



# Vassar Temple

## Where You Belong

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### Tu B'Shevat Seder February 9

We invite everyone in the congregation, the Religious School, Tiny Temple, and Y'ladim to join together as a temple family in celebration of *Tu B'Shevat!* This joyous Jewish festival honoring trees and nature will be observed at the temple during a special program on Sunday, Feb. 9 from 9am-noon. Festivities will open with an intergenerational *Tu B'Shevat* Seder, during which you can sample special fruits and other foods which are symbolic of the holiday. Everyone, no matter what their age, will have the opportunity to engage in interactive learning, and our music teacher Olivia DiIorio will lead us all in song. Stay and share a light lunch. For further information or to RSVP for the *Tu B'Shevat* Seder and/or for lunch, please contact Marcia Tanzman at [mtanzman16@gmail.com](mailto:mtanzman16@gmail.com) or (845) 471-6643.

### Healing Service Feb. 1

A Healing Service led by Rabbi Altman and Cantor Elizabeth Goldmann will be held Saturday Feb. 1 from 10:30am - noon. This service is designed for anyone praying for healing of the body, soul and spirit for themselves or others, for caregivers, and for anyone in need of spiritual strength.

The service will be held in the round, and will include prayers, reflections, and songs that focus on healing and on Shabbat. There will also be a Torah reading. Everyone in the community is welcome to attend. Please feel free to contact Rabbi Altman with any questions at [rabbi@vassar temple.org](mailto:rabbi@vassar temple.org) or 845-454-2570.

### Hamantaschen Bakers Needed!

Please join us for Sisterhood's annual Hamantaschen Baking Day. Make friends while making Hamantaschen for our Purim service and for outreach to congregants and our out-of-town college students.

Sunday, February 23 (snow date: March 1)  
9:00am to 1:00pm in the Temple kitchen

RSVP to Judy Rosenfeld 845- 635-2414 or [hamantaschen@vassar temple.org](mailto:hamantaschen@vassar temple.org)

Please bring a batch of dough (and your favorite rolling pin if you like). Remaining ingredients will be provided.

Not able to come and help? Please make a batch of dough and leave it in the Temple freezer in a Ziploc bag - just let Judy know.

### Learners' Service February 29

If you would like to learn more about our prayers – what they mean, why we stand up and sit down or bow, how they are organized – then please join Rabbi Altman for "Learners' Services," a unique worship experience held on select Saturday mornings in the East Chapel from 10:15am - 11:45. Learners' Services integrate teaching and discussion within an actual Shabbat morning service, including a Torah reading. Our next Learners' Services will be held Feb. 29 and March 14. Everyone is welcome, whether or not you attend Torah Study at 9am before the service.

### Upcoming events

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### Save the Dates

- March 9 Purim pasta dinner, service, and Disney-themed Purimspiel
- March 15 Passover 101 program

### February Tzedakah: The Wind Chill Fund

This month's donations to the Temple *tzedakah* boxes will benefit Hudson River Housing's Wind Chill Fund, which supplements their emergency overnight shelter when that facility is overflowing. HRH provides the homeless not only a warm, clean, safe place to sleep, but also dinner, breakfast, a hot shower, transportation to and from the shelter, and perhaps most importantly, referral services. Checks made out to Vassar Temple with "Wind Chill Fund" on the memo line also are appreciated. Any donation will help, and if you can see your way to donate \$36 (double chai), that amount will provide one person blessed space in a shelter for one freezing wintry night.



## From the Rabbi's Desk



YOU can help promote rights for Reform Judaism in Israel in as little as five minutes with just a few clicks of the keys on your computer or mobile device. From now through March 11 you can have a voice in setting policies that will impact life in Israel – by voting in the World Zionist Congress Elections.

Since 1897 when Theodor Herzl convened the first Zionist Congress in Basel, Switzerland and birthed the Zionist movement, representatives from Jewish communities worldwide have met every five years to make decisions regarding key institutions in Israel and the allocation of significant funding to their programs in Israel and around the world.

The World Zionist Congress (WZC), also known the Parliament of the Jewish People, sets priorities for the World Zionist Organization (WZO), fills leadership positions in national institutions in Israel such as the Jewish Agency for Israel, and *Keren Kayemeth LeIsrael* – Jewish National Fund and allocates nearly \$1 billion annually to support Israel and world Jewry. Currently, the United States is the largest single delegation outside of Israel with 145 (29%) of the 500 delegates.

Due to the extraordinary turnout of Reform Jews in the 2015 WZC elections, the Reform movement (represented by ARZA) won 56 of those 145 delegates, enabling our movement to take significant steps forward in implementing our vision for a pluralistic, just, and democratic Jewish state. Most significantly, through our representation at the WZC, we were able to ensure that over \$4,000,000 a year goes to the Israeli Movement for Progressive Judaism. (By comparison, the Israeli government annually provides nearly 4 billion NIS (\$1.1 billion) to Orthodox and Haredi institutions in Israel.) Beyond funding, our strong representation at the WZC also enabled our movement to gain a stronger voice in Israeli national institutions and in the WZO to further policies that support Reform Jewish values and through which we can strive to gain influence in matters such as conversion, marriage and divorce, religious pluralism, and gender rights.

The 38<sup>th</sup> World Zionist Congress (WZC) will meet in Jerusalem in October 2020. The elections for delegates began on January 21 and will run through March 11. There are 13 slates representing American Jewish organizations. The American Zionist Movement (AZM) as the official American representative of the WZO coordinates the voting process. This year the Reform and Reconstructionist Movements are joining together in the slate “Vote Reform/ARZA.” You can read the platform and see the slate at [www.arza.org](http://www.arza.org).

Any self-identified Jew who is at least 18 years old (as of June 30, 2020) and is a permanent resident of the US is eligible to vote, as long as you will not vote in the March Knesset election and you affirm the Jerusalem Program. (The Jerusalem Program is the platform of the World Zionist Organization; it does not favor any specific organizational or political platform. In essence it states: *Zionism, the national liberation movement of the Jewish people, brought about the establishment of the State of Israel and views a Jewish, Zionist, democratic and secure State of Israel to be the expression of the common responsibility of the Jewish people for its continuity and future.* For full text go to <https://azm.org/elections>).

Voting is done online at <https://azm.org/elections>. There is an administrative fee of \$7.50 (those 25 and under pay \$5.00) to cover costs of the election.

Theodor Herzl famously said regarding establishing a Jewish homeland, “If you will it, it is no dream.” By voting in the WZC elections we can all help to make our dream for Israel one step closer to a reality. I urge you to join me -- [“Vote Reform/ARZA.”](https://www.arza.org)

Rabbi Renni Altman

## President's Message



I was thinking the other day why Reform Judaism is so appealing to me? I realized that you can have tradition with the flexibility that allows for the breathing room that I personally want. The strong position of accepting all people, and flexing to the everchanging needs of the world around us for me is truly a gift. And, the important part is walking the talk. We have to demonstrate our care and love for others not just talk about it. That's why Social Action and Social Justice work appeals to Reform Jews around the world. What happens if we drift away from our core beliefs? What if we stop teaming up with God and others to make the world a better place? If we abandon our core beliefs, then we have drifted

far enough where we lose the essential grit to make change.

In my opinion we have to shape and mold with the world around us, and, we have the responsibility to mold the future generations of Reform Jews to see the world as it is, and decide whether we need to provide inspiration and direction to others when we stray from the values of Reform Judaism. We are all guided by the all-inspiring Torah, viewed as a living document, with its words rich and interpretations endless. And, living in a world of balanced justice takes a lot of work. Being passive when it comes to health and justice doesn't work, and it should be at the top of our Jewish nonpartisan list of “to do's.” Strength comes in numbers, when we work together in an inclusive way to enhance the likelihood that we and others flourish in a complex world. This flexible mindset is a gift that allows everyone the opportunity to be successful with a sense of dignity. Where else can Jews by choice, the LGBT community and interfaith families, to give some examples, have the right to pray without

question – connecting seamlessly to the Reform Jewish community at Vassar Temple.

Being a Reform Jew for me works for me. I do recognize that every Reform temple has its own culture and texture to it. The social fabric of who we are at Vassar Temple is made up of all of the congregants and their collective experiences. Having a voice as a congregant makes our journey more special when we all engage in dialogue about important issues that we can rally around.

Reform Judaism plays a huge role in my identity. Vassar Temple provides me with the community to be a part of a Reform Congregation and positively influences my connection to others Jews that have similar or the same views as myself.

Alan Kaflowitz  
President

## February Worship Service Schedule

1	9:00am 10:30am	Torah Study Healing service with Rabbi Altman & Cantor Goldmann
7	6:00pm	Shabbat Service with Rabbi Altman, Cantor Goldmann & Joseph Bertolozzi, keyboard
8	9:00am 10:15am	Torah Study New Paths Service
9	9:00am	<i>Tu B'Shvat</i> Seder (for congregation as well as Religious School & Tiny Temple) with Rabbi Altman & Olivia DiIorio (musical accompaniment)
14	6:00 pm	Shabbat Service with Cantor Goldmann & Joseph Bertolozzi, keyboard
15	9:00am	No Torah Study
21	6:00pm	Shabbat Service with Rabbi Altman & Joseph Bertolozzi, keyboard
22	9:00am 10:15am	Torah Study New Paths Service
28	6:00pm	Shabbat Service with Rabbi Altman & Joseph Bertolozzi, keyboard
29	9:00am 10:30am	Torah Study Learners' Service with Rabbi Altman

## Bimah Flowers Donations



- February 7: Donated by Vassar Temple Sisterhood Bimah Flower Fund  
 February 14: Donated by Marilyn & David Lampell in honor of Julie McGaulley  
 February 21: Donated by Vassar Temple Sisterhood Bimah Flower Fund  
 February 28: Donated by Vassar Temple Sisterhood Bimah Flower Fund

Anyone who wishes to honor the memory of a loved one or to commemorate a special occasion can do so by sponsoring the sanctuary flowers with a donation to the Vassar Temple Sisterhood Bimah Flower Fund. The donation to the Fund is \$55. Just call the Vassar Temple Office at 845-454-2570.

## Scriptural Readings

- Feb. 2 *Mishpatim* Ex. 23:20-24:18; Jeremiah 34:8-22, 33:25-26  
 9 *T'ruma* Ex. 26:31 - 27:19; I Kings 5:26 – 6:13  
 16 *T'zaveh* Ex. 29:19-30:10; Ezekiel 43:10-27  
 23 *Ki Tissa* Ex. 33:12-34:35; I Kings 18:1-39

### Sponsor Cantor Goldmann!

Most of the congregation has enjoyed Cantor Elizabeth Goldmann's musical contributions to our service (chanting, leading us in song, and introducing new music). We are a musical congregation and she adds so much to our worship, at High Holy Day services, during special Friday evenings and Saturday morning Shabbat Services. We continue to need the congregation's financial assistance to defray expenses and to help ensure cantorial leadership at Vassar Temple into the future.

If you enjoy the music portion of our service, please consider sponsoring Cantor Goldmann with a contribution to the Music Fund. For a recommended contribution of \$250, you can sponsor the Cantor for a specific service that she's leading, recognize a family *simcha*, or just help us with your contribution. For more information, please contact Bob Abrams at [music@vassartemple.org](mailto:music@vassartemple.org).

### New Paths Services

Join us at the New Paths sabbath morning service Saturdays Feb. 8 & Feb. 22 at 10:15am in the informal setting of Vassar Temple's East Chapel. The moving liturgy of the New Paths prayer book includes both traditional and contemporary writings, mostly in English, and participants may bring supplemental materials to share. We take the time to let the service get through us, rather than getting through the service. Each New Paths service, whether lay led or rabbi led, provides a unique and thoughtful shabbat morning experience. A brief mini-kiddush follows. For more information, please contact Marian Schwartz [mschwa9882@aol.com](mailto:mschwa9882@aol.com), Rabbi Altman [rabbi@vassartemple.org](mailto:rabbi@vassartemple.org), or the temple office 845-454-2570.

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## Religious School Update

Though we are still in the heart of winter, in Israel the weather is just beginning to turn towards spring. On the 15<sup>th</sup> day of the Hebrew month Shevat, which falls on the evening of February 9, we will celebrate *Tu B'Shevat*, the Jewish New Year for trees. The rabbinic sages set this date as one of four new years in order to mark the ages of trees so that they would know when their fruit could be eaten, as the Torah proscribes the eating of fruits until the 4<sup>th</sup> year of growth (Leviticus 19:23-25). In the 17<sup>th</sup> century, the Kabbalists (mystics) of Tzefat created a *Tu B'shevat* Seder to celebrate trees and their fruits, especially the "seven species" of Israel. Today our celebration of *Tu B'shevat* draws our attention to trees, the environment and our connection to Israel. The entire

congregation is invited to our *Tu B'shevat* Seder on Sunday, Feb. 9 from 9am-12 when all will join together in interactive learning, songs, eating the fruits of the holiday, a light lunch and fun activities for young and adult as we celebrate trees and their many gifts to us. Please join us! For further information or to RSVP, please contact Marcia Tanzman at [mtanzman16@gmail.com](mailto:mtanzman16@gmail.com) or (845) 471 6643.

Other highlights of February in the Seth A. Erlebacher Religious School:  
Feb 2: 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> graders join with children from the Mid-Hudson Islamic Association at Lunch Box  
Feb. 23: Hamantaschen baking!!

*Rabbi Renni Altman*



## Welcome New Member

George Silverstein

## Condolences

To:

Harriet Fein on the loss of her husband, Richard

Paul & Andi Ciminello on the loss of Paul's mother, Jean

## Thank you

To our Vassar Temple Family:

Paul & I lost three of our four parents this past year. It's been a sad time, made much easier by the love, care and support from Rabbi Altman and our Vassar Temple family. We are reminded about how special and important this community is and we thank you.

*Paul and Andi Ciminello*

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## Judaica Sale Update

We only had this year one Sunday and two short weeks to offer our wonderful supportive customers our great Hanukkah goodies!

Our thanks to Linda Babas and Melissa Wall who came to help and shopped!

We will offer again our Passover 101, with recipes, tastings and much more... Mark your calendar, right now March 15, is the day not to be missed!

*Perla Kaufman*



## Study at Vassar Temple

“**Torah Study**”, which examines passages from the week’s torah portion or haftorah, will be led by the Temple’s Rabbi Renni S. Altman, D.D., 9-10am every Saturday (no class Feb. 15).

“**The Talmud: Modern Ideas from an Ancient Text**”, a monthly class taught by Senior Scholar Rabbi Paul Golomb, will be held Thursday Feb. 20 from noon to 1:30. Please call to confirm date.

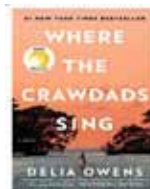
All are welcome to come and join in all the classes--no previous training required! No charge to attend.

Questions? Contact Rabbi Altman: [rabbi@vassar temple.org](mailto:rabbi@vassar temple.org), Rabbi Golomb: [pjgolomb@verizon.net](mailto:pjgolomb@verizon.net), or the Vassar Temple office at 845-454-2570.

## Book Club to Discuss *Where the Crawdads Sing* on February 19

Vassar Temple’s Sisterhood Book Club will discuss *Where the Crawdads Sing* by Delia Owens, a book that not only has a mystery at its core, but is immersed in the natural world as well.

The story is set in the 1950’s and revolves around a young girl, named Kya Clark, known by others as the “Marsh Girl.” The author describes the desolate marshlands of the North Carolina coast through the eyes of Kya, an abandoned child. In her isolation Kya makes us open our own eyes to the secret wonders – and dangers – of her private world.



*Where the Crawdads Sing* is available in paperback and large print through Amazon, with multiple copies available in the local library system. The meeting will take place on Wednesday, February 19, in the Community Room at Collegeview Tower, 141 Fulton Avenue, Poughkeepsie. Muriel Lampell will lead the discussion to which everyone is welcome. To RSVP or get more information, please contact Linda Babas at 845-473-7931, or [linda.babas.41@gmail.com](mailto:linda.babas.41@gmail.com). Your book suggestions for future meetings are always appreciated.

## HIAS Welcome Campaign Leadership Teams Meeting

On Sunday, March 15, Vassar Temple will host a meeting of leadership teams from a coalition of Jewish congregations in Dutchess, Orange and Ulster Counties to learn about the work of The Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society (HIAS), a 136-year-old refugee organization, originally founded to help Jewish immigrants from Europe. Later, they expanded their work to Jewish refugees and now to all refugees.

At the meeting, staff members from the HIAS Welcome Campaign program, a new initiative, will discuss the network of congregations across the United States who advocate for refugees, raising awareness about the crisis, and welcoming refugees into their local communities and how we can support this critical work.

Vassar Temple has a history of such outreach and we are proud to support HIAS to add our voices to a growing national movement. A report of this preliminary meeting and opportunities for wider congregational participation will follow.

For further information about this important effort, please contact Perla Kaufman ([perlakaufman22@gmail.com](mailto:perlakaufman22@gmail.com)) or visit [www.HIAS.org/welcome-campaign](http://www.HIAS.org/welcome-campaign).

## Opportunity for Recent College Grads Begins in August!

The Eisendrath Legislative Assistant Fellowship at the Religious Action Center of Reform Judaism is an amazing opportunity for recent college graduates who are interested in social justice, policy, and Judaism. Being an LA at the RAC means getting involved and playing a pivotal role in legislative advocacy, programs, communications, organizing, and supporting the Commission on Social Action of Reform Judaism. LAs will also be increasing their skills, gaining valuable work experience, and expanding their network.

The salary for the 2019-2020 class is \$35,000 and the program dates for the 2020-2021 class are August 25, 2020 - August 13, 2021. Don’t delay -- deadline for applying is Feb. 14, 2020. For more information, visit <https://rac.org/eisendrath-legislative-assistant-fellowship> and contact Legislative Manager Juri Jacoby at 202-387-2800.

## Jewish War Veterans Meeting: Feb. 2

The Private Herman Siegel Post 625, Poughkeepsie, Jewish War Veterans of the United States of America, will be holding its monthly post meeting at Congregation Schomre Israel, 18 Park Avenue, Poughkeepsie at 9:30am on February 2, 2020. All persons of the Jewish faith are cordially invited to attend and participate. At each meeting we host an informal coffee and cake schmooze at 9:00am. Because the congregation is strictly kosher no food or drink may be brought into the facility. Follow our post on Facebook. (We have your six.)

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without costing you a penny!!

## Sisterhood Recipe- Hamantaschen

4 cups sifted flour  
4 teaspoons baking powder  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 cup softened butter (not margarine) ... please use real butter as this allows even baking of all batches  
2 cups sugar  
2 eggs  
2 teaspoons vanilla  
4 tablespoons orange juice or milk  
\*Filling of your choice – apricot, raspberry, poppy, prune etc.

Sift together flour, baking powder, and salt. Cream butter and sugar in separate larger bowl. Add egg and vanilla and beat well.

Add dry ingredients alternating with juice or milk to the butter and sugar mixture, mixing until well blended. The dough will seem a little soft (not like bread dough).

This dough freezes well and rolls out best when it's chilled. Refrigerate or make ahead and leave it in the refrigerator to thaw overnight. Stop here if you are bringing dough to Hamantaschen Baking Day.

### Men's Club

This year we celebrate Purim on Monday evening of March 9. As is our tradition, the Men's Club provides a pasta dinner before services. We need volunteers to cook and serve the dinner. Please contact Glenn Tanzman at [gtr714@yahoo.com](mailto:gtr714@yahoo.com) or 914-475-2955 if you can help. Save the date. We look forward to seeing you there. Reservations for the Purim Dinner may be made through the office or by contacting Glenn at [gtr714@yahoo.com](mailto:gtr714@yahoo.com).

*Glenn Tanzman*  
Men's Club President

*If making Hamantaschen at home...*

Roll out dough on lightly floured surface to ¼ inch thick and cut circles out with a drinking glass. Fill with ½-1 teaspoon filling in center of circle. Shape into triangles.

To bake: Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Place filled hamantaschen on parchment paper or foil, then on a cookie sheet 1-2 inches apart (they spread a little). Bake 12-15 minutes or until dough is cooked.

\*Can use cans of Solo pie filling or jam or preserves. Chocolate candy melts from Michaels or AC Moore work better than chocolate chips (chips make the hamantaschen lose their shape).

### Sisterhood Message

I am excited that we had 62 members eligible to win a lap quilt just for joining Sisterhood this year. Our drawing took place last month. The quilt was presented to our winner, Polly Lewis, at the Hanukkah dinner. Congratulations, Polly.

By the time you read this we will have had a wonderful Challah baking program and Soup and Chili Shabbat program. We look forward to Hamantaschen baking on February 23. The hamantaschen recipe is in this bulletin. Please let Judy Rosenfeld know what hours you are available to join us or just drop off your dough at temple. Additional programs are in the planning stages. It's not too late to let us know what type of events you would like to see Sisterhood plan.

The Andrea Rabin Scholarship Fund provides stipends for our youth to attend summer camps with Jewish programming. Now is the time to apply. Contact me for additional information.

**Without you, we are one woman short!**

*Marcia Tanzman*

### HEROES AMONG US: A Quiet Source of Life

The immediate response from this month's hero when asked to be featured was that she doesn't do enough for the Temple. Indeed, she said her involvement modestly reflects the gratitude she feels for the support she and her son received during some challenging times in their lives. But in speaking with her, it became clear that she is paying it forward more than she knows.

Anyone who has enjoyed Temple events in recent years such as Yom Kippur Break the Fast, Passover Seder, Hamantaschen baking or a Shabbaton meal, has likely been the beneficiary of Polly Lewis's efforts. Her enduring presence with her son, Kamil, has contributed meaningfully to the life of our Temple

community. Lucky for us, there does not appear to be any task too daunting for Polly (she admits that saying "no" does not come easily to her) and Kamil has readily shared his culinary talents.

Raised in an Orthodox Jewish family in Kingston, NY, Polly found Vassar Temple through Perla Kaufman while seeking a Temple community in which to raise Kamil, whom she adopted from Poland. Rabbi Golomb ultimately proved to be an important presence in her and Kamil's lives, as Rabbi Golomb and the wider Temple community helped them overcome formidable personal challenges in those early years.

A former board member and an increasingly active Sisterhood member, Polly's story is one of dedication, courage, survival and positivity. She has worked for Laerdal Medical for the past two decades, providing New York hospitals and teach-

ing institutions with manikins for medical training programs. She bravely confronted – and defeated – breast cancer while also establishing a new life for Kamil in the U.S. and, through her work at Laerdal, giving life-saving care to countless people she will never know.

Polly is known at work as a creative thinker when raising funds for the expensive equipment she markets, and she is now applying that same creativity to fund raising for the Temple. She does everything in a quiet way, even sharing her very moving story. Her life is characterized by unselfish perseverance and gratitude, worthy of this month's hero recognition.

*Jennifer Sachs Dahmert*

# YAHREZEITS

## FEBRUARY 7

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Abraham Ginsberg  
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Dr. Paul M. Schwartz  
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Colodner  
Jane Kramer  
Jeanette Bergman  
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Martha Held  
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Hon. Henry  
Morgenthau, Jr.  
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Mary Hyman  
Evelyn Brown

## FEBRUARY 14

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Leon Alpers  
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Owen J. Sacks  
Joseph Drobner  
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David Charles Albert  
Dr. Irma (Earma) Koltai  
Bernard Miller

## FEBRUARY 21

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Ruth Levitt

## FEBRUARY 28

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Rose Kahn  
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Irving Fink  
Gloria Fischman  
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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 9am Torah Study 10:30am Healing Service with Cantor Goldmann
2 9am Religious School 10:30am Lunchbox—Religious School 12pm Post-B'nei Mitzvah Program	3	4 10am Senior Exercise Program (SEP)	5 4:30pm Hebrew School	6 10am SEP 7pm Ritual Committee Meeting	7 6pm Shabbat Service	8 9am Torah Study 10:15am New Paths
9 9am Tu B'Shvat Seder with Religious School and Tiny Temple 12pm Post-B'nei Mitzvah Program	10 Tu B'Shvat	11 10am SEP	12 4:30pm Hebrew School	13 10am SEP	14 6pm Shabbat Service with Cantor Goldmann	15 No Torah Study No Learner Service
16 No Religious School No Post-B'nei Mitzvah Program	17 President's Day ... Office Closed	18 10am SEP 12pm Chai Noon (Sisterhood)	19 4:30pm Hebrew School	20 10am SEP 12pm Talmud Study with Rabbi Golomb	21 6pm Shabbat Service	22 9am Torah Study 10:15am New Paths
23 9am Religious School 9am Hamentaschen Baking 9:30 R/S Cmte meeting 12pm Post-B'nei Mitzvah Program	24	25 10am SEP	26 4:30pm Hebrew School	27 10am SEP 6:30pm Shelter Meal 7pm Board Meeting	28 6pm Shabbat Service	29 9am Torah Study 10:15am Learner Service