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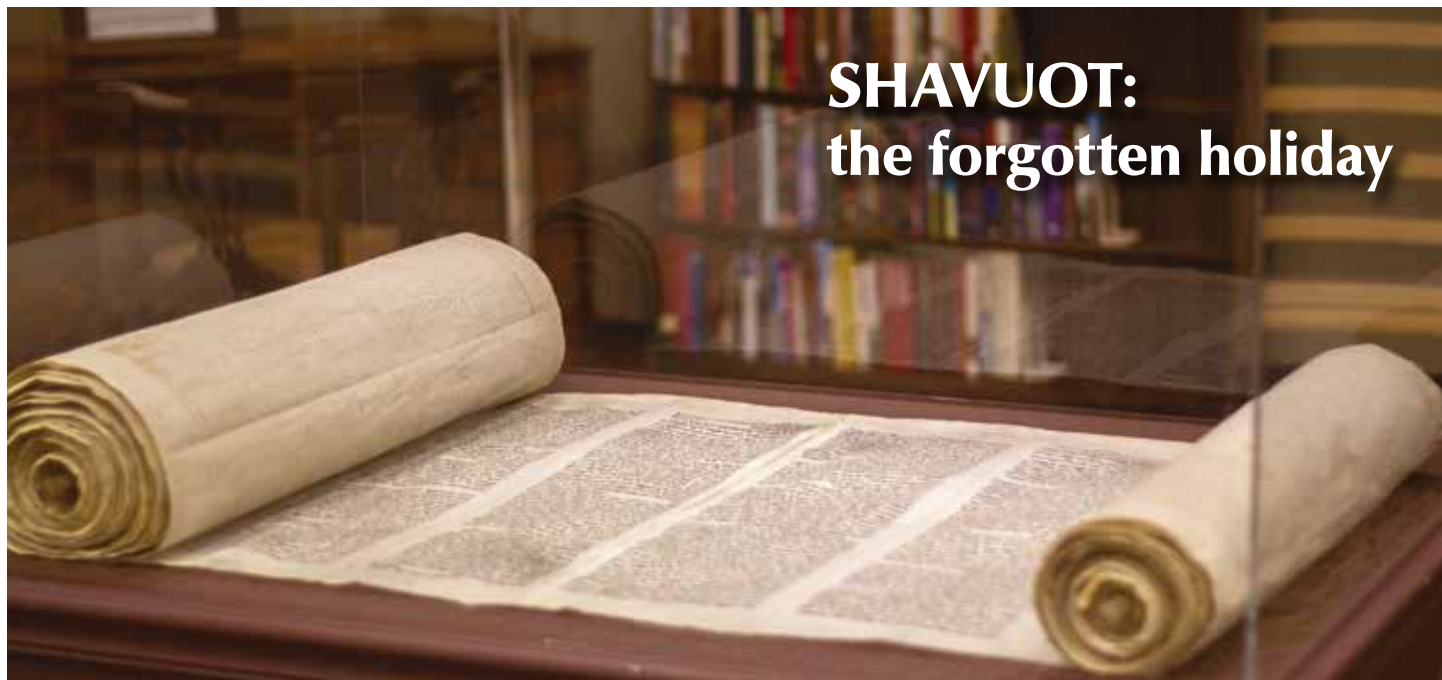


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The Newsletter for Congregation Anshei Israel

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Congregation Anshei Israel shall serve as a source of spiritual, educational, and social enrichment in order to encourage and ensure Judaic values in accordance with the Principles of Conservative Judaism.

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Shalom!



As the production on this Kolenu is happening, we are still social distancing, coming up with new online engagement opportunities and continuing to remain spiritually close. The COVID-19 pandemic has flipped all of our lives upside down. However, our Jewish traditions provide many insights into how we should respond. "Save a single life, and it is as if you have saved an entire world" and thus, we became a virtual congregation. Our number one goal as a congregation is to ensure the connection of community and Judaism in everyone's lives on a day-to-day basis, regardless of our ability to gather in-person. Please continue to check our website caiaz.org which we keep up-to-date with all of our online and (when we are able to gather) in-person events, and subscribe to receive our email updates if you are not already on our list.

We continue to have limited office hours, 8am-3pm Monday-Friday. Most matters can be addressed over the phone or online. In order to keep the staff and our community safe, we are not allowing visitors to enter the building. If you need to come by to drop off or pick up something, the front desk staff will speak to you over the intercom and we have a table set-up in our Administrative Foyer where you can safely drop off or pick up items. We continue to be able to provide food assistance to our members in need with these safety protocols in place.

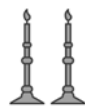
A big TODAH RABAH to the Board of Trustees, Clergy, Staff and a group of dedicated volunteers who have been calling and reaching out to every member of our congregation on an on-going basis. WE ARE HERE FOR YOU! We will continue to offer many virtual opportunities for us to be together online and we will let you know as soon as we are able to reopen the building and what guidelines will be in place to ensure the health of everyone.

Wishing continued health and safety to all,

Debra Lytle, Executive Director
ExecDir@caiaz.org

Online Weekday Torah Study Group

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



Candle Lighting Times - May/June 2020

May 1	6:47pm
May 8	6:52pm
May 15	6:57pm
May 22	7:02pm
May 28 (Erev Shavu'ot I)	7:05pm
May 29 (Erev Shavu'ot II)	7:06pm

Online Tot Shabbat Service

For families with young children, please join Rabbi Robert Eisen and Cantorial Soloist Nichole Chorny for a special Tot Shabbat Service with stories and songs **the first Friday of most months at 5:00pm** currently on Zoom (**May 1 and June 5**). Check your email for details.

June 5	7:10pm
June 12	7:13pm
June 19	7:15pm
June 26	7:16pm

Due to the cancellation of all in-person events and activities, there are no calendar inserts in this edition of Kolenu. Please visit our website caiaz.org for up-to-date information.

Shalom!

Please warmly

Welcome

our
rejoined
members:



Elana-Beth Rosen and daughter Laci

Reminder: June is Membership Renewal Month

We are all trying our best to deal with uncharted and very challenging times. CAI has myriad ways to connect with us during these times as you have seen throughout the Kolenu. But even as we work through enormous present challenges, all of us, including CAI, must also continue to plan for the future. Our new fiscal year begins July 1, 2020. We are anticipating a great year when we celebrate being once again able to gather together in person and during which we get to know Rabbi Sara Metz.

We thank all our wonderful members who enable everything we do, and want to remind you to look out for membership renewal materials in your mail.

Thanks again for your continued commitment to and support of Congregation Anshei Israel!

Your generosity assures that no one is ever turned away from our congregation due to an inability to pay.

IMPORTANT POLICY REMINDER

To receive High Holy Days tickets, your account with CAI must be current and a minimum of 25% of your 2020-21 membership commitment and MOMA (Mortgage & Maintenance) paid.

Being current means that all past charges are paid in full or set up on a payment plan.

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 Debra Lytle 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!

What Is Lag B'Omer?

This minor holiday is known for bonfires, weddings and haircuts.

Lag B'Omer is a minor holiday that occurs on the 33rd day of the Omer, the 49-day period between Passover and Shavuot. A break from the semi-mourning of the Omer, key aspects of Lag B'Omer include holding Jewish weddings (it's the one day during the Omer when Jewish law permits them), lighting bonfires and getting haircuts.

There are a few explanations why we celebrate Lag B'Omer, but none is definitive.

The Omer is a time of semi-mourning, when weddings and other celebrations are forbidden, and as a sign of grief, observant Jews do not cut their hair. The most often cited explanation for the Jewish practice comes from the Talmud, which tells us that during this season a plague killed thousands of Rabbi Akiva's students because they did not treat one another respectfully. The mourning behavior is presumable in memory of those students and their severe punishment.

According to a medieval tradition, the plague ceased on Lag B'Omer, the 33rd day of the Omer. (The Hebrew letters lamed and gimel which make up the acronym "Lag" have the combined numerical value of 33.) As a result, Lag B'Omer became a happy day, interrupting the sadness of the Omer period for 24 hours.

A completely different reason for the holiday concerns one of Rabbi Akiva's few disciples who survived the Bar Kochba revolt, Rabbi Simeon bar Yohai. He is said to have died on Lag B'Omer. Tradition ascribes to him the Zohar, the key work of the Kabbalah. And in Israel, on Lag B'Omer, people flock to the site of his tomb in the village of Meron in the Galilee, near Safed, where they light bonfires and sing kabbalistic hymns. Hasidic Jews follow the custom of bringing their 3-year-old sons to Meron to have their hair cut for the first time. (The custom of not cutting the child's hair until his third birthday, when it is done in a ceremony called an upsheren, is probably an extension of the law that forbids picking the fruits of a newly planted tree during its first three years.)

Kabbalists also give a mystical interpretation to the Omer period as a time of spiritual cleansing and preparation for receiving the Torah on Shavuot. The days and weeks of counting, they say, represent various combinations of the sefirot, the divine emanations, whose contemplation ultimately leads to purity of mind and soul. The somberness of this period reflects the seriousness of its spiritual pursuits.

Finally, on yet another tack, some authorities attribute the joy of Lag B'Omer to the belief that the manna that fed the Israelites in the desert first appeared on the 18th of Iyar.

Though its origins are uncertain, Lag B'Omer has become a minor holiday. Children picnic and play outdoors with bows and arrows — a possible reminder of the war battles of Akiva's students — and in Israel plant trees. It is customary to light bonfires, to symbolize the light Simeon bar Yohai brought into the world. And every year numerous couples wed at this happy time.

From: <https://www.myjewishlearning.com>



This year Lag B'Omer falls on May 11-12.

Passover Food Boxes

During the Passover holiday, for our congregants in need, we provided Passover food boxes that they could pick up or we could deliver as needed. Each box included grape juice, coffee, tea, tuna, hard boiled eggs, blintzes, macaroons, marble cakes, tam tams, matzah & apples. The boxes even included heating instructions!



Mending Souls Face Masks

Help our first responders and health care providers stay healthy by making medical grade masks! (Sewing machine required.)

We are proud to partner with Mending Souls who will be in the west parking lot of CAI every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from noon until 1pm handing out supplies, templates and instructions so you can join them in making and distributing this PPE (Personal Protection Equipment) to those who need it most. More information can be found at LoveMendingSouls.org.

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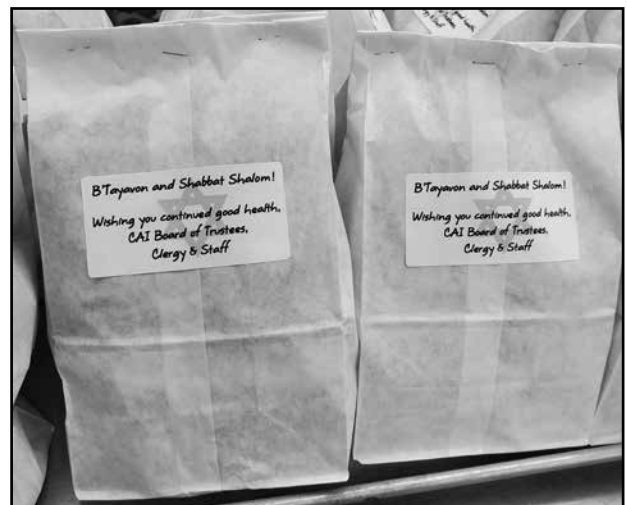


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B'Tayavon Food Bags



At Congregation Anshei Israel, we're a family and we take care of each other. That's why we've put together food bags for our members in need. If you or another member of our congregation needs a helping hand (or bag) for Shabbat, stop by for pick-up during our modified office hours 8am-3pm Monday-Friday.

FROM THE PRESIDENT



We are currently in the midst of unprecedented times. Items of seeming great importance a few weeks ago have been downgraded to the trivial and we are left watching numbers scroll across the television screen. Unfortunately, our *kehillah* has been relegated to an online community and we are doing what we can in this environment. I hope that everyone has had an opportunity to attend one of our Mincha Moments, services or

classes, and thank you to Rabbi and Nichole for facilitating these important connections. Behind the scenes, Debra and our administrative and maintenance staff have been busy making sure life goes on for the synagogue. Our teachers are still engaged with our students online and our Board, committees and volunteers are still hard at work. As soon as the restrictions are lifted, we hope to return to full operations as soon as possible.

Prior to our physical closure, we did have the opportunity to complete our rabbinic search process. Thank you to everyone who attended a meeting or service, either in-person or online, with our rabbinic candidates and who provided feedback. It was a long and involved process and our Task Force chairs and members deserve a round of applause for a job well done. At the end of the day, the feedback from congregants was that Rabbi Sara Metz would be the best fit for the synagogue going forward. The Task Force reviewed all of the data and made a recommendation to the Board. The Board accepted that recommendation and made an offer, and Rabbi Metz has accepted. We are so excited that Rabbi Metz and her family will be able to join us in the desert this summer. Hopefully, they will bring a little rain from back East with them.

With this arrival, we must also say goodbye. Unfortunately, the Rabbi Eisen recognition event had to be postponed. We hope to get that rescheduled in the near future. However, the Rabbi Robert J. Eisen Beit Midrash looks great and we cannot wait to dedicate this new space for Jewish learning in our synagogue. In the meantime, I hope you have had a chance to reach out to Rabbi and Debby over email, Facebook, or even snail mail to wish them well and thank them for everything. Luckily, they are not going too far.

May Hashem watch over us and all our friends and loved ones, and bring us safely to the end of this trying period in our lives.

B'Shalom,

Dan Jurkowitz, president@caiaz.org



Women's League

Although the closure of the building due to Coronavirus/COVID-19 has directly impacted most activities here at CAI, there are still many congregants who need to purchase and stock up on Judaica, books, candles and other gifts for friends

and family. To meet these needs, our Women's League volunteers are still hard at work corresponding with customers, picking out purchases and delivering them to buyers in the synagogue parking lot.

Todah rabah to Marianne Langer and the Women's League for heading up these heroic efforts to support our Education programs. You can reach Marianne at 349-3347 or marilang@comcast.net.

The monthly Women's League Study Group will be held online via Zoom at noon, Monday, May 4. Rabbi Eisen leads the study group using *Pirkei Imahot: The Wisdom of Mothers, The Voices of Women* as the core for discussion. Each month we explore the depth of their teaching with an eye to seeing how we might apply their lessons to our lives. Please check your email for details.

~ Hesed Committee ~

Welcome to the Hesed Committee, the largest committee at Congregation Anshei Israel. Did you know that you are a member of this committee? Every congregant is a member. Hesed means lovingkindness, grace, helping each other. We exist to help in times of need.



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Please feel free to contact me.

Evelyn Sigafus

Hesed Committee Chair
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Fred Hirsh
Michael Jacobson
Dan Jurkowitz
Michael Jurkowitz
Susan Kirschner
Amy Miltenberger
Rina Paz
Jessica Priester
Irwin Weinberg

And thanks to your generosity,
we collected:

- 139 boxes of mac & cheese
- 1 bag of rice
- 1 bag of beans and
- \$317

for the Community Food Bank.

TODAH RABAH!

WE CELEBRATED PURIM IN A GALAXY CLOSE TO HOME!



COMING UP...

Please plan to join us online
for
Congregation Anshei Israel's
**89th
Annual Meeting**
Monday, May 18, 2020
6:00pm • Online via Zoom

The Governance Committee is responsible for conducting an annual review of the bylaws and suggesting changes as appropriate, updating bylaws and resolving questions about them as required, reviewing all petitions to amend bylaws, reviewing general Board, Synagogue Life Council and committee operating rules, and maintaining and updating Board policies as appropriate. They also assess the leadership needs of committees and Board and create a slate of Officers and Board members.

This year's reelection of Board members has been shared in the 89th Annual Meeting email.

This meeting will include:

- Board of Trustee reports
- Re-election of the Board of Trustees
- Celebration of the year in review
- Task Force for Strategic Development and Rabbinic Transition updates

CAI's Governance Committee:

Monica Rudner, Chair	Rachel Green, alternate
Phil Bregman	David Jeck
Rachel Dorf	Paul Kahn
Richard Green	Stephanie Roberts



Join us on Zoom for
**Congregation Anshei Israel's
89th Annual Meeting**
6pm Monday, May 18

Please join us online for our
Shavuot Yizkor Memorial Service

Saturday, May 30, 2020 via Zoom
8:00pm Arizona Time

<https://zoom.us/j/95750475590>
Meeting ID: 957 5047 5590
Join by Telephone: +1 253 215 8782

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 May 28
and continues through sundown on May 30.***

Stay At Home Shavuot... Still Together At Sinai

Zoom Mini-Tikkun
Thursday May 28, • 7:00 pm

Plan to join us for all or part of the evening.

As we were all together at Sinai so many generations ago, so will we come together as one again.

7:00–7:30pm:

The First Commandment ... And Then Some
Rabbi Robert Eisen

7:30–8:00:

The 613th Commandment: Torah As Song
Cantorial Soloist Nichole Chorny

8:00–8:30:

Covid-19 and the Covenant: Who Needs Commandments?
Rabbi Ruven Barkan

8:30pm Reading of *Ruth* (Selections in English and Hebrew)

LET'S CONNECT ONLINE!

Times may vary. Please check our website caiaz.org for up-to-date details.

Join us on Zoom

Zoom Mini-Tikkun

Thursday May 28, • 7:00 pm

<https://zoom.us/j/86371484872>

Meeting ID: 863 7148 4872

Join by telephone:
(253) 215-8782

Weekly Torah Study via Zoom

Wednesdays, 11:00AM until noon

Bring your Bible and your desire to learn together.

<https://zoom.us/j/677495860>

Meeting ID: 677 495 860

Join by telephone
(253) 215-8782

Materials for Torah Study can be found at
caiaz.org/resources

Monthly Tot Shabbat via Zoom

5:00pm Friday, May 1

5:00pm Friday June 5

<https://zoom.us/j/543549705>

Meeting ID: 543 549 705

Join by Telephone
(253) 215-8782

A Casual Conversation via Zoom

7:00pm Sunday, May 3

<https://zoom.us/j/135507511>

Meeting ID: 135 507 511

Join by Telephone
(253) 215-8782

Monthly Women's League Study Group via Zoom

Noon, Monday, May 4

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<https://zoom.us/j/96886324455>

Meeting ID: 968 8632 4455

Join by Telephone
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facebook.com/congregationansheisrael

Mincha Moment

5:30pm Sunday-Thursdays

Kabbalat Shabbat

5:45pm Fridays

Havdallah

8:00pm Saturdays*

**Times vary. Check caiaz.org for times.*

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Preschool/Kindergarten



Little did we realize that when our students were parading and dancing around Rabbi Breger Hall in their cute costumes during the Purim parade that it was going to be their last big event here at school this year. No one could have ever imagined as the students sang "Nosh A Hamentash" and booed at Hamen's name that the school would be closing due to a worldwide pandemic. Who could have ever seen this coming?!!

Passover preparations should have been underway, the story of Moses, songs of frogs and Pharaoh, and a model Seder should have echoed through our hallways. Water day activities should have started being planned and rehearsals for our End of the Year Program would have begun.

It seems so surreal; there are all these things we're supposed to be doing with our students, but we're not in school to do them.

I will tell you what we have been doing in the midst of this pandemic; our teachers and staff have been working diligently to provide ongoing educational activities and social opportunities for their students and families who have been at home.

Our teachers have had to step out of their comfort zone, becoming new innovative out-of-the-box thinkers in order to stay engaged with their students in ways they never imagined. All of us have had to learn how to navigate through scheduling and joining online Zoom meetings for Shabbat music, P.E., class and staff meetings all so we can physically see each other and our students. Teachers have had to research new online resources, create take-home packets, sensory boxes, download and scan digital handouts, as well as FaceTime, email, and make personal phone calls just to stay connected with students and families during this difficult time.

I'm so incredibly proud of our teachers and staff for all of their hard work and dedication. Even under their own struggles with this crisis, they have shown their true passion, love and commitment to their students, families and to the preschool program, and I thank them from the bottom of my heart.

I also want to thank all of our preschool families and the Parent Action Committee, who have been so patient and supportive to our teachers and school through this crazy time. Our families are the reason we are here, and why we work so hard. Our families are so incredibly important and special to us, and we can't imagine our school without any of them.

Even though the future may be unclear at the moment, and we most likely may not be open for summer camp, the day we're allowed to open our school doors again will be a day like no other. It will be a day filled with laughter, love, joy and song, and it's a day that I look forward to being a part of very much.

I wish you all the best of health, and look forward to seeing everyone as soon as we possibly can.

Kimmie Spitzer, Early Childhood Director
745-5550, ext. 229 ECDirector@caiaz.org

B'Yahad Religious School / USY

Since the beginning of the Stay-at-Home order, B'Yahad has been in full session on Tuesdays and Sundays through video conferencing. We renamed the program for these times: *B'Yahad BaBayit*, Together at Home. Our Madrichim, Teen Leaders, continue to play a major role in the educational process during each session.



In our Passover unit, the students learned the skills and meaning to the different parts of the Seder, and told the Passover story through a video montage.



May 3 is our last day. We will have a Siyum/celebration of our learning from the year. Students will make a presentation for their parents, there will be a slide show, we will

give paper-plate awards to each student, and thank our Madrichim.

Far West USY continues to engage our teens online with lounges and a variety of programs. The teens created a Board Sweatshirt to remember the accomplishments of the year.

Rabbi Ruven Barkan, Education & Youth Director

745-5550, ext. 227 EdDir@caiaz.org



MAZAL TOV

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 the Exec. Assistant at 745-5550, ext. 225.

Stav Singer Hurvitz

Born February 21

Stav is the grandson of Shelley & Steven Singer, and nephew of Stacey & Zach Singer. (Parents: Emily & Yaron Hurvitz)

Tali Coco Shapiro

Born February 29

Tali is the great-granddaughter of Sandra Tobin. (Parents: Ronit & Phillip Shapiro)



Charles Jin-Teng Green

Born March 16

Charles is the grandson of Joan Auerbach Green & Richard Green. (Parents: Sophie Yang & Alexander Green)

Elonie Lehn

Born March 17

Elonie is the great-granddaughter of Alayne & Bruce Greenberg.

ENGAGEMENT

Gabrielle Einstein-Sim & Joshua Steinberg

Gabrielle is the daughter of Marilyn Einstein & Steve Sim. Joshua is the son of Pam & Mike Steinberg.

May Anniversaries

Date	Years
2 Rachel & Joel Black	6
Rachel & Eric Dorf	21
4 Marlene & William Hudson	40
5 Ann & Howard Sloane	31
6 Robyn & David Emmerson	16
7 Barbara & Gerald Goldberg	42
10 Carol & Alexander Sears	16
13 Lisa Ungar & Robert Fridrich	24
14 Abigail & Noah Tolby	25
20 Mary & Walter Marcus	47
21 Gail & Calman Rudner	48
22 Ricki Weinstein-Wolf & Jerry Wolf	21
23 Eve & Stuart Pinkert	27
Anne & Herman Stein	56
24 Joyce & Michael Smith	40
25 Emily & Adam Lazarus	17
26 Deborah Oseran & Bobby Present	29
Kimmie & Eric Spitzer	29
27 Debbie & Bruce Frent	36
28 Monica & Eric Rudner	20
29 Phyllis & Burt Becker	54
Marta & Steven Ketchel	48
Benita Silvyn & Charles Whitehill	25
31 Anna Schwartz-Warmbrand & Grady Bautista	17
Naomi & Stephen Spitzer	56

Interfaith Families Welcomed

CAI 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 access it at caiaz.org/resources as part of CAI's "Myths vs. Facts" program.

June Anniversaries

Date	Years
1 Marcy & Jacob Friedman	13
Amy & Ben Pozez	13
Marilyn Einstein & Steve Sim	40
2 Shelly & Edward Berger	36
Heidi & Wayne Brent	41
Lisa & Dan Jurkowitz	24
Annette & Alan Miklofsky	41
3 Tracy & David Jeck	13
5 Ruthie & Mark Friefeld	32
6 Brenda Frye & Sergey Cherkis	16
Sharon & Frederick Klein	49
Terry & Mark Yampolsky	27
7 Leah & Valiant Haller	11
8 Sandra & James Rothschild	52
10 Shawn & Aaron Hellman	36
11 Iris Bernstein & David Karp	25
14 Elayne & Jerry Feder	56
Jean & Marvin Glassberg	61
Enid & Mel Zuckerman	67
15 Laurie & Scott Weiss	34
16 Joan Auerbach Green & Richard Green	46
18 Aletha & David Kalish	49
Sarah & Don Persellin	57
Sue & Sonny Ross	53
19 Anne & Gerald Lapin	60
20 Nancy & Steven Auslander	38
Sara & Tom Borin	49
21 Nancy & Stuart Mellan	28
22 Nicole Yuan & Jerel Slaughter	17
23 Sally & Geoff Frankel	19
24 Julia & Robert Rawdin	42
Sharon & Richard Walton	41
25 Caren & Tom Newman	57
Bri & Joshua Tennenbaum	9
27 Alice & Paul Baker	55
Carol & Dan Karsch	55
28 Barbara & Mel Brodie	56
29 Amy & Robert Dierenfeld	34

Daily Minyan Services & "Jewry" Duty

Our Minyan is expected to be there when someone needs to say *Kaddish*, but there are times when it is difficult to get a *Minyan*. Along with your "Jewry Duty," please consider being part of the *Minyan* at least one morning or afternoon per month when we return to our normal in-person minyan. Shown below is a combined list of Minyan attendees and those fulfilling their "Jewry" Duty during February & March. *Todah rabah!*



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