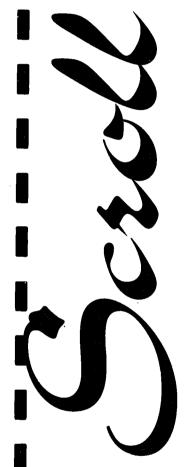
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Shabbat Shalom at Home

The Shabbat Shalom at Home Kit has arrived at the homes of all Beth El congregants. The kit contains all you need to be a part of the Beth El-wide Shabbat evening observance on Friday. February 19. Whether you've never celebrated Shabbat before or you've never missed celebrating, you'll find encouragement and excitement in the kit's contents. New this year is a tape of the service produced by Sally Heckelman, who is the Religious School music teacher. To invite another Beth El family to your celebration, or to ask to be invited to a congregant's home, or to receive a copy

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CONGREGATION BETH EL OF MONTGOMERY

Off the Bimah

I return this month to my desk, schedule, routine, and especially to our congregation and community, following a wonderful and energizing six month sabbatical. My return coincides with the Torah cycle of Exodus, which itself points to the power of community and God's presence. In my visits to other congregations both here, in England, and in Israel, I was reminded regularly how each one of us must find our own community for intellectual and emotional support-and more. It is in community that we raise our families, do our work, define the very individuals who we come to be. While I enjoyed and benefited from exposure to other synagogues and congregations, I can say with assurance that there's no place like home.

Rabbi Jonathan Z. Maltzman

MITZVAH MALL TOTALS

For the last few years, Family Education has sponsored the Mitzvah Mall, a program which enables people to make donations and receive a gift card which they can then give in place of a gift. Once again this year your generous donations to the Mitzvah Mall have supported several charities for a total of \$2,102: Bethesda Cares, \$350; Capital Area Food Bank, \$366; Mazon, \$275; Magen David Adom, \$113; Shepherd's Table, \$330; Whitman Walker Clinic, \$158; and American Jewish World Service. \$510. We were able to nearly double our "sales" from last year, due in large part to the efforts of Abbie Eckland, who organized volunteers Carol Miller, Cindy Caplan and Janice Liebowitz to sell Mitzvot in the Rotunda on Sunday mornings. Thank you to all those who gave of their time and money! See you next year!

Shabbat Schedule

Friday, February 12 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, February 12 7:30 & 9:15 a.m. Mishpatim, Exodus: 21:1 - 24:18 Mindy Kalman Bat Mitzvah at 9:15 a.m. Jr. Congregation at 10 a.m. Nitzanim at 10:30 a.m. in the APR

Friday, February 19 6:30 p.m. Shabbat Shalom at Home

Saturday, February 20 7:30 and 9:15 a.m. Terumah, Exodus: 25:1 - 27:19 Tamar Mintz Bat Mitzvah at 9:15 a.m. Jr. Congregation at 10 a.m. Learners' Minyan at 10 a.m. in the MR Gan Shabbat at 10 a.m. in Room 209

Friday, February 26 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, February 27
7:30 & 9:15 a.m.
Tetzaveh, Exodus:
27:20 - 30:10
Sisterhood Shabbat at
9:15 a.m.
Jr. Congregation at 10 a.m.
Nitzanim at 10:30 a.m. in the APR

Bad News, Good News

Beth El Nursery School is currently missing its video camera. If anyone knows its whereabouts, please contact Ellen Darr at (301) 652-2606, ext. 311.

The Nursery School, Religious School and congregation thanks Peter and Debra Friedmann for their timely donation of a video camera and accessories.

LEARNERS' SERVICE

Our Learners' Service will meet on Saturday, February 20 in the Meeting Room from 10 a.m. to noon. We then join the congregation for kiddush. The service, once again conducted by Rabbi Rudolph, is designed for the novice worshipper. It moves slowly. It is very hands-on in orientation, from how to put on the talit, to knowing when to bow, to practicing how to have an aliyah. There is also a focus each time on a different major portion of the service. Questions and discussions are very much encouraged. No registration or advance sign-up required. Contact Rabbi Rudolph, (301) 652-2606, ext. 318, for more information.

All in the Family

Mazal Tov to Michele Herman on the marriage of her son, Andrew Herman, to Veronica Parkansky, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Michael Parkansky. They were married in San Francisco on December 31, 1998.

Mazal Tov to Erwin and Elaine
Shalowitz on the birth of their grandson,
Micah Toru Shalowitz, on December 16,
1998 in Palo Alto, CA. Micah is the son
of Jonathan and Naomi Shalowitz.

Congregation Beth El wishes a speedy recovery to Clare Lerner and Josephine Stein.

The following letter was received from Lillian Kessler:

Dear Friends, I'm truly honored to have been chosen "Person of the Year" by our Men's Club. (Frankly, there are several members equally worthy of this award.) Whatever service I've given Beth El has provided its own reward - pleasure in helping our synagogue grow and in supporting Jewish causes. Additionally, Izzy and I enjoyed dear friendships among equally devoted coworkers in our years of shul efforts. I sincerely thank the many Men's Club friends, the morning minyan daveners, Rabbi Rudolph, Hazzan Lubin and his wife Sandy, and Sisterhood's Joan Simon who joined my family and myself at the "Blue Yarmulke" ceremony at Adas Israel Synagogue. I look forward to attending such future ceremonies at which some of you will be the honorees. Accept my sincere good wishes for the continuing success of our Men's Club service to Beth El.

Evening Minyan

The following people are asked to help us with our daily Evening Minyan for the next two weeks. On Sunday through Thursday, the Minyan begins at 8 p.m. and concludes at 8:15 p.m. During the week of your assignment, we would appreciate your attending as many evenings as possible, so that those who are saying Kaddish will have a minyan that they can attend at Beth El.

February 14 - February 18 Jules and Carolyn Lodish Robert and Julia Loeb

Andrew and Linda Loewinger Sheldon and Margery London David Lorr

Abbe Lowell Rhonda Kleiner Lowell David and Sabina Lozovsky Robert and Carol Luskin James and Muriel Lyman Sheila Fidellman Lynn

Sheila Fidellman Lynn Bernard and Frances Maggin Evelyn Magid Eric and Phyllis Maier Harry and Emily Malech

Harry and Emily Malech Lillian Maller Julia Maloney Rhoda Mancher

Steven and Barbara Mandel Daniel and Elaine Mann

February 21 - February 25

Keith and Cynthia Mann Lawrence and Linda Mann Harry and Laura Mannheimer Mollyann March Arnold and Judith Marcus Lawrence and Marlene Marcus Ronald and Deborah Marcus Robert and Elizabeth Margolis Samland Evelyn Margolis Philip and Phyllis Margolius David Margulies and Donna Vogel David and Linda Marshall Jonathan Martel and Lisa Flaxman Claire Marwick Gary Marx and Julie Rabinowitz Michael Mates and Lona Feldman Gertrude Matloff Robert and Kathy Matty Dan and Judy Matz

Shabbat at Home (cont. from page 1)

of the audio tape, contact Sarah Roark at (301) 652-2606, ext. 320.

As part of the Shabbat Shalom at Home observance, Sisterhood is sponsoring a Challah Baking Workshop from 9:15-11:30 a.m. on Friday, February 19. Julie Rabinowitz, who is chairing the workshop with Susan Brinn Siegel, is taking reservations at (301) 588-1271.

Last March, hundreds of Beth El families agreed to make one specially chosen Friday night a Shabbat like no other. Some families celebrated Shabbat in their homes for the first time, others

Shabbat like no other. Some families celebrated Shabbat in their homes for the first time, others added new rituals to their Friday evening observance, and many invited other families to join them. All experienced the sense of community, family and peace that Shabbat observance has brought to Jews for generations. Plan to make Friday, February 19 a special Shabbat for your family.

Steinsaltz Talmud in the Beth El Library

When the first volumes of the English language Steinsaltz Talmud were published about ten years ago, it was decided that the Beth El library ought to own this monumental work of scholarship. Consequently, we have been purchasing each volume as it has become available; the most recent is Volume 18. There are still many, many more volumes to be published in coming years.

Despite the high cost of these books (list price is about \$65 each), they have been made part of the circulating collection so that Beth El members can take them home for study if they choose to do so. However, borrowing a library book requires that the borrower sign his/her name to the book card and leave the card to be filed. It also requires that the book come back in a reasonable period of time.

At present, Volumes 3, 10 and 16 of the Steinsaltz Talmud are missing. They are neither in the library nor properly checked out of the library, and they have been gone for many weeks. If anyone knows the whereabouts of these books, please inform the office or call the volunteer librarian, Evelyn Margolis, at (301) 530-6387.

BETH EL BOOK FAIR

Sunday, February 21, 1999 9 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

A GREAT SELECTION OF JEWISH BOOKS!

Wanted: Big Kids Who Love Little Kids

Beth El Nursery School Camp is looking for caring, fun-loving junior counselors and volunteers to help make day camp special for pre-schoolers. Junior counselors will work under experienced teachers and must be entering ninth grade or above. Volunteers must be entering eighth grade or above.

Staff must be available to work Tuesday through Friday, June 2 I -July 30. Salary will depend on related experience. For an application, call Ellen Darr at (301) 652-2606, ext. 3 I I.

What I'll Do on My Summer Vacation at Beth El Nursery School Camp

Play in the sunshine. Splash in the water. Sing with my counselor. Make some new friends. Wish the summer would never end.

Beth El Nursery School Camp is a nurturing environment for children ages 3-5. The program runs Tuesdays through Fridays in two sessions between June 22 and July 30. For applications, contact Ellen Darr at (301) 652-2606, ext. 311.

BENS 1999-2000 Calendar

We are soliciting ads for next year's calendar. If your profession, rganization or business is interested in placing an ad, call (301) 652-2606, ext. 311 for information. Our calendar is distributed to the entire congregation, plus walk-in visitors to the main office.

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Beth El Forest

In Honor Of: Anniversary of Ted and Roz Kram by Werner and Bernice Blumenthal. In Memory Of: Julius Gillman by Samuel R. Gillman; Jack Bober by Howard Goldblatt; Melville Ehrlich, father of Alan Ehrlich, by Beatrice and Robert Newell; Marcello Moses Samakovlija by Paola Samakovlija-

Cantor's Fund

In Honor Of: Golden anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Weisz by Nancy, Heidi and Ethan Olins; Dorothea Lear's early return to good health by Selma and Jay Miller; Jonathan Fluger's Bar Mitzvah by Harold and Vera Fassberg, and Larry Fluger and Linda Fassberg. In Memory Of: Martha Spivak, mother of Anita Lieb and grandmother of Mitchell Solkowitz, by Ted and Anita Lieb; Israel Isaac Haber, father, by Murray A. Haber.

Chevra Kadisha Fund

In Memory Of: Jenny Semel by Charlotte and Bernard Resnick; Charles Merlin by Marcia and Paul Merlin.

College Fund

In Memory Of: Melvin Wine by Mildred Wine.

Conservative Judaism in Israel

In Memory Of: Fay Feibus, mother of Howard Feibus, by Bea and Bernie Berger.

Disabled Access Fund

In Memory Of: Luz Perez by Josephine Horn.

General Endowment Fund

In Honor Of: Richard and Alyssa Weker by Sy and

Trudy Weker; Ethan and Shara Lipton by Sy and Trudy Weker. In Memory Of: Hilda Teitelbaum, mother of Steve Teitelbaum, by Stanley and Leona Fribush; Erika Weiss by Irvin and Rita Weiss; Harry Wallerstein and Max Toback by Sheldon and Marilyn Wallerstein; Isadore Routhenstein by Samuel and Sylvia Littman.

Israel Experience Teen Fund In Honor Of: A Refuah Sheleimah for Tutti Sokol's brother by Toby and Bernie Moss. In Memory Of: Ruth Goldsmith, mother of Linda Goldsmith, by Linda Goldsmith and Howard Berger; Faye Feibus and Harriet Meyer Douglas by Eugene and Eleanor Elzufon; Rachel Drucker Hopp and Adolph Hopp by Elmira Hopp.

Jack and Miriam Crowell Hebrew School Scholarship Fund

In Memory Of: Anna Paskow, mother, by Miriam P. Crowell.

Kimball Nursery School Fund

In Honor Of: Dotti Hecht's birthday by Louis Kimball.

Masorti

In Honor Of: Herschel Blumberg by Herb Zalis.

In Memory Of: Bronya Sheykman by Vladimir and Jolie Lechtman; Luz Perez, mother of Julia Copperman, by Marilyn D. and Daniel Kweller.

Morning Minyan Fund

In Memory Of: Isadore Routhenstein by Eugene and Eleanor Elzufon and Rita and Elliott Stein; Bessie S. Ellenbogen, mother, by Audrey E. Berger; Isaac Kossman, father, by Mary Dubrow; Jay Golub, father, by Deborah G. Leibowitz; Grandfather, Jacob Forman, by Julian Levin; Father of Margaret Rifkind by Werner and Bernice Blumenthal.

Prayerbook Fund

In Honor Of: Lillian Kessler's Person of the Year Award by Dr. Herbert and Estelle Wiser; The

Worship and Study Minyan by Sigmund and Carolyn Shapiro. In Memory Of: Michael Bobb by Sharon Bobb, Meyer Morris Landau by Dr. and Mrs. Emanuel Landau; Ralph Lieban by The Lieban/Levine Family.

Joel and Betsy Popkin. In Honor Of: Bar Mitzvah of Jonathan M. Fluger by Harold and Vera Fassberg, Larry Fluger and Linda Fassberg, and Ellen J. Bezner, Ken Levine, in celebration of Hanukkah, by Cynthia Huffman and Ray Heacox. In Memory Of Michael Novick by Peter and Diane Novick; Sara Eisner by Dr. and Mrs. Marvin A. Band.

School Enrichment Fund

In Memory Of: Theodore I. Mayer, husband, by Laura S. Mayer.

Sisterhood Hospitality Fund

In Honor Of: Lillian Kessler receiving the Blue Yarmulke Award by Judith and Jonathan Levin. In Memory Of: Irving Cohen, father of Dale Gold, by David and Anne Hamburger.

Social Action Fund

In Honor Of: Diana Huffman, in celebration of Hanukkah, by Cynthia Huffman and Ray Heacox. In Memory Of: Sam Friedman, father of Mike Friedman, by Susan and Bert King.

Suls Youth Activities Fund In Memory Of: Abe Hoffman and Joseph Gordon by Daniel and Clara Gordon; Min Wind, mother of Gary Wind, by Marilyn and Gary Wind; Julia Copperman's mother by Marilyn and Gary Wind.

In Honor Of: Lil Kessler receiving Blue Yarmulke Award by Bea and Bernie Berger. In Memory Of: Luz Perez, mother of Julia Copperman, by Bea and Bernie Berger, Beloved mother, Reba Sklaroff, by Claire Marwick.

Attention Physicians and Others!

Kostroma pensioners spend most of their very limited resources on medicine. We have learned that the medicines listed here (or their equivalents) are "most needed": Accupril: Capoten; Glibenclamid tabl. 1.75, 3.5, 5.0; Inderal; Hep forte; Norvask; Claritin Caposid; Vasotec; Etmosine; Cordarone: Isoptine or Verapamil; DilacorModuretoc; Maxzide; Lasix; Nitro-Dur; Hidergine LC; Condess DM; Tylenol; Micostin cream, ointment; Diabeta; Imodium: Zantac; Zocor; Mevacor; Senecot; Dulcolax; Intal; Congess; Stadol; Timoptic; Cilert; Aerobid; Scleromate; Noroxin; Neg Gram; Cystospaz and Berocca Plus.

If you have pre-expiration date samples, please call Claire Marwick at (301)657-2328 to arrange for a pick-up, or deliver them to the Beth El office.

More than 35 of our physicians responded generously to our last call. Thanks to all of you in advance! Cash contributions for overthe-counter items or food are also very welcome!

Baruch Jayan Emet

Congregation Beth El offers its sincere condolences to Fran **Rubin** on the death of her father, Joseph Auerbach: to Allan Meltzer on the death of his father, Solomon Meltzer; to Richard Lieberman on the death of his mother, Hilda Teitel; to Paula Kleine on the death of her brother, Ralph Stein; to Linda **Goldsmith** on the death of her father, Paul Goldsmith; to Linda Perle on the death of her father, Abe Perle; to Howard and Sondra Bender on the death of their sister-in-law, Blanche Bender; to Sheryl Krongold Isaacs on the death of her father, Harold Krongold; to Irving and Annabel Chasen on the death of their granddaughter, Sarah Metzger; to Howard Feibus and Jonathan Feibus on the death of their great aunt, Ruth Roos Fendrick; and to Phyllis and Philip Margolius on the death of their sister-in-law, Janis Goldman.

Bible Heritage Lecture at Beth El on February 16

Rabbi David Golinkin of the Seminary of Judaic Studies in Jerusalem will present a lecture on Tuesday, February 16 at Beth El on "How Should a Believing Jew Relate to Biblical Criticism?" The lecture begins at 7:30 p.m. and will be followed by a reception.

Congregation Beth El of Montgomery County

First Annual Community Torah Institute

In these morally ambiguous times, what can the Torah offer us?

SPLENDID CONTRADICTIONS: UNDERSTANDING THE TORAH'S MORALLY PERPLEXING TALES

Sunday, February 21, 1999 1:00 to 4:30 p.m.



Dr. Eliezer DiamondAssistant Professor
of Talmud and Rabbinics
Jewish Theological Seminary



Dr. David SperlingProfessor of Bible
Hebrew Union College



Rabbi Jacob J. Schacter, Ph.D.

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Rabbi William Rudolph

hosts this distinguished panel of Orthodox, Conservative, and Reform scholars to examine the moral messages conveyed in several of the Torah's most perplexing stories.

Admission is free. Call (301)652-2606 ext. 318 to make your reservation.

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From the Desk of Rachel D. Sternberg, Youth Director

BONIM (KINDERGARTEN - 2ND GRADERS)

Advisor: Carrie Apfel

Hotline: (301) 652-2606, ext. 342

Gan Shabbat, February 20, 10:30 a.m. in Room 209

Join your Bonim friends at Gan Shabbat!!

MACHAR (3RD-5TH GRADERS)

Advisors: Darrin Gerson and Andrea Goldstein

Hotline: (301) 652-2606, ext. 341

KADIMA (6TH-8TH GRADERS)

Advisor: Jane-Rachel Sanow

Hotline: (301) 652-2606, ext. 340

Ski Trip to Whitetail. Sunday, February 14, 8:45 a.m.-9 p.m. Join Beth El and Har Shalom Kadima and USY for the Annual Whitetail Ski Trip. All levels of skiers are welcome, even first timers!! Lessons are available. Applications are in the Youth Bulletin. **RSVP** is required for this event. For more information, please call the Hotline.

Kadima Face Painting Booth at the Purim Carnival, February 28, 12–3 p.m.

Volunteer at the Kadima Booth at the Purim Carnival. Have fun painting faces, including your own, and earn dollars for Tzedakah at the same time. To sign up, please call Jane-Rachel at the Hotline number.

USY (9TH-12TH GRADERS)

Advisor: Rachel Sternberg

Hotline: (301) 652-2606 ext. 308

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USY Silent Auction at the Purim Carnival, Sunday, February 28, 12-3 p.m.

Help USY raise dollars for Tikkun Olam by volunteering at the USY Silent Auction. Bids will be taken at the Carnival and winners will be announced at the end. To volunteer or to get more information, call Rachel at the Hotline!!

Manor Care Shabbat, February 26, 3:15-4:15 p.m. at Manor Care

Join USY at Springhouse Manor Care on Battery Lane. We will lead a service for the elderly residents and bring Shabbat to them. To RSVP, call the Hotline. Fresh bagels will be sold by USY in the Rotunda on Sunday, February 28, from 10:30 - 11:45 a.m.

MEN'S CLUB

Kids! Tell your parents to mark their calendars for the annual Purim Carnival on Sunday, February 28. Pre-purchase tickets good for games and food on Sundays, starting February 7 from 9-11:30 a.m. in the Rotunda. Discount price is 4/\$1. For a greater discount, order by mail and get 45 tickets for \$10. Send orders to D. Geselowitz, 6309 Landon Lane, Bethesda, MD 20817 before February 19. Make checks payable to Beth El Men's Club.

If you are not a member, please consider joining the Men's Club. We need you! For membership information, please contact Bernie Rod, (301) 299-8362.

Congratulations to our Men's Club team on advancing to the second round of the Seaboard Region "It's Academic" competition. We're always looking for "new blood." If you'd like to test your store of general and Judaic knowledge, you might consider joining our team. Call David Schultz, (301) 530-1620, for more information.

Do you want to have input to Congress and the President regarding Social Security? Do you want to be involved in discussing your opinions on Social Security? Do you want to participate in a discussion with other Beth El congregants about Social Security? Do you want to learn more about Social Security and the various options being discussed to "save" it? You can now have these opportunities.

On Sunday, March 7, beginning at 10 a.m., the Beth El Men's Club, with the support of the Americans Discuss Social Security organization (funded by the Pew Charitable Trust), will conduct a program which will allow all participants to meet all of these goals and more! All participants will be given an information packet containing briefing sheets, watch a video, and participate in discussions. Results of the discussions will be sent in as a group and/or as individuals.

Mark your calendars! We will have sufficient materials available for a large number of participants. Remember, Social Security will not only affect our futures, but those of our children and grandchildren as well. Watch for more information in the Scroll and Shabbat Announcements.

Upcoming Events

February 14 February 21 Roy Millenson, "Lobbying Congress" "It's Academic" 2nd round, competing against Shaare Tikvah, Beth El of

Baltimore and Adas Israel

February 2 March 7 Purim Carnival Symposium on Social Security

Passover University A Program for All Ages

CONGREGATION BETH EL OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY SUNDAY MARCH 7, 1999 1:30-3:30

COURSE SCHEDULE:

"Freshmen" and "Sophomores" (ages 5-13)

1:30-2:00 games and songs in the sanctuary

2:00-2:45 multi-station crafts and cooking in the Social Hall

"Upperclassmen" (Adults):

Choose 2 (1:30-2:45) from the following electives:

Tastes from a Sephardic Kitchen (Donna Saady)

Kashering your House

Re"new"ing the Seder with adult participants (Rabbi Rudolph)

Re'new'ing the Seder with children present (Sarah Roark)

Leading your own Seder
- The Traditional Melodies (Hazzan Lubin)*

Not Just Had Gadya - New songs

Women of the Passover Story

Prince of Egypt: Dreamworks vs. Torah

2:45-3:30 Freshmen

Lion Tales Puppet Theater Passover Show

Sophomores – A Chocolate Seder

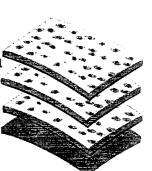
Upperclassmen-Passover in the Mishnah with Rabbi Maltzman

Parents are welcome to stay with their children for any or all parts and older children are welcome to come to the edult electives. Older children will also be leading many of the events for the younger children so contact Rachel (2011) if you have an older child interested in helping out.

*There will be a tape available of Hazzan Lubin chanting the Haggadah RSVPing is appreciated, by phone, mail, or fax to Sarah Roark 301-652-2606x320.



A five-week group is being offered by the Washington Jewish Healing Network and JSSA. It is a repeat of a similar, very popular group held last year. Rabbi David Kaye and Dr. Carol Hausman will co-lead the group to be held at Beth El starting Monday, February 22 at noon. Please call Dr. Hausman at (202) 966-7851 for information. Pre-registration is required, as space is limited.



Last Call for Giant Reciepts

Please send them in to BETH EL NURSERY SCHOOL immediately! Program ending soon.

Save the Date!

The annual Hoops for Hunger basketball game to benefit MAZON will be held Sunday evening, March 7, at 5:30 p.m. at the Charles E. Smith Jewish Day School, 1901 East Jefferson Street, Rockville. Beth El will play the team from Adat Shalom. MAZON pledge sheets will be distributed at Purim services on Monday, March 1.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Shabbat
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14	15	16	17	18	19	APR 20
		10	11		17	40
Religious School Closed	Offices and Schools Closed	5:45-6: I 5 p.m. Rel.Sch. Mincha/Maariy Service	5:45-6:15 p.m. Rel. Sch. Mincha/Maariv Service - Sanctuary	l 2 p.m. Vatikkim - SH	Shabbat Shalom at Home	7:30 & 9:15 a.m. Shabbat Services
Chapel 9:30 a.m. Men's Club - SH	7:30 a.m. Morning Minyan 10 a.m. Brian Graber Bar Mitzvah 12 p.m. Graber Luncheon	- Sanctuary 7:30 p.m. Bible Heritage Lecture - SH, Sanctuary 7:45 p.m. Sisterhood Rosh Hodesh Group - BR 8:15 p.m. Rel. Sch. Comm. Mtg APR	6:45 p.m. Hebrew Class - Room 20 I 7 p.m. Boy Scouts - MR	6:30 p.m. Aerobics - SH	6:30 p.m. Friday Evening Service	9:15 a.m. Tamar Mintz Bat Mitzvah 10 a.m. Jr. Congregation 10 a.m. Learners' Minyar - MR
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