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# WORSHIP & TORAH STUDY

## JULY

**Friday, July 4 | 8 Tamuz**

Office Closed - Independence Day  
6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*

**Saturday, July 5 | 9 Tamuz**

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

**Friday, July 11 | 15 Tamuz**

6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*  
Guest Speaker: Jeanne Zentz

**Saturday, July 12 | 16 Tamuz**

9:00 am Torah Study\*  
9:00 am Tot Shabbat  
10:30 am Shabbat Learners' Service\*\*

**Friday, July 18 | 22 Tamuz**

6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*

**Saturday, July 19 | 23 Tamuz**

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

**Friday, July 25 | 29 Tamuz**

6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*  
Guest Speaker: Zibby Robertson

**Saturday, July 26 | 1 Av**

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

No asterisk means IN-PERSON ONLY  
\*VIRTUAL ONLY  
\*\*HYBRID (in-person and virtual)

## AUGUST

**Friday, August 1 | 7 Av**

6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*

**Saturday, August 2 | 8 Av | Tisha B'Av**

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

**Friday, August 8 | 14 Av**

6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*

**Saturday, August 9 | 15 Av**

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

**Friday, August 15 | 21 Av**

6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*

**Saturday, August 16 | 22 Av**

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

**Friday, August 22 | 28 Av**

6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*  
Guest Speaker: Naomi Sedek

**Saturday, August 23 | 29 Av**

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

**Friday, August 29 | 5 Elul**

6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*  
Guest Speaker: Carol Brum

**Saturday, August 30 | 6 Elul**

9:00 am Torah Study\*  
10:30 am Shabbat Service  
Bat Mitzvah of Layla Metzger\*\*

*Torah Study*  
with Dr. David Metzger  
**Saturdays, 9:00 am**  
**via Zoom**



## RABBI ROZ'S LEADERSHIP & LOVE

IN CASE YOU MISSED IT, TAKE A LOOK AT THE JOYFUL EVENING  
WE SHARED CELEBRATING RABBI ROZ'S 20TH ANNIVERSARY  
AT OST WITH A SPECIAL SHABBAT SERVICE AND DINNER!



Dear OST Family,

I can't begin to express my gratitude for your outpouring of love and support on the occasion of our Shabbat Service on June 6th honoring my twenty years of service. It was everything I could have ever dreamed of - full of community, kindness, and joy!

It has been a tough year for us all and, as I do every other summer, I will be taking the month of July as a Sabbatical to study, reflect, and renew myself for the sacred work that lies ahead. I had planned to be in Israel visiting my mother and learning at a program for rabbis at the Hartman Institute; but as we Jews say, "Humans plan and God laughs." I will continue to pray for peace for all peoples, including our brothers and sisters in the land of Israel.

Since a picture is worth a thousand words, I will let the collage speak for itself. I conclude with these words with which I closed my remarks on June 6th:

"I want you to know that I feel so grateful and blessed to be your rabbi, your teacher and pastor, and your fellow traveler in Jewish life. As it becomes increasingly perilous to be a Jew in America, and fewer find meaning in religion, we of Ohel Sholom remain steadfast in our commitment to Judaism and to living it fully, proudly and joyfully. And I could not have asked for a more devoted and compassionate congregation to call my community, my family. Thank you all from the bottom of my heart."

With appreciation and love,

*Rabbi Roz*  
Rabbi Roz

We're celebrating Rabbi Roz's 20 incredible years at OST with special events throughout the year! Save the dates for:

**Havdallah on the Beach - November 1, 2025**

**A Gala in Rabbi Roz's Honor - May 9, 2026**





# PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

***It's kind of funny, but when you tell people you're going to be the President of your synagogue, they say things like "Oh my condolences" or "They must have gotten you at a weak moment" or "Good Luck with that".***

It's true - for the past year that's what I've been hearing.

But it's not at all how I feel about it. I feel so honored to follow in the footsteps of the leaders of this great temple, and I am humbled by the responsibility and trust you have all placed in me. I never imagined nor sought out this job, so how did I end up here?

I'll start with a true story. About 15 years ago my beautiful sister Marcy, may her memory be for a blessing, was ordained as a rabbi. My husband Kenny and I attended a VERY LONG ordination ceremony during which each rabbi and each rabbi's sponsor spoke. It was longer than a Yom Kippur service! Kenny dozed off about thirty minutes into the service, but after each rabbi spoke he lifted his head up and said "amen", then promptly dozed off again. This happened about 20 times.

While it was really funny, the truth is that there is a lot of power in the word amen.

Amen is a word we all know - we say it at the end of most prayers. At first glance - Amen simply affirms what is being said or done - it's almost a throwaway - yet it has a powerful impact. Amen builds community - it says we're part of each other's stories - and it acknowledges that we are in this together.

I recently read a book by Rabbi Sharon Brous called The Amen Effect.

"The Amen effect" refers to the profound spiritual and communal power of showing up for one another - it could be during moments of joy and celebration, or during moments of vulnerability or sacred transition - or agreeing to serve our community, like tonight.

Amen means you show up for others - by bearing witness and affirming presence.

You don't have to have the right words. You just show up. Showing up is like saying Amen - it affirms that someone's grief, someone's joy, someone's struggle, someone's cause, someone's accomplishment - they are real, and they are seen.

There are so many ways people show up for each other at Temple: services, whether to say "amen" to those in mourning or yahzeits, or to say "amen" as they become b'nai mitzvah, name a new baby or get married. We are saying "amen" when we show up for soup kitchen or other mitzvah projects, and we are saying "amen" when we attend social events and greet others with kindness and open arms. Amen builds community, fosters connections, and eases one of the greatest epidemics of our time - loneliness.

So how did I get here? Remember I got here because I moved to Virginia about 8 years ago, and Kenny and I were members. We enjoyed coming to services and programs and one day Alyssa Muhlenhoff suggested that I take on a role as Education Chair. Terri Budman was president at the time and she asked me. When asked to serve, if able, I say



*Barb Gelb*

Amen, I show up. Then a year later Charlie Nusbaum called me and asked me to "move into the chairs". I did not exactly know what that meant, but again, when I can serve, I do it. Amen.

big job, and I know it's not simple, but I am so privileged because this is an incredible congregation, and I am excited to work hard to serve OST.

Some of you want to know what I hope to do in the next two years.

As I said earlier we have a good thing going!! Actually we have an amazing thing going!

Jewish life is strong here. We have star clergy in Rabbi Roz and Cantor Jen that lead our worship. When it comes to Music - Chuck and the choir are second to none. People are flocking to our religious school - as well as adult learning programs because of the fantastic work of Alyson and all our teachers. And our operations are in great shape - thanks to our fabulous Executive Director Jennifer and ALL the members of our staff: Gil, Liz, Eric, Rebecca, Jim, and Burgess. All of our volunteers - and you can see there are so many if you watch the slideshow

All of our committees and their subcommittees, Social Action, Engagement, Education, Worship, Financial Resource Development, Sisterhood. Men's Club, OSTY, L and L, the OSF...

It's all flourishing - so...

To me, the most important thing we can do over the next two years is ensure the sustainability of all this.

I'm thinking about two pieces to sustainability - Financial and Leadership.

With respect to financial sustainability, we will focus on ensuring our future by growing our endowment, securing more planned gifts through our life and legacy program, and giving members more opportunities to support the Temple programs, capital improvements, and attributes that they care about. What we have today is because of those who came before us who ensured this future for us. We must ensure that we do the same for those here now and those who will come after us.

The other key to sustaining this great Temple is good leadership. My goal is to grow our leadership pipeline to include more members, and a wide variety of members who say amen, and join committees, become chairs and serve our beautiful temple. When we ask you, please try to say amen. (It's not a life sentence!) But also, if we don't ask you - ask us - ask me - we welcome your involvement. We are a large congregation and we don't all know each other - YET.

We are here tonight because of all the people who come here and say AMEN - who show up for each other, who show up to be part of our beloved community.

A beautiful building and great programs and leadership are not worth much without people here participating - this is the AMEN factor. We

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# OST ANNUAL MEETING

## Mazel Tov to the newly appointed 2025-26 OST Officers & Board members:

**President:** Barb Gelb

**1st Vice President:** Andy Fox

**2nd Vice President:** Neal Schulwolf

**Treasurer:** Lawrence Steingold

**Secretary:** Amy Metzger

**Member At Large:** Nichole Kushner

**Education Chair:** Debbie Higgins

**Engagement Chair:** Ellen Hundley

**Finance & Development Chair:** Byron Harrell

**Worship Chair:** Hunter Thomas

## OHEF SHOLOM FOUNDATION Mazel Tov to the newly appointed OSF Officers, Board members and Board of Advisors:

**President:** Charlie Nusbaum

**Vice President:** Jane Goldman

**Treasurer:** Jay Friedman

**Secretary:** Bill Nusbaum

**Board Member:** Izaak Glasser

**Board Member:** Sharon Nusbaum

**Board Member:** Ellen Hundley (OST)

**Board Member at Large:** Byron Harrell

**Board of Advisors:** Matt Fine

### Board Members:

Carol Brum	Marilyn Johns
Esther Diskin	Jay Lazier
Lauren Epstein	Paula Russel
David Hirschler	

Thank you to outgoing Board members Robert Levinson and Tom Snyder. Congratulations to Dorianne Villani for becoming an honorary member.

## Kurt Rosenbach Board Member of the Year Award 2025

Mazel Tov to Margaret Sawyer the 2025 recipient of the prestigious Kurt Rosenbach Board Member of the Year Award! Margaret received the honor at this year's Annual Meeting on May 22. The Award was established in 2004 and is given to a Board member whose outstanding service to OST best embodies the qualities and commitment demonstrated by Kurt, of blessed memory.

A lifelong Hampton Roads resident, Margaret has been part of the OST family for over 40 years. She grew up at Agudath Achim in Suffolk, but after it closed, she was drawn to OST for its warm, welcoming environment—especially for her husband, Bill, who isn't Jewish. She also wanted her children to grow up with strong Jewish roots, and the family officially joined when their daughter, Elizabeth, was old enough for Religious School.

On Elizabeth's first day, then-Temple administrator Rita Cogan walked them to class and introduced Margaret to a nearby group of members. "This is Margaret Sawyer," she said. "She's new. Don't leave her alone—make sure she has fun." That group, now affectionately known as the Romeos and Juliets, still meets monthly, 45 years later.

From then on, Margaret felt at home. With a full-time career in radio promotions and a young family, her involvement began slowly. She helped in the kitchen when she could and performed in a few Purimshpiels. After retiring, she jumped in wholeheartedly—accepting Anne Kramer's long-standing invitation to join the Sisterhood Board, and served

as Co-President with Nichole Kushner. Her involvement only deepened from there: she served on and chaired the Worship Committee, serves on the Finance & Development Committee, and now co-chairs the Archives Committee with Alice Titus. Margaret also serves as an honorary Board member, eager to help shape OST's future. She and Bill proudly supported the 175th campaign and have made a Life & Legacy commitment.

Receiving the Rosenbach Award is especially meaningful to Margaret, who once worked with Kurt on a project exploring financial challenges faced by members—an experience that deepened her compassion and commitment. Reflecting on the honor, she says she's filled with hope for OST's continued role as a House of Prayer for all people.



### PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS CONTINUED

want to continue our growth and continue showing up for each other - those who have been members for six generations and those who are the first generation, those who are boomers and those who are gen x, y or z, those with children, and those without, neurotypical and non-neurotypical, and all types of family structures. Our building says we are a house of prayer for all people. We want to sustain this amazing community so that our members will be here when they need Amens and be here to give Amens.

So alongside our clergy and amazing staff, I will work with our fantastic Board of Directors, past presidents, honorary board members and executive committee Andy, Neal, Amy, Lawrence, Byron, Ellen, Nichole, Debbie and Hunter - to sustain OST for generations to come.

### Can I get an Amen for that?



# Mazal Tov

As we reflect on the meaning of Hineni—"Here I am"—we recognize and honor the moments when members of our community show up with joy, dedication, and love. From births to weddings, retirements to achievements, we say Mazal Tov to those who have shared beautiful milestones with us.

## AWARDS

**Paul Hirschbiel** for receiving the Small Business Champion of the Year award from the Hampton Roads Chamber

**Byron Harrell** for winning the 2025 Davsters Tourney



**Ted Kaufman** for an impressive second-place finish in the 2025 Davsters Tourney

**Henry Scolnick** for receiving the prestigious Diller Teen Tikkun Olam Award for his extraordinary impact in founding Ballers Basketball.

## B'NAI MITZVAH

**Layla Metzger**

August 30, 2025

Layla Metzger is the daughter of Amy & Mark Metzger and sister of Major Metzger



## WEDDINGS

**Sarah & Stephen Nusbaum**

- May 3, 2025



**Sam Lisner & Shuyang Zhang**

- June 28, 2025

## BIRTHS

May 16 - **Talia May Freyda Renken**, daughter of Jessica Renken, welcomed with joy by big sister Zeeva Cooper

## BABY NAMING

April 25 - **Eden Trussell Panchana**, Daughter of Abigail Marley Trussell & Kody Angel Panchana

May 9 - **Diego Garcia Wolff**, - Son of Rebecca Wolff & Daniel Garcia Alanis

## RETIREMENT

**Pam Levinson** on her retirement from Norfolk Public Schools

## WELCOME

Please welcome our newest members of the Ohef Sholom family:

Jerry & Sandra Friedman  
Michael & Ellie Goldstein

Cynthia Watkins  
Josh & Rebecca Weinstein



# ADULT B'NAI MITZVAH 2025: GEN Z TO GERIATRIC EDITION

On June 14, our sanctuary was filled with pride, joy, and heartfelt emotion as 23 adult learners were called to the Torah as B'nai Mitzvah. This remarkable group, diverse in age and background, dedicated themselves to over a year of study, community building, and spiritual growth. Together, they explored Hebrew, liturgy, Jewish history, and Torah in a journey that culminated in a meaningful and inspiring Shabbat morning service.

For many, this moment fulfilled a long-held dream. For others, it was a chance to affirm their Jewish identity as adults. Their stories and voices enriched our congregation and reminded us all that Jewish learning and growth are lifelong endeavors. Mazal tov to each of our new B'nai Mitzvah—we are so proud of you!

Lisa Agosto  
Carol Brum  
Ellie Cesario  
Marissa Collins  
Joseph Detrick  
James Dunn  
Tia Edinger  
Lauren Epstein

Lori Galbraith  
Ellen Rostov Hundley  
Martha Javinsky  
Ronni Lynn Markman  
Diane Bloom McCabe  
Luke McGovern  
Harriet Meier

Sharon Nusbaum  
Ezra Spuddler  
Hunter Thomas  
Alice Titus  
Christina Verderosa  
Dorianne Villani  
Paul Woodson  
Jeanne Zentz



## Coming up- ADULT B'NAI MITZVAH CLASS OF 2028

Witnessing the accomplishments of this extraordinary group may have sparked something in you—a curiosity, a calling, or a long-standing desire to take this meaningful step yourself.

We are thrilled to announce that our next Adult B'nai Mitzvah class will begin in June 2027, culminating in a service in June 2028. This transformative year-long program includes Hebrew, Torah study, prayer, and engaging Jewish learning in a warm and supportive environment led by our outstanding clergy, Rabbi Roz and Cantor Jen.

More information will be shared as we get closer to the start of the class.



# Mazal Tov

## CLASS OF

# 2025

Congratulations to all the Ohel Sholom Temple graduates! You've achieved a significant milestone in your lives. May this graduation be the start of many more successes and accomplishments. Continue to learn, grow, and make a positive impact in the world. Best wishes for your future endeavors!



*Sonya Reese Adler*

**Maury High School**

**Awards:** National Honor Society, Honorable Mention in District Art Contest

**What's Next:** James Madison University, Majoring in Political Science  
**Parents:** Ashley and Josh Adler



*Megan Helman*

**First Colonial High School**

**Awards:** Two-Time Captain of FCHS Patriotettes Dance Team, National Honor Society, National Spanish Honor Society, DanceSpace Dance Company

**What's next:** University of South Carolina  
**Parents:** Nancy and Phil Helman



*Nisan Bates*

**Tidewater Collegiate Academy**

**Awards:** Named Scholar of the Year 2022, Bronze & Silver Girl Scout Awards

**What's Next:** Tidewater Community College  
**Parents:** Mara and Ken Bates



*Sarah Kosovsky*

**Math and Science Academy - Ocean Lakes High School**

**Awards:** Graduating with honors, 4.5 GPA, co-chair officer of National Honors Society, OLHS varsity field hockey team, The Stein Family College Scholarship 2025 recipient

**Next:** University of Virginia, majoring in Cognitive Science  
**Parents:** Anna and Leon Kosovsky.



*Aubrey Council*

**Nansemond-Suffolk Academy**

**Awards:** Honor Graduate, National Honor Society and Founding Member of Saints Endowment Council

**What's Next:** William & Mary and plans to study business.  
**Parents:** Kenda Goldberg Council and Michael Council



*Emily Carroll Priest*

**Maury High School**

**Awards:** Member of the National Honor Society and an Honor Graduate; cellist in the Maury Concert Orchestra; Ensign in Maury's NJROTC; sailing team member and recipient of the ALL VISA Girls Skipper Award (Fall 2024); member of Girl Scout Troop 396.

**What's Next:** Old Dominion University  
**Parents:** Sean and Jennifer Priest



*Gwen Darrow*

**Visual & Performing Arts Academy at Salem High School**

**Awards:** Salutatorian, President of the SCA, a Brickell Scholar, and earned Seals for Spanish Bilingual and Excellence in Civics

**What's next:** University of Virginia

**Parents:** Beth and David Darrow



*Rue Winkelsas*

**Tallwood High School**

**What's Next:** Longwood University

**Parents:** Katie Fortuna and David Winkelsas



*Jayce Doughtie*

**Deep Creek High School**

**What's next:** US Navy

**Parents:** Glynnis and Tracy Doughtie\*



*Amelia Fox*

**Loyola Marymount University**

**Awards:** BA Sociology and Gender Studies

**What's Next:** Community Director- The Washington Center (DC)  
**Parents:** Colleen and Andy Fox



\* of blessed memory



# ADULT EDUCATION



## TEMPLE CINEMA CLUB

*"Kugel: The Shtisels Return"*  
Nuchem, a charming yet rule-bending  
jewelry dealer juggles ambition, love, and  
family drama.

Episodes 7 & 8

Friday, July 18 • 4:00pm **RSVP**

**\*\*The Cinema Club will take a break in August and September and will resume in October.**



## BOOK CLUB

**AUGUST 26 - 6:30 PM**

With so many books to choose from it  
was decided to let YOU decide what you  
wanted to read. Read whichever book(s)  
you wish and come ready to discuss.



*The Amen Effect: Ancient Wisdom to  
Mend our Broken Hearts and World*  
by Sharon Brouse  
*Not in God's Name*  
by Jonathan Sacks

*Start-Up Nation, The Story of Israel's  
Economic Miracle*  
by Dan Senor and Saul Singer  
*Don't Forget to Write*  
by Sara Goodman Confino



## Mindful Journeys

**Introducing Mussar & Mindfulness at Ohef Sholom Temple!**

Join us to explore Mussar and mindfulness  
practices that foster self-discovery, ethical  
living, and inner balance—all in a  
welcoming, reflective space.

Select Sundays at 10:00 am

July 13 August 10



**JOIN US FOR A LEARNERS' SHABBAT MORNING SERVICE**

**SATURDAY, JULY 12 • 10:30 AM**

Curious about the structure and meaning behind a Saturday  
morning service? Whether you're new to Judaism, brushing up  
on your knowledge, or simply want to deepen your experience,  
we invite you to a special Learners' Service at OST.

Led by Cantor Jen, this interactive and welcoming service  
will walk participants through the flow of a Reform Shabbat  
morning service—from morning blessings to the Torah service and concluding  
prayers. Each section will be explained in a meaningful and accessible way, with opportunities  
to ask questions and engage more deeply with the liturgy, music, and customs.

No prior knowledge or Hebrew skills are necessary—just bring your curiosity and a willingness to learn. Whether you're  
a regular attendee or visiting for the first time, this is a wonderful opportunity to explore the "why" behind the prayers and  
traditions we share every week.

**ALL ARE WELCOME. COME LEARN, PRAY, AND CONNECT.**

After the service, all are welcome to enjoy lunch together off-site. \*Each person will be responsible for their own meal.





# HINENU – WE ARE HERE

Summer brings a welcome shift. The pace slows down a bit, schedules lighten up, and many of us scatter—traveling, attending camp, spending time with family, or diving into long-awaited projects. And yet, even as the rhythms of daily life change, something steady remains: Hinenu (הִנֵּנוּ). Here we are.

Hineni- “Here I am” is found in the Torah 8 times – you may recall it said when Gd spoke to Moses from the burning bush

(וַיִּקְרָא אֵלָיו אֱלֹהִים מִתּוֹךְ הַסֻּפָּה וַיֹּאמֶר מֹשֶׁה מֹשֶׁה וַיֹּאמֶר הִנְנִי)

In this verse, Moses answers Gd’s call with Hineni (הִנְנִי) – “Here I am.” If we shift just one letter—from the yud (י), meaning “I,” to a shuruk (ו), meaning “we”—Hineni becomes Hinenu (הִנֵּנוּ) “Here we are.” A single vowel shift transforms a solitary voice into a shared response.

In the Torah, our ancestors answer Gd’s call with Hineni—Here I am. This summer, we invite you to join us in saying Hinenu—Here we are. Though religious school may be on pause, our community is not. Shabbat still welcomes us. Programs continue. The doors—and hearts—of our temple stay open.

Whether you’re close by or far away, deeply rooted or just beginning to figure things out, we want you to know: Hinenu—we are here. We are here to light candles, say Kaddish, celebrate simchas, or simply share space.

And we hope you’ll join us for some of the meaningful and joyful moments we have planned:

- Tot Shabbat on Saturday morning, July 12 at 9:00am – a musical, playful Shabbat experience for our youngest community members and their families.
- OST’s Pool Party & Havdalah at the JCC on Sunday, July 20 – a family-friendly evening to gather poolside and also welcome in the new week.
- Back to Shul on Saturday evening, August 23 – a spirited celebration to kick off a new year of learning, community, and connection.

This summer, let Hineni be your guide—not just a statement of presence, but a spiritual anchor. And when you’re looking for community, remember: Hinenu—we are here.



Alyson Morrissey  
Director of Lifelong Learning

## A YEAR OF LEARNING, GROWTH, & JOY

Take a look back at all the meaningful moments, big smiles, and special memories from our Religious School this past year.



## Don't delay, register today!

Religious School  
Registration Now Open  
2025-2026 Membership  
must be renewed to register

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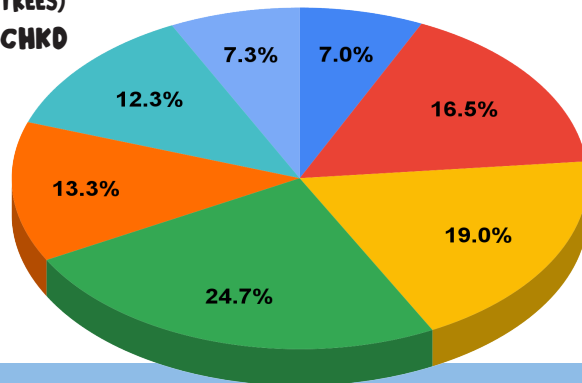
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# TZEDAKAH BY THE NUMBERS

# \$758.78

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- NORFOLK SPCA
- VIRGINIA BEACH SPCA
- JEWISH NATIONAL FUND (TREES)
- CHKD
- CHKD CANCER RESEARCH
- SAM'S WARRIORS
- IDF





# HINENI AT THE BEACH (and Beyond!)



On May 31, JOSTY & OSTY gathered for our final event of the year: a beach hangout and Havdalah. This Havdalah held special significance—not only did it mark the end of the school year and the beginning of summer, but it also represented a meaningful separation from three beloved members of the OSTY community. Robyn and Paul Weiner, who have served as OSTY advisors for nearly a decade, are stepping away from their roles. We also said goodbye to Rue, our current OSTY President, who is heading off to college this fall.

Though the weather forced a change in plans, our incredible hosts, Carol and Allan Brum, welcomed us into their home, turning what could have been a washout into a wonderful gathering. We shared meaningful conversations, played games, sang a few Broadway favorites, and of course, enjoyed a delicious spread of food.

As we said our goodbyes and headed in different directions, we will carry our memories together with us and look forward to the new year ahead.



Join us for a splash-tastic summer celebration filled with friendly competition, creativity, and fun for all ages! From poolside mahjong and family games to hands-on crafts, there's something for everyone at this unforgettable evening of community and connection.

**SUNDAY, JULY 20**  
**5:00-7:00 PM @ THE JCC**





# Sisterhood

moment that changed my life in an unexpected way.

It was just over a year ago at my very first Ohel Sholom Temple event. I raised my hand to volunteer—and suddenly, I was saying “yes” to becoming President. I didn’t realize it at the time, but that simple gesture was a powerful act of Hineni—“Here I am.” It was more than just showing up; it was a call to serve with my whole self—physically, emotionally, and spiritually.

Over the past year, I’ve come to understand the deeper meaning of Hineni. In trying to be fully present for my fellow sisters and our community, I found myself on a spiritual journey of my own. Here’s how Hineni has come to life for me:

**Personal Commitment:** Being present for my family and community, ready to step in and support when needed.

**Social Responsibility:** Answering the call to respond to injustice, to show up when the world asks more of us.

As I begin my second year serving as Sisterhood President, I’ve taken time to reflect on a

**Spiritual Openness:** Remaining attentive to inner growth, and listening for divine guidance in the midst of daily life.

I see this same spirit alive in the women who serve on our Sisterhood board. Despite their full schedules and personal challenges, they continue to show up—wholeheartedly—for one another and for our Temple community. They, too, are living their own versions of Hineni.

Mara Bates beautifully captured this in her reflection:

“Hineni is in our lives always. Sometimes it’s when we’re rushing and all the lights turn green—other times, when we catch every red light, it’s Hineni offering us a moment to pause and regroup. Life’s challenges are really opportunities. Even when we don’t fully understand them, Hineni is there. Our emunah—our faith—is both tested and strengthened as we navigate life’s journey. Hineni is there.”

May we all continue to say “Here I am” with open hearts, ready hands, and a spirit willing to grow, connect, and serve.

Warmly,

*Andrea Trank*  
Sisterhood President

## Uniongrams

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For just \$3 per card, you’re not only brightening someone’s day—you’re also helping shape the future of Jewish leadership and strengthening communities worldwide. Uniongrams embody the Jewish values of connection, compassion, and giving back.

### UNIONGRAMS - July/August 2025 (Covering September-October 2025)

ANNIVERSARIES	YRS	DATE
1 Friedman, Joy & Reilly, Tim	10	2015-09-17
2 Branham, Matthew & Jessica	15	2010-10-02
3 Robertson, Zibby & Darren	15	2010-10-02
4 Goldstein, Matthew & Joanne	20	2005-10-07
5 Novotny, Robin & Neal	30	1995-10-15
6 Nusbaum, Nancy & Charles	40	1985-10-12
7 Rubin, Nathan & Janet	50	1975-09-20

WEDDINGS	DATE
8 Deni Budman & Jacob Gurvis	10/25/2025

BIRTHS	DATE
9 Miriam Kira (daughter of Allison and Chris Graves)	2/18/2025
10 Talia May Freyda (daughter of Jessica Renken)	5/16/2025

B'NAI MITZVAH	DATE
8 Aubrey Morrall	10/15/2025

CONFIRMATION CLASS OF 2025	DATE
9 Aubrie Bryant	5/17/25
10 Emerson Epps	5/17/25

11 Logan Fortuna	5/17/25
12 Celia Goldberg	5/17/25
13 Sarah-Emerly Gotkis	5/17/25
14 Carolena Johndrow	5/17/25
15 Lillian Moore	5/17/25
16 Elijah Morrissey	5/17/25
17 Margaret "Maggie" Ritzmann	5/17/25
18 Samuel Sachs	5/17/25
19 Henry Scolnick	5/17/25
20 Logan Smith	5/17/25
21 Rue Winkelsas	5/17/25

HIGH HOLY DAY GREETINGS
9 Rabbi Rosalin Mandelberg
10 Cantor Jennifer Rueben
11 Rabbi Emeritus Lawrence Forman & Laura Forman
12 Barb Gelb, President & Kenny Weinstein
13 Charles Woodward, Music Director
14 Ohel Sholom Choir
15 Jennifer Levin-Tavares, Executive Director
16 Alyson Morrissey, Director of Lifelong Learning & Chris Morrissey
17 Ohel Sholom Office & Staff

So, let’s honor this tradition together. Celebrate your loved ones, recognize milestones, and share joy—all while supporting meaningful work. Sending a Uniongram may be a small act, but its impact is anything but small.

**ORDER DEADLINE IS JULY 20**



*Who will you celebrate today?*

To order and pay for Uniongrams online, go to <https://ohelsholom.org/sisterhood> or contact the main office

# OST SISTERHOOD RUMMAGE SALE

## AUGUST 15 & 17

### DONATIONS NEEDED!

Collection until **August 11**

Furniture & rugs accepted **after August 4.**

The Sisterhood will be holding its biannual Rummage Sale on Thursday, August 14th 4-7PM. This is only for congregants. The public sale will be held on Friday, August 15th and Sunday, August 17th 9-2 both days. We will only be accepting CASH or Credit! This is the main fundraiser of the Sisterhood! All funds raised come right back to our Temple. We are collecting household and kitchen items, artwork, frames and baskets, small appliances, electronics and office items, arts and crafts, hobby related and children's items, jewelry, accessories, linens, music and some books.(fiction, nonfiction, Judaica, cooking, crafts, gardening and hobbies and travel only). Furniture and rugs will be accepted after August 4th and should be brought directly to Kaufman Hall. We are not able to accept any clothing, mattresses, cribs, encyclopedias, textbooks or reference books.

We will need assistance sorting, pricing and setting things up starting August 4th-August 14th from 9-2 each day. A sign-up genius will be available starting July 7th.

If you have any questions please contact **Ellen Hundley**  
**757-477-5882 or [erhundley2010@gmail.com](mailto:erhundley2010@gmail.com).**



# OST ARCHIVES

## "WHAT DO YOU DO UP THERE?"

I've been asked many times what the archives volunteers do each Wednesday. To answer requires explaining a little about OST's archive. This archive holds the largest collection in the world of unique documents, photographs, and audio-video materials that chronicle the history (up to and including yesterday) of the Tidewater Jewish community. Preserving them means housing them in acid-free enclosures, removing objects that lead to discoloration, and scanning or photocopying material that is particularly fragile, faded, or can contaminate other items. Cataloguing that material means ensuring it can be accessed by archival volunteers for the benefit of congregants, researchers, and educators.

Archives volunteers work on a variety of projects. Two volunteers have been updating media formats for our audio-video collections. Two others have been going through unprocessed material to ensure it is preserved and can be easily accessed. Other volunteers work on projects as diverse as scanning documents and photographs, accepting and cataloguing new donations,

or describing and listing the contents of older donations. We provide programs for educational groups and even write articles for various publications (including this one). But of all the jobs we do, the most gratifying is answering the questions and responding to the requests of congregants, researchers, and educators.

Not long ago, a request from a local educator led to a tour and presentation that highlighted many of the archive's most important documents and photographs. Recently, a college student's request for evidence of American contemporaneous knowledge of the Holocaust led to evidence that local Jewish organizations had received specific reporting of atrocities as early as 1939. By contrast, a request for information about a former congregant led to uncovering a treasure trove of information about three Tidewater Jewish families. For our volunteers, it's the joy of helping others, solving problems, unraveling mysteries, and preserving our history.

- Alice Titus



# Wonders of the Natural World



A house wren brings food to its family.

If you wake up around 4AM you may hear a bird singing loudly, wonder why it would sing in the dark, and wish that it would stop. As dawn comes that bird is joined by a chorus of other birds. Some have lovely melodies like the wren, wood thrush, and brown thrasher. The hawk and egret may add their sharp calls. Chatty crows have varied sounds and may participate. Some bird calls are simple, using one or a few

tones like the bluebirds. Perhaps they are saying, "I am here."

This is summer with its variety of insects that buzz and click. The cicadas and grasshoppers can not be ignored because of their volume. If you look quickly toward the rustling leaves you may see a blue tailed skink as it rushes along or observe a slow paced endangered box turtle. The buzzing may be a mosquito, fly, or a bee seeking a meal.



The patterned shell helps the eastern box turtle blend in with its surroundings.

As I am writing this there is a storm with the sound of heavy rain and loud thunder. In Jewish tradition thunder and lightning are reminders of G-d's power and are given special prayers. As a result of the rain a chorus of toads and frogs begin to perform an unruly chorus of sounds and rhythms. Are they saying, "I am here" as they advertise for a mate?



A green treefrog makes a visits to Ohel Shalom.

Toward evening the bird chorus begins again. Some insects begin to make their rasping noise. Lightening bugs blink. As darkness comes that crazy early bird is singing again. Is this their way of saying, "I am here"?

Paying attention can reward us with the many wonders found in the natural world. Perhaps this is G-d's way of saying to us, "Here I am."



A solitary bee gathers food from the agastache flowers.



Jackie Haywood

That crazy early bird that you hear may be our state bird, the **eastern cardinal**.

# OST Soup Kitchen

hot meals, warm hearts

## LOOK WHAT THE SOUP KITCHEN DOES!

- ♥ Feeds hundreds of hungry guests year-round with hot, nutritious meals
- ♥ Sends guests off with brown-bag meals to eat later
- ♥ Provides essential hygiene supplies with hundreds of toiletry kits
- ♥ Distributes thousands of Bombas socks, plus new underwear, backpacks, shoes, coats, & more
- ♥ Operates a well-stocked food pantry thanks to donations & youth-led food drives
- ♥ Meets real needs with targeted drives like the May Blue Jeans Drive, our most-requested item
- ♥ Shares resources with local partners including shelters, outreach ministries, & mobile showers
- ♥ Recognized as a national Giving Partner of Bombas, listed in their official directory
- ♥ Celebrated 15 years of service to our community in December 2024
- ♥ Inspires the next generation, like Jasmine Bryant, who led a Bat Mitzvah food drive
- ♥ Makes a difference every single meal with warmth, consistency, & compassion

**VOLUNTEERS  
NEEDED  
FOR UPCOMING DATES!**

**Mondays**  
**July 28**  
**August 25**





# DONATIONS

We appreciate the thoughtfulness of those who support OST

by remembering and honoring their friends and loved ones through their generous contributions.

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In Honor of

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The 2025 Adult B'Nai Mitzvah Class  
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Alice Titus' Bat Mitzvah  
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Cantor Jen

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Your help and guidance for my Bat Mitzvah  
Carol Brum  
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Jim Dunn  
Lori Galbraith  
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Uniongrams sent in honor of our 30th wedding anniversary  
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Your help and guidance for my B'Nai Mitzvah  
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In Memory of

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Marsha & Marty Moody

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Dorothy & Edwin Salomonsky and family

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The Johns Family

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The Johns Family

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# YAHREZEITS

## JUNE 29-JULY 5

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\*Ilona Aranyi  
\*Samuel Ashinoff  
Jay D. A. Barr  
\*Ethel Bass  
Billy Bazar  
\*Harry Beran  
Emil Brand  
Ethel Brotman  
Shirley Charm  
\*Doris Meyer Cohen  
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\*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

## JULY 6 - 12

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\*Jake Barney  
Max Charm  
\*Max Comess  
\*Leah Weisel Drew  
\*Philip Engel  
Rosabel S. Fleishman  
\*Joseph Glanzer  
\*Gertrude Rubenstein  
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David Jay Weinstein

## JULY 13 - 19

\*Ida Adelsdorf  
\*Harvey Lee Aftel  
Harold Anten  
\*Harris Bangel  
\*Henry S. Blumenthal, Jr.  
Sylvia Sarlson Burg  
Dorothy Conley  
\*Dudley Cooper  
\*Joseph B. Cooper  
\*Bernhard Ebersson  
\*Barbara Leterman  
Fletcher  
\*Milton L. Friedman  
Samuel E. Goodove  
\*Barbara Lewis Haag  
\*Samuel R. Heller  
\*Elise N. Hofheimer  
\*John Bennett Jacobson  
Virgie Johns  
Jeffrey Kesser  
James W. Legum  
\*Benjamin J. Levy  
Albert Lubarsky  
Robert McCullough  
\*Henry Newfield  
\*Henry Milton Nordin  
Charles Pributsky  
Carolyn Schlenger  
Hy Sherman  
Elise Simon  
Joseph Smith  
Sylvia Stark  
\*Meyer Steingold  
\*Pauline J. Turner  
\*Stephen D. Unger  
Eloise Ward  
\*Pauline C. Whitlock

## JULY 20 - 26

Harry Bass  
\*Ralph J. Berlin  
\*Florene Feinberg  
Berman  
\*Cecil Blum  
\*Celia Blum  
\*Dr. Willis E. Brownstein  
\*Harry Cohen  
\*Theodore H. Cohen  
\*Louis Fenster  
Estelle Fineman  
Jane Susan Glasser Frank  
Herbert Freeman  
\*Louis H. Friedman  
\*Frances S. Garnher  
\*Marcelle H. Gates  
Richard Carl Geis  
Etta Goldblatt  
Lynn R. Goldstein  
\*Florence W. Goldstein  
\*Rose S. Gordon  
\*Emma Heimanson  
\*Lewis D. Hirschler Sr.  
Jefferson Davis  
Hofheimer  
\*Fleurette Joo

\*Charles King  
\*Adele H. Koster  
Irving Leibowitz  
\*Mary Karp Leventhal  
\*Kenneth Levi  
Anna C. Lisner  
\*Solomon Loeb  
\*Abraham Messenger  
Sally Rogers  
Joseph Rosenbaum  
\*Jacob Rotholz  
Tybell Schub  
\*Hugh Michael Shanker  
\*John "Jack" Simmons  
Elliot Sitrin  
\*Shirley Miriam Sobel  
\*Sam G. Spindel  
\*Lewis N. Strelitz  
\*Taylor Via  
Gregory Vita

## JULY 27 - AUGUST 2

Benjamin Allen  
Barbara Alper  
\*Eva Chase Anten  
Gloria Blum  
\*Joseph Bohrman  
Evelyn Brand  
Grace Cole  
Arthur Ralph Dawson  
Rabbi Marcy Gelb  
Delbick  
Emily Drummond  
Bob Epstein  
\*Jennie Fass  
Jennie F. Friedman  
Margaret Glans  
\*Elsa Campe Goodman  
\*Ruth N. Goodman  
Robert Hecht  
\*Benjamin Hoffer  
\*Benjamin Hofheimer  
Marilyn Hutchinson  
Leo Jacobs  
Alyssa Jaehne  
Naomi Javinsky  
\*Amelia Kline  
Isosif Kosoi  
Michele Krock  
\*Harry Legum  
Howard Legum  
Sol "Sikie" Legum  
\*Rose Lifland  
\*Robert G. Liverman  
Leo H. Maltz  
Junius Miller  
\*Lorin Goodman  
Nelson  
Levi Plant  
Henry Porter  
Martha Pridgen Rogers  
Gertrude Kramer  
Rosenblatt  
Sylvia W. Schechter  
Grace Littlejohn Schoner  
\*Martha Stein  
\*Minnie G. Strelitz  
\*Salomon Wachsmann  
Mikel Weber  
Harold Wolff  
Mollie Zimberg

## AUGUST 3 - 9

Terry Anglen  
Dr. Alan G. Bartel  
\*Gerald M. Bazar  
Mark Brand

\*Joseph Chase  
Carol M. Cohen  
\*Irving Cooper  
\*Milton Donn  
Barry Fine  
\*Albert A. Gabel  
\*Samuel Goldstone  
\*Morris B. Gutterman  
\*Alfred Haskell  
Sylvia Siegel Legum  
\*Celia Mandelkern  
\*Martin Marc  
\*Florence Mendelsohn  
\*Julius Miller  
\*Sadie Spagat Morris  
\*Charles W. Novitch  
Dr. Harry Pariser  
Bella Rappaport  
Charles Ring  
Wendy A. Rolland  
\*Virginia Evett Rosen  
\*Albert Rosenfeld  
\*David Schoenholt  
Ruth Sherman  
Miriam Rae Snyder  
Norma T. Steingold  
Joan Strauss  
\*Adelaide Tabet  
Walter W. Vatcher  
\*Michael B. Wagenheim  
Rhona S. Weinstein

## AUGUST 10 - 16

\*Herbert B. Altschul  
Mark Bailey  
Eli Saul Chovitz  
\*Reva Lola (Lolly) Cohen  
\*Marvin W. Davis  
Arthur A. Diamonstein  
\*Marion S. Eason  
Don Embree  
Ida Fink  
Charles Gendler  
Bertha Glaser  
\*Samuel Goodman  
\*Sylvia Liebman Haskell  
\*Phillip Herman  
\*Bertram Hornstein  
Rose Glasser Jacobson  
\*Elizabeth W. Jenkins  
\*Shel John  
David Koltun  
Florence G. Kramer  
\*Manuel Krampf  
\*Jean B. Landauer  
Jack Lesser  
\*Abe Levitin  
\*Henry Longman  
Marvin Longwater  
Shirley Macon  
\*Augusta F. Marcus  
Gerry Mendelson  
\*Joan B. Miller  
\*E. Joseph Nusbaum  
Louise S. Nusbaum  
Virginia H. Nusbaum, Jr.  
\*Gladys Lowenberg  
Oberndorfer  
Morris Odessky  
\*Mollie S. Radin  
\*Aaron B. Seldner  
\*Mary Witten Sobel  
Ross Myron Trump  
\*Joseph Van Os  
\*Stanley Waranch  
\*Robert M. White

## AUGUST 17 - 23

Martin Balaban  
\*Alex Morris Berkowitz  
\*Beatrice L. Berlin  
Eugene Bloom  
\*Eleanor S. Cohen  
\*Dorothy K. Crockin  
Vivian Fish Forman  
Victoria Freeman  
Kenneth Friedman  
\*Beatrice F. Garfinkel  
Sarah Glickman  
\*Moses Goldstein  
\*William Henry  
Goodman  
Louis Greenblatt  
Gloria Caplan Hecht  
Ethel Heller  
Paul Horlick  
\*Mary Jacobs  
\*Joseph Kahan  
Judith Katz  
Louis Katz  
Eva Kaufman  
\*Carrie Kern  
\*Clifford K. Kesser  
\*Dorothy Liebman  
Kossmann  
\*Milton Lewis  
Shelley Loeb  
\*Fannie H. Maas  
\*Charles M. Mansbach  
Joyce McCartan  
\*Alexander Benjamin  
Mizroch  
Raymond Pearl  
\*Bertha G. Rotholz  
\*Lucille Schwan  
\*Hyman M. Silverman  
Richard Smith  
Sherman Steinberg  
Paul Tavss  
\*Carol B. Waranch  
\*Annie Joo Watt  
Shari Weiss  
Rose R. Wrobel  
Harry Young  
Benjamin Zaba

## AUGUST 24 - 30

Yanci Albert  
\*Bertha Auerbach  
\*Rachel Rief Axelrod  
\*Henrietta Blaustein  
Dottie-Jean Cash  
\*Nathaniel H. Cohn  
Eugene Alfred Denison  
\*Dorothy Fass  
\*Isaac Fass  
\*Sol Fass  
Brian Feit  
Helen Freeman  
\*Simcoe Glasser  
\*Sarah Glassman  
Charles M. Greenwood  
\*Evelyn Hecht  
\*Milton Hirschler  
\*Henry Clay Hofheimer  
Ronald Lee Jacobson  
Melvin J. Kozak  
Richard Lesoine Sr  
\*Rabbi Louis D. Mendoza  
Bernard Miller  
Essie Morgan  
\*Ella H. Raymond  
Brad Scherr  
\*Jacob Silver

\*Marvin Simon  
\*Julius J. Snyder, MD  
\*Bertha Speck  
\*David Sussman  
\*Samuel M. Tonelson  
Joyce Webster Moore  
Turner  
\*Fred Wasserman  
\*Barry M. Wolf

## AUGUST 31 - SEPTEMBER 6

Melvin Bass  
Fannie Berger  
Sylvia Bertini  
Theo Bonk  
Kimberly Cole  
\*Tanhen Cooper  
Peggy C. Davis  
Marjorie Dudley  
Margaret Dunn  
\*Emily Lablanc Faber  
\*Louis B. Fine  
\*Minnie Fine  
Nolan Fine  
Ed Fraim  
\*Celia Davis Garson  
\*Leon Goldstein  
Grayson Goodove  
Vivian Googe  
\*Shoshanah Chavah  
Gottlieb  
Cynthia Denise Graves  
\*Dr. Abraham Grossman  
Stanley Hainer  
\*Phil Hamovit  
\*Dr. Harry Harrison  
\*David S. Hirschler  
Julian Bernard Jacobs  
\*Milton D. Kaufman  
\*Bernard Kayton  
William Laderberg  
\*Edythe Lotkin  
Dr. Herbert Luria IV  
Lucille McNutt  
\*Maude Messenger  
Allen Morrison  
Cecilia Murray  
Gertrude Nathanson  
\*Pansy D. Perlman  
\*Ferdinand Phillips, Sr.  
\*Zelda Postove  
Edward Mark Rafal  
\*Jacob E. Saunders  
\*Babette Schwan  
David Segal  
Frank Sheffer  
\*Hilda G. Soble  
\*Henry R. Sohmer  
Barbara Spigel  
Gabe Sward  
Bruce Teck  
Martha Ungar  
Walter Vatcher  
Bette Wohlgenuth  
Marguerite G. Zentz

\* Denotes Memorial Plaque



# JULY CALENDAR & BIRTHDAYS

## JULY EVENTS

- 1 TUESDAY**  
6:00 pm Men's Club Meeting\*\*
- 3 THURSDAY**  
5:00 pm Executive Committee Meeting\*\*
- 4 FRIDAY**  
Office Closed- Independence Day  
6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*  
7:30 pm Judaica Shop Open
- 5 SATURDAY**  
9:00 am Torah Study\*  
10:30 am Shabbat Service\*
- 7 MONDAY**  
12:00 pm House Committee Meeting\*\*
- 8 TUESDAY**  
10:30 am Quilting
- 11 FRIDAY**  
6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*
- 12 SATURDAY**  
9:00 am Torah Study\*  
9:00 am Tot Shabbat  
10:30 am Shabbat Learners' Service\*\*
- 13 SUNDAY**  
10:00 am Mindfulness Group
- 15 TUESDAY**  
6:00 pm Sisterhood Board Meeting\*\*
- 17 THURSDAY**  
6:00 pm Board Orientation\*\*  
6:30 pm Board Meeting\*\*
- 18 FRIDAY**  
4:00 pm Temple Cinema Club  
6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*
- 19 SATURDAY**  
9:00 am Torah Study\*  
10:30 am Shabbat Service\*
- 20 SUNDAY**  
5:00 pm Pool Party @ JCC
- 21 MONDAY**  
12:00 pm F&D Meeting
- 22 TUESDAY**  
10:30 am Quilting
- 25 FRIDAY**  
6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*
- 26 SATURDAY**  
9:00 am Torah Study\*  
10:30 am Shabbat Service\*
- 28 MONDAY**  
10:00 am Soup Kitchen

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\*virtual only

\*\*hybrid (in person and virtual)

## JULY BIRTHDAYS

- July 1**  
Kadin Terra Benjamin  
Marsha Hirschler  
Linda Laibstein
- July 2**  
Danielle Campion  
Fredric Fink  
Tyler R. Jacobson  
Bessie Rose Miller
- July 3**  
Roy Beskin  
Seth Gilbert  
Shirley Schulwolf Hainer  
Robert Kline
- July 4**  
Marilyn Allison  
Samuel Bartel  
Billy Comess  
Ragan Freeman  
Helen Margolius  
Marcia Moss  
George Rowland
- July 5**  
Hilary Benas  
Brandon Howe  
Mack Phillip Kline  
George Metzger  
Douglas Snyder, M.D.  
Steven Waranch  
Gerald Zeno
- July 6**  
Deni Budman  
Joseph Detrick  
Jonathan Harris  
Barry Kayer  
Rachel Lauren Sachs  
Joshua Sementelli  
Ethan Sementelli  
William Troutman
- July 7**  
Rochelle Aviv  
Robert Corcoran  
James Guggenheim Jr.  
Allen Laraf  
Hannah Mancoll  
Marty Moody
- July 8**  
Mia Achitov  
Hannah Cayem  
Josh Hobbs  
Heather Keller-Umberger  
Bradley Rosenberg  
Noah Weiner
- July 9**  
Campbell Fox  
Rachel Julius  
Richard Roper
- July 10**  
Dara Alper  
Robert Branham  
Joel Cohn  
Oliver Mills
- Barbara Pributsky  
Yaara Schulman  
Ilana Schulman
- July 11**  
Eileen Gaba  
Cathi Laderberg  
Joshua Sisler  
Molly Weiner
- July 12**  
Lynnda Brotman  
Lisa Cardona  
Matthew Epps  
Shayna Horwitz  
Dale Jacobs  
Marc Paster  
Gilbert Schmidt, Jr.  
John Williamson
- July 13**  
Suzanne Feldman
- July 14**  
Lilyana Fischer  
Joanne Goldstein  
Suzanne Gruelle  
Bryan Hooks
- July 15**  
Blair Belkin  
Marla Blume  
Nina Kruger  
Nikki Thornton
- July 16**  
Maria Catano-Martinez  
Sharon Cohen
- July 17**  
Brianna Corcoran  
Stuart Katz  
Miles Morrisette  
Cathy Romash  
Mimi Stein  
Ruth F. Tavss  
Sylvia Turner-Yanofsky
- July 18**  
Joseph Hooks  
Mia Johndrow
- July 20**  
David Aikman  
Mona Flax  
Margaret Sawyer
- July 21**  
Leslie Brownstein  
Delores Fox  
Nathan Jaffe  
Layla Metzger  
David Tarasiuk  
David Titus
- July 22**  
Matthew Adelman  
Jenna Aiken-Ritzmann  
Marilyn Buxbaum  
Beth Campion  
Michael Konikoff
- Roberto Luna  
Robert Pariser
- July 23**  
Johnny Atfel  
Edwin Salomonsky  
Abigail Trussell  
Nancy Wall
- July 24**  
Matthew D Cooper  
Matthew Freeman  
David Javinsky  
Bruce Longman  
Cara Novick  
Steven Taubman
- July 25**  
Sonia Auxier  
Riley Benjamin  
Suzanne Freeman  
Nancy Friedman  
Gail Salzberg  
Debi Stadlin
- July 26**  
James Belote  
Rebecca Cohen  
William Patterson Einhorn  
Shane Lefkowitz
- July 27**  
Traci Corcoran  
Cheryl Frasca  
Jennifer Ann Miller
- July 28**  
Sharon Hurwitz  
Jay Legum  
Bonnie Sampson  
Rose Steingold  
Eric Unger
- July 29**  
Paula Blachman  
Eric Freeman  
Bill Nusbaum
- July 30**  
William Coley  
Shari Kletz  
Joashua Schulman  
Sandra Glasser Tavss
- July 31**  
Beau Allegood  
Matthew Fischl  
Isabella Goldstein  
Patricia Kayer  
Ralph Rabinowitz  
Albert Solomon



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## Saturday, July 12 • 9:00 am



# AUGUST CALENDAR & BIRTHDAYS

## AUGUST EVENTS

- 1 FRIDAY**  
6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*  
7:30 pm Judaica Shop Open
- 2 SATURDAY**  
9:00 am Torah Study\*  
10:30 am Shabbat Service\*\*
- 4 MONDAY**  
12:00 pm House Meeting\*\*
- 6 WEDNESDAY**  
6:00 pm Men's Club Meeting\*
- 7 THURSDAY**  
5:00 pm Executive Committee Meeting\*\*
- 8 FRIDAY**  
6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*
- 9 SATURDAY**  
9:00 am Torah Study\*  
10:30 am Shabbat Service\*
- 10 SUNDAY**  
10:00 am Mindfulness Group
- 12 TUESDAY**  
10:30 am Quilting
- 15 FRIDAY**  
9:00 am Rummage Sale  
6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*
- 16 SATURDAY**  
9:00 am Torah Study\*  
10:30 am Shabbat Service\*
- 17 SUNDAY**  
9:00 am Rummage Sale
- 19 TUESDAY**  
6:00 pm Sisterhood Board Meeting\*\*
- 21 THURSDAY**  
6:00 pm Board Finance Orientation  
6:30 pm Board Meeting\*\*
- 22 FRIDAY**  
6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*
- 23 SATURDAY**  
9:00 am Torah Study\*  
10:30 am Shabbat Service\*  
5:00 pm Back to Shul
- 24 SUNDAY**  
9:00 am Teacher Orientation
- 25 MONDAY**  
10:00 am Soup Kitchen
- 26 TUESDAY**  
10:30 am Quilting  
6:30 pm Book Club
- 29 FRIDAY**  
6:30 pm Shabbat Service\*\*
- 30 SATURDAY**  
9:00 am Torah Study\*  
10:30 am Shabbat Service | Bat Mitzvah of Layla Metzger\*\*

Archive Volunteers meet  
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10:00am



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## AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

- August 1**  
Michele Brooke-Newbill  
Susan Cohen  
Savannah Marie Doughtie  
Henry Freeman  
Bryn Galumbeck  
Hallie Karangelen  
Steven Kayer  
Jacob Strelitz
- August 2**  
Joseph Hearst  
Reese Longwater  
Joseph Steingold  
Terry Waitzer
- August 3**  
Andrew King  
Claire Legum  
Brian Staub
- August 4**  
Dylan Cohen  
Lorraine Fink  
Louise Friedman  
Norma Stark
- August 5**  
Ira Brotman  
Bradley Friedman  
Alan Ganderson  
Hannah Levitt  
Matthew Mancoll  
Darren Robertson  
Phillip Shanker
- August 6**  
Aubrie Bryant  
Laura Frieden  
Blake Laibstain  
River Southern
- August 7**  
Isobel Bartel  
Ethan Wohlgemuth  
Connor Wohlgemuth
- August 8**  
Jacob Bartel  
Philip Helman  
Nevin Krutoy  
Eden Panchana  
Leigh Squires  
Eddie Waitzer
- August 9**  
Peter Salmaier  
Daniel Seals  
Callah Terkeltaub  
Riley Williamson
- August 10**  
Robert Blondin  
Janet Hill  
Sacha Konikoff  
Alva Scott
- August 12**  
Darin Bazar  
Robin Golding  
Miriam Murri
- August 13**  
Wendy Anderson  
Benjamin Cohen  
Tia Edinger  
Erin Pincus  
Susan Quate
- August 14**  
Heather Barnes  
Kira Rose Barnes-Pollack  
Allan Brum  
Susan Einhorn  
Drew Kee  
Anna-Britta Pincus  
Ruth Schepper  
Merrily Sheppard  
Paul Woodson
- August 15**  
Celia Friedman  
Caryn Hollander  
Elaine Luria
- August 16**  
Michael Blachman  
Linda Fox-Jarvis  
Michelle Goodove  
Julian Hillebrandt  
Charles Lisner  
Becky Rapoport  
Tim Reilly  
Saul Unger
- August 17**  
Connie Spruill Adelman  
Ron Alper  
Martha Katz  
Robert Malkin  
Neal Novotny  
Harriet T. Siff
- August 18**  
Gabrielle Jordan  
Goodove  
William Helfen  
Marion Lidman  
Miriam (Mimi) Nicholson  
Erica Dean Perlman
- August 19**  
Aubrey Council  
Allan Donn
- August 20**  
Steve Budman  
Lynn Evans  
Isabella Gerald  
Eunice Kozak  
Liam Kruger  
Caroline Werner
- August 21**  
Genna Alperin  
Jacob Goldstein
- August 22**  
Isaac Hale  
Lisa Joy Lefkowitz  
Susan Nordlinger
- August 24**  
Isaac Moskowitz  
Scott Sward  
Alice Werner
- August 25**  
Mitchell Fine  
Aimee Smith  
Leo Winters  
Elijah Zelonky
- August 26**  
Ellie M. Cesario  
Rebecca Doughtie  
Kathryn Fink  
Jack Frieden  
Tara L. Friedman  
Joy Friedman  
Lillian Moore  
Nyla Muhlendorf  
Carol M. Sherman  
Eliot Weinstein
- August 27**  
Lawrence Adler  
Mara Bates  
Robert Fiedler
- August 28**  
Dan Cohen  
Benjamin Hollander  
Nancy Sacks Jacobson  
Debra Ellen Kaplan  
Denise Keeley  
Harriet Meier
- August 29**  
Joslyn Stein
- August 30**  
Audrey Gutterman  
Karen Plotnick  
Michael Shroyer  
Julia Steinway  
Kathryn Wolf
- August 31**  
Heather Cohen  
Elizabeth Cooper  
Max Dreyfus  
Maya Fine  
Matthew Winters  
Jay Zimmerman

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