair Boutique
• Face Painting • Crafts



Please bring a non-perishable food item that makes noise when shaken to use as your grogger. These will be donated to the JFS Hand Up Food Pantry after Purim.

Ohr Shalom's Wonderfully Non-traditional Traditional Megillah Reading

At 8:00pm on Monday, March 9th, following Purim festivities in Ohr Shalom's sanctuary and social hall, we will make our way to the Beit Midrash for the annual **Megillah Reading**. This is an event not to be missed, unless you need to drag your sleepy little Mordechais and Esthers home to bed.

As in previous years, the reading will be mutually cooperative, “The Whole Megillah” being chanted, in portions, by our fellow Ohr Shalom congregants. Most will read their parts flawlessly and some – well, maybe not. However, as everyone will be in a Purim mood, those following along will love every word. Booklets in Hebrew and English will be handy, and groggers will abound!

So come to the Megillah Reading and fulfill the mitzvah of boing Haman every time he deserves it.



Celebrate Pesach at Ohr Shalom's Community 2nd Seder

Thursday Evening, April 9 at 6:00pm

You are invited to join us for our traditional
Second Seder led by Rabbi Scott Meltzer.

RSVP to the office by Monday, April 6

Members:

Adults - \$40 – Children - \$20 (5-12yrs.)

Non-Members:

Adults - \$50 – Children - \$30 (5-12yrs.)

Call the office (619) 231-1456 or email office@ohrshalom.org

Mechirat Chametz (Selling Chametz) 5780/2020

Every year our synagogue provides the opportunity to sell your chametz at Passover. Rabbi Meltzer (and the rabbis of other synagogues) act as agents in selling your chametz to a non-Jew. At the end of Passover Rabbi Meltzer will repurchase the chametz, and ownership will be returned to you.

Please complete the information below to sell all of your *chametz* before *Pesach* and return to Ohr Shalom by **Wednesday, April 6**.

Fax: (619) 231-1494
Email: rabbi@ohrshalom.org

The Selling of Chametz

I hereby authorize Rabbi Scott A. Meltzer to serve as my agent in selling all of the chametz at the following address(es):

Signature

PESACH SERVICE SCHEDULE

Wednesday, April 8
Erev Pesach – 1st Seder
Candlelighting: 6:56pm



Thursday, April 9
Shabbat Pesach Service: 9:30am
Community 2nd Seder: 6:00pm
Candlelighting: 6:57pm

Friday, April 10
Pesach Morning Service: 9:30am
Kabbalat Shabbat Service: 6:15pm

Wednesday, April 15
Pesach VII Morning Service: 9:30am

Thursday, April 16
Pesach VIII Morning Service with Yizkor: 9:30am
Havdalah and End of Passover: 8:02pm





ADULT EDUCATION

Allyson Darroch
Adult Education Chair

Our March **Talk Show** (and **Movie Night**, see page 7) will continue the focus of February's **Jewish Disability Awareness and Inclusion Month (JDAIM)** programming.

Sunday Morning **TALK SHOW**

Sunday, March 1, 10:00am

Family and Disability: Navigating the Relationship Landscape



Speakers: Dr. Suzanne Stolz and Dr. Joseph Stramondo



Dr. Stolz, Assistant Professor of Special Education, School of Leadership and Education Sciences, University of San Diego, was a speaker during last year's JDAIM events. Her recent autoethnography: *Co-Constructing Frames for Resistance, Reflections on Disability by a Daughter and her Mother* is about how she and her able-bodied mother navigated conceptions of disability and their relationship with each other.



Dr. Stramondo, Assistant Professor of Philosophy, San Diego State University, will speak from a different perspective: his insights as a father with dwarfism raising typically sized children.

DAF YOMI with Rabbi Meltzer

Wednesdays at 10:00am

Daf Yomi is the name of a program, a regimen, whereby a person reads or learns about the **Babylonian Talmud**. *Daf Yomi* means "page a day," where a "daf" is both sides of the page. Pursuing *Daf Yomi* means going through the Talmud, daf-by-daf, one each day. Covering all 2,711 pages in this way takes seven and a half years.



Tens of thousands of Jews worldwide study in the *Daf Yomi* program, which is organized as a cycle so that everyone is on the same page each day.

Rabbi Meltzer offers a weekly class to discuss the pages of Talmud most recently covered.

You can access *Daf Yomi* online or in book form. You can listen to a podcast. Rabbi Meltzer has prepared a list of available resources, which is available in the Ohr Shalom office.

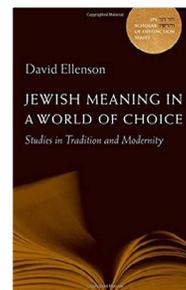
READINGS WITH THE RABBI

Sunday, April 19, 10:30am

Jewish Meaning in a World of Choice

by David Ellenson

[From *JPS*]: Internationally recognized scholar David Ellenson shares 23 of his most representative essays that center on a description and examination of the complex push and pull between Jewish tradition and Western culture. Ellenson addresses gender equality, women's rights, conversion, issues relating to who is a Jew, the future of the rabbinate, Jewish day schools, and other emerging trends in American Jewish life. As an outspoken advocate for a strong Israel that is faithful to the democratic and Jewish values that informed its founders, he also writes about religious tolerance and pluralism in the Jewish state.



UPCOMING READINGS WITH THE RABBI

Sunday, June 7, 10:30am

Book TBD

INTERNATIONAL JEWISH LITERATURE

with Tricia Pummil (tpummil@hotmail.com)

Tuesdays, 10:00-11:30am

Did you know that 15 Jewish writers have won the Nobel Prize in Literature? We have read works by the Americans on that list – now we can read works by some of the other Nobel laureates and other profound Jewish writers. Contemporary Jewish secular writers have played a significant role in the construction of the common identity that binds Jews around the world. We will consider how a few texts treat immigration, ethnicity, religion, humor, collective memory, and identity.

Date Readings (country)

Mar 3 Nadine Gordimer, "Short Stories" (South Africa)

Mar 10 Nelly Sachs, "Short Stories" (Germany/Sweden)

Mar 17 Leonard Cohen's song lyrics (Canada)





MOVIE NIGHT



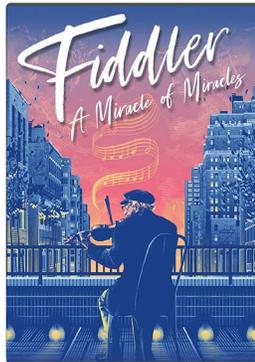
Al Shelden
VP Administration

Sunday, March 29 at 6:45pm

It's Springtime. Time for joy; time for music. Time for stars like Lin-Manuel Miranda, Joel Grey, Harvey Fierstein, Fran Lebowitz, Topol and many others. Come see this remarkable, "crowd pleasing" documentary, as we show:

FIDDLER: A MIRACLE OF MIRACLES

The NY Times starts its review by saying: "A fascinating love letter to *Fiddler on the Roof* asks: What makes the quintessentially Jewish musical speak to everyone?" Joel Grey, who directed the recent Yiddish version of *Fiddler* in New York, asks: "What is it that makes it speak in so many languages, and everybody thinks it's about them?"



Rolling Stone in its review said: "A documentary about a 55-year-old musical sounds like a quaint and nostalgic cinematic scrap book. But *Fiddler: A Miracle of Miracles* turns out to be an exhilarating, expansive, warts-and-all look into the 1964 Broadway phenomenon . . . Director Max Lewkowicz delivers an emotional powerhouse in which none of the compromises, growing pains and ego wars of *Fiddler's* creation are left out in the name of tribute. The film is dedicated to the memory of Hal Prince, who produced the original show and died [in July 2019] and truly documents what goes into the creation of a masterpiece. (Never mind that the show's first review in *Variety* declared it had "no memorable songs. . .")."

Variety in its review of the movie stated: "there's considerable pleasure to be had here, particularly in the interweaving of several decades' performance clips in various staging styles and languages. They dominate a lively package that is never dull . . . Seeing TV variety-show bits in which Danny Kaye introduces Topol to American audiences, or the Temptations cover "If I Were a Rich Man," suggests that there's a giant treasure trove of "*Fiddler*" errata out there."

The film also includes some songs that were cut from the production just days before its 1964 opening that some critics have said were better than some songs left in the show. Hear them to see what you think.

Rotten Tomatoes gave the film a score of 98% and an Audience score of 98%. The movie is appropriate for all ages.



Don't miss
PEANUT BUTTER FALCON
Sunday, March 1 at 6:45pm

See review in the February Davar



Ohr Shalom **ON THE TOWN** Spring 2020

On the Town will tackle some serious fare this spring.
Here are our two outings:

THE HOMECOMING

by *Harold Pinter*

Thursday, April 23, 2020, 8:00pm

North Coast Repertory Theatre, Solana Beach



From Nobel Laureate Pinter, *The Homecoming* is a masterwork of family warfare. Vicious, funny and unsettling, the play explores mature themes of self-identity, sexuality and power that are as

relevant today as they were when Pinter wrote it in 1964. Ticket price: \$38 each.

A PARIS LOVE STORY

with *Hershey Felder*

Sunday, May 24, 2020, 7:00pm

San Diego Repertory Theatre, Lyceum Stage, Downtown



In his newest one-man show, Hershey Felder brings to life French composer Claude Debussy, whose orchestral works included *Prélude à l'après-midi d'un faune* (1894) and *La mer* (1905). Though his music often was serene and impressionistic, his life was brief and sometimes scandalous. Debussy was among the composers who were blacklisted in Nazi Germany because his second wife, Emma Bardac, was Jewish. Tickets are \$51 each.

Lynn Mendelsohn continues to handle ticket purchases for *Ohr Shalom on the Town*. Her email address is mendelynn0511@gmail.com. Or text her at 619-980-1801.

MEN'S CLUB POKER

Wednesday, March 25 at 7:00pm

Contact Joe Hartman: (619) 851-2303



Marpah Movement **Meditation**

Sundays
at 3:00pm
March 8
March 22

To register, please contact
the Ohr Shalom Office
(619) 231-1456 or
office@ohrshalom.org

Funds generously granted through



WORDS FROM THE PRESIDENT CONT.

from Yiddish-dialect jokes and sketches, slapstick dance numbers, and ballads of the day.

In 1907, Fanny and her mother moved to Manhattan, and Fanny appropriated "Brice" from an Irish couple who were Rose's friends. Fanny indeed did appear in the Ziegfeld Follies of 1910 and 1911, and for several years during the 20's and 30's, but she also starred in musicals produced by the Shubert Group and others in New York and on the road. By the mid-20's, Fanny was so famous that she had top billing in her own variety reviews. In the 20's, 30's and 40's, she was on the radio and made movies.

Fanny Brice was loud, brash, unpretentious, profane, in-your-face, and superbly friendly. She threw huge dinner parties in New York and also in Los Angeles, where she lived from 1937 until her death in 1951. Thin and stately, she loved clothes, jewelry and furniture. An amateur interior designer, Fanny decorated the homes of her friends, notably Eddie Cantor and Katherine Hepburn, for free. One friend noted that she carried herself like a queen but talked like a truck driver.

Fanny had three husbands, all of whom she divorced. The first was an Albany barber who overwhelmed the naïve 18-year-old with gifts and promises. Her third husband was Broadway impresario Billy Rose. Nick Arnstein was Fanny's second husband.

Funny Girl's depiction of Fanny's deep love for Nick is accurate. However, the actual Nick Arnstein was a bona fide crook. He was born Julius Arndstein in Berlin in 1879, the son of Moses Arndstein, a German Jew, and his Dutch wife Thekla. In his teens, Nick took up bicycle racing, through which he moved into the sports underworld. Arrangements to throw races got him arrested in London, Paris and Monte Carlo.

Nick came to the U.S. in about 1906 and married a New Jersey woman. Tall (6 foot 6!), debonair, and equipped with dozens of aliases, Nick got himself into swindling deals, including a wiretapping scheme engineered by Atlantic City's Gondorff Brothers. For that, he did time in Sing Sing from 1915 to 1918.

Nick and Fanny met on a blind date in Baltimore in 1912. She was overwhelmed, she wrote later, by "his manners, good breeding, education, and extraordinary gift for dreaming." Doubtless he reminded her of Charlie Borach, who had died that same year. Fanny turned a blind eye to Nick's "business" activities, and only learned in 1915 that he was married.

Nick's associates included a "Who's Who" of gangsters and con-men of the era, including Frank Costello, Lucky Luciano and Arnold Rothstein, engineer of the 1919 Black Sox debacle. Nick was under investigation for something-or-other throughout his marriage to Fanny. In 1920, he was indicted for a \$5 million Wall Street bond swindle. Following years of appeals, he was convicted and served two years in Leavenworth.

Fanny and Nick (who finally had divorced his first wife) married in 1918. They had two children: Frances (1918) and William (1921), named for William Fallon, Nick's lawyer, whose excellent representation often saved him from prison. The marriage lasted until 1927.



RELIGIOUS SCHOOL AND YOUTH PROGRAMS

Cheryl Katz

Director of Education & Youth Programs

YOUTH GROUP EVENTS:

March:

March 1, Sunday – Kadima Lounge Day

March 8, Sunday – Community Purim Carnival at JCC

March 13, Friday – Teen Shabbat (7th-12th Grades)

March 14, Saturday – Jr. Congregation

March 15, Sunday – USY Board Meeting

March 26, Thursday – USY Lounge Night (7th-12th Grades)



RELIGIOUS SCHOOL CHAIR

Amy Kahan

Religious School Chair

Do you have an idea for a program that you would like us to have for religious school parents/families? Please send me some of your ideas. Also, let me know which days and times work best for your family for these programs.

If you would your child to be profiled as Religious School **Student of the Month**, please send me a photo and information about his/her favorite part of Religious School, hobbies, pets, etc.



Thanks so much!

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Hosted by Ohr Shalom Teens
for Good Deeds Day

Sunday, March 29. 10:00am-1:00pm

\$5 suggested donation

Ohr Shalom's teens are hosting a pancake breakfast to raise for money for **Feeding San Diego**. Join them at the synagogue for breakfast that morning. Open to all members of the congregation.

Donations of non-perishable food will also be accepted/appreciated.

Good Deeds Day is a global day that unites people to do good deeds for the benefit of others and the planet.

Feeding San Diego is the leading hunger relief organization in the county, providing 26 million meals with dignity to San Diego residents facing hunger last year. It provides food and resources to a network of more than 260 neighborhood partners serving 63,000 children, families and seniors each week.

**FEEDING
SAN DIEGO**





SISTERHOOD CORNER

Marda Rose
Sisterhood President



Make Some Noise: A Women's Tell-All Based on the Plots of Purim March 5th at 7:00pm

The Hive / Leichtag Foundation
441 Saxony Road, Encinitas

Join Ohr Shalom Sisterhood for an evening of merriment, story, song, and poetry presented by The Hive. You will hear women from diverse backgrounds speak about their own stories of leadership, masked identities, bravery, and finding their own voice.

Sisterhood President Marda Rose will be one of the storytellers! Please come hear her.

Get your tickets at the event website: <https://leichtag.org/event/make-some-noise-a-womens-tell-all-based-on-the-themes-of-purim/>. And let Marda know you are coming to make sure we can all sit together (marda.c.rose@gmail.com).

SISTERHOOD WENT TO THE JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL



L to R: Marda Rose, Tracy Raz, Linda Kucinski, Ray Sachs and Marcia Sachs enjoyed an evening of movies and dinner at the Jewish Film Festival.

Sisterhood Table

Friday, March 20 at 7:15pm

Please join us for dinner and conversation at the Sisterhood Table during Kehillatit dinner.



Sisterhood Gift Shop

Gift Shop Hours - By appointment at giftshop@ohrshalom.org

- Jewelry
- Candlesticks
- Kiddush Cups
- Mezuzot
- Phone Covers and More!



Special Requests? Email us.

Visit our virtual shop at ohrshalom.org/sisterhood.

LET'S TAKE A STEP IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION™

ANTI-DEFAMATION LEAGUE

WALK AGAINST HATE™

Sunday, April 26, 2020
8:30am to 12:00pm

Ingram Plaza/NTC Park at Liberty Station

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SOCIAL ACTION

Rachel Millstone
Social Action Chair



“SHOW UP, FOLLOW UP, NEVER GIVE UP!”

I’ve been to a lot of graduations over the years. But this one was extra special.

“**Show up, Follow up, Never Give Up!**” These were the words of Howard Solomon, Board Member, to the new graduates of Class Nineteen’s **Kitchens for Good’s** “Project Launch: A Culinary Apprenticeship Program” on Friday, January 31. The sixteen new graduates on stage enthusiastically echoed the mantra back to him, and the pride in the room was palpable.



Thanks to Jane Zeer, **Kitchens for Good** came onto Social Action’s radar this year, and a group from Ohr Shalom attended the graduation event to congratulate and cheer on the newly dubbed chefs, many of whom already secured jobs in restaurants throughout San Diego! We were deeply moved and inspired by the graduates’ accounts of their individual life transformations. You will be too!



Seated L to R: Ruth Levy, Trish Martinez, Jane Zeer; Standing L to R: Amy Morris, Bill Morris, Rachel Millstone

KFG hosts a luncheon/graduation every few months, for each new cohort to come through the program. The next graduation events are April 10, 11:00am-1:30pm and June 19, 11:00am-1:30pm. Registration is free and open to the public: <https://kitchensforgood.org/graduation/>

A culinary apprenticeship program, “Project Launch” via **Kitchens for Good** serves vulnerable unemployed populations coming from prison, from abusive living situations, from terminated foster care programs, etc.. These individuals embark on a 12-week intensive training program where they learn culinary arts, nutrition education, financial literacy and life-planning skills. They give back to the community by breaking the cycles of food waste, poverty, unemployment, substance abuse, and hunger. These individuals “rescue” cosmetically imperfect produce and learn to create nutritious meals that are then provided to after-school youth programs and to seniors living with food insecurity. They learn to interrupt the bitter cycles from which they come and to forge a new cycle of good through their training. Stay tuned for volunteer opportunities with this amazing organization! In the meantime, attend a graduation event and become truly inspired by the life-altering testimonials!



As Social Action Chair, I personally invite you to continue joining us in our ongoing collections and events to make this world a more compassion one. No act is too small. Your actions matter!

When you honor a loved one, consider attributing your donation to the *Ohr Shalom Social Action Fund*, designated specifically for social action purposes.

ONGOING

TAY ACADEMY: Participate in the ongoing weekly hot lunch meals to the TAY Academy drop-in facility serving homeless teens and young adults. There are over 1,000 homeless teens living in America’s Finest City. Please help us partner with TAY! Contact Marilyn Shelden at marilyn.shelden@gmail.com to join this dynamic group of volunteers.



JFS FOOD DISTRIBUTION VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES AT OHR SHALOM (Third Thursday): If you would like to join Jewish Family Service volunteers to distribute food at Ohr Shalom on the third Thursday of the month, please register on their website at: jfssd.galaxydigital.com/need/detail/?need_id=402507

SOCIAL ACTION CONT.

FOOD COLLECTIONS

Bins in the Ohr Shalom Lobby

PURIM COLLECTION FOR SPECIAL DELIVERY SAN DIEGO



Special Delivery San Diego: As we prepare for the mitzvah of *matanot la-eyonim* (gifts to those in need) for Purim this month (**March 9th**), we will be honoring Ruth Henricks' organization, **Special Delivery San Diego**. This non-profit relies exclusively on volunteers to cook and deliver fresh, homemade, nutritious meals to upwards of 130 medically homebound individuals living with AIDS, cancer and other critical illnesses through the San Diego community. Please donate non-perishable dry goods and canned foods to the bin in the synagogue lobby. We will deliver these goods on Purim to help stock the pantry of Special Delivery San Diego (no glass, please).

<i>Canned vegetables</i>	<i>Canned beans</i>	<i>Peanut butter</i>
<i>Canned tuna</i>	<i>Canned fruit</i>	<i>Soups</i>
<i>Mac and Cheese</i>	<i>Snack packs</i>	<i>Cereals</i>
<i>Pasta</i>	<i>Dried beans</i>	<i>Rice</i>
	<i>Pasta Sauce</i>	

Special Delivery San Diego is located at: 4021 Goldfinch Street.



PASSOVER FOODS TO JFS FOOD PANTRY

Pesach begins April 8. Once again, we are collecting Kosher-for-Passover foods to donate to the Hand Up Food Pantry of Jewish Family Service to be distributed to their clients. Please donate these and other Kosher-for-Passover foods:

Grape juice (Kedem preferred)
Gefilte fish
Horseradish
Matzo
Matzo meal
Matzo ball soup, mix or canned
Macaroons
Jelly candy



Questions? Ideas? Want to help? Please contact:
 Rachel Millstone, Social Action Chair at
rdmillstone@gmail.com

Ohr Shalom Synagogue Participates in

OPEN HOUSE SAN DIEGO ARCHITECTURAL TOUR

Sunday, March 8
from 1:00pm to 4:00pm

Our beautiful and historic synagogue building will be a stop again this year on **Open House! San Diego**, the annual architectural tour sponsored by the *San Diego Architectural Foundation*.



Ohr Shalom will open its doors to welcome visitors, offer some refreshments, and conduct tours.

OH! San Diego 2020 offers free behind-the-scenes access on Friday through Sunday, March 6-8, to buildings located in: Downtown San Diego, Bankers Hill, Balboa Park, Barrio Logan, Point Loma, La Jolla, and new for 2020 – Coronado! For more information about OH! San Diego, go to <http://sdarchitecture.org/program/openhouse/>.

SAVE THE DATE

May 29 to 31

Scholar-In-Residence Shavuot Weekend at Ohr Shalom with **Dr. Jay Rothman:**

Seek Peace and Pursue It

Dr. Rothman is currently a Visiting Professor at UCSD's School of Global Strategy, sponsored by the Murray Galinson San Diego-Israel Initiative. He is a scholar-practitioner of creative conflict engagement, a principal with The Aria Group, a conflict-resolution consulting firm and author of five books in the area. He made aliyah in 2012, with his wife Randi, to teach and work on projects to improve Israeli-Palestinian relations in Jerusalem.

During Shavuot, he will share stories from his 40-year career devoted to pursuing peace in the US, Israel and elsewhere, teach a class on dialog in the spirit of Martin Buber, and discuss efforts that can be made, among individuals and groups, at creatively engaging opposing perspectives about the Israeli-Palestinian conflict.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Host Families Needed August 2-7, 2020

The host family experience is an exceptional and rewarding aspect of the **JCC Maccabi Games**, **ArtsFest**, and **Access**, for teens, host families, and the entire community. Host families are an integral part of the Maccabi experience as they offer teens a Jewish "home away from home," unforgettable memories, and lasting friendships. It is truly a special way to experience Maccabi and all the Jewish community has to offer. Host families will also have a rewarding experience during the **JCC Maccabi** events as they connect with their friends and neighbors, and build a special bond with their visiting teens that will extend even after Maccabi.

For more information and to sign up as a host family:
sdmaccabi2020.org/host-family-information





ISRAEL DESK

Susie Meltzer
Israel Desk



JEWISH NATIONAL FUND: A VISIONARY SINCE 1901

Theodore Herzl's dream to purchase land in Palestine from the Ottoman Empire that would someday belong to all Jews began in 1901. He started a foundation, named it the Jewish National Fund (JNF) and this eventually led to making the Jewish state a reality. Beginning with 50 acres, the land was purchased gradually by JNF. With financial support from Jews around the world, the area grew to almost 90,000 acres by 1935. In addition, by then 1.7 million trees had already been planted. Following statehood in 1948, JNF helped reclaim land for agricultural use and provide employment for thousands of new immigrants, starting by planting forests, one tree at a time. How many trees? JNF reports that to date, they have planted over 260 million trees in Israel.

Besides planting trees, JNF has built more than 250 reservoirs, developed 250,000 acres of land and established more than 1,000 parks. Today JNF is still busy planting seeds, and at the same time investing expertise and funding for other major advances for the country that will help fortify Israel's future for both the land and the people living there. The following is a summary of some of the extraordinary work JNF has done to deliver vast improvements for Israel:

Water. For decades, JNF has been working to develop alternative water sources, advancing Israeli agriculture and improving water quality. The amount of recycled water in Israel today is over 85%, the highest percentage across the globe, with most of their recycled agricultural water coming from water supplied by JNF reservoirs. Still the need for water is not going away as Israel's population is growing and Israel has faced consecutive years of drought.

Forests. JNF'S national forestry program keeps working to maintain the forests as well as create green spaces around congested towns and cities. It also must balance the phenomenal growth Israel has experienced in the last decade to sustain soil conservation, coral reef restoration, fire prevention and developing agricultural infrastructure.

Agriculture. As the population of the planet grows, the world watches Israel and what it is doing in the desert. For more than a century, JNF has sponsored research to study plant life and soil quality in efforts to cultivate all the land. JNF has been very successful in developing new technology for trees, solar power, saltwater irrigation and more.

Disability and Special Needs. JNF is dedicated to help the people living in Israel and believes passionately that people with disabilities and special needs should be given a place to thrive. Through a variety of initiatives and partnerships, JNF is providing state-of-the-art rehabilitative services, special education and medical care in areas where they were previously unavailable, ensuring that recreational facilities from parks to nature trails are inclusive for visitors of all levels.

Love of Israel. Lastly, JNF is focused on education, being the largest provider of Israel engagement programs in the United States. From kindergarten through adulthood, from B'nai Mitzvah projects to Birthright trips, they help students and the broader community to foster greater commitment and love for the land of Israel.

Since 1901, Jewish National Fund has helped grow and develop Israel in all areas of the country. On Sunday March 22nd, please join Eli and me at their brunch (see information on this page) to celebrate the legacy and the work JNF continues to do. Their traditional blue boxes for tzedakah are also available in the office.

VOTE for your Voice in Israel

Online Elections are open until **March 11**

American Jews have the opportunity to vote online for the Jewish future in Israel and around the world. Delegates elected from the United States will join delegates from Israel and around the world at the 38th World Zionist Congress in October 2020, the international "parliament of the Jewish people," to make decisions regarding key institutions which allocate nearly \$1 billion annually to support Israel and World Jewry (including the World Zionist Organization, Jewish National Fund and the Jewish Agency for Israel).



Vote the MERCAZ USA Slate

MERCAZ is the Zionist Organization of the Conservative/Masorti Movement around the world. Their platform promotes pluralistic-egalitarian religious options and Israeli government funding for the schools and institutions of Conservative/Masorti Movement. For more information about MERCAZ, its platform, and the slate of delegates to the World Zionist Congress, go to mercazusa.org/votemercaz.

To Cast Your Ballot, go to azm.org/elections

You'll also find more information there about the election. The fee to register and vote is \$7.50 (\$5.00 for ages 18-25), which covers the administrative costs of running the election. You are eligible to vote if you will be at least 18 years of age by June 30, 2020.

Jewish National Fund invites you to attend the 9th Annual Love of Israel Brunch

**Sunday, March 22, 2020
10:30am - 12:00pm**

Omni San Diego Hotel
675 L St., San Diego

Guest Speaker: Titi Aynaw – Miss Israel 2013, Model, and TV Personality

RSVP early to secure your spot at
jnf.org/SDBrunch2020/ (at Eli Meltzer's table)

General Admission: \$36



Your Voice in Israel

TODAH RABAH AND LIFE CYCLE EVENTS

Thank you for your generous donations in February:

SYNAGOGUE FUND

In loving memory of Vanina Bunton

Jackie Ander
Mina and Enrique Cohen
Lynn and Ivan Mendelsohn
Tricia Pummill and Bernie Semel
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In loving memory of Maurice Shemtov

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Lynn and Ivan Mendelsohn
Marilyn and Al Shelden
Esther Tishman

In loving memory of Zelda Klein.

Mina and Enrique Cohen
Lynn and Ivan Mendelsohn

In loving memory of Aharon ben Naftali

In loving memory of Aharon ben David

In loving memory of Sarah bat Mordechai
Aaron Rubinstein

In loving memory of Saul Kaplan

In loving memory of Kay Kaplan

J. Jason Kaplan

In loving memory of Chaya Levine

In loving memory of Gregorio Bogan

Ana and José Galicot

In loving memory of Nissim Capelluto

In loving memory of Adolf Salzmänn

Stella and Eriberto Salzmänn

In loving memory of Henry Sachs

In loving memory of Marian Schultz

In loving memory of Howard Schultz

Marcia and Ray Sachs

In loving memory of Hyman Wolpoff

In loving memory of Jacqueline Horstein

In loving memory of Michael Wolpoff

In loving memory of Philip Weinstein

Harriet and Sheldon Wolpoff

In loving memory of Aaron Cohen

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Tricia Pummill and Bernie Semel

In loving memory of Bernard D. Smith

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In Honor of Ruben Rosental's Birthday

Marilyn and Al Shelden

Thank You to Ohr Shalom

Sidney Djanogly and Marcia Schuster
Ruth and Steven Shapiro

RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

In loving memory of Maurice Shemtov

Sharon and Raulf Polichar

SOCIAL ACTION FUND

In loving memory of Maurice Shemtov

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TAY Academy

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RELIGIOUS SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

In loving memory of Vanina Bunton

Sharon and Raulf Polichar

Eileen Wingard

TODAH RABAH TO OUR SHABBAT ONEG

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Cheryl and Ben Katz

Sharon and Raulf Polichar

Sarah and Joshua Rosenthal

Sarah Springer and Yuda Piha

Rabbi Sheldon Switkin

We apologize for any omissions

SHARE A SIMCHA

or commemorate a loved one's yahrzeit with your Ohr Shalom family by sponsoring an Oneg or Kiddush.

Standard Friday Oneg
Sponsorship: **\$90**

Shabbat Morning Kiddush
Sponsorship: **\$90**
(\$120 with Lox)



TODAH RABAH AND LIFE CYCLE EVENTS (CONT.)

Condolences to:

Jeremiah, Noah, Shoshannah and Nechama Bunton on the passing of their beloved mother, **Vanina Bunton**, beloved daughter of **Liliane Zouari**.

Iliana Bielaz on the passing of her beloved mother, **Zelma Gardenberg Klein**, grandmother of **Jonathan, Galia** and **Eitan**.

Michal and **Alberto Hamui** on the passing of their beloved father **Maurice Shemtov**.

May their memory be for a blessing to all those who knew them and loved them.



Todah Rabah

to our February Shabbat Service Leaders, Torah and Haftarah Readers, D'rashot and Minyan Leaders:

LeAnne Adams	Rachel Millstone
Aviva Angel	Amy Morris
Hillel Angel	Bill Morris
Ilan Awerbuch	Elena Naftalin-Kellman
Vanina Bunton	Marni Nagel
Rabbi Yonina Creditor	Rocky Reid
Jonathan Geiger	Ruben Rosental
Joe Hartman	Brian Ross
Rebecca Iden	Randi Rothman
Samantha Katz	Aaron Rubinstein
Koba	Brian Stannard
Morris Lazard	Rabbi Shelden Switkin
Jessica Lemoine	Jonah Weinberg
Yiftach Levy	Dan Weiss
Susanne Lisker	Canter Cheri Weiss
Eli Meltzer	Rebecca Wollner
Ivan Mendelsohn	Marvin Yudkovitz

Todah Rabah to our February office volunteer:

Alice Broudy Cupples.

Todah Rabah to our Shabbat Kehillatit Dinner

Volunteers in February: Marci Prag, Matthew

Razinsky, Barbara Haislip, Daniel Pick, Jim Lewis, and Kelley Mack.

DEDICATE A NEW LEV SHALEM PRAYER BOOK

In Honor Of...

In Memory Of...

Your gift will honor a loved one and support the synagogue. A bookplate with your dedication will be placed inside a *Siddur*. **Cost Per Bookplate: \$90**



Yahrzeits

John Cannizzaro	Remembered by Janice Zipp Cannizzaro	1-Mar/5 Adar
*Linda Gabbai	Remembered by Albert Algazi	1-Mar/5 Adar
Chaya Lisker	Ruben Lisker's Mother	1-Mar/5 Adar
Ken Turest	Vicki Turest's Husband	1-Mar/5 Adar
Blumah Drabin	Ilan Awerbuch's Grandmother	2-Mar/6 Adar
Peretz Drabin	Ilan Awerbuch's Grandfather	2-Mar/6 Adar
*Betty Markin	Eileen Wingard's Aunt	2-Mar/6 Adar
Esther Siprut	Mark Siprut's Mother	2-Mar/6 Adar
Rudolph Tuteur	Jennifer Tuteur's Grandfather	2-Mar/6 Adar
Gregorio Bogan	Ana Galicot's Uncle	3-Mar/7 Adar
Joseph Cruz	Jeffrey Cruz's Father	3-Mar/7 Adar
*Sylvia Cysner	Remembered by Ohr Shalom	3-Mar/7 Adar
Morrey Friedman	Remembered by Ohr Shalom	3-Mar/7 Adar
Milos Marek	Andres Marek's Father	3-Mar/7 Adar
Jenne Meltzer	Rabbi Scott Meltzer and Brett Meltzer's Grandmother	4-Mar/8 Adar
Norman Schwab	Richard Schwab's Father	4-Mar/8 Adar
Walter Stern	Remembered by Ohr Shalom	4-Mar/8 Adar
George Wolf	Allan Wolf's Father	4-Mar/8 Adar
*Gerry Forman	Reyna Forman's Husband	5-Mar/9 Adar
*Jacob Meltzer	Eli Meltzer's Father	5-Mar/9 Adar
*Robert Shoman	Marty Shoman's Father	5-Mar/9 Adar
John Bunton	Jeremiah Bunton, Noah Bunton, Shoshannah Bunton and Nechama Bunton's Father	6-Mar/10 Adar
*Jorge Rosental	Ruben and Fanny Rosental's Son	6-Mar/10 Adar
Ernest Green	Elizabeth Green's Grandfather	7-Mar/11 Adar
Douglas Maister	Joel Maister's Father	7-Mar/11 Adar
*Isaac Cohen	Rashel Galicot's Father	8-Mar/12 Adar
Michael Elkin	Jared Quient's Stepfather	8-Mar/12 Adar
Albert Sportes	Rene Sportes' Brother	8-Mar/12 Adar
Ariel Andrade	Lucia Domville's Father	9-Mar/13 Adar
Mary Pollock	Lynn Awerbuch's Mother	9-Mar/13 Adar
Melvina Rosenberg	Lilly Hecht's Mother	9-Mar/13 Adar

Yahrzeits

Isidore Golden	Ralph Golden's Father.....	10-Mar/14 Adar
Frank Marco	Love Zubiller's Grandfather.....	10-Mar/14 Adar
Victoria Mizrahi	Remembered by Aaron Rubinstein.....	10-Mar/14 Adar
*Gussie Rubin	Remembered by David Jacobs.....	10-Mar/14 Adar
Anna Salzmman	Tito Salzmman's Grandmother.....	10-Mar/14 Adar
Jonas Salzmman	Tito Salzmman's Grandfather.....	10-Mar/14 Adar
Melvin Goldberg	Karen Rund and Susie Meltzer's Uncle.....	11-Mar/15 Adar
Eliezer Awerbuch	Ilan Awerbuch's Father.....	12-Mar/16 Adar
Cecilia Deitz	Miguel Veinbergs' Sister, Fela Barnett's Grandmother.....	12-Mar/16 Adar
Doris Glickman	Alma Geiger and Harriet Wolpoff's Aunt.....	12-Mar/16 Adar
Benjamin Goldberg	Lina Gorinstein's Father.....	12-Mar/16 Adar
Eleanor Straling	Elizabeth Green's Grandmother.....	12-Mar/16 Adar
Lisa Clerici	Evelyn Schwimmer's Daughter.....	14-Mar/18 Adar
Mira Milstein	Enrique Milstein's Mother.....	14-Mar/18 Adar
Bernice Tiger	Stan Tiger's Mother.....	14-Mar/18 Adar
*Hy Zipp	Elaine Smith and Janice Zipp Cannizzaro's Father.....	14-Mar/18 Adar
*Sheine Masha Goldberg	Esther Tishman's Mother, Lilian Deicas and Rosa Ratniewski's Grandmother.....	15-Mar/19 Adar
Szali Grun	Elizabeth Green's Great Grandmother.....	15-Mar/19 Adar
*Isaac Zachs	Reina Shteremberg's Father.....	15-Mar/19 Adar
Leonora Cohn	Jennifer Tuteur's Grandmother.....	16-Mar/20 Adar
John Nobel	Melissa Galicot's Father.....	16-Mar/20 Adar
Samuel Goldberg	Esther Tishman's Brother.....	17-Mar/21 Adar
Juliet Green	Remembered by Elizabeth Green.....	17-Mar/21 Adar
*Lillian Jacobs	David Jacob's Mother.....	17-Mar/21 Adar
*Hyman Joseph Kaplan	George Kaplan's Father.....	18-Mar/22 Adar
Benjamin Koistinen	Remembered by Bernie Semel and Tricia Pummill.....	18-Mar/22 Adar
Edward Mayer Argoff	David Argoff's Brother.....	19-Mar/23 Adar
Eleanor Braun	Gary Brown's Mother.....	19-Mar/23 Adar
Leonardo Kobisher	Aida Kobisher's Father.....	19-Mar/23 Adar
Blanche Sherman	Larry Sherman's Mother.....	19-Mar/23 Adar
Judy Davis	Bonnie Tabak's Sister.....	20-Mar/24 Adar
Doris Broudy Goodman	Alice Broudy Cupples' Aunt.....	20-Mar/24 Adar
David Palmer	Remembered by Sara Zands.....	20-Mar/24 Adar
*Rabbi Aaron Gottesman	Remembered by Ohr Shalom.....	21-Mar/25 Adar
Aida Heller	Remembered by Allan Wolf.....	21-Mar/25 Adar
*Lea Lazard	Morris Lazard's Mother.....	21-Mar/25 Adar
Bernie Moss	Remembered by Gillian Moss.....	21-Mar/25 Adar
*Maurice Polichar	Raulf Polichar's Father.....	21-Mar/25 Adar
*Julia Winsberg	Susan Kaplan's Grandmother.....	21-Mar/25 Adar
Leib Ben Aaron Finkler	Aaron Rubinstein's Uncle.....	22-Mar/26 Adar
David Goldstein	Don Goldstein's Father, Jennifer Meltzer's Grandfather.....	22-Mar/26 Adar
Gladys Marco	Love Zubiller's Grandmother.....	22-Mar/26 Adar
*Blanche Goldstein	Ellen Statman's Mother.....	23-Mar/27 Adar
Sari Rose	Elaine Smith and Janice Zipp Cannizzaro's Aunt.....	23-Mar/27 Adar
Tillie Wolf	Allan Wolf's Mother.....	23-Mar/27 Adar
Richard Fordham	Jeanne Argoff's Father, Gillian Argoff-Treseder's Grandfather.....	24-Mar/28 Adar
Michael Frank	Jeremy Van Frank's Father.....	24-Mar/28 Adar
*Nissim Capelluto	Stella Salzmman's Father.....	25-Mar/29 Adar
Nathan Epstein	Remembered by Marda Rose.....	25-Mar/29 Adar
Carlos Sefchovich	Leye Sefchovich's Father.....	25-Mar/29 Adar
*Gloria French	Remembered by Reyna Forman.....	26-Mar/1 Nisan
Iris Moss	Remembered by Gillian Moss.....	26-Mar/1 Nisan
Sandra Golden	Ralph Golden's Wife.....	27-Mar/2 Nisan
*Laura Casuto	Morris Casuto's Mother.....	29-Mar/4 Nisan
*Yuriy Glozman	Golda Slutskaya's Father.....	29-Mar/4 Nisan
Jenny Stepensky	Teshy Wellman's Sister.....	29-Mar/4 Nisan
Marcus Broudy	Alice Broudy Cupples' Great Uncle.....	30-Mar/5 Nisan
Anna Golden	Ralph Golden's Mother.....	30-Mar/5 Nisan
Herbert Kay	Koba Father.....	31-Mar/6 Nisan
Hayim Levine	Ana Galicot's Father.....	31-Mar/6 Nisan
*Ruth Okin	Michael Okin's Mother.....	31-Mar/6 Nisan
Jaime Tacher	Salomon Tacher's Father.....	31-Mar/6 Nisan

* denotes a memorial plaque was purchased in memory of a loved one



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

March 2020

Adar 5780/Nisan 5780

Sunday, March 8
Daylight Savings Time
Turn Clocks
Forward an Hour



TOTS IN PJS
 Kabbalat Shabbat Service
Friday,
March 6, 6:00pm

Movie Night
Sunday, March 26
at 6:45pm
FIDDLER: A MIRACLE
OF MIRACLES
 See page 7 for details

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
5 Adar Religious School 9:30am Sunday Morning Talk Show 10:00am Adult Ed: Beginning Hebrew Reading 11:00am Minyan 6:15pm Movie Night 6:45pm	1 6 Adar Minyan 6:15pm Choir Practice 6:30pm	2 7 Adar Adult Ed: International Jewish Literature 10:00am Minyan 6:15pm	3 8 Adar Adult Ed: Daf Yomi 10:00am Minyan 6:15pm	5 9 Adar Religious School 4:30pm Minyan 6:15pm Sisterhood Storyteller Show 7:00pm	6 10 Adar Office Closes 2:00pm Tots in PJs 6:00pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service "Ask the Rabbi" 7:15pm 5:32pm	7 11 Adar Parshat Tetzaveh Shabbat Zachor Shabbat Service 9:30am 6:33pm
8 12 Adar <i>Turn Clocks Forward an Hour</i> Religious School @ JCC 10:00am Community Purim Carnival: 11:00am Adult Ed: Beginning Hebrew Reading 11:00am Open House San Diego 1:00pm Marpeh 3:00pm Minyan 6:15pm	9 13 Adar Erev Purim Fast of Esther Family-Friendly Dinner 5:30pm Celebration 6:30pm Megilah Reading 8:00pm	10 14 Adar Purim Adult Ed: International Jewish Literature 10:00am Minyan 6:15pm	11 15 Adar Shushan Purim Adult Ed: Daf Yomi 10:00am Minyan 6:15pm Board Meeting 7:00pm	12 16 Adar Religious School 4:30pm Minyan 6:15pm	13 17 Adar Office Closes 2:00pm Teen Shabbat 6:00pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service with the Ohr Shalom Choir 7:15pm 6:38pm	14 18 Adar Parshat Ki Tisa Shabbat Parah Learners Shacharit 9:30am Shabbat Torah Service & Musaf 10:15am Jr. Congregation 10:30am 7:38pm
15 19 Adar Religious School 9:30am Adult Ed: Beginning Hebrew Reading 11:00am Minyan 6:15pm	16 20 Adar Minyan 6:15pm Choir Practice 6:30pm	17 21 Adar Adult Ed: International Jewish Literature 10:00am Minyan 6:15pm	18 22 Adar Adult Ed: Daf Yomi 10:00am Minyan 6:15pm	19 23 Adar Religious School 4:30pm Minyan 6:15pm	20 24 Adar Office Closes 2:00pm Shabbat Kehillatit Service 6:15pm Community Dinner 7:15pm <i>Shabbaton in Shreveport</i> 6:43pm	21 25 Adar Parshat Vayekhel-Pekudei Shabbat HaChodesh Shabbat Service 9:30am <i>Shabbaton in Shreveport</i> 7:43pm
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