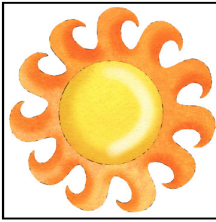


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Lach L'cha!

By Rabbi Howard Mandell



Dear Congregants and Friends ~

I would like to begin this month's *Lach L'cha* column by announcing three important matters relating to the upcoming High Holy Days. First, our Board of Directors has authorized the immediate purchase of the Conservative Movement's new *Machzor, Lev Shalem*, which has a number of advantages over the High Holy Day prayer book that we have been using and should thus add significantly to our High Holy Day experience.

Second, Rabbi Ed Feld, senior editor of *Lev Shalem*, has agreed to do a teaching for us about the new *Machzor*. While notice will soon be going out to the congregation with more details, I would ask that you please save the date of Sunday, September 10 for what should be an enriching and informative presentation by Rabbi Feld.

Last, but certainly not least, while I am sad to announce that Cantor Judith Berkson will not be returning this year, I am pleased and excited to welcome Cantor Linda Sue Sohn as our High Holy Day cantor.

I want to take this opportunity to publicly thank Jeff Tye, Merle Roesler, Elaine Winic, Terry Feters, and Jeremy Finkle for their invaluable assistance in the selection process. In addition to her having a lovely voice, Cantor Sohn has a warm personality and way about her.

The main subject of my column this month relates to one of the simplest, but at the same time, most profound teachings found in our sacred texts: "Who is wise? One who learns from everyone." The wisdom of this teaching was brought home to me on a recent visit to my sister in New York City. The 3 people, below, helped remind me of something that I know but am prone to forget--that each of us is created in the image of the divine and thus has the potential to live our lives with loving kindness, compassion, and caring, regardless of one's social status, ethnicity, net worth, etc.

The first person, who reminded me of this, was the nurse taking my sister's vital signs prior to her undergoing a minor medical procedure. Being a curious soul, my sister asked the nurse where she lived. The nurse responded that her husband and she lived in Nassau County on the weekends, but that she spent the work week living with her brother and his family in Queens. When my sister then asked her why she did this, she explained that, in order to get to work on time at the hospital from her apartment in Nassau County, she was having to get up at 4:00 am in the morning, and that she didn't have to get up until 5:00 am to get to work on time from her brother's. The nurse went on to point out that, even the ride from her brother's, required her to take a bus and 3 different subways to get to work on time.

When my sister asked her, if she had thought about trying to find a job closer to home, she said that jobs were not easy to come by, and that, even more importantly, the joy and satisfaction that she derived as a nurse helping others made the long ride worthwhile.

The second person, who served as a teacher for me, was a doorman, whom I have come to know by name over the years, at the building in which my sister lives. His usual response, when I ask him how he is doing, is a bland "everything is OK". This time, however, he responded with a big smile on his face, telling me that he was going to visit his parents and extended family this summer. I asked him where they lived, and he mentioned a country in Central Europe. "How often do you get to visit them," I asked? He noted that this was the first time that he was going to get to see them, since he immigrated to the U.S. over 7 years ago. Anticipating my next question, he added that it took him all this time to raise the money needed to visit them, because, in addition to supporting his own family here, he sends money each month to his parents to help support them. "I greatly miss them, but my parents are elderly and unable to work and thus need my financial support just to take care of their basic necessities."

I met my third teacher, while taking an afternoon walk on my second day in the City. I had stopped in a local grocery store to buy some personal items and some flowers for my sister, and was a little dismayed to see how crowded the store was and how long the checkout lines were. With my needing to be back at my sister's by a time certain, since we had dinner reservations that evening, I was a more than a little anxious by the time that I reached the cashier. I quickly paid for the items that I purchased, exited the store, and began

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CO-PRESIDENTS' CORNER

By Robin Rose & Howard Spector

When we agreed to be Co-Presidents this past spring, we will now admit, it was initially with a bit of hesitation. After all, we've both been down this road before. Could we make a difference, and did we have the energy to try? After much discussion, we jumped in with all 4 feet, and our commitment has been matched by yours. We are invigorated and excited about what we've witnessed over the last several months. The Board has stepped up with renewed energy, taking action to move us forward. Even more vital, it's very clear that the congregation has made a commitment to the shul, as well.

This spring, Rabbi Mandell chose to honor his Father's memory by offering matching grants to our community in a number of strategic areas. Thanks to the Rabbi's and the congregation's extreme generosity, our matching grant program was a smashing success. The matching appeal raised a total of \$20,772 (\$5K from the Rabbi and \$15,772 from other donations) targeted towards:

- ✧ Conservative Movement's new *siddur* and/or *machzor* (Our current *siddur* is over 20 years old and our current *machzor* is over 40 years old.)
- ✧ Adult Education Speakers' Program
- ✧ Social and Religious Programming
- ✧ Board and Community Building Consultant
- ✧ Social Action/Social Justice
- ✧ Other Strategic Initiatives

We have recently purchased new *machzorim* for the High Holy Days due to the success of this campaign, and are looking forward to more strategic initiatives in the future, which you all have made possible.

In the Rabbi's words: "I am hoping that if this matching grant appeal is successful, it will inspire others in our community to do the same with their deceased friends and loved ones – ideally leading to the creation of a special fund, called the "Legacy Fund: May Their Memory Always Be For A Blessing".

We are thrilled to say this was an amazing success and are extremely grateful for the generosity shown by all involved. May Leonard C. Mandell's memory, and all of your loved ones whose memories serve as inspiration, always be for a blessing.

Thank you to the following donors:

Susannah & Rob Abbott

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Judith Green Chaloff, in memory of my loved ones

Beth & Peter Edelstein

Terry Fetters

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Sarah Blumenstock Girrell, in memory of Alexander & Rivarose Blumenstock, Harry & Laura Werstein,
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Roberta E. Hantgan, in memory of my father, George Hantgan, z"l

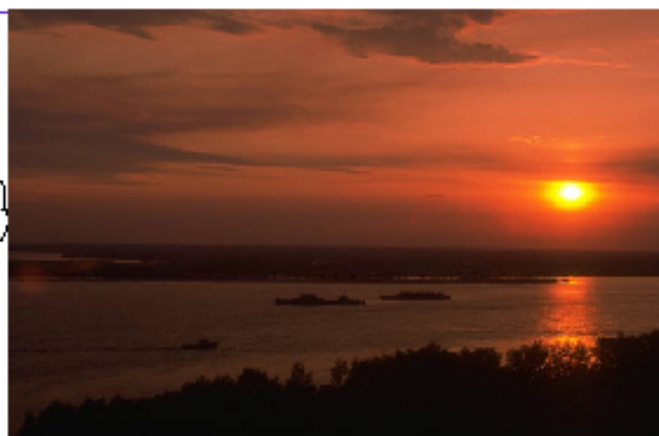
Caren Jacobson & Blair Roberts

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Shabbat on the Road

August 4, 2017
With Sangria Wine Tasting



Please join us as we welcome in Shabbat!

Greetings and Appetizers 6:30pm

Service at 7:00pm

Followed by Dinner and Sangria Tasting

Possible Sing A Long with Bashert!



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Amy @CBI, 978.474.0540,
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**Presents a great opportunity to
honor or remember Loved Ones!**

New Mahzor : Lev Shalem



CBI is pleased to announce that we have purchased new, modern and inspirational High Holy Day Mahzorim. Thanks to the generosity of the Leonard C. Mandell Legacy Fund and some of our congregants, we will all be able to enjoy new mahzorim this fall.

We are offering everyone the opportunity to purchase book plates for the new prayer books to honor or memorialize family and friends.

A book plate will be added to the inside cover of each book.

Please print the inscription you would like to have printed on the book plate:

Name of Donor: _____

[] In Honor of: _____

[] In Memory of: _____

Please enclose your check to CBI for \$36 for each book plate.

Return form and check to Amy in the office:
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KIDDUSH / ONEG / SPECIAL EVENT SPONSORS



<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Occasion</u>
Michelle Soll & Faye Soll	6/3	In memory of their beloved father, Lawrence Goodman and beloved step-father, Stanley Dress
Elaine Winic	6/10	In honor of her father, Sam Winic, z'l whose birthday was June 9
Rosalie & Gary Mauser	6/10	In memory of Gary's mother, Ida Mauser, at yahrzeit
Tanya Gould & Jeremy Finkle	6/10	In honor of the Schneider / Kualapai Family
Barbara & Bob Moverman	6/16	In honor of Shabbat Chai on the Road
Robin & Rick Pike	6/24	In honor of their daughter, Ilana, graduating from Andover High School
The Board of Directors	6/28	In honor of the Annual Meeting
Gayle & Jeff Tye	7/1	In honor of their 35th anniversary and in honor of Jeanne & Phil Zeller's 63rd anniversary
Barbara Moverman	7/8	In memory of beloved mother, Gloria Armel, at yahrzeit
Jerry Golner	7/15	In memory of beloved sister, Isobel Regan, at yahrzeit
Tanya Gould & Jeremy Finkle	7/21	In honor of Shabbat Chai on the Road
Bill Shek	7/22	In honor of the CBI Shabbat Morning 'minion'
Jerry Golner	7/29	In memory of beloved wife, Miriam Golner, at yahrzeit
Barbara Moverman	7/29	In memory of beloved father, Herbert Armel, at yahrzeit

Upcoming dates are available to honor/memorialize loved ones or special events/holidays.
Contact Amy for more information.

Thank You & Mazel Toy!

Thank you to Tanya Gould for her dedication and service to CBI, serving as President the last two years. Todah Rabah! Also, mazel toy on being honored as Volunteer of the Year at the Annual Meeting.

Mazel toy to the returning and incoming Officers of the Board of Directors, voted on during the Annual Meeting, for a period of two years:

Co-Presidents, Robin Rose & Howard Spector
 Vice President, Jeff Tye
 Vice President, Caren Jacobson
 Vice President, Leslie Silverstein
 Clerk, Jim Shinker

If you would like to learn more about serving as a member of the Board of Directors, please contact anyone named above, or Amy in the CBI office, 978.474.0540, office@BethIsraelMV.org.



SIMCHAS - CELEBRATIONS

August 2017



BIRTHDAYS

Jennifer Dudley, 8/2
Natalie Greenblatt, 8/3
Ilana Lopez, 8/4
Sam Roberts, 8/5
Sara Finkle, 8/6
Mitch Guttentag, 8/6
Stefanie Eisenbach, 8/7
Nathan Zeller, 8/7
JP Lee, 8/9
Steven Shainker, 8/14
Bob Moverman, 8/15
David Roberts, 8/15
Rick Pike, 8/18
Roberta Hantgan, 8/21
Paula Flagler, 8/24

Israel Lopez, 8/25
Adelle Stavits, 8/25

ANNIVERSARIES

Cindy & Burt Ochs, 8/16
Robin Insuik & Hank Eppich, 8/17
Ilana & Israel Lopez, 8/31



Best wishes for many
more happy and healthy
celebrations!

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Peter & Beth Edelstein
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Sheryd Jackson
Harriet Snyder
Charles Marget
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Jerold Golner
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Lawrence & Zoila Feldman
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Harvey E. Freedman
Sheryd & David Jackson
Jerold Golner
Jerold Golner
Les Tye
Rosalie Mauser
Gary Mauser
Terry Feters
Sanford Greenberg
Jonathan Brody
Gerald & Judy Krantweiss

Departed

Alfred Silbey, Husband
Judy Kutel, Sister
Charles Goldstein Uncle
Evelyn Gill, Wife
Florence Raifman, Beloved Grandmother
Helen Sarah Glassman, Mother
Ida E. Marget, Mother
Esther Levine, Mother
Isobel Regan, Sister
Morris Edstine, Uncle
Libby Kamenske, Grandmother
Bessie Fleet, Grandmother
Miriam Golner, Beloved Sister
Miriam Golner, Mother, Grandmother
Shirley Feldman, Mother, Mother-in-Law
Leonard Kleinbart, Father
Sherman Goldman, Father, Grandfather
Ben Berkowitz, Father
Max Soreff, Great-Grandfather
Norton Shapiro, Beloved Father
Dora Golner, Mother
Miriam Golner, Wife
Louis Konikoff, Grandfather
Libby Feinberg, Mother
Dr. Donald Mauser, Brother
John Feters, Brother
Martha Greenberg, Sister
Bernice Brody, Mother
Sara Krantweiss, Mother



Kind & Generous Donations

TEMPLE FUND

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Occasion</u>
Elaine Winic	Ethel Somers	In honor of granddaughter, Yael Brandt, becoming engaged to Max Miller
Michelle & Larry Soll	Leslie & David Silverstein	In honor of son, Scott, becoming engaged to Laura Schutz
Robin & Mike Rose	Merle Roesler & Family	In memory of beloved mother, grandmother, Blanche Schlesinger
Robin & Mike Rose	Blair Roberts & Family	In memory of beloved mother, grandmother, Harriet Roberts
Robin & Mike Rose	Cindy & Burt Ochs	In honor of Rachel's engagement to Benjamin Sharpe
Judy & Joel Alson	Merle Roesler & Family	In memory of beloved mother, grandmother, Blanche Schlesinger
Judith Chaloff & Marty Weiss	Barbara & Bob Moverman	In appreciation of a lovely Shabbat Chai on the Road
Judith Chaloff & Marty Weiss	Barbara & Bob Moverman	In honor of Carla's marriage to Hiro Sato
Ethel Somers	The Spector Family	In memory of beloved wife, mother, grandmother, Florence Spector
Tina & Howard Spector	Barbara & Bob Moverman	In honor of Carla's marriage to Hiro Sato
Tina & Howard Spector	Michelle & Larry Soll	In honor of the birth of grandson, Jack Andrew Soll
Tina & Howard Spector	Judith Chaloff	Get well wishes
Ethel Somers	Michelle & Larry Soll	In honor of the birth of grandson, Jack Andrew Soll
Ethel Somers	Barbara & Bob Moverman	In honor of Carla's marriage to Hiro Sato
Libbie Glazer	Naomi Cowen	In memory of beloved son, Jeffrey Cowen
Libbie Glazer	Paula & Howie Flagler	In honor of anniversary
Libbie Glazer	Paula & Howie Flagler	In honor of Jackie's graduation from Bryant College
Libbie Glazer	Paula & Howie Flagler	In honor of Ali's graduation from UNH
Robin & Mike Rose	Barbara & Bob Moverman	In honor of Carla's marriage to Hiro Sato
Robin & Mike Rose	Michelle & Larry Soll	In honor of the birth of grandson, Jack Andrew Soll
Robin & Mike Rose	Judith Chaloff	Get well wishes
Robin & Mike Rose	Ellen Brody & Family	In memory of beloved father, grandfather, Dr. Arthur S. Lurie
Elaine Winic	Ellen Brody & Family	In memory of beloved father, grandfather, Dr. Arthur S. Lurie
Elaine Winic	Michelle & Larry Soll	In honor of the birth of grandson, Jack Andrew Soll
Elaine Winic	Barbara & Bob Moverman	In honor of Carla's marriage to Hiro Sato
Elaine Winic	Ethel Somers	In memory of beloved friend, Florence Spector
Elaine Winic	Ellen & Rich Maltzman	In honor of the birth of grandson, Dilan Shah
Elaine Winic	Cindy & Burt Ochs	In honor of Rachel's engagement to Benjamin Sharpe
Michelle & Larry Soll	Ellen Brody & Family	In memory of beloved father, grandfather, Dr. Arthur S. Lurie
Faye & Rich Soll	Ellen Brody & Family	In memory of beloved father, grandfather, Dr. Arthur S. Lurie
Leslie & David Silverstein	Ellen Brody & Family	In memory of beloved father, grandfather, Dr. Arthur S. Lurie
Leslie & David Silverstein	Barbara & Bob Moverman	In honor of Carla's marriage to Hiro Sato
Leslie & David Silverstein	Michelle & Larry Soll	In honor of the birth of grandson, Jack Andrew Soll
Leslie & David Silverstein	Judith Chaloff	Get well wishes
Leslie Silverstein	Tanya Gould	In appreciation of Mitzvah Mensch kiddush shopping
Leslie Silverstein	Barbara Moverman	In appreciation of Mitzvah Mensch kiddush shopping
Leslie Silverstein	Robin Pike	In appreciation of Mitzvah Mensch kiddush shopping
Alan & Debby Friedman	Ellen Brody & Family	In memory of beloved father, grandfather, Dr. Arthur S. Lurie
Alan & Debby Friedman	Tanya Gould	In honor of being named Volunteer of the Year
Alan & Debby Friedman	Merle Roesler & Family	In memory of beloved mother, grandmother, Blanche Schlesinger
Cynthia & Eric Kaplan	Ellen Brody & Family	In memory of beloved father, grandfather, Dr. Arthur S. Lurie
Caren Jacobson & Blair Roberts	Ellen Brody & Family	In memory of beloved father, grandfather, Dr. Arthur S. Lurie
Caren Jacobson & Blair Roberts	Michelle & Larry Soll	In honor of the birth of grandson, Jack Andrew Soll
Caren Jacobson & Blair Roberts	Barbara & Bob Moverman	In honor of Carla's marriage to Hiro Sato

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CBI Cares Thanks Kiddush Sponsors and Shoppers

Saturday morning services are the backbone and lifeblood of our synagogue. There is a group of loyal attendees every week joined by a changing group of other congregants and friends. At the end of every week's services, there is a Kiddush, both for nourishment and socializing.

You might be interested to know who takes care of providing the Kiddush. Early this summer CBI Cares took on the responsibility of seeking sponsors for each Saturday morning's Kiddush. The response has been overwhelmingly positive! Thank you to all of the Kiddush sponsors (whose names are mentioned elsewhere in this bulletin) for their generosity and support.

CBI needs Kiddush sponsors throughout the year. If you would like to sponsor a Kiddush for any event, including a yahrzeit, birthday, anniversary, graduation, etc., or just to support your synagogue, please contact Leslie Silverstein (CBICares@BethIsraelMV.org) or Amy Sherr in the office (978-474-0540 or office@BethIsraelMV.org). If we have a date that needs a sponsor and you are asked if you would consider sponsoring a Kiddush, please say 'yes'! We provide guidelines for what food is at a typical Kiddush if you need them. We will even do the shopping for you if you are unable (see below).

Some of the people who sponsor the Kiddush are not able to do the food shopping for the Kiddush. The unsung heroes of many Saturday mornings' Kiddushim are the Mitzvah Mensch Kiddush Shoppers. A hearty thank you to Tanya Gould, Barbara Moverman, Robin Pike and Leslie Silverstein. These Mitzvah Mensch Kiddush Shoppers work behind the scenes by volunteering their time to shop for the Kiddush food and by bringing the Kiddush food to the synagogue before Saturday. If you would like to volunteer to be a Mitzvah Mensch Kiddush Shopper, please contact Leslie Silverstein (CBICares@BethIsraelMV.org).

Thank you to all CBI congregants and friends for continuing to make CBI a very caring community!

Leslie Silverstein
Chairperson, CBI Cares



Did you receive CBI's dues communication?

CBI's Fiscal Year 2017-2018 has begun.
(July 1, 2017 - June 30, 2018)

A new dues communication from the Board of Directors was mailed mid-July. If you did not receive yours, please contact Amy in the office, 978.474.0540, office@BethIsraelMV.org, and one will be sent to you. Please pledge as generously as you can, and respond as soon as possible so we can meet our obligations for the upcoming year. Thank you!

*Thank
you*

CBI OFFICE - SUMMER SCHEDULE

The CBI summer office hours continue through August:

Open Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 9am-5pm;
closed Monday & Tuesday.

It is customary for rabbis to take extended vacation time during the summer. Please note, however, that we will have rabbinic coverage at all times.

In an emergency, after hours, please call Amy Sherr, 508.641.7734 or Rabbi Mandell, 978.775.4011.

Enjoy a safe and wonderful August!



Rabbi Mandell's *Lach L'cha* Column, continued from page 2

walking at a brisk pace toward my sister's. I had probably walked almost a full block, when I heard someone yelling, "sir, you left your flowers!" I turned around and saw the store clerk running after me with the flowers that I had purchased for my sister. In my hurry to be back at my sister's on time, I had left the flowers in the store. I thanked her profusely and offered her a small reward. "No thank you, sir, I didn't want you and the person for whom you bought the flowers to be disappointed."

I thank each of these 3 persons; I thank each of you reading this column, for serving as my teachers!

May the month of August be a relaxing and fun time for your loved ones and you as we gradually begin to turn our attention to the fall, new beginnings, and the *Hagim*!

Rabbi Howard Mandell

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Co-Presidents' Column, continued from page 3

Gerald & Judith Krantweiss, in memory of Max Soffer, rest in peace

Sandi & Jeff Mintz, in memory of Allen Mintz and Ruth Stein

Judy Mizner, in memory of Rita & Sidney Mizner, Robert I. Mizner

Barbara & Bob Moverman

Burt & Cindy Ochs, in loving memory of Fred Bachner and Mal Ochs, fathers and grandfathers of Burt,

Cindy, Stephen and Rachel Ochs

Robin & Mike Rose

Irene Shainker, James Shainker, and Ilana & Israel Lopez, in memory of Arthur Shainker

Yana Shapiro, Mark, Stevi, Judi, Courtney and Jordan, in memory of Bernie Shapiro, loving husband, father, and grandfather

Bill Shek & Jill Aszling, in memory of Nellie & Sidney Shek and Carolyn & Richard Aszling

David & Leslie Silverstein

Michelle & Larry Soll

Faye & Richard Soll

Ethel Somers, in memory of my dear husband, Leonard Somers

Tina & Howie Spector, in memory of Mildred Spector & Louis Spector, lifelong supporters of CBI

Jeff & Gayle Tye

Elaine Winic, in memory of Sam & Edna Winic

Jeanne & Phil Zeller, in memory of our parents

Anonymous

Anonymous

With the continued commitment of the congregation, we are looking forward to all we can accomplish together in the coming year.

Robin Rose and Howard Spector

Co-Presidents

High Holy Days 2017 / 5778

Planning for the upcoming High Holy Days is in full swing. Please note that Erev Rosh Hashanah falls on Wednesday, September 20 this year. Watch your mail in mid-August for a package containing all the details, and plan to join us for what will surely be a joyful and meaningful experience with the CBI community and guest, Cantor Linda Sue Sohn. Invite your family and friends to share this special time with us, as well.

SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE

We hope you'll join us for the following fall Social Action Committee events!



Habitat for Humanity - Day that Faith Built

Sunday, date TBD

Whether you are a veteran of past Habitat builds or are new to the joys of construction, we hope you will join us in our ongoing partnership with Temple Emanuel of Andover to help provide affordable housing to families in our community. In addition to helping to build homes, our Habitat days help build and strengthen our own community as we work (and eat lunch!) together. If you'd like to participate, please contact Susannah Abbott at zaninandover@gmail.com.

Lazarus House

Sunday, October 29

We are looking for volunteers to cook (at home) and serve dinner to the residents of Lazarus House, the transitional living shelter in Lawrence, on Sunday, October 29 from 4:30PM to approximately 7:00pm. Please consider helping a family in need get back on their feet. If you'd like to participate, please contact Amy Friedman Lee at amy-lee@comcast.net.

Other Community Events

Hike for Hope

Sunday, October 1

To benefit Lazarus House in Lawrence, this is a fun three-mile stroll through Andover culminating in a barbeque in the park. If you'd like to start a team for CBI, please let Susannah Abbott know at zaninandover@gmail.com.

Thank you for joining us in Tikkun Olam!

Kind & Generous Donations *continued from page 8*

TEMPLE FUND *continued*

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Occasion</u>
Caren Jacobson & Blair Roberts	Elaine Winic	Mazel tov!
Ellen & Jon Brody	Barbara & Bob Moverman	In honor of Carla's marriage to Hiro Sato
Ellen & Jon Brody	Cindy & Burt Ochs	In honor of Rachel's engagement to Benjamin Sharpe
Ellen & Jon Brody	Michael & Amy Sherr	In honor of Ethan's marriage to Aidan McCracken
Ellen & Jon Brody	Marsha & Sheldon Rubin	In honor of the birth of granddaughter, Maya Eden Rosen
Ellen & Jon Brody	Merle Roesler & Family	In memory of beloved mother, grandmother, Blanche Schlesinger
Ellen & Jon Brody	Michelle & Larry Soll	In honor of the birth of grandson, Jack Andrew Soll
Ellen & Jon Brody	CBI Community	In appreciation of support during shiva
Sandra & Mark Dorros	Ellen Brody & Family	In memory of beloved father, grandfather, Dr. Arthur S. Lurie
Beth & Peter Edelstein	Ellen Brody & Family	In memory of beloved father, grandfather, Dr. Arthur S. Lurie
Cindy & Burt Ochs	Michelle & Larry Soll	In honor of the birth of grandson, Jack Andrew Soll
Cindy & Burt Ochs	Leslie & David Silverstein	In honor of Scott's engagement to Laura Schutz
Cindy & Burt Ochs	Ellen Brody & Family	In memory of beloved father, grandfather, Dr. Arthur S. Lurie
Joyce & Richard Brody & Family	Ellen Brody & Family	In memory of beloved father, grandfather, Dr. Arthur S. Lurie

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Kind & Generous Donations

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SAMUEL & SYLVIA GARNICK FUND

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Occasion</u>
Paul Garnick		In memory of Samuel Garnick, father, at yahrzeit
Paul Garnick	Ellen Brody & Family	In memory of beloved father, grandfather, Dr. Arthur S. Lurie

RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Occasion</u>
Naomi Cowen & Family	Rabbi Mandell	In appreciation

LEGACY FUND / MAY THEIR MEMORY ALWAYS BE FOR A BLESSING

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Occasion</u>
Rabbi Mandell	Merle Roesler & Family	In memory of beloved mother, grandmother, Blanche Schlesinger

HIGH HOLY DAY MACHZOR – LEV SHALEM

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Occasion</u>
Selma & Bucky Flieder	The Spector Family	In memory of beloved wife, mother, grandmother, Florence Spector

CBI CARES

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Occasion</u>
Tanya Gould & Jeremy Finkle	Schneider/Kualapai Family	Best wishes in your move
Tanya Gould & Jeremy Finkle	Jerry Golner	In appreciation

COMMUNITY NOTICES

מזל טוב - Mazel Tov, Congratulations

Barbara & Bob Moverman, on the marriage of their daughter, Carla, to Hiro Sato
 Michelle & Larry Soll, on the birth of their first grandchild, Jack Andrew Soll
 Barbara & Paul Garnick, on the bar mitzvah of their grandson, Kaden Garnick
 Brenda & Stewart Wilde, on the bat mitzvah of their daughter, Heather Wilde

תנחומים - Tanchumim, Condolences

Ellen Brody & Family, on the death of their beloved father, grandfather, Dr. Arthur S. Lurie

FAMILY FUNDS, TRUSTS, GIFTS AND ENDOWMENTS

We ask that you please consider ensuring Jewish continuity for the generations to follow.

For information on how you can remember Congregation Beth Israel when preparing your estate planning, please contact Amy in the office, 978.474.0540, office@BethIsraelMV.org.

The SEPTEMBER 2017
 Bulletin deadline is
 Wednesday, August 23, 2017.



Send your articles to
Newsletter@BethIsraelMV.org with
 "September Newsletter" as the subject.

The following names will be read on Shabbat - Yahrzeits
Zichronam livracha, may their memories be for a blessing

August 5 / 13 Av

Jacob C. Ablove
 Maurice Barlofsky
 Jeane Bell
 Ben Berkowitz
 Marion Bernstein
 Bernice Brody
 Alice Feldman
 Harry L. Filler
 Max Ganz
 Richard Gladstone
 Paul Kaplan
 Louis Konikoff
 Olga Levine
 Samuel Levine
 Samuel Miller
 Samuel Orenstein
 Minnie Pearl
 Rachel Leah Penn
 Rivka Schlau
 Dr. Max H. Shyavitz
 Louis Sideman
 Max P. Sideman
 Max Soreff
 Joseph Sosna
 Samuel Stearn
 Esther Wolf
 Ruth Young

August 12 / 20 Av

Maurice Artenstein
 Joseph Black
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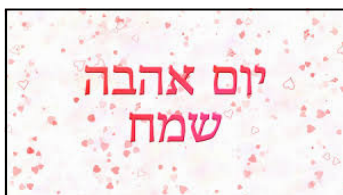
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Av ~ Elul 5777

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 9 Av Tish'a b'Av 7p Social Action Committee Mtg	2 10 Av	3 11 Av	4 12 Av 6:30p Shabbat on the Road at the Brody's 7:42p Candle lighting 	5 13 Av Parashat Vaetchanan Shabbat Nachamu 9:30a Shabbat Morning Service 8:41p Havdalah
6 14 Av	7 15 Av Tu b'Av 	8 16 Av	9 17 Av	10 18 Av	11 19 Av 7:33p Candle lighting 	12 20 Av Parashat Eikev 9:30a Shabbat Morning Service 8:31p Havdalah
13 21 Av	14 22 Av	15 23 Av	16 24 Av	17 25 Av	18 26 Av 7:22p Candle lighting 	19 27 Av Parshat Re'eh 9:30a Shabbat Morning Service 8:21p Havdalah
20 28 Av	21 29 Av 6:30p Board of Directors Meeting	22 30 Av Rosh Chodesh Elul 	23 1 Elul Rosh Chodesh Elul	24 2 Elul	25 3 Elul 7:11p Candle lighting 	26 4 Elul Parashat Shoftim 9:30a Shabbat Morning Service 8:09p Havdalah
27 5 Elul	28 6 Elul	29 7 Elul	30 8 Elul	31 9 Elul	<p><u>MINYAN</u></p> <p>Thursday at 7:30pm UPON REQUEST.</p> <p>Let us know in advance that you would like us to organize a Minyan.</p>	



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September 2017

Elul ~ Tishrei 5777 / 5778

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><u>MINYAN</u></p> <p>Thursday at 7:30pm UPON REQUEST. Let us know in advance that you would like us to organize a Minyan.</p>					<p>1 10 Elul</p> <p>6:59p Candle lighting</p> 	<p>2 11 Elul</p> <p>Parashat Ki Teitzei 9:30a Shabbat Morning Service 7:58p Havdalah</p>
<p>3 12 Elul</p> 	<p>4 13 Elul</p>	<p>5 14 Elul</p>	<p>6 15 Elul</p>	<p>7 16 Elul</p>	<p>8 17 Elul</p> <p>6:47p Candle lighting</p> 	<p>9 18 Elul</p> <p>Parashat Ki Tavo 9:30a Shabbat Morning Service 7:45p Havdalah</p>
<p>10 19 Elul</p> <p>9:30a Sam Winic's unveiling 11a Rabbi Feld 12:30p Lunch</p>	<p>11 20 Elul</p>	<p>12 21 Elul</p>	<p>13 22 Elul</p>	<p>14 23 Elul</p>	<p>15 24 Elul</p> <p>6:35p Candle lighting 6:30p Shabbat Chai, Dinner then Service</p> 	<p>16 25 Elul</p> <p>Parshat Nitzavim-Veyeilech 9:30a Shabbat Morning Service Selichot 7:33p Havdalah</p>
<p>17 26 Elul</p>	<p>18 27 Elul</p> <p>6:30p Board of Directors</p>	<p>19 28 Elul</p>	<p>20 29 Elul</p> <p>Erev Rosh Hashanah 6:26p Candle lighting</p> 	<p>21 1 Tishrei</p> <p>Rosh Hashanah I 5778</p>	<p>22 2 Tishrei</p> <p>Rosh Hashanah II 6:22p Candle lighting</p>  	<p>23 3 Tishrei</p> <p>Parashat Ha'Azinu 9:30a Shabbat Morning Service Shabbat Shuvah 7:20p Havdalah</p>
<p>24 4 Tishrei</p> <p>Tzom Gedaliah Day Fast</p>	<p>25 5 Tishrei</p>	<p>26 6 Tishrei</p>	<p>27 7 Tishrei</p>	<p>28 8 Tishrei</p>	<p>29 9 Tishrei</p> <p>Erev Yom Kippur Kol Nidre 6:10p Candle lighting</p> 	<p>30 10 Tishrei</p> <p>Yom Kippur 7:08p Havdalah</p> 