

# BAT YAM NEWS

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## November Commentary: by Rabbi Susan Warshaw



A recent study by the Pew Research Center found that Jews pray less than any other religious group in the United States. Even though one could argue that Judaism “invented prayer,” and our tradition, like many others, commands us to pray three times a day, only 23% of American Jews pray at least once a day. Why don’t Jews pray?

Rabbi Dan Moskowitz suggests several reasons. He writes: “while there are many reasons to pray, including thanking God for the blessings and joys of life, there are also many obstacles. The language barrier, not just Hebrew but also the formal structure of prayer, the weighty words and mantras that appear to many to be an inaccessible code, may stand in our way. It is hard to find time,



be it in the synagogue on a Friday night or for a few quiet minutes during the day. We are so busy. And the act of praying can be demoralizing when we don’t see the tangible results of our prayers being answered.

And then there is the question of God.

Prayer without some measure of belief in a power greater than ourselves can feel empty and inauthentic. Before we can begin to pray many of us get hung up on the question, is there a God listening to me, responding in some way? What do I do if all I hear back from my praying is silence? Can you pray when you are not sure if or what you believe?”

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## *Continuation of Rabbi's Warshaw's Commentary (from Page 1)*

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Abraham Joshua Heschel, the great twentieth century Jewish philosopher and theologian, took up the challenge of these very questions when he wrote in *Man's Search for Meaning*, "Just to be is a blessing. Just to live is holy. And yet being alive is not the answer to the problems of living. To be or not to be is not the question. The vital question is: how to be and how not to be. To pray is to engage passionately the perpetual urgency of this vital question."

For Heschel and for us the reason to pray is not because God needs to hear our prayers, it is because we need to hear them. We pray, because being and experiencing life as it happens at 100 miles an hour, is not fully living. As Rabbi Moskowitz reminds us: "we are not passengers in life, merely along for the ride. We are drivers, We determine and shape our present and our future and we do this best by understanding and learning from our past. Prayer gives us the blessing of perspective."

Why don't Jews pray? Maybe it is because we don't know how. Rabbi Moskowitz suggests a way to start. Think about yesterday, what did you do, who did you talk with, what were your mistakes, what were your triumphs? Now ask the question, what can I learn from yesterday that will help me be a better person today? The answer you hear in your heart, mind, and soul—that is the answer to your prayers. If you can believe in nothing else, believe in yourself. Baruch atah Adonai, thank you God for creating me with the ability to hear the still, small voice within me. That voice may be the voice of God.

Rabbi Warshaw

## *President's Report*

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"In the beginning, after all, were the words, and they came with a tune. That was how the world was made, how the void was divided, how the lands and the stars and the dreams and the little gods and the animals, how all of them came into the world. They were sung." -

During our holiday season this excerpt from Neil Gaiman's *Anansi Boys* hits the mark. If you attended any of our recent High Holy Day services you got a sense of just how accurate Gaiman's words might be. Temple Bat Yam continues to be blessed with the cantorial talent of Cheryl Taustin and Phylis Alpern, and when they are joined during the High Holy Days by Kyler Taustin and Taylor Harvey, Gaiman's words are even more relevant.

## *Continuation of President's Report (from page 2)*

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Just a few weeks after Yom Kippur our congregation observed Simcha Torah. For many congregants this service is one of their favorites as our entire congregation participates in the rolling and unrolling of the Torah scroll. Marv Novick shot video of the process this year, look for it soon on our FaceBook page and website. This year's service seemed particularly well attended and included the installation of our 2011/2012 Board of Directors. Thank you Rabbi Warshaw for your blessing and Cheryl for "singing in" the new board. This was Rabbi Warshaw's final service before leading a second TBY congregational trip to Israel and it was nice to see such a large turnout wish our TBY travelers well.

I am often encouraged by the enthusiasm of our membership and it's especially nice to hear from new members, (of which we have 7 so far this year). I know some TBY members pay their dues around the High Holy Days, if you haven't done so already I'd like to take this opportunity to ask you to do so. If you need to make arrangements to pay over time please contact Debbie Resnick, our Treasurer. Temple Bat Yam still relies on membership dues to cover over half of our operating budget so your financial participation is both appreciated and necessary.

The month of November will include our second annual Hal Glick Distinguished Service Award Gala as well as our Daughters of the Sea Fall Golf Classic. Following the installation of the board last month, I evoked the words of British novelist G. B. Stern; quoting: "Silent gratitude isn't much use to anyone". I hope you all will support these events and take a moment to thank those that chair and serve on these important committees. Speaking of gratitude and committees, the board was so impressed with how well the new High Holy Days committee functioned that we've elected to make it a standing committee and it's chairman a non-voting member of the Board of Directors. Thanks once again to Buddy Seigel, his committee, and to Grayce Cohen for suggesting its creation last year.

As Gaiman says; "...songs remain...They last ". Our Rabbi and cantorial volunteers did a wonderful job of singing in the New Year. The responsibility to carry that enthusiasm forward, (to make the song last), is ours.

Stu Eisenman

President

# Upcoming Events

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- Our next **TBY congregational Shabbat dinner** will be held next **Friday November 4**, at 6:30 p.m. The price is \$8 per person and can be paid at the door, however, your RSVP for the dinner must be made by no later than Thursday morning at 10:00 on Thursday, November 3. Please RSVP by either calling or emailing Warren Rosenfeld of TBY at WarrenRosenfeldEsq@gmail.com or at 240-447-1451. The menu for the buffet dinner includes roast chicken, gravy, a sweet potato/marshmallow casserole, a green vegetable, cranberry sauce, challah, wine, soft drinks, and dessert. We usually have 45-55 people attend these dinners, and we would especially welcome those that have yet to attend one of the TBY Shabbat dinners to attend this one.
- **Daughter of the Sea Golf Classic at River Run Golf Club. Tuesday, November 8**  
Each player has a chance at cash prizes, gift certificates or a NEW CAR. Contact Larry Michnick 410.726.2113 or TBY 410.641.4311. **(See page 5 for a complete registration form)**
- Our 2nd annual **Hal Glick Community Service Award Gala** will take place this year on Saturday night, **November 12**, once again at the Clarion Hotel's Crystal Ballroom. The honoree this year is Leighton Moore, the owner of Seacrets, and a philanthropic force in and around Ocean City. Once again, TBY will be receiving a substantial portion of the net proceeds of this event, so we ask all who attended last year, and those that didn't, to please attend this year's event. Last year, TBY received \$29,600 from the proceeds of this event. We hope to have a larger attendance and fundraising effort this year. For early sponsorship and table purchases, please contact either Jeff Thaler or Warren Rosenfeld of TBY.
- **Sisterhood Card & Game Party**, Monday, **November 14**, 2011 at The Woodlands in Ocean Pines, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Cost: \$25, Includes a delicious lunch Mah Jongg, Cards & games of any kind 50/50 cash drawing Chinese Auction, Door Prizes. Reserve your tables! Contact Helene Caplan at 410-208-4041 or [hlcvc@mchsi.com](mailto:hlcvc@mchsi.com) Send check (made out to Sisterhood of Temple Bat Yam) to 12 Portside Court, Berlin, MD 21811
- The Sisterhood has purchased a block of tickets for the show **A Servant for Two Masters**. It is a comedy being presented at Salisbury University on Saturday, **November 19**. There is also a reservation for dinner at the NEW Georgia House on route 13 which is available, if so desired. Please contact Helene Caplan for more information at 410.208.4041 or [hlcvc@mchsi.com](mailto:hlcvc@mchsi.com).

# DAUGHTER OF THE SEA FALL GOLF CLASSIC

At River Run Golf Club  
designed by Gary Player

Tuesday, November 8, 2011

--- Shotgun Start 10:00AM



ALL INCLUSIVE - **NO ADDITIONAL CHARGES!**

\$160.00 per player includes:

Putting contest, longest drive, straightest drive, closest to the pin AND a hole-in-one contest  
2 mulligans, 1 chance to drive from the ladies tee and green fees & golf cart, continental  
breakfast & Bloody Marys, grilled hot lunch on the course with FREE beer &  
FABULOUS gourmet buffet dinner with FREE OPEN BAR!

The Tournament Format will be: 4 person preferred best drive, then each player will play  
their own ball out from the preferred drive location. 2 best balls will be the score for each hole.



**Net + Gross Team Winners First Place Only**

*CASH PRIZES + GIFT CERTIFICATES*

Prizes Given For: Longest Drive - Straightest Drive - Putting Contest

Closest To The Pin & Many Door Prizes and Drawings

Hole In One Contest: Win a Brand New Car!!

## Daughter of the Sea Fall Golf Classic Registration Form

PLAYERS NAMES	TEAM NAME _____	HANDICAP / NO HANDICAP
1. _____		_____
2. _____		_____
3. _____		_____
4. _____		_____

### 9:00am Registration

Yes, enclosed is our team registration fee of \$ 640.00 (or 160.00/player)

Yes, in addition I/We would like to sponsor one or more holes at \$150.00 each

Sponsorship receives: 1. Signage on Golf Course on tournament day  
2. Name appears in complimentary Ad  
3. Listed in Golf Program  
4. Free Buffet Dinner

Make checks Payable to:  
Temple Bat Yam  
Mail to: 11036 Worcester Highway  
Berlin, MD 21813  
Attn: Golf Tournament

For Information please call Larry Michnick @ 410-726-2113 or Temple Bat Yam @ 410-641-4311  
Or...I am unable to attend, please accept my donation of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Chairperson: Hal Glick

Tournament Directors: Mark Gizzi & Lawrence Michnick

Sign up by email at [www.templebatyam-oc.org](http://www.templebatyam-oc.org)

## *Special Thanks:*

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- Marv Novick for his beautiful photography, thank you for your hard work.
- Brandon Case who is currently restoring several artwork items from the walls of Temple Bat Yam.

## *Temple Bat Yam New Members*

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Dr. Peter and Kimberly Cuesta 4010 Albion Mews  
Salisbury MD 21804 drcuesta@comcast.net  
410.548.2957

# Bat Yam Mensch

This month's Temple Bat Yam Mensch of the Month is editor emeritus Jeannette Abrams. When we met, I discovered that we have two things in common—we share the same birth date, April 3rd and we are both twins. I have a twin sister and she has a twin brother.

When Kerry Case and I took over editing and writing this newsletter, we honored Jeannette with the title “editor emeritus” for her outstanding work spearheading the Temple's newsletter for over 15 years. For the first five years, she worked with her husband Ed, who did the layout, while Jeannette wrote and edited articles. After his death ten years ago, Jeannette taught herself how to do the layout and took over the full publication of the Bat Yam New and Views. She resigned from that duty in March 2011 after serious back surgery made it difficult to continue.

Brought up in Washington, D.C., where she went to school, Jeannette married in 1951 and had four children. Her writing career began in California in 1959, where she wrote a newsletter for B'nai Brith and won a prize for outstanding newsletter on the West Coast. After returning to the Washington area in 1961, she wrote for the Bowie local newspaper as well the Annapolis Capital. She also served as a stringer for The Washington Post, reporting on city council meetings. After raising her children until the youngest was in kindergarten, Jeannette took a full time job as an editorial assistant for the Retail Clerks union in Washington, D. C. She worked there for five years and took a job as a staff writer for The Government Standard, official newspaper for the American Federation of Government Employees. She worked her way up the ladder to Managing Editor and held that position until her retirement in 1995. That event was written up in The Washington Post.

Although Ed and Jeannette built their house in Ocean Pines in 1976, they used it as a vacation home until her retirement. Ed had retired from EPA in 1994 and was anxious to move to the Eastern Shore as soon as possible. They enlarged the house in 1994 and moved down full time from Burtonsville, MD in October 1995. They became interested in Temple Bat Yam two years later, when an acquaintance recommended they come to services. One visit sealed it for them and they became members right away. Eventually, Ed served on the board as Congregational Secretary and Jeannette followed him in the same position for two terms. She resigned in 2011.

In her position for AFGE, Jeannette (pictured here) interviewed many members of Congress and some photos—along with those of her family--cover the walls of her office.

Kerry and I will try to continue the tradition of high quality that Ed and Jeannette maintained.

Steve Cohen



# Join the Men's Club of Temple Bat Yam

TBY has a great time in Philadelphia

On Sunday, October 16th at 7:30 a.m., after the Men's Club provided breakfast, TBY members boarded the bus for the ride to Philadelphia. The trip, co-sponsored by the Men's Club, Religious School and Youth group, visited the synagogue Mikveh Israel – the oldest in the area – and the National Museum of American Jewish History, and lots of downtown sites including the Liberty Bell are related historic facilities.



The visit to Mikveh Israel was great. Rabbi Gabbai, the spiritual leader, provided a spirited orientation to the synagogue, its development and regional importance in American history dating from the early 1700's. We learned about early Jewish settlements in the Philadelphia area as well as the major (financial) involvement of Jews in the US revolutionary war including that of Haym Salomon (<http://www.revolutionarywararchives.org/salomon.html>" <http://www.revolutionarywararchives.org/salomon.html>). The highlight was viewing the 20 Torah Scrolls in the synagogues Ark and learning the history of some dating back to the 1700s.

Next we had a few hours for lunch and to explore the historic district of downtown Philadelphia. Lunch at the Jewish Deli or another restaurant was on the schedule as was the visit to the Liberty Bell – now encased in its own structure for security.

Then we met at the Museum for our visit to the four floors of American Jewish History. Apportioned by time intervals, the facility exhibited the involvement of the Jews in American History as well as how Jews lived and acclimated to the new American homes. Several videos and live displays provided the education for us. For more information on the museum, see: <http://www.nmajh.org/>

The return trip was highlighted with a dinner stop at Arner's Restaurant in New Castle and a DVD movie.

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## *Continuation of Men's Club Report*

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The Men's Club is researching its next trip(s). Here's what we are looking at:

- Day bus trip to Washington DC with visit to Holocaust museum
- Afternoon/evening trip bus to Washington DC to see the Capitals play
- Overnight 2 day trip by bus, van or car pool to NYC including Ellis Island and lower east side

Please let me know if any of these are of interest and if you have any questions or suggestions.

Thanks.

Larry Hecker,  
Men's Club President



## *Celebrating Simchat Torah*

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On Friday October 21 congregants of Temple Bat Yam celebrated Simchat Torah. There was singing and celebrating the completion of the annual torah reading. The entire torah was rolled out in the sanctuary with the congregants holding it up. Additionally the new board of directors were introduced.

Simchat Torah is a celebratory holiday that marks the completion of the annual Torah reading. Simchat Torah literally means "Rejoicing in the Law".

Simchat Torah services begin in the evening, at the start of the holiday. The torah scrolls are removed from the ark and given to members of the congregation to hold then march around the temple. Everyone kisses the torah scrolls as they pass. This ceremony is known as HAKAFOT which means "to march around" in Hebrew. There are seven HARAFOOT in total. As the scrolls are passed from one congregant to another there is singing and dancing. As mentioned before Temple Bat Yam has continued with the recent development of rolling out the entire torah for everyone to hold.



# Religious School Schedule

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October was a very busy month for the Religious School program. The Rabbi held a Family High Holy Day Service which was well attended and was very enlightening to all who participated. We'd like to thank Rina Thaler and her mom, Eva Fox, for helping the students creatively decorate Tzedukah boxes. On Sukkot, families were able to enjoy the beautiful and bountiful Sukkah which highlighted last month's early Sukkot Service.

The Philadelphia trip with the TBY Men's Club and other congregants was thoroughly enjoyed by all the Religious School families who attended. The tour of the historical Mikveh Israel Synagogue, guided by the warmth and humor of Rabbi Gabbai, made everyone feel welcome. The families were amazed as they visited the lavish Temple Sukkot as well as seeing the abundant amount of torahs housed in the synagogue. Visiting the Philadelphia Jewish Museum was a wonderful experience by all to conclude the day.

We like to invite all religious school families and TBY congregants to join us for the Early Shabbat Service November 11 which will be led in worship by the Youth Group. We hope everyone will be there.

Listed below is the remaining 2011-2012 schedule for Religious School, Early Shabbat Services and Special Events/Celebrations.

Becky Brunet

Religious Education Chair

## **Religious School Schedule 2011-2012**

9:45 AM - 12:00 PM

November: 6, 13, 20

December 4:

December 11: Hanukkah Party

January: 22, 29

February: 5, 12, 26

March 4: Purim Party

March 11

March 18: Passover Model Seder

March 25: Bus Trip – Last day of Religious School

May 6: Mitzvah Day – All religious school students participate

***(See Page 11 for Early / Holiday Shabbat Services Schedule for the TBY Religious School)***

## Early/Holiday Shabbat Services 2011-2012 for TBY Religious School

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November 11: Service 7 PM  
December 9: Pizza Dinner 6:15; Service 7 PM  
December 23: Hanukkah Pot Luck Dinner 6:30 PM; Service 8 PM  
January 13: Service 7 PM  
February 10: Pizza Dinner 6:15; Service 7 PM  
March 9: Purim Pot Luck Dinner 6 PM; Service 7 PM  
April 13: Service 7 PM  
May 11: Pizza Dinner 6:15; Teacher Appreciation Shabbat 7 PM



## *Youth Group Fall Accomplishments!*

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- 1) Organized the High Holidays food drive.....about 100 bags of food were delivered to HALO Cafe which helps the homeless and hurting in Salisbury and beyond.
- 2) Provided the Happy Birthday to the World Cake at the Rosh Hashanah morning service. Youth Group members passed out pieces of cake to the congregants after the service.
- 3) Worked with George Rosenstock on cleaning up and mulching the playground at the synagogue.
- 4) Went on the Philadelphia trip and had a tremendous learning experience while visiting the synagogue and the Jewish American Museum.

# Temple Bat Yam Adult Education Fall 2011

**ISRAEL CLASS**—for participants in the TBY Journey to Israel Oct. 23-Nov. 5, 2011

Wednesday evenings

7-8.30

Temple Bat Yam

Dates: September 7, 14, 21 (pot luck dinner); October 5, 12, 19

October 21 Simchat Torah Service and blessing for travelers 8 PM

**MUSSAR II**—continuation of existing class

Wednesday mornings

10-11.30

August 17, 31; September 14, 28; October 12, 26

November 9, 30; December 7, 21

**MUSSAR I: New Class**

Thursday mornings

10-11.30

September 8, 22; October 6, 20; November 10, 23; December 1, 22

(Note: this class requires pre-registration)

**AN INTRODUCTION TO TALMUD**

Thursday Lunch and Learn

12-1.30

September 8, 22; October 6, 20; November 10, December 1, 22

(Note: you do not have to attend every class; drop-ins are welcome)

## WINTER-SPRING 2012

Continuation of Mussar I and Mussar II (Wednesday/Thursday mornings)

Continuation of Introduction to Talmud (Thursday Lunch and Learn)

**NEW CLASS: ENGAGING ISRAEL** 18 week class

Thursday evenings beginning January 2012, 7-8.30

**BAR/BAT MITZVAH CLASS FOR ADULTS** (registration required)

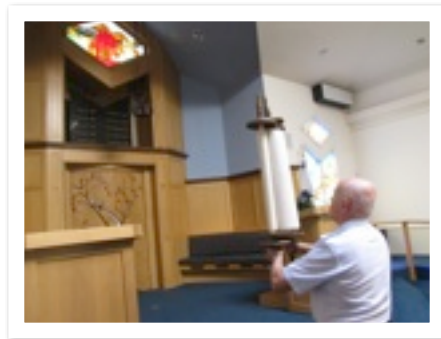
**INTRODUCTION TO CHRISTIANITY FOR JEWS**-details TBA

# *Arts and Furnishings Report*

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Temple Bat Yam has beautiful inside and outside Succahs every year. We thank Marsha and George Rosenstock and Jeri Lipov who created the Succah on the bimah.

Special thanks to Justin Willmuth for his donations of pumpkins and mums for the outside succah. The religious school children added their handiwork to complete the picture. It's a fitting a cozy place to enjoy the season.



**Marvin Novick**  
(Temple Bat Yam Member &  
Photographer)  
Raising the Torah.

# Sisterhood Happenings

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## OFFICERS

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CONG. SEC'Y  
Jeff Thaler

PAST PRESIDENT  
Larry Michnick

Shalom All,

As we approach the end of the Jewish year, I'd like to ask you to think about reaffirming your connection to Sisterhood. Much work always needs to be done and our time is so limited that we must constantly strive to utilize it to the utmost in a constructive way.

One way you can help is to support the Game Party that is coming on Monday, November 14th at the Woodlands. We have ladies playing Mah Jongg, Scrabble, Bridge, etc. The \$25 cost includes coffee and tea in the morning, a lovely lunch and dessert. We will have a 50/50 and raffles for baskets. This is one of our biggest fund raisers and all proceeds will be donated to the Temple. This event is open to the community, so talk it up to your friends, at your games or in your neighborhood. If you don't have a full table, we will try to help you get a full compliment.

On Friday, November 18th we will have our annual Sisterhood Shabbat. Last year we had 35 members taking part in the service. It was beautiful. We would love to have you participate this year, however, you must be a member of Sisterhood. So, if you haven't yet sent your check of just \$36 to Bette Bohlmann please do so. We really would like to have a wonderful representation as we did last year.

The very next night, Saturday, November 19th at 8:00pm we have tickets to the show, "A Servant for Two Masters" playing at Salisbury University. Tickets are selling for \$12 each. If you would like to dine with the group a reservation is made at the NEW Georgia House on Rt. 13. Please call Helene Caplan for your tickets.

Finally, I'd like to talk to you about the Judaica Shop. Two things come to mind. First, we all know Chanukah is coming up. The children and adults have an opportunity to purchase Chanukah gifts from the shop. The problem is I need to know what items you would like to be stocked for children to purchase for their parents, siblings and other relatives and friends. Please let me know via email as soon as possible so the items can be ordered. This year we will offer gift wrapping at no cost to our children (and those grown-ups that need help!). The second thing that comes to mind is we need help keeping the shop open on Friday evenings. It's just for 30 little minutes before the service begins. Please contact either Bette or me if you are willing to help us out.

That's it for now. Be well,

Candy

# Library Report

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The Library Crew is delighted to announce the next Bagels and Books  
Happening:

Sunday morning, December 18 at 10:00 a.m., we will be munching on bagel, sipping coffee or tea, and examining “97 Orchard: An Edible History of Five Immigrant Families Living In the Same Tenement”. Authored by Jane Ziegelman, this a delightful tale of cultural exchange and the structuring of a community. Beyond the delightful stories we get the opportunity to score some wonderful recipes, as the multi-ethnic families teach each other to enjoy each others foods. As a heads-up, know that only one of the families is Jewish. “97 Orchard...” is available in the Worcester County Library System, and we have three copies in our library.

Dana Rosenfeld will facilitate what promises to be a morning filled with sweet nostalgia. fun, and lively discussion. Plan to come, and bring friends and neighbors. Bagels and Books is open to the community.

Dates for future Bagels and Books sessions for the following Sundays:

Feb 19 2012

Apr 22 2012

July 15 2012

# November 2011 yahrzeits

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Rose Cohn, Tuesday, 11/1/2011

Grayce Cohen, Mother of Grayce

Rose Barth, Thursday, 11/3/2011

Donald & Janice Hamburg, Aunt of Donald

Jerry Kroll, Tuesday, 11/8/2011

Donald & Arleen Pace, Friend of Arleen

Lillian Schneider, Tuesday, 11/8/2011

Leslie Segall & Edward Wirkman,

Former Mother-in-law of Leslie

Mary Sperling, Tuesday, 11/8/2011

Bert & Gloria Nestler, Mother of Gloria

Marian Tanenholtz, Wednesday, 11/9/2011

Stuart & Susanna Eisenman,

Great Aunt of Stu Eisenman

Gertrude Sally Davis, Friday, 11/11/2011

Sidney & Carole Eagle, Mother of Carole

Fannie Lebowitz, Friday, 11/11/2011

Steve & Janina Lebowitz, Mother of Steve

Sally Link, Monday, 11/14/2011

Richard Leiner, Mother of Patti

Rivkah Esther Saltzberg, Tuesday, 11/15/2011

Lionel D. Saltzberg, Mother of Lionel

Louis Zampilione, Tuesday, 11/15/2011

John Willmuth, Father in law

Lillian Rubenfeld, Wednesday, 11/16/2011

Jay & Cheryl Taustin, Aunt of Jay

Helen Rosenberg, Friday, 11/18/2011

Jack & Elaine Kaufman, Aunt of Elaine

Theodore Hamburg, Tuesday, 11/22/2011

Donald & Janice Hamburg, Father of Donald

Saul Glick, Wednesday, 11/23/2011

Hal & Christine Glick, Father of Hal

Sylvia Barth, Thursday, 11/24/2011

Donald & Janice Hamburg, Aunt of Donald

# *November 2011 yahrzeits*

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Miriam Rubin, Saturday, 11/26/2011

Hal & Christine Glick, Mother of Hal

Marian Hankin, Monday, 11/28/2011

Bruce & Cynthia Leiner, Grandmother of Cynthia

Judy Katsoyannos, Tuesday, 11/29/2011

Sanford & Karen Abrams, Mother of Karen

Max Schaerf, Tuesday, 11/29/2011

Donald & Janice Hamburg, Father of Janice

Bernard Apple, Wednesday, 11/30/2011

Gertrude Apple, Husband

# *Patrons, Benefactors Help Temple*

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## **PLATINUM BENEFACTORS**

Bruce and Cyndi Leiner  
Jeff and Rina Thaler  
Peter and Rebecca Zweigbaum  
Jack and Michelle Schachter

## **DIAMOND BENEFACTORS**

Warren & Dana Rosenfeld  
Bert and Gloria Nestler  
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Jonathan and Terry Bell  
Jo Anne Glazer  
Harold and Elaine Rabinowitz

## **GOLD PATRON MEMBERS**

Stu and Susanna Eisenman  
Larry and Dolores Pack  
Grayce Cohen

## **RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND**

From Phyllis Alpern:

~thank you, Jake Eisenman, for your computer help

From Bruce and Cyndi Leiner:

~in honor of Rabbi Warshaw

~in honor of Cheryl Taustin

From Mark Venit:

~in honor of Rabbi Warshaw

# *Patrons, Benefactors Help Temple (Continued)*

## **LIBRARY FUND**

From Jeannette Abrams:

~to Barbara Southwell, thanks for the kind assistance with appointments and shopping. I appreciate your friendship so much.

~to Florence Kasden, thanks for all the goodies and for helping me meet my appointments. Your friendship means so much to me.

~to Bette Bohlmann, thanks for the delicious muffins and a fun visit.

~to Doris Mitnick, thanks for being my friend.

From Peter and Rebecca Zweigbaum:

~to Richard Leiner in memory of Patti Leiner

~to Mark and Donna Leiner in memory of Patti Leiner

~to Bruce and Cyndi Leiner in memory of Patti Leiner

## **YAHARZEIT**

From Marion Longberg:

~always in my heart, my father, Louis Shilan

From Marilyn Furman:

~in loving memory of my husband, Dr. Howard A. Furman

From Barry and Candy Gusst:

~in loving memory of Candy's father, Henry Segal

From Bud Mitnick:

~in loving memory of my brother, Elliot Mitnick

From Arleen Pace:

~in loving memory of my mother, Ruth Leber

From Carol Selig:

~in loving memory of my father-in-law, Marcus Selig

From Phyllis Franklin:

~in loving memory of my mother, Marian Oletsky

From Lee Klepper:

~in loving memory of my father, Sidney Klepper

From Phyllis Brodsky:

~in loving memory of my dear sister, Marcia Myers

From Miriam Green:

~in memory of my beloved mother, Esther Glickman

From Janice Spieler:

~in loving memory of my grandmother, Etta Schwartz, "Bubbe"

~in loving memory of my aunt, Roslyn Tannenbaum

From Phyllis Wann:

~in memory of my beloved father, David Komins

From Judith Galuardi:

~in loving memory of Gwen Gilman, mother and grandmother

From Susan Benke:

~in loving memory of my mother, Edna Katz

From Hal Glick:

~in memory of my beloved father, Saul Glick

~in memory of my beloved mother, Miriam Glick Rubin, we miss you.

## **GENERAL FUND**

From Ed and Corinne Schrier:

~to Richard Leiner in memory of Patricia Leiner

From George and Marsha Rosenstock:

~to the Greenwood family in loving memory of Bill Greenwood

From Judith Galuardi:

~in honor of Jessica's Aliyah on Yom Kippur

# Operation College

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Once again TBY reached out to our college students who were away from home during the High Holy Days. Our packages travelled as far as Toronto and as close as Baltimore; as well as, Michigan, New York, Princeton, D.C. ,and Delaware. We are happy to report the recipients were very positive.

Hearing from the TBY family with New Year wishes and traditional treats was meaningful to our young adults.

The next college outreach will be the Passover packages. If your son or daughter will be away from home during Passover, send their address to [sandiew2278@gmail.com](mailto:sandiew2278@gmail.com) so that they can receive a Passover reminder that TBY cares.

## Newsletter Details

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**TEMPLE BAT YAM IS NOW ON FACEBOOK...  
PLEASE JOIN AND SUGGEST TO YOUR FRIENDS!!**

*For your information, the following is a copy of the thank-you letter that was sent to Dr Leonard Berger, owner of the Clarion Hotel in Ocean City, following the sumptuous, elegant and amazing Break-the-Fast which he so generously arranged for Temple Bat Yam. It has been our pleasure to thank Dr Berger on your and our behalf.*

October 10, 2011

Leonard Berger, M.D.  
"The Clarion"  
10100 Coastal Highway  
Ocean City, Maryland 21842

Dear Dr. Berger

It is our delightful mission to express to you the heartfelt gratitude of the peoples of Temple Bat Yam, your, and our, spiritual home. There exists an absence of words worthy of the gift which you gave to all of us, your fellow congregants. Somehow, just saying "Thank You" is not quite enough.

The room, the presentation, the food, the staff and their attention, those fantastic "gifts" which you added to our basic menu, the feelings of welcome which greeted the attendees, all of these factors added up to a scrumptious Break-the-Fast, an affair that has already become a Bat Yam Legend. We can only add the words of that famous military personality when we say, "We shall return".

Do, please, extend our gratitude to Kay Windsor and to all of your staff personnel. They, and you, have set the bar very high, and we shall attempt to keep it there. Bat Yam appreciates all of you, and the obvious love and attention to detail that was lavished upon our annual post Yom Kippur gathering.

So, all of the above said, we have to close with words we were trying to exceed:  
"Thank You, Dr. Berger", you and yours have made our committee look like heros!!

Most Sincerely,  
Doris and "Bud" Mitnick  
Grayce Cohen



# Winter Clothing Drive...

The Temple Bat Yam Sisterhood will once again have a winter clothing drive. Please bring coats, jackets, hats, scarves and gloves to the temple no later than **November 28**. Items need to be brand new or slightly worn with no markings or stains. Any additional information please contact Florence Kasden 410.208.4344.

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