



The Voice

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From Rabbi Scott Sperling



Dear Kol Ami,

While the calendar says that we're still deep in

winter, the weather begs us to look towards spring with great anticipation. Clearly, the spring holidays of Purim and Passover are right around the corner.

Even as we look towards the joyous festivals of Purim and Passover, I can't help but feel the tension between past and present as we look towards the future.

For all the frivolity and fun of Purim, there are deep and deeply serious themes contained in the Book of Esther. The dangers of anti-semitism and the folly of trying to hide our Jewish identity as a way of escaping the vicious anti-semitism of an individual or society are driven home by Mordecai's warning to Esther that if she remains quiet in the face of Haman's threats to the Jews, she will not be saved. Happily, brave and wise Esther remains true to her ideals and

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Our Mission

To be an inclusive Reform Jewish congregation that is family focused, community oriented, emphasizes spiritual and cultural identity, and is dedicated to the Jewish education of all generations.

Message from the President

By Joanna Sieger



As I began my presidency of Kol Ami, I had weekly meetings with the Rabbi. We talked about my vision for the congregation.

What did I want? What did I want the congregation to be? It wasn't a hard answer. I envisioned something like the TV Show, "Cheers." I repeatedly heard the theme song in the back of my head. I wanted Congregation Kol Ami of Frederick to be "someplace you want to go where everybody knows your name, and they're always glad you came." That's what I wanted, but the biggest question was: how do we get there from here? What do we need to do? We could add programming, but would people come? We could add fun themes to services, but would people come? How do we reach more members? How do we make improvements and engage our members when I really don't know what our members want?

When I began my presidency, I did not feel like I knew many of you. I knew the families of my religious school students and the group of people whom I'd met from serving on the board for several years. I am shy, it's true. I am completely out of my element when I am at a place where I know few, or no one. My daughter Molly, who is 15, envies me because she sees me as an outgoing, popular person. And, in her world, that's very important. She doesn't believe that when I was her age – and for many years after – I was the "wallflower". Sure, I had a few close friends, but I wasn't popular. I embarrassed easily. And, I hated going places where I didn't know anyone. For example, imagine you don't belong to a temple, and your extended family is in another state, so at Passover you go with your family to a community seder every year.

You're shy and you don't like being with people you don't know, and now you have to eat a meal with them. And, you're the youngest person at the table, every year. So, you do the 4 questions – publicly, in front of strangers. At the time, it was the hardest thing I had to do. Looking back, I suppose it could have been worse. To this day, you won't find me "working a room" of people I don't know. And, until recently, you could always count on finding me in the kitchen during the onegs – because that's where I was comfortable.

In my short time as president of our temple, we've had some pretty big challenges to overcome. It is from these challenges that I've met many more of you. The Jewish people have a long and continual history of overcoming "obstacles." Yes, I realize this is putting it mildly. My favorite lesson for religious school is about our holidays. We compare Passover, Purim, and Chanukah – and I do this 3 times during the year. All of our holidays have the same theme – a large or more powerful group tried to get rid of us, the smaller group of Jews stood up for themselves and their beliefs, and the Jewish people prevailed and lived on. Just as Congregation Kol Ami of Frederick will overcome our challenges – and we're well on our way. Our Rabbinic Search Committee has been meeting regularly, and the interview subcommittee has been working tirelessly to interview candidates. Which brings me to a few questions: 1 – what do you love about Congregation Kol Ami of Frederick? 2 – are there things you wish our temple did or offered? 3 – are there things we do offer that could be modified? 4 – are there things we do that you absolutely cannot live without? We all have an opportunity to shape the temple, and I would love to hear from you. Please email me at president@kolamifrederick.org.

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at the same time, engineers a rescue of her people. When we gather to read the *Megilla* and cheer the heroes and boo the villains, let's keep in mind that at its core, our celebration has an eternal lesson to teach us.

The ethical imperatives that are implicit in our Passover liturgy reflect the tension between universalist and particularist tendencies in Judaism. Our tradition recognizes both that we need to devote ourselves to learning and living Judaism and that our Jewish traditions also take us out of our homes and small Jewish community into a world that needs our energy and love, and deep commitment to repairing and improving that world. It is no accident that our seder includes a virtually open-ended invitation, "Let all who are hungry come and eat..."

It's also interesting to note that during some centuries, many Jewish families felt compelled to keep the doors of their homes open during the Passover seder as a way of allowing the broader community to see that, in fact, there was no ritual murder of Christians going on...a claim that had been constantly repeated across the length and breadth of Europe. How fortunate we are that – with few exceptions – we no longer have to worry

about such accusations and that we are now much freer to both exercise our religious rituals and customs and to have the freedom to join with the non-Jewish community to address the needs of our local, national and global community. We have come a long way and even if it sometimes feels like we've got a long way to go. Let's use this Passover season as a great time to celebrate the meaning of the Exodus as a celebration of the freedom and dignity that we Jews have been striving to achieve for many, many years. I am very much looking forward to sharing the second night of Passover with Kol Ami!

We have so much for which we can be thankful during this season of Purim and Passover – let's make sure we take few minutes in between bites of hamantashen, matza and gefilte fish to reflect on our many blessings.

May this be a joyous Purim and Passover for all!

Shalom,
Rabbi Scott Sperling

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From your Religious School Director

Sabrina Nail



How many of us did not like going to Hebrew School as a child? How many of us went to Hebrew school more than one day a week? Is this a right of passage that our children must “endure” to be Jewish?

We at Kol Ami find value in our Religious School Programs. We instill a sense of Jewish identity, our children have an

understanding of our story, our history, our language and our prayers. We see the excitement in our music class with Dr. Eric, we see the excitement when your child can recite the *V'ahavta* or the *Sh'ma*, we see the pride when our children complete acts of *G'milut Chasadim* (acts of loving kindness), or completes a project to connect with a holiday. We have seen the truth! They are learning and enjoying it. We are succeeding, we are meeting our students needs and showing that we are a community to educate, support and love one another.

We have parent projects at school, class led services and Shabbat dinners. Many classes have gotten together outside of religious school for social activities, such as bowling and lunches. All parents can make Judaism a central part of their child's upbringing, and set the example of being an engaged and involved Jewish member of our community. Author Wendy Mogul of the fabulous book “Blessing of a Skinned Knee” describes the “dry-cleaning” version of Jewish education: just like we take our clothing in to be cleaned – with little or no input from us – some of us drop off our kids once a week or more to be spiritually enriched – with no work required from home. That is *not* Kol Ami. We want our children to see the value of our Jewish faith, by showing that it is important to engage the whole family. Jewish learning is a central part of family life. Demonstrate our faith at home in conjunction with Kol Ami and watch how the whole family will thrive. *L'dor Vador* – from Generation to Generation!



2nd grade parent project.



From top: Dr. Eric doing a music lesson; 4th graders celebrating Tu B'Shvat; Kindergarteners with their Noah's ark projects; Rabbi Sperling helping with the 5th and 6th grader parent project.

PART-TIME RELIGIOUS SCHOOL TEACHER

We are looking for part-time teachers for our religious school. Do you enjoy working with children? Are you free two Sundays a month? For more information, please contact Sabrina Nail at education@kolamifrederick.org

Upcoming Events

Upcoming B'nai Mitzvah



Ellie Tuwiner

March 4, 2017

Ellie is the daughter of David Tuwiner and Michelle Kotler and sister of Jacob Tuwiner (17). She attends 7th grade at the Friends Meeting School, where she is very involved in the theater group. Ellie has

been involved in the production of "The Lion King" and is currently participating in a production of "Shrek" (which will have a performance at the Weinberg Center). Also, she has been attending Camp Louise for the past six summers.



Brady Duckhorn

April 8, 2017

Brady is the son of Jodi and Edward Duckhorn and brother to Riley (15) and Cody (9). The family also includes Simon, a much-loved dog, whose cause Brady

promotes throughout the day. Brady attends 7th grade at Windsor Knolls Middle School. He plays flag football in spring/fall and indoor soccer in winter. Summer includes Camp Airy. Brady is a superfan of the Seattle Seahawks and Green Bay Packers.



Mitchell Lasko

April 22, 2017

Mitch is the son of Mary Cat and Jeff Lasko and brother of Caelyn (10) and Eliana (7). He attends Walkersville Middle School.

Mitch is active in Boy Scout Troop 274 in Frederick, and is looking forward to joining his friends at Camp Airy for his 7th summer there. His other interests include video games, snowboarding, and "chillin' with his friends."

Join us for services at the UU!

March 3, 4 and 17

April 7, 8, 21 and 22

Help Wanted

- 2016-17 Religious School Substitute Teachers
- 2017-2018 Religious School Teachers
- 5778 High Holiday volunteers
- Tot Shabbat Service Captain(s)

Please contact Joanna at president@kolamifrederick.org for information about the above needs.

Fundraising Update

By Jessica Price, Fundraising Vice President

There has been a change in our May fundraising event. Please note that May 13, 2017 is our first annual Congregation Kol Ami Casino Night FUNdraiser and silent auction! This amazing event will be open to all congregants as well as family and friends. There will be many pricing options to fit every budget, starting at \$50. Each package will include playing chips, food, and non-alcoholic beverages. We will have a cash bar as well as raffles and silent auction.

Mark your calendar for this important date and stay tuned for an invitation!

We are always looking for donations of table sponsors as well as silent auction items. If you can help out with this, or know of any businesses willing to contribute, please contact Jessica Price at fundraisingvp@kolamifrederick.org.

KATY NEWS

Join us for a cupcake-decorating competition, dinner and social on March 11th at 6:00 pm!

We will be making dinner together as well as decorating cupcakes by team (with the winning team earning a sweet prize)!

Our KATY fund will be sponsoring this event and so it is FREE for members. Come hang out with KATY while your parents attend the Purim Party at Noah Freedman's house.

Please RSVP yay or nay by Sunday, March 5th! Include any dietary restrictions in your response, if applicable.

<http://evite.me/nUxbzhH3wV>

FREDERICK WOMEN'S SEDER

Tuesday, April 4, 6:30 pm

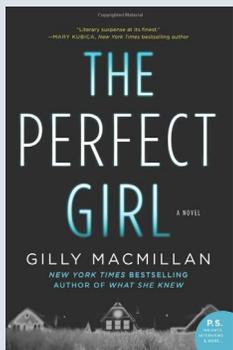
Delaplaine Visual Art Center

The tradition of a Frederick Women's Seder continues. Many of our Kol Ami women have attended the previous Frederick Women's Seders which is a joint Kol Ami and Beth Sholom event. Please contact our President, Joanna Sieger at president@kolamifrederick.org if you would like to volunteer as the Kol Ami representative so our congregation can support this wonderful event.

To download a registration form, go to our website or contact Marcy Taylor at mta2003606@aol.com or 301-694-8212 for more information.

Upcoming Events

Kol Ami Book Club



Wed. March 8 at 12:30 pm
Macaroni Grill at Westview

The Perfect Girl
by Gilly Macmillan

For a synopsis of the book and to RSVP: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090a45a9a92d6-kolami>



Purim

Adult only bonfire, Saturday, March 11,
6:30pm at The House in the Woods farm.

Pot Luck appetizer and dessert. Bring a chair
and lap blanket. Wear a crazy hat!

This party is rain or shine - in case of rain we will
move indoors. Please sign up at:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0a48afa72fa57-purim>

Passover

The second night family Seder will
be held on Tuesday, April 11 from
6:30-8:30PM at the Urbana Fire Hall.
Stay tuned for more details.



Yom Hashoah

This year's service is on April 30 at 1pm at Beth Sholom.

Mitzvot and Friendship of Frederick

A new Jewish women's group has been formed!
Their mission is to support Jewish organizations. They
will meet on March 19 at 10:30 am at Wegmans. Kol Ami
women are urged to join in!

Please contact Susan Dwyer at susandwy@gmail.com
or mitzvotandfriendship@gmail.com for more details.

Join us for our Torah Study!

Fascinating topics, interesting discussions.
Mondays at 12:30 p.m. at the office.

March 6, 13, 20 and 27 • April 3, 10, 17 and 24

Women's Coffee

Wednesdays, March 1 and April 5, 2017

10:00 am at Panera on Route 26

Women of Kol Ami meet on the first Wednesday of
every month, unless otherwise noted. Come meet your
friends and let us know what is happening in your life.
Check this link for the latest coffee date: RSVP: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090a45a9a92d6-womens>

Kol Ami Brotherhood

Interested in an evening out with the guys? The Kol Ami
Brotherhood meets on the first Tuesday each month for dinner
and a sign-up is announced via e-mail the week beforehand. This is
a low-key event — no meetings, just a nosh.

The March Brotherhood dinner will be Tuesday, March 7 at
6:30pm at Rafi Ristorante (190 Thomas Johnson Drive).

Interested and available? Please sign up so we know how many
to expect: surveymonkey.com/r/JSRYR5B

For more information, please contact Jeff Feiertag via email at
brotherhood@kolamifrederick.org.



February Brotherhood dinner at Pistarro's.

Sponsor an Oneg ... and thank you!

Our Oneg Shabbat is one of the many pleasures of
belonging to Congregation Kol Ami of Frederick. Following
the Friday night services, the Oneg is a time to have a nosh
and socialize in a relaxed setting. It is also a great opportunity
to celebrate and honor special events such as a birthday,
anniversary, new baby, graduation, safe return, yahrzeit, or
any other occasion of your choice.

Challah, wine, grape juice and assorted baked goods will be
provided after the service. Please support your congregation
by sponsoring an oneg while honoring a meaningful person
or event in your life. Please call the office for more details.

Forever Youngsters

Kol Ami Forever Youngsters enjoyed a fun-filled Superbowl party at the beautiful and happy home of Judi and Allan Feldman. We give special thanks to the Feldmans for all their hard work to make it such a success. There was an abundance of amazing and delicious food. We raised a few hundred dollars for Kol Ami, too!!

Save the date for our Pot Luck Party:

Saturday, June 10, 2017

Place: Home of Jill and Richard Cody

Time: TBD

Entertainment: Mark Chilnick and Eric Dubbin reminiscing music from our youth

If you would like information about our Forever Youngsters/ Empty Nesters, contact: Jennifer Mykytyn at jgmykytyn@aol.com



Empty Nesters' Superbowl party

A Note from Jennifer Mykytyn

It has been my pleasure to serve as chair for our Kol Ami Empty Nesters/Forever Youngsters for the past few years. The committee consists of delightful women. Hans and I are heading to the Charleston, SC area. Judi Feldman has agreed to take over this wonderful group. She is extremely creative, well organized and will do an amazing job. Thank you, Judi, for so graciously agreeing to accept this role. – Jennifer Mykytyn

Need Financial Assistance?

As announced in the last few editions of the *Voice*, financial assistance applications are not being accepted past November 1 this fiscal year, except in extreme situations (which include job loss, family death, etc).

The financial assistance committee, with the support of the Board of Trustees, made this change for two reasons: Firstly, it will allow us to know how much help we really need to give, instead of having those financial obligations sneaking up on us. Secondly, we need a better, more realistic accounting of how much money will be in the budget for the rest of the year (as compared with the forecasted amount established by the Budget and Finance Committee the previous spring). It's difficult to make plans and decisions when we don't really know how much money will actually be in the bank at the end of the year.

Since the first days of Congregation Kol Ami of Frederick it has been our fundamental value that no one should be denied membership for financial reasons. However, helping members with their Kol Ami expenses such as dues, tuition and B'nai Mitzvah fees requires effective communication on both sides. We can't help you if you do not ask. If you do not ask, we assume your financial obligations to the congregation will be met without fail. If you do need assistance, please contact us by November 1. We do not want to embarrass anyone and we do not ask for financial records, as some temples do. We merely ask that if you need help, you let us know by November 1.

We cannot stress enough: If you face an unexpected financial hardship that will affect your ability to pay your obligations to the synagogue, please do not hesitate to let us know and we will work with you. If you have any questions or comments, please let us know (financialsecretary@kolamifrederick.org).

Additionally, if you can support a member through hard times, we welcome donations to our Membership Relief Fund.

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You can help solve the problem of food insecurity among Frederick's low income children by donating to *Blessings in a Backpack*, Frederick Schools. These children depend on Free And Reduce-priced Meals in school as their primary source of nutrition, but "What do they do on the weekend?"

There are several ways to help...sponsoring a child, donating food, helping us pack or distribute backpacks. If you have any questions please contact Hermine at fredherm2@comcast.net or 301-788-7116.

The more money we raise, the more food we collect, the more children we can feed.

Torah...“It is a tree of life to all who grasp it, and whoever holds on to it is happy; its ways are ways of pleasantness, and all its paths are peace. (Proverbs 3:17-18)

The Parashyot for March and April are as follows:

Mar. 4 - T’rumah/Gifts, Exodus 25:1-27:19 The Eternal One spoke to Moses, saying: “Tell the Israelite people to bring Me gifts; you shall accept gifts for Me from every person whose heart is so moved.” – Exodus 25:1-2

Mar. 11 - T’tzaveh/[You] Shall Further Instruct, Exodus 27:20-30:10 You shall further instruct the Israelites to bring you clear oil of beaten olives for lighting, for kindling lamps regularly. – Exodus 27:20

Mar. 18 - Ki Tisa/When You Take a Census, Exodus 30:11-34:35 The Eternal One spoke to Moses, saying: “When you take a census of the Israelite men according to their army enrollment, each shall pay the Eternal a ransom for himself on being enrolled, that no plague may come upon them through their being enrolled.” – Exodus 30:11-12

Mar. 25 - Vayak’hei/[Moses] Assembled, Exodus 35:1–38:20 Moses then convoked the whole Israelite community and said to them: “These are the things that the Eternal has commanded you to do.” – Exodus 35:1 P’kudei [The] Records [of the Tabernacle] Exodus 38:21-40:38 These are the records of the Tabernacle, the Tabernacle of the Pact, which were drawn up at Moses’ bidding—the work of the Levites under the direction of Ithamar son of Aaron the priest. – Exodus 38:21

Apr. 1 - Vayikra/[God] Called Out, Leviticus 1:1-5:26 The Eternal One called to Moses and spoke to him from the Tent of Meeting, saying: “Speak to the Israelite people and say to them: When any of

you presents an offering of cattle to the Eternal: You shall choose your offering from the herd or from the flock.” – Leviticus 1:1-2

Apr. 8 - Tzav/Command [Aaron and His Sons], Leviticus 6:1-8:36 The Eternal One spoke to Moses, saying: “Command Aaron and his sons thus: This is the ritual of the burnt offering: The burnt offering itself shall remain where it is burned upon the altar all night until morning, while the fire on the altar is kept going on it.” – Leviticus 6:1-2

Apr. 15 - Chol HaMo-eid Pesach/Passover Intermediate Days, Exodus 33:12-34:26 Moses said to the Eternal, “See, You say to me, ‘Lead this people forward,’ but You have not made known to me whom You will send with me. Further, You have said, ‘I have singled you out by name, and you have, indeed, gained My favor.’” – Exodus 33:12

Apr. 22 - Sh’mini/The Eighth [Day], Leviticus 9:1-11:47 On the eighth day Moses called Aaron and his sons, and the elders of Israel – Leviticus 9:1

Apr. 29 - Tazria/Bearing Seed, Leviticus 12:1–13:59 The Eternal One spoke to Moses, saying: “Speak to the Israelite people thus: When a woman at childbirth bears a male, she shall be impure seven days; she shall be impure as at the time of her condition of menstrual separation.” – Leviticus 12:1-2 M’tzora A Leper Leviticus 14:1-15:33 The Eternal One spoke to Moses, saying: “This shall be the ritual for a leper at the time of being purified.” – Leviticus 14:1-2

Thoughts on Hearing from God by Jill Cody

“And God spoke...” – We read and hear these words throughout Torah. They provide underpinning to our beliefs and faith. Formative participants in Torah—from Adam to Noah, Abraham to Moses -- have all been touched, influenced, directed, and led by communications from God. It appears the players must read God’s mind to (pardon the expression) divine holy intent and reason. Personally, I do not doubt our spiritual ancestors heard and felt the Spirit of God move them to higher purpose and behavior.

My spiritual question to all of us is determining how the patriarchs of old differentiated these communications as distinct from their own thoughts. To make it relevant for us today: how can we know if God is speaking, guiding, or directly communicating to us? Why would He not? I propose that perhaps our ancestors were open to hearing this communication, and, even more important, acting on it.

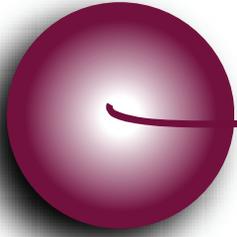
Look what happens when Abram hears God tell him (command him) to “Go forth from your native land and your father’s house.” (Gen. 12:1) My understanding is that he is commanded to leave what is comfortable and familiar (note the “family” linguistic root) and embrace a totally different concept and course of action. When Abram is receptive to this demand, God changes his name to “Abraham,” which, the Sages say, means Abram will now carry the “H” with him -- meaning God will now be part of his identity.

Jacob hears directly from God when He renames him “Israel.” (Gen. 32:29) Their conversation seems informal, as God reaffirms the promise of land He made to Abraham. Joseph

seems to have communication with God that was intuitive and metaphorical – through his dreams and interpretations. Moses had direct conversations with God, which often included discussions and negotiations closely resembling a friendship. Moses seems at ease with commands and directions that he can pass along to the assemblage of the Children of Israel.

Since Moses lacked personal knowledge of the patriarchs, his own words and deeds had to reflect divine influence and spiritual energy that he (Moses) had received and adopted. The Children of Israel, who had been separated from the patriarchs’ spiritual influence for generations, required evidence in the form of miracles as opposed to taking Moses’ retelling of God’s words on faith.

Acting on messages from God always requires effort and discomfort (at the very least). We should have some form of vested interest in following divine messages, and the guidance should be relevant and take us to a higher level of moral, ethical and spiritual life. Perhaps we need to allow ourselves to be open to the possibility that God can communicate with us as easily as we believe that we communicate with Him through prayer, meditation, and spiritual study. Every time we come to services or get together in adult programs (where we can discuss, or even question, what is in Torah, Talmud or midrash writings), we are open to communicating with God on a level that is meaningful to us. When we have thoughts which make us feel closer to others, compassionate, or connected to the deep spiritual energy that can fill each of us, we can feel God speaking directly to us.



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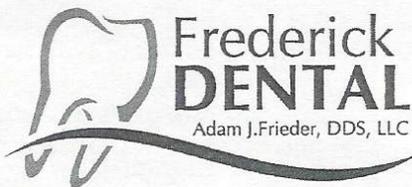
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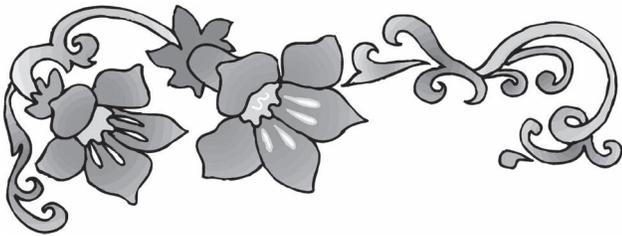
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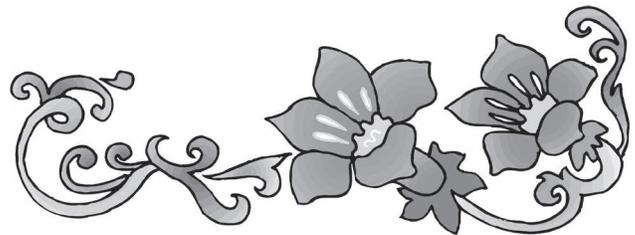
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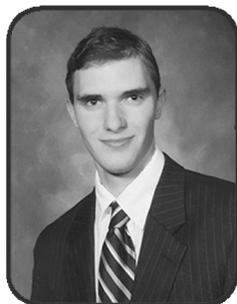
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Jordan Schneider, in memory of Tina Prenskey

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Ilene Baranowitz

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Anne and Michael Cohen

Ralene Damanti, in honor of challah baking class by Ruth Stuart

Ralene and Frank Damanti

Ralene and Frank Damanti, in memory of Tina Prenskey

Ralene and Frank Damanti, in memory of Helen Loube

Adrian Elezarof and Leanne Zobrist, in memory of Mary Anne Zobrist

Berta Farbman, in honor of challah baking class by Ruth Stuart

Dianne Heins, in honor of challah baking class by Ruth Stuart

Mark and Barri Hoffrichter, in memory of David Ross

Mark and Barri Hoffrichter, in memory of Gene Effron

Mark and Barri Hoffrichter, in memory of Tina Prenskey

Bernard and Betty Loeb, in memory of Michael Segal

Ilana Love, in honor of challah baking class by Ruth Stuart

Betsy Maymon, in honor of challah baking class by Ruth Stuart

Betsy and Jeff Maymon, in memory of Tina Prenskey

Christopher Melluso and Jeanne Herring

Jennifer Mykytyn, in honor of challah baking class by Ruth Stuart

Hans and Jennifer Mykytyn

Hans and Jennifer Mykytyn, in memory of Jonathan Train

Hans and Jennifer Mykytyn, in memory of Barbara's mother

Hans and Jennifer Mykytyn, in memory of Tina Prenskey

Charles and Sabrina Nail

Tamar Osterman, in honor of Joanna Sieger's leadership

Tamar Osterman and David Twenhafel

Tamar Osterman and David Twenhafel, in memory of Tina Prenskey

Carolyn and Newt Plaisance, in memory of Corinne and Jess Forman, parents of Carolyn Plaisance

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Carolyn Plaisance, in honor of challah baking class by Ruth Stuart

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Julie Saxon, in honor of challah baking class by Ruth Stuart

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March and April 2017 Upcoming Events

March

Fri, March 3	Tot Shabbat Service	6:30pm
	Erev Shabbat Service	7:30pm
Sat, March 4	Shabbat Morning Service	
	Bat Mitzvah Ellie Tuwiner	10:00am
Sun, March 5	Confirmation Class	9:15am
	Religious School -	
	4th grade parent project	9:30am
Mon, March 6	Torah Study	12:30pm
Tues, March 7	Brotherhood Dinner	6:30pm
Wed, March 8	Book Club	12:30pm
Sat, March 11	Adult-Only Purim Bonfire	6:30pm
Sun, March 12	Confirmation Class	9:15am
	Religious School	9:30am
Mon, March 13	Torah Study	12:30pm
Fri, March 17	Erev Shabbat Service	7:30pm
Sun, March 19	Confirmation Class	9:15am
	Religious School -	
	Purim celebration	9:30am
Mon, March 20	Torah Study	12:30pm
Fri, March 24	Confirmation class departs for NYC	
Sun, March 26	Confirmation class returns from NYC	
Mon, March 27	Torah Study	12:30pm
	Board Meeting	7:00pm

April

Sun, April 2	Confirmation Class	9:15am
	Religious School	9:30am
Mon, April 3	Torah Study	12:30pm
Tues, April 4	Brotherhood Dinner	6:30pm
	Women's Seder	6:30pm
Wed, April 5	Women's Coffee	10:00am
Fri, April 7	Tot Shabbat Service	6:30pm
	Erev Shabbat Service	7:30pm
Sat, April 8	Shabbat Morning Service	
	Bar Mitzvah Brady Duckhorn	10:00am
Sun, April 9	Confirmation Class	9:15am
	Religious School-Passover Seder	9:30am
Mon, April 10	Torah Study	12:30pm
Tues, April 11	Second Night Passover Seder	6:30pm
Mon, April 17	Torah Study	12:30pm
Fri, April 21	Erev Shabbat Service	7:30pm
Sat, April 22	Shabbat Morning Service	
	Bar Mitzvah Mitchell Lasko	10:00am
Sun, April 23	Confirmation Class	9:15am
	Religious School	9:30am
Mon, April 24	Torah Study	12:30pm
	Board Meeting	7:00pm
Sun, April 30	Confirmation Class	9:15am
	Religious School -	
	7th grade class project	9:30am
	Yom Ha Shoah service	1:00pm