WEEKLY SERVICES FRIDAY . . . . . 6:30PM SATURDAY . . . 9:30AM SUNDAY. . . . . 8:00AM

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#### PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Our Sunday school is in full swing and I think it is proving to be a valuable living and learning experience for both the students and the teachers. Where there is life there is hope and there is plenty of life now at Shaaray Tefila on Sunday mornings.

Our new prayer books are arriving for a trial period. Please take some time to acquaint yourselves with them and give us your opinion on whether they will meet our needs in a better or different way than our current Sim Shalom books.

We are planning a Havurat Shabbat Friday night service in mid-January. If you remember from last year, this was a short Friday night service and Shabbat dinner, designed and led by congregants. We had a nice turnout last year and attendees found it to be an enjoyable and meaningful experience. Please watch synagogue announcements or our Facebook page for details.

Several months ago, Laurie Moore created a new format for our website. We are now in the process of rewriting our website text. For many newcomers, our website is their first encounter with Shaaray Tefila. We want to welcome them with open hearts and open minds, both in our physical building and on our website. You should start seeing a change over the next month or so. Your feedback is always welcome.

We hit winter with a bang this year. With the cold snowy weather, many of our older or disabled members are finding it difficult to make it to shul. Please reach out to people who may have difficulty with transportation by offering a ride and a hand. Your presence at services is always appreciated but even more so at this time of year when we can't rely on our snowbirds to make our minyans.

Cher and I would like to wish all of you a joyous Chanukah season.

Mark Hoffman, President

## SYNAGOGUE NEWS AND ANNOUNCMENTS

The Congregation and Sisterhood offer their sincere condolences to Norm & Sylvia Kudan and all of their family on the passing of their brother-inlaw, Melvin Bittman. Mel passed on Thursday, November 27, 2014 (Kislev 5, 5775)

The Congregation and Sisterhood offer their sincere condolences to Barbara Plasse, Beverly Seligson, Victor Friedman and all of the Friedman families on the passing of their beloved patriarch, Dr. Orel Friedman. Orel passed on Friday, December 12, 2014 (Kislev 20, 5775) at the blessed age of 101.



BOARD MEETING: The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, January 19, 2015 at 7:00 PM

#### **KOSHER DELIVERY**

The <u>deadline to place your order</u> for the local Kosher Delivery is on **Monday January 12<sup>th</sup>**. The Deliver will be on **Wed.**, **January 21<sup>st</sup>**. **Call 1-800-727-5674 to place your order**.

**Best Wishes to the Following Members for** a Very Happy Anniversary:

> Dr. Steven & Jerrilyn Benson January 29th 48th anniversary

Congregation Shaaray Tefila and **Sisterhood Send Their Very Best Birthday Wishes to the Following Members and Friends:** 



Myron Rapaport

Dr. Larry Greenberg January 5 January 6

J. Lawrence Paltrowitz January 13

**Benjamin Cohen** January 14

Vance Cohen January 22

**Herb Levin** January 29

**Audrey Vogenberg** January 30



Beginning in January, we will be changing our Bingo night to Wednesdays to see if the crowds pick up. In the past several months we have lost several of our regular volunteers. Two have moved

away--Aleta Fisher and Diane Beale. Arnold Mandwelle is taking several months off. Sam and Roberta Gottesman will need to be replaced every other Bingo night. Diane and Arnold Alkes who work every week will be going to Florida for 3 months. Dan Korot is not available on Wednesdays. Currently, I am looking to fill 8 positions every four weeks. If you currently work one night a month, can you do two? If you have been thinking about helping, now is the time.

I am preparing a one month work schedule for January. If we don't get more members willing to commit one or two nights a week stepping forward in the next four weeks, I will be forced to recommend ceasing this most valuable fund raiser. It is now or never.

Larry Greenberg, Bingo Chairman



Congregation Shaaray Tefila has the following Fundraisers which are vital to a balanced budget for our organization.

They include: Tree of Life (\$150), Yahrzeit Plaques (\$150),

Memorial Windows in the Sanctuary (\$150), Onegs and Kiddushes (\$25-\$100) in honor or memory of loved ones, Bingo (volunteers needed), Holiday Flowers, Cards (\$10), Yom Kippur Appeal at any level and more.

Please check out the items available in our gift shop when you are in the building or call Laurie for something you are looking for and we will try to order it. Thank you for your continued support.

REMINDER: For synagogue accounting purposes please make your checks out to the appropriate account. Account names are in BOLD. A separate check is needed if you contribute to one or more of the following accounts.

- 1. Congregation Shaaray Tefila: This is our main fund that supports the whole congregation. It includes the following Funds: General Fund, Building Fund, Cemetery Fund, Rabbi Discretionary Fund, Louis Chary Memorial Fund, Torah Repair Fund, Arts & Acquisitions Fund, Podolsky Fund, Lila Weinstein Memorial Library Fund, and the Eli Rudnick Holocaust Fund. Just make a notation in the memo line of your check.
- 2. CST Sisterhood: Supports Sisterhood, a vital part of the synagogue for membership, Onegs and Kiddush.
- 3. Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Aronson Fund: Supports young people for camp and education.
- 4. Sisterhood Gift Shop: Payments can be made to CST Gift Shop

Thank you for your understanding.

# WE GRATEFULLY ACKNOWLEDGE THESE THOUGHTFUL CONTRIBUTIONS

#### **BUILDING /GENERAL FUND**

Donation from Neil & Angela Puro

Donation from Charles Kudan

In memory of Sunny Buchman's sister, Mimi Hirsch From,

Linda & Steve Busch Stacey Mandelbaum, Alex Frank, and family Burt & Claire Kantrowitz

Continued healing wishes to Norm Radin From, Bonnie Yanklowitz

Thoughts and prayers to Arnold Mandwelle From, Bonnie Yanklowitz

In loving memory of Nancy Kudan's parents, Shirley & Arnold Klein, and her brother, Fred Klein From, Nancy & Peter Kudan

In loving memory of my father, Morris Solomon From, Ruth Shapiro

In memory of Miriam (Mimi) Hirsch In memory of Carol Aronson In honor of Roberta & Sam Gottesman's anniversary

In honor of Mitchell & Robin Ćohen's Anniversary
In honor of Joan Weill's birthday
In honor of Dolly Morrissey's birthday
Good health and healing prayers to Dolly Morrissey
In honor of Ben Aronson's birthday
In honor of Nancy Kudan's birthday
In honor of Rabbi Boaz Marmon's birthday
In honor of Sam Gottesman's birthday
In honor of Ruth Shapiro's birthday
In honor of Moe & Hilda Schwartz's anniversary
In honor of Mike & Jo-Ann Rapaport's anniversary
In honor of Jo-Ann Rapaport becoming a
Bat Mitzvah

In honor of Hilda Schwartz's birthday
In honor of Claire Kantrowitz's birthday
IN honor of Sharon Aronson's birthday
In honor of Burt & Claire Kantrowitz's anniversary
In honor of Norm Kudan's birthday
In honor of Peter Weill's birthday
From, Rose Rothstein

In memory of Dr. Orel Friedman From, Sid Kanofsky and family

#### M/M SAMUEL ARONSON EDUCATION FUND

In loving memory of Miriam (Mimi) Hirsch, beloved sister of Barbara & Barry Ziff; beloved mother of Ruth Haas, Ellen & Don Brounstein, and Steven & Emily Hirsch

Good health and healing thoughts and prayers to George Conable From, Sunny Buchman

In loving memory of Ben Aronson, Carol Aronson, Miriam (Mimi) Hirsch, and Marilyn Aronson From, Mary Aronson and Larry Aronson

#### **TORAH REPAIR FUND**

In loving memory of Mel Bittman From, Bonnie Yanklowitz

In honor of Burt & Claire Kantrowitz's anniversary
In honor of Sofya Orshansky's birthday
In honor of Peter Weill's birthday
From, Norm & Sylvia Kudan



### PLEDGES 5775

5775 Yom Kippur Donation **From: Anonymous** 



# SISTERHOOD GIFT SHOP NEWS

The Sisterhood Gift Shop is opened during the week during normal Office hours. **Payment is expected at the time of purchase.** Sisterhood thanks you for your patronage.

The Gift Shop window and display case are located in the Main Hall.

We have several new items including a great selection of Kiddush cups, limited edition items, Shabbat candles, new books and many beautiful one-of-a-kind gift items. Remember your loved ones on their Birthdays and Anniversaries.

Sisterhood thanks you for your patronage.

Gift Certificates are available!



# SISTERHOOD NEWS: JANUARY 2015

### ONEGS AND KIDDUSHES WILL BE SPONSORED BY:

Friday, January 2: Services at The Glenssonsored by Sunny Buchman

<u>Saturday</u>, <u>January 3</u>: Sponsored by Dolly Morrissey in loving memory of her husband Bob.

<u>Friday, January 9</u>: Sponsored by Elaine Sobel in honor of Adam Mulligan's 18<sup>th</sup> birthday

**Saturday, January 10:** Sponsorship available

Friday, January 16: Sponsorship available

<u>Saturday</u>, <u>January 17</u>: Sponsored by Norm & Sylvia Kudan in memory of Sylvia's stepfather, Walter Cohen and Norm's uncle, George Kudon

Friday, January 23: Chavurat Shabbat

<u>Saturday, January 24:</u> Kiddush sponsored by Robin & Mitchell Cohen in memory of their beloved father, grandfather, and great grandfather, George Cohen Z'L.

Friday, January 30: Sponsorship available

Saturday, January 31: Sponsorship available

#### **HONORABLE MENTCHEN:**

Thank you to all the generous people who sponsored an Oneg or Kiddush in December:

Annette Raych and Estabelle Witepsky, Norm & Sylvia Kudan, Sunny Buchman, Elaine Sobel, Arnold Mandwelle, Mike Gersten, and Sisterhood

### SISTERHOOD APPRECIATES YOUR HELP

Please call Laurie in the office if you want to sponsor an Oneg or Kiddush for the month of January or February, 792-4945. Thank you again for your donations and your sponsorship.



#### YAHRZEIT RECORD FOR JANUARY 2015



### "The Memory of the Righteous is for a Blessing"

Please note that the Yahrzeit date is listed AFTER the name(s) of the deceased

Yetta Bakst Gertrude Gersten Ben Goldberg

Thursday, 1/1/2015 Tevet 10, 5775 Louis Lazarus

Elayne Suckman

Friday, 1/2/2015 Tevet 11, 5775

**Marion Gellman** 

Saturday, 1/3/2015 Tevet 12, 5775

Seymour Bobbin Irene Daley Einstein

Elinore Greene Mary Mandel

Morris Solomon

Sunday, 1/4/2015 Tevet 13, 5775

Samuel Jacobs Emanuel Juris

**Victor Silverman** 

Tuesday, 1/6/2015 Tevet 15, 5775

Dr. Samuel Kanter Marion Ullman

Thursday, 1/8/2015 Tevet 17, 5775

Harry Green

Friday, 1/9/2015 Tevet 18, 5775

Isidor Oppenheim Sally Rote-Rosen

Regina Strobel Weill

Saturday, 1/10/2015 Tevet 19, 5775

Morris Alkes

A. Morris Aronson

Henry Elkis

Sunday, 1/11/2015 Tevet 20, 5775

A. Henry Elkes Jules Perlman

**Barnet Shapiro** 

**Moses Silverman** 

Monday, 1/12/2015 Tevet 21, 5775

Penny A. Grossman Chayim Seaman Boruch Silverman

Tuesday, 1/13/2015 Tevet 22, 5775

**Bessie Cohen** 

Wednesday, 1/14/2015 Tevet 23, 5775

Robert Aronson Abraham Green **Hyman Reed** 

Thursday, 1/15/2015 Tevet 24, 5775

**Gusta Aronson Morris Aronson** 

**Walter Cohen** 

Joseph Saidel

Friday, 1/16/2015 Tevet 25, 5775

**Kevin Berkowitz (O'Leary)** 

Friday, 1/16/2015

**Mosha Aronson** 

Samuel Rosenburg

Saturday, 1/17/2015 Tevet 26, 5775

Katherine (Kay) Day

Saturday, 1/17/2015

Samuel Aronson

Rose Roth

**Dorothy Segel** 

Max Yunich

Sunday, 1/18/2015 Tevet 27, 5775

Sam Borlawsky

Eva Leah Silverman

Monday, 1/19/2015 Tevet 28, 5775

Gussie Berman George Kudon

Tuesday, 1/20/2015 Tevet 29, 5775

Samuel Beck

**Helen Hoffman** 

**Bertha Kasper** 

Adrian Seligman

**Harry Silverman** 

Wednesday, 1/21/2015 Shevat 1, 5775

**George Cohen** 

Max Oppenheim

Jeanne Silverman

Thursday, 1/22/2015 Shevat 2, 5775

**George Koble** 

Saturday, 1/24/2015 Shevat 4, 5775

Samuel Saidel

Sunday, 1/25/2015 Shevat 5, 5775

Jack Smith

Monday, 1/26/2015 Shevat 6, 5775

**Elaine Levy** 

Samuel Weiss

Berdie Yafa

Tuesday, 1/27/2015 Shevat 7, 5775

**Chayeh Kobel** 

Sabina Landau

Wednesday, 1/28/2015 Shevat 8, 5775

**Isidore Alkes** 

**Charles Ginsburg** 

**Carol Mauro** 

Molly Rodman

Louis Rosenblum

Thursday, 1/29/2015 Shevat 9, 5775

#### Phyllis Feigenbaum Abraham Rudnick

Friday, 1/30/2015 Shevat 10, 5775

Tillie Singer

**Ruth Ann Spaulding** 

Saturday, 1/31/2015 Shevat 11, 5775



# YAHRZEIT RECORD FOR FEBRUARY 2015



### "The Memory of the Righteous is for a Blessing"

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Rose Cohen (Raiza)

Monday, 2/2/2015 Shevat 13, 5775

Anna Cohen

Ida Jacobs

Tuesday, 2/3/2015 Shevat 14, 5775

**Daniel Beale** 

Friday, 2/6/2015

William Kanoff

**Louis Kent** 

**Irving Matlow** 

Friday, 2/6/2015 Shevat 17, 5775

**Morris Kantrowitz** 

**Eva Levitan** 

Benjamin Segel

I. Morton (Mort) Yanklowitz

Saturday, 2/7/2015 Shevat 18, 5775

**Cvnthia Frost** 

Mildred Seaman

Monday, 2/9/2015 Shevat 20, 5775

Joseph Eddleton

**Annie Schwartz** 

**Arthur Shapera** 

**Arthur Shapiro** 

Tuesday, 2/10/2015 Shevat 21, 5775

**Esther Silverman** 

**Carl Suckman** 

Wednesday, 2/11/2015 Shevat 22, 5775

Isaac Alkes

**Abraham Levitt** 

Lena Shapiro

Thursday, 2/12/2015 Shevat 23, 5775

Celia Frost

**Maurice Lebowitz** 

**Anne Lucks** 

Friday, 2/13/2015 Shevat 24, 5775

**Maurice Berman** 

Henrietta Besher

Joan Charisse

**Gustave Cohen** 

Henry Cohen Ida Hoffman David Levitan

Saturday, 2/14/2015 Shevat 25, 5775

**Robert Weiner** 

Sunday, 2/15/2015 Shevat 26, 5775

**Edith Block** 

Tuesday, 2/17/2015 Shevat 28, 5775

Reva Cohen Ethel Juris

Wednesday, 2/18/2015 Shevat 29, 5775

Rose Greenberg Henrietta Lebowitz

Thursday, 2/19/2015 Shevat 30, 5775

William Drazin
Philip Goldstein
Stewart Stern
Stephen Stillman
Samuel Suckman
Mayer Wexler

Friday, 2/20/2015 Adar 1, 5775

Michael Jack Forman Irving Rosenberg Lena Semelisky

Sunday, 2/22/2015 Adar 3, 5775

Father Michael Abraham Monday, 2/23/2015

**Mollie Boorstein** 

Monday, 2/23/2015 Adar 4, 5775

Charles Baron
Irene Brown
Libbie Levin
Miriam Schulman
Louis Solomon
Florence Stillman
Mary Yunich

Tuesday, 2/24/2015 Adar 5, 5775

Eva Alkes Lawrence Levy Mariasa Reed

Wednesday, 2/25/2015 Adar 6, 5775

Peter Accardi Thursday, 2/26/2015 Bruce Rothstein Belle Suckman

Thursday, 2/26/2015 Adar 7, 5775

Milton Grunberger

Friday, 2/27/2015 Adar 8, 5775

Jeanne Mandwelle Saturday, 2/28/2015 Vinona Hudson Farnsworth

Abraham Goldman

**Nathan Pine** 

**Dorothy Reinheimer Semelisk** 

#### Perry Seaman Jennie Solomon

Saturday, 2/28/2015 Adar 9, 5775

#### COMMUNITY EVENTS

Havurah Vatik will not be holding events in January and February.



#### MISHEBERACH LIST

Every person must be responsible for his fellow man. That burden extends to every facet of life including illness. The Torah obligates us to collectively care for the needy, the orphan, the stranger, the aged and the sick; in other words for all those who cannot provide for themselves. This set of prayers is ideal for private at-home prayer or at a Havurah or synagogue healing service.

Please include the following members and

friends in your prayers:

Marilyn Lacombe Arnold Slawsby
Jim Young Sylvia Kudan
Mayer ben Shlomo Hans Cherney
Jenny Preda Norm Radin
Jean Cotter-Hildreth Tom S.

Pam Webb Jeanine Bieber
Dolly Morrissey Dvorah bat Dinah
Adam Skinkle Laura Skinkle

Bob Morrissey Beth Morrissey-Marselli

Steve Morrissey Jordan Havens
Laura Belcher Yehonatan ben Malkah
Hindeh Vihna bat Sonya Aharon ben Gittel
Leah bat Sarah Imeinu Eliyahu ben Chayah

Itz Yonkel Leib ben Shaya Marvin Weiss
Arnold Mandwelle Shaul ben Zelda
Leonore Lebowitz Larry Berman
Terry Lloyd Jim Wright
Bobbi Wright Rita McIntyre
Ruth Mac Donald Joan Aronson
Winnie Miller Herb Reidel

Mark Lipschutz Johanna bas Abraham

Michael Berkowitz Marsha Antis Staci Zemlak-Kenter Moe Schwartz

Nehema Yehudit Tzvia bat Chaya Eran Noam ben Yehudit Chana

**David Mahler** 

JANUARY 2015 Monthly Planner

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday 1 NEW YEARS	Friday 2 Office closed	Saturday 3 9:30 AM Service
				DAY Office Closed No Bingo	6:30 PM Service	GOLDEN GIRLS
8 AM Service No Religious School	5	6	Kabbalah Class 4:30 PM  7 PM Bingo	8	9 Office closed Service at The Glen 6:30 PM	10 9:30 AM Service
11 8 AM Service Religious School 9:30 – 11AM	12 Deadline for Kosher Orders	13	14 Kabbalah Class 4:30 PM 7 PM Bingo	15	16 Office closed 6:30 PM Service	17 9:30 AM Service
8 AM Service No Religious School	19 Martin Luther King Jr. Day Board Mtg 7PM	BULLETIN DEADLINE	SHEVAT  KOSHER DELIVERY  Kabbalah Class 4:30 PM  7 PM Bingo	22	Office closed 6:30 PM Service	9:30 AM Service
8 AM Service Religious School 9:30 – 11AM	26	27	Kabbalah Class 4:30 PM 7 PM Bingo	29	30 Office closed 6:30 PM Service	9:30 AM Service