



## There's a Fiddler on Your Roof *from Beata Abraham*



***"To match couples together is as difficult as the splitting of the sea," states the Talmud (or in a more modern analogy, as difficult as finding a parking spot in Midtown Manhattan).***

How delightful to be surrounded by all things red, pink, and heart-shaped during the month of February in America! Whether this month is a reminder to make a loved one feel special, or a reason to gorge on heart-shaped chocolates, it is also a perfect time to reflect upon the rich history of the ancient art of Jewish matchmaking,

The very first matchmaking attempts appear in *Beresheit*, in the form of an anxious father.

Avraham, who realizes that his son, Isaac, has yet to be galvanized by God's directive to "Be fruitful, multiply, and fill the earth." As any

doting father of a 40-year-old bachelor son, Avraham takes matters into his own hands. He designates his servant Eliezer as the *shadchan* for Isaac and sends Eliezer to *Haran* to find Isaac a wife to prevent him from marrying any of the local Canaanite girls. Eliezer creates a kindness test, which Isaac's future bride, Rebecca, passes with flying colors. Her brother, Lavan, dazzled by Eliezer's wealth, understands what a catch the eligible bachelor Isaac is and invites the servant back to their tent to seal the deal. The rest is history – *literally*. Isaac and Rebecca's offspring are Jacob and Esau, the progenitors of two powerful nations that still

***'Keep in mind that you only need one successful union to earn the right to "naming privileges" of the offspring...'***

exist today, making this a glorious matchmaking success story.

The long-practiced art of matchmaking is an ancient tradition, central to Jewish culture, and as old as Judaism itself. In Hebrew making a match is referred to as a *shidduch* and is considered a mitzvah. Traditionally, any member of the community could (and enthusiastically would) try their hand at matchmaking, thus becoming a matchmaker or *shadchan*. Often, when the amateur matchmakers (mothers, family members, friends, etc.) failed to succeed, a professional *shadchan* would be hired.

"Even the worst of husbands is better than no husband at all," advises a well-intentioned Yente, the old matchmaker in *Fiddler on the Roof*. And while she would be unlikely to get many clients with this attitude in today's post-shtetl world, Jewish matchmaking continued to flourish in the shtetls of Europe. At a time when

contacts between young Jewish boys and girls were restricted, if not forbidden, community involvement ensured that every Jewish single of marriageable age

would find a mate so that the community would survive and eventually grow. Making successful matches was a daunting and consequential undertaking, with the goal of compatibility often trumping our contemporary concept of love.

Alas, even modern ingenuity has failed to effectively solve the conundrum of how to get amazing people together with other amazing people, to make more amazing people, or to simply to go through life's tumultuous journey together. Global access has made it possible to look for a partner with the touch of a finger, generating more choices *(continued on next page)*

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than our ancestors ever dreamed possible. Yet, for many, finding the right partner continues to remain elusive, occasionally frustrating, and often no less complicated than (as the Talmud perfectly puts it) the splitting of the Red Sea.

For those of us (myself included) who can't resist the urge to match others and remain undaunted by our dismal track record of successful matches, take heart. You are participating in a timeless tradition, and even an actual mitzvah. Keep in mind that you only need one successful union to earn the right to "naming privileges" of the offspring from your successful matchmaking efforts (it's the very least that the grateful parents can do, don't you agree?).

And for those still seeking their match, perhaps it is best to swipe a lesson from the Israelites as they fled Egypt. Unable to advance

with the daunting, seemingly impassable sea before them, yet also unable to retreat with the Egyptians in hot pursuit from behind, they cried out to God in despair "What are we supposed to do now?" and God answered, "Why are you complaining to me? Get in the water, go forward!" So they did. They waded into the sea, and the waters parted before them to create a path. In taking this leap of faith, they changed not only their own destiny, but that of the Jewish people. Luckily, your stakes are not quite this high, but taking a leap of faith is often the best, and even the only way to go forward.

And of course, remember that those heart-shaped boxes of chocolates go on sale February 15. Because self-care through chocolate is also an ancient Jewish tradition.

## Sisterhood Members and Programs Going Strong!

How are you all doing with the New Year's resolutions you set up in January? If one of them was to be an active member of CBINT, then you were able to check that off your list with your annual membership to Sisterhood! Thank you to our new and returning members who have sent in their membership dues! Your support is what keeps our Sisterhood strong. With your support we continue to be a reliable and constant resource for CBINT.

Last month we had our first General Meeting and Program of the year. Thank you to those who attended. Many members showed interest in participating in Sisterhood volunteer opportunities.

We hope to see you all at the upcoming Shabbaton on February 10 – 12. It promises to be a meaningful and fun weekend! Sisterhood is so proud to have contributed to this CBINT community-building event.

Please Save-the-Date for Sisterhood's Scholar in Residence Shabbat scheduled on March 18 and 19. Debbie Intravaia, chairperson, promises an excellent weekend for the upcoming spring event. This year's Scholar in Residence features accomplished women

who grew up at our *kehilla* and are now leaders in the greater Jewish community.

Join

us **Saturday, March 18**, to hear Samantha (Bass) Abramson, Executive Director of HERC, speak from the bima, followed by a Sisterhood-sponsored Kiddush. **Sunday, March 19**, following minyan, we will have breakfast and a program led by Deb Carneol Fendrich, Director of Women's Philanthropy – Milwaukee Jewish Federation. Please join us for an interesting weekend!

Be on the lookout for another joint program with the Men's Club in the works this spring. More *kehilla* building, one fun event at a time!

Is one of your resolutions to make this a great year with Sisterhood? Step right up, you're here!

Barb Tenin and Armona Nadler-Strick



## Why You (Yes, YOU) Should Learn to Read Torah *from Hazzan Stein*



When I studied the art of reading Torah in Cantorial School, my instructor, Dr. Joshua Jacobson, made it his charge to train expert Torah readers, precise in music, phrasing, and diction, with a keen understanding of and care for the

finest details. And in his mind, expert Torah readers also meant being expert Torah reading *teachers*, taking his methods and helping others develop the skill of this centuries-old art form.

And, as you may know, I've taken this charge both seriously and joyously. It's such a pleasure for me to work with Torah readers, whether they are starting from scratch, returning to an old skill, or looking to fine-tune their proficiency. I have methods that I have developed over the years and enjoy tailoring them to each individual student's capability and learning style.

Much of my teaching is one on one, but by popular demand, I am starting a beginners Torah reading class this month. Starting on

February 9, we will meet Thursday mornings right after Minyan (about 8:15 a.m.) and begin this journey together. I have a few people already signed up, but I think you, (yes YOU) should come too. And here's a few reasons why:

1. Connect and engage with the Torah, the quintessential sacred text of the Jewish people, and connect with generations of Jews who have told the story of our people with this musical tradition.
2. Learning to read Torah makes the Torah Service more engaging even when you are not one of the readers that week because you can understand and better appreciate what you are hearing and seeing.
3. It feels really good to learn a new skill.
4. It's fun to learn with other people :-)
5. And last but not least: **You CAN do it!**

Please consider joining the current crop of intrepid Torah reading students as we begin the journey together. If you would like more information about the classes and what's involved, just let me know. I look forward to learning with you.



# Winter Vibes III

Sunday, February 26, 4pm

**Hazzan Jeremy Stein and Mitch Shiner play jazz impressions on Disney favorites**

**Hot Cocoa and other winter treats served**

**In Person & Streaming**  
[cbintmilwaukee.org/stream](https://cbintmilwaukee.org/stream)

**Congregation Beth Israel Ner Tamid**  
6880 N. Green Bay Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53209



**FREE | For more information, call the CBINT office: 414.352.7310**

# PLEASE JOIN US FOR SHABBAT SERVICES T'FILLAH, TALMUD TORAH, AND TOUCHDOWNS!



## SUPER BOWL KIDDUSH

**February 4, 2023**

- Hot Dog Bar
- Chili Bar
- Potato Salad
- Cole Slaw
- Chips, Veggies and Dip
- Cup Cakes

### **Marge's Mitzvah Knitters Winter/Spring Schedule**

CBINT Marge's Mitzvah Knitters continue to knit, creating much-needed winter weather accessories. Enter through the East (main) door to Siegel Hall.


Yarn and needles are available at CBINT or bring your own. Questions? Contact Ellen Goldstein, 414-861-6734.

**Please join us on the following Sundays from 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.:**

- February 5 and 26
- March 5 and 12
- April 16 and 30
- May 7







# King David:

## Still Swooning After 3,000 Years

A Study of the Book of Samuel with Rabbi Alter

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### **SECOND SESSION ADDED!**

### **NEW STUDENTS WELCOME TO JOIN!**

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Rabbi Alter's course on the Book of Samuel has been extended! Learn the great Book of Samuel with Rabbi Alter, where Eli, Hannah, Samuel, Saul, David and more shine while they challenge and confound us in the Torah's brilliant telling.

We'll read in English while accessing the Hebrew text.  
No Hebrew required.

**Class starts Tuesday, Feb. 14 at 7-8:15pm and will meet for 10 weeks. You may join classes in-person or on Zoom at [CBINTMilwaukee.org/stream](https://CBINTMilwaukee.org/stream)**

#### **Materials:**

Please purchase either Robert Alter's *The David Story* or the JPS Tanakh (Hebrew-English, Student Edition), both available on Amazon. You may purchase both if you wish.

**CBINT members - FREE**  
**Non-members - \$50**

To register, contact Allie:  
**[allieb@cbintmilwaukee.org](mailto:allieb@cbintmilwaukee.org)**  
**414-352-7310, Ext. 104**  
or use the link on our website.



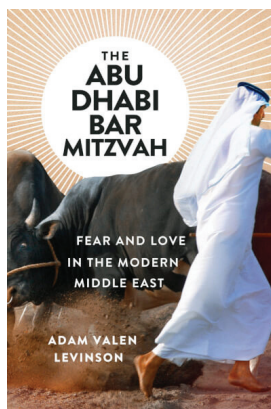
## Greetings from CBINT's Shul School!



Enrollment for Shul School 2023-24 opening soon!  
Please visit our [CBINTMilwaukee.org/learn/shulschool](https://CBINTMilwaukee.org/learn/shulschool) for more information.

## Book Club Meets February 20

On Monday, February 20, 1 p.m., the CBINT Book Discussion group will discuss *The Abu Dhabi Bar Mitzvah* by Adam Valen Levinson. We welcome new members to join our discussion in CBINT's promenade! Please contact Bobby Miller for details, [tangotoes0527@aol.com](mailto:tangotoes0527@aol.com)



## Mah Jong Dates Added!

You've asked, we've heard you!  
Mah Jong is expanding to twice a week!

### Upcoming Schedule:

- February 1 & 15
- March 1 & 15
- April 19
- May 3 & 17

12:30-2:30 p.m. in the  
CBINT Promenade.



## SAC Winter Activities Are Heating Up!

There is no downtime for the Social Action Committee members involved in activities related to Mishloach Manot planning, Green Team's continued activities, and Marge's Mitzvah Knitters!

The Green Team is looking for interested members to assist them with their planting activities for early spring. There is a lot of planning to take care of before the planting occurs. Please let Karen Rachum, Dan Weber, or Diana Kahn know if you are interested in being part of this lively and busy group!

Marge's Mitzvah Knitters are still knitting – and working to keep others in need WARM! Their ongoing commitment to helping others is inspirational. If you are interested in joining them, contact Sarie Shainock.

The Mishloach Manot committee is very busy working on 'how to wow' and engage our

synagogue community at Purim. The festivities will begin on Monday (erev), March 6, with the Megillah reading. The wearing of costumes by children and adults is encouraged. On Tuesday, March 7, Social Action will have our first Purim *Seudah*. A delicious Persian meal will be served. Details will follow soon. It's a wonderful way to celebrate Purim as a congregational family!

We received thank you letters from Pathfinders for our \$360 contribution to their organization and a thank you from St. Vincent de Paul for our \$200 donation. Their letters are heartfelt and provide insight on how important these donations from SAC are to those they serve! THANK YOU for your continued support of our efforts to provide these funds!

Barbara Simon and Beth Peterman

## Anita Bensman's Famous Hamantaschen Recipe

### Single recipe

1 cup margarine  
2 eggs  
1 ½ cups sugar  
4 cups flour  
2 ½ teaspoons baking powder  
2 tablespoons orange juice  
1 ½ teaspoons vanilla  
½ teaspoon salt

### Quadruple recipe

4 cups margarine  
8 eggs  
6 cups sugar  
14 cups flour  
3 tablespoons & 1 teaspoon  
baking powder  
½ cup orange juice  
2 tablespoons vanilla  
2 teaspoons salt

1. Mix wet ingredients.
2. Add dry ingredients.
3. Chill in fridge for at least 2 hours.
4. Place dough on a floured surface.
5. Roll the dough to a ¼ inch thickness.
6. Use your favorite glass top or utensil to cut out a 3 inch circle.
7. Place dough circles 2 inches apart on a greased or parchment lined cookie sheet.
8. Fill with your favorite filling (approximately ½ teaspoon).
9. Pinch edges to create the hamantaschen.
10. Bake, eat, and enjoy!

Personal Oven: 375 degrees, bake approximately 9 minutes.

Commercial Convection Oven: 375 degrees, bake approximately 6 min 10 sec.





## Yahrzeits for January beginning on the evening prior to:

### February 1

Regina Krasno  
Jodi Look  
Sharon Kaiser Nashban  
Abraham Sager  
Benjamin (Ben) Gindlin  
Paul Kuritz  
Eta Sarah Ruderman  
Ida Hirschberg  
Rose Kellman  
Dorothy Loeb Ganz  
Edith M. Rothschild

### February 2

Victor Goodstein  
Fanny Jacobs  
Sam Hersh  
Philip Lewis Rosenfeld  
Irene Sattler  
William Rudman  
Michael Schuster  
Ruth Beder  
Reva Schlonsky

### February 3

Earl Friedland  
Irving Gutt  
Evelyn London  
David D. Selby  
Joseph J. Wolfe  
Harry Steinberger  
Max M. Meisel  
Abraham R. Dubin  
Chaim Siegel  
Leo Ruben Silbar  
Edward Mason  
Lola Lemel Weinrauch

### February 4

A.C. Gelin  
Esther Hettman  
Louis Liebenberg  
Harold Isaacson  
Cpl. Solomon S. Doren  
Bertha Shapiro  
Dave Sweet  
Yetta Slafer  
Lillian Rakita  
Milton Shapson

### February 5

Alvin Berlin  
Morris Cohen  
Libby Forman  
Albert Ginsburg  
Philip Jacob  
Sam Polonsky  
Mary Zubatsky  
Joseph Zembrosky  
Ida Zimmerman  
Louis Hammes

### February 6

Harry R. Ausman  
Rose Ottenstein  
Marian M. Wallens  
Dr. Joseph Weber  
Lena Dwoskin  
Adele Koven  
Mollie Levenson

### February 7

Betty Aizicovici  
Norman Burstein  
Esther Kernis  
Esther Luban  
Isadore Weiner  
Melroe Liebenberg  
Sophie Cohen  
Ernest Keene  
Jerome Litow  
Saralee Gutkin-Begun

### February 8

Samuel Paul Fishman  
Simon Hoffman  
Hannah Jacobson  
Anita Trapedo  
Jacob Youdovitz

Sadie Reitman  
Morris L. Folberg  
Jack Wein  
Joe Silver  
Bessie Albert  
Anna Rubin  
Basil Gilbert  
Elaine Durchslag

### February 9

Shirley Askot  
Bessie Brier  
Nathan Kessler  
Sarah Wedren Kessler  
Jack Kupersmith  
Lina Weiss  
Arnold Wine  
Samuel Zaichick  
Jennie Dubin  
Anna Liess  
Frances Pittelman  
Jeanette Spiegel  
Albert Rosen  
Lothar Lehman

### February 10

Helena Frydman  
Douglas Granof  
Benjamin Keith  
Morris Malkin  
Maurice Maness  
Alfred Spitzer  
Sam S. Stall  
Ethel Stein  
Leonard Kleiner  
Marvin Marcus  
William Abramson  
Lea Matz  
Ben Kellman  
Rony Klein  
Albert Rosen  
Allen Blumenfeld  
Molly Sanchick

### February 11

Sam Bass  
Albert Gosman  
Julius Lichterman  
Meyer Sussman  
Isaac Zubrensky  
David Golper  
Deborah Welitzkin  
Robert Peterman  
Marcia Kleiner  
Kenneth Berke

### February 12

Carla Roberta Brillman  
Alfred Ginsberg  
Katie Glicksman  
Samuel Lande  
Molly Levy  
Saul B. Schiewitz  
Lea Perl  
Edward Plotkin  
Becky Solocheck  
Donald Taitelman  
Dr Aaron Bodner

### February 13

Tillie Holzman  
Rivka Kleiner  
Jack Kobrick  
Mary Orenstein  
Sari Riva Kramsky  
Ida Schwid  
Sidney David Markman  
Tillie Holzman  
Freida Montag  
Ida Rosengarten  
Nathan Orlofsky

### February 14

Sylvia Glazer  
Eva Glicksman  
Mary Kaufman  
Ida Zbar  
Judge James Shapiro

### February 15

Stuart Ira Altshuler  
Nathan Tragash  
David Zeiger  
Rebecca Horwitt  
Marcus Wohlfeiler  
Felix Sattler  
Eldred Fishbein

### February 16

M. Cohen  
Devorah Pe'er-Iamo  
David Shapiro  
Ida L. Wallens  
Belle Sweet

### February 17

Sol Cutler  
Nathan Rellis  
Gussie Golden  
Friedel Isaac  
Dr. Milton Alter

### February 18

Jeanette Arieff  
David Gendelman  
Marvin A. Miller  
Ned Alpert  
Carl Blum  
Mary Frindell  
Joseph Goldberg  
Abraham Goldfish  
Harry E. Jacobs  
Lawrence Ellner  
Bernard Segall  
Gertrude Weinberg  
Gertrude Reuben  
Maureen Eichenbaum

### February 19

Jack Bylan  
Morris D. Jacobson  
Henry Kuritz  
Leah Lowe  
Moshe Sanchick  
Libby Chitlik  
Lena Daniels  
Elizabeth Kendall  
Janet Yailen

### February 20

Louis Glotzer  
Joseph David  
Rebeka Oren  
Margaret Swerdlow  
Peter Kimmel  
Sally Rosman  
Reuben Kosberg  
Flora Fox  
Sara Kracower

### February 21

Jennie Bernstein  
Aron Fink  
Esther Ethel Forbes  
Rachel Hershstein  
Abe Zembrosky  
Bea Ruderman  
Abraham Assovsky  
Louis Rotter  
Nathan David Garfinkel  
Maurice Schmidt  
Ruth Benjamin

### February 22

Samuel Benner  
Morris Bernstein  
Nathan Holland  
Dorothy Kaiser  
Louis Shuger  
Sarah Robinson  
Elizabeth Fisher  
Nathan Frankel  
Abe Golden  
Jacob Miller  
Jennie Levitz  
Declan Meltzer  
Grace Friesler  
Shirley Nankin Cohan

### February 23

Morris Altshull  
Rose Katz  
Esther Kreindler  
Jack Lightstone  
Beatrice Miller  
Yaakov Raffé  
Barney Golper  
Toba Levin  
Selma Seligmann  
Audrey Simon  
Sophie Kimmel  
Morton Abt  
Sylvia Siegman  
Mark Treager

### February 24

Jean Biller  
Anna Fishman  
Beatrice Holzman  
Rose Kaufman  
J.E. Krasno  
Gussie Peckerman  
Alan I. Roth  
David Watt  
Frank Cicerilli  
Esther Emily Cooks  
Sarah Dreen  
Fannie Einfrank  
Abraham Wiletsky  
Lesa Woloszyn  
Hermine Kalter  
Mollie Crane  
Julius Gollup  
Arnold Polisky

### February 25

Nancy Dubin  
Shirley Dubin  
Julian David Galst  
Leon Pelc  
Harold Weber  
Avrum Yakov Copel  
Sadie Jampole  
Barney M. Mendelsohn  
Isaac Rokni  
Irving Kahn

### February 26

Irving Hansher  
Joseph Miller  
Jack Pollack  
Julian Lichtig  
Tevel Ruderman  
Michael Kleiner  
Shirley Wagan  
Leonard Loeb  
Joseph Peterman

### February 27

A. Joseph Cooper  
Frederic W. Goodman  
Ervin Holzman  
Alex Horn  
Harry Kaiser  
Regine Perri Klein  
Charles I. Lubotsky  
David Mendelson  
William Neufeld  
Joseph Cohen  
Paul Chase  
Sally Himes  
Dr. Alan Shlimovitz

### February 28

Nathan Jacob  
Dora Ptashkin  
Rose Sattler  
Howard Wasserlau  
Morris Wiviott  
Michael Schalk  
Jennie Wiletsky  
Fannie Willis  
Emil Seligmann  
Bertha Mazer  
Jerome Kruger



# We Celebrate February's Member Birthdays!



Please find the complete list of this month's birthdays on our website:

[CBINTMilwaukee.org/celebrate/birthdays](http://CBINTMilwaukee.org/celebrate/birthdays)



## Contributions

### ***In Honor of Rabbi Alter's Doctor of Divinity Degree General Fund***

Marilee and Eugene Bass  
Nancy Thomadsen  
Eric Bloch  
Beverly and David Gruber  
Sheila and Hy Eglash  
Aura Hirschman  
Susan Getz  
Elaine Nelles  
Bobbie Fishman  
Flora Abramson  
Marshall Forbes  
Rita and Alan Marcuvitz  
Eileen and Glenn Graves  
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Beth Peterman  
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Dee Dee and Rodney Ugent  
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Cindy Cooper  
Esther and Bud Siegel  
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***In Honor of the Anniversary of  
Jay Miller's Bar Mitzvah  
Rabbi's Discretionary Fund***  
Karen and Mark Bernstein  
**General Fund**  
Margie and Martin Stein  
**Religious School Fund**  
Beth Peterman  
**Merry Atinsky Kiddush Fund**  
Judy and Bud Margolis

***In Honor of George Strick's Birthday  
Merry Atinsky Kiddush Fund***  
Greg Strick and Armona Nadler-Strick  
Bea and George Strick

***In Honor of Shira Strick  
Merry Atinsky Kiddush Fund***  
Greg Strick and Armona Nadler-Strick

***In Honor of the birth of Lily Iris Minter  
General Fund***  
Beverly and David Gruber

***In Honor of the birth of  
Ayla Miriam Landan  
General Fund***  
Beverly and David Gruber

***In Honor of the birth of  
Simon Joseph Janotta  
Social Action Committee***  
Barbara and Al Simon

***In Honor of Howard Moeckler's  
95th Birthday  
Social Action Committee***  
Barbara and Al Simon

***In Honor of Beverly and Howard  
Moeckler's 73rd Anniversary  
Social Action Committee***  
Barbara and Al Simon

***In Appreciation of Kelly Schuster  
Merry Atinsky Kiddush Fund***  
Bobbie Fishman  
Marshall Forbes

***In Appreciation of Rabbi Alter  
Rabbi's Discretionary Fund***  
Linda Brodsky

***In Appreciation for the Tuesday  
Morning Minyan and Breakfast  
Merry Atinsky Kiddush Fund***  
Deanna Spanjar

***In Appreciation  
Hazzan Discretionary Fund***  
Elaine and Jim Sweet  
**General Fund**  
Ronna Bromberg Pachefsky

***In Memory of William Appel  
General Fund***  
Margie and Martin Stein  
Harlene Levin  
**Merry Atinsky Kiddush Fund**  
Judy and Bud Margolis  
Judy Glotzer  
**Youth Scholarship Endowment Fund**  
Arlene and Howard Rubin  
**Passport to Israel**  
Rena and Fred Safer  
**Shirley Bass Floral Fund**  
Marilee and Eugene Bass

***In Memory of Morton Levin  
Colton Education Endowment Fund***  
Marshall Forbes

***In Memory of Joan Dorothea  
Ruppenthal  
Hazzan's Discretionary Fund***  
Barbara and Al Simon  
Nancy Thomadsen  
Dee Dee and Rodney Ugent  
Cindy Cooper  
Beth Peterman  
Annette Rosen and Family  
Nancy and David Rosen  
Marcia Schuster  
**Jacobson Chapel Fund**  
Joan and Bob Klein  
**Shirley Bass Floral Fund**  
Marilee and Eugene Bass

***In Memory of Judy Bloch  
Cemetery Fund***  
Lorie and Steve Wertheimer

***In Memory of June and William  
Sherkow  
William and June Sherkow  
Endowment Fund***  
Elaine and Jim Sweet

***In Memory of Rosilyn Koritzinsky  
General Fund***  
Belle Weinstein  
**Merry Atinsky Kiddush Fund**  
Lorie and Steve Wertheimer

***In Memory of Judy Margolis' Brother  
Youth Scholarship Endowment Fund***  
Bobby and Jay Miller

***In Memory of Barbara Bosley  
Youth Scholarship Endowment Fund***  
Bobby and Jay Miller

***In Memory of Michael Schuster  
Merry Atinsky Kiddush Fund***  
Barbara Maas

***In Memory of Annabelle Wasser  
General Fund***  
Bettine and Dan Lipman

***In Memory of Dr. David Lubar's Father  
Marilyn Zetley Children's Library Fund***  
Joan Luck

## Our congregation mourns the passing of:

### William Appel

Billy was the husband of **Elaine Appel**, father of Bob (Sydney Recht), Dan (Amy Halbrook), and Nancy (Tim Loduha) Appel; grandfather of Gabriel, Eli, and Ruby Recht-Appel, Manny Appel, and Sadie and Louis Loduha; brother of Larry (Sheila) and Steven (Joy) Appel, Arlene Devorkin, and the late Judith Kalb; brother-in-law of Sandy Katz, **Bonnie** (Richard Pozorski) **Rappaport**, and the late Donald Rappaport. He is also survived by many loving relatives and friends.

### Ethel Ertis

Ethel was the mother of **Michael (Diana Kahn) Ertis** and Rachel (the late Itzhak) Lerner. Ethel was grandmother to eight and great-grandmother to 28. She was preceded in death by her husband, Irving Ertis, and also a life partner, Irving Gross. She is further survived by other loving relatives and friends.

# T.G.I.S. THANK GOD IT'S SHABBAT! It's back!

Spend Shabbat afternoon with your CBINT community!

- Board Games\*
- Singing
- Gaga
- Reading nook
- Mahjong
- Snacks :)

**FEBRUARY 18  
RIGHT AFTER KIDDUSH LUNCH**

**6880 N GREEN BAY AVE, MILWAUKEE, WI 53209**

\*Please bring Shabbat appropriate board games to share!

## CBINT Adult Programming

For more information about adult programs and educational opportunities, such as the **CBINT Book Club**, **Marge's Mitzvah Knitters**, and **Mah Jong**, please go to our website:

**<https://www.cbintmilwaukee.org/connect/adult-programming/>**



## CBINT Funds

**Alan & Rita Marcuvitz Education Endowment Fund** – Funds to be used for adult, youth, and family education.

**Balkansky Fund** – Provides scholarships for Camp Ramah.

**Beth Hearst Fund (Formerly Passport to Israel)** – Provides funds for current youth and educational programs.

**Carl S. and Sandra G. Zetley Generation to Generation Fund** – Provides funds for education and family programming.

**CBINT/Religious School Fund** – Underwrites tuition for children of members attending the CBINT School of Religious Studies.

**Ervin & Suzann Colton Education Endowment Fund** – Provides funds for Scholars in Residence and other speakers.

**Gemilut Hasadim** – Provides funds for Shabbat meals for CBINT families with newborns or families in mourning.

**General Fund** – Provides funds to maintain CBINT.

**Harold M. Kramer Beautification Fund** – Provides funds for beautification projects at CBINT.

**Hazzan's Discretionary Fund** – Fund established for charitable causes.

**Isadore & Sylvia Blankstein Library Fund** – Provides funds for CBINT library acquisitions.

**Jacobson Chapel Fund** – Provides funds for the maintenance of Jacobson Chapel.

**Kenneth Weber Choir Fund** – Fund dedicated to supporting the choir and other musical programs.

**Landscape Fund** – Provides funds for the ongoing enhancement and maintenance of the CBINT grounds.

**Marilyn Zetley Children's Library Fund** – Provides funds for the children's section of the library (books, furniture, etc.)

**Merry Atinsky Kiddish Fund** – Helps CBINT Sisterhood provide kiddish lunches after Shabbat services

**Panitch CBI Family Education Fund** – Assists CBINT families with financial needs who wish to attend family education retreats.

**Pentateuh/Humash Fund** – Provides funds to purchase Pentateuh/Humashim. Books will have a dedication bookplate.

**Prayer Book Fund** – Provides funds to purchase prayer books/siddurim. Books will have a dedication bookplate.

**Rabbi's Discretionary Fund** – Fund established for charitable causes.

**Rabbi Panitch Camp Ramah Scholarship Fund** – Provides scholarships for Camp Ramah.

**Sam & Aidee Cooper Art Fund** – Provides funds to purchase art for CBINT.

**School Fund** – Provides funds for the school and special school projects.

**Senior Activities Fund** – Provides funds for social, spiritual and educational opportunities for mature adults.

**Shirley Bass Floral Fund** – Provides bima flowers for the holidays.

**Sol & Esther Blankstein Scholarship Fund** – Assists high school/college students to pursue Jewish Education.

**Soloman & Yetta Soloff Memorial Adult Education Fund** – Established in the memory of Dr. Soloman & Yetta Soloff. Promotes and supports Adult Education programs.

**Special Scholarship Endowment Fund** – Provides scholarships for Jewish education.

**Stein Mendelson Scholarship Fund** – Provides funds for a Camp Ramah scholarship for one student per summer.

**The Schuster Family Endowment Fund for Second Home Cemetery**

**William & June Sherkow Scholarship Fund** – Provides funds for charitable, educational, or religious purposes.

**Youth Scholarship Endowment Fund (YSEF) (Formerly Youth Education Endowment Fund)** – Provides scholarships for trips to Israel, Jewish overnight camp and advanced Jewish education.

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## Worship & Service Information

### Weekday Services:

7:30 am and 6:00 pm

### Sunday and Civic Holidays:

9:00 am and 6:00 pm

### Shabbat:

9:30 am

Saturday evening services are held weekly on Zoom after sunset. See our website, weekly eblast or contact the office for service times.

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