

THE BULLETIN

March/April 2026

Adar/Nissan/Iyar 5786

Friday March 6

6:00 pm - Grades 3-6 Family Shabbat
7:30 pm - Family Shabbat Evening Service with Birthday, Anniversary, & Blessings & teacher appreciation



Saturday March 7

10:00 am - Simply Shabbat Service

Friday March 13

7:30 pm - Shabbat Evening Service

Saturday March 14

10:00 am - Sawyer O'Neill Bar Mitzvah MAZAL TOV!!

Friday March 20

7:30 pm - Shabbat Evening Service

Saturday March 21

10:00 am - Eliana Oster Bat Mitzvah MAZAL TOV!!

Friday March 27

5:30 pm - Passover Tot Shabbat
7:30 pm - Shabbat Evening Service

Saturday March 28

10:00 am - Simply Shabbat Service

Thursday April 2

6:00 pm - Adath Emanu-El Congregational Seder

Friday April 3

7:30 pm - Family Shabbat Evening Service with Birthday, Anniversary, & Blessings

Saturday April 4

10:00 am - Simply Shabbat Service

Friday April 10

7:30 pm - Shabbat Evening Service

Saturday April 11

10:00 am - Simply Shabbat Service

Friday April 17

7:30 pm - Shabbat Evening Service & Israel Shabbat

Saturday April 18

10:00 am - Ari Norton Bar Mitzvah MAZAL TOV!!

Friday April 24

7:30 pm - Shabbat Evening Service

Saturday April 25

10:00 am - Simply Shabbat Service



Rabbi Amy L. Memis-Foler | rabbi@adathemanuel.com

843. That's the number of days that it took for all 251 hostages, taken by Hamas on October 7, 2023, to be returned home to Israel. On January 26, 2026, the body of Israel Defense Forces Master Sergeant Ran Gvili was the last one. The jumbotron clock in Tel Aviv's Hostage Square, which was counting up the days, stopped. This is the first time since 2014 that there are no Israeli hostages in Gaza.

Along with others across the world, I've taken off my "Bring Them Home" dog-tag necklace. I've put away my yellow ribbons and yellow candles. I've taken down the sign hung in my window of that familiar phrase, "Bring Them Home." Israel's Reform Movement has concluded its weekly Saturday night Havdalah ceremonies in Hostage Square.

Israeli Anna Kislanski, CEO of the Israel Movement for Progressive Judaism, reflects on this historic moment: "As we mourn [Ran Gvili's] loss, the closing of this painful chapter deepens our moral responsibility to uphold the sanctity of every human life."

This is a historical moment for Israel. Even as this milestone is filled with a sense of joy and relief, it is also intertwined with emotions of pain, loss, grief, trauma and healing that has been woven into the fabric of Israeli society over the past two and a quarter years. This moment also reflects the ever-enduring resilience of Israelis and the eternal hopefulness of the Jewish community across the globe. Israel is already healing; it will continue to rebuild and blossom. And this milestone offers us an opportunity to support Israel as we have in the past and in new ways that Israel may be looking to us post October 7, 2023.

Save the date for our **Israel Shabbat** on **Friday, April 17 at 7:30 pm**. In advance of Israel's 78th year of Independence/Yom HaAtzmaut, we will gather and celebrate Israel's music, food, strength, resilience and more. In addition, I'd like to plant a seed for a congregational journey to Israel. Now is an ideal time for first-time and repeat visitors to witness Israel's recovery and growth over its layers of ancient and modern history. If you are interested, please let me know.

843 days. The counting has ended, but our commitment has not. A new era begins—of healing, hope, repair, and rebuilding—not just for Israel, but also for those of us who support Israel across the globe.

L'shalom,

Rabbi Amy L. Memis-Foler

NEW Adath policy

Misheberach List Policy Update Effective January 1, 2026

Dear Friends,

One of the most sacred responsibilities we hold as a community is to pray for the healing of those who are ill. Our Misheberach list allows us to lift up the names of loved ones in need of physical, emotional, or spiritual healing. It is an honor to do so together every Shabbat.

In recent years, our list has grown very long and we have found that many names remain even after the need for healing has passed; sometimes because people simply forgot to notify us. In order to make sure that our prayers are focused and timely as possible, we will be updating our policy beginning January 1, 2026.

New Misheberach List Policy

- 1. Names will remain on the Misheberach list for one month at a time.**
*When you add a loved one to the Misheberach list, their name will automatically stay on for **one month** unless you request the name to be removed sooner.*
- 2. To keep a name on the list longer, please contact the office.**
*If continued prayers are needed, we kindly ask that you **call or email the office** before the end of the month to keep your loved one on the list for the following month. (If special circumstances apply, please let us know as we are here to support you)*
- 3. If we do not hear from you, we understand that the name no longer needs to be on the list.** *This helps us to ensure that the list reflects those currently in need of prayer. You are always welcome to come to any service and say your loved one's name aloud.*

We make this change with care, respect, and with the goal of honoring each name we recite. Thank you for helping us to keep our community's prayers meaningful and up to date.

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Office E-mail: office@adathemanuel.com

President's Message

Dear Adath Emanu-El Family,



Recently, I was asked what Adath Emanu-El's position is on a particular topic. I found that question extremely difficult to answer and it made me stop to think about who we are as a congregation.

My initial thought was that Adath Emanu-El is not made up of one person, one perspective, or one shared opinion. We are a community of individuals who come from many different backgrounds, life experiences, and levels of commitment. Each member brings something meaningful to our synagogue and each voice adds depth to who we are together.

To me, it is easier to answer as a Jewish institution. We strive to live by Jewish morals and values. Those same values guide us in how we treat one another, how we learn, and how we grow not just individually but as a community. While the Torah does not always give us simple answers to questions of modern life, it consistently reminds us to act with integrity, compassion, and humility. Our tradition encourages us to ask questions, to listen carefully, and to learn from one another. Because of this, not one person, including myself, can decide where Adath Emanu-El stands on every issue as we are a community of many voices. What I can say with confidence, though, are some of the things that we value as a community.

We value respect for one another.

We value the sanctity of life.

We value kindness and compassion.

We value learning and personal responsibility.

We value listening with openness and engaging in thoughtful conversation.

We value growth; both as individuals and as a congregation.

Our differences do not divide us, they enrich us. When we listen to one another with care and curiosity, we strengthen our community. When we disagree, it should always be with respect. When we stumble, we lift each other up and continue to strive to be better. By supporting one another and remaining open to learning, we ensure that Adath Emanu-El continues to be a welcoming spiritual home for all. This is what makes our congregation different than others. This is what makes our congregation so special. This is what makes Adath Emanu-El a community that feels like a family.

B'Shalom,

Shira Y. Keet

President, Adath Emanu-El

Early Childhood Center



The ECC is ready for two busy months ahead! We begin March celebrating Purim, Read Across America, and Spirit Week. This first week has the classrooms immersed in literature by exploring different authors and illustrators as well as sharing their favorite books. Since we are also celebrating Purim, our little learners will be learning about the customs and traditions of Purim including making yummy Hamantaschen for snacks.

This first week will also have us welcoming The Cat in The Hat (Diane Singer) for her annual visit as she reads and interacts with our students. This is a visit that we look forward to every year. Our fun filled week of Ruach will culminate with a special assembly featuring Rockness Music for a mini rock concert for our kids. This assembly is made possible by our families and congregants that have participated in our fundraising efforts this school year. *Todah Rabbah!*

As March ends the ECC is happy to welcome back Rabbi Kahan from the Medford Chabad with his interactive Matza Factory. Our students will participate and learn how to make matza from scratch. *Todah Rabbah* to Sloanes Oma and Opa for graciously donating funds to allow this program to happen again this year. Learning how to make homemade matza began our Passover curriculum. Through literature, art, and music our kids will learn about the customs and traditions of Passover and each classroom will create one special project for their home Seder table.

April begins with our Passover Family Experience welcoming our families for an interactive educational event. We will retell the story of the Exodus through songs that each classroom will sing and then return to the classroom for a circuit of activities that will enhance their Seder at home.

Upon returning from Spring Break, we will celebrate Yom Ha'Atzmaut by 'visiting' Isreal. We will board Adath Emanu-El Airlines and spend time traveling to special spots such as the Kotel, Sfat, and Eilat. Before returning home we will make sure to visit our Bedouin tent for pita, hummus, and chocolate spread a favorite treat. Am Yisrael Chai!

The ECC is moving in the final stretch of the school year, and we are busy planning for summer camp and the 2026-2027 school year. Registration for camp and the school year is open. Please spread the word about our wonderful and nurturing preschool.

Chag Purim and Pesach Sameach!

Lisa Greenberg
ECC Director, Adath Emanu-El



Early Childhood Center



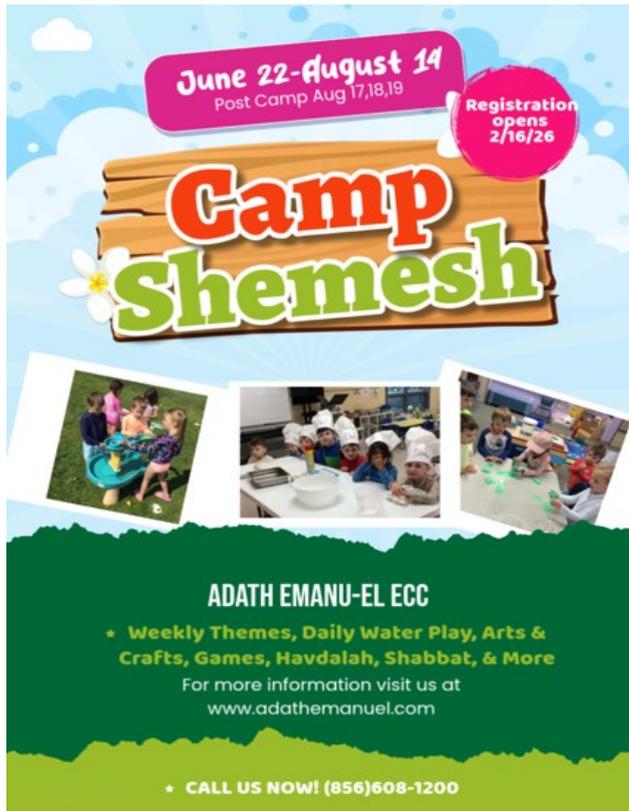
T.G.I. SHABBAT

ECC TOT SHABBAT
Friday, March 27th
5:30-6:30

Join us for a Passover themed Shabbat.
 Optional Pizza Dinner @ 5:30 and
 interactive Shabbat service @ 6:00.

RSVP BY 3/26/26
Morah Lisa @ ecc@adathemanuel.com
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 Post Camp Aug 17,18,19

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Cradle Roll

CRADLE ROLL

Cradle Roll is a series of holiday programs for pre-school children ages 2-1/2 to 5. The programs include crafts (sometimes food related edible crafts), stories, games, songs and a snack at the end of the program! Cradle Roll is sponsored by the Sisterhood of Adath Emanu-El. There is no cost to participants and the programs are open to the community.

Cradle Roll invitations/notices of programs are sent via email to families with children 2&1/2 to 5 years of age. If you are not receiving emails, please let me know. You do not need to register for cradle roll; however, you **MUST** be sure to RSVP before each program.

We had a great time at our Tu B'Shevat cradle roll painting butterfly planting pots and planting parsley! We made a Tu B'shevat tree decoration and learned about how important trees are to our environment and to all of us! We hope that the parsley we planted grows in time for Passover! We are looking forward to seeing everyone at our next cradle roll program for Passover on March 22!

B'Shalom!

Karen Federman-Ellner

Sisterhood Cradle Roll Chairperson

Cradle Roll Programs 2025-2026

Purim Cradle Roll – February 22, 2026

Passover Cradle Roll – March 22, 2026



Cradle Roll Hannukah & Tu B'shev'at



AEFTY - Adath Emanu-El Federation of Temple Youth



AEFTY events are the extra-curricular activities of our religious school where we can continue creating meaningful experiences outside of the classroom and can foster lasting friendships! We hope that you will participate in our activities, meet one another and help us continue to create a wonderful caring community! Our AEFTY Teen Board and Youth Activities Committee continue to work hard planning exciting events and activities geared to all our Adath students and parents too!

Recently, AEFTY 1-2 had a wonderful Game Day; AEFTY 3-4 went Rock Climbing, AEFTY 5-6 made a great escape at the Amazing Escape Room, AEFTY Teens had a great time at our Teen Hanukkah Party, our Teen service with Cookie House Decorating and a fabulous ice skating event at the Flyers Skate Zone!

Our spring is shaping up to be just as amazing! We are busy planning the annual Purim Carnival and we look forward to seeing everyone there! Our AEFTY Teens are planning our Congregational Teen Service and also looking forward to our Hot Pot lunch event on March 22! Our AEFTY Teen Baking for a Cause will be baking hamantaschen for a local senior community too!

Our AEFTY grade events for the spring are being planned as well and information on all these events will be out soon!

AEFTY and the Youth activities committee continue to have their monthly bagel sales partially as a fundraiser, and mostly to build community. So come out and have breakfast with your child/children before religious school, meet Super Bagel and then attend t'filah. Afterwards, come back and hang out with us. This is another great way to meet people and connect! Our last bagel sales for the academic year will be on March 22 and April 26! Hope to see you there!

Please let me know if you are interested in helping out with any of our youth programs, including our bagel sales. Getting involved is another great way to connect!

We look forward to meeting you and seeing you and your students at our upcoming events!

B'shalom

Karen Federman-Ellner

AEFTY Advisor (youth@adathemanuel.com)



AEFTY Teen service



AEFTY Teen Hanukkah party



AEFTY Teen Fun ice skating



AEFTY 3-4 Fun



AEFTY 1-2 Fun



AEFTY 5-6 Fun



BAGEL SALE with Mt. Laurel Police



Religious School



Spring truly cannot come soon enough!

It has been a challenging winter for us at Religious School (two snow days??), but we haven't let the weather stop us from all of our activities.

We celebrated Hanukkah with shopping, crafts, treats, and a Hanukkah party sponsored by AEFTY. We have had multiple visits from our Shinshinim (Israeli ambassadors) who have taught us about many lessons, including how Tu B'Shevat is observed in Israel.

We had an extremely successful Shabbat dinner for students in Grades K-2 and participated in several Tu B'Shevat seders.

As always, we also continued learning and enjoying time in the Jewish community.

On Superbowl Sunday, we had a Superbowl Bash during our break time, complete with special snacks and prizes for the kids, just to boost our ruach, or spirit, during these long winter months. We definitely had less enthusiasm without the Eagles in the game, but we still had fun!

March and April are sure to be no less exciting, as we enjoy another community-wide Shabbat dinner for students in Grades 3-6, visit with the Shinshinim again, and celebrate Purim with crafts and projects in class, as well as the Adath megillah reading and Purim carnival. Before we know it, Pesach will be here, and that brings Rabbi Kahan and his travelling matzah factory, as well as our beloved Passover seder at the JCC Camps in Medford.

Due to success in previous year, we will continue having our seders indoors in the Conference Center, so that we aren't shivering and can focus on the meaning of the holiday.

We are hoping for a warm and sunny day on March 29th, so that we can enjoy the camp facilities after our seders. We can't wait to continue our fun and learning here at the Religious School.

L'Shalom,
Abby Wolf

CALENDAR NOTES FOR MARCH AND APRIL 2026:

March 1 - Purim Festivities. Megillah Reading during Religious School from
10:15 – 11:00;

Purim Carnival beginning at 11:00.

March 4 - Confirmation trip to Platt Memorial Chapels

March 6 - Gr. 3-6 Shabbat Dinner and Services Honoring Our Faculty 6:00

March 11 - 3rd Trimester Electives begins at Teen Night

March 22 - 4th Grade B'nei Mitzvah Date Selection Meeting & Family Education

March 25 – Post-Confirmation Dinner with the Rabbi

March 29 – Grades K-6 Passover Seder at JCC Camps in Medford

April 1 and 8 - No Teen Night (Happy Pesach!)

April 5 and 12 - No Religious School (Happy Pesach!)

April 15 - Grades 6-9 Parent Meeting during Teen Night

Sisterhood



So, this is the bulletin for March & April...does that mean it is Spring-time? It's not? What a bummer, I am so over winter! Well, Spring is coming and we have lots of things planned to get you out of the house and to Adath! March kicks off with Bag & Bling Bingo! This is a favorite event, info is out now, so make sure you register early! Later in the month our gift shop will go full out Passover Palooza! Don't miss great sales on your Passover needs. We will continue with our annual mitzvah of assembling soup mix jars for the food bank and also in March we will have a creative take on the Passover Seder, complete with food and treats! In April we will be celebrating the State of Israel with an Israeli themed event. Guess you will have to be there to see what it is! This all sound great, right? However, I guarantee it won't be as much fun with YOU! See you at Adath!

Robin Shaffer

Sisterhood President, Adath Emanu-El



**SISTERHOOD OF ADATH EMANU-EL
CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO ATTEND...**

BAQ & BLING BINGO



DAYLIGHT SAVINGS DAY - DON'T FORGET TO CHANGE YOUR CLOCKS!

SUNDAY, MARCH 8, 2026

2-5 PM | DOORS OPEN AT 1:30

ADATH EMANU-EL SOCIAL HALL

205 ELBO LANE MOUNT LAUREL, NJ 08054

**REGISTER BY
MARCH 6:
\$40 PER PERSON**

**WALK-IN
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**FOR MORE INFORMATION,
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STACIE SULZBERG AT
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Sisterhood

Join Sisterhood for Mason Jar Night

**MONDAY,
MARCH 9**
ADATH EMANU-EL
205 ELBO LANE
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7:00PM | REFRESHMENTS, INCLUDING
TOMATO SOUP AND GRILLED CHEESE

7:45PM | ASSEMBLING SOUP MIX
JARS FOR THE JFCS FOOD PANTRY

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GIFT SHOP

Traditions Galleria

PASSOVER PALOOZA
MARCH 15 9:00-12:30



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**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT:
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ADATHEMANUELGIFTSHOP@GMAIL.COM**

Cash, check, or credit card accepted

Save the Date

Sisterhood Passover Gathering

Join us for food, creativity,
and sweet treats!

Sunday, March 22
2:00 pm
Adath Emanu-El
Social Hall



Save the Date!

Sunday, April 19
2:00PM
Adath Emanu-El
Social Hall



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Sisterhood: Red Shabbat



Men's Club



MEN'S CLUB BRUNCH

Sunday, March 15th

Featuring...

The Green Team



After the presentation, there will be an opportunity for discussion where they will take questions from the audience.

The brunch starts at 9:00AM.
Only \$10 per person!

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MEN'S CLUB BRUNCH

Sunday, April 19th

Featuring:

Dave Kaplan & Friends

Be Our Guest - A tribute to famous Jewish Disney composers
(and a side of Disney trivia)



Live music, fun and a delicious brunch!

The brunch starts at 9:00AM.

Only \$10 per person!

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Social Action: Ways to Contribute in our Community

Welcoming the stranger, or immigrant is a core part of Jewish tradition, mentioned 36 times in the Torah. Leviticus commands, “The stranger who resides with you shall be to you as one of your citizens, you shall love them as yourself, for you were strangers in the land of Egypt: (19:33-34).

Adath Emanu-El’s Social Action/Social Justice committee has been working with RAC-NJ to pass legislation to protect our immigrant neighbors in NJ. The Safe Communities Act passed the Legislature during the past lame duck session. RAC-NJ now is continuing to work through the first quarter of 2026 to advocate for the passage of two additional bills, Immigrant Trust Directive Codification and the Privacy Protection Act. Here’s what was done:

When we asked you to contact your members of Congress, you did-by participating in weekly phone calls and emails to our NJ legislators.

When we sent updates about what was happening on the ground, you read and shared them.

Moving forward, if you would like to join our “Social Action Friends” community and receive these email updates, please contact me at fpgreen@comcast.net. We are honored and grateful for your support.

We continue to support InterfaithRISE with social action projects. When families needed our support during the holidays, you gave. We would like to express our deepest gratitude to Forest Kairos to reaching out and coordinating with the Adath community to raise enough funds to buy gifts for 76 children. Due to your generosity, we raised \$2,725.00!!

We will be holding a donation drive in March/April for Personal Care Items—look for the upcoming flyer in the weekly updates.

This past year has been difficult to watch. But here is the blessing: you haven’t looked away. You continue to support, to show up, to make Tikkun Olam matter. I am in awe of our Adath Emanu-El community and I’m honored to call it home.

Fran Green
Social Action/Social Justice Chairperson



Harriette Cohen & Fran Green
in Trenton with RAC-NJ advocating for immigrant rights.
Meeting with Assemblyman
Balvir Singh



**PERSONAL CARE ITEM
DRIVE**
March-April 2026



Sponsored by the Social Action/Social Justice Committee

We’re collecting personal care items to help refugee families served by InterfaithRISE (I-RISE) in South Jersey. The drive is from March 8-April 10. I-RISE is a non-profit organization which helps documented (legal) refugees become self-sufficient in the U.S. The refugees are from countries worldwide.

Personal Care Items include:

- ✦ Shampoo
- ✦ Toothbrush
- ✦ Toothpaste
- ✦ Bar soap
- ✦ Deodorant
- ✦ Shaving Cream
- ✦ Razor
- ✦ Socks for men and women

Drop off your donations from March 8-April 10 in the Social Action/Social Justice collection bin at Adath Emanu-El.



GREEN TEAM

IT ISN'T EASY BEING GREEN

Imagine there's no garbage, It's easy if you try

No trash below us. No particles in the sky

Imagine all the people living waste-free

Imagine no plastic in the ocean

No wrappers or cig butts on the ground

Nothing to trash or incinerate,

A circular system keeps going 'round

Imagine all the people never making trash

You may say that we're dreamers,

But we're not the only ones,

We hope someday everyone will join us

As the idea of waste is foregone

Imagine no landfills and incinerators, I wonder if you can

No need to pollute every time you consume

Beaches with only sand

Imagine children and animals sharing a clean world

You may say that we're dreamers

But we're not the only ones

We hope someday everyone will join us, as the idea of waste is forgone

Please consider joining Adath's Green Team. We meet monthly (typically the 4th Monday of the month via Zoom). For further information, please contact our Chair, Janice Bate at chris-bate2@comcast.net.



Kehillot @ Adath

Young Adults

Join us for Bowling at Laurel Lanes,
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SATURDAY MARCH 14
1:30-3:30
COST \$35 (INCLUDES
BOWLING AND FOOD)

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You're invited to an Adath Emanu-El Kehillah

DINNER PARTY

Saturday, March 14, 2026
5:30pm

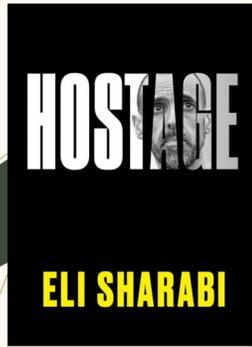
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Cherry Hill, NJ 08034

RSVP your attendance to Mindy Miller by March 6, 2026
creationsbymindy@aol.com

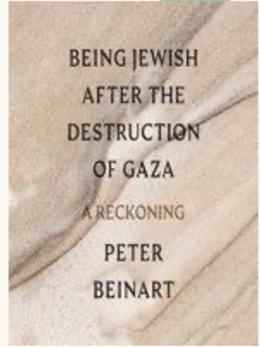


Adath Emanu-El

Book Club



HOSTAGE
ELI SHARABI



BEING JEWISH
AFTER THE
DESTRUCTION
OF GAZA
A RECKONING
PETER
BEINART

March 22, 2026
9:30 am
classroom 1

RSVP **Marlene (856)905-3975**

TWO BOOKS



Kehillot @ Adath

DINNER KEHILLA

O'Connor's American Bar & Grill

Saturday, April 18, 2026 6:00pm



RSVP: Mindy Miller by April 10, 2026
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1383 Monmouth Road, Eastampton, NJ 08060



Lifelong Learning

Life Long Learning presents: Understanding the Prayers We Pray

Join us for a 5-part series taught by Edmond Weiss. This series will explore the meanings and context of five key prayers in the Erev Shabbat service. Our hope is this knowledge will intensify and enrich your Shabbat experience, while also providing insights into the history of Jewish theology.

The prayers are:

- L'Cha Dodi
- Sh'ma/V'ahavta
- Tefilah/Amidah
- Aleinu
- Kaddish Yatom

In each session we shall read the prayer in Hebrew (Aramaic for the Kaddish), review multiple translations, discuss the history of the prayer, and explore its meaning and relevance for contemporary Jews.

Dates: March 29, April 5, 12, 19, 26 | Time: 11 am
Where: Adath Emanu-El Tapestry Room

This is a free, five-session series. Each class is standalone, you can drop in for any session(s) - or join us for all five!
Questions? Contact Stacie at 856-340-8826



ADATH EMANU-EL

Honoring Our Sacred Texts

Geniza Burial Event

The Lifelong Learning and Ritual committees invite you to participate in the burial of Jewish religious texts in a geniza, honoring their sanctity. Feel free to bring any Siddurim and Humashim, Tallitot, and Tefillin that is no longer fit for use. Or, come to help bury items from Adath Emanu-El. Your presence will help preserve our traditions and show respect for the teachings they embody.



Crescent Memorial Park

Sunday April 26, 2026 at 10 AM

Please come and support this meaningful event, ensuring the respectful treatment of our cherished texts.

For more details, please call Stacie Sutzberg at 856-340-8826

Crescent Memorial Park
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ADATH WEEKLY

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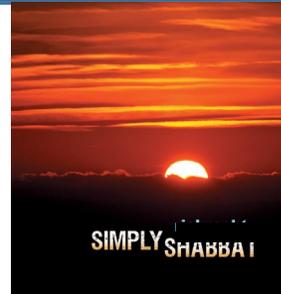


Every Saturday morning at 8:45 am.
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Miracles, Dysfunctional families,
Rivalries & more.....

It's all in the Torah.

**NO previous experience with
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10:00 am in the Sanctuary

Every Shabbat morning

when there is no Bar or Bat Mitzvah.

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Rabbi Richard A. Levine Gala

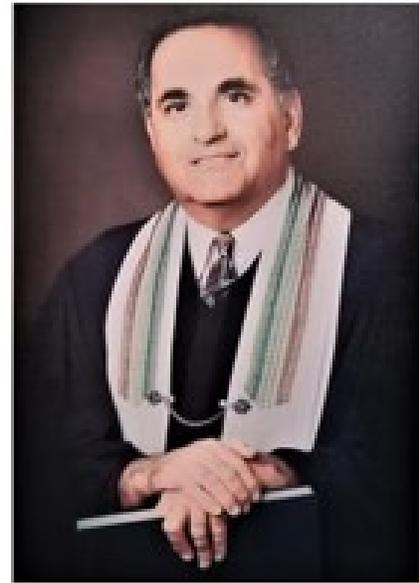
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HONORING:

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APRIL 25, 2026
6:30 p.m.

ADATH EMANU-EL
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Semi-Formal Attire



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We encourage all congregants to participate in whatever ways
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Leave a Legacy for Future Generations
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 so I plant for those who come after me."
 Talmud, Taanit 23a



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January 2026
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Need not be present to win. Winners will be notified via email.

Contact Jessica Chasen at fundraising@adathemanuel.com to arrange pickup of donations or for more information.

Your Generosity Makes A Difference!

Ways to Support Adath

8th Annual Rabbi Richard A. Levine Award Gala Saturday April 25, 2026

Rabbi Richard A. Levine was a distinguished leader who served and inspired the congregation of Adath Emanu-El and the Mount Laurel, Burlington County NJ community for more than 46 years. Each year we honor those individuals who embody the same values and commitment exemplified by the late Rabbi Levine .

2026 KEHILLAH AWARD
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<p>PLATINUM SPONSORSHIP PACKAGE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prominent Signage at Event as Lead Sponsor • Advertising on Adath Emanu-El Website and Emails for 3 months • Full color ad on back cover of event program • 10 Tickets to Gala Event 	<p>\$10,000</p>
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Martin Luther King Day at Adath

Sisterhood "MLK Day of Tikkun Olam" 2026

Thank you to all that were able to participate in the Sisterhood's 13th Annual "MLK Day of Tikkun Olam" (Repairing the World) in honor of Martin Luther King Jr's Day of Service! It was amazing to have the community working together to support local organizations! We were able to do so many good things in just a few hours, and able to foster new and old relationships with members of our community. We participated in 20 different service projects benefiting 10 organizations. On the next page is a list of all the projects and the final amounts that were donated. Thank you again for all of your time, donations of materials and support!

Karen Federman-Ellner



Martin Luther King Day at Adath



MLK Day of Tikkun Olam Project Totals 2026

- Ronald McDonald House – 136 Candy Bags with cheerful tags, 28 Spring Bouquet Craft Bags and 22 Coloring Craft Bags
- Cathedral Kitchens – 254 Sandwiches for the homeless and 420 Utensil Bags
- Voorhees Animal Shelter – 839 Dog Treats, 101 Fleece Dog Toys, 23 Tennis Ball Dog Toys, 28 Cat Toys
- Samaritan Hospice – 24 Valentine Cupcake craft, 15 Spring Bouquet Craft, 9 Lap Blankets, 12 No Sew Pillows
- Color A Smile Drawings for Seniors and Veterans – 26 Pictures
- JFCS Passover cards for Holocaust Survivors – 43 Cards
- Joseph House lunch bags – 110 Lunch Bags
- Crayon Initiative – 10 Bags of Crayons
- Lion's Gate – 64 Suncatchers, 28 Tissue Paper Flowers
- Letters Against Isolation – 39 Letters

Looking back: Hannukah Pictures



AN ADATH PASSOVER



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Join Adath Emanu-El for our 2nd Night Seder
led by Rabbi Amy Memis-Foler and
Cantorial Soloist Sandi Messinger-Aguilar.



Community Passover Seder

Thursday, April 2, 2026

6:00pm

Adath Members \$60 Adult/ \$45 Child
Non - Members \$70 Adult/ \$50 Child
*child pricing for 3-12 years old (2 and under free)

RSVP DEADLINE
MARCH 25

REGISTER ONLINE at
<https://bit.ly/Seder2026>



Scholarships are available if needed - please contact Rabbi Memis-Foler for information.
Questions? Please contact our main office

Adath Emanu-El, 205 Elbo Lane, Mt. Laurel NJ 856-608-1200

BACK TO BREAD

APRIL 8
WEDNESDAY
6:00PM

Pizza

NO FEE TO ATTEND
JOIN US IN THE SOCIAL HALL
TO END PASSOVER TOGETHER



Salad and
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Contact Sarah to RSVP and/or to
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EVENTS AT ADATH

What Does Judaism Say About... ?

**Adath Emanu-El Lifelong Learning Class
taught by Rabbi Memis-Foler**

Wednesdays at 10:00 am

March 4 and April 1, 2026

Are you interested in knowing what Judaism has to say about topics from Abortion to Zodiac and others in between?

Come learn and discuss in person and remotely with Rabbi Memis-Foler monthly on Wednesdays at 10:00 am. To receive the remote Zoom link, please contact Heidi at hkramer@adathemanuel.com.



YOUTH ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE FAMILY

Challah Bake

MARCH 15, 2026 • 12:30-3:30 PM

Adath Emanu-El Social Hall

Cost \$10 Per Person (Kids 2nd grade and under are free and will make a challah with a parent)

Gluten Free Challah will be available!

Bagels and cream cheese, and snacks will be served.

Join us for a fun afternoon, as we mix, knead, and braid challah dough together! Each person will prepare their loaves to be taken home for baking. Directions will be provided. Snacks will be served and games will be played while the dough rises.



Save the date!

Israel Shabbat 5786

April 17, 2026

7:30 pm

**Israeli melodies during the service
Israeli food and Israeli dancing
during the Oneg**

Celebrate wearing your blue and white!

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Mahjong

Join us...

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May 4 & 11

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For further info,
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deesinger3@gmail.com

**Starting at
6:30 pm**

Payments may be made by check, payable to Adath Emanu-El, cash,
billed to shul cloud (Adath members only) or Venmo (message Diane)

Name _____

Email _____ Cell Phone: _____

___ Adath Member \$20.00 ___ Non-Adath Member \$25.00

Registration must be submitted by April 1 The fee is for all 4 sessions

2026 NMJL mahjong cards will be available - cost \$15 (check payable to Sisterhood)

In the Mishpacha

CURRENT KADDISH LIST

Stephen Barry Ratner Brother-in-law of the late Rabbi Richard Levine &
Judi Levine & uncle of Yael (Doug) Emenecker
and Shira (Lior) Keet

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Young Adult Membership

Jennifer Polios
Jamie Pasquarelli
Ben Sattinger
Jesse Goldis
Benjamin Friedman



In the Mishpacha



Mazal tov

Mazel Tov to our ECC teacher, Morah Jayne and Steve Kovacs on the engagement of their daughter, Caroline to Dawson Jones

Mazal tov

*Shay O'Connell is a big sister!
Mazel Tov on the birth of Sloane O'Connell, daughter of Marni and Dan
daughter of Marni & Dan O'Connell*

Mazal tov

*Miles Bley is a big brother!
Mazel Tov on the birth of Simon
Bley
Son of Nadia & Jacob Bley*

Thank you to the Religious School Families for thinking of us during the holiday season. Your gift was extremely generous and quite delicious, especially the chocolate-covered Oreos.

-Abby & Heidi

Mazal tov

Mazel Tov to our ECC Director Lisa Greenberg on the engagement of her daughter Brynn Soler to Matthew McClennen.



Spotlight: Our Congregants

Many of our congregants volunteered for the organization Interfaith RISE and were thanked in the I-Rise newsletter for their time and donations. We have incredible congregants who are giving and generous to the communities around us and to Adath and you are so appreciated!

Note that two congregants not mentioned were also contributors but not listed. They are Marc & Debbie Rosenberg. THANK YOU ALL!

Please click [here](#) for the full newsletter.

OUR DEEPEST GRATITUDE

We would like to express our deepest gratitude to many of our volunteers and donors for going above and beyond for us during the holidays. Thank you to **Forest Kairos** for reaching out to your synagogue *Congregation Adath Emau-El* and all its supporters, as well as your friends and family to help us raise enough funds to buy gifts for 76 children!

Many many thanks to Lisa Petriccione, Karen Federman, Brian Sattinger, Jessica Chasen, Janice Masud-Paul, Laura Otterbourg, Fran Green, Robin Shaffer, Renae Luboff-Godfrey and Forest Kairos from the Adath Emau-El for donating a total of **\$2,725!**



Spotlight: Congregant Dylan Fine

Dylan Fine's Mitzvah Project was spotlighted by the Meals on Wheels Mercer County Team as they were thrilled that Dylan chose them for his Mitzvah. Congratulations Dylan! We are so inspired by you!

 **Meals on Wheels of Mercer County**
December 21 at 3:00 PM · 🌐

Volunteers are the heart of MOWMC. In November, Wesley and Stacey Fine brought their son to deliver at MOWMC as part of his Bar Mitzvah project. 💙 Their son, a cooking enthusiast, chose our organization as it connected to his favorite hobby. 🗨️ His mom, Stacey, also used to deliver meals for a different organization in the past. We are grateful that the Fine family chose to deliver meals with us, and we can only hope that other families follow in their footsteps!

If you and your family are interested in volunteering, click the link below to sign up today! 😊
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Spotlight: Bar Mitzvah of Sawyer O'Neill

Sawyer O'Neill



March 14, 2026

Sawyer attends Medford Memorial Middle School. For his Mitzvah Project, he volunteered to help Cub Scouts cut their Pinewood Derby cars and volunteered on the day of the derby to assist with the event. His hobbies include soccer, wrestling, Scouts, and playing the clarinet. His favorite things are trucks, country music, and spending time outdoors.

Spotlight: Bat Mitzvah of Eliana Oster

Eliana Oster

March 21, 2026

Eliana is an honor roll student at Collingswood Middle School in Collingswood, New Jersey. For her Mitzvah Project, Eliana is volunteering regularly at Collingswood Manor, where she helps seniors engage with arts and crafts and games such as balloon volleyball. Eliana enjoys many different kinds of crafting, gaming, playing percussion in the middle school band, and watching and performing in theater. She most recently played Jafar in Descendants the Musical at Haddonfield Plays and Players and will be on their stage again in High School Musical, Jr. in April. She loves reading, dancing, singing, eating sushi, and listening to many kinds of music—but especially Taylor Swift. She's also a big fan of the family cat, Gizmo.



Spotlight: Bar Mitzvah of Ari Norton

Ari Norton

April 4, 2026

Ari attends Eastampton Community School. His hobbies include football, lacrosse, golf, and guitar. For his Mitzvah project, Ari is collecting new socks to donate to the Mount Holly Good Pantry. This supports individuals and families in our local community. Socks are one of the most requested items, especially for children and teens, that are often forgotten.

Donations may include:

- New socks for children, teens, and adults
- All sizes welcome
- Every day, wear warm socks

Through this project, Ari hopes to help provide comfort and dignity while fulfilling the mitzvah of caring for others in our community.

Ari is a bi-coastal sports fan; he likes both the San Francisco 49ers and the New York Mets.

Besides sports, Ari also likes math, and his two dogs, Diesel & Indigo.



*Mazel-Tov
On Your
Bat-Mitzvah*

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Rabbi Amy L. Memis-Foler Discretionary Fund

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Lisa Greenberg	Frances Berkowitz <i>grandmother of Nina McHenry</i>
Harriette & Alan Cohen	Stan Fischman

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Rabbi Memis-Foler's Discretionary Fund:

Allows the Rabbi to take advantage of opportunities she may find to perform charitable and other good works. She may also use this fund to support congregational families.

Rabbi Levine's L'Dor V'Dor Legacy Fund:

Supplements 8th grade students, furthering their education in Adath Emanu-El's Religious School.

Abe & Esther Kimmel Youth Fund:

Provides funding (up to \$250) for Israel trips, camp or other URJ Youth events.

Adele & Leon Pickus Camp Harlam Scholarship Fund:

Provides scholarships for Camp Harlam.

Adult Leadership Fund:

Scholarships for Temple Board members attending leadership training seminars.

Congregational Good Works Fund:

To provide financial assistance to members of our congregation during their time of need.

Early Childhood Center Fund:

Provides equipment and programming for the ECC.

Errol & Jill Schlesinger Religious School Fund:

Supports funding for supplementary items for Religious School.

General Fund:

Helps to cover any unrestricted Adath Emanu-El costs and needs.

Green Team Fund:

Provides programs regarding the preservation of the environment.

Iliana Glogower Lifelong Learning/Adult Education Fund:

Provides funding for Lifelong Learning programs.

Irwin Flarman Landscaping Fund:

Enhances the landscaping of Adath Emanu-El.

Jerry Ellner Winter Warmth Fund:

Provides financial assistance for Temple members who are experienc-

ing difficulty paying their heating bill.

Julius & Teresa Levine Torah Maintenance Fund:

Provides funding to repair and maintain our Torah scrolls.

Lois G. Levine Cultural Arts Weekend Fund:

Provides funding for programs that promote the study, appreciation and creation of Jewish art.

Marcy Pomerantz Memorial Choir & Music Fund:

Provides funding for supplementary items for our Temple choir.

Melvin & Arlene Morris Youth Leadership Fund:

Provides scholarships for youth group members (of Temple families) attending Youth Leadership events.

Programming Fund:

Offsets the cost of various Adath Emanu-El programming.

Rudolph Endowment Fund:

Helps to ensure the future of Adath Emanu-El.

Security Fund:

Helps to provide security needs at Adath Emanu-El, including security guards and equipment, to keep our synagogue safe.

Srolovitz Building Beautification Fund:

Provides funding to enhance the interior of the synagogue.

Sy Weissman Prayer Book Fund:

Provides funding to purchase prayer books.

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Offsets the cost of Social Action programs.

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MARCH 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Religious School, 9AM ANNUAL PURIM CARNIVAL 11AM	2 Mahjong Mondays, 1PM Erev Purim Services, 7PM	3 Sisterhood Board Meeting, 7:30PM	4 What does Judaism say <u>about</u> with Rabbi Memis-Foler, 10AM Teen Night, 5:30PM Youth Choir, 5:30PM L'Dor V'Dor session Genealogy, 8:45PM	5 Mahjong Thursdays, 6PM	6 RS Grades 3-8 Shabbat & Teacher appreciation, 8PM Erev Family Shabbat with Birthdays & life cycle Blessings, 7:30PM	7 Torah, Talk & Bagels, 8:45AM Simply Shabbat, 10AM
8 Religious School, 9AM Sisterhood's Bag Bingo, 2PM	9 Mahjong Mondays, 1PM Sisterhood's Mason Jar night, 7PM Men's Club Board Meeting, 7PM Rabbi's Mussar Class, 7:30PM	10 Congregational Board Meeting, 7:30PM	11 Teen Night, 5:30PM Youth Choir, 5:30PM Adult Choir, 6:30PM	12 Mahjong Thursdays, 6PM	13 Erev Shabbat, 7:30PM	14 Torah, Talk & Bagels, 8:45AM Sawyer O'Neill's Bar Mitzvah, 10AM MAZAL TOVI! Dinner Kehillah, 8PM
15 Religious School, 9AM Sisterhood's Passover Palooza, 9AM Men's Club brunch, 9AM Game Day/Open house, 1PM	16 Mahjong Mondays, 1PM Social Action Committee meeting, 7PM (Zoom)	17 Membership Meeting, 7PM (Zoom)	18 Teen Night, 5:30PM Youth Choir, 5:30PM Adult Choir, 6:30PM	19 Mahjong Thursdays, 6PM	20 Erev Shabbat, 7:30PM	21 Torah, Talk & Bagels, 8:45AM Eliana Oster's Bat Mitzvah, 10AM MAZAL TOVI!
22 Religious School, 9AM AEFTY Bagel Sale, 8:30AM 4th Grade BM Mitzvah, 9AM Pop Up Choir, 12:30PM Sisterhood's Passover Program, 2PM	23 Mahjong Mondays, 1PM Green team Mtg, 7PM (Zoom)	24 Ritual Committee Mtg, 7PM (Zoom) Men's Club Corn Hole, 7:30PM YAC Mtg, 7:30PM	25 Teen Night, 5:30PM Youth Choir, 5:30PM Life Long Learning Meeting, 7PM	26 Mahjong Thursdays, 6PM	27 Passover Tot Shabbat, 5:30PM Erev Shabbat, 7:30PM	28 Torah, Talk & Bagels, 8:45AM Simply Shabbat, 10AM
29 Religious School, 9AM JCC CAMPS LLL's Understanding the prayers we pray, 11AM	30 Mahjong Mondays, 1PM Programming Meeting, 6:30PM Finance, 7PM Executive, 8PM	31				

APRIL 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Erev Passover What does Judaism say about... with Rabbi Memis-Foler, 10AM School/Office closes at 1PM Adult choir, 6:30PM NO TEEN NIGHT	2 School/Office Closed for spring break 2 nd night congregational Seder, 6PM	3 School/Office Closed for spring break Erev Family Shabbat with birthdays, anniversaries and life cycle events, 7:30PM	4 Torah, Talk & Bagels, 8:45AM Simply Shabbat, 10AM
5 School/Office Closed for spring break NO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL Men's Club's Jew Jeopardy, 9AM LLL's Understanding the prayers we pray, 11AM	6 School/Office Closed for spring break Mahjong Mondays, 1PM	7 School/Office Closed for spring break Rabbi's Mussar Class, 7PM Sisterhood Board Meeting, 7:30PM	8 School/Office Closed for spring break NO TEEN NIGHT Back to Bread, 6PM	9 School/Office Closed for spring break Mahjong Thursdays, 6PM	10 School/Office Closed for spring break Erev Shabbat, 7:30PM	11 Torah, Talk & Bagels, 8:45AM Simply Shabbat, 10AM
12 School/Office Closed for spring break NO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL LLL's Understanding the prayers we pray, 11AM WRJ/Social Action's day of Action, 1PM	13 Mahjong Mondays, 1PM Men's Club Board Meeting, 7PM	14 Congregation Board Meeting, 7:30PM	15 Teen night, 5:30PM Youth Choir, 5:30PM Adult Choir, 6:30PM	16 Mahjong Thursdays, 6PM	17 Erev Shabbat, 7:30PM	18 Torah, Talk & Bagels, 8:45AM Ari Norton Bar Mitzvah, 10AM MAZAL TOV! Dinner Kehillah, 6PM
19 Religious School, 9AM Men's Club Brunch, 9AM LLL's Understanding the prayers we pray, 11AM Sisterhood's Israel Event, 2PM	20 Mahjong Mondays, 1PM Post Confirmation dinner, 6PM Beginner Mahjong Mondays, 8:30PM Social Action meeting, 7PM (zoom)	21 Membership meeting, 7PM (zoom)	22 Teen night, 5:30PM Youth Choir, 5:30PM Adult Choir, 6:30PM Confirmation Rehearsal, 7PM Lifelong learning meeting, 7PM	23 Mahjong Thursdays, 6PM	24 Erev Shabbat, 7:30PM	25 Torah, Talk & Bagels, 8:45AM Simply Shabbat, 10AM ANNUAL RABBI RICHARD A. LEVINE GALA, 6PM
26 AEFTY Bagel sale, 8:30AM Religious School, 9AM LLL's Understanding the prayers we pray, 11AM Pop up choir, 12:30PM	27 Mahjong Mondays, 1PM Beginner Mahjong Mondays, 6PM Programming Mtg, 7PM Green team mtg, 7PM	28 Men's Club Corn hole, 7:30PM Ritual Committee, 7PM YAC Mtg, 7PM	29 Teen night, 5:30PM Youth Choir, 5:30PM Adult Choir, 6:30PM	30 Mahjong Thursdays, 6PM		



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