Rabbi Emeritus Norman Klein Rabbi Emeritus Isaac Neuman Z"L





# High Holy Days Service Schedule



## Rosh Hashanah

Sun, Oct 2	Erev Rosh Hashanah Service7:30 PM
Mon, Oct 3	1st Day - Egalitarian Traditional Minyan 9:00 AM
	Reform Service 10:00 AM
	Jewnior Congregation10:00 AM
	Community Reception at the conclusion of each service
	Children & Family Service2:30 PM
	Tashlich at Maynard Lake5:00 PM
	(access lake between 1846 & 1850 Maynard Dr.)
Tue, Oct 4	2nd Day Egalitarian Traditional Service 9:00 AM

### **SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**

FRIDAY, October 7

7:30 PM Erev Shabbat Services

FRIDAY, October 14

7:30 PM Erev Shabbat Services

FRIDAY, October 21

6:30 PM Shabbat Rocks!

7:30 PM Erev Shabbat Service

FRIDAY, October 28

7:30 PM Erev Shabbat Service

#### **OFFICE CLOSED:**

Mon, Oct 3 Rosh Hashanah
Tue, Oct 4 Rosh Hashanah
Wed, Oct 12 Yom Kippur
Mon, Oct 17 Sukkot
Tue, Oct 18 Sukkot

Mon Oct 24 Shemini Atzeret /

Simchat Torah

# Yom Kippur

Tue, Oct 11	Egalitarian Traditional Kol Nidre 5:45 PM
	Erev Yom Kippur (Kol Nidre) Reform Service 7:30 PM
Wed, Oct 12	Egalitarian Traditional Service w/Yizkor9:00 AM
	Reform Morning Service10:00 AM
	Jewnior Congregation10:00 AM
	Yom Kippur Study Session 1:30 PM
	"Is this the fast I look for?" Isaiah 58 & other social justice texts
	Children & Family Service
	Reform Neilah & Yizkor (followed by Break-the-Fast). 4:00 PM
	Egalitarian Trraditional Mincha w/Neilah 4:45 PM (followed by Break-the-Fast)

## Sukkot

Sun, Oct 16	Erev Sukkot Dinner, Service & Celebration 5:30 PM
Mon, Oct 17	Egalitarian Traditional Service 10:00 AM

## Shemini Atzeret/Simchat Torah

Mon, Oct 24	Egalitarian Traditional Shemini Atzeret Service w/Yizkor
	10:00 ам
	Simchat Torah Dinner & Celebration 5:30 PM

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"B'Rosh Ha-Shanah y'kateivun, u'v'Yom Tzom Kippur y'chateimun—on Rosh Hashanah it is written, on the fast day of Yom Kippur, it is sealed..."

These words, found in the introduction to the *U'netaneh Tokef* prayer, lie at the core of the imagery associated with the High Holidays: we picture God standing as judge over all of us, ledger in hand, determining who will be recorded for life and blessing. And what becomes of those who aren't found deserving of being inscribed in that book? Our liturgy tells us that we pass before the Divine throne as sheep pass before a shepherd, and God musters and numbers each of us and decrees our destiny. Beyond delineating "who shall live and who shall die," according to the text of the prayer, specific fortunes and fates are prescribed.

The whole scene, as awe-inspiring as it may be in the abstract (befitting its apparent origin, or at least popularization, in medieval times), is very unsettling in our

modern understanding of the world. We don't like to think of a world in which accident, or disease, or modern scourges such as terrorism or gun violence, or the atrocities of the Shoah, are the result of God's decree. I feel we must understand this piyyut (liturgical poem) as metaphor. I personally have come to read the *U'netaneh* Tokef as a message that our lives hang in the balance: not our physical, corporeal existence, but our spiritual and moral lives.

If we fulfill God's expectations of us (and our highest expectations of ourselves), then our morality will be beyond reproof and we will feel emotionally and psychologically secure. But if a misstep (or, if you will, a "sin") weighs heavily upon us, then we will find ourselves tossed into a tumult, much as the liturgy describes. The good news is that in the end, we have a key to a peaceful resolution. The text tells us, "U't'shuvah, u't'filah, u'tzedakah ma'avirin et ro'a hag'zera; Repentance, prayer, and charity temper God's severe decree." Engaging in one or more of these three tasks may assuage any "ill will" between God and us, as tradition states. But more importantly, they may help us to "get right with ourselves," as they help us to refocus our energies, and get back onto the proper path of living.

This month, as Hebrew and Religious School are back in session, as people return from their summer travels, and as we gather together for worship, I will have many opportunities, both formally and informally, to look out over the congregation. I will smile at the many familiar faces of those who have longstanding ties to Sinai Temple. I will acknowledge with pride those who have more recently come to our congregation, and have joined with us in continuing to build our holy community. But I will also note with great sorrow the voids within the pews—those who meant so much to Jewish life in Champaign-Urbana, who are no longer with us. In the time that I have been here (and particularly in the past few months, it seems), we have mourned the loss of so many: past presidents of our congregation, stalwarts among the leadership of our Jewish community, cherished family and friends. I do not believe that any of them "missed the mark" in any way, or that God chose to exclude them from this so-called "Book of Life and Blessing."

Rather, I think that when we mourn the loss of a loved one, God is alongside us, striving to help us find comfort in our most difficult hours. And I think that God wraps us in the embrace of treasured memories, so that we may stand on the shoulders of these giants who left us enormous legacies, and we may face the New Year with faith, courage, and

May we all enjoy a sweet and happy New Year, and may the year be good and gentle to us.

Shanah Tovah.

Rabbi Alan Cook

e had a wonderful time at our scholar-in-residence weekend with Rabbi Priesand in September. It was particularly enjoyable to come together for Shabbat dinner as a community. Throughout the coming year, Sinai Temple will hold monthly Shabbat dinners to give us an opportunity to dine with our friends and family and enjoy a leisurely Shabbat.

On Friday, November 4, we will hold our first such dinner. We will begin with an abbreviated Kabbalat Shabbat service at 5:30 PM: Rabbi Alan will tell a story in lieu of a formal sermon. At 6:30 PM, we'll gather in the pods for Shabbat dinner and conversation. We ask for advance RSVPs to ensure that we have sufficient food for all who wish to attend. Suggested donation is only \$5 per person, and you may register at https:// sinaicu.wufoo.com/forms/zfvetou01nsm5g/.

#### SINAI TEMPLE SEPTEMBER BOARD MEETING

- Two new Membership applications were voted on and approved for Melissa Frydman, and Lisa and Corey Curtiss. All in Favor.
- Motion from the Finance committee to create an endowment at CUJEF for the Arthur Robinson Estate donation. All in **Favor**.
- Motion from the Finance committee to close the Heartland Bank Money Market account and transfer that money to the Heartland Bank general checking account which is interest bearing. All in **Favor**.
- Motion from the Finance committee to adjust the 2016-17 budget to reflect the URJ MUM dues to \$18,000 from the \$15,000 budgeted. All in Favor.
- There was a Motion to spend up to \$700.00 to buy a new commercial vacuum cleaner to replace the existing one which is broken and may not be repairable. The money for this will come from the Building and Maintenance Repair fund. All in Favor.
- Motion to spend \$200.00 from the Music Fund, to hire a musician for the MLK service in January. All in Favor.
- An Ad-Hoc committee will be formed to establish a Document Retention Policy, determining what physical records should be kept and for how long. All in Favor.

What an exciting and busy time of the year! The religious school has started up again and the kids are creating quite a buzz on Sunday mornings! If you only come to services on Friday night, you are truly missing out on experiencing Sinai Temple "all a buzz" with excitement and children running around. Another opportunity would be to come to the Shabbat Rocks or Next Dor services. I always enjoy watching the younger kids sing and dance through the service, seeing the older kids learning parts of the service and the meaning behind it, or having the young adults leading the service with Rabbi Jody.

In the coming weeks we will come together as a community to celebrate the High Holidays. We will experience the excitement of a new year while taking time for reflection on the past and make promises to do better in the future. We will eat round challah and honey and other sweets (if you don't know why, ask Rabbi Jody the next time you see her). While no one enjoys a day long fast, it is a good way to focus our thoughts on the past and future. Of course, who doesn't enjoy getting together with family and friends to break the fast?

I do want to take a moment and thank all of the people who came out for the annual Labor of Love event. Sprucing up the building, inside and out, is truly a labor of love. This group of volunteers comes together to clean everything from the classrooms to the kitchen to the gift shop and the sanctuary. There is also a group who work in both the Cohen and Neuman gardens as well as a complete 360 degrees around the building. Each year I am amazed by how much work gets done in preparation for the holidays and the rest of the year.

I also want to thank all the people who came out for our "Envision the Future" event. In addition to priorities, we gathered important information about what things people would like to see updated, enhanced or replaced. This information will be invaluable as the board continues to make plans for how to move this forward. I would like to especially thank Sanford Hess, Art Siegel and Rabbi Alan for their leading of the discussion at the event.

Lastly, I hope to see all of you at services in the coming months and year. As I mentioned last month, bring your enthusiasm, your excitement and your engagement. Without your participation in the community, there will be no community.





**Bulletin Submission:** The deadline for the **November Bulletin is October 15th**. All submissions may be edited for length and content. **EMAIL submissions to:** Kathy Douglas stoffice@sinaitemplecu.org.

# From our Educator

One of my favorite pieces of Jewish text is a story found in Midrash Rabba. A group of people were travelling in a boat when one of the passengers took out a drill and began to drill a hole in the bottom of the boat underneath his seat. The other travelers became distraught and cried out to him asking him why he is drilling a hole in the bottom of the boat. The man replied, "What concern is it of yours? I am drilling beneath my own seat not yours." (Midrash Rabba Vayikra 4:6)

As we start a new year, may we all remember that as members of the Sinai Temple and Sinai Temple Religious School communities, we have a responsibility to care for others. We are all in the same boat—and while we each may choose a different way to connect to Judaism, we have an obligation to keep the boat afloat for everyone who is aboard. For a student in the religious school, this may mean attending class on a

regular basis. Missing class frequently impacts the spirit of classmates and affects the execution of the lessons planned by the teacher. As a parent, it might mean volunteering in the school, running the café, bringing your family to services on Shabbat or delivering Purim baskets. As a member of the greater community, this might mean making a donation to support the school, attending grade level services to engage with the students or teaching an elective.

Fortunately, we are a school that is thriving. We have eager students and are part of a wonderful community. There are great things happening and we are eager to see how each passenger on our boat will contribute to a wonderful year.



Religious School: October 9, 16, 23

Hebrew School: October 5, 9, 16, 19, 23, 26

Family Education: Sunday, October 30

Details will arrive via email blast later this month

**Shabbat Rocks: October 21** 

\*\*\* We will only have one service as this is also Consecration for all new students \*\*\*



Youth Group Event—Grades 3-7

Sunday, October 9th from 1:30-2:45

Join us at Hunter's Haven for an archery lesson and a BRIEF conversation about what we can do to better in the year 5777.

Meet at Hunter's Haven at 1:30 (1040 W. Bloomington Road in Champaign) or carpool from Sinai Temple. If carpooling from temple, please be sure to bring money for Sinai Café or a bag lunch.

Cost: \$5 and a can of food to donate

#### **RSVP** by October 5th

Please let Rabbi Jody know if you are able to drive (and how many passengers you can accommodate) or if your child will need a ride from Sinai Temple to Hunter's Haven.

### **Announcements**

#### **SUNDAY ADULT EDUCATION**

Sundays, 10:30 AM-11:30 AM

Adult Education will resume on **Sunday**, **October 16th**. We plan to (generally) meet on those weeks when Religious School is in session. At 9 AM, you are invited to join us for an informal session of Talmud study. We will be looking at Tractate Berachot. No prior experience or knowledge of Hebrew or Aramaic is necessary. At 10 AM, we will have our Adult Education sessions. This year, Rabbi Alan will guide us toward understanding other faiths. We'll begin with a general overview of Christianity. In subsequent weeks, we will explore distinctions between Christian denominations. In the second half of the year we will have field trips to area churches to observe their Sunday worship.

#### **BOOK GROUP**

Due to the High Holy Days during October, the book group will not meet this month.

Instead we will meet on Monday, November 14th.

#### **TORAH STUDY**

Saturdays, 9:00 AM

The Sinai Temple Torah Study Group meets in the Sinai Temple Library, and all are welcome to attend our stimulating lay-led discussions.

#### **GENTLE CHAIR YOGA**

Thursdays, 9:45 AM to 10:30 AM

SHAL\*OM! Please come and try your first class for free! People have said the class is calming, refreshing and provides a nice, gentle stretch and great start to their day. Be sure to let Robin know that you are coming by email at <a href="mailto:robinfans1@gmail.com">robinfans1@gmail.com</a> or by phone at 217-367-8053.

#### **VIMs**

#### Thursday, October 6th at 11:45 AM

Calling all women 55 and older, come join us for lunch and fellowship at Milo's in Urbana. We meet the first Thursday of the month. If you would like to join us, please email Astrid Berkson at astridjb@comcast.net.

I very much appreciate all the kind words, presents and care I received during Bob's illness and upon his passing. I am thankful to have such a wonderful temple community. It has been a source of comfort to me.

Joyce Eisenstein

#### ISRAELI DANCING

Saturday, October 15<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM Phillips Recreation Center, 505 W Stoughton St, Urbana

We hope you will come and enjoy an evening of Israeli dancing! All are welcome, regardless of age or experience. We will start at 7:00 with beginner circle dances, and progress to an intermediate level. Please wear clean, soft-soled shoes to protect the floor.

Mark our next date on your calendar for Saturday, November 12th.

Melanie Dankowicz & Ronit Barkalifa info@dankowicz.com



This year's Labor of Love was hugely successful thanks to a very dedicated group of individuals. Much work was done both inside and outside. In particular both the Cohen Garden and the Neuman Garden were worked on, new bushes were planted along the front of the building, and the deteriorating wood border was removed from the west end of the building. Inside

classrooms and the kitchen were cleaned and the pews in the sanctuary rearranged.

A special THANK YOU goes out to our team leaders, Tonya Bernstein, Darin Henigman, Debbie Karplus, Diane Ore and Randy Rosenbaum. And a big THANK YOU to all who volunteered your help:

Liliya & Sasha Bekker Gary & Tonya, Rachel & Abby Bernstein Alan & Jody, Gabe & Orli Cook

Leanna & Ron, Jeremy Cossman

Carmen Glezer Sanford Hess

Debbie Karplus

Judy Lachman

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Randy Rosenbaum

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Cal Swim

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Carol Belber

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Darin & Gabe Henigman

Loren, Kayla & Maya Israel

Jessica, Norh & Ava Kopolow

Toni Lachman

Leslie Mason

Diane & Rob Ore

Karen Ray

Tony Soskin

Linda Weiner

# High Holy Days

### YOM KIPPUR STUDY SESSION



For those who like to remain at Sinai Temple throughout the day on Yom Kippur, we invite you to join a study and discussion at 1:30 PM on Wednesday, October 13<sup>th</sup> (Yom Kippur Day). Our topic will be "Is this the fast I look for..." focusing on texts

of social justice and community involvement. Rabbi Alan will facilitate the discussion, along with special guest Kelly Hill (Development Director of Habitat for Humanity of Champaign-Urbana), who will help us to explore how communities of faith engage in the betterment of our community.

## Wednesday, October 12th

# High Holiday Food Drive



Sinai Temple is once again collecting donations of food and funds during the High Holy Days to benefit the Eastern Illinois Food Bank. Last year, we collected over 340 lbs. of food and more than \$7724 in donations to help the Food Bank provide for the less fortunate in our community. We hope to meet or exceed that amount this year. Bags and donation envelopes will be available at services on Rosh Hashanah; please return any donations on Yom Kippur. Thank you for your generous support of this *Tikkun Olam* effort.

### HABITAT FOR HUMANITY INTERFAITH BUILD



Sinai Temple is proud to be one of more than 22 faith groups to partner with Habitat for Humanity of Champaign County in the construction of two new houses as part of an interfaith build.

We are particularly asked to provide builders on **Sunday, October 23**<sup>rd</sup>

and Sunday, October 30<sup>th</sup>. People of all skill levels are encouraged to join, but please note that Illinois state law prohibits those under the age of 17 from being on build sites. Please visit <a href="https://sinaicu.wufoo.com/forms/z1npo0it0my5svd/">https://sinaicu.wufoo.com/forms/z1npo0it0my5svd/</a> for more information or to sign up. If you are interested in working on a different day, you may also indicate this on the sign-up form.

### **SUKKOT CELEBRATIONS**

אל נטילת לול.

On **Sunday morning, October 16**<sup>th</sup>, we will be setting up the Sinai Temple sukkah. **Volunteers are needed** to assist with the task; no construction experience required.

Please contact Tony Soskin at tonysoskin@gmail.com for more information, or to volunteer.

On Sunday evening, October 16<sup>th</sup>, at 5:30 PM, you are invited to join us for our Erev Sukkot dinner, service and celebration. See side panel to right.

On Monday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, please join the Egalitarian Traditional Minyan for services at 10:00 AM commemorating the first day of Sukkot. Hallel psalms will be chanted, we'll shake the lulav, and we'll have a great time. A Kiddush luncheon will follow.

### SHEMINI ATZERET & SIMCHAT TORAH

On Monday, October 24<sup>th</sup>, please join the Egalitarian Traditional Minyan for services at 10:00 AM commemorating Shemini Atzeret. Hallel psalms and Yizkor memorial prayers will be recited. A Kiddush luncheon will follow.

On **Monday evening, October 24**<sup>th</sup>, **beginning at 5:30 PM**, please join us for our annual Simchat Torah celebration! We'll have dinner featuring Garcia's Pizza in a Pan (special thanks to Ralph Senn), a brief service, *klezmer* music, and lots of opportunities to sing and dance with the Torah. It's a fantastic celebration you won't want to miss!

### **SUKKOT DINNER & CELEBRATION**

## Sunday, October 16th at 5:30 PM

You and your family are invited to join our Temple family for a delicious festival. Dinner will begin at 5:30 PM in the Sukkah and/or Davis Chapel. Following dinner, we will have a brief festival service, including the opportunity to bless the lulav and etrog. Then please enjoy listening to and singing along with the Shabbat Singers as they sing festive Sukkot melodies. Temple volunteers will provide a parve/ and or vegetarian entrée for your eating pleasure. We ask that everyone bring a dish to share for 12 people, appropriate to the harvest season, e.g. vegetables, grains, fruit or dessert. Join us for a Chag Sameach!!

Please bring a side dish in accordance with the list below:

Last names A-D: Grain or noodle side dish Last names E -J: Salad or vegetable side dish

Last names K-O: Fresh fruit Last names P-S: Dessert Last names T-Z: Juice

#### Suggested Donation:

\$5 per person or \$15 per family\$10 per person or \$25 per family if you do not bring a dish

Please RSVP to the Temple office (352-8140) or <a href="mailto:assistant@sinaitemplecu.org">assistant@sinaitemplecu.org</a>

If you are available to help with set-up from 4:30–5:30 or clean-up from 7:30–8:30 on SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16<sup>TH</sup> please contact Diane Ore, 356-7688 or <a href="mailto:dianeore@att.net">dianeore@att.net</a>. Just one hour of your time will be greatly appreciated.



## Sinai Temple Gift Shop

(All Gift Shop profits go to support the Religious School)

#### **OCTOBER SPECIAL**

Just in Time for the High Holidays! **20% OFF** All In-Stock Tallit & Kippot.

# CHECK OUT THE CLEARANCE TABLE BARGAINS

**40% OFF** merchandise (or reasonable offer) on our inventory clearance table!

# REGULAR HOURS OF OPERATION

Sundays 9:00 AM-1:00 PM (during Religious School)
Wednesdays 4:00 PM-6:00 PM (during Hebrew School)

# Upcoming Bat Mitzvah Alina Loewenstein - 12/3/16

#### We are ALWAYS open by appointment.

Email: nataliefr@comcast.net or call Natalie Frankenberg (390-4168), Jessica Kopolow (344-6683) or Pam Olson (384-4335). Cash or checks are always welcome. Credit cards accepted for charges over \$25. We now accept Visa, MasterCard, American Express and Discover using SQUARE.

**PLEASE NOTE:** The Gift Shop is staffed by volunteers. Occasionally, we are unable to be open as planned (especially on Wednesdays), so we suggest that you call the Temple Office (352-8140) to make sure that someone is in the shop.



Mazel Tov to our immediate past president, **Randy Rosenbaum.** After many years as our local Public Defender, Randy has been appointed as a judge in Family Court for the Sixth Circuit.

Mazel Tov to **Erez Cohen,** Executive Director of Hillel at UIUC, on receiving the 2016 Samuel A. Goldsmith Award from the Jewish United Fund (JUF). The

Goldsmith Award recognizes a young Jewish professional from the Chicago area who has shown excellence in leadership

Mazel Tov to **Maya Israel** who received a National Science Foundation grant to help make computer science education accessible to at risk students and students with disabilities.

Mazel Tov to the **congregation**. You supplied 150 K–12 children with school supplies through the Tools for Schools program, a project that was founded and is run by a very small group of undergraduate volunteers with the University YMCA.

Mazel Tov to **Melanie Dankowicz** whose new *Ashreinu Coffee and End Tables* are featured this year at the Spertus Museum in Chicago. The Exhibit *Voices of Wisdom*, opening September 25, showcases new works created in conjunction with the *Midwest Jewish Artists Lab*, an initiative through which Spertus brought together twelve distinguished artists for conversation, critiques, and community-building.

Mazel Tov to **Judi & Rudi Laufhutte,** whose son Larry married Amanda Sherman on October 1, 2016. They are also happy to welcome Amanda's daughter, Audrey into their family.

### B<mark>irthday & Anniver</mark>sary Blessings

If you celebrate a birthday or anniversary in October, please join us at our services on Friday October 14th at 7:30 PM.

Rabbi Alan will invite all those marking a milestone to join him on the bimah for a special blessing. After the service, we will enjoy treats at the Oneg in your honor!

No RSVP is necessary to participate!

# Giving

#### ALPINER STERN FLOWER FUND

- William & Reva Egherman, in memory of Bob Eisenstein
- Robin & Bruce Goettel, in memory of Bob Eisenstein
- Lauren, Nate & Briana Levin, in memory of Bob Eisenstein
- Bernice & Laurence Lieberman, in memory of Helen Levin, in memory of Bob Eisenstein and in memory of Paul Hyman Meyer
- Tobey & Marc Passman, in memory of Bob Eisenstein

#### **BUILDING FUND**

- Leslie Cooperband & Wesley Jarrell Ron & Leanna Cossman
- Shira & Dan Epstein, in memory of Leonard Heumann and in memory of Helen Levin
- Natalie Frankenberg, in memory of Leonard Heumann
- Kazuko Goodman, in loving memory of Ray Spooner
- Eugene & Yana Grinberg
- Ben & Michelle Hankin
- Loren & Maya Israel
- Faye Jones & Joseph Taylor
- Rabbi Norman & Andrea Klein, in loving memory of our dear friend Blanche Sudman
- Kate Kuper & Rocky Maffit
- Lee & Evan Melhado, in memory of Bob Eisenstein
- Ruth Morhaim, in memory of Helen Levin and sincere thanks to Rabbi Alan and my Temple friends for all my birthday cards
- Michael Parrish
- Diane & Rob Ore, in memory of Len Heumann
- Paul & Susan Schomer, in memory of Bob Eisenstein and in memory of Helen Levin
- Christine & Frank Stephens Stacey Scott Tainsky Adena & Bev Wilson

#### **CONDOLENCE FUND**

- Joyce Eisenstein, in deep appreciation of the work of Diane Ore and her committee
- Rae Spooner, thank you to the Condolence Committee form the Spooner family for all the help with Meal of Commemoration for Ray

#### FRIENDS OF RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

Mary Lou Brotherson, in memory of Helen Levin

#### **GENERAL FUND**

- Evelyn & Neil Aronson, in memory of Bob Eisenstein
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- Gary & Tonya Bernstein, in memory of Annette Bernstein
- Annette & John Buckmaster, in memory of Bernice Weinstein
- Harvey & Marianna Choldin, in memory of Bob Eisenstein, in memory of Fred Gottheil, in memory of Blanche Sudman and in memory of Paul Karsh
- John Davis & Terri Gitler, in loving memory of Pauline Gitler
- William & Reva Egherman, in memory of Helen Levin
- Ann Einhorn, in memory of Helen Levin and in memory of Bob Eisenstein
- Natalie Frankenberg, in memory of Bob Eisenstein and in memory of Helen Levin
- Harold & Leah Gluskoter, in memory of Helen Levin
- John & Shirley Goin, in memory of Bob Eisenstein
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- Rabbi Barry Marks, in memory of Bob Eisenstein
- Diane & Rob Ore, in memory of Bob Eisenstein
- George & Mary Perlstein, in memory of Bob Eisenstein
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- Jean Smith, in memory of Bob Eisenstein Gwen Steinberg, in memory of Carol Ginsberg, in memory of Jean Ginsberg, in memory of Penny Ginsberg and in memory of Abraham Ginsberg, MD
- Gadi & Pnina Steiner, in memory of Bob Eisenstein
- Ira & Lynn Wachtel, in memory of Bob Eisenstein and in memory of Helen Levin her memory is a blessing

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Richard & Judith Kaplan, in memory of Helen Levin

Charles & Joan Kozoll, in memory of Ray Spooner, in memory of Bob Eisenstein and in memory of Helen Levin

Ira & Cecile Lebenson, in memory of Helen Levin and in memory of Bob Eisenstein

#### **MUSEUM FUND**

Myron & Sonya Sholem, in memory of Helen Levin

#### **NEUMAN GARDEN FUND**

Barbara Frankel, in memory of Helen Levin

#### **PAULA DECKARD FUND**

Richard & Judith Kaplan, in memory of Ray Spooner to support B'Nai Mitzvah tutoring

#### RABBI'S DISCRECTIONARY FUND

John Davis & Terri Gitler, in memory of Pauline Gitler

Levin Family, in honor of Rabbi Cook Robin & Bruce Goettel, in honor of the birth of our granddaughter, Isla Mae

Rae Spooner & Family, Thank you to Rabbi Alan for helping us through this difficult time

#### **ROBINSON FUND**

Marjorie Harris, in memory of Art Robinson and in memory of Blanche Sudman

Esther Steinberg, in memory of Bob Eisenstein and in memory of Helen Levin

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Yoram & Carol Mizrahi, in memory of Bob Eisenstein

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Meyer Klorfine (7 Nov) Joseph Lasker (5 Nov)



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