

# Kehillah Connection

Sept. 2023 • Elul 5783

### Our Responses to Others Nurture Healing from Hazzan Stein



The other day, I told Shai we were going for a walk and asked if he wanted to go in the stroller or the carrier, the handy backpack contraption I've used to carry all three kids over the years. Loud and clear, Shai responded "Carrier!" He then ran to

the backroom closet where we keep the carrier and pointed to it, proving that he wasn't just repeating the last word he heard me say, but really understood me and knew what he was saying when he responded. Another word to add to the list of his verbal vocabulary. I placed Shai into the carrier, hoisted him on my back, and we were on our way.

Along the trail, we came to a creek and Shai called out "Mayim!" (Hebrew for water). Another word.

We then came to a clearing where we had once seen some ducks swimming in the Milwaukee River and Shai said, "Quack, Quack." Is Quack a word? I'll count it. Add it to the list.

As we walked, we passed several wild raspberry bushes. At each one, I picked some, ate a few, and handed one to Shai. After each one I gave him, Shai happily said, "Thank you." He doesn't have all of his consonants down perfectly, so it came out as "Dah-dyoo." But it was clear what he was saying. And so it went each time. A raspberry: "Dah-dyoo." Another raspberry, "Dah-dyoo." Another raspberry, "Dah-dyoo."

The continuous response, combined with the toddler pronunciation, was almost comical. I figured at some point he would stop, but it kept coming. "Dah-dyoo. Dah-dyoo. Dah-dyoo." Why did he keep it up? Had I raised the most polite toddler on the planet? Then I realized that each time he said it, I unconsciously responded with "You're welcome." My positive response, mechanical though sincere, was enough motivation, I imagine, for Shai to offer continued gratitude. Even if he doesn't yet truly understand the concept, he is forming the habit.

It got me thinking, are we more likely to offer thanks to someone if we know that we will receive a "You're welcome" or similar response in return? I imagine so. Conversely, I suspect we would be less likely to thank someone if we anticipated a negative response, or no response at all. And if it's true for thank you and you're welcome, how about for other standard dialogue patterns?

'When we say "I'm sorry," we don't know how the other person will respond.'

With the High Holidays approaching, we put a lot of emphasis on asking forgiveness. For some, it's an easy process. But for many, it's a great

challenge. One of the reasons, I believe, is that when we say "I'm sorry," we don't know how the other person will respond. We hope they will respond with "I forgive you." But we're never sure. They could still be angry. They may doubt the validity of our apology. They may see our apology as a sign of weakness. The point is, we don't know. Their response is out of our control, and that can be discomforting.

But what is in our control, is our response to another person when they say "I'm sorry" to us. When this happens, are we prepared to hear their apology as sincere? And are we prepared to offer a forgiving acknowledgment in response? If the answer is yes, and people have learned to anticipate such a response from us, I believe that people will be more likely

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## Happy Birthday World! Sorry You're On Fire from Beata Abraham

'If you have been following

the whispered guidance of

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to have a word.



Yes, dear world, we know it's your birthday. Please forgive us if we have not done all that we can to honor and cherish you over the past year, in spite of understanding that in order for us to thrive, you must thrive as well. We are not trying to make

excuses, but the responsibility for your welfare can sometimes seem huge and overwhelming, so we need this annual celebration of you turning a year older to remind us that being better humans can make us better stewards. This year our gift to you will be a commitment to improving ourselves, with the understanding that being better will lead to doing better.

"If you want to make the world a better

place, take a look at yourself and then make the change." Michael Jackson, Man in the Mirror.

The season of atonement is right around the corner and that means that things

are getting real. The arrival of the month of Elul brings with it a distinctly different feel to the air around us; a barely perceptible shift in the moral winds. Elul heralds a sharp change in the ethical climate reminding us that it's time to do an internal accounting: Were you impatient? Rushed too quickly to judgment? Forgot to express gratitude to someone who helped you? Or perhaps you remained calm in spite of your frustration? Maybe you even stood up to injustice at great cost to yourself? Now is the time for an unquantifiable reckoning of the soul: a Cheshbon HaNefesh. If you have been following the whispered guidance of your base instincts over the past year, your higher self would now like to have a word.

The anniversary of the creation of humanity, and the birthday of the world is a big deal. And because Rosh HaShana is no exception to the

unofficial rule that every Jewish holiday must contain a sprinkling of existential angst, it is also the kickoff to the Ten Days of Awe, during which we are commanded to be immersed in self reflection, purge ourselves of our transgressions, and commit to doing better in the year to come. Then on Yom Kippur, we fast for 25 hours to ensure our full focus is on atonement so that we pass the audition and secure our spot in the Book of Life. If you are one of the vast majority of humans who was neither a perfect mensch, nor a completely dishonorable rascal, I encourage you to use those ten days of mandated awe wisely.

No one can say we don't know how to make a holiday festive.

Luckily, there is an arsenal of rituals and traditions to use as tools to help us enter the new year as our best possible selves; Tashlich, a symbolic casting off of our sins into cleansing

> running water, the emphatic blast of the shofar, a reminder of mitzvah, the dipping of apples and challah in honey, because even it can still be sweet.

> the power of a wordless though life can be hard,

According to the terrifyingly named book, This is Real and You are Completely Unprepared: The Days of Awe as a Journey of Transformation, by Rabbi Alan Lew (a title which strikes fear in the heart of anyone who likes to always be prepared), "The great journey of transformation begins with the acknowledgment that we need to make it. It is not something we are undertaking for amusement, nor even for the sake of convention; rather, it is a spiritual necessity." In other words, acknowledging the need for action is the first step. Even small changes can have a big impact, if you are consistent. Start with the easy ones and work your way up.

For some, Rosh HaShana will be a reminder that being a Jew means to continuously learn, pray, give thanks, seek meaning, and to strive to do and be better. For others, the portentous Rosh HaShana liturgy,

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to offer an apology, thereby laying the groundwork for more healing and deeper connections in our lives.

Still in his early stages of verbal communication, Shai has become a serial thanker, knowing that he will receive positive feedback from us each time. As the High Holidays approach, can we apply the automatic "Thank you–You're welcome" formula to the process of teshuva, and be ready to grant

forgiveness to those who seek it from us? When we hear the words, "I'm sorry," can we be ready to say the words "I forgive you"? And if so, how would our lives be better?

This Rosh HaShana and Yom Kippur, may you find the courage to offer words of apology to those you wish to make amends with, and may you find the strength to offer forgiveness to those who seek it from you. Shana Tova.

### Happy Birthday World! Sorry You're On Fire from Beata Abraham (continued)

"Who will die by fire, and who by water?" is a dire, literal warning to those who do not take the need for change seriously.

For many it is simply a reason to become reacquainted with our true values, to get in touch with our sense of humanity. It is time to give ourselves a refresher on how to navigate life with the guidance of our very personal moral compass and a reminder of how to live life in the most basic sense, as a Jew. There is no wrong way to do Rosh HaShana, and plenty of room in

Judaism for individual interpretation.

In the words of Rabbi Jonathan Sacks, "Judaism sets the bar high, and though we may fall short time and again, Rosh HaShana and Yom Kippur allow us to begin anew, forgiven, cleansed, undaunted, ready for the next challenge, the next year."

Working on ourselves is the probably best birthday gift the world has ever had, so it's not too early to start thinking about how to top it next year.



CBINT continues our annual tradition of a **Kol Nidre food collection drive** to benefit the communities served by the Jewish Community Pantry of Milwaukee. All food must be non-perishable, in original, sealed packaging. The Pantry has requested a priority collection of the following items:

- Canned Protein: Meat: canned tuna, canned chicken, canned salmon, or similar
- Protein: low/no sodium canned beans (kidney, black, cannellini, black-eyed, chickpeas)
  - Peanut butter: low sodium
    - Rolled oats / oatmeal
  - Whole grains: pasta, barley, brown rice, or wild rice
  - Low-sodium or water-packed canned vegetables
    - Canned fruits in 100% juice or light syrup

Please bring your bagged generous donations as you enter CBINT for Kol Nidre services.

Kosher and non-kosher items are welcome at the Pantry.



# CBINT High Holiday Services at a Glance 2023/5784

# Join in person at CBINT | Join virtually at CBINTMilwaukee.org/stream

Rosh HaShana	Time
Friday, Sept. 15, Erev Rosh HaShana Minha / Ma'ariv Candle Lighting	<b>6:00 PM</b> 6:44 PM
Saturday, Sept. 16, Rosh HaShana Day 1 Morning Services: Shaharit & Musaf Family Service (Adults w/ kids to 10 yrs) Youth Programs (Gr 2-4, Gr 5-7, Gr 8-12)	
<b>Minha only - no communal Ma'ariv</b> Candle Lighting	<b>6:00 PM</b> 7:42 PM
Sunday, Sept. 17, Rosh Hashana Day 2 Shaharit and Musaf Youth Program: Ages 5-9	<b>8:15 AM - 12 PM</b> 10:30 AM - 12 PM
<b>Tashlich at Kletzsch Park Waterfall</b> (Walkers depart CBINT at 3:45)	4:15 PM
<b>Minha - no communal Ma'ariv</b> Havdalah / Yom Tov Ends	<b>6:00 PM</b> 7:40 PM

Yom Kippur	Time *estimated
Sunday, Sept. 24, Kol Nidre	
Minha	6:15 PM
Kol Nidre / Ma'ariv	6:30 PM
Candle Lighting	6:27 PM
Monday, Sept. 25, Yom Kippur	
Morning Services	9 AM - 1 PM
Shaharit	9 AM
Family Service (Adults w/ kids to 10 yrs)	10 AM - 11 AM
Youth Programs (Gr 2-4, Gr 5-7, Gr 8-12)	
*Torah Service	10 AM
*Yizkor	11:15 AM
*Musaf	11:45 AM - 12 PM
Break	
Continuation of Service > Break Fast	
Study Session	3:45 PM
Minha	4:30 PM
*Ne'ilah	6 PM
Havdalah / Break Fast / Ma'ariv	7:26 PM

Sukkot	Time
Friday, Sept. 29, Erev Sukkot Minha / Ma'ariv Candle Lighting	<b>6:00 PM</b> 6:18 PM
Saturday, Sept. 30, Sukkot Day 1 Yom Tov Service Minha Only - no communal Ma'ariv Candle Lighting	<b>9:30 AM</b> <b>6 PM</b> 7:17 PM
Sunday, Oct. 1, Sukkot Day 2 Yom Tov Service Minha Only - no communal Ma'ariv Havdalah / Yom Tov Ends	<b>9:30 AM</b> <b>6 PM</b> 7:15 PM

Sh'mini Atzeret/Simhat Torah	Time
Friday, Oct. 6, Shabbat-Erev Sh'mini Atzeret Minha / Ma'ariv	6:00 PM
Candle Lighting	6:06 PM
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Saturday, Oct. 7, Sh'mini Atzeret	
Yom Tov Service / Yizkor	9:30 AM
Erev Simhat Torah	
Minha / Ma'ariv - Hakkafot	6 PM
Candle Lighting	7:05 PM
Sunday Oat 9 Simbat Tauah	
Sunday, Oct. 8 - Simhat Torah Yom Tov Service with Hakkafot	9:30 AM
Minha Only - no communal Ma'ariv	6 PM
Havdalah / Yom Tov Ends	7:03 PM

## **High Holiday Mahzorim for Purchase**

CBINT requests that all members bring their personal High Holiday Mahzor to Rosh HaShana and Yom Kippur services. If you do not currently own a prayer book, we have new copies of the Mahzor Lev Shalem for Rosh HaShana and Yom Kippur for sale in the synagogue office. The cost per prayer book is \$36. We also have a limited amount of large print editions for sale at \$54. Please contact Marlynn to purchase your edition: marlynnb@cbintmilwaukee.org (414-352-7310). Note: Non-member guests who are attending services will have a limited supply of guests books for their use.

### **Introducing Jews & Schmooze**

So, how about that Men's Club? Was I right about the picnic? Our Wisconsin corn was our treat to you. Although we couldn't use butter, the margarine came pretty darn close. It was grilled to perfection and we didn't charge for it! I hope you picked up the flyers for our upcoming Steak and Scotch event on Thursday, October 5. If you aren't a Men's Club member, hopefully you grabbed a membership application. New members are always appreciated and welcome.

With August behind us, our focus is on Rosh HaShana and Yom Kippur. We are still recruiting ushers to fill all the slots on our duty schedule. Check the bulletin for a link to the schedule or contact Mike Spanjar. Please do NOT change any names on the schedule. We will also be looking for volunteers to erect the Rabbi's and CBINT's sukkot.

Starting on Wednesday, November 8, we will have the first in our series of "Jews and Schmooze," a variation on our past Beer and Bible. Our speakers will provide stimulating conversation, and the delicious dinners will still be a bargain. Open to all, reservations required. Watch for announcements.

That's all for now. Stay tuned.

Bill Fink, Men's Club President



# MAZEL TOY!



Max Steele is eager to celebrate his Bar Mitzvah with friends, family members, and fellow congregants, on Saturday, September 2, 2023, at CBINT.

Max began his education at Jewish Beginnings and has been a student at Milwaukee Jewish Day School since Senior Kindergarten. He is currently in the 8th grade there. Max has always been active and an athlete, earning his Tae Kwon Do Black Belt at the age of 10. He plays on two baseball teams, umpires little league games, and participates in almost every after-school activity offered. He also loves to spend his summers with friends at The Steve and Shari Sadek Family Camp Interlaken JCC.



Max is very creative and enjoys reading, writing, playing guitar, and working on art projects. At the age of 3, Max pretended to open a store and tried selling his toys back to his parents. That interest in business led him to start his own company, "Max's Merchandise," which, currently, primarily sells "slime."

In approaching his Bar Mitzvah, Max wishes to thank Hazzan Stein and Rabbi Alter for their hours of guidance while studying for the big day.

Max is also grateful to his parents, Rachel and Scott Steele, and his younger brother, Benjamin, for their patience, love, and ongoing support.

Hazel Katch is excited to celebrate her Bat Mitzvah on Saturday, September 9, 2023, at Congregation Beth Israel Ner Tamid with her parents, Meghan and Aaron Katch, siblings Jax and AJ, family, friends, and the CBINT community.

Hazel is a 7th grade student at Milwaukee Jewish Day School, and she enjoys soccer, swimming, baking, playing with her dog, Lambeau, and spending time with her friends and family. Hazel is appreciative of all the time and teaching from Hazzan Stein and Rabbi Alter.



### Chag Sameach from Sisterhood!

Sisterhood is looking forward to starting the New Year welcoming back seasoned and new members. Sisterhood's tradition of being an essential resource to CBINT continues and is always looking for your support.

The Sisterhood calendar this year will include our customary General Board Meetings tied to a Learning/Social Event - to be held this fall and next spring. Other event staples the Sisterhood sponsors during the year include our popular Vendor Fair, our spring Scholar in Residence program, and the revival of our Women's Lecture Series. Like last year, we are hoping to offer other opportunities to get together and build friendships in our *kehillah*, such as meeting up over coffee or a glass of wine! Please stay tuned for details and dates.

A change you will see this year is Sisterhood focusing on our commitment and charge to support **Jewish Theological Seminary's (JTS) Torah Fund** year-round. Traditionally the focus was sponsoring one spring event supported by donations for the Torah Fund. We feel our continued support year-round will raise awareness and serve this important organization better.

As members of the Women's League of Conservative Judaism, Sisterhood's dedicated philanthropy is the **Torah Fund.** This campaign

supports Jewish learning at the highest of levels. The Torah Fund provides scholarships and program support to five seminaries offering a wide variety of education, experiences in Jewish living, and community building for our future leaders. Recipients of our support become rabbis, cantors, educators, and scholars. This includes our very own Rabbi Alter and Hazzan Stein! Spotlighting the Torah Fund year-round will reinforce our commitment to it. We thank you in advance for your contributions.

We are so grateful for everyone who took the time to complete our **Sisterhood Survey!** Your input is very important to us. As we attempt to freshen up Sisterhood with new and different programming to engage more members, your voice matters. Thank you!

Are you looking to get involved with a great group of women? Do you have some ideas that will benefit Sisterhood? We are always interested in having new members join us! We also have **open board positions to fill.** Sisterhood welcomes your input and commitment to CBINT. Please join us!

Wishing everyone a happy, healthy, and sweet New Year!

Barbara Tenin and Armona Nadler-Strick, Sisterhood Co-Presidents







STEAK NOT YOUR JAM? Select veggie option! (see below)

Scotch lovers seeking a rare tasting adventure, upgrade to the VIP Option and enjoy THREE additional single malts, each unique and award winning, worth an average of \$270.00! This option includes our annual collectible.

\$20 upgrade limited to respondents

R.S.V.P. no later than SEPTEMBER 28 for best price!  Payment and reservation must be received by the deadline so Men's Club can pre-order enough entrees.  Send with payment made out to CBINT Men's Club • c/o Steak & Scotch • 6880 N. Green Bay Ave. • Glendale, WI 53209	Men's Club Member prices ON OR BEFORE 9/28: Dinner and scotch package
Name  Guests  Indicate number of: STEAKVEGGIE	Non-member "still-a-great-value" price ON OR BEFORE 9/28:  Dinner and scotch package
Phone Total \$	ATTENDEES REGISTERING AFTER 9/28 (no guarantees for walk-ins):
PAY USING VENMO: @CBINT-MensClub Indicate your name(s) and dinner/scotch selection(s) in the memo	Men's Club Member dinner/scotch package \$49.99  Non-Member dinner/scotch package \$55.99

# High Holiday BABYSITTING

(FOR AGES 18MO-6YEARS) \$10/CHILD/DAY

Rosh HaShana First & Second Day (9/16 & 9/17)

8AM-12PM\*

Kol Nidre (9/24)

6:30PM-

8:30PM\*

Yom Kippur (9/25)

9AM-1PM\*

Ne'ilah (9/25)

6:00PM-

7:30PM\*

# Online ONLY Sign-up REQUIRED

Limited spots available

\* Times are estimates, please watch the website & eblasts for final times

# **Register at**

# **CBINTMilwaukee.org/hhd-babysitting**

Deadlines to register:

Rosh HaShana: Sept. 13 Yom Kippur: Sept. 21



# **CBINT FAMILY AND YOUTH SERVICES**

FIRST DAYS OF ROSH HASHANA AND YOM KIPPUR:

SECOND DAY OF ROSH HASHANA:

- Family Services for ages 0-10 (accompanied by an adult)
- Youth Program for: grades 2-4, 5-7
- Teen Program for: grades 8-12

 90-minute Youth Program, run by Deb Intravaia, for ages 5-9



For more information go to cbintmilwaukee.org

Contact Allie at allieb@cbintmilwaukee.org

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

#### September 1

Berta Bass Albert Fielkow David Siegel Samuel D. Horwitt Anne Margolis Joseph Meisel Sol Trushinsky Larry Wales Toby Forbes

#### September 2

Meyer E. Askotzky Louis Goldberg Joseph Goldman Lazaar Mitchell Glassman Louis Zilberbrand Allen Edwardson Elaine Schecter Grossman

#### Meron Levin September 3

J. Cohen Leah Cooperman Philip Gould Frwin Matras Richard R. Davis Max Gindlin Max B. Margoles Jack Rotter Donald Berman Howard Melton

#### September 4

Sara Lewin Rudolph Stein Milton Litow Mever Luck Nathan Fishbach Seymour Wasser

#### September 5

Sonia Berliant Esther Huxley Abraham Lane Sheldon F. Schnoll Sylvia Blankstein Jacob Cohen David Fisher Eva Weintrob Nathan Levy

#### September 6

Nathan Groban Bessie Schapiro Mitler Sam Sweet Sarah "Sally" Malkin Reda Solomon David A. Blumberg Judy Bloch

#### September 7

Dorothy Marks Ancelovitz Isadore Kline Samuel C. Schnoll Malvina Markman Dr. Samuel S. Blankstein Norman Diamond Tillie Naomi Fine Joan Bortin Naomi Segall Sandy Prahl Jack Nagurka September 8

Joseph Blatt Asher Lipman Cornfield Jeanett J. Galst

Stanley Goldblatt Ida Jacobson Simon R. Peltin Bernard I. Sherman Henry Winkelman Bessie Lisberg Marion Serlin Warren Lederman David Jay Abram Sapinsley Norman Berman Jonathan David Berman Elyce Joy Berman

#### Vicki Bonassin September 9

Sol Blankstein Edith Gelles Rose S. Gindlin Pincus Weinstock Clara Glazer Albert L. Cohen Pearl Pufeles Sadie Sogol September 10

#### Celia Friedman Bessie Fuchs

Sarah Goldin David Honigman Morris Katz Milton B. Katz Rita Nazari

#### September 11

Thomas Safer Isaac Barnett Herman Schlomovitz Isadore Perlmutter Eva S. Hutner

#### September 12

Jack Bach Joseph Balkansky Edward Rosenberg Benjamin Haskell Štarkman Jennie Wales

Olympic Athletes Who Died

Edward Margoles Fay Glassman Adolph Horowitz Bernard Barney Blumberg

#### September 13

Joseph Hansher Dr. Carl O. Diamond Evelyn Bootzin September 14

William Friedland Max Glazer Annie Lazarus Sayde Kohlberg Sherman

Chai Freda Starkman Abraham Becker Henry Durchslag Lena Eisen Daniel G. Golland Alfred Stein Ceilia Wagenheim Sarah Rotter-Rosenberg

**Ruth Silver** Morton Levin

#### September 15 Morris Berliant

Jack Granof Beth Gail Hearst Herman Hurwitz

Edith Kopel Rudolph Brand Bernard E. Meyers Sarah Stein Jav Levenberg

#### Helen Rappaport September 16

Ralph Feiges Bertha Gould Marshall Mintz Sara Jane Stein Shon Harris Shilling Roslyn J. Marcus Amour Gershan

#### September 17

Eve Balkansky Joseph Landa David Levin Ruth W. Slotnick Otto A. Wolf Lee Yopack Harriet Schendlinger

Esther Kreeger-Kalin Mollie Wagner Max Kabins Bernard Solochek

#### September 18

Russell M. Beckerman Lillian Styler Rebecca Free Esther Goldberg Harold Silverstein Doris Silverman

#### September 19

Carrie Cohen Charles Kahn Ida Mollick Mary Steingart Joseph Wichman Jennie Shevinsky Jennie Ernestine Gewertz

#### Edward Levin September 20

Mollie Levin Martha Miller Nathan Miller Becky Kozoll Bessie Schwartz

#### September 21

Louis Merdinger Elizabeth Rabenn Louis Spector Max Weigler Annie Eglash Benjamin Yurman Dora Stein

#### September 22

Samuel Bornstein Hyman Cohen Arnold Effron Morton M. Horwitt Fanny Parr Philip Schneiderman Joseph Siegel Joseph M. Borns Sarah Simon Esther Stern Bernard Robbins Phyllis Holzman Elaine B. Friedman

#### September 23

Richard Abrahamer Onalee Kahn Joseph Klein Rose Kopp Sarah Lipkin Sarah Mars Peter Pikofsky William Steinberger Bessie (Babel) Weinstein Marsha Denny

#### September 24

Louis Berson Jack Federshneider Ethel Glotzer Jerry J. Hansher Leo Jacobs Jacob Lipkin Victor Schnell Lois A. Swerdlow Arnold J. Gollman Nina Stillerman

#### September 25

Alexander Kleiner Jack Peterman William Dinkes Louis Sadowsky Scot Levin Ida Sweet

#### September 26

Dr. Sheldon Barnett Mary Blacher Pearl Manoffe Martin Moses

Solomon Isaac Gollman

Meyer Belin Samuel Horwitz Eileen Sally Rubin

## September 27

Ethel Dolnick Anton Krasno Benjamin Schnoll Frank Lederman Edward Stein

#### September 28

Minnie Bylan Abe Coren Louis Paley Allan Polisky Martin Schneider Michael Shurman

Tuvyah Kuzmak Tarkinow Family Sandra Bass

Jerold Gotel September 29 Carl Dulberger Mollie Brier Alvin A. La Pidus Sandra Fooden

#### William Stein September 30

Herman Berson Leon Lepold Esther Spitzer Solly A. Spivek David Hirschman Isaac Shapiro Esther Horowitz

#### **Contributions**

#### In Honor of Sue and Rick Strait's 40th Wedding Anniversary General Fund

Terri and Jeffrey Gingold Margery and Martin Stein Bea and George Strick

#### **Gemilut Hasidim**

Lori and Kevin Nashban Cindy Cooper

#### Passport to Israel

Rena and Fred Safer

#### Social Action Committee

Elaine Nelles

Mitch Nelles & Ellie Gettinger & Family

#### In Honor of Al Simon's 85th Birthday Social Action Committee

Marlene and Jerry Marks Roberta and Al Wolfsohn Nancy and Marshall Kellman Estelle Felber Bettine and Dan Lipman Family Jane Chester Bea and George Strick **Rabbi's Discretionary Fund** 

Margery and Marty Stein

#### In Honor of the Birth of Benjamin Oren Singer General Fund

Edie Pump

#### In Honor of Toby and Mark Lukoff's Anniversary General Fund

Bea and George Strick

#### In Appreciation

#### Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

Gertrude and Morrie Shechtman Megan and Zachary Singer

#### R'fuah Shlema for Jordan Fink Merry Atinsky Kiddush Fund Judy Glotzer

#### R'fuah Shlema for Jerry Deutsch General Fund

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#### *In Memory of Dr. Paul Jacobs* Jacobson Chapel Fund

Joan E. Zeiger-Klein & Bob Klein

#### **General Fund**

Anita and Mark Nagurka Cindy Cooper

#### **Balkansky Fund**

Evelyn and Alan Balkansky Youth Scholarship Endowment Fund Gayle Weber Rakita & Rick Rakita

#### In Memory of Norman Blankstein General Fund

Caren and Donald Bass

#### In Memory of Marshall Dunkleman Soloff Adult Education Fund

Judy and Steven Werlin

#### **General Fund**

Goodman-Bensman Whitefish Bay Funeral Home Anita and Mark Nagurka

#### In Memory of Yvonne Dunkleman Soloff Adult Education Fund

Judy and Steven Werlin

#### In Memory of David Wolfe General Fund

Caren and Donald Bass Goodman-Bensman Whitefish Bay Funeral Home

#### Youth Scholarship Endowment Fund

Gayle Weber Rakita and Rick Rakita Social Action Committee Barbara and Al Simon

# *In Memory of David Papermaster* Jacobson Chapel Fund

Joan E. Zeiger-Klein and Bob Klein

#### In Memory of Vivian Shapiro General Fund

Laurie and Bruce Herman

# We Celebrate September's Member Birthdays!



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

CBINTMilwaukee.org/celebrate/birthdays



## Our congregation mourns the passing of:

#### Dr. Paul Jacobs

We are sad to announce the passing of **Paul Alan Jacobs** on July 15. Paul was the husband of the late Betty Jacobs, father of Debbie Jacobs, **Linda (Gary) Keller**, Cindi Jacobs, and Nancy (Tom) Lewandowski; grandfather of Hannah (Ryan), Robert, Kyra, Bradley, **Jack**, Amy, and Caleb; and uncle of Barry and Stuart (Caren) Mlot. He is also survived by other relatives and friends. Special mention of "friends who are family," **the extended family of Ruby and Marty z"I Carneol.** Paul was a past president of Congregation Beth Israel.



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#### **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.

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.

#### **CBINT Office Information**

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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

Standing Saturday evening services are suspended until October 23, 2023. Congregants who need a Saturday evening service may advise Rabbi Alter or Hazzan Stein, who will gladly help recruit Zoom attendees. See page 3 and the website for more information.

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