

March-April 2023
Volume 69, Issue 2
Six Issues per Year

The Voice



Temple B'nai Jacob
of Wellington
12794 W. Forest Hill
Blvd. # 6
Wellington,
FL 33414

PHONE:
561-793-4347

Www.
Templebnaijacob.com

Email:
Templebnaijacob
@gmail.com

Fax:
561-793-9828

Rabbi
Education Director
Rabbi Dan Krimsky

Co-Presidents
Rebecca Blitman
Morry Silverman

Vice Presidents
Alan Cohan
Joseph Grossman

Treasurer
Joseph Grossman

Recording Secretary
Barbara Marcus

Corresponding
Secretary
Lenore Glickman

Office Manager
Editor
Elizabeth Thal



From Our Rabbi



We still do not know one-thousandth of one percent of what nature has revealed to us. - Albert Einstein

Although happening a thousand years apart, Purim and Pesach (Passover) have much deeper connections than just sharing the same first letter in common. The Talmud Taanit (29a) states the famous line: "When the Hebrew month of Adar begins, one increases rejoicing." Rashi comments that these were days of Miracles for the Jewish People and joins "Purim and Pesach" together. In Talmud Megillah 6b, we are informed that, "...Juxtaposing the celebration of one redemption, Purim, to the celebration of another redemption, Passover, is preferable." This is an explanation given to answer why we celebrate Purim during the second month of Adar, during a leap year, when adding a second full month to the Hebrew calendar. Miracles and Redemption seem to unite these holidays, perpetually keeping the respective celebrations close, about a month apart.

Perhaps, we can learn something from the order in which we observe these two events. The Exodus from Egypt happened before our people were saved from the hands of the evil Haman in Persia. Interestingly enough, the Jewish cycle has us celebrating and rejoicing over being alive, then, we experience freedom to live as our authentic selves. The time from Purim to Pesach can be described as "*from Life to Liberty!*" We, first, rejoice in celebration for the miracles and redemptions that secured our being alive. Then, the feelings increase through the pleasure of being self-determined, in control of our own spiritual destiny, and liberated to carve and walk our unique path as a nation.

Taking this idea a step deeper, could be a representation of Life itself. According to Elder Care Alliance, "A study by the University of Chicago found belief in g-d tends to increase with age, especially for those older than 68." Several more studies, as posted on the NIH National Library of Medicine website, conclude: "...as people's physical health decreases and they become more familiar with end of life and mortality, religiosity and spirituality increases. Religion, spirituality and/or belief could therefore play an important role in their everyday lives and moreover, it may be supportive in the challenges associated with aging." And, "Older people tend to have high rates of involvement in religious and/or spiritual endeavors and it is possible that population activity world-wide." continued >>>>>



Aging will be associated with increasing prevalence of religious and spirituality

We could conclude that, first, our lives are filled with concerns of being alive. We tend to be pre-occupied by the demands of “making a living” and “creating a life.” The earlier, younger, stages of our lives might be the Purim years - fighting for survival, while not seeing Hashem’s Name within our story. After our feet finally seem firmly planted, making a name and identity for ourselves has settled, and the challenges of balancing family vs. work demands diminish, only then, can we begin to see our story as Only Hashem, living the Pesach years. In the Purim Megillah (Megillat Esther) Hashem’s Name is never seen, while, in the Haggadah, Only Hashem’s Name is seen, as, traditionally, Moshe/Moses is intentionally left out.

Jewish wisdom describes both “Purim and Pesach” as being worthy of “increased rejoicing.” There is meaning to tap into within each stage of our lives. Perhaps, longer life offers a specific liberation that allows for a purer, more accessible, sense of the Divine. There is more to be found, felt and discovered, as, I believe, the Einstein quote above suggests. May we plug into these great holidays this year and be granted the ability to reveal the hidden and be in constant awe of what will be seen!

With Love and Blessings,
Rabbi Dan

PS: Purim Mitzvah Time!!!

- 1) *Read/Hear the Megillah* - at TBJ on Monday, March 6, 2023, 6:30pm.
- 2) *Festive Meal* - you’re on your own this year, but, remember to make it a good one!
- 3) *Matanot L’evyonim* - Every Jew is obligated to give gifts to two needy individuals. This can be fulfilled by donating online. Suggestions: <https://www.bezri.org> or <https://www.thekindkitchen.org>
- 4) *Mishloach Manot* - Please consider fulfilling this Mitzvah, this year, by joining in the efforts alongside the children at Meyer Jewish Preparatory School, The students love the giving and receiving of Mishloach Manot every year. Additionally, Avi and his fifth grade classmates will be bringing Purim joy to the residents of MorseLife by delivering Mishloach Manot directly.

Please help them increase their donations of Purim Baskets with your donations.

\$18- Vashti Sponsor

\$36- Mordechai Sponsor

\$72- Esther Sponsor

Your donation will surely put smiles on the faces of young and old this Purim. Please make your donation by Friday, March 3, 2023, and help us spread the joy of Purim at Meyer Prep and throughout our community.

Please visit <https://meyerprep.square.site> to make your donation.

Email: Morah Hadar at hbarokas@meyerprep.org if you have any questions.

Rabbi Dan

Message from our Co-President



By the time you read this, we will be rounding out February and heading into March. For many of us, this is the time when those New Year resolutions that we made just 6 weeks ago seem to be fading from memory and the excitement of the new year has made way to the reality of everyday life. How can we manage everything? Often, we have so much on our plates - family and financial pressures, dreaded “paperwork”, health concerns, attempts at getting organized or starting an exercise routine, along with all of those things you really wanted to do or try. I want to encourage you – don’t give up! Benjamin Franklin once said, “If you want something done, ask a busy person.” Be the “busy person” - look back on your resolutions and try to feel the excitement again. You can find the time to do whatever it is you set out to do.

Last weekend I chanted Haftorah Yitro (Jethro), who was the father-in-law of Moses. In this Torah reading, Yitro watches how hard Moses is working. But because Moses is doing all the work himself, he is not only wearing himself out, but all the people he is helping have to wait long hours to see him. In speaking about the Torah reading, the Rabbi discussed its many meanings and important elements, including how no one person can do everything themselves and the importance of delegation to both you, those around you, and accomplishing the goal at hand.

Are these thoughts diametrically opposed? On the one hand, I’m encouraging you to remember all the hopes that the New Year brings, what you had hoped to undertake, setting your mind to it, and realizing that you can achieve anything you want to do. But on the other hand, I’m pointing out the significance of recognizing limitations and the positive consequences of delegation. On the surface, these might seem like opposite ideals, but in reality they work best when practiced together. When we are busy and organized, we can accomplish a great many things. Sometimes, with all there is to do, life can seem overwhelming. But if we just put one foot in front of the other and start the process of “doing”, then things will get done. Of course, there is always a limit. If we are spread too thin, doing a good job can be difficult. However, when we *share* the work, others learn tasks, understand the value, bring fresh perspectives and eventually, take ownership and responsibility of the work – built in succession plan!

To that end, a reminder of our **Annual Meeting coming up Sunday, March 26th**. We’d love to see everyone there. We have an amazing group of core volunteers, working on everything from setting up Onegs and Kiddushes, to manning security; from acting as Gabbiyim to organizing the Zoom links; from organizing Women’s League events, Book Club meetings and membership activities, to managing our accounting. So much is done behind the scenes and we are extremely grateful for our volunteers! We couldn’t do it without them.

But we see and hear from our “regulars” all the time. Especially at our annual meeting, we want to see and hear from ALL of our members. We want this to be your shul too. Here is where I want to mention a 2nd major theme Rabbi Dan spoke about from the Yitro Torah portion: criticism can be a good and helpful activity if done in the right manner and especially with associated recommendations/ problem solving suggestions. In other words, don’t just complain, try to come up with a solution to help resolve the issue. So please, bring something to the table. Let us know, what are we doing well? What could we be doing better? Like the old movie, The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly, we want honesty from you. We know your comments will be said with love and with the intention that TBJ will be better for it.

Continued >>>>>>>



This newsletter covers both March and April and WOW, do we have a lot going on:

- March 3rd Women's League is collecting favorite recipes for a Passover cook book (please submit recipes by March 3rd)
- March 6th we will have a Purim celebration on Monday evening at 6:30pm
- March 8th we will celebrate the Israeli Olympic baseball team in an exhibition game against the Miami Marlins
- March 12 is a Women's League for Conservative Judaism (WLCJ) scholarship fundraiser
- March 19th is a TBJ Women's League Family Food event
- **March 26th is our TBJ annual meeting, Sunday morning (please vote in advance of the meeting)**
- April 6th Passover starts at sundown. Note that we will have several additional services during the holiday
- April 9th is the TBJ Women's League meeting titled Unsung Heroes of the Holocaust
- April 13th Yizkor services on the last day of Passover
- April 17th Yom HaShoah/Holocaust Memorial Day begins at sundown
- April 24th Yom HaZikaron/Israeli Memorial Day begins sundown
- April 25th Yom Ha'atsmaut/Israeli Independence Day starts at sundown
- April 30th Women's League has a special program on the Jews of Cuba
- In addition to all this we have weekly services on Friday night and Saturday morning, religious school every Sunday, Saging with Rabbi Dan on Thursdays at 1:00pm, and so much more!

Please join us for any or all of these events and if you have an interest in, or an idea for something that we are not yet doing, please let us know. As Helen Keller said: "Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much."

Rebecca Blitman
Co-president



Torah Fund Greeting Cards/Tzedakah Box

Torah Fund Campaign of Women's League for Conservative Judaism
Women Ensuring Conservative/Masorti Jewish Education



1. All Purpose



2. Condolence
Psalm 23



3. Condolence
Psalm 42



4. Get Well

Send special greetings to your family and friends... and have Torah Fund be an additional beneficiary of your kindness and thoughtfulness.



5. Mazal Tov



6. Condolence
White



7. Friendship



8. Thank You



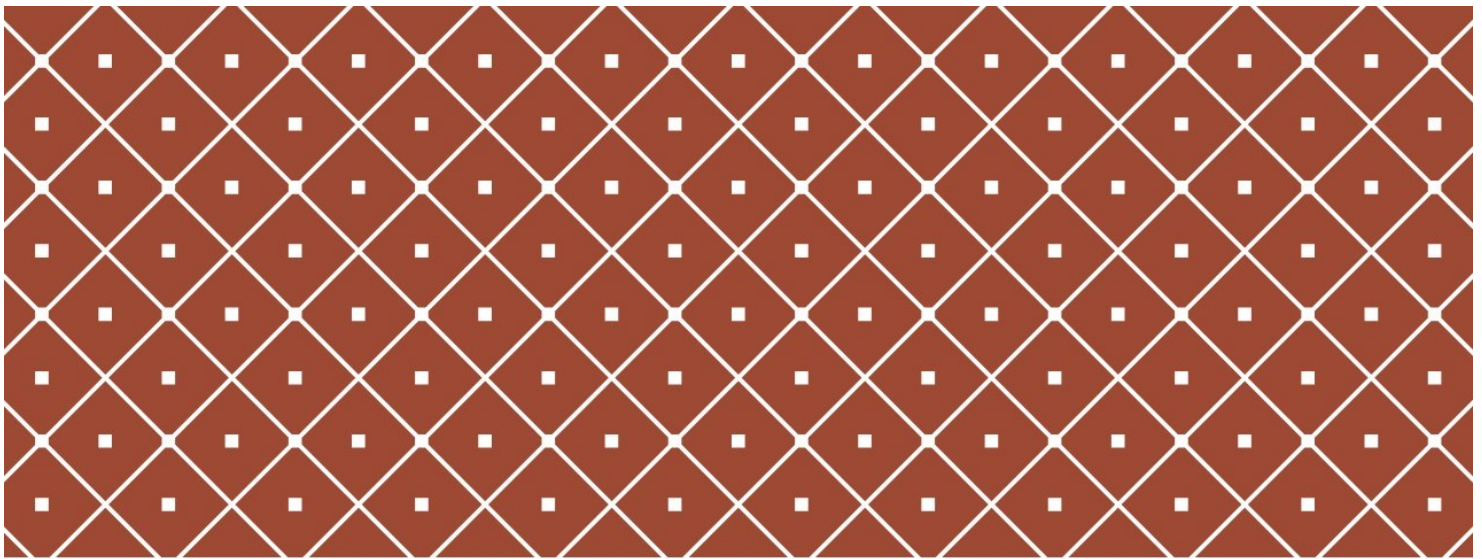
9. Purim



10. Tzedakah Box



Torah Fund Campaign of Women's League for Conservative Judaism supports
Jewish Theological Seminary
Ziegler School of Rabbinic Studies-AJU
Schecter Institutes
Seminario Rabínico Latinoamericano
Zacharias Frankel College



TEMPLE B'NAI JACOB
WOMEN'S LEAGUE "FAMILY FOOD FAVORITES"
PASSOVER PROGRAM MARCH 19, 2023

Temple B'nai Jacob of
Wellington 12794 W. Forest Hill
Blvd.
Templebnaijacob.com
Templebnaijacob@gmail.com
561-793-4347

The TBJ Women's League Meeting on
Sunday, March 19, at 11:00am

FAMILY FOOD FAVORITES FOR PASSOVER

Join us **in-person** to share special family recipes and the history behind them.. We will enjoy one of the recipes in the booklet. We will also discuss how Passover is celebrated in different parts of the world!

This meeting is open for everyone.
Please join us!

**Women's League April 9th meeting,
in-person, at 10:00am-12:00pm:**

**HEROINES, RESCUERS, RABBIS, SPIES:
UNSUNG WOMEN OF THE HOLOCAUST**



TORAH FUND

WOMEN'S LEAGUE FOR CONSERVATIVE JUDAISM

We encourage you to contribute to Torah Fund, Women's League's financial commitment to the Jewish Theological Seminary (New York) and its worldwide network of academic Institutions: Ziegler School of Rabbinic Studies (Los Angeles), Schechter Institutes of Jewish Studies (Jerusalem), Seminario Rabinico Latinoamericano (Buenos Aires), and Zacharias Frankel College (Potsdam, Germany). Your donations support both scholarships and programs for our future Conservative/Masorti rabbis, cantors, educators, and lay leaders.

All levels of giving are welcome. Benefactors (minimum contribution of \$180) are recognized by a Benefactor's pin, pictured below. The pin symbolizes the story of the Israelites preparing to enter the promised land. They are instructed to be strong and courageous, Chazak v'ematz, Torah Fund's theme for 5783.



The pin also celebrates the 80th year of Torah Fund.

For more information, contact Ella Bender at 561-656-1916 or at morah4241@hotmail.com.



Unsung Heroines of the Holocaust

Join the TBJ Women's League and guest speaker, Maureen Holtzer, as we explore the role that women played during this dark time in history. The discussion will include women's role in resistance, rescue and the survival of the Jewish people. Women of all ages and backgrounds played a large role in the partisan movement, in saving the lives of children and in some cases, non Jewish women risked their lives to resist the Nazi regime. The presentation will be followed by a question and answer session.



Sunday, April 9, 2023
From 10-12 Noon

Maureen Holtzer has been teaching Honors Holocaust Studies and International Research, as well as Law Studies in Palm Beach County for the past 18 years. She holds two Masters degrees, is a Lerner Fellow, and has taught Holocaust Studies to students and professionals throughout Europe and Israel as well as presenting best practices to several local and international organization.



Temple B'nai Jacob of Wellington
12794 W. Forest Hill Blvd. Suite #6
website: Templebnaijacob.com
email: Templebnaijacob@gmail.com
office: 561-793-4347



MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE—Member spotlight!

Denise Geller

Denise Geller is a member of Temple B'nai Jacob of Wellington. She bought tickets for High holiday services when Rabbi David Abrams wife went into labor during Mincha services on Yom Kippur. The services reminded her of the Conservative services she attended while growing up. She was able to follow along and the people in the congregation were so nice. She joined the synagogue immediately. That was 15 years ago.

Denise attended Eastern Michigan University in Ypsilanti Michigan and graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree and a teaching certificate. EMU was 10 miles away from the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor where she decided to live. It provided great opportunities to attend special educational programs in the evenings. She saw the great pianist Vladimir Horowitz perform in concert and attended a special lecture with the famous anthropologist, Margaret Mead. After she spoke, she invited the audience to come backstage if they had any additional questions. Denise was Student Teaching at the time and asked, "What message could she share with her current and future students?" Margaret Mead looked her directly in the eye and said, "Tell them, 'boys and girls of America, you are the hope of the world!'"

It was a difficult time to find a full-time teaching position so she worked as a substitute teacher. Her first full time teaching position was when she was a Peace Corps Volunteer. Denise wanted to serve her country just like women served in the Israeli army. She served in Micronesia in the most traditional outer islands living on Ifalik Atoll. That experience gave her a new perspective of life as a woman living in another culture. Ifalik is a small atoll in the traditional Yap District of Micronesia. There was no electricity or running water and the only way to get there was by freight ship delivering supplies to most of the outer islands. Her experiences have had a lasting impact on her life. When Denise returned home, she got a job teaching Math and Science with the Detroit Public Schools.

Denise was married for 28 years. They raised three children, two sons and daughter. One son is married and Denise calls his wife her "daughter in love." Denise raised 3 children two sons and her daughter. She has two beautiful wonderful young grandsons.

Throughout the years Denise has worked several jobs. She has worked and volunteered in different ways. She worked in a bookstore, she worked and volunteered for the American Lung Association. Denise has donated over 6 gallons of blood through her lifetime. She also worked for 12 years as a religious school teacher. She worked as a part-time teacher for six months From January to June when they needed a teacher at the Jewish Community Day School in West Palm Beach. She also worked for the Commission for Jewish Education and the JCC planning free monthly programs for unaffiliated families throughout Palm Beach County.

Continued>>>>>



When her daughter was in elementary school, Denise worked as a Substitute Teacher. She would write her name on the board, Mrs. Geller. Underneath she would write, “guest teacher.” She had wonderful experiences being a “guest teacher” and the children truly thought of her as a Guest. This was the first time Denise worked in the special education classes. Denise had severe Asthma and couldn’t work full time because she would miss many days of work due to being sick. Finally, a new medication came out and gave her back her life. She was able to work full time. There was a critical shortage of exceptional student education (ESE) teachers in the school district. She joined an educational program at Florida Atlantic University and became certified in ESE and worked for almost 10 years as a special education teacher with children with other abilities.

Denise was raised in a conservative synagogue Detroit as she was growing up. Her children attended a reform temple in Wellington. But decided to join Temple B’nai Jacob once her kids were grownup. She enjoys studying Torah, learning to read the prayers, and following along as the reader reads in Hebrew from the Torah Denise enjoys doing various types of volunteer work and helping friends. She enjoys swimming and is proud to be able to swim half mile to a mile when she goes to the pool. She also enjoys Spending time with friends, reading, gardening, playing mahjong, bird watching, and taking hikes through preserve areas. She has been recycling since she was 16 years old.

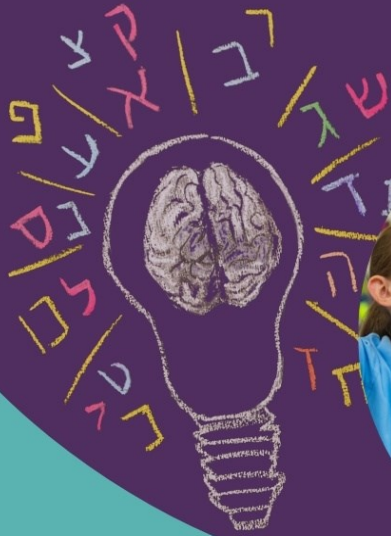
She spent approximately 30 years of her life in Detroit, 30+ years of her life in West Palm Beach, and wonders what the future brings during the next 30+w years.

For these reasons and more, we choose Denise to be our member spotlight in this issue of our newsletter, The Voice.

Temple B'nai Jacob of Wellington

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

The Only Conservative Synagogue in the Western Communities



- ✓ Learn Torah, Jewish Holidays & Values
- ✓ Small Classes & Individual Attention
- ✓ Professional Staff
- ✓ Technology Enhanced Classes

**Register Now
for Fall of 2023**

 **561-793-4347**

12794 W. Forest Hill Blvd., Suite 6
Wellington, FL 33414

Sundays

10am - 12:30pm

*Synagogue membership is
optional for K-4 the first year.*

TempleBnaiJacob@gmail.com
www.TempleBnaiJacob.com



Megillah Reding

Monday, March 6, at 6:30pm.

Join us for the Megillah Reading followed by Purim treats!



Join us weekly in-person or via Zoom for:

Friday Night Shabbat Services at 6:00pm.

Saturday Morning Shabbat Services at 10:00am.

Zoom links are emailed weekly.

Looking forward to seeing you!

Oneg & Kiddush Sponsorship from December 21, 2022 to February 21, 2023

Gotay, Israel & Elise	Oneg/ Kiddsuh	Oneg in memory of Dale Schuchmann
Bank, Florine	Oneg/Kiddush	Oneg 2/10 in memory of Rose Milewitz
Baron, Gerry	Oneg/Kiddush	In honor of the Womens League Kiddush
Bennett, Dean	Oneg/Kiddush	Oneg & Kiddush 1/27 in honor of Lenore Glickman birthday
Blitman, Jeffrey & Rebecca	Oneg/Kiddush	In honor of the Womens League Kiddush
Cohan, Alan & Andrea	Oneg/Kiddush	In honor of the Womens League Kiddush and Ella guidance
Cohan, Alan & Andrea	Oneg/Kiddush	Oneg 2/10 in memory Beatrice Cohan
Eisenman, Bernard & Billie	Oneg/Kiddush	In honor of the Womens League Kiddush
Feiertag, Steve	Oneg/Kiddush	Oneg 2/3 in memory of Eileen Feirertag
Grossman, Joe & Holly	Oneg/Kiddush	In honor of the Womens League Kiddush
Krimsky, Jeffrey	Oneg/Kiddush	Oneg 2/3 in memory of Joyce Krimsky
Marcus, Jeffrey & Barbara	Oneg/Kiddush	Oneg 12/30 in memory of James Connellan
Molow, Bert	Oneg/kiddush	Oneg 1/6/2023 in memory of Belle Molow
Molow, Bert	Oneg/Kiddush	Oneg 3/10 in memory of Henry Molow
Nachman, Steven & Leah	Oneg/Kiddush	Oneg 1/20 in honor of the Krimsky family
Treby, Elliott	Oneg/Kiddush	Oneg 12/30 in memory of Jacob Freedman



Yahrzeit Donations from December 21, 2022 to February 21, 2023

Bachove, Craig & Gail	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Miriam Bachove</i>
Bender, Chaim & Ella	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Rose Shapiro</i>
Bender, Chaim & Ella	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Paul Shapiro</i>
Birnholz, Alan & Lynne	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Anne Levin</i>
Charson, Marlene	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Idell Rothstein</i>
Cohen, Alan	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Phyllis Cohen</i>
Feiertag, Steve	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Elayne Feiertag</i>
Feiertag, Steve	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Nettie Heiferman</i>
Feiertag, Steve	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Anna Marenberg</i>
Feiertag, Steve	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Steven Heiferman</i>
Freedman, Sherre	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Florence & Irving Mandell</i>
Goldman, Donna	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>David Mitchell</i>
Gotay, Israel & Elise	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Dale Schuchmann</i>
Grossman, Joe & Holly	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Eli Fourens</i>
Lederer, Judy	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Otto Hahn</i>
Lederer, Judy	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Leo Lederer</i>
Patrusky, Roz	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Rachmiel Yakov (Robert Heller)</i>
Patrusky, Roz	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Alice Blinder</i>
Patrusky, Roz	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Meyer Postolsky</i>
Patrusky, Roz	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Sylvia Patrusky</i>
Patrusky, Roz	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Esther Malka Pollack</i>
Patrusky, Roz	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Sylvia Blinder</i>
Patrusky, Roz	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Israel Blinder</i>
Patrusky, Roz	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Beatrice Pollack</i>
Spooner, James & Beverly	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Irving & Florence Mandell</i>
Sukienik, Lenny & Cari	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Helen Sukienik</i>
Sukienik, Leonard & Cari	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Reuven Sukienik</i>
Thal, Mitchell & Liz	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Mayer Setton</i>
Turner, Ronald & Mara	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Stanley Aronowitz</i>
Wolf, Werner	Yahrzeit in Memory of	<i>Martha Wolf</i>

Miscellaneous Donations from December 21, 2022 to February 21, 2023

Grossman, Joe & Holly	Memorial for	<i>Jerry Melman</i>
Sukienik, Leonard & Cari	Memorial for the	<i>Jacobson family</i>
Thal, Mitchell & Liz	Memorial for	<i>Jerry Melman</i>

Linder, Michael & Lois	Rabbi discretionary fund	<i>In honor of the birthday of Rabbi Dan</i>
Sukienik, Leonard & Cari	Rabbi Discretionary Fund	<i>In celebration of Hayley & Michael's engagement</i>
Nagy, Steve & Suzy	Rabbi discretionary fund	<i>In apprec iation of Rabbi Dan</i>
Steinwurz, Morris & Beth	Rabbi Discretionary Fund	<i>In apprec for Dean Bennett's kindness</i>

General Donations from December 21, 2022 to February 21, 2023

Bender, Chaim & Ella	Donation	<i>In honor of Hayley Sukienik's engagement</i>
Bennett, Dean	Donation	<i>In honor of Lila Kaplan</i>
Blitman, Jeffrey & Rebecca	Donation	<i>In honor of Steve Nagy</i>
Blitman, Jeffrey & Rebecca	Donation	<i>In honor of Rabbi Dan's birthday</i>
Blitman, Jeffrey & Rebecca	Donation	<i>In honor of Morry Silvermans birthday</i>
Blitman, Jeffrey & Rebecca	Donation	<i>In honor of Rabbi Bernies birthday</i>
Blitman, Jeffrey & Rebecca	Donation	<i>For engagement of Hayley Sukienik</i>
Blitman, Jeffrey & Rebecca	Donation	<i>In honor of the birthday of Lenore Glickman</i>
Glickman, Lenore	Donation	<i>In honor Lila Kaplan</i>
Glickman, Lenore	Donation	<i>In appreciation of Rabbi Dan and Rachel for hosting Chanukah party</i>
Jacobs, Alan	Donation	<i>To the General Fund</i>
Kapla, Lila	Donation	<i>In appreciation of Rebecca Blitman for Womens League Shabbat</i>
Kapla, Lila	Donation	<i>In appreciation of Ella Bender for Womens League Shabbat</i>
Kaplan, Lila	Donation	<i>In honor of Liz Thal's beautiful Torah reading for Womens League Shabbat</i>
Kaplan, Lila	Donation	<i>In appreciation of her daughter, Holly, and Phil Albrecht</i>
Lichaa, Allen & Esther	Donation	<i>In honor of Ella Bender</i>
Liebowitz, Arnie & Zan	Donation	<i>In honor of women of Woman's League</i>
Liebowitz, Arnie & Zan	Donation	<i>In honor of Ella Bender for her hard work</i>
Liebowitz, Arnie & Zan	Donation	<i>In honor of the birthday of Morry Silverman</i>
Liebowitz, Arnie & Zan	Donation	<i>In honor of the birthday of Bernie Eisenman</i>
Morrissey, Dolly	Donation	<i>In appreciation of everyone at TBJ</i>
Nagy, Steve & Suzy	Donation	<i>To the General Fund</i>
Network for Good	Donation	<i>In honor of Rabbi Dan's Birthday</i>
Paredes, Julio & Stelly	Donation	<i>To the General Fund</i>
Perlman, Savm & Linda	Donation	<i>In honor of the 70th anniversary of Sam's Bar Mitzvah</i>
Perlman, Savm & Linda	Donation	<i>In honor of the 10th anniversary of Bryan Michael Humphries Bar Mitzvah</i>
Saber, James & Susan	Donation	<i>In appreciation of Chanting Haftorah</i>
Silverman, Morry & Sallee	Donation	<i>In honor Womens LeagueL Shabbat and Ella Bender</i>
Simmons, Wibur & Teresa	Donation	<i>To the General Fund</i>
Sukienik, Leonard & Cari	Donation	<i>In appreciation of Rebecca Blitman's time served as president of TBJ</i>
Sukienik, Leonard & Cari	Donation	<i>In honor of Ella Bender and Women's League Shabbat participants</i>
Thal, Mitchell & Liz	Donation	<i>In appreciation of Rebecca Blitman's time served as president of TBJ</i>
Thal, Mitchell & Liz	Donation	<i>In honor of the engagement of Hayley Sukienik</i>
Winer, Karen	Donation	<i>In appreciation of Women's League</i>
Yanklowitz, Bonnie	Donation	<i>In honor of Saturday morning worshippers for helping Dolly Morrissey</i>
Zhurko, Kate	Donation	<i>In appreciation of Jeffrey & Rebecca Blitman</i>

Get Well Soon Donations from December 21, 2022 to February 21, 2023

Blitman, Jeffrey & Rebecca	Mey Shabarach for	<i>Morry Silverman</i>
Grossman, Joe & Holly	Mey Shabarach for	<i>Lila Kaplan</i>
Silverman, Morry & Sallee	Mey Shabarach for	<i>Lila Kaplan</i>
Sukienik, Leonard & Cari	Mey Shabarach for	<i>Yochi Avin</i>
Thal, Mitchell & Liz	Mey Shabarach for	<i>Lila Kaplan</i>
Thal, Mitchell & Liz	Mey Shabarach for	<i>Michael Ben Sarah</i>



Dear Congregation Member(s):

February 15, 2023

The Annual Meeting of the congregation and election of Officers and Board of Directors of Temple B'nai Jacob will be held on Sunday, March 26, 2023 at 11:00 am in-person and via Zoom. If possible, please try to attend in person. We will be presenting our budget for the coming year and discussing any other business that may arise.

The Nominating Committee has presented a slate of nominees who have signified their acceptance and they can be found below. According to our By-laws, further nominations may be made by written petition, signed by a least six (6) members of the Congregation in good standing, and received at the Temple office to the attention of the Corresponding Secretary at least fifteen (15) days (by March 11) in advance of the meeting.

Every member unit of TBJ who is in good standing as of January 1, 2023 is entitled and urged to vote so that the elected Officers and Directors will be the choice of the majority.

If you are not able to attend the meeting in person, you may join live through Zoom. But please remember **there will be no ZOOM voting. Voting must be completed prior to the meeting.**

Topic: Annual Meeting 2023

Time: Mar 26, 2023 11:00 AM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86824233710?pwd=WEFScVFQdTZYSDQwSkI4ZzBFN09Hdz09#success>

Meeting ID: 868 2423 3710

Passcode: 211515

Agenda

Devar Torah & Rabbi's Report.....Rabbi Daniel Krinsky

Opening Remarks.....Morry Silverman President

Past Co-President.....Rebecca Blitman

Treasurers Report.....Joe Grossman, Treasurer

Questions from congregants

Fiscal Year April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024

Please check off your response and either e-mail to Templebnaijacob@gmail.com, drop off at TBJ during business hours, or bring with you to the meeting on March 26, 2023 at 11:00am.

☐

I approve the Officers and Directors as proposed.

☐

I DO NOT approve of the Directors as proposed.

Proposed Officers and Directors 2023-2024

President	Morry Silverman
Vice President	Alan Cohan
Corresponding Secretary	Rebecca Blitman
Treasurer	Joseph Grossman
Recording Secretary	Barbara Marcus
Directors at Large	Lynne Birnholz, Lenore Glickman, Alan Johnson

Please sign this ballot: _____

Print Name: _____



Rabbi Dan

[illegible]

Join me on a Journey toward the Path
of Self Discovery as we
try to Unscramble
Eternal Truths
and
Grapple with Ancient
Wisdom Texts...

Thursdays 1 - 2pm @TBJ

Sale of Hometz Form



TEMPLE B'NAI JACOB OF WELLINGTON
12794 W. FOREST HILL BLVD. SUITE 6
WELLINGTON, FL 33414
561-793-4347
EMAIL: TEMPLEBNAIJACOB@GMAIL.COM
WWW.TEMPLEBNAIJACOB.COM



**Rabbi/Education
Director**
Daniel Krinsky

Co-Presidents
Rebecca Blitman
Morry Silverman

Vice Presidents
Alan Cohan
Joseph Grossman

Treasurer
Joseph Grossman

**And the
Secretary**
Barbara Marcus

**Corresponding
Secretary**
Lenore Glickman

Rabbi Emeritus
Dr. David Abrams

March 5, 2023

I, Rabbi Daniel Krinsky of Temple B'nai Jacob of Wellington, hereby sell all of the Chametz in my possession and my congregation's and my congregants as authorized to me by:

In address:

Phone: _____

Email: _____

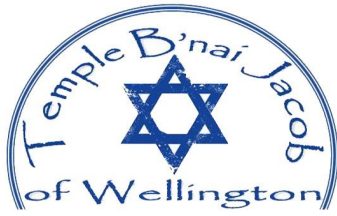
This document was completed in Wellington, Florida on 4/5/23.

Thank you,

Rabbi Daniel Krinsky



THE VOICE



When pre-planning for your
cemetery and funeral needs,
Call Alex Gurevich: 954-253-3600

Eternal Light Memorial Gardens-Beth Israel Memorial Chapel.

Friends and members of Temple B'nai Jacob receive special discounted rates.

Whatever is happening in our world today...
We Help You Plan For:



CEMETERY
Private, Semi-Private, & Community Selections available

- In Ground (UPRIGHT OR FLAT MONUMENTS)
- Above Ground (MAUSOLEUM OR NICHE)

FUNERAL
Call one number when your loved one passes,
day or night we are here.
• Casket • Clergy,
• Services (GRAVESIDE OR CHAPEL)
• Out-of-state cemetery transportation &
coordination



ETERNAL LIGHT
MEMORIAL GARDENS

WWW.ETERNALLIGHTMEMORIALGARDENS.COM
11520 State Rd. 7 (Rte 441), Boynton Beach, FL 33437

BETH ISRAEL
MEMORIAL CHAPEL

WWW.BETHISRAELCHAPEL.COM
11115 Jog Road, Boynton Beach, FL 33437
5808 W Atlantic Ave., Delray Beach, FL 33484



PALM BEACH MEMORIAL
CEMETERY • FUNERAL HOME • MAUSOLEUM • CREMATION

WWW.PALMBEACHMEMORIAL.COM
3691 Seacrest Blvd., Lantana, FL 33462

Call today to gather information to protect
your loved ones...we make it easy!

Alex Gurevich
PHONE: 954-253-3600
EMAIL: GurevichA@elmg-bb.com



PHONE CALLS

LIVESTREAMING

VIRTUAL MEETINGS

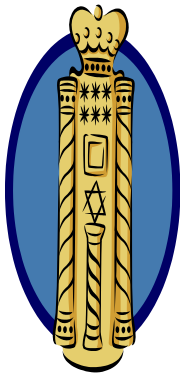
DIGITAL CONTRACTS

DOCUSIGN®



SISTERHOOD JUDAICA SHOP

We have ritual items: mezuzot and Mezuzah scrolls (klafim), candlesticks, menorahs, kippot, tallit clips, yads, memorial candles, as well as jewelry, gift and novelty items.



Ella Bender
561-656-1916

See us on the
Temple Website
and Facebook

To honor or remember a birthday, anniversary, graduation, memory or any special occasion sponsor a virtual Oneg or/and Kiddush



Friday night Virtual Oneg for \$63.00
Saturday Shabbat Virtual Kiddush for \$90.00
Oneg and Kiddush for \$144

Please contact our Temple office if you would like to sponsor a virtual Oneg or Kiddush at 561-793-4347

Help us replenish our local food pantry!

Our local food pantry is depleted and the price of food has increased. Please bring non-perishable items to the Temple office. We are preparing boxes for donations.

They are in need of:

- ♦ Canned chicken
- ♦ Canned tuna,
- ♦ Canned soups
- ♦ Canned green beans
- ♦ Canned baked beans
 - ♦ Peanut butter
 - ♦ Jelly
- ♦ Toilet paper.



THE VOICE



A Word from the Chesed Committee (formerly the Sunshine Committee)

- In need of a friendly voice
- In need of get well wishes
- In need of a friend to share a holiday meal with

*If you or any member of your family,
or if you know of anyone in our
Temple family that is in need,
please let us know.*

*Please call Liz Thal at the Temple
561-793-4347, or e-mail Lenore Glickman, lesmg@comcast.net*



**Call to Book a Tour and
mention Temple B'nai Jacob
to receive a FREE CHILD'S TICKET
for each paying Adult**

Kosher Selections - Candy by Color - Nostalgic Treats & more!

The Evolution of Candy Tour is now OPEN for booking!

Enjoy a 45 Minute tour filled with Candy Art, History of Candy
and of course sweet SAMPLES!



**235 N Jog Rd, West Palm Beach, FL 33413
561-540-1600**

HONOR OR MEMORIALIZE
A FRIEND OR LOVED ONE BY DEDICATING A
SIDDUR OR HUMASH

Create a lasting tribute and help support
Temple B'nai Jacob
by dedicating a copy of either
Siddur Sim Shalom or Humash Etz Hayim
for only \$36

*PLEASE COMPLETE A SEPARATE FORM FOR
EACH DEDICATION AND EITHER SEND
PAYMENT TO THE SHUL OFFICE OR CALL TO
MAKE ARRANGEMENTS*

TEMPLE B'NAI JACOB OF WELLINGTON
12794 FOREST HILL BLVD. SUITE 6
WELLINGTON, FL 33414
561-793-4347
Templebnaijacob@gmail.com

*We are collecting non-perishable food and
canned goods all year long.*

Please bring your donations to the Temple.

Together we can help feed the community.



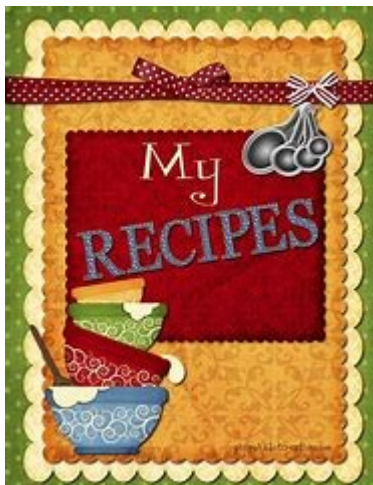
A MESSAGE FROM THE CHESSED COMMITTEE

*This year we celebrated the new year of the trees during a Tu'Bshvat Shabbat.
It was great to recognize the miracles of nature and enjoy dried fruit, nuts, and treats.*

*Passover is approaching and the TBJ Women's League is celebrating in a special way. We are
collecting unique Passover recipes to make a booklet for our Women's League program on
March 19. If you wish to submit a recipe, please do so by emailing the Temple office at:
Templebnaijacob@gmail.com no later than March 3.*

All recipes must be typed and emailed.

*A special thanks to all sponsors of Onegs and Kiddushes, it makes it
extra special for all our members!*



LENORE GLICKMAN
Chessed Committee

THE VOICE

MEL KOHAN, M.D.

2901 Coral Hills Drive #220
Coral Springs, FL 33065
Tel: 954-345-0404
Fax: 954-346-8315

INFECTIOUS DISEASE CONSULTANTS, P.A.

2900 N. Military Trail #210
Boca Raton, FL 33431
Tel: 561-997-7686
Fax: 561-997-7687
South Bldg.

Cesar Randich, M.D. Hamed Komaiha, M.D. José Villalba, M.D.
Indu N. Gopal, M.D. Jaroslav Ondrusek, M.D. Sara Buchstein, M.D.

Leonard A. Sukienik D.O. pa
"Where everyone is a VIP"
www.primarycaresolutions.com

Internal Medicine

13005 Southern Blvd
Suite 221 & 222
Loxahatchee Florida 33470
Phone: 561-784-0473
Fax: 561-784-9038



**Do you want to receive our Temple emails?
Call the office and give us
your email address at:**

561-793-4347

We're on the Web!
See us at:
Www.templebnaijacob.com
And Follow us on

facebook

Www.facebook.com/templebnaijacob

WELLINGTON PEDIATRICS
Michael L. Bruck, M.D., FAAP
Amy Z. Aqua, M.D., FAAP

Phone (561) 791-1935
Fax (561) 791-0115

Wellington Medical Arts Pavilion I
10115 W. Forest Hill Blvd.
Suite #402
Wellington, FL 33414

INTERESTED IN ADVERTISING IN OUR NEWSLETTER?

**PLEASE CONTACT OUR TBJ OFFICE.
OUR NEWSLETTER, THE VOICE, REACHES ALL TBJ
MEMBERS AND MANY FRIENDS IN OUR COMMUNITY.**

Newsletter



THE VOICE

Advertising Agreement B'nai Jacob of Wellington "Voice"



Date: _____

I agree to place an ad in the Temple B'nai Jacob of Wellington "Voice" for a term of six (6) issues, starting with the _____ issue for \$ _____.
[*month/year]

Firm /entity name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Authorized signature: _____

Print name: _____

VOICE

Business card ad [3.5" x 2"]	\$136/yr
1/4 page ad [4" x 5.25"]	\$200/yr
1/2 page ad [8" x 5.25"]	\$360/yr
Full page ad [8" x 10.5"]	\$500/yr

Yizkor Book (inside cover) \$300

Yizkor Book (outside cover) \$400

Full Page \$200

Please make checks payable to Temple B'nai Jacob of Wellington.
Mail this form along with your "camera ready" art to:

Temple B'nai Jacob
12794 West Forest Hill Blvd,
Suite #6
Wellington, FL 33414

Or email art files to: Templebnaijacob@gmail.com

*The B'nai Jacob of Wellington "Voice" newsletter is published six (6) times a year:
Jan/Feb, March/April, May/June, July/August, Sept/Oct, and Nov/Dec.

Please remember all of your wonderful opportunities to honor or memorialize loved ones or to mark special occasions with a contribution to Temple B'nai Jacob of Wellington.

Remember birthdays, yahrzeits, and more with a gift to the Rabbi's Discretionary fund, one of the Temple funds, or through the Sisterhood's Oneg/Kiddush sponsorship program.





www.provwealth.com

561-361-2020

Provenance Wealth Advisors offers a holistic approach to business and estate planning. PWA's team of experienced planners carefully evaluates each client's personal financial situation and their business and family responsibilities against a backdrop of their long and short-term goals. This 360-degree view helps PWA planners identify opportunities, gaps and potential problems so they can offer thoughtful and results-oriented solutions.



Brendan Hayes
Financial Planner

Email:

bhayes@provwealth.com



Joseph Karl
Chief Investment
Strategist

Email:

jkarl@provwealth.com

We're here for you.

Miami - Fort Lauderdale - Boca Raton - West Palm
Beach - Sarasota - Cincinnati - New York City

The firm's areas of expertise include:

- Business and succession planning
- Charitable and philanthropic planning
- Education savings planning
- Estate planning
- Insurance planning
- Investment planning
- Legacy planning
- Retirement planning
- Special-needs planning
- Retirement planning for business

Phillips Point

777 S. Flagler Drive, Suite 225 West Palm
Beach, Florida 33401

Follow Us



Securities offered through Raymond James Financial Services, Inc., Member FINRA/SIPC. Investment Advisory and Financial Planning services are offered through Raymond James Financial Services Advisors, Inc., and Provenance Wealth Advisors, a Registered Investment Advisor. Provenance Wealth Advisors, Berkowitz Pollack Brant Advisors and Accountants, and BayBridge are not affiliated with Raymond James Financial Services. Provenance Wealth Advisors is not a registered broker/dealer and is independent of Raymond James Financial Services.



Mission Statement

Temple B'nai Jacob of Wellington is a Conservative, egalitarian synagogue serving the Western communities of Palm Beach County. Temple B'nai Jacob seeks to inspire each member to become more deeply connected to his or her Jewish identity by providing relevant worship experiences, life-long educational experiences, opportunities for social action, and a connection to Jewish culture. We are a diverse and multi-generational congregation committed to serving as a center for contemporary Jewish life.

Save the date!

Temple B'nai Jacob of Wellington

Annual Picnic



When:

Sunday, May 7, 2023

Where:

Loxahatchee Groves Park,
Pine Pavilion (13901 Southern Blvd.)

Time: 10:00 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

10:00-10:30 Religious School Ceremony

10:30-11:30 Games

11:30 Lunch Time!

Enjoy locally grown veggies and fruit, kosher hot dogs, veggie burgers, sports, games, and catching up with your Temple friends!

Please fill in the number of people who will be attending, include payment and return to our

office by: **April 26.**

Name: _____

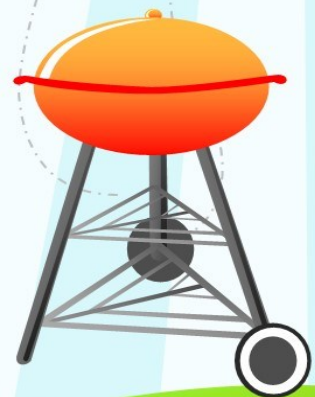
_____ Adults \$18

_____ Children (ages 5-12) \$10

_____ Children (5 and under) FREE

No charge for Religious School students

For more information call: 561-793-4347 or Templebnaijacob@gmail.com





We Take Care of Moms & Dads

Forever Rates
Available for A
Limited Time!



Harold Dean
Executive Director



Christy Zillmer, Sales Director
and her mother

Our resort-style community in Royal Palm Beach was designed to provide comfortable living and enjoyment every day.

While Inspired Living will never be the home that was left behind, we hope that you or your loved one will find comfort, ease, and happiness in our community.

Resort Style Living
Licensed Oversight 24/7
Nutritious Chef Prepared Meals
All Day Restaurant Dining
Onsite + Offsite Events
Dedicated Programming Daily
Housekeeping & Maintenance

CALL US TODAY FOR A TOUR!
(561) 507-0986

INSPIRED LIVING ROYAL PALM BEACH
Assisted Living & Memory Care
11911 Southern Blvd, Royal Palm Beach, FL 33411

Learn More at inspiredliving.care
AL#13539

