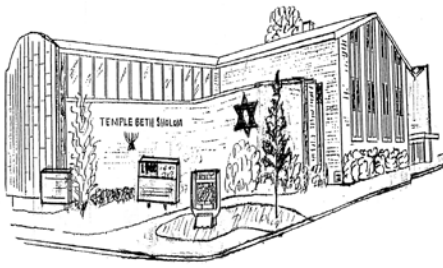


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A MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF TEMPLE BETH SHOLOM OF FLUSHING



THIS MONTH:

ROSH HASHANAH

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1

BOWLING

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3

KOL NIDRE

TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 8

YOM KIPPUR

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9

EREV SUKKOT/PIZZA IN THE HUT

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13

EREV SIMCHAT TORAH

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20

SIMCHAT TORAH/SHEMINI

ATZERET/YISKOR

MONDAY, OCTOBER 21

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22

WOMEN'S DISCUSSION GROUP

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23

GAME DAY

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27

NEXT MONTH:

JAZZ SHABBAT

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1

RUMMAGE SET-UP

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3

PA PIZZERIA FUNDRAISER

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4

RUMMAGE SALE

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5

BOWLING

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7

CHICKEN SOUP COOK-OFF

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9

MEN'S CLUB VET'S DAY BREAKFAST

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10

SISTERHOOD BOOK CLUB

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17

BLOOD DRIVE/PANCAKE

BREAKFAST/BOOK FAIR

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24

TURKEY TROT AT LITTLE BAY PARK

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29



From the Rabbi's desk

As I write this, the High Holidays have not yet arrived. By the time you receive this newsletter, we will be in the midst of the "*asseret y'mei teshuvah*" — the ten days of repentance between Rosh HaShannah and Yom Kippur. These days are also called *Yamim Noraim*, "*Days of Awe*." Why are they so awesome? Nowadays, "awesome" has come to mean "wonderful," "great," or "cool." But *nora* in Hebrew comes from the root meaning "fear." In this context, awesome means frightening, fearsome or serious, because this is the time when God judges us. There is still time however, to change our fate. We do this with acts of *teshuvah*, (repentance), *t'filah* (prayer), and *tzedakah* (charity). *Tzedakah* (charity) is often thought of in monetary terms. Yet *tzedakah* comes from the root of the word *tzedek*, or justice. There are many ways to work for justice that do not require you to open your wallet. *Tzedek* is doing the right thing. *Tzedek* is treating others with dignity. When you communicate love, concern, support, and compassion, in a way you are practicing *tzedek*.

I would like to encourage you to practice this version of *tzedek* at TBS. We can even make it easy for you. Participate in our "Lift Someone Up" program. In the past few years the number of members who can no longer drive is increasing.

We need caring, kind compassionate members to offer a ride to synagogue. Most likely, there is someone very close by and you don't even have to go out of your way. Please e-mail me at rabbi@templebethsholom.org or Deirdre Weliky, our Caring Committee chairwoman at dwangel1@gmail.com and we will match you up with someone close by. You don't have to commit to every week; just once in a while is more than enough.

Another way to practice *tzedek* is to use the opportunity to continue to donate to our Temple Beth Sholom food bank. We will be providing paper bags during the High Holidays. Please fill these bags with unopened, unexpired non-perishable food items and toiletries and place them in the marked container that will be outside the sanctuary.

Finally, I would like to remind you that I am once again offering the wonderful Chai Mitzvah program of guided and self-directed learning. This year's topic will be the Ten Commandments. We meet monthly; check your e-mails for dates.

Walter and I wish all of you a sweet and healthy New Year!

Rabbi Sharon Ballan



September Board of Trustees Meeting

Worship Schedule

<i>Tuesday, October 1:</i>	Rosh Hashanah Service 10:00 am
<i>Friday, October 4:</i>	Simchat Shabbat/ Shabbat Family Service 7:30 pm Torah Portion: Vayellich <i>Candle Lighting: Robin Myers</i> <i>Kiddush: Alice Newman</i> <i>Host: Alice Newman in memory of Ken Newman and Debbie Newman</i>
<i>Saturday, October 5:</i>	Torah Study & Shabbat Morning Service 10:00 am
<i>Tuesday, October 8:</i>	Kol Nidre 8:00 pm
<i>Wednesday, October 9:</i>	Yom Kippur Morning Service 10:00 am Interim Program 12:30 pm Children's Service 2:00 pm Afternoon Service of Healing 3:00 pm Yiskor/N'eelah 5:15 pm
<i>Friday, October 11:</i>	Shabbat Evening Service 8:00 pm Torah Portion: Ha-azinu <i>Candle Lighting: Erica Bernstein</i> <i>Kiddush: Dara Bernstein</i> <i>Host: Sisterhood</i>
<i>Saturday, October 12:</i>	Torah Study & Shabbat Morning Service 10:00 am
<i>Sunday, October 13:</i>	Erev Sukkot 5:00 pm Followed by Pizza in the Hut
<i>Friday, October 18:</i>	Shared Shabbat/ Shabbat Family Service 7:30 pm Torah Portion: Chol HaMoed Sukkot <i>Candle Lighting: Junior Congregation Members</i> <i>Kiddush: Junior Congregation Members</i> <i>Host: Sisterhood</i>
<i>Saturday, October 19:</i>	Torah Study & Shabbat Morning Service 10:00 am
<i>Sunday, October 20:</i>	Simchat Torah Service & Program 5:00 pm Including light dinner
<i>Monday, October 21:</i>	Shemini Atzeret/Simchat Torah/ Yizkor Service 10:00 am
<i>Friday, October 25:</i>	Shabbat Evening Service 8:00 pm Torah Portion: Bereisheet <i>Candle Lighting: Lori Lustig</i> <i>Kiddush: Eric Lustig</i> <i>Host: Sisterhood</i>
<i>Saturday, October 26:</i>	Torah Study & Shabbat Morning Service 10:00 am

The Board of Trustees met on Monday, September 9th, 2019 after President Fay Schildkraut led an evacuation drill and discussion of steps to take during an active shooter event. Additional drills will be rolled out as part of new security measures. President Fay Schildkraut reported the new air conditioner in the Library has been fully paid for, in part due to donations by The Flushing Jewish Community Council (Paul Engel), Geri Weiss and David Chenkin and the 2019 Chai Mitzvah class. Justin and Seth White donated the money raised through their Mitzvah Project to the Building Fund,

Jeff Cohen, whose term as Men's Club President had expired, has agreed to remain in office until January. Robin Myers, Financial Secretary, reported we now have 121 member units. The Board approved the August Financial Report as submitted by Treasurer Charlene Metz.

Rabbi Sharon Ballan reported on recent services. She circulated a signup sheet for Board members who may be able to give a lift to specific members unable to attend services due to lack of transportation. Cantor Jerry Korobow reported on recent and upcoming services and he has arranged for a Jazz Service on November 1st. He requested all who wish to sing that evening as part of the Choir please contact him.

Pulpit and Ritual Committee reported High Holiday honors are set. Book plates for the new siddurim can be purchased for \$36.00 in honor or memory of someone.

Parents' Association, Sisterhood, and Men's Club provided reports on upcoming meetings and events. Religious School Board Committee Chair Andrea Odintz reported on the new school year events and that there are currently 21 students with more students possibly scheduled to enroll.

The Board approved new member Susan Druss.

Social Action Committee Chair Ilyne Rabinowitz reported they will address immigration reform issues as part of their next meeting agenda. House committee chair Jim Kettig reported renovations to the Women's bathroom are in progress. Ways and Means committee chair Barry Packer reported on progress in plans for the November Chicken Soup Cook-Off, an informational video loop he and Eric Bernstein have been compiling, as well as the spring cabaret performance planned by Renee Katz.

Bazaar is in need of volunteers and merchandize, as well as people willing to make pick-ups. There are now 12,375 pre-sorted books.

Respectfully submitted,
Gail Tishcoff
Recording Secretary



TBS Fund Acknowledgments as of September 23, 2019

- PULPIT FLOWER FUND** TBS Office 718-463-4143
- MOLLIE MEYER TRIBUTE & MEMORIAL FUND** Diane Shtulman 718-224-3875
Bernice Berman in honor of Barbara & Adam Gandelman's 25th anniversary
Betty Zimmermann in honor of Barbara and Adam Gandelman's 25th Anniversary and for renewing their vows
Betty Zimmermann in memory of Mark Frances
- CULINARY FUND**..... Iris Bass 718-224-3009
- JOSHUA SACKS - OPPENHEIM EDUCATION FUND**..... TBS Office 718-463-4143
- LT. MARVIN S. ACKERMAN MEMORIAL LIBRARY FUND** TBS Office 718-463-4143
- JEWISH START** TBS Office 718-463-4143
- GENERAL FUND**..... TBS Office 718-463-4143
Ruth Dorfman in memory of Judy Mendelson, grandmother of Eric Bernstein
Ruth Dorfman in memory of Mark Frances, husband of Esther Frances
- TORAH FUND.** TBS Office 718-463-4143
- RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND** Rabbi Sharon Ballan 718-463-4143
Jerry Maurer
Ron and Robin Myers in memory of Judith Myers
Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Roberts in memory of Jesse Taub
- MEN'S CLUB TEMPLE BEAUTIFICATION FUND**..... Eric Bernstein 917-902-4894
Betty Zimmermann in memory of Judith Mendelson who edited our cookbook and did so much for TBS
- MUSIC FUND**.....Cantor Korobow 718-463-4143
Joy Bobrow to thank Cantor and David Close for wonderful music services
Maia Zedek to thank TBS for being so welcoming
- TEMPLE BUILDING FUND**.....Fay Schildkraut 718-463-4143
Betty Zimmermann
Alice Newman in honor of Seth and Justin White's B'nai Mitzvah
Deirdre Weliky in honor of Seth and Justin White's B'nai Mitzvah
Maia Zedek to thank TBS for being so welcoming

When donating to Pulpit Flower Fund, please specify which Shabbat service that you wish it to be read on
 Thank you for contributing to TBS Funds!

**Join us for Simchat Shabbat Friday,
 October 4th!**



October Anniversaries

- Paul & Mindy Anichich
- Eric & Erica Bernstein
- Jeff & Karla Bonne
- Frank & Ronna Galchus
- Cantor Jerry & Zo-An Korobow

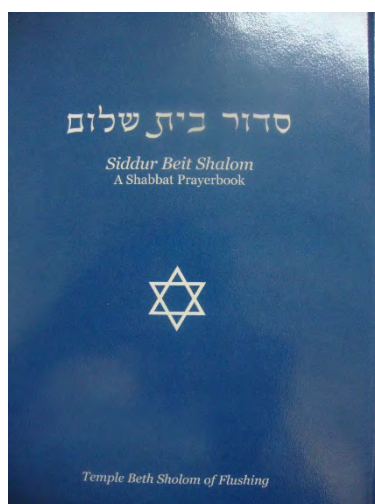


October Birthdays

- Iris Bass
- Matthew Dulberg
- Madison Fertig
- Emily Fishman
- Isadore Katz
- Karri Kaufman
- Emily Larkin
- Addison Lemmon
- Jennifer Schecter-Lonberg
- Maxine Simon
- Caryl Stern-LaRosa
- Michael Susman
- Herta Tishcoff
- Anthony Wansor
- Grace Wansor
- Max Wolinetz

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\$36 - Double chai mitzvah!

For More Info - - - geriweiss1@gmail.com

Return tear off to Temple office
Check payable to Temple Beth Sholom

Name _____

Email contact _____

I would like to purchase a bookplate for \$36 each:

In honor of _____

In memory of _____

Amount Enclosed _____

From The President

As we say goodbye to the old year and begin our celebrations for the new, I cannot help but feel enormous gratitude for our past year's accomplishments. Despite a few setbacks, we have been able to hold our own and enter the New Year solvent. We are now proudly using and enjoying our new Siddurim. We have been able to keep up with our building maintenance. Our children are back in school and they are happy. Our membership is holding steady, we have had several new members joining over the past year and we are all refreshed and ready to start the New Year. None of this would be possible without the hard work of our Rabbi, Cantor, school teachers, BOT, officers, committees, office and custodial staff. Of course, the greatest credit goes to you, our temple family. You have been a rock giving your encouragement and support throughout the year. Thank you.

We have fallen short in replacing the ballroom windows, but the secular year is not over just yet so we still have time.

It has been a mixed year for us as a temple family, some have had enormous sadness and others great joy, but the important thing is that we shared them together. We are entering the New Year stronger than ever as a united temple family.

We have so many wonderful and exciting events planned for the New Year. Please come out and support your temple; we need you!!

May this be a good year for us all.

Your President,
Fay Schildkraut

****Chai Mitzvah Class Forming****

**Wednesday, October 16th
at 7:30 pm!**

**Once again, Rabbi Ballan is offering the wonderful Chai Mitzvah program of guided and self-directed learning. If you are interested, please email Rabbi Ballan at:
rabbi@templebethsholom.org**



Sisterhood Corner

I hope that you all have a very happy and healthy New Year.

We will be holding our book club on Sunday, November 17th at 10:30 am. We will be reading to the moon and back by Lisa Kohn. Please join us as Lisa Kohn answers our questions about the book. The book can be bought on Amazon Smile. Please remember that Amazon Smile sends a portion to temple if you indicate it!

Our Women's Discussion Group has become a monthly event. The next two dates will be Wednesday, October 23rd and Wednesday, November 20th. Thank you to Deirdre Weliky for continuing to run this program for our Temple.

Our Rummage sale is coming! Please donate your gently used clothing to Temple so that we can use it for the Rummage Sale. Please help Temple by volunteering at this event. Rummage set up will be Sunday, November 3rd. The Rummage Sale will take place on Tuesday, November 5th from 9:30 am to 4:00 pm. I am asking for any and all volunteers for setup on Sunday. We will be setting up at 10:00 am. We will be missing some of our regulars for setup so please consider joining us in this mitzvah for our Temple. Please call the Temple office if you can volunteer.

If you have not already paid your dues for this year, please send them to Geri Weiss.

Please remember that Bazaar is coming!!! We need your help to make it a success. Look for details!!! Any help that you can give is greatly appreciated!!!

L'Shana Tova!

Barbara Gandelman
Sisterhood President

It's time!!

**Please look in your closets!!
We need goodies to put in our baskets
to sell at the Beauty booth at Bazaar!!**



Temple Beth Shalom Sisterhood

2019-2020 Membership Drive

Please Join Today



Support our wonderful Temple

- ✚ Provide a Jewish Future for our families
- ✚ Join us as we come together as Jewish women
- ✚ Share learning experiences
- ✚ Participate in community service projects
- ✚ Offer stimulating programs
- ✚ Create friendships with warm, intelligent women
- ✚ Non-Temple members encouraged to join (\$72)

We are looking forward to spending time with you this year.

Our year is from June 1, 2019 through May 31, 2020

Please make checks payable to TBS Sisterhood & mail to:
TBS 171-39 Northern Blvd, Flushing, NY 11358
Attention: Geri Weiss

Yes, I will join **TBS SISTERHOOD**, for the year ending May 31, 2020. Dues (\$36 or \$72) enclosed

Name _____ Phone(____)____-_____

Address _____

**Email Address _____

Date of Birth _____ Wedding Anniversary _____

(Years not required)

Non-Temple member dues (\$72) enclosed _____

- I will need a ride to the meeting
- I prefer Tuesday evening meetings
- I prefer Sunday morning meetings

Check off all topics that you may be interested in

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Current events/politics | <input type="checkbox"/> Games (Scrabble, Mah-Jongg, poker, etc) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Women's issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Creative arts (scrapbooking, crafts, etc.) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment | <input type="checkbox"/> Food & cooking |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Book reviews/discussions | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art & theater | _____ |

Bazaar Corner 2019

Our monthly reminder, in case you have forgotten, that Bazaar will be here before you know it!

Please remember that Bazaar is THE major fundraiser for Temple. It takes lots of hard work to put Bazaar together, but is also a great deal of fun to be a part of it! We need EVERYONE'S help in order to make it a success.

- Mark your calendars for Bazaar 2019 - the first weekend of December: Saturday, December 7th, Sunday, December 8th, and Monday December 9th.

- Book sorting is continuing! Look for emails announcing them. If you are available, please contact Jeff Cohen at mrjeff2000@aol.com.

- We need donations of health and beauty items, toys, new clothing, the country store, "as is", jewelry, and one of a kind!

- Please remember to ask your local merchants for donations when you patronize their stores – maybe they will even donate “reduced for clearance” items!! Shops and restaurants that you patronize might be willing to give you donations of gift certificates and any leftover merchandise.

- Don't forget to check your closets and garages. We can sell anything!!!!

- We need sous chefs to assist Chef Adam.

- Don't forget to bake, bake, bake!!!! If possible, please individually wrap your baked goods.

- We have chairpersons for most of our booths but we still need volunteers to chair some booths.

- We need help in displaying, setting up, and pricing the merchandise and of course, we also need volunteers to work in the booths when Bazaar is open. Please call the Temple Office to let us know when you will volunteer!!

Please don't forget to attend the Congregation meeting on Tuesday October 22nd at 8:00 pm so you can pick up the famous Bazaar packets, as well as learn what has been going on at Temple. The famous Bazaar packet includes:

1. Letters of introduction to present to your local merchants when you ask for merchandise or gift certificates or...

2. Reservation forms for Pancake Breakfast, the official Bazaar kickoff event Sunday November 24th!

3. Raffle books!

4. A request for your financial assistance in the form of "Angel Money" so that we can minimize the costs to Temple for any merchandise/food etc. that we have to purchase.

Please help us make Bazaar 2019 the best one yet!

Thank you!

Barbara Gandelman (adbarb1@aol.com) and Joy A. Bobrow (maxjolo@msn.com) Bazaar Co-Coordinator

Parents' Association

We hope everyone will have a reflective and meaningful New Year. We look forward to seeing you all at Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur services.

It was wonderful to see so many of you at the Welcome Breakfast in early September! Lots of yummy treats and great times getting to know each other. Our next PA meeting is Sunday October 6th at 10:00 am in the Frank S. Greene Room. If you haven't already paid your dues for the year please remember to bring it in. It is \$25 per family for the year.

Please RSVP to Erica Bernstein at 917-902-4890 by October 6th for the "Pizza in the Hut" event on Sunday October 13th at 5:00 pm right after Religious School. We will also be doing potluck desserts so please let us know what you will be bringing! It is \$6/adult and \$3/child if you pay by October 9th. If you pay at the door it will be \$8/adult and \$4/child.

Friday, October 4th at 7:30 pm will be the Family Musical Shabbat service and Friday, October 18th at 7:30 pm will be the Shared Shabbat/Jr. Congregation service. Please also note that there will be a Simchat Torah service on Sunday October 20th at 5:00 pm right after Religious School.

May you all enjoy the beautiful fall season!

Stephanie Rosenberg & Elana White
PA Co-Presidents

"Lift Someone Up"

The number of members who can no longer drive is increasing. We need caring members to offer those people a ride to synagogue. Most likely, there is someone very close by and you don't even have to go out of your way. Please contact me at rabbi@templebethsholom.org or Deirdre Weliky Caring Committee Chair, at dwangel1@gmail.com and we will match you up with someone close by. Its not necessary to commit to providing a ride every week. Once in a while is more than enough and will be appreciated by all.

If you have moved... please let the Temple Office know. Please make sure that we have your current phone number, new home address and email address. And, call to make certain the Temple Office has birthday and anniversary dates on file if you want to be acknowledged in our Sistergrams.

Temple Beth Sholom Parent's Association
with the support of Men's Club and Sisterhood present our annual:
"Pizza in the Hut"



- Help build our Sukkot
- Participate in the service
- Enjoy a pizza dinner and potluck desserts

Date: Sunday, October 13th, 2019

Time: 5:00 PM

Pay by October 9th: \$6.00/adult and \$3.00/child

Pay at the door: \$8.00/adult and \$4.00/child

The maximum per family charge is \$20.

Please RSVP by Sunday October 6th with what you are bringing by contacting/texting Erica Bernstein at (917)902-4890.

Adult Education

I hope that everyone will enjoy a healthy and meaningful High Holiday.

We had an enjoyable morning at Game Day at Temple. Our next Game Day will occur on Sunday, October 27th starting at 10:00 am. The cost is \$5.00 and snacks will be provided. It is an affordable and fun way to spend a morning with temple members.

Adult Education is continuing to work with lining up speakers for the secular New Year.

In the meantime, enjoy the wonderful events that are occurring for the remainder of 2019 including Sukkot, Simchat Torah, the Chicken Soup Cook-Off, and Bazaar.

Eric Bernstein
Adult Education Chair



How Can I Contribute to TBS without Spending?

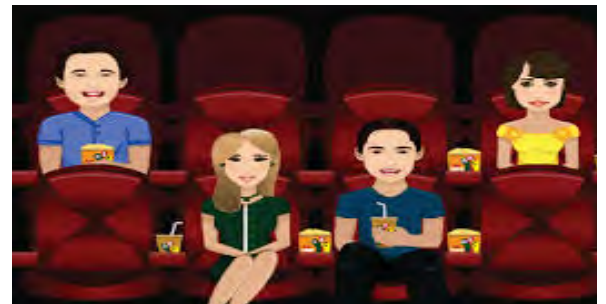
1. If every TBS member and their family and friends open a new, non-interest bearing checking account at TD Bank, you can get \$25 AND Temple Beth Sholom will receive \$50 for every new checking account opened (that remains open for at least one year). TBS will also receive a small percentage of participants' annual average balances. If you are already a TD Bank customer, Temple will receive \$10 for every existing checking account. Visit any one of TD Bank's locations and ask to have your balance included as part of Temple Beth Sholom's Affinity Membership Program, or call the Whitestone branch at (718) 357-4310 for more information. Our code in the program is AF637.
2. When you make a purchase through Amazon, make sure you use Amazon Smile by signing up for Amazon Smile (you don't lose your Prime benefits!) and select Temple Beth Sholom. You can also type in the following URL link which will bring you to the right place so a portion of your purchase supports our Temple:
<https://smile.amazon.com/ch/11-1802826>.
3. Lastly, if you are considering purchasing Judaica items, consider buying from the Judaica Webstore:
<http://templebethsholom.org/judaica/> as Temple Beth Sholom will receive a percentage of the purchase!
Thank you for your continued support of Temple Beth Sholom!

Men's Club

Men's Club bowling continues every month on the first Thursday evening. The next two sessions are Thursday, October 3rd and Thursday, November 7th at 8:00 pm at Jib Lanes. For \$15, you get shoe rental, two games of bowling, and interactions with members of the congregation. We are not professional-level keggles! Come practice your bowling form with us.

Friday, November 8th is the Men's Club Sabbath service. Contact Men's Club or Rabbi Ballan if you are interested in participating.

On Sunday, November 10th Men's Club presents a Veteran's Day breakfast featuring a screening of the documentary "The Ritchie Boys," about a group of Jewish secret agents who returned to Germany during World War II to help defeat the Nazis. The event starts at 9:30 am and the film starts around 10:00 am. A donation of \$3 is suggested to help defray food costs.



Dear Members,

Thank you to those who have already paid your dues or have entered into payment agreements! Please continue to pay as you have agreed! Should you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Robin Myers, Financial Secretary at the temple office or by email, at robinl.myers@gmail.com. Many thanks!

-Temple Beth Sholom Finance Committee



Temple Beth Sholom Men's Club

2019-2020 Membership Drive

Please Join Today!

- Support our wonderful temple
- Provide activities and entertainment for Temple families
- Share learning experiences
- Create friendships and build business contacts

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Visit us at www.templebethsholom.org

Join our Facebook group: facebook.com/groups/282600773374

Yes, I will join the TBS Men's Club for 2019-2020. Dues (\$25) enclosed.

Name ----- Phone (____) -----

Address -----

Email Address -----

Make checks payable to Temple Beth Sholom Men's Club

Check your topics of interest: Cooking Travel Entertainment
 Current events/politics Art & Theater Other

Temple Beth Sholom Game Days for Fall 2019



10:00 am – 11:45 am
Frank S. Greene Room

- Games will be provided or bring your own
- Meet new people
- \$5.00 per person
- Refreshments will be served

Please RSVP to Eric Bernstein @ EricDBernstein@Gmail.com

Temple Beth Shalom Parent's Association
with the support of Men's Club and Sisterhood present our annual:
Simchat Torah Dessert Potluck



Participate in the festivities as we dance around with the Torah and help unwind the Torah.

Date: Sunday, October 20th, 2019

Time: 5:00 PM

Please RSVP by Sunday, October 13th with what you are bringing by calling/texting Erica Bernstein at (917)902-4890



Cantor's Corner



HELP WANTED! I need energetic and enthusiastic choir members for Temple Beth Sholom's volunteer choir which will sing for Jazz Shabbat on November 1st.

During my tenure here at Temple, in past editions of this column, I've encouraged you to become involved. I've suggested joining a committee, volunteering to work on a Temple project, or joining Sisterhood or Men's Club. These are all wonderful opportunities to get to know fellow congregants, and to contribute to the community.

Now, I want to focus on the volunteer choir we're putting together for our Jazz Shabbat service on Friday, November 1st. Our musical guests that evening will include Maestro David Close on keyboard. We'll also be joined by a marvelous trio of professional jazz musicians on keys, bass and drums. But we are the ones who have to provide the sung Hebrew prayers that are the backbone of the service. You may recall the wonderful job our ad hoc choir did at our Gospel Shabbat service in January of 2018. Here's another opportunity to sing out!

We need you (both adults and children) to sing with us. Neither experience nor ability to read music is required. Most of the material you already know-prayers and tunes from our regular Friday evening service. We'll just "jazz them up" a bit.

We're not looking for a long-term commitment - just for folks to participate in this one event. We'll have three or four rehearsals so that everyone can feel comfortable and prepared (October dates are reflected in the Voice calendar). Don't worry if you can't make every rehearsal-we still want you. I promise rehearsals will be fun!

Over the years, lots of people have told me that they love music, but they can't sing. Forget about that - come and join us for what promises to be a fun-filled and inspirational Shabbat experience to which we have invited the entire community. It will be an opportunity to enjoy our tradition in a reimagined and re-contextualized way. It will be a rare opportunity to see and hear how musicians improvise on the spot. And, you'll get to experience the "hippest" sermon in song you can imagine. Come join the choir - you (and we) will be glad you did!

With affection,
Cantor Jerry Korobow



Religious School News

Rosh Hashanah is right around the corner and I wish you all a sweet, happy and healthy New Year. Indeed, the month of September will soon leave us with lots of warm and wonderful memories!

We welcomed two new students to our Hebrew School and reunited with old friends as classes resumed. We celebrated with the White family as we shared the B'nai Mitzvah of the elder White brothers, Justin and Seth. Mazel Tov to the entire family!! We welcomed Shabbat at the first of our Shared Shabbat Services of the year, made even more special by our first opportunity to pray from the new TBS Siddur! Yasher koach to our new confirmation class for leading High Holiday children's services.

If September wasn't busy enough, we are looking forward to some October activities including decorating the Sukkah, having Pizza in the Hut, and dancing with the Torah on Simchat Torah. In between, we will be busy refreshing and improving our Hebrew reading and continuing our prayer study, Torah study, and all those topics that connect us to our Judaism and to the community.

We look forward to a new year of learning, sharing, and doing mitzvot together here at TBS.

B'shalom,
Karen Feit
Principal of the Religious School



BLOOD DRIVE



Sunday, 11/24
9:30 am
To
3:30 pm

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Temple Beth Sholom of Flushing presents



Friday, November 1, 2019
8 PM

Join us for our first Jazz Shabbat
with Cantor Jerry Korobow, Rabbi Sharon Ballan,
musician David Close, a professional Jazz Trio,
and our own TBS volunteer choir.

'Sing and Swing' to traditional and contemporary Shabbat
liturgical music set to jazz melodies and rhythms!

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Sisterhood of Temple Beth Sholom Sistergrams: November/December 2019

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November Bar Mitzvah

Joshua Fishman 11/16__

November Birthdays

Alice Newman 11/2__
 Robert Schiffman 11/6__
 Ilyne Rabinowitz 11/8__
 Jay Haimer 11/10__
 Lori Wansor 11/11__
 Bonnie Wilichinsky 11/15__
 Ellen Coleman 11/17__
 Joy A. Bobrow 11/21__
 Michael Rosenberg 11/25__
 Bret Fertig 11/28__

December Birthdays

Penny Schnitzer 12/1__
 Suzanne Fertig 12/7__
 Kathleen Flug 12/7__
 Donald LaRosa 12/7__
 Eric Bernstein 12/9__
 Meyer Marks 12/9__
 Miriam Scharf 12/9__
 Stacy Kroun Fertig 12/10__
 Joel Kaufman 12/13__
 Bari Gold 12/15__
 Susan Druss 12/25__
 Beth Dulberg 12/25__
 Daniel Harkavy 12/25__
 Fay Schildkraut 12/26__
 Jeff Sovern 12/26__
 Mindy Anichich 12/27__
 Frank Galchus 12/30__
 Edward Carroscio 12/31__



November Anniversaries

Joy A. Bobrow & Louis Fevola 11/1__
 Lloyd & Brenda Bernhard 11/5__
 Steve & Carrie Levinsky 11/8__
 Stanley & Robbie Schecter 11/13__
 Michael Susman & Sharon Yontef 11/20__
 Rabbi Sharon Ballan & Walter Costanza 11/23__

December Anniversaries

David Chenkin & Geri Weiss 12/9__

Full Name: _____
Phone # _____

Temple Beth Sholom Sisterhood presents

WOMEN'S DISCUSSION GROUP



Wednesday evening, October 23rd, 2019

7:30 pm in the Library

TOPIC: Change

Join with women of all ages and life experiences, temple family and friends alike. As women, we seek to learn about ourselves and others and explore our similarities and differences in a caring and supportive environment.

The group will be facilitated by Dr. Deirdre Weliky, LCSW, a member of our temple family and social worker with more than 25 years' experience.

**For more information, contact Deirdre at
dwang1@gmail.com**

Scoop's Schmooze

As I was sitting and putting pen to paper for this edition of Scoop's Schmooze, it was the morning of September 11th 2019; the only commemoration of a day that doesn't need anything but numerals to be identified---9/11.

I was watching one of the many sobering specials on television that featured the alphabetical reading of the names of those who tragically perished on that late summer day of Tuesday, September 11th, 2001. Depending on which channel you were watching, as the names were read, the bottom of the screen scrolled by identifying the victims with their hometown, photos and age on that indelible day.

By the time the alphabet was only about one-third done, there were three people of the 2,977 victims who lost their lives to these senseless acts who I knew of or who I actually knew personally.

Garnet "Ace" Bailey, I observed from afar when he played hockey for the Boston Bruins when I was watching them as a child in the late 1960s and early 1970s, winning the Stanley Cup in 1970 and 1972. On 9/11, he was a scout for the Los Angeles Kings in Manchester, New Hampshire and was aboard United Airlines flight 175. Carlos Dominguez's wife, Maureen, was a member of the East Meadow New York Sports Club where I was the General Manager. Carlos had been an independent contractor for Marsh & McLennan for three years, became a permanent employee on September 10th, 2001 and wanted to be early on his first day as a regular worker. Michael Horn was from a traditional Irish family, worked for Cantor Fitzgerald and was the 27 year-old brother of my friend Christine. Often when I would see Michael, he would jokingly imitate his mother with an accomplished Irish brogue.

And, while I was watching the specials, I wondered how long it would have taken to list the names of the six million Jews lost in the Holocaust. While I knew three people from 9/11, more than that were taken from my father-in-law, Isidore, and his brother Frank; as they lost their mother Rivkah, sister Chavah and their two brothers Martin and Tibor in the senseless and heartless destruction of the Jewish people some 60 years before 9/11. I have been truly and honestly blessed to know other survivors and children of survivors. And, when one speaks of these horrors and atrocities, the most mind-boggling thing in talking about the total devastation of both tragedies is that all of the people who tragically perished on 9/11 equal the alarming percentage of 0.000049616666 of the Jews who lost their lives in the Holocaust.

With all of that being said, there is no place in our world for any venom, vitriol or violence. There is no need for disdain, belittlement or hatred. People should not be judged by the God they pray to, the country they were born in, the color of their skin, the people they choose to love, or the amount of wealth they have.

For the wealth one has is not only measured in dollars and cents, but more so in the make-up of one's heart and soul. So, as we come upon our High Holidays, let us not just wish each other a Happy New Year, an Easy Fast and a L'shanah Tovah. But, may they all be filled with good health. May they all be meaningful. May they all be peaceful. And may we always remember the 6,002,977.

Barry Packer

Third Vice President/Ways and Means Chairman



Happy New Year



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TBS Pre-Bazaar Pancake Breakfast

Sunday Nov. 24, 2019

Please Note: The School Schedule for Today is
Different!!!



Blood Drive – 9:30 am to 3:30 pm in the FSG Room
Judaic Book Fair – 9:00 am to 1:00 pm – front lobby

Chanukah is LATE again this year! Buy some presents/support the religious school!!!!

Pancake Breakfast/Religious School

School begins at 9:00 am; children will join the Pancake Breakfast at 10:00 am

Doors open at 9:30 am***Breakfast served at 10:00 am***Reservations Requested
Entertainment starts at 10:30 am

_____ Yes, we are coming to the Pancake Breakfast!

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Veteran's Day Breakfast

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Join us for a screening of "The Ritchie Boys" on
Sunday, Nov. 10, 2019

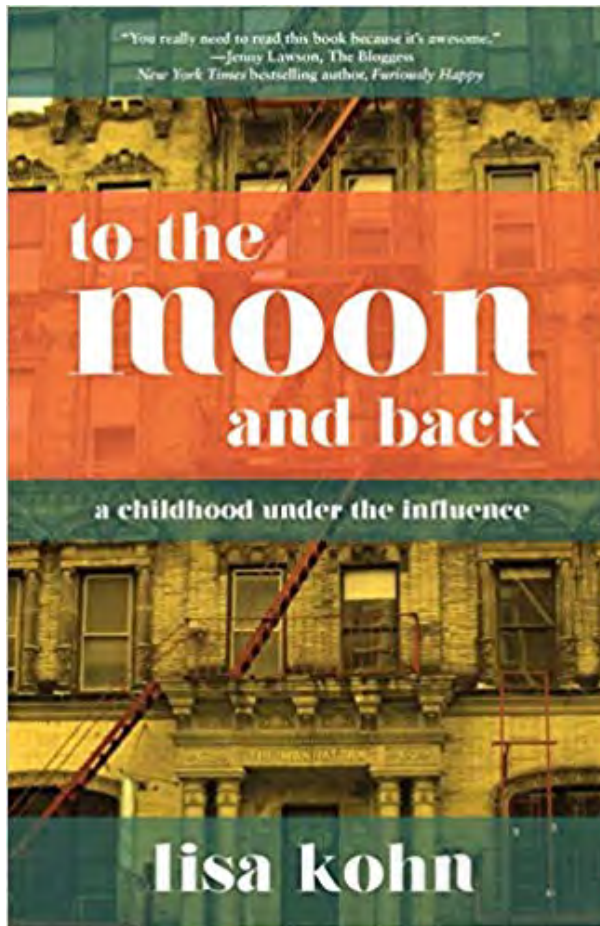
9:30 – 11:30 AM

Join us for a complimentary breakfast and viewing of the riveting, untold story of a group of young men who fled Nazi Germany and returned as soldiers in U.S. uniforms. In Camp Ritchie, Maryland, they were trained in intelligence and psychological warfare. Determined, bright, and inventive, they fought their own kind of war.

\$3 donation suggested

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TBS SISTERHOOD PRESENTS:
BOOK CLUB – SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17TH, 2019



“to the moon and back”
By Lisa Kohn

Date:
Sunday, November 17th, 2019

Time: 10:30 am

Refreshments will be served

***We welcome Lisa
Kohn to give a book
talk and answer
questions!!!***

The best seats Lisa Kohn ever had at Madison Square Garden were at her mother's mass wedding, and the best cocaine she ever had was from her father's friend, the judge.

Born to hippie parents and raised in New York City's East Village in the 1970s, Lisa's early years were a mixture of encounter groups, primal screams, macrobiotic diets, communes, Indian ashrams, Jefferson Airplane concerts in Central Park, and watching naked actors on off-Broadway stages during the musical *HAIR*. By the time her older brother was ten, Lisa's father had him smoking pot. By the time Lisa was ten, Lisa's mother had them pledging their lives to the Unification Church (the "Moonies") and self-appointed Messiah, Reverend Sun Myung Moon.

As a child Lisa knew the ecstatic comfort of inclusion in a cult and as a teenager the torment of rebelling against it. As an adult, Lisa struggled to break free from the hold of abuse and the scars in her heart, mind, and psyche--battling her own addictions and inner demons and searching her soul for a sense of self-worth. Told in spirited candor, ***to the moon and back*** reveals how one can leave behind absurdity and horror and create a life of intention and joy. This is the fascinating tale of a story rarely told in its full complexity.

Please read the book and come to our book club meeting with your opinions and comments. If you are using Amazon, don't forget to order through [amazon smile](https://www.amazon.com/smile) to make donations to Temple Beth Shalom!!!

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Week of October 4th

Louis Bohrer	Father of Elaine S. Trachter
Henry J. Fine*	Observed by Temple
Fanny Goldschmitt	Mother of Ruth Schorsch
Bernard Metz	Father of Charlene Bina Metz
Debbie Newman	Daughter of Alice Newman
Ken Newman	Husband of Alice Newman
Herbie Rosenberg	Uncle of Sam Rosenberg
Josephine Rosenweig	Mother of Bernice E. Berman
Bella Weiss	Grandmother of Geri Weiss
	Mother of Irwin L. Weiss

Week of October 11th

Richard Bass	Husband of Iris Bass
Isaac Optsbaum	Great Grandfather of Elaine Larkin
Adele Robbins	Observed by Temple
Shirley Shufer	Aunt of Karen Carroscio
Jack Tandatnick	Husband of Lillian Tandatnick

Week of October 18th

Ben Bernhard	Father of Lloyd Bernhard
Kenneth L. Einsohn	Brother-in-Law of Andrea Odintz
Rose Lerner	Grandmother of Geri Weiss
	Mother-in-Law of Irwin L. Weiss
Jennie Levinsky	Paternal Grandmother of Steve Levinsky
Rose Rosenberg	Mother of Sam Rosenberg
Judith Steele	Wife of Ned Steele
Isaac Susman	Father of Michael Susman

* *Past President*

Week of October 25th

Minnie Berman	Mother-in-Law of Bernice E. Berman
Irene Dulberg	Mother of Matthew Dulberg
Harry Trachter	Husband of Elaine S. Trachter

Week of November 1st

David Berman	Father-in-Law of Bernice E. Berman
Dominic Cavallo	Father of Barbara Gandelman
Emanuel Dorfman	Father of Ruth Dorfman
Jack Haime	Uncle of Karen Carroscio
Lillian Nerenberg	Aunt of Diane Shtulman
Florence Rosenberg	Grandmother of Eric Rosenberg
Hilda Weiss	Wife of Irwin L. Weiss
	Mother of Geri Weiss

☆ *Zichrona Livracha* ☆

The Temple notes with sadness the passing of

Lore Kaplan

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Rosh Hashanah Morning Service 10:00 am *Office Closed*	2 Hebrew School 4:30 pm Jazz Choir Rehearsal 7:30 pm	3 Men's Club Bowling 8:00 pm	4 Family Shabbat/Simchat Shabbat 7:30 pm Elliana Ruffus baby naming 7:30 pm	5 Shabbat Morning Service & Torah Study 10:00 am
		6 Religious School 10:00 am P.A. 10:00 am Men's Club 11:00 am Religious School Board 11:30 am	7	8 Kol Nidre 8:00 pm	9 Yom Kippur Morning Service 10:00 am Interim Program 12:30 pm Children's Service 2:00 pm Afternoon Healing Service 3:00 pm Yizkor/N'eelah 5:15 pm *Office Closed*	10
13 Religious School 4:00 pm Sukkot & Pizza in the Hut 5:00 pm	14 Membership 7:00 pm Board Meeting 8:00 pm *Office Closed*	15 Jazz Choir Rehearsal 7:30 pm	16 Hebrew School 4:30 pm Chai Mitzvah class 7:30 pm	17	18 Shared Shabbat 7:30 pm (FSG Room)	19 No Torah Study Sukkot Day 6
20 Religious School 4:00 pm Simchat Torah Service/Program and Light Potluck 5:00 pm	21 Simchat Torah Shemini Atzertet/Yiskor 10:00 am *Office Closed*	22 Congregational Meeting 8:00 pm	23 Hebrew School 4:30 pm Women's Discussion Group 7:30 pm	24	25 Shabbat Evening Service 8:00 pm	26 Shabbat Morning Service & Torah Study 10:00 am
27 Adult Education 10:00 am Religious School 10:00 am	28	29 Jazz Choir Rehearsal 7:30 pm	30 Hebrew School 4:30 pm Jazz Choir Rehearsal 7:30 pm (If needed)	31		

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The October Simchat Shabbat Service will be on Friday, October 4th, at 7:30 pm. when we will be celebrating the birthdays and anniversaries for the month of October!!



SAVE THE DATE

Don't forget to attend the Congregational Meeting on Tuesday, October 22nd at 8:00 pm! Please come in to hear and learn about our important updates occurring at our Temple. We need your input!

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