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CANTOR'S MESSAGE

Some 50 years ago this month, I had my Bar Mitzvah. I share the same Bar Mitzvah portion with member, David another Severson. It is a privilege to have someone who can commiserate with me over this portion. When I was writing my Bar Mitzvah speech I wrote about scabs, infections, spreading of diseases, and other ailments that could happen to a person. Not exactly what a 13-yearold boy who was already traumatized by the whole situation of becoming a "Man" would want to talk about.

Well, come to find out, years later, that the portions Tazria-Metzorah are truly about the above and includes leprosy (which is not contagious) and so much more.

This is what I wanted to write about this month. **"So much more!"** As I have written about "doing G-d's will", "staying on the path", yadda, yadda, there is more to Judaism than following the "exact" words of a deity. Things, you know, ideas, have changed over the years. We look at thing differently as adults than we do as children. This is truly the case here. I now look at these portions in today's world. A divided world. Shrinking Jewish communities. Anti-Semitism is on the rise. Racism, wokism, "ism, ism". The concept here is about "ritual impurity". These two chapters speak to us about what comes out of the body, the last few chapters about what can go in (what we can eat)! **Tazria and Metzora** look at

blemishes. This year, I am looking at the blemishes on my own self. Lashon Harah (the evil tongue) is a blemish. Am I making the right decisions while on life's journey? Am I given a choice to practice Judaism or has it been thrust upon



Cantor Bruce Shapiro

me? Aren't we all Jews by Choice even if we are born into this people? Is it up to each of you in "every generation" to decide which

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ancient laws make us "clean or unclean" and which make us "holy or unholy".

Adon Olam, Master of the Universe as I ended my speech 50 years ago, "I am trying to carry on the tradition passed on to me, the fine heritage I have been blessed with. It is only by deeds of self-fulfillment that I could reward my current family and my ancestors no longer with us with the *Nachas* that all of my family richly deserve. I pray to The Source for the strength and wisdom to be able to work to the best of my ability for the betterment of mankind, for the fulfillment of my personal goals, and for the carrying out of my responsibilities as a devoted Son and Grandson, a good citizen, man, and a traditional Jew. And let us all say, Amen!"

<u>*Question:*</u> Can we learn to make good decisions by only studying Torah?

Chag Kasher Sameach (LaPesach)! A Happy Kosher Holiday (Passover)!

Our next **Torah study** (about 45 minutes) will be on Saturday morning, **April 22** at 9 AM and will be a double portion, **Tazria/Metzora**. Adding one more item to your Jewish "**To Do**" list for 5783? This is an easy one and the discussions are lively regardless of the level of your current Torah understanding. It is amazing how we add our own "spark" to every conversation held and each question asked! (Join on Zoom or in person.)

Additional Questions to ponder?

1) In Leviticus, Chapter 11:12, (page 639 in the Etz Chaim), Which seafood is not kosher? Why? Provide one example (or more if you can) of seafood which qualifies as kosher.

2) In the Jewish community, why is a boy circumcised on the 8th day (page 630, Chapter 9, explanation at the bottom of the page)?

3) When you are in synagogue, how do you experience the presence of "The Source", Hashem, or your recognition of our Deity?

4) The first two students who email me the answers to questions number 1,2, and 3 will be provided a \$ 10 Target Card. This includes the confirmation class. <u>3mshapiro@cox.net</u> There are no wrong answers to number 3!

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President's Message **HOW TO PICK A HEBREW NAME**

One of the joys of being "like a newborn baby" after the conversion is that you get to pick a Hebrew name--which is easier than you may think.

Mv How Chose **Hebrew Name**

Converts have always selected Hebrew names that speak to them personally; Ruth has long been a favorite for obvious [Ruth. the reasons. grandmother of King David, is the Bible's perhaps bestknown convert.] Most converts choose a biblical name. There are 2.800 personal names in Hebrew Bible. and the although fewer than 5 percent of those are in current use, all of them are yours to consider.

are theophoric, meaning that and they exalt God. Names with the prefixes or refer to the Holy One: Elisha-God is my salvation; Raphael-God has healed; Gamliel–God is my reward.

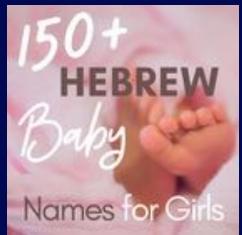
Others describe circumstances of birth or a invented and many old ones person's historical role. Chava, Hebrew for Eve, comes from be able to provide you with the root word for "life," chai. The name Isaac comes from the word for "laughter" because his mother laughed to especially like, you might ask learn she would bear a child at our cantor to help you find her advanced age. The Bible some texts about the biblical also contains many names that character refer to the natural universe: Deborah-bee: Jonah-dove: Tamar-palm tree. modern Israeli names continue any further than your own given this tradition: Tal and Tali- name for inspiration. Some dew; Alon or Alona-oak; Oren -fir tree.



The lexicon of Hebrew names handed was not down from Mount Sinai; it has grown Many of the names in the Bible and changed throughout history in response to local customs and fashions. Take. example. for the suffixes el, eli, ya, and yahu all quintessentially Jewish name Esther, which is Persian in origin and shares its root with the fertility goddess, Ishtar. When the state of Israel was founded, in 1948, scores of the new Hebrew names were reclaimed. Our Cantor should guidance, lists. even suggestions. Once you find one or two names that vou name or vou've selected.

Many But you may not have to look

translate beautifully. names Regina or Gina, which means "queen," can give rise to Malka, which also means "queen." If your parents named you David, David (pronounced "Dah-veed") can be your Hebrew name as well. The biblical precedent for this practice is clear: Ruth did not change her name.



Many converts follow the contemporary American custom of selecting a Hebrew name

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CONDOLENCES TO THE BAREMBAUM FAMILY

Dear CBS Friends and Families,

As a community we extend our condolences to the family of Morrie Barembaum on the passing of his beloved father, Abdon "Ab" Barembaum. He is survived by his four sons, (Jim, Meyer, Neil, and Morrie) four grandchildren (Rebecca, David, Amy, and Laura), and his second wife. Abdon passed away in Anaheim, CA after a brief illness.

Hamakom Y'Nahecm Etchem, B'Toch Shi'ar Aveilei Tzion Ve'Yerushalayim. May Gd comfort the Barembaum family amongst the mourners of Zion and Jerusalem.

May the memory of Yehudah Ben Moshe V'Gitel (Abdon Barembaum) endure as a blessing for all who knew and loved him.

Burial will be at Mt. Sinai Hollywood Hills cemetery located at 5950 Forest Lawn Drive, Los Angeles, CA. Further details will follow.

Other information in regard to donations in his memory will be forthcoming.

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President's Message

based on the initial letter or sound of their English name. Thus, Robert chooses Reuben, and Mary selects Miriam. But don't feel obligated by an accident of the alphabet. Since Jewish babies are



usually named after parents or grandparents, some converts choose a name to honor someone in their own lives. Some rabbis feel strongly that the person you honor should be a Jewish teacher or mentor, or even a historical figure you find inspiring.

But there's no rule that you have to find an orthographic or historical connection between your name and your Hebrew name. This is an area of Jewish practice where there are few rules or customs, so find a name that feels right and has meaning for you. And you needn't limit yourself to just one name; it is increasingly common to choose two or even three. It sounds very impressive to be called to the Torah as Sarah Ora Hadass bat Avraham v'Sarah.

Excerpted with permission from <u>Choosing a</u> Jewish Life: A Handbook for People Converting to Judaism and for Their Family and Friends (Schocken Books).

STORY BY ANITA DIAMANT SUBMITTED BY BRUCE ROUMAN

MEMORIALIZE YOUR DEAR ONES!

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Annual CBS Community Passover Seder Thursday, April 6, 2023

6:00 PM at CBS

Enjoy a full catered seder & meal. Kosher chicken dinner, matzah ball soup, desserts, and beverages. reservations are required

> Paid reservations are due NOW—please RSVP to Jackie Williams at 714-296-4079

Member pricing: Adults: \$60, Kids 12 & under: \$30 Non-Member pricing: Adults: \$70, Kids 12 & under: \$36

it's HERE! JOIN US! SUNDAY, APRIL 23, 2023 Gegacy AWARDS LUNCHEON

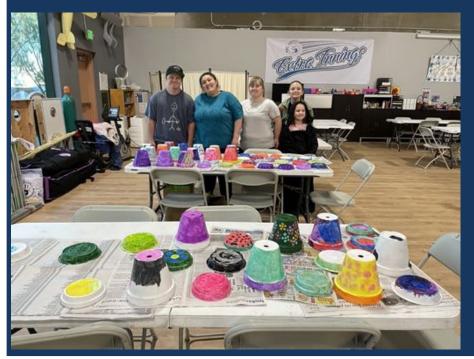
The little synagogue that "could." That is how many people in the greater Corona and Los Angeles Jewish communities regard Congregation Beth Shalom. Our synagogue has purchased at least seven groves of 1,000 trees each; that is seven thousand trees purchased from The Jewish National Fund and all but a few hundred sold in our Fund A Need program over the years during our luncheons. We will be buying our eighth grove for this year's Legacy Luncheon. The 16th Annual Legacy Luncheon will be held on Sunday, April 23, 2023, at Eagle Glen Golf Club. All money raised from the event will be used toward our regular community education programs as well as much needed operating expenses.

A creative idea came to the committee, specific to our centerpieces. Paula Fogel and Rebecca Spiegel were discussing different options, and a collaboration between CBS Religious School Students and clients of ABC Hopes has been developed. ABC Hopes founder Katie Moore will be honored with the coveted Shomer Tzedek (Guardian of Righteousness Award). The clients at ABC Hopes love to interact with others, and Marci Rouman, Education Director for CBS supported the



idea to have our Religious students interact with them. Paula Fogel purchased and donated all the supplies. Pictures below will show various members of both organizations, as they begin the process of our centerpieces creations.

Over the prior months, we have highlighted each of our honorees. These amazing individuals truly exemplify our purpose and the meaning of each award—please enjoy reading about them. Remember this is our major, annual fundraiser. Your generous





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sponsorships, ticket purchases and donations for our auction are greatly appreciated!

This annual event takes numerous hours in preparation, including the task of mailing invitations. A unique process of working with various lists of invitees, a dedicated team comprised of Paula Fogel, Joan Jacobs and Kathy Stone, carefully processed this.

The **CBS Legacy Award** is awarded to individuals involved in the synagogue who exemplify the *Continued on page 11*



Dennis Brooks & Joan Zak

Paula & Mark Fogel



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traditions of Jewish life and function as role models for future generations. These individuals have a high level of commitment to the CBS community. This year we will be honoring two CBS families with the Legacy Award. The first family is Joan Zak and Dennis Brooks, who demonstrate that "high level of commitment" to the CBS community in so many areas.

Joan has been an integral part in running Zoom services, developing power points to make the services "user friendly," not to mention Joan's development of CBS' Adult Education Program. Dennis Brooks has played an integral part in photographing our yearly Legacy Luncheon with his wonderful expertise in taking the perfect group photo.

The second family is Paula and Mark Fogel. These CBS Honorees are supportive of all of CBS' efforts



Katie Moore founder of ABC Hopes

many areas across so of synagogue life. Both are the first to step an to help anywhere they are needed. Paula, baker extraordinaire. has graced our meals and onegs with goodies from her kitchen and Mark is an integral part of the CBS Brotherhood, playing poker and involving himself in many volunteer efforts with CBS.

Guardian of The **Righteousness Award (the** Shomer Tzedek Award) is being awarded to Katie Moore, founder of ABC Hopes. Katie Moore has a passion for people. Her love for others is evident in everything she does. Katie's younger brother. Christopher, was born with Down syndrome. She was concerned that because of his disability, Christopher might be treated differently than other people, so Katie created a special non-profit with the focus on individuals with disabilities. The non-profit originated in Orange County; however, in 2022, they relocated to their new facility in Corona. During the past several years, ABC Hopes, under Katie's direction. has blossomed into a stable and integral part of the Corona community.

The Business Partner Award (Shatuf Tzedek Award) is being presented to Silver Dollar Pancake House owners Robert and Diana Hernandez. This business has been known as an icon in the Corona community. Labeled the oldest restaurant in the area, the



The Hernandez Family owners of Silver Dollar Pancake House

AB IDE ROOM

Hernandez family, with their daughter, Jennifer, constantly help others, from non-profits to charities and the homeless in the Corona community. The Silver Dollar Pancake House has been a long-time supporter of our Legacy Luncheon.

Thank you to our incredible committee, and the many members of our synagogue and business community that have donated items. You still have time to purchase tickets or sponsor a table so you and your family and friend can attend. If you cannot attend, we would be honored to receive a donation to this event which helps our synagogue.

For more information and answers to your questions about the Legacy Luncheon, please contact Legacy Luncheon Co-Chairs Renee Miller at (909) 228-5945 or Marci Rouman at (951) 733-3980.



















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Thank you to Confirmation teacher, Renée Tieszen, students of CBS Religious School and Cantor Shapiro for an enjoyable Purim Play, and Mark Koren for capturing the moments!

Join us for Erev Shabbat Service in the Round Inspired by Joan Zak

Friday, April 14, 2023 at 7:00 PM

You are encouraged to bring your questions and ideas.

> Less standing, more talking!

We will read and discuss parts of the service

Discussions may lengthen the service.





Simcha Board! "Tree of Life, Joy and Fulfillment"

Congregation Beth Shalom has a beautiful Simcha Board, called the Tree of Life, on display as you enter the synagogue lobby.

This Simcha Board allows families and individuals to purchase leaves to celebrate: Simchas, Milestone events, Birth of a child/grandchild, Graduations, Promotions, Engagements, Accomplishments and more!

These leaves are available for \$180 each. For more information, contact Bruce Rouman (951) 847-4632.

EDUCATION *Report* Marci Rouman. *Education Director*

The Purim play was beautifully performed by the students of CBS Religious School. We have several pictures in this publication depicting the enthusiasm and participation of all of our students. A huge thank you to Cantor Shapiro and Confirmation teachers Renée Tieszen and Arrianna Wolfe for their creativity in directing the students.

Our synagogue family celebrated a Bar Mitzvah the weekend of March 17-18. One of our long-time students, R.J. Spiegel, was called to the Torah as a Bar Mitzvah. It was a joy to watch this event. Mazel Tov to the entire Spiegel clan.

It is hard to believe that we are approaching the end of the Religious School year. The first end-ofthe-school-year event is our annual Teacher Appreciation Service on Friday, May 5. Our students will lead the Friday evening Shabbat Service in honor of their teachers. The staff that teaches our students are certainly worthy of recognition. Please join us for this special evening on May 5 at 7 PM.

RECYCLING

Our young students are very concerned about the planet we are leaving for them. They are learning and experimenting on ways they can contribute. One very important step they have taken is <u>RECYCLING</u>.

Our Oneg room, the room between the sanctuary and the kitchen, has <u>RECYCLING</u> containers for empty plastic bottles (and caps), glass bottles and cans. Please do not throw these items in the trash. They are brought to a recycling center. The money goes to our school.



Jackie Williams, Ritual Chairperson

Thank you to the following wonderful congregants who led services during the month of March: the Religious School on March 10 and RJ Spiegel on March 24.

Our Bar Mitzvah RJ Spiegel led services on March 17 and 18.

In April it will be Joan Zak on April 14 and Zophia and Melissa Lindenbaum on April 28. Thank you all very much.

The synagogue seder planning is coming along great. With Marta and her team preparing a delicious meal and our great baker, Paula Fogel, making the Pesach desserts we will have a wonderful seder.

If you haven't already made reservations, it may be too late. There is only a limited amount of space in the synagogue and the food may have already been purchased. Call Jackie Williams TODAY if you want to attend: (714) 296-4079.

FROM THE 'HOODS'

The HOODS - CBS's Brotherhood / Sisterhood, would like to have some events for the "sisters" of the congregation. Some ideas include 2 buck blackjack with 2 buck chuck- for \$2 get \$100 worth of chips and play blackjack and drink wine- the last 3 left standing will win money from the pot (all funds raised will be presented, nothing will be taken out for the hoods), painting and wine - bring back an old favorite -all supplies will be provided—cost determined from provider.

All activities of the Brother/SisterHOODS are open to all members including poker on the first Thursday and 3rd Wednesdays of each month.

> Any other ideas? Please contact Joel Friedberg (951) 733-9683



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CBS will have a custom certificate recognizing your donation and mail it to your home, relative or friend.

Contact Congregation Beth Shalom: Jackie Williams at (714) 296-4079 to place your order today.

Join us in Celebrating Members CBS Family



May 5 Saul & Sandra Shulman

May 21 Matt & Amanda Shapiro



APRIL

- 6 Bob Stone
- 8 David Barembaum
- 11 Morrie Barembaum
- 12 Mitch Lindenbaum
- 13 Joel Williams
- 19 David Severson
- 19 Jackie Williams
- 21 Brenda Fusco
- 22 Amanda Rouman
- 24 Rebecca Barembaum
- 26 Ken Jacobs
- 27 Ilana D'Agostino
- 27 Matt Shapiro

MAY

- 1 Melissa Lindenbaum
- 11 Karen Spiegel
- 14 Amanda Shapiro
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NOTICE TO ALL CBS MEMBERS

All CBS members should be receiving Yahrzeit reminder letters / notices of the anniversary of your loved ones.

If you are not receiving notices, please contact Jackie Williams (714) 296-4079, so we can make the corrections.

Congregation Beth Shalom Adult Education

Sunday May 7, 2023 at 9:30 AM

Jews and other Minorities continued



How do we relate to: Muslims in the U.S. Asian-Americans, Hispanics Native Americans LGBTQ Jews

Zoom will be Joan's Zoom

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4420163247?pwd=c1NCUkFtRTBQeDUrdDlKNGMzZXRCdz09



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ONEG / KIDDUSH SCHEDULE

As you think about special occasions, birthdays, anniversaries, graduations, or in memory of a loved one, please consider sponsoring an Oneg or Kiddush!

Please connect with Gail Koren at (951) 204-4757.

Those individuals who host an Oneg or Kiddush will be acknowledged by having their names on the CBS calendar as an Oneg or Kiddush Sponsor.

Please reach out to Gail and reserve the date(s) you wish to sponsor.

Choose a date, for your Oneg Shabbat, that is meaningful to you. Call Gail Koren (951) 204-4757 to find out how simple and easy it is.

Apr	7	Joan Zak & Dennis Brooks — A Mitzvah
		Jackie & Bruce Williams —In honor of Jackie's & Joel's
Apr	14	Birthdays
Apr	21	Felix Smith — In Loving Memory of Barbara Smith
		Mitch & Melissa Lindenbaum —In honor of Melissa's &
Apr	28	Mitch's Birthdays
		Parents of CBS Religious School Students —In honor of
May	5	CBS's Teachers, for Teachers Appreciation
May	12	Spiegel Families —In honor of Karen's 65th Birthday
May	19	Cheryl & Joel Friedberg — Joel's Birthday
May	26	Sharon & Lenny Elkins — Lenny's Birthday

CBS BOOK Club

MAY BOOK SELECTION

B etween the World Wars, the six Mitford sisters—each more beautiful, brilliant, and eccentric than the next—dominate the English political, literary, and social scenes. Though they've weathered scandals before, the family falls into disarray when Diana divorces her wealthy husband to marry a fascist leader and Unity follows her sister's lead all the way to Munich, inciting rumors that she's become Hitler's mistress.

Res s the Nazis rise in power, novelist Nancy Mitford grows suspicious of her sisters' constant visits to Germany and the high-ranking fascist company they keep. When she overhears alarming conversations and uncovers disquieting

documents, Nancy must make excruciating choices as Great Britain goes to war with Germany.

Probing the torrid political climate in the lead-up to World War II and the ways that seemingly sensible people can be sucked into radical action, The Mitford Affair follows Nancy's valiant efforts to stop the Nazis from taking over Great Britain, and the complicated choices she must make between the personal and the political.



Congregation

Shalom

All Our Friends at CBS are invited to join the discussion of this captivating book. Join us on ZOOM on May 8th at 5:30 PM

Pesach 5783 is ALMOST HERE! Authorization of Sale of Hametz

form is available at CBS

Please submit it before Passover.

This is a traditional act of ridding our homes of forbidden leavened items.

CBS Erev Shabbat Services

Join us for in-person and via Zoom and experience a rich spirituality

- Beginning March 6, 2023, ALL Erev Shabbat Services will begin at 7:00 PM.
- The first Friday of each month, Cantor Shapiro will lead services and celebrate birthdays and anniversaries with a special blessing. Congregants, regardless of age, are welcome to participate in any CBS service. Please let the Cantor know that you will be attending and which prayer(s) you would like to lead.
- The First, Third and Fifth Fridays and Third Saturday of the month are Cantor-led services
 - The Cantor adds a professional touch: the services are very interactive with participation from those in attendance.
- The Second and Fourth Friday Services may be led by:
 - Religious School and Confirmation students and teachers
 - Regular Lay Leaders
 - YOU!!!!!!!!!!
- Onegs comply with Kosher dairy guidelines, call Gail Koren (951) 204-4757
- Special Occasion Services
 - Shabbat Under the Stars is held in September or October. It is a fun and special night outside to enjoy Shabbat.
 - Shabbat Across America—A special service honored all over our country



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Boy Scout Pine Wood Derby Race

Zipporah Whittemore is joined by her father, Ethan, at the Pine Wood Derby Race as part of the Boy Scouts of America (BSA) program.



PHOTOS WANTED

We are always seeking photos of our members, and their relatives, for inclusion in this section.

Submissions for the Beyond the Synagogue are welcomed.

Please submit to BJRouman@ SBCglobal.net and Bobby@ MyChamber.org prior to the 15th of each month. Space limitations may prevent your submission to be included.

GMA TIME



Marci Rouman (along with Bruce and Jessie) recently traveled to Northern CA to visit their son Adam, Amanda, and their daughter Sydney.

Pictured is Marci reading a book to granddaughter Sydney.

Congregation Beth Shalom Funds to Donate Towards

To make a donation in honor or in memory of a loved one or friend, select the Fund that you prefer and fill in the Donor card below. Send the bottom portion of this form to the CBS office with your donation.

We appreciate your support very much.

- Youth Development Fund (to provide scholarships for various programs including our religious school students to attend residence camps with significant Jewish programming and other programs)
- General Fund (to support the synagogue's daily operations)
- Facility Fund (to enhance, maintain and make improvement to our facility)
- Cantor Discretionary Fund (for charitable, hardship and educational purposes at Cantor's discretion)
- Prayer Book Fund (for purchasing, repairing, updating prayer books)
- Adult Education Fund (to support Adult Education programs)
- **Chesed Fund** (for the work of the Chesed Committee which responds in times of need for a birth, illness, emergency, or death in the family)
- **Torah Fund** (for the repair and/or purchase of the Torah Scrolls, Torah Commentaries, and other Bimah needs)
- **CBS Education Fund** (for materials, field trips, and other educational needs)

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Karen & Bobby Spiegel In loving memory of Bobby's cousin Margot Antonetty

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The donations listed above were received before March 26, 2023. To make a donation, contact: Bob Stone at (562) 818-9137

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THE FOLLOWING DONATIONS ARE FOR THE 2023 LEGACY LUNCHEON AWARDS GALA

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The sponsorships and donations listed above are for the April 23, 2023 Legacy Luncheon Awards Banquet. We will add to this list each month as we receive more sponsors and donations.

To secure a sponsorship or make a donation connect with Renee Miller at (909) 228-5945

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The following individuals and establishments have been very gracious to support our upcoming event. Please be sure to thank them the next time you see them.

- Aquarium of the Pacific
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- In -N- Out Burgers
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 House
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- Polly's Pies
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- Smart And Final
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 Theatre
- TAPS Fish House & Brewery
- Texas Roadhouse
- TGIFriday's Restaurant
- The Derby Room
- USS Midway Museum
- Vito's Pizza
- Wood Ranch Restaurant
- Joan Zak

There is room for more! Ask your favorite store, restaurant etc. for a donation for our auction!

Yahrzeit Observances May their memories be a blessing

APRIL

1	Lionel Gillerman *	10	Nisan
1	Sherman Gilman *	10	Nisan
2	Irving Schlusselberg *	11	Nisan
4	Rebeca Barembaum	13	Nisan
5	Sarah Shulman	14	Nisan
7	Dr. Tomas Hirschfield *	16	Nisan
7	Dr. Max Spiegel *	16	Nisan
8	Rex Davis	17	Nisan
8	Marla Saphira	17	Nisan
12	Ann Kaufman	21	Nisan
12	Gerda Nordon	21	Nisan
12	Tillie Itzkowitz	21	Nisan
14	Thadia "Dee Dee Gillerman *	23	Nisan
14	Yshayaho Oshri	23	Nisan
	Evelyn Weinberg *	25	Nisan
	Jerome Tarshis *	26	Nisan
18	Max Lechtman	27	Nisan
19	Jeffrey Edward Goldstein *	28	Nisan
	Seymour Leeds	28	Nisan
	Barbara Smith *	30	Nisan
22	Elena Widder		1 Iyar
24	Selma Lich		3 Íyar
26	Yetta Gubernick		5 İyar
	Maurice Taks		5 İyar

MAY

1 Betty Friedberg *	10 Iyar
2 Edith Werby	11 İyar
2 Baruch Grinsphan *	11 İyar
5 Arthur Shapiro	14 Iyar
5 Jacob Haskel Eisen *	14 Iyar
6 Bonnie J. Flint *	15 Iyar
7 Gerald Notick	16 Iyar
10 Augusta Frey *	19 Iyar
10 Philip Scharfman *	19 Iyar
11 Jay Loren Shapiro	20 Iyar
14 Edward Severson	23 Iyar
14 Florence Feller	23 Iyar
18 Gary Lee Elkins *	27 Iyar
19 Zdenka Fischmann *	28 Iyar
21 Ruth Hirschfield	1 Sivan
21 Bessie Cotler *	1 Sivan
23 Arthur "Art" Gelb *	3 Sivan
23 Margot Antonetty *	3 Sivan
25 Henry Feller	5 Sivan
26 Dorothy R. Miller	6 Sivan
28 Yosef Berggrun *	8 Sivan
28 Lalie Eisen *	8 Sivan
31 Morris Shulman	11 Sivan
31 Eileen Notick	11 Sivan

^a = denotes Memorial Board Plaque | For questions or corrections, please contact Joan Zak (760) 803-5451

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Our Community Prayer for Healing

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ACTIVITIES & SERVICES ARE IN PERSON UNLESS NOTED SOME ARE OFFERED BY INTERNET IN PERSON EVENTS ARE AT 500 HARRINGTON ST. STE. A1 CORONA, CA 92878 UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED with an asterisk (*)

APRIL 2023

2	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
2	CONFIRMATION LED BY RENÉE TIESZEN	10:00 AM
2	DINE OUT AT RUBIOS (SEE FLIER ON PAGE 5)	12 NOON until 8:00 PM
5	PASSOVER WITH YOUR FAMILIES	****
6	COMMUNITY PASSOVER SERVICE, LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO—RSVP TO JACKIE WILLIAMS (714) 296-4079 (RSVP NOW)	6:00 PM
7	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO, ONEG: JOAN ZAK & DENNIS BROOKS	7:00 PM
9	NO SCHOOL	****
12	YIZKOR LED BY FELIX SMITH	7:00 PM
14	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE, ONEG: JACKIE & BRUCE WILLIAMS	7:00 PM
16	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
16	BOARD MEETING	9:00 AM
16	LEGACY MEETING	10:30 AM
19	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
21	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO, ONEG: <i>FELIX SMITH</i>	7:00 PM
22	TORAH STUDY LED BY JOAN ZAK	9:00 AM
22	SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO	10:00 AM
23	NO SCHOOL	****
23	16TH ANNUAL LEGACY LUNCHEON	11:00 AM
28	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE, ONEG: LINDENBAUM FAMILY	7:00 PM
30	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
	CONFIRMATION LED BY	10:00 AM

MAY 2023

1	RITUAL MEETING	6:30 PM
3	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
5	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO, TEACHERS APPRECIATION ONEG: RELIGIOUS SCHOOL STUDENT'S PARENTS	7:00 PM
7	CONFIRMATION CLASS	10:00 AM
8	BOOK CLUB	5:30 PM
12	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY JOAN ZAK. ONEG <i>:</i> SPIEGEL FAMILY	7:00 PM
14	MOTHER'S DAY—NO SCHOOL	****
17	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
19	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO, ONEG: CHERYL & JOEL FRIEDBERG	7:00 PM
20	TORAH STUDY LED BY JOAN ZAK	9:00 AM
20	SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO	10:00 AM
21	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
21	BOARD MEETING	9:00 AM
21	GRANT MEETING— VOLUNTEERS WELCOME	11:00 AM
21	CONFIRMATION LED BY RENÉE TIESZEN	10:00 AM
26	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE; ONEG: <i>SHARON & LENNY ELKINS</i>	7:00 PM
27	SHABBAT/SHAVUOT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO, YIZKOR LED BY FELIX SMITH	10:00 AM
28	MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND, NO SCHOOL	****
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