



# TINT *IsraeLight*

## Autumn Means the 3 R's:

**R**eligious School begins Sunday, September 13 at 9 a.m. sharp. Be sure your child is registered! Call the office today! See page 7 for news for 6th grade and up!

**R**osh Hashanah and Yom Kippur services will usher in the new year of 5770. See page 4 for complete information.

**R**eally good pizza and fun at our annual Sukkot celebration, "Pizza In The Hut." See page 13 for details

## Nothin' but Net: TINT is on the Web!

TINT is scoring big gains when it comes to getting the word out faster to our congregation via the Internet. Join us now!

➔ **Email is the fastest way** to find out about program changes and meetings via email blasts. We can even send you the Shabbat announcements right to your computer! **WE NEED YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS!** Please send it today to Wendy at [tint@tintcleveland.org](mailto:tint@tintcleveland.org) and put TINT on your contact list.

➔ **Join the TINT group on Facebook!** Link up and keep connected. Use the search function to find "Temple Israel Ner Tamid of Cleveland" and be part of the group!

➔ **Visit our website at [tintcleveland.org](http://tintcleveland.org)** on a regular basis. Look for new features and a new design in the upcoming months.

➔ **Help us save money on postage and paper. Get the TINT IsraeLight via email!** Write to Wendy at [tint@tintcleveland.org](mailto:tint@tintcleveland.org) and tell her you want to receive the TINT IsraeLight by email, or call 440-473-5120.

Temple Israel Ner Tamid has a new email address: [tint@tintcleveland.org](mailto:tint@tintcleveland.org)

Be sure to check out our website: [www.tintcleveland.org](http://www.tintcleveland.org)

## Rabbi's Message



Often, I imagine what a congregant is thinking as the HIGH HOLY DAYS approach. As I imagine WHAT you are thinking, let me share what I am thinking.

YOU: Busy, BUSY, busy. I'm too busy to think about ROSH Hashanah. I HAVE a lot on my plate and I'll think about it WHEN I can manage the time. I have so many work, school and family responsibilities. As things go, I'll probably PICK up the prayer book and OPEN it without having been able to give it much forethought.

Gee, I HOPE the Rabbis' sermons are brief...and interesting. VERY brief in fact, I get *shpilkes* sitting for more much than an HOUR. I wonder if THEY finished the social hall? Last year, it was a cement floor and construction lights...although the walls looked nice.

Oh, when do Religious School and Adult Ed start?

The services run too long. The choir, Cantorial soloist and the other soloists sound nice, but can't they KEEP it shorter?

ME: Now is the time to think of (at least) one person you HAVE wronged or FEEL badly towards...and correct the situation. Don't be proud; apologize and let the person express his anger about your behavior. Let her tell you how she feels. THEN, do your level BEST to repair the situation. If it is the other person's fault...spend LESS time being aggravated about it, thus you will FREE yourself from some of that aggravation.

If you PREP for Rosh Hashanah it will be MUCH MORE THAN a service which RUNS too LONG. It will be a time to contemplate where you have GONE wrong...even if you don't want to think about it...and how to MAKE amends.

Yes, the Mae and Mort Stark Family Social Hall was dedicated in December and you will be happy with how it turned out. Mae's Gift Shop is well stocked, too.

Religious School begins Sunday, September 13 and we use the Stark Family Social Hall all the time. Adult Ed is every morning religious school is in session.

Services are too long? They need to be longer than the usual Shabbat service to give you time to think and pray. Feel FREE to get up and stand around the edges of the sanctuary or social hall, PACE back and forth a bit. If you pray, think or meditate better while you are up and moving, please get up and MOVE! Come on...you don't need a few hours to PRAY and WORK on yourself? I know I certainly do.

TAKE FIVE minutes to review YOUR LAST YEAR: your behavior with family, friends, associates and people with whom you've interacted. Did you perform enough mitzvot this year?

Take out the Gates of Repentance prayer BOOK, BLOW off the DUST and familiarize yourself with some of the words and prayers. Put it on your night stand or in the kitchen. Take a few minutes HERE and there...you might be surprised WHAT a difference it WILL make.

Look INTO the mirror...and really LOOK into your own EYES. What do you see?

Let the words of the prayer book sink into the recesses of your mind and soul...really sink in. Three important HHD themes are Teshuvah (repentance), Tefillah (prayer) and Tzedakah (charity). Doing more, of each of them, will improve your LIFE.

Be more generous with your tzedakah. How more generous? According to the Torah and Talmud, it is 10% of net income. Wages on your W-2 form minus all the various taxes equals net income. Ultimately however, it is your decision, but at least you have a Jewish measuring stick.

Be more generous with your TIME. Do an extra act of kindness. Who needs your HELP? To whom can you make a difference?

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### **TINT Mission Statement**

Temple Israel Ner Tamid is predicated on the belief that the creation and establishment of a congregation dedicated to the needs of Jewish people provides the environment necessary for the accomplishment of our purposes: the study, understanding and practice of Liberal Judaism warm to tradition amid an atmosphere of friendship and fellowship so that each individual member can develop the desire and have the ability to lead a meaningful Jewish life. We are dedicated to promoting and maintaining family involvement in a Jewish life through total commitment to family participation.

**Thank you Oneg and Bima Flower Sponsors!**

**May 29<sup>th</sup>** Oneg and flowers sponsored by the parents of the young adults who were confirmed this evening: Mayim Hamblen, Scott Michael, Ryan Stefancik, Leah Wallach & Lindsay Weinberg

**June 5<sup>th</sup>** Oneg sponsored by Marvin Blankfeld in memory of Sandra Blankfeld

**June 12<sup>th</sup>** Oneg sponsored by Erika & Dick Gold in appreciation

If you would like to sponsor an oneg or have flowers for any special occasion, such as a birthday or anniversary, please call the temple office at 440-473-5120.



**SAVE THE DATE!**

**Sunday, September 13, 9 a.m.** Religious School starts

**HIGH HOLY DAY SERVICES**

**Friday, Sept. 18, 7:30 p.m.**.....Erev Rosh Hashanah Service

**Saturday, Sept. 19, 10 a.m.**..... Rosh Hashanah Morning

**Saturday, Sept. 19, 2:30 p.m.**.....Children's Service



**Sunday, Sept. 27, 7:30 p.m.**..... Erev Yom Kippur (Kol Nidre)

**Monday, Sept. 28, 10 a.m.**..... Yom Kippur Morning Service

**Monday, Sept. 28, 4:30 p.m.**.....Yiskor and Ne'ilah

**Friday, October 2**..... Pizza in the Hut (Sukkot)

**February**.....Reverse Raffle

**MITZVAH OF THE MONTH**

**5769/5770**

Cut this list out, post it on your refrigerator or take it with you whenever you shop.

See a bargain? Buy it now for any of these "Mitzvah of the Month" needs:



**Peanut butter and jelly donations are needed every month!**

**September** New socks (children's and adults')

**October** Kids' videos, VHS and DVDs (new and gently used)

**November** Hats, scarves, gloves, etc. plus new or gently worn coats and jackets for children and adults

**December** Cleaning products: Windex, paper towels, Mr. Clean, 409, etc.



*Mazel Tov to:*

**Joe and Claire Feigeles**, who celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in August with a trip to Niagara Falls with their children and grandchildren.

**Peter Freimark**, selected for the **Upstanders: Portraits of Courage** exhibition showcasing Ohioans who serve as an inspiration to others by making a positive difference in their communities and around the world. Peter's portrait, along with 24 others, will be on display at the Western Reserve Historical Society from October 15th - February, 2010.

## High Holy Days at Temple Israel Ner Tamid



*O God, as the new year begins, bless this congregation, those who lead and serve it, those who contribute to its strength. Bless our land and all its inhabitants. Bless the household of Israel, wherever they dwell. May Your favor rest upon Israel, her land, her people. May the New Year 5770 bring health and happiness, prosperity and peace - to each of us, to all of us. Amen.*

Services:

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|--------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| • <b>Erev Rosh Hashanah</b>          | Friday night September 18 <sup>th</sup>       | Service begins at <b>7:30 p.m.</b>  |
| • <b>Rosh Hashanah</b>               | Saturday morning September 19 <sup>th</sup>   | Service begins at <b>10:00 a.m.</b> |
| • <b>Children's Services</b>         | Saturday afternoon September 19 <sup>th</sup> | Service begins at <b>2:30 p.m.</b>  |
| • <b>Erev Yom Kippur (Kol Nidre)</b> | Sunday night September 27 <sup>th</sup>       | Service begins at <b>7:30 p.m.</b>  |
| • <b>Yom Kippur</b>                  | Monday morning, September 28 <sup>th</sup>    | Service begins at <b>10:00 a.m.</b> |
| • <b>Children's Services</b>         | Monday afternoon, September 28 <sup>th</sup>  | Service begins at <b>2:30 p.m.</b>  |
| • <b>Yizkor and Ne'ilah</b>          | Monday afternoon, September 28 <sup>th</sup>  | Services begin at <b>4:30 p.m.</b>  |

You **MUST** have a ticket for all services, with the exception of children's, Yizkor and Ne'ilah services at the close of Yom Kippur. College students and military personnel with I.D. do not require tickets.

Each family that has paid last year's dues in full and at least 25% of this year's (2009/2010), should have received your tickets by mail. Additional tickets may be requested, for members of your family at \$80.00 each. If you need tickets for non-family members or you know of people who would like to attend our warm and welcoming High Holy Day Services, call our temple office to request additional tickets at \$180.00 each. We will need names and contact information for each ticket purchased. **All worshippers will be asked to show their tickets at the main entrance. Tickets are *not* transferable.**

For a donation of \$150.00 or more, High Holy Day Bimah flowers can be placed in memory of, or in honor of loved ones. Your donation will be acknowledged throughout the High Holy Days.

*Rabbi's Message, continued from page 2*

Ask a friend to TELL you where you NEED to improve. A real friend will tell you...and in a NICE way!  
Visit or CALL, someone you heard is not feeling WELL to say hello and happy new year.

May God's blessings REST UPON EACH of us. May God bless our country. May God watch OVER the men and women serving in our armed forces, as well as, our brothers and sisters in the LAND of Israel. Pat joins me in sending WARM regards for a sweet and GOOD new YEAR 5770.

Shalom,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Matthew Eisner".

## More News You Can Use for the High Holy Days

Help beautify the Sanctuary by making donations for Bimah Flowers. Donations may be made in memory of, or in honor of, loved ones, or as greetings for the New Year. Donations will be acknowledged in the Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur Service programs. Call Wendy in the Temple office for arrangements.

Shofar Choir. Rosh Hashanah morning, the call of the shofar awakens us from our spiritual slumber. The shofar wails, "Wake up, change your ways, become a better Jew, become a better person!" The congregation needs the gift of your hot air. No prior experience is necessary, just BYOS - bring your own shofar. Bring your shofar and come to our Shofar Choir rehearsal. Join the Rabbi in the Sanctuary on Sunday, September 13 (the first Sunday of Religious School) from 12:00-12:15 p.m. Yes, only 15 minutes...it will be enough.

Tzedakah. We hear the words of Isaiah 58 on Yom Kippur morning, "share your bread with the hungry."  
(1) On Rosh Hashanah, we will distribute empty bags. On Yom Kippur, there will be a truck with volunteers in the parking lot ready to receive your bags filled with non-perishables. This is a "teachable moment" for your children and grandchildren, nieces and nephews. Take them with you for "tzedakah shopping." Let them search your food pantry and fill the bag.  
(2) During this time of "spiritual renewal," make a generous donation to the "TINT Hunger Fund" to support our congregation's monthly tzedakah at the St. Aloysius Hunger Center in Glenville. The wood tzedakah box is on the bookshelf near the Sanctuary doors.

Babysitting AND a place with freedom of movement. Jan Tucker is an experienced TINT Religious School teacher and sitter. Ms. Tucker will be in the music room at the Lander Road Elementary School, just across the hall from the gym. Age: preschoolers and up. Time: from 1/2 hour before, until after services. Donation: \$5 per child per service. Activities: Yes. Snack: Yes, animal crackers and juice. Reservations would be helpful, but are not required. Please call Wendy in the temple office.

On Rosh Hashanah morning, the Rabbi will make sure all the kids are brought into the Sanctuary for the shofar service.

Do you have a college student? Please send us the address and email address. Send the info to the temple office - [tint@tintcleveland.org](mailto:tint@tintcleveland.org). Please put College Address in the subject line. The TINT College Committee, chaired by Becki Gisser, will send out a package for Sukkot and for Pesach. Our children may be away from home, but they are in our hearts.

Share A Ride. We have members of our congregation who cannot easily drive, or cannot drive at all. Would you be willing to give someone a ride for services? This would be a beautiful act of *g'mi'lut chassadim*, an act of loving kindness. Or do you need a ride? Alice Severovich has volunteered to organize this effort, please call her at (216) 378-0599.

Sidney said, "Rabbi, I know tonight is Kol Nidre night, but tonight the Cleveland Indians are finally in the World Series. Rabbi, I'm a lifelong Indians fan. I've got to watch the game on TV!"



Rabbi Levy replied, "Sidney, that's what video recorders are for."

Sidney was surprised. "You mean I can tape Kol Nidre"?

## Win A Parking Spot for HHDs.



Let it rain, let it pour! You can stay (relatively) dry and arrive at services just minutes before they begin...and still park close to the front door!

Once again this year, the Rabbi, Founding Rabbi, President, Administrator and Cantorial Soloist have generously given up their parking spots for Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur! So, nu, take a chance already. Buy a ticket, or many, and win one of these coveted parking spaces. The more tickets you buy, the better your chances.

Rosh Hashanah spots will be drawn the day before Erev Rosh Hashanah services. The remaining tickets and all new tickets will go into the bin for Yom Kippur. Those spots will be drawn the day before Kol Kidre. Winners will be notified by telephone.

\$1 for 1 ticket • \$5 for 8 • \$10 for 18  
\$20 for 40 tickets • \$25 for 55 • \$36 for 100

*A Belated Mazel Tov to our Confirmands!*



Back row left to right: Leah Wallach, Mayim Hamblen, Ryan Stefancik, Scott Michael, Lindsay Weinberg.  
Front row left to right: Rabbi Matt Eisenberg, Cantorial Soloist Rachel Eisenberg, Rabbi Emeritus Fred Eisenberg

## A little leaven levity

Rosh Hashanah is a time for introspection, and purifying one's soul. In conjunction with this is the custom of Tashlich, where people take crumbs and throw them into a river or other body of water to symbolize throwing away one's sins and starting the new year fresh.

However, times have changed...

Taking a few crumbs to Tashlich from whatever old bread is in the house lacks subtlety, nuance and religious sensitivity. Instead, consider these options this year for Rosh Hashanah:

- For ordinary sins, use White Bread
- For exotic sins, French Bread
- For particularly dark sins, Pumpernickel
- For complex sins, Multi-grain
- For twisted sins, Pretzels
- For tasteless sins, Rice Cakes
- For sins of indecision, Waffles
- For sins committed in haste, Matzah
- For sins of chutzpah, Bread that's fresh
- For substance abuse, Poppy Seed
- For committing arson, Toast
- For committing auto theft, Caraway
- For being ill tempered, Sourdough
- For silliness, Nut Bread
- For excessive use of irony, Rye Bread
- For telling bad jokes, Corn Bread
- For hardening our hearts, Jelly doughnuts
- For war-mongering, Kaiser Rolls
- For immodest dressing, Tarts
- For causing injury or damage to others, Tortes
- For promiscuity, Hot Buns
- For being holier than thou, Bagels
- For unfairly upbraiding another, Challah
- For trashing the environment, Dumplings
- For sins of laziness, Any Very Long Loaf
- For lying, Baked Goods with Nutrasweet
- For the sins of the righteous, Angel Food Cake
- For selling your soul, Devils Food Cake
- For inhaling, Stoned Wheat





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BOXTOPS FOR EDUCATION**

We earn 10¢ for every boxtop redeemed. Eligible boxtops can be found on hundreds of General Mills products.

**8th Annual Blood  
Drive and Bake Sale**



We inaugurated this blood drive after September 11, 2001 and continue it today because there is always a need. Last October, Temple families arrived in impressive numbers to give the gift of life. The Red Cross workers were very pleasantly surprised when we donated almost 40 pints!

This year's Blood Drive and Bake Sale will be on **Sunday, October 4 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** in the Stark Family Social Hall. Let us give more than last year! Bring your friends

Everyone is welcome. The following criteria must be followed: You must be at least 17 years old, weigh at least 105 pounds and be in good general health to donate blood. Plan ahead - you can safely donate every 56 days. There is no upper age limit. Please bring some form of identification.



**We need bakers!**

Bring in cookies, cupcakes and cakes for us to sell. Volunteers will accept your donations early in the morning.

**SHOP ONLINE AND HELP TINT WITH  
EACH PURCHASE**

Visit **www.igive.com**, register with Temple Israel Ner Tamid as your designated charity, and a portion of your purchase will be sent to us. What could be easier!

There's no extra surcharge. And you'll be choosing from nearly 700 world-famous stores, from OfficeMax to Harry & David, Shoes.com to Toys R Us, Macy's and Nordstrom's to Orbitz and Petco. You just have to access the vendor's website through **igive.com**, and TINT will receive as much as 15% of your purchase.



**AND DON'T FORGET...**

Purchase Giant Eagle and Heinen's gift cards at the Temple office. You can even use the Giant Eagle card to purchase other restaurant and retail gift cards...and TINT gets 4%!

**Religious School News**

**6th Grade and Up Will Kick Off the  
School Year with an Encore Mitzvah!**

Last year our older students — and many adult volunteers — joined the Jewish community in a mitzvah for those who cannot do it for themselves: cleaning the grounds and graves at Chesed Shel Emet Cemetery. **PLEASE ARRIVE BY 8:45 A.M.** dressed for working outdoors. Adults are welcome to join us!

**Welcome, Grades K thru 5 to class!**

Your morning will begin by assembling in the sanctuary promptly at 9:00 a.m. Parents, please hang around to meet your child's teacher.

**Religious School Parent Orientation for ALL parents**

will be Sunday, September 20th in the Sanctuary at 9.m.  
**PLEASE ATTEND!!!**

**There will be NO adult education on Sunday, September 13th.**

Join us on **facebook.**

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Temple Israel Ner Tamid on  
Facebook!**

**Look for our group and  
join the fun!**

## Simchas!

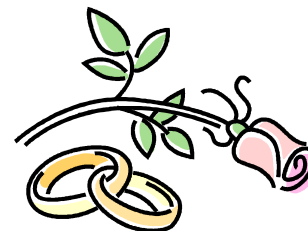


### Happy September Birthdays to...

- 1 Don Plasco
- 2 Vicki Adelman, Stanley Baker, Mort November, Rebecca Smith, Monty Weltman
- 3 Sondra Myers
- 5 Lynne Kumin
- 6 Bob Craven, Max Edelman, Shelley Hoyat, Alec Krienen, Jean Ruben, Nita Weltman
- 7 Jeff Bailey
- 8 Stacey Gunn
- 9 Ed Diamond
- 10 Andrea Adell, Hannah Borow, Norma Klein
- 11 Judith Caine, Frieda Eisinger, Adelle Hart, Kyra Horvat, Jody Pickle
- 12 Lola Kamins
- 13 Bart Baker, Marcia Elbrand, Annmarie Kaspy, Mary Siegel
- 14 John Kovan
- 15 Sara Hillegas, Darcy Horvat, Matthew Robbins, Sky Yelsky-Williams
- 17 Allison Fox, Amanda Sims, Marissa Sims, Eleanor Zaremsky
- 18 Diane McLaughlin
- 19 Denise Gold
- 20 Ellen Brick, Brian Ettinger, Pam Vanek
- 21 Gerald Appel, Baruch Zaremsky
- 22 Jana Schwebel, Ludmilla Sorkin
- 23 Priscilla Baker, Theresa Najfach, Jeff Sorkin, Myron Wasserman
- 24 Morris Blatt, Marcia Grossman
- 25 Bernard Bader, Riley Blake Libens
- 26 Joel Wallenstein
- 29 Fred Cook
- 30 Howard Leuchtag, Marsha Mintz, Shelly Plasco

### Happy October Birthdays to...

- 1 Michelle Madden, Hannah Szabo, Ron Weitzner
- 2 Marv Gisser, Jonathan Koslen, Leslie Rotsky
- 3 Elaine Setnik
- 5 Michael Rosenstein
- 6 Dale Goldstein, Mariya Kaplun
- 7 Barbara Schiff
- 8 Judith Guzik
- 9 Tillie Atkins, Spencer Kawalek
- 10 Erika Craven, Lenny Iacco, Jerry Moore, Nick Severino
- 11 Toby Bader, Carol Schoenewald
- 12 Diane Fox
- 13 Rose Allen, Ira Lorber
- 14 Ian Craven
- 15 Robert Friedrich, Melanie Freidman
- 16 Matthew Axel, Benjamin Mitchell
- 17 Sherry Dutcher, Randy Fox, Nelle Mitchell
- 18 Ted Resnick
- 19 Marilyn Estrin, Dianne Grod, Ron Stanley
- 20 Bradley Dutcher
- 21 Alex Vanek
- 22 Irvin Aplis, Ronda Rosenstein
- 23 Muriel Salovon, Barney Waterman
- 24 Katie Basch, Thomas Koberna
- 25 Hermien Schneider, Jennifer Stefancik



### Happy September Anniversary to...

- 1 Rabbi Fred & Helen Eisenberg
- 2 Richard & Linda McMullen
- 4 Jack & Lee Cecil, Fred & Arlene Cook
- 5 Marv & Elaine Setnik
- 6 Peter & Susan Freimark
- 7 Kevin & Judith Caine
- 9 Leo & Madelyn Feher
- 10 Jordan & Ann Levy
- 15 Marvin & Estelle Epstein
- 19 Dick & Iona Dettelbach
- 20 Seth & Annmarie Kaspy

### Happy October Anniversary to...

- 8 Alan & Judith Grown, Sanford & Lois Horvat
- 9 Terrence & Allison McBrady, Randy & Stephanie Weltman, Doug & Arlene Wieder, Robert Wren & Amy Strom
- 10 Chuck & Sue Grieshammer, Brian & Heather Marks
- 11 Brett & Robin Goldberg
- 12 Robert & Babe Tolin
- 14 John Krienen & Tammy Strom
- 16 Rabbi Matt & Pat Eisenberg
- 25 Matt & Naomi Kall, David & Theresa Najfach
- 26 Richard Sims & Jody Pickle
- 27 Steve & Arlene Comet, Jon & Ellen Stefancik
- 28 Joseph & Marcia Polevoi
- 29 Ronald & Annette Wakser

**Please join us at  
Shabbat Services...**

...on the last **FRIDAY** of the month for BIRTHDAY and ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS (and cake!).

## HONORABLE MENSCHEN

### Donations may be made to:

- Belman Scholarship Fund
- Bima Fund
- Building Fund
- Chapel Education Fund
- Emily Goldsmith Memorial Fund
- Mack & Estelle Bossin Library Fund
- Hunger Fund

- Rabbi Frederick Eisenberg Music Fund
- Rabbi's Philanthropic Fund
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- Raskin Temple Beautification Fund
- Henry & Carol Schoenewald Fund
- Irwin Abel Torah Fund
- Tree of Life Fund

### Chapel Ed Fund

- Carole Naft in memory of Eli Chudakoff
- Jack Miner in memory of Sam Miner
- Sue Wengel in memory of Eva Cohen Eisneberg
- Sanford & Sally Ziff in memory of Shirley Ziff
- Wasserman and Rose Ziff Himmel
- Marvin & Irene Weiner in memory of Ben Weiner
- Natalie Wasserman in memory of Anne Skigen and Albert M. Skigen
- Arlette Rappoport in memory of Danielle Grossman
- Hannah Szabo in memory of Sadie Dobrin
- Robert Weitzner in memory of Herman Weitzner
- Hilda Palchick in memory of Robert Katz
- Erika & Dick Gold in memory of Zoltan Taubner and Melvin Gold
- Diane Fox in memory of Donald C. Smith
- Ira & Elaine Lapine in memory of Jack Malkin
- Gert Kades in memory of Clara Abrams
- Velma Kurtz in memory of Susan Kopcsik
- Nadine Bendycki in memory of Luisa Adelson
- Mariya Kaplun in memory of Yelka Kaplun
- Shirley Sofer in memory of Lillian Tolin and Louis Tolin
- Morry & Hilda Blatt in memory of Paul Nagelbush
- Jack & Pearl Miner in memory of Frank Miner

- Josh Goldsmith
- Zach Goldsmith

### Mack & Estelle Bossin Library Fund

- Don & Marilyn Schreiber in memory of Christine Greenblatt

### Religious School Education

- Liz & Bob Fertel in memory of Paul Nagelbush

### Rabbi's Philanthropic Fund

- Mildred Wohl in memory of Ethel Wohl
- Alberta & Louis Weisman in memory of Morris Somers, Dolly G. Somers and Rose Weisman

### Hunger Fund

- Nadine Bendycki in honor of Joe & Claire Feigeles's 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary
- Norma Klein in memory of Bertha Rothschild
- Stanley & Robin Baker in memory of Mildred Baker

### General Operating Fund

- Joanne Guerra in honor of the 1<sup>st</sup> anniversary of Judy & Paul Michael
- Frieda Eisinger in honor of Fred and Chuck Eisinger's birthday

### Emily Goldsmith Memorial Fund

- Dick Goldsmith
- Judy Goldsmith



### REMEMBER TO FEED THE ABITIBI PAPER RETRIEVER!

Bring all recyclable paper and fill the bins in our parking lot with newspapers, magazines, office paper, junk mail, etc. No cardboard boxes, please. TINT gets a rebate for all the recyclables we collect!

### Uh-oh...the Mae's Gift Shop maven has been shopping again!

Smell that? It's the aroma of the Gift Shop's budget being burned through as we get set for the Fall — and Chanukah — shopping season. Watch for new jewelry, mezuzahs, menorahs and more...even earth friendly and Fair Trade items!

# Tree of Life

*They Still Live in Our Hearts*

Yahrzeits that fall on Saturday are read the previous Friday evening, as Friday and Saturday are one Shabbat, an Island in Time.

## IN MEMORIAM

Our deepest sympathy to  
Liz Fertel on the loss of her uncle  
Paul Nagelbush;  
to Jack Miner on the loss of his  
cousin Frank Miner.

### Week ending September 12, 2009 17 Elul 5769 – 23 Elul 5769

Irwin N. Abel  
Herman oward  
Ben Kurtz  
Elsie Menks  
Elizabeth Feigeles  
Milton Cadkin  
Helen Mae Gold  
Edward Katz  
Deanne Bayer  
Doris Browdy  
Carl Rubenstein  
Morris Steinberg  
Helen Fein  
Morton Myers

### Week ending September 19, 2009 24 Elul 5769 – 1 Tishri 5770

Morris Signer  
Sam Zimmerman  
William Belman  
David Berger  
Anna Diamond  
Ze'ev Friedman  
Yossef Gutfreund  
Eliezer Halfin  
Yossef Romano  
Amitzur Shapira  
Kehat Shorr  
Mark Slavin  
Andre Spitzer  
Yakov Springer  
Moseh Weinberg

Harold Berkowitz  
Isidore Metz  
Benjamin Zalben  
Gizella Blankfeld  
Harry Cooper  
Silvia Weiner

### Week ending September 26, 2009 2 Tishri 5770 – 8 Tishri 5770

Lola Berkowitz  
Mack Bossin  
Anna Sacks  
Joseph Cadkin  
Donald Rothstein  
Fay Simkow  
Dora Waterman  
Herman Fogel  
Elvera Herbstman  
Max Sacks  
Betty Malitz  
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Gary Ferber  
Diane Simon

### Week ending October 3, 2009 9 Tishri 5770 – 15 Tishri 5770

Samuel Goda  
Laura Lee  
Marianne Edelman  
Melba Harrison  
Sally Rubin



Fannie S. Federman  
Jacob David Zaremsky  
Sam (Lou) Fisher  
Dr. Stan Weingart

### Week ending October 10, 2009 16 Tishri 5770 – 22 Tishri 5770

Nathan Adell  
Bruce Klein  
Myra Babin  
Marvin Klein  
Jack Strom  
Richard G. Wallenstein  
Hilda Goodman  
Robert Sabin  
Richard Madden  
Ruth Bader  
Ruth Greenhouse Bailin  
Martha Cooper  
Mark Richard Greenberger  
Estelle Mendelsohn

### Week ending October 17, 2009 23 Tishri 5770 – 29 Tishri 5770

Joseph Kopcsik  
Leo Guzik  
Della Klein Gould  
Marc Balin  
Joseph Rakusin  
Virginia Conti  
Max Weiner  
Hyman Tolchinsky  
Samuel Weisman  
Warren Goldstock  
Bill Berrie  
Marvin Moss  
Harry Stolarsky

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**Week ending October 24, 2009**  
**30 Tishri 5770 – 6 Cheshvan 5770**

Tillie Leuchtag  
Rose Siegel  
Anne Schwartz  
Pat Aplis  
Aimee Edelman  
Celia Markofsky  
Peter Tenenbaum  
David Eisenberg  
William Hodge  
Rafael Kaplun  
Sylvia Chesler  
Irving Heiser  
Melvin Ruben

**Week ending October 31, 2009**  
**7 Cheshvan 5770 – 13 Cheshvan 5770**

Samuel A. Bochner  
Harry Siegel  
Ilene Steiner  
Pearl Klein  
Sidney Schiff  
Deanna Wylen  
Toby Bartell  
Marion Risman  
Helen Weinberg  
Jean (Jenny) Fisher  
Irwin Landau  
Moses Joel Eisneberg  
Violet Hirschon Eisenberg  
Arnold Klein  
Oscar Kronfeld

**REMINDER**

**Names of loved ones are not automatically added to the computerized Yahrzeit list. Please call the temple office to update our computer list when the need arises. Your cooperation is appreciated.**

**From the 2009 TINT Trip to Israel.**

Courtesy of Rabbi Matt Eisenberg



Before the trip's departure, the Rabbi collected scores of prayers to be hand delivered to the Western Wall in Jerusalem. Your prayers arrived safely. It was our privilege to place them in the wall and, God willing, your prayers will be answered as you hope.



We planted trees in the Jewish National Fund forest in the Galilee. We hope to go back and visit on our next congregational trip in three years.

Left to Right: David Isaacs; Judy Ashton; Barbara Isaacs; Carol and Bill Droeg; Hannah, Max, Steve, Janet and Andy Edelman; Arlene Rosen; Sue Edelman; Lynn and Michael Lustig; Katie and Rich Edelman; Rabbi Matt Eisenberg

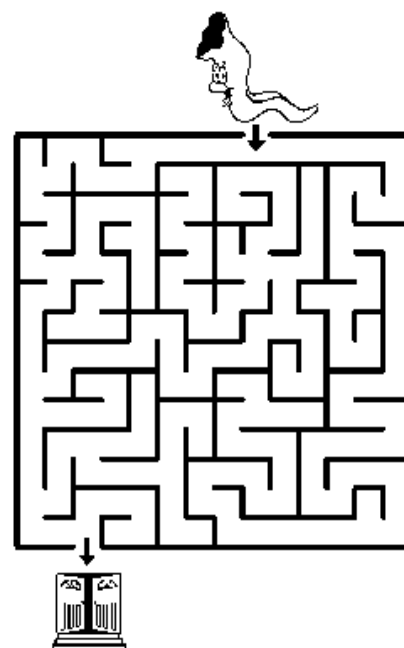
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## Rosh Hashanah Word Find

Y N I H R B J Q E L A E R S I  
 P U Z I O E J T E H R S Y P Q  
 P C M T W L A A T O R E C R T  
 A R I I N R I N V X N V J H B  
 H Y S H B O O D G A M E S I J  
 U H Y E B M R S A Q D N X G V  
 P H L L F R Y O A Y B T G H H  
 V E I T I A F Q S O S H V R A  
 C M V I E M Q U M H V X T S H  
 G O V N A D A T D L O R U L U  
 O Y X C V O T F L I N R O O R  
 Z J Z U P B Z G I S N H R X P  
 G J B N M S E U Y T Z W O W C  
 K L R O X S Z H A S H A N A H  
 P D F G S G T C V Z M F X C O

CELEBRATE  
 FAMILY  
 GAMES  
 HAPPY  
 HASHANAH  
 HIGH  
 HOLIDAYS  
 RAM  
 JEWISH  
 MONTH  
 ROSH  
 SEVENTH

Help  
 Shrilly the Shofar  
 find his way  
 home!



## RIDDLE TIME!

- Q. How do you fix a flat pumpkin?  
 A. *With a pumpkin patch!*
- Q. How can an elephant get down from a tree?  
 A. *He can sit on a leaf and wait until autumn!*
- Q. What kind of shoes does a banana wear?  
 A. *Slippers!*
- Q. What do you call a T-Rex that sleeps all day?  
 A. *A dino-snore!*

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The Temple is here when you need it because you and other congregants pay dues to make it so. When congregants "hold back" on paying dues to the Temple it threatens our ability to offer worshippers and the greater community our services. It even threatens the Temple's very existence.

I want to assure you that the lay leadership of the Temple is always mindful of the significant financial commitment which results from joining our congregation. At the same time I feel it is not unfair to point out that TINT has the lowest dues structure within our city.

YOUR dues DO matter. My pointed reminder is that if all of us choose to forgo paying our dues, we at some point will not need to worry about where to send the check. There will simply be no Temple Israel Ner Tamid.

Although we may not often say it, nor dun those who do not pay, we really do need timely dues payments from all of those who benefit from our humble congregation.

May you and your family have a great start to the New Year. L'Shanah Tovah Tikatavu.

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## From the President's Desk: **Dues Diligence**

August is a month of renewal and transition in the life of our Temple. In many ways, it represents the turning point of the year. Rabbi Matt and his family are back from their annual pilgrimage to Alaska. The High Holy Days are almost here. The new year for our religious school is about to begin.

Many months removed from the budget-making process, it can be hard to remember exactly how we arrived at estimates of school-age children we expect in our religious school. This "guesstimate" is only one example of number-crunching that goes into developing an operating budget for our temple that lays out the spending plan for the year, and all our Temple dues and fees are based on it.

I am often asked why dues are at the level they are. Folks also ask me why they should pay dues when they only come to the Temple occasionally. I'll address both questions here and in my next letter to the congregation.

Temple dues are not a user fee. Dues represent the funds paid by member congregants that allow Temple Israel Ner Tamid to exist and do its work as an active, vibrant charitable and cultural organization. Dues pay our professional and support staffs, allow the lights, air conditioning and heat to stay on, and keep the building in good working order. The largest portion of our budget which is supported by your dues is for the salaries/benefits for Rabbi Matt and our modest professional staff. We are very fortunate to have a full-time rabbi and temple administrator, Wendy Weinberg. We also have a part-time Chazzanit, Rachel Eisenberg. In addition, we employ on a part-time basis religious school and Hebrew teachers, a bookkeeper and only two part-time maintenance staff members.

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