

# THE FOCAL POINT

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## From Our Rabbi... From Our President...



Sharing here an excerpt from my speech at the celebratory brunch for our daughter Goldie!

Our Goldie is named primarily for my ancestor Gedaliah Grussgott (b. 1740, Kaliv, Hungary), my paternal family's patriarch.

After October 7<sup>th</sup>, we decided that the name Golda should also be in tribute to Golda Meir. In this way, we are continuing the tradition of my father-in-law Joel's family, as he and three of his brothers were named for Zionist figures/themes: Joel's Hebrew name is Abba Even, for Abba Eban. Marc's Hebrew name is Ben Gurion (Yes, he is called to the Torah as "Yaamod: Ben Gurion Ben Yitzchak Aryeh." Pretty cool!). Daniel z'l's name was Raanan Ben-Zvi, for Israeli President Yitzchak Ben Zvi. And Phillip's name Yisrael is for Eretz Yisrael.

Golda Meir saw the State of Israel through its last major existential crisis, the Yom Kippur War of October 6<sup>th</sup>, 1973, exactly 50 years and a day before this current war began. During the Yom Kippur War, my father-in-law Joel was in high school in Kibbutz Yavneh, Israel. He and his 9<sup>th</sup> grade classmates were tasked with piecing together photos from an American spy plane that was taking reconnaissance over the Golan Heights.

"That was 50 years ago," Joel confided in me, in deep pain after October 7<sup>th</sup>. "And here we are, still fighting. Where does it end? When your kids grow up, will Israel still be fighting?" His question hit me hard in the gut. I reflected on it for a good while.

I take some comfort from a story told on the very first page of the Jerusalem Talmud:

Rabbi Hiyya and Rabbi Shimon Ben Chalafta were walking in the valley of Arbel (in northern Israel) before morning, when the dawn began to break. Rabbi Hiyya said to Rabbi Shimon: "Great Rabbi, such is the Redemption of Israel: at first, a little light, until it grows steadily greater and brighter." Rabbi Hiyya then proceeds to quote the many beats and plot turns of the Book of Esther, until arriving at the verse (8:16): "And for the Jews there was light and joy, and gladness and honor."

Fits and starts, Rabbi Hiyya teaches us. Redemption comes in fits and starts. In the words of John Milton, from Paradise Lost: "Long is the road, and hard, that out of hell leads up to light". I forced myself to internalize after October 7<sup>th</sup>, in my attempt to answer Joel's painful question, that our 75-year effort to reestablish our Homeland was always destined to be a protracted struggle. But it does end in light.

Our highest wish is for our Goldie to see Israel dwell in peace, in accordance with my father-in-law's expression of hope after October 7<sup>th</sup>. May we merit to see the Redemption of Israel speedily and soon; Amen.

Rabbi Moshe Grussgott



Here we are in the period between Purim and Passover. Yes Passover, פסח, is around the corner, and yes, there is traditionally a lot of work to prepare for Passover, but at least we don't have to make our own *matzah* like when I was growing up in my hometown.

Here at K.I. we had our annual congregational meeting on Sunday, April 7.

We had a nice turnout whence election and installation of the new slate took place. Yours truly was given the honor of serving at the helm of K.I. for another term of two years. I appreciate the trust and confidence of the congregation in me. I have always tried to work for the best interest of K.I., and I will continue to do the same in the next two years.

I would like to welcome Dr. Michael Farber as the newest member to the board of directors, Frank Tankard as vice president, and Pete Cabell as our new treasurer.

The annual meeting was followed by a festive celebration in honor of the arrival of a new baby girl, Golda, to Rabbi Grussgott and Becca. I would like to give a hearty *mazal tov* on behalf of the board, executive board, the staff and myself to Rabbi and Becca and their extended family, some of whom were present at the celebration.

Going back to Purim, we had a beautiful *Purim Seudah*, which included a play orchestrated by **Carolyn Goldwasser** and performed by many of our own members in the play. The dinner was a traditional Persian cuisine prepared by myself and **Maureen Minoofar**, and assisted by a very dedicated **Cristi Gillom** and by **Brenda Fishman** and other members of the Adamous and Minoofar families. I want to thank everyone who participated in the play and those who helped with the dinner. This year we hosted our largest number of guests yet.

Our next major event is the golf tournament, our second largest fundraiser, which will take place on June 10<sup>th</sup>. I hope many of us will participate by either playing or sponsoring a "hole" to make it a success.

Looking to the near future, we will have a few events coming up, which include but not limited to, *Yom HaAtzmaut*, *Yom HaZikaron*, *Yom HaShoah* and *Lag B'Omer*; among other functions. The Men's Club will sponsor a movie and dinner night also. Please stay tuned for the dates and other details on all of aforementioned events.

I hope those of you who frequented K.I. during the past month enjoyed the natural beauty of our landscape through the beautiful blooms at the entrance and on the boulevard in the front of the building.

Lastly, I want to wish everyone a happy and pleasant Passover. Go *Matzah*, LOL.

Joseph Adamous

Memorial Day services will be held in the chapel at Blue Ridge Cemetery, 1901 Blue Ridge Boulevard, on **Sunday, May 26, at 11:00 am.**

## SHABBAT SERVICES

### FRIDAY, MAY 3

Candlelighting\*.....7:56 PM  
 Kabbalat Shabbat.....6:40 PM

### SATURDAY, MAY 4

#### BLESSING OF THE NEW MONTH OF IYAR

Morning Service.....9:00 AM  
 Rabbi's Pirkei Avot Class.....6:50 PM  
 Mincha, Seudah, Maariv.....7:40 PM  
 Havdalah.....8:51 PM



### FRIDAY, MAY 10

Candlelighting\*.....8:03 PM  
 Kabbalat Shabbat.....6:45 PM

### SATURDAY, MAY 11

Morning Services.....9:00 AM  
 Womens Well Circle.....10:00 AM  
 Rabbi's Pirkei Avot Class.....6:55 PM  
 Mincha, Seudah, Maariv.....7:45 PM  
 Havdalah.....9:00 PM



### FRIDAY, MAY 17

Candlelighting\*.....8:09 PM  
 Kabbalat Shabbat.....6:50 PM

### SATURDAY, MAY 18

#### CHAI ANNIVERSARY KIDDUSH

Morning Services.....9:00 AM  
 Rabbi's Pirkei Avot Class.....7:05 PM  
 Mincha, Seudah, Maariv.....7:55 PM  
 Havdalah.....9:05 PM



### FRIDAY, MAY 24

Candlelighting\*.....8:15 PM  
 Kabbalat Shabbat.....6:55 PM

### SATURDAY, MAY 25

Morning Services.....9:00 AM  
 Rabbi's Pirkei Avot Class.....7:10 PM  
 Mincha, Seudah, Maariv.....7:55 PM  
 Havdalah.....9:12 PM



### FRIDAY, MAY 31

Candlelighting\*.....8:20 PM  
 Kabbalat Shabbat.....7:00 PM

### SATURDAY, JUNE 1

Morning Services.....9:00 AM  
 Rabbi's Pirkei Avot Class.....7:15 PM  
 Mincha, Seudah, Maariv.....8:00 PM  
 Havdalah.....9:18 PM

\* NO LATER THAN THESE TIMES

DEADLINE FOR THE  
 JUNE-JULY ISSUE OF  
 THE FOCAL POINT IS  
 TUESDAY, MAY 5

## K.I. FRED DEVINKI RELIGIOUS SCHOOL NEWS

I blinked and the year is coming to a close. K.I. Religious School has more than tripled our numbers and welcomed many new children to our classrooms. There were many Sundays without school because of holidays and school vacations. Each Sunday session that we had was filled with learning Hebrew, prayers, holidays, and of course, playing on the playground.

Here is what K.I. school has taught me this past year:

You are only as successful as your teachers. Our K.I. teachers, *Morot* Amy, Becca and Carol were the diamonds that made us shine. They were endlessly creating new methods and projects to impart the love of Judaism and make Judaism a natural feeling for every child. Each child was given 100% attention and 150% energy. Being a K.I. kid is exhilarating and fun and important. We do everything together: we hug, we pray, we learn about *Torah*, we get ready for holidays and we take care of each other when we are upset or afraid.

I would also like to thank the parents who make Jewish education a priority in their home and life. The role models that they set for their children are absolutely a testament to Jewish values and a strong Jewish life. Participating in Judaism at school and at the synagogue prepares each child to celebrate being Jewish as part of a positive and wonderful life.

It is an important cycle and devotion to create a presence of Judaism in the home, as well as in the secular world, and, of course, in the synagogue. Thank you again for the parents for your trust and desire to bring Jewish ethics, morals and education into your homes and the world.

For next year, I have already started a wish list of things to improve, as well as new endeavors. We need some renovations on the playground and the babysitting room. I would also like to see some adult education or even family get together to learn. If you have anything that you would like to learn about Judaism or Hebrew or whatever, let's get it going!!!!

Please feel free over the summer to email me or call me with any ideas, no matter how crazy. Again, I thank you for your trust and faith in our school. We, at the K.I. school, will never settle for less than the best that we can do.

In closing, I would like to thank the **Devinki Family** and their devotion to honor Fred Devinki's memory by perpetuating Jewish education at K.I. year after year. I know in my heart that K.I. Religious School is making a difference. From just making Jewish friends to learning about our history to being comfortable in *shul* on *Shabbat* and holidays, K.I. religious school and the Devinki family are making an impact. May your blessings that you bestow on our children come back 10 fold to you and your family. *Todah*- Thank you beyond words.

May you all have a wonderful summer, and please stay in touch as we continue to celebrate our children and their heritage.

*L'hitraot,  
Shelley Rissien*

**6:30**  
Falafel - \$10

RSVP by Tuesday,  
May 7

**7:00**  
Mincha/Maariv

**7:30**  
Yom HaZikaron  
&  
Yom HaAtzmaut  
Services



yom  
ha'atzmaut

a musical celebration

MONDAY, MAY 13

Kehilath Israel  
Synagogue

## OUR GRADUATES



At the time that the *Focal Point* is going to press, we are aware of these K.I. students who are graduating this year. We wish them and all others a *mazal tov* on their endeavors!

...**Hannah Caplan**, daughter of **Cathy and Craig Caplan**, graduated from Kansas City University and will be completing Emergency Medicine residency at KU.

...**Mirra Goldenberg**, daughter of **Jeff Goldenberg**, graduated from the University of Colorado - Boulder with a BS in Psychology. She will be starting nursing school in the fall.

...**Nathan Khalemsky**, son of **Angela and Anatoly Khalemsky**, graduated from Olathe East and will be going to KU Journalism School.

...**Sam Kosiborod**, son of **Elena and Dr. Mikhail Kosiborod**, graduated from Tulane University with a major in environmental biology and minor in psychology. He is staying in New Orleans to work in research lab for a few months, then will be applying for grad school.

...to **Anna Krutz**, daughter of **Bonnie and Anton Krutz**, graduated from San Jose State University with a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Animation & Illustration degree.

...**Madison Macek**, daughter of **Scott Macek**, graduated from Mid America Nazarene in Olathe with a Nursing Degree. She plans to work at Children's Mercy in the Oncology Department.

...**Renton Smartt**, son of **Jamie and Jason Smartt**, graduated from Wichita High School East. He received a degree from the International Baccalaureate Program.

...**Mary Waxman**, daughter of **Betsy and Dr. Steve Waxman**, graduated from Loyola University in Chicago with a Biology degree.



## KC KOSHER MEALS ON WHEELS

Looking for a meaningful way to give back to the community and make a difference in the lives of others? KC Kosher Meals on Wheels is dedicated to combating food insecurity and loneliness for older adults and people with disabilities by providing delicious and nutritious meals – and they need your help!

As a Kitchen Assistant, volunteers get to work alongside other friendly volunteers to help prepare ingredients, make sauces, and process meats and fish. Prior experience is optional, so don't worry if you're not a pro in the kitchen. Just bring your enthusiasm and willingness to learn!

If you prefer desserts, KC Kosher Meals on Wheels has a Sunday afternoon shift just for you. Volunteers can bake up a storm and help provide a sweet treat for recipients. If you're part of a social group, family, or student class (and more) looking for a fun way to give back, you can schedule an evening shift and make it a group effort!

Delivery Drivers are needed on Sundays to bring meals to



To **Shelley and Aaron Rissien** who shopped for the ingredients, made all the dough and coordinated the volunteers for baking *hamantashen*.

To our *hamantashen* baking volunteers: **Debbie Entine, Max Jevinsky, Nancy Kohn, Sonny Singer**

To our volunteers who helped put the *Misloach Manot* bags together: **Marsha Krinsky, Elizabeth Peden, Jake Schulzinger, and Sonny Singer.**

To our *Mishloach Manot* delivery crew: **Joan Cabell, Henri Gaeddert, Marian Kaplan, Phyllis and Maury Kohn, Sam Kricsfeld, Kim Kubel, Pierson Kubel, Elizabeth Peden, Shelley Rissien, Amy Stoltz, Matt von Ende, and Joyce Zeldin.**

If we inadvertently left your name off, we are sorry, and please let the office know!



**THANK YOU** to our volunteers who stayed and worked to clean up after the Purim dinner and they are: **Jacob Abrams** and Emily Miner, **Sharon Noorollah, Maury Kohn** and Jonathan Aldana.



## YOM HASHOAH

Sunday, May 5, 2025 - 1:30 pm

The White Theatre – Jewish Community Campus

The 2024 *Yom Hashoah* service will commemorate the 81st anniversary of the Warsaw Ghetto Uprising and the 61st anniversary of the dedication of the Memorial to the Six Million. Chaired by Henry Kanarek, the program features the wartime experiences of his father, Joseph Kanarek, and includes the traditional lighting of six candles honoring the six million murdered Jewish victims.



client homes. In this role, volunteers get to brighten someone's day with their friendly and compassionate demeanor while providing them with a nutritious meal. Here's the best part: even if volunteers can't commit to a regular schedule, KC Kosher Meals on Wheels has an on-call position for alternate Delivery Drivers and Kitchen Assistants. Volunteers can help whenever they're available and still make a difference.

Contact **Henri Gaeddert**, Community Outreach Coordinator for Torah Learning Center, at [henrig@torahkc.org](mailto:henrig@torahkc.org) or call 913-385-5770, ext. 7 to learn more and sign up.

## GRADUATIONS

If you have students graduating high school, college or graduate school, please email [ashanberg@kisyn.org](mailto:ashanberg@kisyn.org) with their names, school, degree, future plans, and even a picture, so that they can be acknowledged in the next *Focal Point*.

## MAY ANNIVERSARIES



- 12 Lisa & Michael Jerwick (6)  
16 Linda & Elliott Goldstein (31)  
17 Becca & Rabbi Moshe Grussgott (9)  
Cheryl & David Shanberg (9)  
20 Fran & David Kanter (40)  
21 Beryl & Richard Silberg (70)  
23 Lilly Lopez-Goldstein & Oren Goldstein (19)  
Deanna & Jeffery Rudd (43)  
24 Madeline & Robert Schiffman (60)  
26 Catherine & Daniel Singer (11)  
Rachel & Alex Simon (11)  
Hillary & Sean Hirshberg (5)  
27 Karen & Scott Bronston (23)  
Joyce & Alan Organ (22)  
28 Debra & Scott Levin (24)  
Rebecca & Jason Speier (7)  
30 Tamara & Steven Kingston (42)  
31 Susan & Samuel Gutovitz (37)  
Nancy & Richard Kohn (37)  
Jennifer & Lowell Fletcher (14)  
Cara & Doug Zolotor (9)

## מזל טוב

...to **Carol and Arnie Caviar** on their granddaughter, Morgan Caviar, graduating from KU with a major in psychology and minor in applied behavioral science. She will be going to New York in the fall to get her major in Fashion Marketing from LIM College. Morgan was also awarded The Ann Eversole lifetime achievement award honoring the most dedication towards Rock Chalk Revue. She was the director, costume designer and choreographer for the show. Morgan is the daughter of Allison and Zane Zismer.

## תודה רבה

...to our office volunteers who assist in so many ways: **Irene Blend and Jake Schulzinger**.

...to **Max Jevinsky** for taking the *Focal Point* to the main KC, MO post office each month, so that you can receive a print version.

...to **Brenda Fishman** and her crew: **Cristi Gillom, Tamara Kingston, Rachel Lubowicz, Maureen Minoofar, Sharon Noorollah, Amy Stoltz** and **Janet Stone** for fixing the *Shabbat Kiddushim*.



## 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, Jeniece Berman, Evelyn Brand, Craig Caplan, Hannah Caplan, James Clark, Donald Cohen, Natalie Cohen, Kerry Cosner, Sondra Friedman, Abby Gold, Lilly Lopez-Goldstein, Lisa Gortenburg, Daniel Hammer, Beverly Jacobson, Richard Jacobson, Carolyn Kershner, Tamara Kingston, Phyllis Kohn, Craig Kolkin, Jackie Kraft, Anya Kricsfeld, Norman Levine, Rachel Macek, Thomas Morgan, Jesse Newman, Sam Pener, Faya Portnoy, Aaron Rissien, Harrison Rosenthal, David Ruben, Matthew Siegel, Cindy Singer, Max Singer, Mary Jane Stern, Steve Waxman, Judith Weinstein, Lois Winston.

## MAY YOUTH BIRTHDAYS

Eton Fletcher, Leora Silver, Grayson Raiche, Darby Stangler, Ava Schifman, Ava Gortenburg.

## SIMCHA TREE LEAF DEDICATIONS



HONOR OF MAX JEVINSKY  
ON HIS 75TH BIRTHDAY  
4-15-2024  
LOVE, PACK AND KOLKIN  
FAMILIES

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# PURIM AT K.I.



*Leora Silver, Joan Cabell*



*Ali, Rachel, and Sam Lubowicz*



*Felicia Weiner, Maureen Minoofar*



*Daniella Silver, Bridey Stangler, Becky  
Toniazzo, Eliana Silver, Yosef Silver*



*Ari Grussgott, Arthur Hayoun*



Tomahawk  Hills  
GOLF COURSE

**Allan Greenberg Memorial  
K.I. Synagogue  
Golf Tournament**

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**Monday, June 10**  
**8 am Shotgun Start**

**17501 Midland Drive Shawnee, KS 66217**



# 25TH ANNUAL ALLAN GREENBERG MEMORIAL KEHILATH ISRAEL SYNAGOGUE GOLF TOURNAMENT

**IN HONOR OF RABBI HERBERT MANDL**

**JUNE 10, 2024 • TOMAHAWK HILLS GOLF COURSE**

17501 MIDLAND DRIVE • SHAWNEE, KS 66217

7AM CHECK IN AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST | 8 AM SHOTGUN START

## REGISTRATION FORM

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**ORGANIZATION:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**TELEPHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **FAX:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**EMAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please pair me with a team: \_\_\_\_\_ or  
 Please pair me with the following players: (before listing partners, please ensure that they plan to team with you.)

	PLAYER NAME	EMAIL	PHONE
1)	_____	_____	_____
2)	_____	_____	_____
3)	_____	_____	_____

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# LAG B'OMER

# PATIO PARTY

**Dinner, Fire Pits,  
Music, Oh My!**

**Sunday, May 26 @ 5:30 p.m.**

**\$10/person before May 17**

**\$18 /person after May 17**

**Kids Under 5 Eat Free**



# ESRIG-GOULD MEMORIAL ALCOVE

*With Reverence We Record the Following Yahrzeits*

## MEMORIAL TABLETS

### 23 NISAN-MAY 1

MARY CHEPLOVE  
SOL GALLAS  
SIMON HURWITZ  
ABRAHAM KATZ  
DOBRISH MOLDAVER

### 24 NISAN-MAY 2

SHLOME BECKMAN  
SOL CAPLAN  
SHAMARYAHU FRIEDMAN  
LILLIAN KESSLER  
KALMON LEVINE  
PHILIP LITMAN  
MAX RAINEN  
MICHAEL ROMER

### 25 NISAN-MAY 3

MAX AARON  
SYLVIA BEISER  
SAM BROWN  
FRANK DUNN  
ISRAEL DWORETSKY  
ARON SCHIFMAN  
EVELYN SPITCAUFSKY  
MORDECAI WEINER

### 26 NISAN-MAY 4

NATHAN BOTWINIK  
NATHAN GOLDSTEIN  
ELSIE KRAFT  
BERTHA SHOLTZ

### 27 NISAN-MAY 5

CHAYA BRAILOVE  
ZEVI BROOKS  
NATHAN CLAYMAN  
SHIRLEY GREENBERG  
NATHAN KELLER  
THEODORE LANSKY  
IDA LEVINSON  
BARNEY PHILLIPS  
DAVID ROSEN  
KLARA SHVARTSBLAT  
JACOB STRAF  
FREDA TEST  
SAMUEL WENECK

### 28 NISAN-MAY 6

HERMAN BULAVSKY  
SOL DALEN  
SELMA DEISENFELD  
HARRY EISBERG  
SEYMOUR KATZ  
PHIL KESSLER  
BRADLEY SCHIFMAN  
ASHLEY ZACK

### 29 NISAN-MAY 7

JACOB ABRAMSON  
ZANEWELL BEISER  
BERTHA GELHAAR  
IDA LEWKOWITZ  
JOSEPH MALLIN  
ROSE MILLER  
MORRIS POLSKY  
DAVID RUTTNER  
SOLOMAN SHERR

### 30 NISAN-MAY 8

ROSE OSMAN  
LOUIS WASSERMAN

### 1 IYAR-MAY 9

MOLLY GILGUS  
YECHIEL REIF

### 2 IYAR-MAY 10

BARNEY BOBROW  
IDA CAPITO  
FANNY CHOPP  
RUTH FEINBERG  
ANNIE FLEITMAN  
WOLF OSADCHY  
SARAH RABINOWITZ  
ZISKA SLOTKIN

### 3 IYAR-MAY 11

DAVID KOGAN  
HARRY SHERR  
WOLF SINGMAN  
ANN SNITZ  
ZELDA STOFFSKY  
MATLA SUKIENNIK

### 4 IYAR-MAY 12

WILLIAM BIRENBOIM  
MANUEL EAGLSTUN  
SADIE ENTIN  
REBECCA GOLDSTEIN  
BERTHA KRIGEL  
CHAYA LEVINE  
ZLATA SHANE  
EISIG WOLOWSKI

### 5 IYAR-MAY 13

BEN BITNER  
ALEX KRAFT  
MICHAEL SCHUB  
RICHARD VON ENDE  
MARY WACHTEL  
ISADORE ZEFF

### 6 IYAR-MAY 14

BERTHA BROWN  
MAX BROWN  
HARRY BURSTEN  
LOUISE DOLGENOW  
MEYER GINSBERG  
BETTY GLADSTONE  
HARRY RUBEN  
WILLIAM RUDNICK  
GRETA SCHICK  
JOSEPH SCHWARTZ  
MORTON SINGER

### 7 IYAR-MAY 15

BENJAMIN ARONSON  
FANNIE CAPLAN  
TODROS GREENBERG  
MAYER INDYK  
JOSEPH LEVINE

### 8 IYAR-MAY 16

MIERL GALITZKY  
EDYTHE KAUFMAN  
SAMUEL KLEVATT  
HERMAN LERNER  
MORRIS MILDER

### 9 IYAR-MAY 17

ARNOLD GOLDBERG  
MANUEL KLOPPER  
LOUIS MEYERS  
LOUIS NUSSBAUM  
MORRIS SHANKMAN  
CHARLES SPITCAUFSKY  
HANNAH WEISBERGER

### 10 IYAR-MAY 18

MOSHE ABEND  
LEAH DOLGINOFF  
ANNA FRIZENT  
GLORIA KOLKIN  
EUGENE LIPSKY  
MELVIN SPITCAUFSKY  
BERTHA THOMAS

### 11 IYAR-MAY 19

LOUIS ADELMAN  
JENNIE BERNSTEIN  
ANNA CHERNICOFF  
MORRIS CHERNICOFF  
GOLDIE FISHMAN  
ESTHER LEVENE  
MILLIE ROCHELD  
CHAIM ROSENFELD  
SARA WEINER

### 12 IYAR-MAY 20

RICHARD ASHER  
LOUIS BIRNBAUM  
HARRY MILINKOWSKY  
ANNA SIMON

### 13 IYAR-MAY 21

SAMUEL ARON  
JENNIE BASSIN  
JACK EISBERG  
MORRIS FINGERSH  
ESTHER FRANKSTEIN  
JACOB KAUFMAN  
IRVING MALLIN  
JACK MARGOLIS  
SARAH RUDNICK

### 14 IYAR-MAY 22

ABRAHAM DORFMAN  
HYMAN FISHMAN  
SARAH SHERR  
ISRAEL SPACK

### 15 IYAR-MAY 23

SAUL GOTTLIEB  
SAM GRANT  
ALICE LAPIN  
HENIYA LIPKIN  
MARY MAISELL  
MORRIS MAX  
SARAH MERMELSTEIN  
HENRY ROSENBERG

### 16 IYAR-MAY 24

RACHEL AMPEL  
BERTHA FEINGOLD  
SHERRILL FRIEDMAN  
HORTENSE GERSHON  
GERTRUDE KAPLAN  
PAULINE LISSER  
HARRY MALLIN  
BERNARD RUBEN

LEE WEINBERG  
BELLA WIENSHIENK

### 17 IYAR-MAY 25

MARVIN BELZER  
MELECH BROWN  
ROSE DORFMAN  
GERTRUDE EPSTEIN  
BERYL FABES  
EVA GREEN  
MALKA GULKO  
PAUL KOTELOV  
JOSEPH LEVI  
LENA LEVINE  
BETTE LEVITCH  
HELEN SCHWARTZ  
ROSE SINGER

### 18 IYAR-MAY 26

SAMUEL BRAUN  
NACHMAN CARROLL  
JEANETTE FRIEDMAN  
ARNOLD FROHLICHMAN  
SONIA GOLAD  
BLUMA HOROWITZ  
SELMA LIPSKY

### 19 IYAR-MAY 27

RACHEL BIRNBAUM  
RUTH DUBOWY  
DAVID GULKO  
EUGENE SHER  
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
5 27 NISAN Last Day Religious School - 9:15-11:30 am Yom Hashoah Program at The J - 1:30 pm	6 28 NISAN Rabbi Mandl's Talmud Class - 7:15 pm	7 29 NISAN	8 30 NISAN Rosh Chodesh Iyar - Day 1	9 1 IYAR Rosh Chodesh Iyar - Day 2	10 2 IYAR 8:03	11 3 IYAR Kedoshim Ezekiel 22:1-16 Shabbos Ends: 8:58 Rabbi Grussgott's Class-6:55 pm
12 4 IYAR Community Yom HaZikaron at The J - 6:00 pm	13 5 IYAR Yom HaZikaron and Yom HaAzmaout Program at K.L.-6:30 pm	14 6 IYAR Community Yom HaAtzmaut at local brewery-7:00 pm	15 7 IYAR	16 8 IYAR	17 9 IYAR 18:09	18 10 IYAR Emor Ezekiel 44:15-31 Shabbos Ends: 9:05 Chai Anniversary Kiddush Rabbi Grussgott's Class-7:05 pm
19 11 IYAR Community Yom HaAtzmaut for families at Meadow Brook Park-2-4:00 pm	20 12 IYAR Rabbi Mandl's Talmud Class - 7:15 pm	21 13 IYAR	22 14 IYAR Pesach Sheini	23 15 IYAR	24 16 IYAR 8:15	25 17 IYAR Behar Jeremiah 32:6-27 Shabbos Ends: 9:12 Rabbi Grussgott's Class-7:10 pm
26 18 IYAR Memorial Day Service at Blue Ridge Cemetery - 11:00 am Lag B'Omer Patio Party - 5:30 pm	27 19 IYAR Memorial Day OFFICE CLOSED Shacharit Service-9:00 am	28 20 IYAR	29 21 IYAR	30 22 IYAR	31 23 IYAR 8:20	
			1 23 NISAN Religious School - 4:30-5:45 pm	2 24 NISAN	3 25 NISAN 7:56	4 26 NISAN Acharai Amos 9:7-15 Shabbos Ends: 8:51 Rabbi Grussgott's Class-6:50 pm



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Week of May 5 6:40 PM  
Week of May 12 6:45 PM  
Week of May 19 6:50 PM  
Week of May 26 6:55 PM

**IMPORTANT DATES**

**LAG B'OMER** - Sunday, May 26  
**ROSH CHODESH IYAR** - Wednesday & Thursday,  
May 8 & 9  
**MEMORIAL DAY** Monday, May 27  
*Shacharit* Service 9:00 am



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