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**RABBI EVAN & KERRY RUBIN
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OF
CONGREGATION ETZ CHAYIM
WISH YOU & YOUR FAMILY
A VERY HAPPY & JOYOUS CHANUKAH!!**



The Chanukah Blessings and Candlelighting times are listed inside this bulletin.



Etz Chayim Calendar of Events

December 2018 Kislev/Tevet 5779



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 23 kislev 9:00 a.m. Vayeshev 4:35 p.m. 5:50 p.m. Havdalah
2 24 kislev EREV CHANUKAH Poker/Mahj-10:00 a.m. Art Museum Tour-1:00 p.m. 8:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	3 25 kislev CHANUKAH 7:15 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	4 26 kislev CHANUKAH 7:15 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	5 27 kislev CHANUKAH Knitzvah Group-1:00 p.m. 7:15 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	6 28 kislev CHANUKAH 7:15 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	7 29 kislev CHANUKAH 7:15 a.m. 4:50 p.m. 4:46 p.m. Candlelighting	8 ROSH CHODESH CHANUKAH 9:00 a.m. Miketz 4:35 p.m. 5:50 p.m. Havdalah
9 1 tevet CHANUKAH ROSH CHODESH Chanukah Lunch-12:30 8:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	10 2 tevet CHANUKAH 7:15 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	11 3 tevet 7:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	12 4 tevet 7:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	13 5 tevet 7:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	14 6 tevet 7:30 a.m. 4:50 p.m. 4:46 p.m. Candlelighting	15 7 tevet Birthday/Anniv Lunch 9:00 a.m. Vayigash 4:35 p.m. 5:51 p.m. Havdalah
16 8 tevet Movie/Discussion-10:00 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	17 9 tevet 7:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	18 10 tevet FAST OF TEVET 7:15 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	19 11 tevet 7:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	20 12 tevet 7:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	21 13 tevet 7:30 a.m. 4:50 p.m. 4:49 p.m. Candlelighting	22 14 tevet 9:00 a.m. Veyechi 4:40 p.m. 5:54 p.m. Havdalah
23 15 tevet 8:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	24 16 tevet 7:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	25 17 tevet Cherry St. Mission- 11:45 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	26 18 tevet 7:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	27 19 tevet 7:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	28 20 tevet 7:30 a.m. 4:55 p.m. 4:53 p.m. Candlelighting	29 21 tevet 9:00 a.m. Shemot 4:45 p.m. 5:58 p.m. Havdalah
30 22 tevet 8:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	31 23 tevet 7:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.					

FROM THE RABBI

Chanukah in Today's Society

On Chanukah we remember the persecution by the Greeks and our successful rebellion against them. At various times in our history this story has repeated itself on some level. It is beginning to appear that today may be one of those times.

We know in Jewish history that our people have lived almost everywhere in the world at some point. The relationship between our people and our hosts has been something of an ebb and flow. The United States has generally been an exception. We have lived here freely able to practice as Jews without consequence. Recent events, however, have called that statement into question.

The lesson the Macabees taught us should be our source of strength today. Their loyalty to our age-old ideals carried them to victory over the army of Antiochus and allowed the Jews to reclaim the Beit Hamikdash. We must always remember that no matter what the opposition is, Hashem is with us, helping us to maintain the Jewish people and the Jewish religion.

Am Yisrael Chai.

Rabbi Evan B. Rubin

FROM THE PRESIDENT



Recently you should have received a survey from our Long Range Planning Committee. Each adult in the family is being asked to fill one out and return it to the synagogue. A return envelope was included with each survey for your convenience. Since Yom Kippur, I have been discussing the concerns that our shul is facing. In order to best assess the attitudes and needs of each of you, this survey was created by Dr. Ken Pargament, Dr. Laura Leventhal and Dr. Eric Dubow. A special thanks to each of them for their help with this very important data gathering. Now we need you to do your part. Decisions that will affect the future of Etz Chayim will be determined by what each of you says. If you have not already returned your survey, please take the time to complete it now and return it quickly.

Soon we will begin the celebration of Chanukah. We will remember the miracles that our people experienced. As we light a new candle each night, it will be an opportunity for each of us to remember the importance of unity, and the need for love towards each other. While the flames will go out on the menorah each day for eight days, it is my hope that we keep the flame alive inside us, especially in a time when there is so much division in our world.

On behalf of the Etz Chayim Board of Trustees I wish each of you a happy Chanukah.

Bob Berkowitz, President



GIFT SHOP NEWS

Please remember to patronize our Gift Shop as new and exciting merchandise is coming in all the time. Chanukah is here. Come into the shul to look at our hallway display of items and gifts for Chanukah. We have exquisite menorahs and candlesticks, colorful mezuzahs and dreidels, wax candles and chocolate Chanukah gelt. Look at the stunning new jewelry for a special gift. As always, we have a selection of Ahava products. Call our gift shop maven, Sandy Marcus, at (419) 473-2401, if you need an idea or have a particular gift item you're looking for. Save time by letting us do the gift wrapping.

Mention this article, and you can have 10% off one item!



UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Everyone is very busy, but still, taking time to volunteer and helping others is so important!!

I have contacted the Cherry Street Mission and scheduled a group from Congregation Etz Chayim to serve lunch on December 25 from 11:45 - 1:45. You must be at least 16 years old to serve a meal at the mission. We then return to the shul for fun, games and hot pizza during the afternoon. Please contact Nancy or call the shul if you are interested in volunteering.

Giving in simple ways can help others in need!!

Chanukah begins on Sunday, December 2. Join us on Sunday, December 9 for our scrumptious Chanukah luncheon. Bring your family and friends to enjoy the latkes and all the other delicious foods. Bring your menorahs and we can all light together. Do you have a musical instrument? Bring it and you can help lead Chanukah songs. There will also be an instructor teaching line dancing. This will be a fun and joyous afternoon!

Everyone is always welcome to come to any program at Etz Chayim. If you need a ride, please call the shul and leave a message or call me at 419-360-2492.

December is another busy month with a variety of programs. I look forward to seeing you soon.

Nancy Jacobson

Sunday, December 2 at 10:00 a.m. - Poker & Mahj; Art Museum Tour at 1:00 p.m.

Wednesday, December 5 at 1:00 p.m. - Knitzvah Group. Join the fun with friends as we knit shawls and blankets for breast cancer patients.

Sunday, December 9 at 12:30 p.m. - Chanukah Luncheon, Menorah Lighting, Singing, and Line Dancing. The cost is \$12.00 per person. Children are free with a donation of a canned good for the Jewish Family Food Bank. Please call the office to make reservations.



Saturday, December 15 following services - Shabbat Birthday/Anniversary Kiddush Luncheon. Everyone is invited to a delicious lunch honoring our members who are celebrating birthdays and anniversaries in December.

Sunday, December 16 at 10:00 a.m. - Adult Class. Come and watch the documentary, "Brundibar Revisited". Hans Krása's children's opera, "Brundibar", a simple story of the struggle against evil, was performed more than 50 times between 1943 and 1944 by Jewish children in the Theresienstadt ghetto. In this documentary a Berlin-based youth theatre group stages the opera. The members of the group are young people from different ethnic backgrounds who live on the fringes of society. The group is accompanied by Greta Klingsberg, a charismatic elderly woman from Israel and one of the few survivors of the original cast of "Brundibar". Greta travels back to Theresienstadt with the young actors to show them how and where the piece was originally staged.

Ken Pargament will lead the discussion following the film. A continental breakfast will be served.

Tuesday, December 25 at 11:45 a.m. to 1:45 p.m. - Volunteer at the Cherry Street Mission. Following this mitzvah, everyone is invited to the synagogue for pizza and games. Please call the Etz Chayim office to volunteer.

SISTERHOOD NEWS

Many thanks to all the volunteers who helped make the Etz Chayim/B'nai Israel Rummage Sale a great success. To celebrate that success, Congregation B'nai Israel's Sisterhood invited the Sisterhood of Etz Chayim and everyone who worked on the rummage sale to a brunch on Sunday, December 2. Volunteers are asked to bring a "special treasure" that they purchased at previous rummage sales for "show and tell."

On Sunday, December 9, the Sisterhood will hold its annual Chanukah luncheon with a delicious dairy meal complete with latkes. Line dancing with an experienced instructor will be the entertainment and will be enjoyed by all.

If you are not currently a member of Sisterhood and would like to join, please contact Suzie Rosenberg, Membership Chairman, at (419) 536-7758. Yearly membership dues are \$20. If you are 60 or over, you can become a Life Member for \$200.

Donor letters have been mailed out. Please make a generous donation to help support the Sisterhood and, in turn, the synagogue.

Our next Sisterhood Board Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, December 4, 2018 at 10:15 a.m. in the Etz Chayim Library. All Sisterhood members are welcome to attend.



CONGREGATION ETZ CHAYIM SISTERHOOD



Invites you to a

CHANUKAH LUNCH & LINE DANCING

Please join us on Sunday, December 9, 2018 at 12:30 p.m. for a delicious dairy latke lunch prepared by the Etz Chayim Sisterhood. Following lunch everyone is invited to learn to line dance with Michael Gurtzweiler, a professional teacher.

The entire congregation is invited.

Cost: \$12.00 for adults

Children are free with the donation of a non-perishable canned good for the Jewish Family Service Food Bank.

Send your reservations to the synagogue office by December 3, 2018.

Name _____ Phone # _____

Number of Adults @ \$12.00 _____

Number of Children _____

Total Enclosed _____



HAPPY CHANUKAH!!

Chanukah Candle-Lighting

The first two blessings are said with the Shamash already lit, but immediately prior to lighting the Chanukah candles.

BLESSING #1

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה ד' אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם
אֲשֶׁר קִדְּשָׁנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתָיו
וַצַּוָּנוּ לְהַדְלִיק נֵר שֶׁל חֲנֻכָּה.
Baruch ata Adonoy Eloheinu melech ha-olam
asher kid'shanu be'mitzvo'sav
ve-tzivanu lehadlik ner shel Chanukah.

Blessed are You, God, King of the Universe, Who made us holy with His commandments and commanded us to kindle the Chanukah light.

BLESSING #2

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה ד' אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם
שֶׁעָשָׂה נִסִּים לְאַבוֹתֵינוּ
בְּיָמִים הָהֵם בְּזִמְנֵי הַזֶּה.
Baruch ata Adonoy Eloheinu melech ha-olam
Shi-asa nee-seem la-avo-seinu,
Baya-meem ha-haim baz-man ha-zeh.

Blessed are You, God, King of the Universe, Who made miracles for our forefathers, in those days at this season.

BLESSING #3

This blessing is said on the first night only.

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה ד' אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם
שֶׁהַחַיֵּינוּ וְקִיָּמָנוּ
וְהִגִּיעָנוּ לַזִּמְנֵי הַזֶּה.
Baruch ata Adonoy Eloheinu melech ha-olam
Sheh-he-che-yanu vi-kee-yimanu
Vi-hee-gee-yanu laz-man ha-zeh.

Blessed are You, God, King of the Universe, Who has kept us alive, sustained us, and brought us to this season.

This paragraph is said each night, after the first light has been kindled.

הַנֵּרוֹת הַלְלוּ אֲנַחְנוּ מַדְלִיקִים עַל הַנִּסִּים וְעַל הַנִּפְלְאוֹת וְעַל הַתְּשׁוּעוֹת וְעַל
הַמִּלְחָמוֹת שֶׁעָשִׂיתָ לְאַבוֹתֵינוּ בְּיָמִים הָהֵם בְּזִמְנֵי הַזֶּה עַל יְדֵי כַהֲנֵי הַקְּדוֹשִׁים.
וְכָל שְׂמוֹנֵת יָמֵי חֲנֻכָּה הַנֵּרוֹת הַלְלוּ קֹדֶשׁ הֵם וְאִין לָנוּ רְשׁוּת לְהִשְׁתַּמֵּשׁ בָּהֶם אֶלָּא
לְרֹאוֹתָם בְּלִבְדֵי כְּדֵי לְהוֹדוֹת וּלְהַלֵּל לְשִׁמְךָ הַגָּדוֹל עַל נְסִיךָ וְעַל נִפְלְאוֹתֶיךָ וְעַל יְשׁוּעָתְךָ.

We kindle these lights for the miracles and the wonders, for the redemption and the battles which You performed for our forefathers in those days at this season through Your holy priests. During all eight days of Chanukah these lights are sacred, and we are not permitted to make ordinary use of them, but only to look at them – in order to express thanks and praise to Your great Name, for your miracles, Your wonders, and Your salvations.

HAPPY NOTES

....Those celebrating birthdays in the month of December

2 - Rachel Osnowitz
8 - Ellen Fruchtman
9 - Dan Steinberg, Naomi Zyndorf
10 - Alan Tarschis, Joseph Wittenberg
11 - Alice Applebaum, Louis Black
12 - Paul Goldner
14 - Susan Muska
15 - Viv Knapp, Yonatan Miller, Sam Osnowitz
20 - Kay Miller
21 - Barbara Moses
23 - Charles Weinblatt
26 - Lois Berkowitz, Peter Silverman
27 - Elsa Leveton



....Those celebrating anniversaries in the month of December:

21 - Bob & Cheryl Berkowitz, Roy & Sheila Stein, Jerome & Ann Levison

TODAH RABAH

Thank you to our wonderful members & friends who make very generous contributions to our shul...

...to all the synagogue ladies and gentlemen who worked tirelessly on the joint rummage sale

...to Leslie Balkany for sponsoring the Kiddush on December 29 in memory of beloved father Josiah Scherr

...to Margie Siegel and Bob Berkowitz for setting up the Chanukah sale

...to Andrea Delman for leading Toledo Museum of Art tours for our synagogue



OFFICE CLOSINGS

The synagogue office will be closed on:

Tuesday, December 25, 2018
Tuesday, January 1, 2019



MAZEL TOV

...to Brent & Ricki Rubin on the marriage of their son Chad

...to Barb & Allan Feldstein on their new home



SHABBAT KIDDUSH/ SHALOSH SEUDAS



Anyone who would like to sponsor a Shabbat Kiddush or Shalosh Seudas (November-February) in memory or in honor of a loved one, please contact Elsa Leveton in the Synagogue Office to schedule a date. The minimum cost for a Kiddush is \$75.00 and Shalosh Seudas is \$125.00.

MASTERCARD, VISA & DISCOVER NOW ACCEPTED

Mastercard, Visa & Discover are accepted at the shul as payment for dues, contributions and gift shop purchases. You may call in your payment or stop in the office. When charging your purchases, the shul would appreciate if you would add 3% to the charge to cover our cost of the credit card fees paid by the shul.



BOOK CLUB

SAVE THE DATE

The next book review will be held on Monday, February 11, 2019 at 1:00 p.m.

The book being reviewed is **A Gentleman in Moscow** by Amor Towles. Naomi Baron will be the facilitator.

Everyone is invited. Dessert will be served.



CONTRIBUTIONS WILL BE ACKNOWLEDGED AS FOLLOWS:

STANDARD ANNOUNCEMENT

In Memory, Yahrzeit, Speedy Recovery, Happy Events - **\$10.00**
 IN APPRECIATION- **\$12.00**
 MISHABERACHS (Special Prayer) - **\$12.00**
 CHAI FUND - **\$18.00**
 DOUBLE CHAI FUND - **\$36.00**
 TREE PLANTED IN ISRAEL - **\$18.00**
 SILVER CONTRIBUTION (Single Box) - **\$25.00**
 GOLD CONTRIBUTION (Double Box) - **\$50.00**
 PLATINUM CONTRIBUTION (Bold Box) - **\$100.00**
 (Box to include up to 4 names. Over 4 names will be an additional charge of \$8.00 per name.)

SHABBAS/HOLIDAY PRAYER BOOK - **\$50.00**
 CHUMASH - **75.00**
 BIMA FLOWER FUND - Shabbas - **\$100.00**
 HOLIDAYS - **\$125.00**
 TREE OF LIFE LEAF - **\$150.00** STONE - **\$500.00**
 MEMORIAL PLATES - **\$600.00**
 SHABBAT KIDDUSH - **\$75.00**
 SHALOSH SEUDOS (November - March) - **\$125.00**
 PLATES ON ODESKY PLAQUE - **\$180.00**
 SANCTUARY DEDICATION PLATES - **\$1000.00**

BUILDING FUND

IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

LILLY YOURIST

Larry & Marcia Frank
 Harry Schulman

FREDDY GRUNBERG

Brent & Ricki Rubin & Family

MARLENE SUE MALKIN

BRIAN J. MALKIN

The Stan Feldstein Family

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF
 DR. MARVIN RUBIN**

Arthur Brecher

YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

SHELDON RUBIN

Brent & Ricki Rubin & Family

ABRAHAM LEEDYN

ANNA LEEDYN

Arlene Rubinoff & Family

SAM RUBIN

Diane & Dave Treuhaft

DR. MICHAEL LINVER

Stanley Linver

ABRAHAM HARRY YOURIST

Sharon & Harry Yourist & Family

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF
 MOTHER RIVA KATZ**

Ilene & Gary Katz

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF
 GRANDMOTHER LEAH MARKOFF**

Rick & Beverly Markoff

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF
 LILLIAN KALE**

Randy S. Kale

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF
 CLARA TARSCHIS**

Stanford & Claire Shulman

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF
 BELOVED BROTHER RON MARKOFF**

Rick & Beverly Markoff & Family

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF
 BELOVED GRANDFATHER &
 FATHER MOE HENNING**

Arlene, Jim, Jeff & Vicki Rose

**MISHABERACH FOR A SPEEDY
 RECOVERY OF:**

ROSE KRUPNIK

Barry Fishler

MICHELLE TINK

Bob Lichtenstein & Mickey Pantoja

BABY CAMERON STEINBERG

Brent & Ricki Rubin & Family

SPEEDY RECOVERY OF:

BARB FELDSTEIN

Marilyn & Cory Boskind

RICK MARKOFF

Brent & Ricki Rubin & Family

HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF:

**MICKEY ROSENBERG ON RECEIVING
 THE MORRIS LUBITSKY MEMORIAL
 AWARD**

Bob Lichtenstein
 Ken & Aileen Pargament
 Larry & Marcia Frank
 Elsa & Allen Leveton
 Lenny Rosenberg & Georgia Bouldes

**LIL & DAVE PERLMAN ON THEIR
 SPECIAL ANNIVERSARY**

Sue & Norty Kale

**GOVERNOR-ELECT MIKE DEWINE ON
 BEING ELECTED GOVERNOR OF
 OHIO**

Barry Fishler

**HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF THE
 INCOMING & OUTGOING ETZ CHAYIM
 EXECUTIVE BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

Danny & Cindy Becker

**HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF
 GLENDA SCHWARTZ ON HER
 SPECIAL BIRTHDAY**

Brent & Ricki Rubin & Family

**HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF
 MICKEY ROSENBERG ON RECEIVING
 THE MORRIS LUBITSKY MEMORIAL
 AWARD**

Fran Wexler

**HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF
 MICKEY ROSENBERG
 ON RECEIVING
 THE MORRIS LUBITSKY MEMORIAL
 AWARD**

Dan Steinberg

CHAI FUND

IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

LILLY YOURIST

Lynne Goodman

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF
 LILLY YOURIST**

Betsy & Scott Forester

**GEORGE & EVE DAVIDSON
 SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF
 LILLY YOURIST**

Elliott & Cheryl Sells

ETZ CHAYIM FUND

IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

LILLY YOURIST

Ken & Aileen Pargament
Steve & Sandy Marcus

SUE MOSKOWITZ

Richard & Naomi Baron

YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF
LEONARD FRUCHTMAN
SIDNEY NADLER
ETHEL NADLER**
Michael & Ellen Fruchtman

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF
ESTHER FINGERHUT**
Fred & Susi Fingerhut

SPEEDY RECOVERY OF:

BARB FELDSTEIN

Dave & Diane Treuhaft

RICK MARKOFF

Steve & Sandy Marcus

STAN ODESKY

Dave & Diane Treuhaft
Steve & Sandy Marcus

HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF:

**MICKEY ROSENBERG ON RECEIVING
THE MORRIS LUBITSKY MEMORIAL
AWARD**

Dave & Diane Treuhaft
Steve & Sandy Marcus

**ABE & FLORENCE GREENBERG
TORAH FUND**

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF
MOTHER HELEN GREENBERG**
Joe & Sandy Greenberg

**HARRY & FRIEDA LEVINE
SYNAGOGUE FUND**

IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

JEFF SHERMAN

Bob & Cheryl Berkowitz
Margie & Melvin Siegel

SPEEDY RECOVERY OF:

BARB FELDSTEIN

Bob & Cheryl Berkowitz
Mel & Margie Siegel

STAN ODESKY

Bob & Cheryl Berkowitz

HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF:

**MICHAEL ROSENBERG ON
RECEIVING THE MORRIS LUBITSKY
MEMORIAL AWARD**
Melvin & Margie Siegel

**HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF JOEL &
LINDA BEREN ON THEIR SPECIAL
BIRTHDAYS**
Fran Wexler

**ISADORE ODESKY
MEMORIAL FUND**

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF
IRVING ODESKY**
Marvin Odesky

**MISHABERACH FOR A SPEEDY
RECOVERY OF:**

STAN ODESKY

Beryl & Sharon Ravin
Margie & Mel Siegel

SPEEDY RECOVERY OF:

STAN ODESKY

Ken & Aileen Pargament

**BETTY ROBERTS
MEMORIAL FUND**

IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

BETTY ROBERTS

Samantha Burch
Sara & Andy Meisner
Marci & David Burch

HELEN HASCAL LEWIS

Sandi, John & Sonny Kniep

**RUTH & DANIEL STEINGROOT
KITCHEN FUND**

IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

LILLY YOURIST

Marcy Steingroot

JEFF SHERMAN

Elsa & Allen Leveton

SPEEDY RECOVERY OF:

BARB FELDSTEIN

Marcy Steingroot

HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF:

**MICKEY ROSENBERG ON RECEIVING
THE MORRIS LUBITSKY MEMORIAL
AWARD**

Danny & Cindy Becker

**HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF MARCY
STEINGROOT ON HER NEW HOME**
Jeff & Judy Cohen

SUNDAY SCHOOL FUND

IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

JEFF SHERMAN

Phyllis Walkin & Family
Ryan, Samantha, Nicholas & Sydney
Walkin

TREES PLANTED IN ISRAEL

IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

HARRY LICHTSCIEN-2TREES
Bud & Barbara McGrew

SUE MOSKOWITZ
Mel & Margie Siegel

FREDDY GRUNBERG
Dick Schectman

LILLY YOURIST
Patty & Jeff Mitter

YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

**ROBERT & CONNIE BRUNSWICK-
5 TREES**
Deborah Kazmier

ROY WENGROW MEMORIAL FUND

IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

LILLY YOURIST
Rebecca Wengrow
Mel & Margie Siegel
Bob & Cheryl Berkowitz
Allen & Elsa Leveton
Steve & Sandy Marcus
Helen Boxenbaum
Dave & Diane Treuhaft
Marilyn & Cory Boskind
Fran Wexler
Beryl & Sharon Ravin
Alex, Rachel & Arthur Green

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF
LILLY YOURIST**
Gail Cooper

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF
LILLY YOURIST**
Bob & Lynne Wengrow

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF
LILLY YOURIST**
Jack & Angela Katz

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF
LILLY YOURIST**
Marjorie Galloway

YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

ROSE WENGROW
Lynne & Bob Wengrow

SPEEDY RECOVERY OF:

**SPEEDY RECOVERY OF
RAYMOND RUSSMAN**
Bob & Lynne Wengrow

HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF:

**IN HONOR OF MICKEY ROSENBERG
RECEIVING THE MORRIS LUBITSKY
MEMORIAL AWARD**
Bob & Lynne Wengrow

**LOUIS M. WITTENBERG
MEMORIAL FUND**

IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

LILLY YOURIST
Paul & Linda Franklin
Charles & Phyllis Wittenberg
Louise Schuster
Judy, Ken & Meredith Charles

SUE MOSKOWITZ
Charles & Phyllis Wittenberg

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF
FREDDY GRUNBERG**
David & Marcia Kaplan

YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

JERRY KIMMELMAN
Mel & Donna Rukin

SUSAN A. WITTENBERG
Joe Wittenberg

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SHABBAT SCHEDULE

<u>DATE</u>	<u>FRIDAY NIGHT CANDLELIGHTING</u>	<u>FRIDAY NIGHT SERVICES</u>
Friday, December 7	4:46 p.m.	4:50 p.m.
Friday, December 14	4:46 p.m.	4:50 p.m.
Friday, December 21	4:49 p.m.	4:50 p.m.
Friday, December 28	4:53 p.m.	4:55 p.m.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SATURDAY EVENING SERVICES</u>	<u>HAVDALAH TIME</u>
Saturday, December 1	4:35 p.m.	5:50 p.m.
Saturday, December 8	4:35 p.m.	5:50 p.m.
Saturday, December 15	4:35 p.m.	5:51 p.m.
Saturday, December 22	4:40 p.m.	5:54 p.m.
Saturday, December 29	4:45 p.m.	5:58 p.m.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SABBATH 9:00 a.m. & See above for evening times
SUNDAY 8:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.
WEEKDAYS 7:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.
CIVIL HOLIDAYS 8:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.

Candle Lighting Blessing

Boruch atta A-do-noy elohainu melech
ho'olam asher kidshano b'mitzvosov,
v'tzivonu l'hadlik nair shel:

On Shabbos conclude: Shabbos.

On Festivals conclude: Yom Tov.

On Festivals occurring Friday conclude:
Shabbos ve'yom tov.

Blessed art Thou, O Lord, our G-d, King of the universe,
who hast sanctified us by Thy commandments and



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