

## Temple Israel of Riverhead Bulletin

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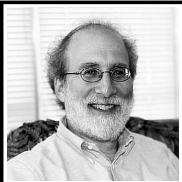
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## RABBI'S REFLECTIONS: Warm Fuzzies

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Rabbi Michael Rascoe

Rabbi Sidney Greenberg some years ago told the story of a school lesson from the teacher of his six-year-old grand-daughter, Daniella. He asked her what she'd done in school that day. She replied, "We made warm fuzzies." He asked what they were. She paused to find words that

her grandfather could understand, and said, "Well, warm fuzzies are things that you say that make people feel good." She reached into her schoolbag and pulled out some to show him:

- "You are my best friend."
- "You are veeree prittee."
- "Yu I like."
- "I liek the prezint you gave mee."

He later thought, "How much easier life would be for all of us if we concentrated on handing out warm fuzzies to the people whose lives intersect our own in the course of any day....How long has it been since we gave a warm fuzzy to our children, our [significant others], the people who serve us, our brothers and sisters?"

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What is a warm fuzzy? A compliment, an act of kindness, something that makes someone else feel better. Mark Twain famously wrote, "I can live on a good compliment two weeks, with nothing else to eat.\*"

I'm from the Midwest. When I was growing up, we greeted everyone, unless it was rush hour in a crowd. We thanked the people behind the service counter. When I moved to NYC for college, I habitually continued it. I held the door open for people, especially if it would slam in the person's face. In NYC, I talked to security guards and cafeteria workers. Everyone knew I wasn't a New Yorker. Almost everyone responded.

Over the years, we've seen this type of civility lessen, and, in many ways, disappear. We no longer politely thank people, or ask after their welfare. They might believe in something else, or be of a different political party or religion or ethnicity or race. Sure, sometimes this politeness was pro forma, but sometimes an interesting or serious conversation ensued.

I recently heard a story from a Pittsburgher from back in the '70s, when for a brief period of time the gas shortage changed the way we lived, such as long gas lines because we could fill up the car only when our license plate indicated our turn. Christmas lights were missing that year. Pittsburghers took to luminaries. These lit candles sitting in sand in paper bags were everywhere. This woman's father was very sick, and they couldn't do it. Near Christmas, as she was driving home from the hospital, she saw them everywhere when she turned into her neighborhood, and she knew that they wouldn't be in

their front yard. When she came up to her house, she saw that a neighbor had done it for them, knowing how sick her father was. Later, when she went through a bad divorce, a co-worker slipped her a note right before the holidays, saying that if she found herself too alone during the holidays, to call. She received two great, timely warm fuzzies.

The holidays are mostly over. Some will miss family and friends. Some won't have seen them. We are back to our usual ways. Don't: Look out for others. See if they're ok. Thank the people who work security, clean the Temple (so what if they get paid). Thank all the volunteers who put tremendous energy into our Temple, and who don't get paid for their outlays, both financially and in time. We have one of the friendliest synagogues, but we can do better. Just be happy to see people. You'd think coming from the pandemic, and trying to open up more as we used to be, we'd want to be more aware of others' feelings and life circumstances, especially when we add our impatience for returning to normal. Say something nice (and if not, you're better off saying nothing.)

Daniella learned this lesson long ago. Hopefully she remembers it today. As Rabbi Greenberg said, "Make warm fuzzies-today."

\* The usual version of the Twain quotation has two months, not two weeks. Anyone who knows his quips expects a zinger. Here's the quotation in context: "Compliments make me vain: & when I am vain, I am insolent & overbearing. It is a pity, too, because I love compliments. I love them even when they are not so. My child, I can live on a good compliment two weeks, with nothing else to eat." Letter to Gertrude Natkin, 2 March 1906.

#### Winter Shabbat Dinners!

Our family-friendly dinners are held once a month. Friday night Shabbat services begin at 5:30 PM, followed by a community dinner. Please join us. It is a wonderful evening and a great way to begin Shabbat.



#### **Upcoming Dinners**

 January 6—Sponsored by Nan Rachel Peel, in appreciation of my husband, John, for his support of my faith and his love, and in celebration of my friend, Jeff Pribut, on his joining the Board of Trustees of the Jewish Center of Moriches.



- February 3—Tu B'Shevat Seder/Dinner, in celebration of the new year for trees—Sponsored by Amy & Jim Csorny, in memory of Amy's mother, Phyllis Besserman.
- March 3—Graham Diamond and Hedy Campeas.

As always, reservations and proof of vaccination on file in the temple office are required.



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#### Kenneth Wishnia and A.J. Sidransky



Friday, January 6, 5:30 PM

A discussion on their latest collaboration:

Jewish Noir II

Tales of Crime and Other Dark Deeds.



Kenneth Wishnia was born in Hanover, N.H. He earned a B.A. from Brown University (1982) and a Ph.D. in comparative literature from SUNY Stony Brook (1996). He teaches writing and literature at Suffolk Community College in Brentwood, Long Island, where he is a professor of English. He is married to a wonderful woman from Ecuador and they have two children. Ken's novels include 23 Shades of Black, which was nominated for the Edgar Allan Poe Award for Best First Novel and an Anthony for Best Paperback Original; Soft Money, a Library Journal Best Mystery of the Year; and Red House, a Washington Post Book World "Rave" Book of the Year. His novel, The Fifth Servant, was an Indie Notable selection, a Best Jewish Book of the Year, according to the Association of Jewish Libraries and the Jewish Press, won a Premio Letterario ADEI-WIZO, and was a finalist for the Sue Feder Memorial Historical Mystery Award, a category of the Macavity Awards. "Wishnia's brand of gritty surrealism jolts the reader with startling images and jarring contrasts. [He] evokes a country and a culture vividly and unforgettably."

A.J. Sidransky is an avid student of history, focusing on the personal experience of everyday people faced with extraordinary circumstances. As a member of a family ravaged by the Holocaust, he is determined to tell the stories of refugees and survivors that he has known. Telling the stories of adversity isn't limited to the Holocaust. He hopes to bring to light the stories of those who have triumphed over oppression, from Hitler's Germany to Soviet Russia, from Trujillo's Dominican Republic to Castro's Cuba, to the struggles of two peoples in the Holy Land and beyond. A.J. was born in the Bronx and lives in Washington Heights with his wife, a political advertising consultant.

This speaker program is facilitated by **Terri Milligan**, and dinner is sponsored by **Nan Rachel Peel**, in appreciation of my husband, John, for his support of my faith and his love, and in celebration of my friend, Jeff Pribut, on his joining the Board of Trustees of the Jewish Center of Moriches.

Reservations are mandatory. Vaccination card must be on file in the temple office by noon on Jan. 6th for anyone wishing to attend. This is an in–person only event.

In celebration of the new year for trees, join us on

Friday, February 3, 2023
5:30 PM
TUB'Shevat
Seder/Dinner

Dinner sponsored by **Amy & Jim Csorny**. in memory of Amy's mother, Phyllis Besserman

Reservations are mandatory. Vaccination card must be on file in the temple office by noon on Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup> for anyone wishing to attend.

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## Book Club

Meets January 23, at 7:15 PM, online via Zoom.

### Fighting Back: Stan Andrews and the Birth of the Israeli Air Force

by Jeffery Weiss

Please join us!

Contact the Temple office with any questions.

#### **Kol Nidre Appeal 5783**



As we continue into 5783, we need our membership and friends to preserve the health and well-being of our beloved temple. It is a tradition in congregations to establish a Kol Nidre Appeal Fund; at Temple Israel this fund is vital to help supplement the dues and thus cover our operating expenses. Therefore, we ask each one of you, if you have not already donated, to be as generous as possible, in order that our temple may continue to meet the growing needs of the Jewish community.

Please forward your check, payable to Temple Israel Kol Nidre Fund, to: Temple Israel of Riverhead, P.O. Box 1531, Riverhead, NY 11901. You can also pay from our website, using PayPal. Thank you.

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#### Purim!

## Monday, March 6th, 6:00 PM Wear your Costume! We've got pizza & The Whole Megillah!



Reservations are required. Vaccination card must be on file in the Temple office by noon on **March 6**.

Please contact the Temple office for the Zoom link to services, or if you have any questions.

Call us at 631-727-3191, or email to: TempleIsraelRH@optonline.net.



#### Wednesday, April 5th Services followed by Seder Details TBA

Reservations are mandatory. Reserve your spot early, as attendance is limited. Vaccination card must be on file in the temple office.



#### With Rabbi Rascoe

#### Jewish Mysticism

Join **Rabbi Rascoe** to explore the topic of Jewish mysticism, especially the Kabbalah and its variations. Classes are held via Zoom, from 6:00-7:00 PM, on Mondays in January, February, and March, except March 6.

#### **New Class—Jewish Philosophy**

Join Rabbi Rascoe for a new class on Jewish Philosophy via Zoom. Classes will be held at 6 PM on Tuesdays in January, February, and March, except March 7. He will be discussing Strauss, Spinoza, & Sinai: Orthodox Judaism and Modern Questions of Faith by Jeffery Bloom, Alec Goldstein, and Gil Student. This book is a collection of seventeen essays from a wide variety of thinkers and doers, discussing various aspects of Judaism.

#### New Class—Prayer

Join **Rabbi Rascoe** for a new class on **Prayer** via Zoom. We will look at the structure of the service, the meaning of the individual prayers, and ritual actions when they are involved. Classes will be held at 7:30 PM on Tuesdays in January, February, and March, except March 7.

#### Talmud Classes: Tractate Megillah

**Rabbi Roscoe's** Talmud classes continue, via Zoom, at 6 PM on Wednesdays in January, February, and March. There is always review. No advance reading is required. The text can be found at: <a href="https://www.sefaria.org/Megillah.8a?lang=bi">https://www.sefaria.org/Megillah.8a?lang=bi</a>. Attendees receive an introduction to Talmudic logic, thought, and law.

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#### Bible Study: Starting with Genesis

**Rabbi Rascoe** will be holding these classes, via Zoom, at 6:30 PM on Thursdays in January, February, and March.

Please note: Congregants will receive emailed instructions for attending Rabbi Roscoe's classes via Zoom. Classes may be cancelled when the class decides to take a break, and you may come late or leave early. Contact Rabbi Rascoe for more information.

#### Interfaith Bible Class

The Interfaith Bible Class will meet via Zoom, on Wednesdays, January 11, February 8, and March 8, from 9:30-11:30 AM. Please contact the Rabbi for information and the link.

Candle Lighting Times			
Date	Time	Date	Time
1/6	4:19 PM	2/3	4:52 PM
1/13	4:26 PM	2/10	5:00 PM
1/20	4:34 PM	2/17	5:19 PM
1/27	4:43 PM	2/24	5:17 PM
		3/3	5:25 PM



#### REMINDER:

#### Friday Night Services return to 7:00 PM



#### starting on March 17

Please join us for services, in-person or on Zoom.

#### **Hebrew School**



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- We meet every Wednesday, 4:00 5:00 PM.
- Covid-19 protocol: students and staff will be masked when indoors.
- For Temple Israel of Riverhead's complete Covid-19 policies, visit https:// www.templeisraelriverhead.org/r%20rules%20covid.htm.

#### Remaining class dates for the 2022-23 school year:

727 Union Avenue Aquebogue, NY 11931 Mail to: 727 Union Avenue Riverhead, NY 11901

January 4,11,18, 25; February 1, 8,15; March 1, 8,15, 22, 29; April 19, 26; and May 3,10,17, 24, 31.

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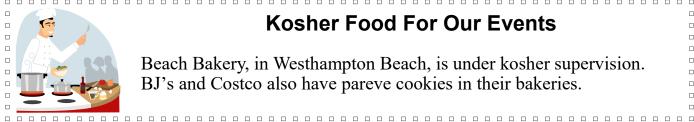
Reservations are still required, as are proof of vaccination and masking. For the complete list, visit our website at:

http://www.templeisraelriverhead.org/r rules covid.htm

#### **Our Judaica Shop**

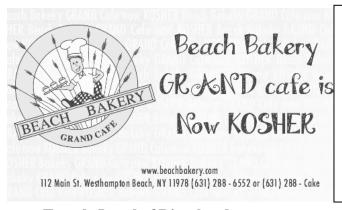
If you need Shabbat or holiday items for yourself, or for a gift, you will find them right in the Temple. Our Judaica Shop boasts a large inventory of beautiful items, many of them displayed in the Social Hall's glass cases. Kiddush cups, glass platters, Shabbat-to-go, kipot, Seder and matzoh plates, menorahs, children's books and toys, cookbooks, and candlesticks are all there.

**Phyllis Van Dyne** operates the Temple's Shop, acquiring new items several times a year. She will also fill special orders; if you see something you'd like, she can get it for you. Or, if you need ideas for a gift, she will be happy to suggest something in your price range, perfect for your occasion and recipient. For more information and personal service, just call Phyllis at 631-734-7511.



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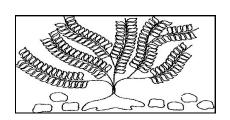
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Donation—Mr. & Mrs. Isaac Israel.

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Yahrzeit for Raymond Goldstein—Josh Printz.

Yahrzeit for Arthur Sandberg—father of George Sandberg.

Yahrzeit for Lana Zarbhanelian—sister of Gary Siegel.

Yahrzeit for Andrea Siegel—sister of Gary Siegel.

Yahrzeit for Pauline Siegel—mother of Jaime Siegel.

Yahrzeit for Rose Ritigstein-mother of Renee Chizever.

Yahrzeit for Manuel Mendell—father of Lorne Mendell.

Yahrzeit for Flora Raffe—mother of Charles Raffe.

Yahrzeit for Joseph Starkman—father of Phyllis Sadoff.

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#### **Donations to Kol Nidre 5783 Fund**

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YAHRZEITS

We remember these lives on the approaching anniversary of their passing.

May their memories be a blessing.

January/February Tevet/Shevat 5783

1/1	Lotzky, Isaac	Tevet 8	1/18	Silver, Morris	Tevet 25
1/1	Rosano, Adam	Tevet 8	1/19	Quasha, Dr. Marie Solow	Tevet 26
1/3	Gradus, Lorraine	Tevet 10	1/20	Goldstein, Hyman	Tevet 27
1/3	Harding, Louis	Tevet 10	1/20	Leavitt, Rachel	Tevet 27
1/4	Carchman, Max	Tevet 11	1/21	Frank, Mary B.	Tevet 28
1/4	Jaeger, Ida	Tevet 11	1/21	Goldstein, Sherwood	Tevet 28
1/4	Michaelson, Joseph	Tevet 11	1/21	Merkin, Betty	Tevet 28
1/4	Weiner, Joseph	Tevet 11	1/22	Herzog, Beverly	Tevet 29
1/5	Hagler, Sylvia	Tevet 12	1/22	Kaplan, Barry	Tevet 29
1/5	Saffer, Anna	Tevet 12	1/23	Chizever, Rebecca	Shevat 1
1/6	Goldstein, Rona	Tevet 13	1/23	Frank, Rebecca	Shevat 1
1/6	Muehlenthal, Phil	Tevet 13	1/23	Moiseff, Hilda	Shevat 1
1/7	Hefter, Steven	Tevet 14	1/24	Segal, Isaac	Shevat 2
1/8	Reich, Hyman	Tevet 15	1/24	Segal, Isadore	Shevat 2
1/9	Knopfler, Joseph	Tevet 16	1/25	Diamond, Mercedes	Shevat 3
1/9	Schmilowitz, Eva	Tevet 16	1/25	Golding, Barnett S.	Shevat 3
1/9	Wasserman, Rose	Tevet 16	1/25	Roth, Carole	Shevat 3
1/9	Zaglin, Meryl	Tevet 16	1/26	Finkelstein, Harry	Shevat 4
1/10	Mathews, Jacob B.	Tevet 17	1/26	Goldstein, Herbert	Shevat 4
1/11	Frank, Yudel Velvel (Joel)	Tevet 18	1/27	Zaglin, Steven	Shevat 5
1/12	Besserman, Bernard	Tevet 19	1/29	Fishtahl, Clara	Shevat 7
1/12	Goldstein, Sarah	Tevet 19	1/29	Garsten, Irwin	Shevat 7
1/12	Mottus, Anna	Tevet 19	1/29	Sonkin, Ellen	Shevat 7
1/12	Salpeter, Abraham	Tevet 19	1/30	Colbert, Alexander	Shevat 8
1/12	Schwartz, Alice	Tevet 19	1/30	Goldstein, Lottie	Shevat 8
1/13	Kaiden, Ida	Tevet 20	1/30	Hagler, Max	Shevat 8
1/14	Finkelstein, Barnet	Tevet 21	1/30	Silver, Leon	Shevat 8
1/14	Schulman, Jean	Tevet 21	1/31	Abrams, Ethel	Shevat 9
1/15	Carlson, Nettie	Tevet 22	1/31	Weiss, Beulah	Shevat 9
1/15	Finkelstein, Samuel	Tevet 22	2/1	Berk, Mae	Shevat 10
1/15	Laufe, Abe	Tevet 22	2/1	Sacks, Fannie	Shevat 10
1/16	Schiff, Philip	Tevet 23	2/2	Hagler, Yetta	Shevat 11
1/16	Sulitzer, Irwin	Tevet 23	2/3	Dresher, Frances	Shevat 12
1/17	Cohen, Henry S.	Tevet 24	2/3	Harding, Rose	Shevat 12
1/18	Donner, Noah J.	Tevet 25	2/3	Miller, Helene	Shevat 12
1/18	Goldberg, Simon	Tevet 25	2/3	Perkal, Millie	Shevat 12

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May their memories be a blessing.

February Shevat/Adar 5783

2/4 Grossman, Levi Shevat 13 2/5 Fromberg, Leo Shevat 14 2/6 Goldstein, Harry Shevat 15 2/6 Goldstein, Masha Shevat 15 2/6 Krasnow, Frances Shevat 15 2/6 Mendell, Mabel Shevat 15 2/6 Morgan, Robert Shevat 15 2/7 Ganz, Leo Shevat 13 2/20 Sacks, Robert Shevat 29 2/21 Barbanel, Sadie Shevat 30 2/22 Laufe, Sonia Adar 1 2/22 Leviloff, Marsha Adar 1 2/23 Schiff, Florence Adar 1 2/24 Starkman, Jeanette Adar 1 2/25 Gradus, Nathan Adar 2 2/27 Grossman, Esther Adar 2
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2/9 Besserman, Phyllis Shevat 18 2/23 Israel, Albert Adar 2
2/9 Carchman, Minnie Shevat 18 2/23 Schiff, Anna Adar 2
2/9 Tannenbaum, Clare Shevat 18 2/24 Gorenfeld, Roberta Lois Adar 3
2/10 Moskowitz, Samuel Shevat 19 2/24 Lehrer, Betty Adar 3
2/11 Gradus McGrath, Priscilla Shevat 20 2/24 Weixelbaum, Milton Adar 3
2/12 Cohen, Sandra Shevat 21 2/25 Michaelson, Fraidl Adar 4
2/12 Moskowitz, Lena Shevat 21 2/25 Raffe, Barnett Adar 4
2/12 Quasha, Dr. Sol N. Shevat 21 2/26 Elphand, Shirley Adar 5
2/13 Goldstein, Max Shevat 22 2/26 Gradus, Herbert Adar 5
2/14 Buxbaum, Nathan Shevat 23 2/26 Israel, Isaac Adar 5
2/14 Gerard, Helene Shevat 23 2/27 Bernstein, Albert Adar 6
2/14 Zaglin, Raymond Shevat 23 2/27 Cohen, Doug Adar 6
2/15 Edwards, Doris Shevat 24 2/27 Colbert, Lawrence Adar 6
2/15 Leibo, Vera Shevat 24 2/27 Korosteshevsky, Basi Adar 6
2/15 Wrobel, Benjamin Shevat 24 2/27 Sanders, Samuel Adar 6
2/17 Cohen, Annie Shevat 26 2/28 Goldstein, Jack Adar 7
2/17 Prussick Jacobs, Robin Shevat 26 2/28 Oppenheimer, Harry Adar 7
2/18 Kanon, Leon Shevat 27 3/1 Levine, Samuel Adar 8
2/18 Kanon, Tessie Shevat 27 3/1 Sigal, Anna Adar 8
2/18 Marchbein, Charles Shevat 27 3/1 Weiss, Dora Adar 8
2/18 Prizer, Isidore Shevat 27 3/2 Cohen, Ida Adar 9
2/18 Rolnick, Herschel Shevat 27 3/3 Goldberg, Eva Adar 10
2/18 Shinder, Teri Shevat 27 3/3 Krasnow, Reva Adar 10
2/19 Gaster, Amalia Shevat 28 3/3 Sandberg, Sadie Adar 10
2/19 Lowy, Paul Shevat 28 3/3 Sigal, Joseph Adar 10
2/19 Muller, Michael Daniel Shevat 28 3/4 Kaplan, Mollie Adar 11
3/4 Lockman, Margaret Adar 11

## January 2023

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Sat	7 9:30 AM Services	14 9:30 AM Services	21 9:30 AM Services	28 9:30 AM Services	
Fri	6 5:30 PM Services fol- lowed by Shab- bat dinner and speakers	13 5:30 PM Services (Zoom)	20 5:30 PM Services (Zoom)	27 5:30 PM Services (Zoom)	
Thu	5 6:30 PM Bible Study Class (Zoom)	12 6:30 PM Bible Study Class (Zoom)	19 6:30 PM Bible Study Class (Zoom)	26 6:30 PM Bible Study Class (Zoom)	
Wed	4 4 PM Hebrew School; 6 PM Talmud Class (Zoom)	11 9:30 AM Interfaith Bible Class; 4 PM Hebrew School; 6 PM Talmud Class (Zoom)	18 4 PM Hebrew School; 6 PM Talmud Class (Zoom)	25 4 PM Hebrew School; 6 PM Talmud Class (Zoom)	
Tue	3 6 PM Class: Jew- ish Philosophy; 7:30 PM Class: Prayer (both Zoom)	10 6 PM Class: Jewish Philosophy; 7:30 PM Class: Prayer (both Zoom)	17 6 PM Class: Jewish Philosophy; 7:30 PM Class: Prayer (both Zoom)	24 6 PM Class: Jewish Philosophy; 7:30 PM Class: Prayer (both Zoom)	31 6 PM Class: Jewish Philosophy; 7:30 PM Class: Prayer (both Zoom)
Mon	2 6 PM Class: Jewish Mysticism (Zoom)	9 6 PM Class: Jewish Mysticism (Zoom)	16 6 PM Class: Jewish Mysticism (Zoom)	23 6 PM Class: Jewish Mysticism (Zoom); 7:15 PM Book Club Meeting	30 6 PM Class: Jewish Mysticism (Zoom)
Sun	-	<b>∞</b>	15	22	29

# February 2023

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Sat	4 9:30 AM Services	11 9:30 AM Services	18 9:30 AM Services	25 9:30 AM Services	
Fri	3 5:30 PM Services fol- lowed by Tu B'Shevat Seder/ Dinner	10 5:30 PM Services (Zoom)	17 5:30 PM Services (Zoom)	24 5:30 PM Services (Zoom)	
Thu	2 6:30 PM Bible Study Class (Zoom)	9 6:30 PM Bible Study Class (Zoom)	16 6:30 PM Bible Study Class (Zoom)	23 6:30 PM Bible Study Class (Zoom)	
Wed	1 4 PM Hebrew School; 6 PM Talmud Class (Zoom)	8 9:30 AM Interfaith Bible Class; 4 PM Hebrew School; 6 PM Talmud Class (Zoom)	15 4 PM Hebrew School; 6 PM Talmud Class (Zoom)	22 4 PM Hebrew School; 6 PM Talmud Class (Zoom)	
Tue		7 6 PM Class: Jew- ish Philosophy; 7:30 PM Class: Prayer (both Zoom)	14 6 PM Class: Jewish Philosophy; 7:30 PM Class: Prayer (both Zoom)	21 6 PM Class: Jewish Philosophy; 7:30 PM Class: Prayer (both Zoom)	28 6 PM Class: Jewish Philosophy; 7:30 PM Class: Prayer (both Zoom)
Mon		6 6 PM Class: Jewish Mysticism (Zoom)	13 6 PM Class: Jewish Mysticism (Zoom)	20 6 PM Class: Jewish Mysticism (Zoom)	27 6 PM Class: Jewish Mysticism (Zoom)
Sun		ις	12	19	26

## **March** 2023

## Please check your email and our website for information about using Zoom to attend these events.

Sat	4 9:30 AM Services	11 9:30 AM Services	18 9:30 AM Services	25 9:30 AM Services	
Fi	3 5:30 PM Services & Dinner (Zoom)	10 5:30 PM Services (Zoom)	17 7:00 PM Services	24 7:00 PM Services	31 7:00 PM Services
Thu	2 6:30 PM Bible Study Class (Zoom)	9 6:30 PM Bible Study Class (Zoom)	16 6:30 PM Bible Study Class (Zoom)	23 6:30 PM Bible Study Class (Zoom)	30 6:30 PM Bible Study Class (Zoom)
Wed	1 4 PM Hebrew School; 6 PM Talmud Class (Zoom)	8 9:30 AM Inter- faith Bible Class; 4 PM Hebrew School; 6 PM Talmud Class (Zoom)	15 4 PM Hebrew School; 6 PM Tal- mud Class (Zoom): Bulletin submissions due	22 4 PM Hebrew School; 6 PM Talmud Class (Zoom)	29 4 PM Hebrew School; 6 PM Talmud Class (Zoom)
Tue		7 Purim	14 6 PM Class: Jewish Philosophy; 7:30 PM Class: Prayer (both Zoom)	21 6 PM Class: Jewish Philosophy; 7:30 PM Class: Prayer (both Zoom)	28 6 PM Class: Jewish Philosophy; 7:30 PM Class: Prayer (both Zoom)
Mon		6 6:00 PM Erev Purim, Megillah reading	13 6 PM Class: Jewish Mysticism (Zoom):	20 6 PM Class: Jewish Mysticism (Zoom)	27 6 PM Class: Jewish Mysticism (Zoom)
Sun		rð.	12 Daylight sav- ings time returns	19	26

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#### **CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS**

Friday, Jan. 6, Feb. 3, March 3	Shabbat Dinners
Jan. 6	Speaker Program & Dinner
Jan. 23	Book Club
Feb. 3	Tu B'Shevat Seder/Dinner
March 6	Purim

Many adult classes are being offered with Rabbi Rascoe, including two new topics. See inside for details, pages 8-9 .