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WORSHIP & TORAH STUDY

MAY

Friday, May 2 | 4 Iyar
6:30 pm - Shabbat Service | Glasser Baby Naming**

Saturday, May 3 | 5 Iyar

9:00 am - Torah Study*
10:30 am - Shabbat Service |
Bat Mitzvah of Everleigh Epps**

Friday, May 9 | 11 Iyar
6:30 pm - Shabbat Service | Wolff Baby Naming**

Saturday, May 10 | 12 Iyar

9:00 am - Torah Study*
10:30 am - Family Shabbat Experience |
Bar Mitzvah of Parker Collins**

Friday, May 16 | 18 Iyar (Lag BaOmer)

6:30 pm - Shabbat Service**

Saturday, May 17 | 19 Iyar

9:00 am - Torah Study*
10:30 am - Confirmation Service**

Friday, May 23 | 25 Iyar

6:30 pm - Shabbat Service**

Saturday, May 24 | 26 Iyar

9:00 am - Torah Study*
10:30 am - Shabbat Service |
Bat Mitzvah of Isabelle Levitt**

Friday, May 30 | 3 Sivan

6:30 pm - Shabbat Service**

Saturday, May 31 | 4 Sivan

9:00 am - Torah Study*
10:30 am - Shabbat Service |
Bat Mitzvah of Layla Dorsk**

JUNE

Friday, June 6 | 10 Sivan
6:30 pm - Shabbat Service
Honoring Rabbi's 20th Anniversary at OST**

Saturday, June 7 | 11 Sivan

9:00 am - Torah Study*
10:30 am - Shabbat Service*

Friday, June 13 | 17 Sivan

6:30 pm - Shabbat Service**

Saturday, June 14 | 18 Sivan

9:00 am - Torah Study*
10:30 am - Shabbat Service |
Adult B'nai Mitzvah**

Friday, June 20 | 24 Sivan
6:30 pm - Shabbat Service in Honor of Pride**

Saturday, June 21 | 25 Sivan

9:00 am - Torah Study*
10:30 am - Shabbat Service*

Friday, June 27 | 1 Tammuz

6:30 pm - Shabbat Service**

Saturday, June 28 | 2 Tammuz

9:00 am Torah Study*
10:30 am Shabbat Service*

No asterisk means IN-PERSON ONLY

*VIRTUAL ONLY

**HYBRID (in-person and virtual)



ST ANNUAL MEETING

MAY 22
6:00 pm Reception
6:30 pm Meeting

The congregation will be voting on the 2025-26 budget and electing Board members and Officers.

The Kurt Rosenbach Board Member of the Year Award will be presented.

A SACRED PILGRIMAGE

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YEAR ANNIVERSARY

Dear OST family and friends,

As we gather together each Erev Rosh Hashanah, our machzor includes this beloved meditation, "Birth is a beginning," before the Kaddish. The prayer reminds us of the journey of life and that we move through our seasons "stage by stage." During its recitation, we reflect on the highs and lows along the way, focusing in particular on our growth: "from ignorance to knowing . . . from offense to forgiveness, from loneliness to love, from joy to gratitude," all of it "a sacred pilgrimage."

This June, as I mark the completion of twenty years as Ohef Sholom's rabbi, I can think of no greater stage of my life, and I hope in the life of the congregation, than this one. I am continually in awe of those of you who have given and continue to give so much to ensure the health and well-being of our congregation and community. Your passion for Judaism, for Reform Jewish values, for our heritage, our present, and our future, have made me eternally grateful to be able to serve as your pastor, teacher, and spiritual guide. In truth, it is all of you who have been all of those things to me; you have become my family and OST my home. Together we have laughed heartily, cried from the depths of our being, and celebrated the cycles of Jewish life with vitality and joy. I am so very proud of who we are and all that we are able to do.

So whether you contribute of your time, your talent, or your treasure; or whether you are a Jew of the mind who finds meaning by engaging in the study of Torah, or a Jew of the heart who finds uplift in our inspiring worship, or a Jew of your hands who derives meaning from serving the Temple through board and committee work or from working to repair the world, you have made us a Kehillah Kedoshah, a sacred congregation now 180 years strong. And I am grateful for all you have built, and nourished, and loved.

So I'd like to thank all of you from the bottom of my heart for making me the luckiest rabbi in the world, beginning with the many presidents under whom I have served, each of whom has been a remarkable partner: Steve Kayer, Kim Fink, Bill Nusbaum, Linda Spindel, Eddie Kramer, Linda Fox-Jarvis, Ted Kaufman, Karen Fine, Terri Budman, John Cooper, Sharon Nusbaum, and now, Barb Gelb. No one could ask for better leadership than each and all of you.

So in honor of this milestone, don't make a contribution to my discretionary fund; instead, set up a time to have a conversation with someone from our Life and Legacy committee and share your love of OST with them.

Contact Charlie Nusbaum
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And to the incomparable professionals with whom I've served: Cantors

Jen Rueben, Wally Schachet-Briskin, and Jennifer Bern-Vogel and our Music Director Chuck Woodward; Administrators and Executive Directors Lynn Evans, Gail Bachman, Linda Peck, and Jennifer Levin-Tavares, and their support staffs; to our Educators Gail Bachman, Kitty Wolf, Chris Kraus, and Alyson Morrissey; and finally, to our clergy assistant, Liz Vincent, without whom much of what I do would not be possible.

So I invite you to join me in celebrating OST and our twenty years together on Friday night, June 6th at 6:00 p.m. for a pre-neg, 6:30 p.m. for a Shabbat service, and for those who wish, at 7:30 p.m. for a Shabbat dinner.

I have been asked over and over what I want for my twenty year anniversary and honestly, I want two things. The first is to celebrate what a remarkable community we are on June 6th. The second is to ensure our vitality and security for the next twenty years and following. This will require that we continue to give of our time and talent and, yes, our treasure. So in honor of this milestone, don't make a contribution to my discretionary fund; instead, set up a time to have a conversation with someone from our Life and Legacy committee and share your love of OST with them. You are under no obligation. But together, we can and will make Ohef Sholom strong and enduring for generations to come.

With love, gratitude,
and appreciation,

Rabbi Roz

Rabbi Roz



PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

Choose Gratitude

I keep a small sign by my kitchen sink that says, "Choose Gratitude," as a continuous reminder to appreciate the moment and consciously reflect on the things for which I am thankful. As OST's outgoing President, gratitude comes easily! How fortunate we are to have a beloved clergy team, Rabbi Roz (congratulations on 20 years at OST!) and Cantor Jen, our amazing Music Director, Chuck Woodward and Alyson Morrissey, the Director of Lifelong Learning, who manages a vibrant and growing Religious School and a healthy Adult Education program. Our Executive Director, Jennifer Levin-Tavares, and the OST office and maintenance teams of Eric Eaton, Liz Vincent, Rebecca Sitrin, Jim Dunn, Burgess Hodges, Gillian Donovan and Jim Gurlea, faithfully support the congregation daily, and as a team, work their hardest to ensure programs, dinners, and our religious services run seamlessly. Many thanks to our outgoing youth group advisors, Robyn and Paul Weiner, for wonderfully guiding our Temple youth. I am grateful to Kathryn Morton and David Metzger, who for many years, have played significant roles in introducing Judaism to seekers and leading the study of Torah.

The success of the programs and activities for our community is attributable both to the many volunteers who give of their time and talent on committees, Sisterhood, Men's Club and special projects to engage our membership, and to every one of you who support the congregation financially to the best of your ability. I have heartfelt appreciation for the OST lay leadership - the members of our Board of Directors and Board Committees who develop



and approve a wide range of policies and thoughtfully assure that the Temple makes sound financial decisions. They provide leadership in support of our Religious School, worship and engagement opportunities. I extend special thanks to the Executive Committee with whom I have been privileged to work for the past 2 years: Barb Gelb, Andy Fox, David Hirschler, Lawrence Steingold, John Cooper, Mike Jaffe, Carol Brum, Debbie Higgins, Steve Kocen and Jay Lazier. They have been a wonderful source of support and guidance.

Two trends have become apparent during the past two years which will also serve to assure a bright future for the congregation: (1) the continuing emergence of younger leadership on the Board, the Executive Committee and the Standing Committees and their subcommittees, and (2) a heightened focus on inclusion. Both have been priorities of mine, and I am grateful to have seen them embraced. For years to come, they will help Ohef Sholom go from strength to strength.

I thank each of you for entrusting me with the sacred responsibility of serving as President of the Congregation. Of the many volunteer positions I have had, none has been more emotionally and spiritually rewarding. I wish Barb Gelb a brilliantly successful two years as she assumes the leadership of a talented and younger Executive Committee and a Board of Directors that will benefit from a great balance of dedicated older and younger members.

With gratitude and love,
Sharon Nusbaum (she/her)

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sharon Nusbaum".

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Welcome

Please welcome our newest members of the Ohef Sholom family:

Cat & Charles Lineberry

Robin & Burle Stromberg

Abigail Trussell (Eden)

Mazal Tov

Mazal tov to **Bob Zentz** for receiving a Lifetime Achievement Award from Veer Magazine in recognition of his prolific musical career.



Mazal tov to **Zibby Robertson** on her conversion to Judaism on March 7.

Mazal tov to **Nancy Helman** on being named to 150+ most influential people in Coastal VA by CoVaBiz.

Births

Sophia Rose Glasser
Born February 19

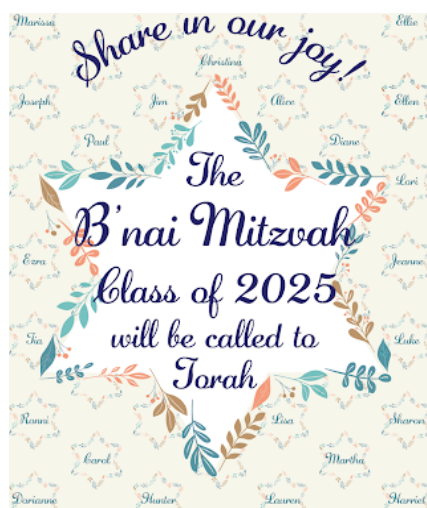
Daughter of Jess and Jake Glasser, granddaughter of Lori and Mike Glasser. Her baby naming is on May 2.



Noah Charles Fox
Born March 14

Son of Erica and Brady Fox, Grandson of Sharon and Steven Perlman.

Adult B'nai Mitzvah



We invite you to celebrate a meaningful milestone as members of our community are called to the Torah for their Adult B'nai Mitzvah ceremony.

**Saturday
June 14
10:30 am**

**Adult B'nai Mitzvah
Class of 2025**

**Lisa Agosto
Carol Brum
Ellie Cesario
Marissa Collins
Joseph Detrick
James Dunn**

**Tia Edinger
Lauren Epstein
Ronni Markman Foster
Lori Galbraith
Ellen Rostov Hundley
Martha Javinsky**

**Diane Bloom McCabe
Luke McGovern
Harriet Meier
Sharon Nusbaum
Ezra Spuddler
Hunter Thomas**

**Alice Titus
Christina Verderosa
Dorianne Villani
Paul Woodson
Jeanne Zentz**

B'nai Mitzvah

Everleigh Epps

May 3, 2025

Everleigh, daughter of Matt & Courtney Epps, sister of Emerson Epps, granddaughter of Roy & Lorie Beskin, Cheryl Sagester and Karen & Floyd Epps, great-granddaughter of Bettie Toombs and Barbara Sagester. (Great Grandparents LeRoy & Jane Beskin*, Charles Toombs*, Donna Price*, Logan Sagester*, Everette & Marion Epps*).



Parker Collins

May 10, 2025

Parker Collins is the son of Marissa and Patrick Collins, brother of Julianne, grandson of Lorraine and Michael Reichert, Therese and Larry Wexler, Paul Parker and Vincent Thompson, and Laurie and Donald Collins.



Isabelle Levitt

May 24, 2025

Isabelle Levitt is the daughter of Rebecca & Bradley Levitt, sister of Jessica & Hannah Levitt, and the granddaughter of Dr. Fran Roth Levy & Stewart Levy and Rennay Levitt & Dr. Joel Levitt.



Layla Dorsk

May 31, 2025

Layla Dorsk is the daughter of Chad and Maria Dorsk. Sister to Max and Lilly. Granddaughter of Beth and Barry Dorsk and Grace Bascetta and David Moy.



Jasmine Bryant


June 5, 2025

Jasmine Bryant is the daughter of Allison and Chris Graves and Katrina Bryant* and sister of Aubrie, Gloria, and Miriam. She is the granddaughter of Dr. Jack and Dawn Kaye and Dina and Frank Kortze.



**of blessed memory*

ADULT EDUCATION




TEMPLE CINEMA CLUB


The Temple Cinema Club will be taking a break over the summer.

"Kugel: The Shtisels Return"
Nuchem, a charming yet rule-bending jewelry dealer juggles ambition, love, and family drama.
Episodes 3 & 4 (May 16)
Episodes 5 & 6 (June 20)

4:00pm



RSVP




Shavuot Study Session

Sunday, June 1 • 5:00PM

Join us, as we dive into Jewish text through a fast-paced, small-group speed text study. Whether you're new to Jewish learning or a seasoned scholar, this is a great opportunity to explore meaningful texts and spark conversation with fellow learners.

After feeding your mind, treat your taste buds to delicious dishes from our community potluck. And of course, it wouldn't be Shavuot without indulging in some dairy—bring your best cheesecake, blintz, or kugel to share!





BOOK CLUB

MAY 27 • 6:30 PM

"KISSING GIRLS ON SHABBAT"
By Sara Glass


A moving coming-of-age memoir about the author's attempt to protect her children and family while also embracing her queer identity in the Hasidic community.

Join us for a special opportunity to continue the conversation on June 25 as we discuss this book with the author.

See details below.







Ohef Sholom Temple in partnership with UJFT present

Dr. Sara Glass

Author of "Kissing Girls on Shabbat"

Wednesday, June 25, 2025 • 7:00 PM

FREE & Open to the Community!



REGISTRATION LINK




Out of the Box:

A Barbie Doll Retrospective

Join us for a field trip to the Barry Art Museum at Old Dominion University's new Barbie exhibit, celebrating Ruth Handler, the Jewish creator of Barbie, and the doll's impact on identity, style, and culture.

Please indicate on the registration form if you would like to meet for brunch at The Starving Artist Cafe prior to the museum visit.



Sunday, June 29
12:00 pm
 ODU's Barry Art Museum

B'NAI MITZVAH PATHWAYS LAUNCHES A NEW TRADITION OF CONNECTION AND COMMITMENT

On March 30 over 30 families came together for the launch of our B'nai Mitzvah Pathways program, a new program designed to guide 5th grade families as they begin the sacred journey toward becoming B'nai Mitzvah. More than a ceremony, this initiative frames the experience as a meaningful chapter in a lifelong Jewish journey.

What made the evening especially powerful was the participation of our Confirmation students and their families, who modeled what continued Jewish engagement can look like. Their presence affirmed that B'nai Mitzvah is not an endpoint, but a step along the way.

Families began the evening with a shared dinner, creating space for connection. Afterwards, parents and students split into separate groups. Parents joined Alyson to explore the program's vision and the mutual commitment it invites. Through conversation and an interactive activity, families reflected on the journey ahead.

Students met with clergy. Fifth graders and Confirmation students discussed perspectives and questions along with ideas for mitzvah projects. Older students offered reflections on why they chose to stay engaged Jewishly beyond B'nai Mitzvah.

A highlight of the program was the creation of individual fabric squares by each student, which will be sewn together into a wimple—a ritual Torah binder to be used at both B'nai Mitzvah and Confirmation. This wimple serves as a powerful symbol of connection, continuity, and community.

At its core, B'nai Mitzvah Pathways is about cultivating connection—helping families prepare not just for a service, but for years of Jewish learning, identity, and celebration. We're excited to see this initiative become a cornerstone of our lifelong learning program.

We are deeply grateful to the generous anonymous donor who made this meaningful program possible.

As we wrap up a wonderful year, please join us on May 18 for our final day of Religious School, when we'll celebrate the Bat Mitzvah of our beloved Shinshin, Emily. Thank you for being part of such a fulfilling year of learning and community. Wishing you all a joyful, restful summer!



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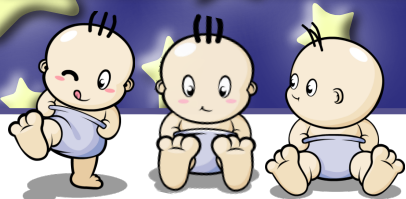
SUPPORT SHINSHIN EMILY'S MITZVAH PROJECT

On Sunday, May 18, our last day of Religious School, please bring in new or gently used stuffed animals to donate. All donations will go to Jewish Family Services to bring comfort and joy to children in our community.



wiggles & giggles

with a Jewish Twist



Star Wars Day The Creation of the Heavens and the Earth

Ohef Sholom Temple offers a special monthly program designed specifically for young children, age three months (or younger) to three years and their families. Wiggles & Giggles uses play, stories, crafts, music and movement to introduce very young children to their Jewish world.



Sunday, May 4 • 10:00 am

SCHOLARSHIPS

DEADLINE TO SUBMIT APPLICATION IS MAY 31ST.



College Scholarships awarded from the following funds:
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Thanks to our generous donors, Ohef Sholom Temple offers college scholarships to our members in good standing. There are even college scholarships available for non-Jewish individuals.



CONFIRMATION CLASS OF 2025

Confirmation Shabbat Service • Saturday, May 17 • 10:30 am

Join us for this special milestone.

A reception will follow the service.



AUBRIE BRYANT

Aubrie Bryant is the daughter of Allison and Chris Graves (and Katrina Bryant*) and sister of Jasmine, Gloria, and Miriam. She is the granddaughter of Dr. Jack and Dawn Kaye and Frank and Dina Kortze. Aubrie is a sophomore at Tallwood High School where she has done color guard, basketball, and most recently her new favorite, wrestling. She also loves to surf and has attended Sababa Beachaway camp for numerous summers. Aubrie became a Bat Mitzvah in April of 2022 and enjoys OSTY events, especially the annual Purim Carnival.



LOGAN FORTUNA

Logan is the son of Sheryl Frontera and Michael Fortuna and brother of Cameron, Zachary, Amelia, Arya, Abby, Isabelle, and Rue. He is in 10th grade at the Visual and Performing Arts Academy at Salem High School in the theatre strand. Logan is a first-generation OST member and while only attending the religious school for his 9th grade year, he has been involved with it this year as the office madrich. He has also spent the past two years in OSTY, the temple's youth group, this year being the Director of Membership and Engagement, and plans to continue working with and for the Temple.

an active leader in OSTY, the temple's youth group, and has played key roles in organizing events, including the 2023-2025

OSTY Purim Carnivals. In addition to her involvement in the temple, she participates in her school's theatre program and works two part-time jobs.



CAROLENA JOHNDROW

Carolena is the beloved daughter of Brittany and Steven and amazing older sister to Mia and Levi. From an early age she's had a love of art and sharing her enthusiasm for life. This passion is evident in her role as the madricha for the art class at OST's Religious School. She's currently a junior at Western Branch High and dual enrolled in the Chesapeake Career Center's Cosmetology program with plans to work as a hair stylist while pursuing a degree in either bioinformatics or art education.



SARAH-EMERY GOTKIS

Sarah-Emery is the child of Dmitry and Yekaterina Gotkis and the sibling of Jessie Gotkis. They are also the grandchild of Valeriy Semenovitch and Eugenia Vladimirovna Tselera, as well as Yelena Yakovlevna and Vladimir Borisovich Gotkis.

As of the last three years they have been working as a lifeguard and swim instructor for children and adults at Lynnhaven Dive Center & Swim School. They have been attending Ohel Sholom Temple since the first grade and after having their b'nai mitzvah, they now work as a Madrichim for the kindergarten class.

Sarah-Emery is currently a student of the Entrepreneurship and Business Academy at Kempsville High School. After graduating in 2026 they plan on going to college to study plant sciences.



EMERSON EPPS

Emerson is the daughter of Matt and Courtney Epps, sister of Everleigh and grand-daughter of Roy and Lorie Beskin, Cheryl Sagester and Karen and Floyd Epps. Emerson is a sixth-generation proud OST member and has attended religious school since kindergarten. She is a sophomore at Maury High School where she is in the honors program and on the tennis team. She enjoys reading, working as a lifeguard at The Mallory Pool in the summer and hanging out with her Chocolate Lab Moose and Frenchie Olive.



CELIA GOLDBERG

Celia is the multitalented daughter of Mark Goldberg and Fanya Seagull, granddaughter of Joseph Goldberg, Ruth Goldberg*, Louis Seagull, and Rhea Seagull*. Celia sings, plays piano, guitar, and crochets beautiful sweaters and blankets. Deeply involved in the Ohel Sholom Temple Religious School, she serves as one of its Hebrew Through Movement Specialists and sixth-grade Hebrew teacher. She is also



LILLIAN MOORE

Lillian is the daughter of James and Erica Moore, sister to Magnolia and Hunter. She is the granddaughter of Dale and Rose Bennetch and Richard and Carol Moore. Lillian became a Bat Mitzvah in August 2023, is a madricha at Ohel Sholom Religious School and is actively involved in the Jewish community. She is a 10th grade student at Kempsville High School where she is involved in the SCA. Lillian has a love for volleyball and plays with Club 757 Tidewater Volleyball Association. In her spare time, Lillian loves spending time

with her friends, shopping and hanging out with her sister and brother.



ELIJAH MORRISSEY

Elijah is the son of Alyson and Chris Morrissey, brother to Leia and Jacob Morrissey, and grandson of Martha and David Javinsky. He is what we lovingly call a "Temple kid," having grown up in a deeply involved family. Elijah began attending OST Religious School in Pre-K. He became a Bar Mitzvah in December 2020 and soon after joined the madrichim program as a Hebrew assistant. Now, he assists in both Hebrew and Religious School, working in the 4th grade classroom. Elijah is also an active member of OSTY, the temple's youth group. Elijah is a junior in Granby High School's IB Program. He has spent the past 10+ years in scouting and is currently working toward the rank of Eagle Scout. He is deeply grateful for the impact OST has had in shaping his Jewish identity.



MARGARET "MAGGIE" RITZMANN

Maggie is the daughter of Jenna and Jason Ritzmann, sister of Katie and granddaughter of Marsha and Alan Aiken and Toni and Gary Ritzmann. Maggie is a

first-generation OST Member and has attended religious school since the Third Grade. She is currently a Sophomore in the IB Academy at Oscar Smith High School where she does tech for the Drama Club. Maggie is currently serving on the OSTY Board and as an OST madrich assisting in the Third-Grade classroom. Maggie has a true love of the arts and music. She has been playing piano since age 9 and continues her independent music education with local musician and composer Adelaide Coles, even though her first instrument was the violin at age 5 thanks to Hebrew Academy (Strelitz).



SAMUEL SACHS

Sam is the son of Matthew and Jenny Sachs, grandson of Warren and Karen Sachs and Gail and Stephen Saroff. He is the great-grandson and namesake of Rabbi Samuel Sobel, who was a decorated navy chaplain. Sam started attending religious school in first grade, and he began blowing the shofar for OST in 3rd grade. He attends the Health and Medical Sciences Program at Cape Henry Collegiate and hopes one day to be a physician. He plays on the golf team and acts in the school plays. Sam enjoys reading, being with friends, and volunteering for CHKD and Children's Miracle Network.



HENRY SCOLNICK

Henry Scolnick is the son of Lauren and Aaron Scolnick and the brother of Oliver. He is the grandson of Sue and Chuck Karp, Nancy Scolnick and Jon Baron*, and Mark Scolnick and Irma Cole. A sophomore at Cape Henry Collegiate, Henry serves as vice president of his class, is a founding member of the Upper School Service Council, and is president of the Volunteerism Club. He also served as an OST Religious School cooking class madrich this year. For his mitzvah project, Henry founded Ballers Basketball, a league designed to give players with special needs the opportunity to play basketball. Ballers recently completed its fourth season and has quadrupled in size, both in player count and volunteer participation, since its inception. Henry enjoys spending his summers at Camp Airy.



LOGAN SMITH

Logan Smith is the son of Brennan and Diana Smith and the older brother of Emmett. He is the grandchild of Nicki Fisher & Jon Gould, Miles & Debbie Levine, and Sandy & Russ Smith. Logan is a dedicated leader and community member, currently serving as an OST Madrich, a role he's embraced since his Bar Mitzvah in January 2022, when he began helping Hebrew students. Known for his leadership qualities, Logan is highly respected among

his peers. A sophomore at Salem High School, Logan is an active member of both the National Honor Society and the Mathematics Honor Society. Outside the classroom, Logan is an avid athlete, excelling as a varsity football player and a participant in indoor and outdoor track, where he competes in shot-put and discus events. His athletic drive and commitment to both his studies and extracurricular activities make him a well-rounded and influential figure at school and in his community. Logan is proud to be taking this next step in affirming his Jewish identity.



RUE WINKELSAS

Rue is the child of David Winkelsas and Mary Fortuna and sibling to Isabelle W, Arya F, and Logan F, is the grandchild of Dennis and Carol Ann Winkelsas and Richard and Beth Lesoine. A longtime member of Ohef Sholom Temple, Rue began attending Religious School in Pre-K and, after a brief time away, returned eager to deepen her Jewish learning and give back. Currently a machricha for 2nd grade and a dedicated OSTY member, currently serving as President, Rue is always ready to support others and help create a safe, welcoming environment. A senior at Tallwood High School, she's active in five clubs, including Book Club, Israeli Cultural Club, and two national honor societies. This fall, Rue will attend Longwood University and the Cormier Honors College to study Criminology and Criminal Justice. She is honored to be part of the Ohef Sholom community and deeply grateful for the support and lessons it has provided her.



Jewish scriptures are filled with references to various plants and animals from the fruits in the Garden of Eden to the lists of animals we may and may not eat. Recently the Eco-Judaism committee conducted an informal poll to ask people what plant and animal they most associated with Judaism.

For the animal, the most popular answer was the Lion. At the end of Genesis as Jacob is dying, he calls all his sons together for a blessing. He says, "Judah is a young lion." Since then the Lion has become a common Jewish symbol. Other animals mentioned are the dove, the lamb and the pig, "because we can't eat them."

As for plants it is not surprising that several people mentioned parsley since we were speaking so close to Passover. Another Passover plant named was hyssop, which the Hebrews used to mark their doors so the Angel of Death would "pass over" their homes.

Several people mentioned the pomegranate, which has become a symbol of righteousness in Judaism. The pomegranate also supposedly contains 613 seeds symbolizing the 613 commandments in the Torah.

Horseradish and olives also got a vote. There were two more unusual choices. One person chose forget me nots, which were used a symbol of resistance during the Holocaust. Another person chose bulrushes, referring to Pharaoh's daughter finding the basket with baby Moses among the rushes in the Nile. "Without Moses, there would be Hebrews, but no Jews," he said.

Most of the people we asked had to give the question some thought before answering. One person said, "no one has ever asked me that before."

< Many of the symbols for the 12 tribes of Israel are animals.

An amazing horseradish plant from the Ohel Shalom garden. >



On Sunday, March 16th a wonderful group of volunteers gathered to help assemble twenty no sew blankets and put the finishing touches on twenty stuffed animals to benefit CHKD. Special thanks to Amanda Brill, Dorianne Villani, Cara Novick, Michele Newbill, Amie and Byron Harrell, Heather Barnes, Betsy Shinn, Sophie Haywood, Laura Allegood, Diane McCabe, Sara Goodwin, Rosann Crawford, Jillian Reynolds and of course my co-chair Ellen Coley. The blankets and animals were distributed to children receiving services at the Children's Hospital. Thank you to Robin and Ross Kantor for picking them up and making certain they got into the right hands.

Thanks to everyone who participated in the Passover Food Drive. Thirty bags were delivered to Jewish Family Services. They in turn distributed them to those in need in the community.

Ellen Coley and Ellen Rostov Hundley



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May 26

June 30

Did you know that jeans are one of the most requested items by our guests at our OST Soup Kitchen Clothes Closet?

To help meet their needs, we are conducting a blue jeans drive for new and gently used men's jeans. Our guests need jeans in all sizes- waist sizes 30 to 44 and inseam 30 to 36.

Be sure to bring a pair of jeans whenever you come to services or other events at OST in the month of May.

Thank you so much for your generosity and for thinking of those in need.

If you missed the fun, take a look back at
Purim at OST!

From our cartoon-themed Purim Carnival to the hilariously enchanting Purimshpiel: *Wicked, Wicked Man*, the celebration was full of laughter, costumes, and community.



Jewish Identity: A Winding Path of Meaning

When I was seven years old, my life took a unique turn—my mother remarried a Sicilian Catholic with six children. While my brothers were bar mitzvahed and went off to Sunday school, and my step-siblings headed to Catholic church, I was left to explore my own path. Alone on Sunday mornings, I became a spiritual

My Jewish identity stems from my heritage and my family. I believe you need to know where you come from.
-Gail Bachman

I am 99.5% Ashkenazi Jewish, so it's literally in my DNA. But it's in my heart too. Commanded to live my life for Tikun Olam makes me proud to be a Jew.
-faYe Howe

Being Jewish means saying "yes". From the onsite of G-d to Moses, saying yes and then finding out the details. Saying and doing the "yes" to care, to do the right thing, and to know that it really isn't a burden... it's a value. The V'ahavta: love with all your heart, soul and might...teach, speak, write and keep all these aspects as part of your being of loving G-d.
-Mara Bates

wanderer—drawn to ideas, practices, and even briefly, the followers of Guru Maharaji (who, admittedly, were also lifeguards).

Though born Jewish, my identity wasn't clearly defined until I met my husband at age 20. I didn't seek a Jewish partner, but falling in love with him led me to something deeper. When we had children, suddenly our Jewish roots became essential. We wanted to raise them with a sense of spiritual grounding—and Judaism offered us a rich foundation.

Our eldest son took on the role of Jewish spokesperson for our sprawling family of ten siblings—many of whom had chosen different faith paths. At every holiday, he would lead cousins through the prayers and traditions. One of our other sons chose to be bar mitzvahed at age 16, on his own terms. And our youngest? He became a bar mitzvah in a bomb shelter in Israel during his Birthright trip.

My Jewish identity has not followed a straight or narrow road. It has been winding, reflective, and filled with questioning. That questioning—the embrace of doubt and dialogue—is one of the aspects I cherish most about Judaism. I may not find meaning in every tradition, but I find deep meaning in the search for meaning.

To enrich this reflection, I asked a few of my Sisterhood friends to share what Jewish identity means to them. (see along sides)

Jewish identity is not one-size-fits-all. It's family, it's food, it's ritual, it's resilience. It's a thread we carry, sometimes loosely and sometimes tightly, as we move through life.

I live my Judaism through doing deeds of loving kindness, Gemilut Chasadim, which we are taught is the third pillar of Judaism. My Jewish identity was strengthened and reaffirmed and became clearer to me when I visited Israel a few years ago.
-Dorianne Villani

My Jewish identity is my family and friends. From my great Grandparents to my children to my friends. Holidays and services are just the 'icing on the cake'!
-Margaret Sawyer

I am deeply proud of my Jewish identity. It is an honor to follow in my parents and grandparents footsteps. Volunteering, serving in leadership capacities and trying to make a difference one day at a time.
-Ellen Hundley



Men's Club had a busy March with a number of events going on. We kicked off by supporting the Ohef Sholom Temple Youth (OSTY) at the Purim Carnival. We provided the food for concessions, cooked it, and served it during the carnival. A big thanks to Eric Helms, Jim Soltz, Mark Friedman, Dan Snyder, Andrew Kramer, and Joe Detrick for their support. Then we prepared the food for the (Wicked) Purimshpiel, with Jim Soltz, Darren Robertson, and Ross Kantor helping out. Then, after a few years of absence, the Men's Club-led service returned. David Titus coordinated the effort to get this off the ground and running. Many members of Men's Club participated, and there was an excellent guest speaker making the service one to remember. Last, we prepared an Israeli style breakfast for the carpool cafe that featured the Scholar-in Residence as the guest speaker. With help from Jim Soltz, Darren Robertson, and Brennan Smith. Upcoming, we will be supporting the next carpool cafe (co-sponsoring with Sisterhood), and will look to plan our future events.

Christopher Morrissey • Men's Club President

Uniongrams

Uniongram events for July/August (2025)

Anniversaries	Years	Date
Rachel & David Abraham	35	8/5/1990
Dianne Epplein & John Patton	30	7/2/1995
Harriet R. & Edward Goodove	60	7/3/1965
Sherry Goldstein & Norman Hecht	15	7/31/2010
Andrea & Eric Helms	10	8/1/2015
Ellen & Richard Hundley	15	8/28/2010
Robin & Ross Kantor	15	8/29/2010
Martha Katz & Randi Rosenberg	10	8/15/2015
Barbara & Errol Lifland	30	8/29/1995
Amy Milligan & Heiner Kessler	20	8/6/2005
Alyssa & Jonathan Muhlendorf	20	7/30/2005
Janet & Stephen Pitler	55	8/22/1970
Sharon & Phillip Shanker	40	7/13/1985
Renee & John Strelitz	35	7/28/1990
Sue Ellen & Seymour Teach	60	7/4/1965
Ellen & William Wagner	45	8/24/1980
B'nai Mitzvah		
Layla Metzger		August 30

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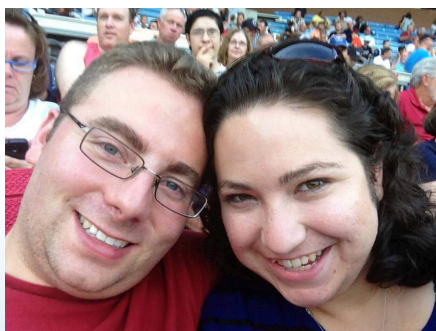
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After nearly a decade of dedicated service to our teens, Robyn and Paul Weiner have decided to step away from their roles as teen advisors at the end of this school year to be able to devote more time to their young children and busy careers.

For almost ten years, Robyn and Paul have been more than advisors—they've been mentors, role models, cheerleaders, and a source of unwavering support for countless teens in our community. From carnival lock-ins and leadership retreats to

High Holiday food drives and countless car rides, they played a pivotal role in shaping a youth group culture built on kindness, inclusion, and Jewish values. We know this was a labor of love and we are so grateful for the love and dedication they've poured into our teens.

As we look ahead to the new school year, we're excited to welcome Hunter Thomas and Hannah Cooper as our new teen advisors. Many of you already know Hunter as our 4th Grade Religious School teacher, and we're excited to see him bring his energy and enthusiasm to this new role. Hannah is an OSTY alum who grew up here at OST and was deeply involved during her own teen years. She's excited to return and give back to the community that helped shape her.

Please join Robyn and Paul on May 31 for the final event of the year, Havdalah on the beach. More details to come soon!



Board Profiles



DAVID HIRSCHLER

David Hirschler has been a part of the OST family and the Norfolk community his whole life. Growing up near Wards Corner, David attended Norfolk Academy and has been connected to OST for as long as he can remember. From childhood milestones to his confirmation, OST has been a constant in his journey.

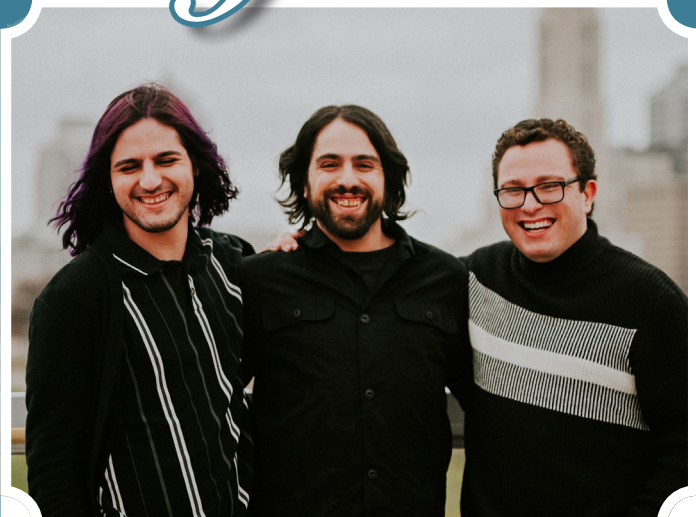
He left Norfolk to attend the University of North Carolina to major in History. After obtaining his degree he decided to pursue a career in dentistry. He went to VCU medical college of Virginia for dental school and the University of Kentucky for a residency in periodontics. During his residency, David decided to attend a party at an apartment clubhouse—he had no idea it would change his life. That night, he met a college student named Carol, and the two quickly connected over a warm, engaging conversation. Their connection grew, and eventually, they got married.

David and Carol were drawn back to Norfolk by the deep-rooted value his family placed on returning home to live and work after school. David spent 35 years in private practice as a Periodontist. Together, he and Carol built a beautiful life in Norfolk, raising their son, Sutton, and daughter, Canon.

About eight years ago, David retired from his career as a Periodontist—and with that new chapter came the opportunity to finally say “yes” to something he had long hoped to do: serve on the OST Board. David has loved his time on the Board, especially in his role as Secretary for the past two years—a position that holds special meaning, as both his mother and sister also served as secretaries before him. He has also always served on the Finance and Development Committee and has learned so much. He and Carol further demonstrated their dedication by becoming Pillars.

They decided to become Pillars to try to help the place they consider a second home. The temple has been so important in their lives and especially David’s life as he has been part of the temple for around 60 years.

When David isn’t at temple he loves exercising and working out. He’s been a youth soccer coach for over 30 years. He also assists with Girls Varsity at his old school, Norfolk Academy. He has even been a certified soccer referee for 20 years. He also loves spending time with Carol and seeing his kids whenever he can. David is also a big dog person. Currently, he has one dog, Sam, who David considers an amazing friend.



HUNTER THOMAS

Hunter Thomas, originally from Youngstown, Ohio, grew up in a lively, close-knit household as the middle of three brothers. His older brother, Julian, lives in Columbus, and his younger brother, Dylan, is in Akron. His mom, Renee, stepdad, Dave, and grandmother still live in Youngstown, and the family remains close.

Hunter didn’t grow up Jewish, but his early experiences in Jewish spaces deeply influenced his path. While working at the JCC of Youngstown as a camp counselor and after-school teacher during high school and college, he found a meaningful connection to Jewish life. That connection only grew stronger over time, ultimately leading him to convert in October 2020. He became an active member of Congregation Ohev Beth Sholom, where he further deepened his involvement by serving on their Board. His passion for Jewish life and education naturally shaped his next steps.

After graduating from Youngstown State University with a degree in Early Childhood Education, Hunter continued his work at the JCC of Youngstown—this time in leadership roles. He served as Camp Director in the summers of 2020 and 2021 and as Director of the Early Learning Center. Navigating these roles during and after the COVID-19 pandemic inspired him to explore new ways to serve the Jewish community. That search led him to the United Jewish Federation of Tidewater (UJFT), where a position as Director of Arts + Ideas caught his eye. With a lifelong love of theater and a creative family background, the role felt like a perfect fit. In 2022, Hunter accepted the job and moved to Virginia Beach.

Since relocating, he has quickly embraced the vibrant, welcoming communities at OST and the Federation, considering them his “chosen family.” His love for OST led him to join the Board, where he brings the unique perspective of a young, queer convert. Hunter is passionate about using his experiences to help ensure OST remains a welcoming and inclusive space for all.

In addition to serving on the Board, Hunter is involved in numerous OST programs. Now in his third year teaching religious school, he enjoys putting his education background to use. He also serves on the Worship and Engagement Committees, helps welcome new young adult members, and played a key role in launching Pride Shabbat, now an annual tradition. He even helped direct this year’s Wicked Purimshpiel.

When Hunter isn’t working or at OST, he likes to bake and try out new dessert recipes. If he’s not doing that, he likes to watch tv or read with his cats, Sonia Gatamayor and Ruth Bader Ginspurr.

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Leonard "Lenny" Frieden, Husband of Jane Leterman Frieden, Father of Jack Frieden (Jodie), Bruce Frieden (Jeannie), and Cat Lineberry Frieden (Charlie), Grandfather of Anna, Cate, Chris, David, Jeff, Jessica, Katie, and Laura

Joseph Hecht, Father of Linda Schwartz and Mark Hecht, Grandfather of Lorin Schwartz and Louis Schwartz

Miriam Marcus, Mother of Diane Fine (Jeff), grandmother of Jesse & Maya Fine

Kate McGovern, Grandmother of Elana McGovern

Paul Moore, Husband of Debbie Moore, Father of Angela Woody, Daniel Moore, and Jeremy Moore

Dr. Ed Ostroff, Husband of Frankie Ostroff, Father of David Ostroff (Jen) and Ethan Ostroff (Gretchen), Grandfather of Andrew, Cece, and Gerry Ostroff, Brother of Bobby Ostroff

Betty Sacks, Mother of David Sacks (Kathy), Elisa Luck (Chris), and Steven Sacks

Owen Schweers, Father of Kathy Strauss and grandfather of Adina Gadell

Stephen J. Spindel, Brother of Ron Spindel (Linda)

YAHREZEITS

APRIL 27 - MAY 3

Jay Aftel
 *Annie F. Baydush
 Sidney Berg
 Helene Bernstein
 Michael Bland
 Maysie Braudrick
 *Ira Cantin
 Eric Cash
 *Julia Chanin
 *A. Luie Fass
 Ida Dora Feldman
 Myron J. Fink
 Lawrence S. Fisher
 *Maurice Frank
 *Hyman A. Goldberg
 Miriam Goodman
 *Anetha Gordon
 *Douglas Gordon
 Lila Green
 Shirley Markoff Green
 *Stanley Samuel Gross
 *Mary Grossman
 Herbert Hainer
 Mary Nelle Hankins
 Howard A. Jameson
 Sidney Leon Katz
 Mary Kerner
 Joseph Lazier
 Jeannette Levy
 Herbert Mann
 Norman Mesh
 Louis Miller
 Kenneth Morton
 *Rose K. Nordlinger
 Norman Roistacher
 Nathan L. Rosenberg
 *Beverly Rostov
 Dr. Milton Salasky
 Freda Salsbury Schwartz
 Rachel Silver
 *Jean B. Sperans
 Sally Taubman

MAY 4 - 10

Henry Oscar Abraham
 *Benjamin Altschul
 *Sylvan Altschul
 Jacqueline Banim
 Dolores N. Bartel
 Nona L. Bernatz
 *Morris J. Blachman
 *Rose Bloom
 Jane Braudrick
 *Dorothy H. Cohen
 Fanny Cohen
 *Louis C. Cohen
 *Ronald Donn
 Ronald I. Dozoretz
 *Doris Van Os Dreyfus
 William Einhorn
 *Robert M. Epstein
 Morris Friedman
 Sonny Friedman
 *Regina Glaser
 *Rose Ann Leventhal
 Grossman
 Rose Gutterman
 *Beverly Hainer
 Barbara Halpern
 Jack Helfen
 Irwin Heller
 Ruth Higgins
 Estelle Ruth Hochstadt
 Arthur H. Horwitz
 Milton Kaplan
 Sandra Kaplan
 Max L. Kayer
 *Simon Kirsner

*Joseph Kohen
 Mikhail Kosovsky
 Chaim Binyamin Lewin
 *Lyla R. Longman
 Marjorie Macadams
 *Sarah P. Messenger
 *Nathan Metzger
 Claire Weinberg Nesson
 *Alan L. Nordlinger, Sr.
 *Bertram S. Nusbaum, Sr.
 *William Raymond
 Sydelle Roistacher
 Jack M. Saks
 *Jacob Schwan
 *Gary L. Snyder
 *Dorothy H. Stein
 Sidney Steinberg
 *Herbert L. Stern
 Jennie L. Sternman
 *Linda C. Sukoff
 Eva Sward
 Joseph Teck
 *Sara Swersky Tuckman
 Dr. Harvey Waldholtz
 *Edward E. Waxman
 *Rena Cooper Zittrain

MAY 11 - 17

*Henry I. Adler
 *Marvin Adler
 Gerald Adelman
 Robert Ausch
 Arthur Bates
 *Faye Bass
 Albert Berg
 *Elliot Bernstein
 Sara Cohen
 *Betty Van Os Crockin
 Marion Dreyfus Embree
 *Morris Gewirz
 Kenneth Harris
 *Mollie L. Heller
 *Joseph Jacobs
 *Charles D. Kanter
 *Alfred Kern
 *Fred Koster
 Morris S. Lazaron, Jr.
 Ronnie Levy
 *Mary B. Longman
 Herbert Luria III
 *Rosa Marc
 Beatrice Muhlendorf
 Milton Nesson
 *Harry Rubin
 Maurice Mendel Rubin
 Milton Schepper
 David Schub
 *Bertha Schulman
 Dr. Arnold Jay Schwartz
 Viola Scott
 *Ethel Goodman Siegel
 Bernard Stark
 *Herbert Stein
 Bernard Steinberg
 Sylvia Troy
 *Jean Unger
 Millie Wall
 *Benjamin Whitlock

MAY 18 - 24

*Duane Aikman
 *Alice Aranyi
 *Dena A. Barr
 *Kenneth Berk
 *Ivan Bodner
 Marie Dailey
 *Freda Fleder Donn
 Robert F. Douglas
 Norma Flax

*Mickey B. Frank
 *Joseph Lee Frieden
 *Benjamin M. Ganderson
 *Celia Frenkil Glasser
 *Jessica R. Glasser
 *J. Samuel Goldback
 *Mary Miriam Goldberg
 Beatrice S. Grossman
 Sally Hyman
 Rose Klein
 Michelle Kohn-Smith
 Joseph D. Kress
 Zeldia Leibowitz
 Harold Allen Lerner
 Dr. Max Leva
 *Mollie Liebman
 Fred Morrison
 Harold Moses
 Janice Newton
 Mike Prisco
 *Alois Quittner
 *Pauline Ries
 *Hyman Rivin
 *Louis Sher
 *Esther R. Simon
 *Kate Cohen Snyder
 *Lois Lowenberg Snyder
 *Arthur Spensky
 *Thelma Steingold
 Barbara Terrell
 Max Ungar
 *Irwin S. Van Os
 *Peter Walker
 Howard Werner
 Kimberly Sue Winn

MAY 25 - 31

*Bertha M. Aronson
 Goldyn Balaban
 *Dr. Richard Bartley
 *Jerry Baydush
 *Leonard Berman
 *Israel Brenner
 Kevin Brill
 Seymour Chapel
 *Irving Cohen
 Barry S. Comess
 Vivienne Beckerman
 Darrow
 *Abraham Donn
 *Lavada Goldberg
 Samuel Goldstein
 Alice Goodman
 Sophie Goodove
 Burton Greenberg
 *Clara G. Harris
 Donald Higgins
 Arthur Howe
 *Edwin "Buddy"
 Jacobson
 Bernard Jaffe
 Paul Johnson
 Martin Klinghoffer
 Barbara Krampf
 Joseph W. (Sonny) Kyle
 Russell L. Leavitt
 *Birdye G. Leterman
 *Seymour (Buddy)
 Levinson
 *Anna Lee Liverman
 Susan Gilbert Maggiora
 *Bert Rial Markman
 *Maurice J. Miller
 Bruce Moses
 *Minna Nordlinger
 Jacob Ostroff
 Larry Rapoport
 Joseph Reznick

*Samuel W. Robbins
 *Maurice Rosen
 Tom Russel
 *Rachel J. Salomonsky
 Jeanette Schlain
 Rose Silverton
 *David Sommers
 Frances Stadlin
 Michael E. Stredler
 *Ellis J. Strelitz
 *Leonard Strelitz
 Marilyn Barbara Werner
 Sandra Lee Winn
 David Woolard

JUNE 1 - 7

*Frieda Berman
 Amelson
 *Samuel Blachman
 *Harold I. Breit
 *Rachel Brown
 Priscilla Close
 *Arthur Paul Cohen
 *Sara Joo Davidson
 *Jennie Lohman Dobbs
 Norma Jean Doremus
 *Milton Drucker
 Raymond Drummond
 I. Morton Feldman
 Charles Joseph Foster V
 *Jack Friedman
 Sylvia Geffen
 Marion Glazer
 Iris Goodman
 Abbey Horwitz
 *Sarah Kayton
 *Donna Mae Kootner
 Ricky Kruger
 Edna Sara Lazaron
 Rabbi Morris S. Lazaron
 *Reba M. Leterman
 *Agatha Liebman
 Leventhal
 Elsie Leviton
 *David Lowenberg II
 Dawn McSweeney
 *Harry Nicholson
 Bertha Reisner
 *Kurt M. Rosenbach
 Doris Roth
 *William Waldman
 *Julia Weisel
 June 8 - 14
 Doris Adler
 *Celia C. Altschul
 *Phillip Barr
 *Leo Baydush
 Paul James Cole
 Peggy Hughes Dorsk
 *Bessie P. Dozoretz
 *Minnie Eisenstein
 *Esther Fenster
 H. William Fink
 Arthur Frasca
 Marshall Friedman
 Elsa Wallerstein Gerst
 *David Goldrich
 *Rachel F. Goldstein
 *David H. Goodman
 Ann Papier Greenberg
 *Stanley Leigh Harrison
 *William H. Harrison
 Barbara Hearst
 Marilyn Hechtkopf
 Peggy Hellner
 *Jean Fried Jaffe
 *George B. Kaufman
 Coralyn Lakamp
 Emanuel Lester

*Moe Levy
 Lena A. Liverman
 *Dr. Eugene Lowenberg
 *Lt. David Lowenberg, Jr.
 Elaine Luria
 *Ellie M. Marx
 Stephen Murray
 John D. Newport
 Anna Rivera
 *Rita B. Rosenberg
 Louis Shapiro
 Moe Aaron Snyder
 Shirley Steinberg
 Ernestine Stiffman
 *Pauline Wasserman
 *Jerrold Weinberg
 Bonnie Brill Zipkin

JUNE 15 - 21

*Rena Myers Bartley
 *Max A. Berger
 *Stella Chase
 Rita Cogan
 Hermine Gross Cohen
 *Sarah Rebecca Cooper
 *Wendy A. Cooper
 Jan Gary Doremus
 Meyer Engelberg
 *Joseph S. Evans
 Janyth Fine
 *Sol Frank
 *Samuel H. Fried
 Edie Goldberg
 *Benjamin Grossman
 Jacob Gurwitz
 Sarah Yetta Hecht
 Rose Marie Hinkle
 Bernice Kaplan
 *Leo Kauftheil
 Richard B. Keeley
 Allen Kline
 *Isabelle H. Kline
 A.J. Legum
 Leo Levine
 Irving Lewin
 *Margaret W. Newfield
 Jeanne Reznick
 Jean Schepper
 Ann Shapiro
 *Lester S. Sherrick
 *Rachel Steel
 Solomon D. Troy
 *Elise Loemann Ullman
 *Henriette Wachsman
 *Louis Wasserman

JUNE 22 - 28

Stuart Abramson
 *Minnie Silverman Adler
 *Marsha Nemo Bartley
 Philip Bass
 Richard Bass
 Philip Belkov
 Emeri Berkovitz
 Dr. Walter Berman
 Harry Bornstein
 Lynn Chapel
 *Bertha (Boonkie)
 Glasser Cohen
 Irene Cohen
 *Charles (Charlie) Dechter
 *Mamie Heller Fine
 *Abe A. Forman
 *Thomas M. Friedman
 Pauline Becker
 Galumbeck
 *Suzanne Galumbeck
 *Harry L. Gilbert

*Carl Gilbert
 Ilene Goldburg
 Edmund Goldsticker
 Bonna Haywood
 Albert Isay
 *David G. Jacobs
 *Stephanie Jacobson
 Earl Jarvis
 *Henry B. Kaufmann
 Jack Klar
 *Carl Lifland
 *Anna Lowe
 Barbara Wells Merritt
 *Richard I. Miller
 DeWitt Moody
 *Cameron Munden
 Eleanor Neukrug
 Alan Nusbaum
 *Dorothy Quittner
 *Dorothy Jean Rager
 *Henry Schlesinger
 Bertha Horowitz Siegel
 Shirley Sobel
 Sigmund Wolf
 Michael Zimmerman

JUNE 29-JULY 5

*Evelyn T. Adler
 *Ilona Aranyi
 *Samuel Ashinoff
 Jay D. A. Barr
 *Ethel Bass
 Billy Bazar
 *Harry Berman
 Emil Brand
 Ethel Brotman
 Shirley Charm
 *Doris Meyer Cohen
 *Sara Comess
 *Lewis P. Cooper
 *Dr. John Otis Dabney
 *Ida Goldblatt
 Diamonstein
 Roth Raw Dreggors
 Roger Garfink
 Melvin Halpern
 *Roger A. Horne
 *Esther Jacobs
 *Blanche Kaufman
 *Max Kleinfeld
 *Frank Laderberg
 Jacob W. Legum
 James "Jimmy" Legum
 *Ruth R. Legum
 *Frank Livingston
 *Clara Lohrman
 *Fannye Metzger
 *Harry Pincus, Sr.
 Minna Purdows
 Harry Pultz
 Peter Reisner
 Steven Reznick
 Betty Romulus
 *Joseph Rose
 *Rebecca Rubin
 *Sarah G. Segal
 *Florence Sherman
 Elise Simon
 *Lillian M. Strelitz
 *Lillian Strom
 Amelia Ullman
 *Albert Walters
 Seeman Waranch
 Miriam Cohen Weisberg
 *Benjamin Weisel

MAY CALENDAR & BIRTHDAYS

MAY EVENTS

- 2 FRIDAY**
6:30 pm Shabbat Service
| Glasser Baby Naming**
- 3 SATURDAY**
9:00 am Torah Study*
10:30 am Shabbat
Service | Bat Mitzvah of
Everleigh Epps**
- 4 SUNDAY**
9:00 am Youth Choir
9:30 am Religious School
9:45 am Intro to Hebrew
10:00 am Wiggles &
Giggles
12:00 pm Israelfest at
the JCC
- 5 MONDAY**
12:00 pm House
Committee Meeting**
- 7 WEDNESDAY**
6:00 pm Men's Club
Meeting**
- 9 FRIDAY**
6:30 pm Shabbat Service
| Wolff Baby Naming**
7:45 pm Prime Time
Dinner
- 10 SATURDAY**
9:00 am Torah Study*
10:30 am Family
Shabbat Experience &
Bar Mitzvah of Parker
Collins**
- 11 SUNDAY**
10:00 am Mindfulness
Group
- 13 TUESDAY**
10:30 am Quilting
6:00 pm Engagement
Meeting*
- 16 FRIDAY**
4:00 pm Temple Cinema
Club
6:30 pm Shabbat
Service** - Lag B'omer
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services
- 17 SATURDAY**
9:00 am Torah Study*
10:30 am Shabbat
Service | Confirmation
Service*
- 18 SUNDAY**
9:00 am Youth Choir
9:30 am Religious
School (Last Day)
9:45 am Intro to Hebrew
11:00 am Bat Mitzvah of
Emily Patyuk**
- 20 TUESDAY**
6:00 pm Sisterhood
Annual Meeting**
- 22 THURSDAY**
6:00 pm Reception
6:30 pm OST Annual
Meeting**
- 23 FRIDAY**
6:30 pm Shabbat
Service**
- 24 SATURDAY**
9:00 am Torah Study*
10:30 am Shabbat
Service | Bat Mitzvah of
Isabelle Levitt**
- 26 MONDAY**
OFFICE CLOSED FOR
MEMORIAL DAY
10:00 am Soup Kitchen
- 27 TUESDAY**
10:30 am Quilting
6:30 pm Temple Book
Club**
- 30 FRIDAY**
6:30 pm Shabbat
Service**
- 31 SATURDAY**
9:00 am Torah Study*
10:30 am Shabbat
Service | Bat Mitzvah of
Layla Dorsk**

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MAY BIRTHDAYS

- May 1**
Bonnie Brand
Philip Desiano
Darcy Foster
Porter Foster
Bonnie Gordon-
Rabinowitz
Amie Harrell
Edward Lisner
Lawrence Steingold
- May 2**
Leonard Arzt
Gwen Gilbert
Jennifer Hechtkopf
Jack Siegel
Sydney Simon
Mark Snyder
- May 3**
Diane Afel
Shaye Ariuk
Clay H. Barr
Sam Dreyfus
Adam Lotkin
Alexandra Spiegel
- May 4**
Hannah Abraham
Tal Aviv
Judith Hurwitz
Sidney Rosenbaum
- May 5**
Ari Aviv
Jack Berkowitz
Sadie Cohen
Dylan Keller
Alexander Sherman
- May 6**
Wendy Jaffe
Eli Lomogda
Emmett Smith
Brandon Terkeltaub
- May 7**
Carlos Catano-Martinez
Julie Johns
Andrew Kramer
- May 8**
Parker Collins
Cindy Krell
Naomei Lidman
Hanna Lund
Lauren Rae Perlman
Rachel Pulsifer
Timothy St Pierre
- May 9**
James Douglass
Everett Edinger
Karen Jaffe
Howard Kesser
Hannah Mann
Ashley Mills
Noa Sachs
Paul Seeman
Holly Wuthrich
- May 10**
Makayda Bates
Adriana Catano-Martinez
Alex Friedman
Eleanor Hunt
Madeline Hunt
Alexandra Kosatykh
Richard Levin
Samuel Lisner
Joshua Whiteman
Dixie Wolf
- May 11**
Rickie Kyle
Jodi Laderberg
Robert Laibstein
Charlie Southern
- May 13**
Julia Darrow
Steven Halpern
Noah Klebanoff
- May 14**
Lawrence Colen
Martin Glaser
Joan G. Miller
Janet Pfler
William Sawyer
Brennan Smith
- May 15**
John Cooper
Alex Kehayas
Carol Rosenblatt
Thomas Snyder
- May 16**
Joely Fisch
Paul Julius
Jeffrey Laibstein
Nancy Lazier
Jeanne Miller
Charles Shanker
Jillian Whedbee
- May 17**
Diana Lisner
Phyllis Pollack
- May 18**
Lisa Cohn
Ella Gladstein
Reed Goldner
Michael Haywood
Barbara Henry
Steven Perlman
Randi Streilitz
- May 19**
Laura Allegood
Gail W. Bachman
Haley Belman
Julie Byers
Lololi Gaba
Alisa Kosovsky
Lawrence Kurtz
- May 20**
Michael Fortuna
Anne Abraham
- Robert Byers
Jeffrey Berkowitz
Ari Zito
Katherine Cooper
Kai Gadell
Megan Helman
Gregory Rosenberg
- May 21**
Andrew Corcoran
Laura Gilbert
Harry Graber
Julie Kievit
Carrie Landman
Sage Roper
Terri Sarfan
Henry Scolnick
Jay Wilks
- May 22**
Marilyn Johns
Edward Solitz
- May 23**
Elena Barr
Landon Browning
Evan Darrow
Matthew Helman
Adrienne Spigel
- May 24**
Gloria Douglass
Amy Gladstein
Douglas Hillebrandt
David Kushner
Philip Sheehan
Seymour Teach
Amy Weinstein
- May 26**
Tracy Brownstein
Charlotte Corey
Peyton Rose
Stanley Sacks
- May 27**
Raleigh Anglen
Esther Diskin
Skyler Foster
Benjamin Louis Levi
Reese Studer
- May 28**
Matthew Goldstein
Marcia Snyder
Matthew Villani
- May 29**
Jerome Miller
Robin Novotny
Jonathan Priest
Steven Snyder
- May 30**
Harriet R. Goodove
Maria Hillebrandt
Sylvie Lomogda
Alexander Lotkin
Rachel Jean Salasky
Suzanne Velez-Peréz
Derek Weinstein

**FAMILY
SHABBAT
EXPERIENCE**



CHIEF SHOLOM TEMPLE

Saturday, May 10 • 10:30am

Join Rabbi Roz and Cantor Jen for a joyful, interactive Shabbat family service followed by a delicious lunch catered by Chef Larry Adler.

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JUNE CALENDAR & BIRTHDAYS

JUNE EVENTS

- 1 SUNDAY**
5:00 pm Shavuot Program/Potluck
- 2 MONDAY**
12:00 pm House Meeting**
- 4 WEDNESDAY**
6:00 pm Men's Club Meeting*
- 5 THURSDAY**
5:00 pm Executive Committee Meeting**
- 6 FRIDAY**
6:00 pm Preneg
6:30 pm Shabbat Service Honoring Rabbi's 20th anniversary at OST**
7:30 pm Congregational Dinner
- 7 SATURDAY**
9:00 am Torah Study*
10:30 am Shabbat Service*
- 8 SUNDAY**
10:00 am Mindfulness Group
- 10 TUESDAY**
10:30 am Quilting
6:00 pm Engagement Meeting*
- 13 FRIDAY**
6:30 pm Shabbat Service**
- 14 SATURDAY**
9:00 am Torah Study*
10:30 am Shabbat Service | Adult B'nai Mitzvah**
- 17 TUESDAY**
5:30 pm Sisterhood Board Meeting**
- 19 THURSDAY**
6:30 pm Board Meeting**
- 20 FRIDAY**
4:00 pm Temple Cinema Club
6:30 pm Shabbat Service in Honor of Pride**
- 21 SATURDAY**
9:00 am Torah Study*
10:30 am Shabbat Service*
12:00 pm OST @ Pridefest
- 24 TUESDAY**
10:30 am Quilting
- 27 FRIDAY**
6:30 pm Shabbat Service**
- 28 SATURDAY**
9:00 am Torah Study*
10:30 am Shabbat Service*
- 29 SUNDAY**
12:00 pm Barbie Exhibit Field Trip
- 30 MONDAY**
10:00 am Soup Kitchen

Archive Volunteers meet every Wednesday 10:00am



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JUNE BIRTHDAYS

- June 1**
Richard Diamonstein
Cameron Fische
Chris Graves
Sherry Goldstein Hecht
Ellen Mesh
Amy Milligan
Samuel Southern
Arlene Strelitz
- June 2**
Kevin Anderson
Linda Ausch
Timothy Goodwin
Betty Hecht
Isabelle Levitt
Ina "Dede" Schmidt
- June 3**
Teresa Canepa
Ella Goodlove
Bradley Levitt
Nancy Rosenberg
Henry Wolf
- June 4**
Emma Belman
Benjamin Casey
Bruce Rosenfeld
Shelly Simon
- June 5**
Kenneth Muhlendorf
Norbert Newfield
- June 6**
David Brown
Eric C Diamonstein
Ann Nusbaum
- June 7**
Jessica Julius
Sofia Lotkin
Besianne Maiden
- June 8**
Emerson Epps
Jennifer Gebler
Gerald Golden
Robert Goodman, Jr.
Jerry Meltsner
Jeffrey Swartz
Zoe Zelonyky
- June 9**
Bradley Beskin
Kirby Lefkowitz
John Patton
Sharon Shanker
- June 10**
Connor Goodwin
Andrew Rachels
Lynne Sward
Morgan Trussell
Jack Young
- June 11**
Judy Benjamin
Emily Casey
Karen Longwater
Thomas Murphy
- June 12**
Emma Beloff
Ann Copeland
Jessica Kosovsky
John Lomogda
Aubrey J Morrall
JoEllen Rose
- June 13**
Sharon Goldner
Jonathan Jacobs
Lawrence Klar
Blanche B Nusbaum
Max Salomonsky
- June 15**
Travis Byrd
Caleb Metzger
Jonathan Muhlendorf
Genevieve Scott
Levi Stein
Leo Terkeltaub
- June 16**
Cathy Eichelbaum
- June 17**
Jasmine Bryant
Sophia Dreyfus
Izaak Glasser
Jan Lane
Robert Zentz
- June 18**
Jordan Larar
Kelly Nusbaum
Alvin Wall
- June 19**
Donald Hurwitz
Stuart Kerner
Harry Levin
EJ Tench
- June 20**
Joshua Krutoy
Ross Legum
Katie Ritzmann
Leon Sarfan
Megan Nicole Stredler
- June 21**
Alejandro Garcia Wolff
Dennis Gruelle
Brittany Johndrow
Errol Liffand
Ilene Snyder
- June 22**
Sandra C. Mendelsohn
Penny Powders
- June 23**
Peter Crockin
Keith Demarah
Kim Fink
Dmitry Gotkis
Susan Hooks
Baila Waldholtz
- June 24**
Brian Cohn
Hannah Cooper
Sarah Kruger
David Metzger
- June 25**
Ronald Anglen
Melanie Waitzer
- June 26**
Brian Bachman
Martin Levin
Brenda Lisner
Abbey Pachter
Sharon Rosenbaum
Dana Sward
Kenny Weinstein
- June 27**
Rita Detrick
Jay Lazier
- June 28**
Rosann Crawford
Sarah Rebekah Glaser
Adam Lefkowitz
- June 29**
Elise Berkowitz
Martha Colen
- June 30**
Henry Colen
Diane Muhlendorf
Sarah Newfield
Hannah Osattin



PRIDE

**SHABBAT IN
HONOR OF PRIDE**
Friday, June 20
6:30PM

Make sure to visit the OST table at Pridefest this year!
Town Point Park - Saturday, June 21 - 12:00 - 7:00 pm



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Friday, June 6

6:00 pm Preneg

6:30 pm Shabbat Service

7:30 pm Dinner

**Join us as we honor Rabbi Roz's 20
years of leadership, wisdom, and
heart in our community.**

This will be the first of several events celebrating this milestone

