

THE FOCAL POINT

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From the Rabbi's Study...



Rabbi Morris had just resigned, and Issy, the *shul* president, goes to visit him. "Rabbi," Issy says, "I've just heard the news. I'm really sorry that you've decided to leave us." "Don't worry," says Rabbi Morris. "You'll have nothing to worry about. I'm going to recommend a successor whom I believe will be better than me." "But that's exactly what's worrying me," says Issy. "Your predecessor told me exactly the same thing."

Let us consider this scenario. A man and woman fall in love and get married. Soon after the honeymoon, the husband tells his new wife that his job now requires that he travel extensively, and he will be away for long periods of time. In the beginning of his travels, he calls his wife every day to see how she is doing and to tell her that he loves her. These calls soon become weekly, then monthly, and eventually the only time that he calls is when he needs her to pay the bills, keep up the maintenance of the house and send him the various supplies that he will need for his travels. He never asks his wife how she is doing or to tell her that he loves her. If you had to guess, what would you say the odds were for this relationship to be successful?

As the spiritual leader of our congregation, I have always striven to impart my passion for Judaism to the congregation, expand Jewish knowledge and bring relevance of our *Torah* and *mitzvot* to our lives today. From my perspective, this passion and thirst for knowledge has kept the love for and the commitment to our heritage alive for over three thousand years, and this is the pathway for a synagogue to continue to function as it was intended to be, a spiritual home for its congregants. Being involved in social justice causes is certainly important, but in and of itself, it does not create a love of Judaism in our children and grandchildren. This can only be achieved when congregants come regularly to services and ever increase their Jewish knowledge, understanding and commitment. My weekly eblasts, monthly *Focal Point* articles and postings on *Facebook* keep the lines of communications open but can never create the energy and excitement that is achieved through up close and personal interactions.

I am closing in on finishing my twentieth year at K.I. During this time, we have celebrated many joyous occasions together, and we have cried together at sad times. I have been very blessed in the fact that there are many of you whom I consider to be good friends. In the remaining months of my tenure, I would love for you to join with me at *Shabbat* services so I know that the honeymoon is not over.

Rabbi Jeffrey A. Shron

From the President...



Dear Congregants,

What a wonderful time of the year this is. Passover has come and gone. It was a wonderful time to celebrate our freedom with our loved ones. The trees are budding and the flowers are blooming. Even the pets seem happier.

May, of course, is the month of Mother's Day. For those of you who are lucky to have your mother still living, it's a time to let her know how much you love and appreciate her. After all, she is the reason you are here. For those of us who are not as lucky, it's a time to remember Mom. My beloved mother once gave me a peony plant from her mass of peony bushes. It was one of her favorite flowers. Every year the plant begins to come to life, after enduring the winter, and the day before, the day of and the days after Mother's Day, the blooms/buds open up. I cannot look at that plant without thinking about my mother. It's as if she planned it that way. So I know that my mom is watching.

This year, think of something special between your mother and you and tell her you love her – even if you have to whisper it in your thoughts of her. She will hear it.

The times are getting more exciting at K.I. We have been working on ideas we believe will revitalize and refresh our synagogue's energy. We are just entering the planning stages, and I will keep you abreast as our plans come to fruition.

Until next time, I'll see you in *shul*.

Marty Gorin

Memorial Day services will be held in the chapel at Blue Ridge Cemetery, 1901 Blue Ridge Boulevard, on **Sunday, May 28 at 11:00 a.m.**



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BE A SHABBAT GREETER!

"Say little, do much, and greet everyone with a smile." – Pirke Avot

I thought of these words as I volunteered to restart and coordinate the *Shabbat* greeter program at our synagogue. If we aim to be a warm, welcoming congregation, I feel it is important for someone besides our security guard—although we greatly appreciate his presence—to greet members and visitors at our entrance when they come to services on *Shabbat*.

Whether you are young or old, single, a couple, or a family, all you have to do as a *Shabbat* greeter is be there Saturday morning from 9:30-10:30 am, say "*Shabbat shalom*" or "Good *Shabbos*," and give each family a *Shabbat* brochure. Afterwards you can still catch the rabbi's sermon and the *Mussaf* service.

You can sign up as much or little as you like. It's also a great way to meet people!

If you are interested, please email me at marianek@aol.com with "*Shabbat Greeter*" as the subject or call me at 913.642.5242, leaving a message if necessary. Thank you!

Marian Kaplan

MONUMENT UNVEILING

Sunday, May 21
In Memory of
SOL DANIELS
10:30 a.m.
K.I. Blue Ridge Cemetery

CONGREGANTS' MAY BIRTHDAYS

We want to wish a Happy Birthday to all of the following congregants who are celebrating their birthdays this month:

Arlene Abrams, Michael Abrams, Phillis Bengis, Jeniece Berman, Craig Caplan, Donald Cohen, Natalie Cohen, Kerry Cosner, Barry Dicker, Maya Dolnik, Sandra Gasser, Amy Goldstein, Lisa Gortenberg, Daniel Hammer, Louise Hirsekorn, Beverly Jacobson, Richard Jacobson, Anna Kellmer, Tamara Kingston, Susan Klopner, Phyllis Kohn, Craig Kolkin, Jackie Kraft, Anna Kricsfeld, Norman Levine, Shirley Levine, Rachel Macek, Thomas Morgan, Natalie Nearenberg, Jesse Newman, Sam Perner, Faya Portnoy, Miriam Rakley, Aaron Rissien, Adriana Rosales, David Ruben, Matthew Siegel, Cindy Singer, Max Singer, Mary Jane Stern, Josh Tucker, Steve Waxman, Judith Weinstein, Lois Winston.

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...to **Seymour Krinsky** on having HBHA's program book dedicated to Seymour at this year's Civic Service Award Celebration.

...to **Sharon and Howard Levitan** on their daughter, Andrea Levitan, being this year's John Weil Uhlmann Young Leadership Award recipient.

...to **Dan Kass** on the birth of a grandson, Salomon William Kass, to Amelia and Simon Kass.

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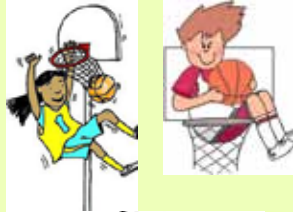
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1st & 3rd
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10-11 am



then Mussaf



& Kiddush



with Leslie Berger, Aaron Zitron
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Meets the 2nd & 4th
Saturday each month
10:30 AM

in the Rose Morgan Chapel
Kids will join sanctuary for the
end of services

Led by Debbie Entine

WHY DO I LOVE COMING TO SHUL AT K.I.

Although I don't work at *shul*, I don't think I have ever, unless it was raining, missed coming to K.I. services on *Shabbat* morning for the past 20 years. That's a total of over 1,000 *Shabbat* mornings. Aside from the rabbis, many of you can also claim this accomplishment and I look forward to reading your views.

I come to *shul* every *Shabbat* morning because this has become my and my family's routine ever since I got married. I have my coffee, get dressed, and begin my walk to *shul*. I actually view this almost one mile walk to be really great for my health, both physically and spiritually. Even when we recently had our big winter freeze and the roads were full of slippery ice, I held onto my husband, or walked on the grass while my husband pretended to ice skate all along the way. He actually thought it was fun and didn't have an ounce of fear; imagine that. One of our loyal and wonderful members was so concerned for our safety that he purchased special ice covers for our shoes to guard against the next ice storm.

So let me explain why I enjoy coming to *shul*.

First of all, I love my rabbi. Believe it or not, I never know what he'll be talking or teaching about and am treated to a variety of interesting talks and discussions about Judaism, politics, life and even a joke thrown in to provide us with a chuckle or two.

I love to sing along, and am sure that many of you have noticed that I'm one of the last to finish the silent *Shmone Esrai* during the *Mussaf* part of the service. One of the reasons is that I'm not a fast Hebrew reader, but it's also the time each week that I talk to G-d, thank Him for everything and fervently *daven* (pray) for every one of my kids and grandkids and for our family's good endeavors and welfare. That takes a while.

You all know me well enough by now to know that I like to talk to and be around people, and frankly, there's no one that I would rather associate with than you, my friends in and during *shul*.

There is no shortage of the lessons you, our brilliant friends, can impart, inform or teach me each week when I am privileged enough to mingle among you.

I have learned about your families, your recipes, your favorite authors and books, your proficient gardening skills. I have even debated with some of you about our sometimes diverse and strong political views. I've had the honor to read some of your interesting memoirs. In fact, if you ask me, I'll share one recent and very interesting member's pursuit and 'rise to the top.' I thank so many of you for my education all these years; these are some of the reasons why I come to *shul* every *Shabbat*.

See you next *Shabbos*.
Hedy Shron

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LOUIS & DORA FOX KIDDUSH FUND

Yahrzeit
RAYMOND MADLOF
PAULINE FISHMAN
Brenda Fishman

FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION PROGRAMS FOR SPRING 2017

While this program is free, reservations are requested and can be made online at PracticalBioethics.org/event-calendar or sending an email to either clelland@practicalbioethics.org or SandraGR@thejkc.org. Reservations can also be made by telephone by calling 816.979.1357 or 913.327.8044.

MITZVAH BASKETS AVAILABLE FOR CENTERPIECES
Jewish Family Services has centerpiece baskets available to rent for your next *simcha*. All proceeds benefit the JFS Food Pantry. Please contact Jo Hickey, JFS food pantry director, at 913.327.8257 or email her at jhickey@jfskc.org. To volunteer to help in the pantry please email volunteer@jfskc.org or call 913.730.1410. LINK: jfskc.org/food-pantry/

not collecting for the *pushka*, DiDi is often entertaining us with his antics and sometimes playing video games with a smartphone provided to him. Many times, while we're saying the silent *Amidah*, you can hear DiDi say, "Oh no!" while trying to play his video game.

Speaking of our youth movement, we certainly could use younger members to attend both our morning and evening *minyans* (consult the *Focal Point* for current times). By committing to a morning or evening, you are doing a "*Mitzvah*" to allow those saying *Kaddish* to show their respect to their loved ones. If you'd like to volunteer a night or a morning, contact Dan Kass, Senior *Gabbai*, at 913.208.2632. Our *minyan* has maintained attendance in spite of losing many of our *minyannaires*.



"**Nancy and Steve Cline** would like to thank Kehilath Israel Synagogue for the delicious *Shabbat* meal delivered to our house during Nancy's recent illness. Your thoughtfulness is much appreciated."



Dear K.I.,

Thank you so much for the Purim basket! I absolutely loved the snacks and treats. I really appreciate it very much!

Thanks,
Danielle Gutierrez

Letter received from Taylar Rabel, Olathe North High School's director of the play "Anne Frank"

Director- Jaylan Rabel
Ally Tinker
Emily Martin
AUX Shine
Thank you
so much!
-Natalie crane

Thank you!
Cullen Lattrell

Thank you
very much
for your
hospitality!
-Sabrina Bogart

Thank you
so much!
-Natalie crane

This means more
than you realize.
Thank you!
Felicity
Sullivan

Thank you
so much!
-Sabrina Bogart

Thank you
so much!
-Natalie crane

Dear Rabbi and Kehilath Israel
members,
The cast of Olathe North's Anne Frank
would like to thank you for the
warm welcome, allowing us to
observe your services, and for such
a lovely meal. We truly appreciate
the time you spent answering our
questions and for the stories
shared. We cannot thank you
enough.

May 2017

5 Iyar 5777 - 6 Sivan 5777

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 5 IYAR Yom HaZikaron Talmud Class - 7:15 pm	2 6 IYAR Community-Wide Yom HaAtzmaut Program at The J-5:30 pm Religious School 4:30-6:15 pm	3 7 IYAR	4 8 IYAR	5 9 IYAR 7:58	6 10 IYAR Acharai - Kedoshim Ezekiel 22:1-16 Shabbos Ends: 8:53 Basketball/Musaf Kiddush - 10:00 am Rabbi Shron's Study Class-6:55 pm
7 11 IYAR Religious School 9:15-11:30 am Blue Ridge Cemetery Mitzvah Day - 10:00 am Adult Bat Mitzvah Class-10:00-11:00 am	8 12 IYAR Women of K.L.-Damsel in Defense-6:30 pm Talmud Class - 7:15 pm	9 13 IYAR Religious School 4:30-6:15 pm	10 14 IYAR Pesach Sheini K.L. Board Meeting - 7:00 pm	11 15 IYAR	12 16 IYAR Emor Ezekiel 44:15-31 Shabbos Ends: 9:00 Mini-Minyan for Kids-10:30 am Chai Anniversary Kiddush Rabbi Shron's Study Class-7:00 pm	13 17 IYAR
14 18 IYAR Lag BaOmer Mother's Day NO Religious School	15 19 IYAR Talmud Class - 7:15 pm	16 20 IYAR Religious School 4:30-6:15 pm	17 21 IYAR	18 22 IYAR Cub Scouts Pack Meeting and Crossover Ceremony - 6:45 pm	19 23 IYAR 8:10	20 24 IYAR Behar - Bechukosai Jeremiah 16:19-17:14 Shabbos Ends: 9:07 Basketball/Musaf Kiddush-10:00 am Kl/Blav Kiddush Rabbi Shron's Study Class-7:05 pm
21 25 IYAR Last Day Religious School-9:15-11:30 am Blue Ridge Cemetery Mitzvah Day - 10:00 am Adult Bat Mitzvah Class-10:00-11:00 am Sol Daniels Unveiling-10:30 am	22 26 IYAR Talmud Class - 7:15 pm	23 27 IYAR	24 28 IYAR Yom Yerushalayim	25 29 IYAR	26 1 SIVAN Rosh Chodesh Sivan 8:16	27 2 SIVAN Bamidbar Hosea 2:1-22 Shabbos Ends: 9:13 Mini-Minyan for Kids-10:30 am Rabbi Shron's Study Class-7:15 pm
28 3 SIVAN Cemetery Service at Blue Ridge - 11:00 am	29 4 SIVAN Memorial Day OFFICE CLOSED Shacharit Service - 9:00 am	30 5 SIVAN 8:19	31 6 SIVAN Shavuot - Day 1 9:17 OFFICE CLOSED FESTIVAL SERVICE - 9:00 am			



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**WEEKLY SERVICES
ROSE MORGAN CHAPEL**

Sunday Shacharit 9:00 AM
Monday-Friday Shacharit 7:00 AM

Sunday-Thursday
Mincha and Maariv
Week of May 7 6:40 PM
Week of May 14 6:45 PM
Week of May 21 6:50 PM
Week of May 28 6:55 PM

IMPORTANT DATES

LAG B'OMER - Sunday, May 14

ROSH CHODESH SIVAN - Friday, May 26



**Blue Ridge Cemetery Mitzvah Day
Sunday, May 7 & 21 10:00- Noon**

Help us beautify our cemetery.
Join us for Spring cleaning.



Bring your clippers, rakes,
and other gardening tools.



WOMEN OF K.I.

**Great free event for
(grand)mothers & daughters
of all ages.**

**MONDAY, MAY 8TH
6:30pm at K.I.**

Damsel IN DEFENSE

Self Safety

Mary Hiesberger shares self-awareness techniques

There is no charge for the event,
but there will be an opportunity to purchase
Security on the Go items, automobile emergency kits,
personal alarms, pepper sprays, stun guns and more.

Snacks and drinks will be served.

Please RSVP to Bmckinnon60@gmail.com,
natjgc@aol.com or the K.I. office.