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The Newsletter for Congregation Anshei Israel



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Shalom

Talmud on Tuesday

Learn about the law and lore in the "sea" of Talmud with Rabbi Robert Eisen as we dig deep into the "who, what, where, when, why and how" of living Judaism. Join us in the Epstein Chapel **immediately following 5:30pm Minyan.**

Weekday

Torah Study Group

Led by Rabbi Robert Eisen, this informal study group can lead to lively discussion. Held **Wednesdays** in the Library, **11:00am to 12noon.**

Tot Shabbat

Service and Dinner

For families with young children, Rabbi Robert Eisen holds a special Tot Shabbat Service with stories and songs **the first Friday of most months at 5:45pm** on the Bimah in the sanctuary. A kid-friendly Shabbat **dinner follows at 6:15pm.** Dinner is \$25 per family (two adults and up to four children); additional adults \$10 per person. Reservations are needed for dinner only to Kim at 745-5550, ext. 224. Please plan to join us on **May 6 and June 3.**

Comfort for Babies & Moms

We have a designated room for moms who wish to nurse their babies in a quiet private space. The bride's changing room (at the back of the Epstein Chapel) will comfortably accommodate one or two moms at a time.

Kiddie Corner

One of the most important values we can share is Shabbat, especially the importance of Shabbat worship, because families should be together on Shabbat. But, should your little one(s) get restless, we offer our "**Kiddie Corner**" in Rabbi Breger Hall for our little ones and their parents/guardians who wish to be a part of Sanctuary services. Services are broadcast into Rabbi Breger Hall so parents can listen, see, and participate in the service, as their children relax and play with Shabbat-friendly toys and books.

Shabbat Afternoon Torah Study

Torah discussions are held **every Saturday, one hour prior to the Mincha Service.** This is a great opportunity to become more involved in "Living Judaism" and your congregation. Times of study are listed on the calendar in each issue of *Kolenu*. If you would like to lead a Torah discussion or for more information, call Michelle at 745-5550, ext. 225.

Family Shabbat Service & Dinner

Please join us for our Family Shabbat celebration at 5:45pm on **Fridays, May 20 (see page 7) and June 17.** This interactive and upbeat Shabbat service incorporates fun-spirited melodies and family-themed activities, followed by Shabbat dinner and Open Lounge in the Youth Center with games and fun. Dinner is \$25 per family (two adults & up to four children) and/or adults (13+) \$10 per person. Reservations are needed the Monday before. Visit www.caiaz.org or call Kim at 745-5550, ext. 224.

OUR NEW MEMBERS

Please warmly

Welcome

Elena & Valery Temyanko
and their children, Sonia, Lora & Sveta

Summer Shul

Picture yourself here!



For several weeks each summer, we move our **9:00am Saturday service** from the sanctuary to enable us to set a different mood. We will set up Rabbi Breger Hall as a Sanctuary: the chairs will be placed in the pattern of a horseshoe (concentric semi-circles) around a Reader's Stand, and the *Aron Kodesh* is placed against the Eastern Wall. This enables us to see and hear each other during the course of the service ... and to find our worship strengthened by our sense of togetherness. Please plan to join us **June 18 through August 6** ... beat the heat and stay cool in *shul*!

Interfaith Families Warmly Welcomed



Congregation Anshei Israel welcomes all who seek the spiritual comfort found within our sacred community.

We warmly welcome interfaith

families and encourage them to participate in as much synagogue life as they choose within the framework of Conservative Judaism.

For more information, pick up a brochure at the Shalom Cart or at the front desk in the administrative office. It is also accessible at www.caiaz.org/resources as part of CAI's "Myths vs. Facts" program.

KNOW SOMEONE NEW TO TUCSON?

If you know someone new to the Tucson community who you believe would be interested in finding out about CAI, please call Barb Gould at 745-5550, ext. 242, so we can speak to them about all of the many religious, spiritual, educational and communal opportunities the synagogue has to offer!

SHAVUOT: THE FORGOTTEN HOLIDAY

The Shavuot Festival, otherwise known as Pentecost (50th day) or Feast of Weeks, was celebrated primarily as a thanksgiving for the wheat harvest; it falls seven weeks after the barley harvest, when an Omer of the new produce was offered. The Torah refers to Shavuot as Hag Ha-Katsir (The Feast of the Harvest) and Yom Ha-Bikkurim (The Day of First Fruits), observed by offerings of the best ripe produce of the fields (Exodus 23:16; Numbers 28:26).

In the course of time, and as a result of the transformation of the agricultural festivals into historical commemorations, the additional significance of Shavuot as the festival of the Giving of the Torah (Z'man Matan Torateynu) at Mount Sinai completely overshadowed its original significance. Though the Bible does not identify Shavuot with the anniversary of the giving of the Ten Commandments, the tradition, undisputed in the Talmud, has been that the Torah was given on the sixth day of Sivan.

Shavuot is called Atzeret in the Mishnah and the Talmud, in the sense that it serves as a concluding festival to *Pesah*. In the observances of *Shavuot*, the historical as well as the agricultural aspects are reflected. The Decalogue is read in the synagogue on the first day. The first night of the festival is often spent in reading an anthology of sacred writings called *Tikkun Leil Shavuot*. The Book of Ruth is read for its description of a summer harvest in Israel. Milk dishes are the customary foods, symbolizing the Torah which is likened to milk, according to the allegorical interpretation of the Song of Songs, "honey and milk are under your tongue."

— Adapted from *A Book of Jewish Concepts* by Phillip Birnbaum

This year Shavuot begins at sundown on June 11 and continues through sundown on June 13.

SHAVUOT SERVICES:

Erev Shavuot, Saturday, June 11

Ma'ariv/ Shavuot Service 8:00pm

Shavuot I, Sunday, June 12

Shavuot Service 9:00am

Mincha & Evening Service for Second Day 5:30pm

Shavuot II, Monday, June 13

Shavuot Service/Yizkor 9:00am

Mincha & Ma'ariv 7:55pm

TIKKUN LEIL SHAVUOT:

A Guide to the Evening of Shavuot

Saturday, June 11

8:00pm

**Includes: Service, dinner,
study sessions, dessert &
reading of the Book of Ruth
~ \$8 per person**



See page 7 for more information.



Daily Minyan Services & “Jewry” Duty

Our Minyan is expected to be there when someone needs to say *Kaddish*. We hope you will consider being there for others, as there are occasions when it is difficult to get a *Minyan*. Along with your “Jewry Duty,” we ask that you consider committing to being part of the *Minyan* at least one morning or afternoon per month on a regular basis. Service times are on the calendar in each newsletter and on the synagogue’s web site, www.caiaz.org. Shown below is a combined list of Minyan attendees and those fulfilling their “Jewry” Duty during February and March 2016. *Todah rabah!*

Dorit Adler	Sallie & Mort Kranitz	Marsha & Bob Rosenblum
Austin Agron	Philip Lapin	Sara Ross
Murray Baker	Natalie Leonard	Patti Salonic
Mo Barkan	Sheryl & Mark Levine	Ron Sandler
David Ben-Asher	Barbara Levkowitz	Leonard Schultz
Barbara Brodie	Susan Levy	Trudy & Howard Schwartz
Barbara Burstein	Faylene Licter	Steve Seltzer
Kevin Chess	Ziva Mason	Molly Shenitzer
Bob Cohen	Levi Mendel	Steve Shenitzer
Arlene Epstein	Michael Mendel	Mike Schoenhals
L. Elliott Farber	Pam & Stuart Mendel	Evelyn Sigafus
Eric Flank	Arnold Merin	Linda Silverman
Simon Fried	Lois Bodin & Herb Meshel	Steve Sim
Rayna & John Gellman	Marleen Miller	Steve Singer
Marvin Glassberg	Victoria Newman	Karen & Howard Skolnik
Allen Gordon	Nancy & Tidi Ozeri	Moshe Toister
Linda Gorsky	Jonah Parnaby	Melissa Truelove
Margo & Ron Gray	Ori Parnaby	Art Weinenger
Marty Johnston	Bea Paulus	Carl Weinstein
Dan Jurkowitz	Stuart Pinkert	Joanne Wolf
Rosie Eilat-Kahn	Daniel Polan	Robert Wolk
Steve Ketchel	David Polan	Arthur Zoref
Jane Klein	Jane Poliakoff	
Neil Kleinman	Evonne & Alan Ravitz	

THE MITZVAH OF BIKUR HOLIM

Federal healthcare privacy regulations make it difficult for us to know when a member of CAI has been admitted to a hospital. Become a partner in the mitzvah of Bikur Holim — visiting the sick — by advising our clergy when you, a relative, or a friend is hospitalized. We can stay informed ONLY if a family member or friend provides the information to us.

PLEASE CALL 745-5550 to speak with:

Rabbi Robert Eisen, ext. 230 or

Clergy Assistant Michelle Ollanik, ext. 225



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Thank you to our “Yad Squad”

*(Those who read Torah and Haftarah in
February and March 2016)*

Malka Abraham
Joshua Anbar
Mordechai Bronner
Nichole Chorny
Katya Cohen
Jennifer Dorfman
Jacob Fredman
Sam Goldfinger
Margo Gray
Marshall Heyman
Liora Jacobs
Michael Jacobson
Lisa Jurkowitz
Hannah Lehrfeld
Natalie Leonard
Scott Lewis
Ziva Mason
Jonah Parnaby
Noah Pensak
Joy Peskin
Phillip Pepper
Andy Reeves
Helen Rib
Elana-Beth Rosen
Laci Mae Rosen
Donna Saffioti
Eric Saffioti
Heidi Saxton
Steve Seltzer
Alan Strauss
Moshe Toister
Eliana Tolby
Leah Tolby
Arthur Zoref

WE CONGRATULATE THESE
CONGREGATION ANSHEI ISRAEL MEMBERS
TO BE HONORED BY
THE JEWISH FEDERATION OF SOUTHERN ARIZONA
AT THEIR ANNUAL MEETING ON MAY 11.

SARAH SINGER
Young Woman of the Year Award

AVI ERBST
HEDY FEUER
TRACY JECK
Meritorious Service Award



From the President

So there I was, sitting in my second CAI meeting of the day (with one to go, "Oy!"), dealing with the conundrum "du jour," when I remembered my scheduled interview with a B'nai Mitzvah student that evening. The conundrum dissolved, the next meeting flew by, and in the blink of an eye, I was poised before my computer and ringing up the interviewee.

I'm never quite sure what to expect when I hear the "hu-lo" on the other end of the phone. I'm certain each student is a little leery of me (for good reason, I presume), so it usually takes a little warm-up banter to get them comfortable before I plunge into my questions. They always give me something fun to work with. As an example: When we talk about their favorite music and they go on about "Post-Grunge Rock" and I'm trying to be cool (which is next to impossible for me) by not mentioning that I don't have a clue whether they are speaking of a genre, a song or an artist, I, without missing a beat, exclaim "Really?" or "No kidding!" (as though my earpods are, at that moment, pounding out that very sound) and they usually give me a little more information so I can solve the mystery. Anyway, suffice it to say that it is a real treat to speak with these bright and energetic young people ... which leads me to the real point of my article.

Here's something that is really right with CAI: We've had (with more to come) an extraordinary group of B'nai Mitzvah kids this year and as importantly, we have an incredible group of teachers led by our Cantorial Soloist Nichole Chorny. The teachers include Josh Anbar, Natalie Leonard, Liora Olesen, Hannah Peskin-Owens, Noah Pensak and Lily Selznick, all of whom share in training our youngsters in Torah and Haftarah trope, tefillah melodies and in general, pulpit presence. These skilled instructors are able to clearly understand the students' strengths and contour their learning experience to produce a meaningful culmination for each on the day they become Bar or Bat Mitzvah. Rabbi Eisen ties it all together by providing guidance in composing their Haftarah D'var and message to the congregation, along with his always-poignant charge. Isn't this what it's all about?

Finally, I am most pleased to advise the congregation that the Board of Trustees has extended the employment agreement for five years with our Cantorial Soloist Nichole Chorny.

See you in Shul! *B'Shalom,*

Phillip Pepper, Board President
906-9122, pcpepper@pepperviner.com

LIKE TO VOLUNTEER?

Volunteers and all that they offer are always welcome to help with a variety of ongoing projects. From serving on committees, participating in social action, helping in religious services, working in the Gift Shop and more, there is something for everyone. We can always use your help!

For more information about volunteering at CAI, please call Barb Gould at 745-5550, ext. 242, or pick up a Volunteer form at the front desk in the administrative office or at the Shalom Cart outside the sanctuary. Thanks!



Thank you to all those who contributed to the 2016 "Matza & More" Passover Food Drive to benefit families and individuals in need.



Looking for Host Families to share the warmth of Tucson with an Israeli teen



Beginning this summer, CAI is working with the Weintraub Israel Center and a number of other Tucson congregations and agencies to host Israeli

teens. These teens (there will be two) are Israeli high school graduates who are voluntarily giving one year of pre-army service, known in Israel as a Service Year. These Shlichim are entirely devoted towards volunteer work, and with spreading their love, insights, and passion for the State of Israel.

Would you like to host an Israeli teen in your home? Each of the Shlichim will be hosted by different families, each for a 3 to 4 month period. During that time - though the teens will have very busy schedules - the host families would be responsible for providing food, shelter and a little love, inviting them to become part of your family.

If you are interested in hearing and learning more about what is to be a host family for a shishinim, please contact Rabbi Robert Eisen at 745-5550, ext. 230 or Oshrat Barel, obarel@jfsa.org at the Weintraub Israel Center and we will invite you to an informational meeting.

SAVE THE DATE!

BLOOD DONOR DRIVE



American Red Cross

Sunday, July 31
9am - 2pm
Cantor Falkow Lounge

For more information, contact Margo Gray at 298-8831 or ronpsych@yahoo.com
Eligibility questions? Call American Red Cross 1-800-733-2767.

C A T C H I N G U P . . .

“Purim Palooza” • Mar. 23



“Matza Machine” • Apr. 12



7th & 8th Grade Gesher (Bridging) Ceremony • Apr. 16



(l. to r.) Rabbi Robert Eisen, teacher Tess Terry, David Jurkowitz, Edie Cotton & Cantorial Soloist Nichole Chorny

Don't miss CAI's 85th Annual Meeting & Awards Celebration

"al-OY-ha"



**Monday,
May 16
6pm**

**See
insert
for more
information!**



Lag B'Omer

**BBQ Party & Concert
Wednesday, May 25,
6:00pm**

In honor of Israel's 68th anniversary, join us for BBQ dinner, board games, and a concert featuring CAI's Adult Choir directed by Cantorial Soloist Nichole Chorny. \$6.80pp. RSVP by May 23 to Kim at 745-5550, ext. 224 or visit www.caiaz.org

SUMMER CAMP



for all kids 2- to 6-years-old
starts May 31



**Family Shabbat
Israel Night**

Friday, May 20

service 5:45pm

dinner 7:00pm

Share an interactive and upbeat Shabbat celebration for families, followed by an Israeli-style dinner, Israeli dancing and an Israeli trivia bowl. Join us and make friends, build community, learn about Judaism, and have fun!

\$25 per family (two adults & up to 4 children); adults (13+) \$10 per person. RSVP by May 16 to Kim at 745-5550, ext. 224 or visit www.caiaz.org

TIKKUN LEIL SHAVUOT

~ A guide to the evening of Shavuot ~

Join us for this annual program to observe the celebration of the anniversary of the day Moses received the Ten Commandments from God.

**Saturday,
June 11 • 8pm**

- 8:00pm Service
- 8:15pm Dairy dinner
- 8:45pm Study Session 1: Rabbi Robert Eisen will present "Megillat Ruth: The Character of the Characters"
- 9:40pm Study Session 2: Rabbi Ruven Barkan will present "Is the Torah True? What Happened at Sinai?"
- 10:30pm Dessert
- 11:00pm Reading of the Book of Ruth



**Please RSVP by June 8.
Visit www.caiaz.org
or call 745-5550**

\$8pp to attend dinner; no charge for service, study sessions & dessert. RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND ANY PORTION OF TIKKUN LEIL SHAVUOT.

save the dates!

**SUMMER FILM SERIES
SUNDAYS AT 7PM
JULY 10 - AUGUST 7**

- July 10 Fiddler on the Roof
- July 17 Marjorie Morningstar
- July 24 The Dybbuk
- July 31 The Jazz Singer
- August 7 The Pawnbroker



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AFFILIATE / SOCIAL GROUPS



Women's League

Open Mah Jongg play continues on **Mondays, 10:00am to 12:00noon (not held May 30 or June 13)**. All

levels of experience are welcome, and

we encourage men to come play as well. It's fun and great socializing.

The **"Women's Study Group"** continues **Mondays, May 2 and June 6 at 12noon** using *The Five Books of Miriam: A Woman's Commentary on the Torah* as the core for discussions led by Rabbi Robert Eisen. The topics are always interesting and the discussion is stimulating and educational. Portions are in the administrative office or at www.caiaz.org/events-calendar/. Click on "Study Materials" for each date listed above and print. No charge to attend. Bring your own dairy lunch; beverages and dessert are provided.

"Gentle Chair Yoga" classes continue on **Wednesdays, 9:30 – 10:30am**. Increased balance, strength and flexibility in a supportive group setting is the focus. Meditation and deep relaxation at the end of each class leaves participants with positive healing energy and uplifted spirits. Dress comfortably. Members of Women's League: \$6 per class; non-members \$8 per class.

Have you seen the term **"SWEET"** lunch? Wonder what it means? We gather for friendship – "sassy women eating elegantly together." If you are a woman, come join us; we hold the lunches every couple of months. Watch your email for our next date.

Women's League continues to sponsor, under the leadership of Vicki Kaufman and Rayna Gellman, our **"Read It & Meet"** book discussion group which shares books based on either Jewish content or those by Jewish authors (see column right).

For more information about any Women's League class or event and how YOU can help it to thrive, contact Evelyn at 885-4102 or esigafus@aol.com



Celebrate the happy events and people who touch our lives. Share your family's *simcha* with a leaf or stone on our **TREE OF LIFE** to make a permanent dedication. CAI's Tree of Life is located in the hall between the Epstein Chapel and the Linda Roy Youth Center.

To place your order, call 745-5550.



Men's Club
of Congregation Anshei Israel

Men's Club

Thank you to all those who helped with the preparation of the Yom Hashoah Yellow

Candles mailing. Your assistance made this important project go much more quickly this year.

Please join us on **Sunday, May 8 at 9:30am** in the Cantor Falkow Lounge for our last **Breakfast Meeting** of the year. Come for the fellowship, come for the food. We put out a pretty good spread and you never know whom you'll meet!

Should you have any questions about Men's Club, want to help, or want to join, please contact Lew Crane at 400-9930 or catsfan1997@cox.net



"Read It & Meet"

"Read It and Meet" will return in the fall, but in the meantime and over the summer, we have selected some books for you to read ahead:

- *Ally: My Journey Across the American-Israeli Divide* by Michael B. Oren
- *Orphan #8* by Kim Van Alkemade
- *In the Unlikely Event* by Judy Blume
- *The Best Place on Earth* by Ayelet Tsabari

At each "RIM," selected books by Jewish authors or with Jewish content are discussed. Most discussions take place on Shabbat (approx. noon) in the Epstein Chapel; moderators facilitate each discussion and everyone is welcome!

For more information, contact Vicki Kaufman at vickauff@juno.com or Rayna Gellman at 887-8358.



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Rachel Sydney Rudner May 7

Rachel is the daughter of Monica & Eric Rudner; the granddaughter of Sara Mirta & Alberto Bien-Willner, and Gail & Calman Rudner; the great-granddaughter of Lidia

Chomer & Florence Liebeskind; and sister to Ryan. Rachel's Bat Mitzvah project involves volunteering at Handmaker and selling snacks for the CAI youth in memory of Linda Roy. A student at Esperero Canyon Middle School, Rachel's interests include dance, sports, Camp Ramah & time with family and friends.



Alexa Leah Dorf May 14

Alexa is the daughter of Rachel & Rick Dorf; the granddaughter of Becki & Richard Fink, and Judy & Michael Dorf; and sister to Avery. Alexa's Bat Mitzvah project involves

volunteering at Handmaker. A student at Esperero Canyon Middle School, Alexa's interests include dancing, hanging out with friends and vacations.



Sarah Kay & Caden Aaron Lonabaugh June 4

Sarah & Caden are the children of Golleet & Craig Lonabaugh; the grandchildren of Sarah & Donald Persellin, and Dawna

Kay Edwards & Charles Lonabaugh; and siblings to Samuel. Sarah's Bat Mitzvah project involves TAKE STEPS for Crohn's fundraiser; Caden's Bar Mitzvah project involves raising money and awareness for leukemia and lymphoma. Students at Dodge Magnet Middle School, their interests include reading, gaming and soccer.

Preschool/Kindergarten

What a wonderful Purim celebration we had in the school! So many creative costumes, so much fun, and of course, Rabbi Eisen was a huge hit as a "minion" (see photos below).

The last Parent Action Committee (PAC) meeting of the year will be on Wednesday, May 4. Thank you to Debra Lytle, for two years of service, and to Valorie Douglas. Incoming chairs are Lori Jacobs and Ronit Stern. We are so grateful for everyone's dedication and devotion to our children.

Our **Closing Program and Graduation** will be held on **Thursday, May 19 at 11:00am** in the Sanctuary. Even if you don't have a child in the school, please stop by to see the children as they perform, receive their diplomas and take the next step in their young lives. It is a sight to see!

Summer Camp for Kids begins May 31 and runs weekly through July 22. Sure to be another summer full of fun, friends, activities, and squealing(!), it is always a great time for the children. More information/registration forms are available in the education office, on the Shalom Cart and on the synagogue website, www.caiaz.org

As always, feel free to contact me at 745-5550, ext. 229 or lynne@caiaz.org

Lynne Falkow-Strauss, P/K Director



"Minion" (Rabbi Robert Eisen) amused the kids at the Purim celebration.



Super heroes were in abundance... (l. to r.) Benny, Nora & Adina



Fairies and princesses and butterflies... oh my. (l. to r.) Jacqui, Abby & Elliya

A baby elephant and moms (l. to r.), Stephanie Hoffman, Lori Jacobs & Tracy Jeck.

Birth Announcements

This column features children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of CAI members. The announcement and photo (if available) will appear in the issue of Kolenu within appropriate print dates. Please notify Michelle at 745-5550, ext. 225.

Beckett Mitchell Clark

Born March 16

Beckett is the son of Carrie Gottschalk & Zachary Clark.

Edward Charles Fazekas III

Born March 17

Edward is the great-grandson of Gail & Ron Isaacs.



Mazel Tov!

Engagements

Elizabeth Bartlett

daughter of Jan Wezelman & David Bartlett
granddaughter of Mary Wezelman
to Adam Beytin

Gabrielle Kirk

granddaughter of Enid & Wynn Freedman
to Joseph Bennett

Zachary Sanfield

grandson of Phyllis & Merrill Broad
to Devora Pleeter

Weddings

Nate Feder

grandson of Fern & Ed Feder
to Stephanie Felix

Dawn Moriarty

to Leonard Steinberg

Recognition

Miriam & Athol Cline

recently honored as the Community Food Bank's "Volunteers of the Month"

Dan Jurkowitz

recently named president of
the Pima Bar Association

Bobby Present

recently selected as the "MENTor of the Year"
by the JFSA

Madysen Zarin

recently honored as the recipient of the
Bryna Zehngut Mitzvot Award from the
JFSA Women's Philanthropy

May Anniversaries

Date	Years
2 Julie & Joseph Aday	8
Rachel & Eric Dorf	17
5 Ann & Howard Sloane	27
6 Robyn & David Emmerson	12
7 Barbara & Gerald Goldberg	38
10 Carol & Alexander Sears	12
12 Valentina & David Rubinstein	55
13 Lisa Ungar & Robert Fridrich	20
14 Abigail & Noah Tolby	21
15 Melissa & Justin Cotton	7
Melissa Solyn & Scott Lieberman	17
20 Mary & Walter Marcus	43
21 Gail & Calman Rudner	44
22 Ricki Weinstein-Wolf & Jerry Wolf	17
23 Eve & Stuart Pinkert	23
Anne & Herman Stein	52
24 Joyce & Michael Smith	36
25 Emily & Adam Lazarus	13
26 Deborah Oseran & Bobby Present	25
Kimberly & Eric Spitzer	25
27 Debbie & Bruce Frent	32
28 Michael & Randi Levin	11
Monica & Eric Rudner	16
29 Phyllis & Burt Becker	50
Emily & Max Ellentuck	11
Marta & Steven Ketchel	44
Benita Silvyn & Charles Whitehill	21
30 Sarah & Keith Singer	6
31 Anna Schwartz-Warmbrand & Matthew Bautista	13
Gabby & Avi Erbst	6
Naomi & Stephen Spitzer	52

We wish to thank everyone for
the cards, gifts and donations in
honor of the birth of our son.
We are happy to be a part of such
a supportive and loving
congregational family.

— Nichole, Joel, Tzipora &
Gideon Chorny

June Anniversaries

Date	Years
1 Marcy & Jacob Friedman	9
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