

WORSHIP SERVICES

FRIDAY, APRIL 3 **Tzav** 8:00 P.M.

Rabbi Miller will speak on:
"The Meaning of Fire"

Candle Blessing: Meryl Harris & Marlene Chervin

SATURDAY, APRIL 4 11:00 A.M.

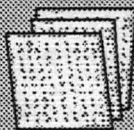
B'NAI MITZVAH OF BRANDON HARRIS & JASON CHERVIN

HAFTARAH /TORAH STUDY & MINYAN 9:30 A.M.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL TEFILLAH SER. 11:15 A.M.

IN CELEBRATION OF PASSOVER

Celebrate the wondrous holiday of Passover at Sedarim in your home with loved ones. Join us for our festival morning services together with your families and share in the celebration of our freedom from Egyptian slavery.



FRIDAY, APRIL 10

Pesach Sedarim at Home

SATURDAY, APRIL 11 10:00 A.M.

Pesach Morning Service

(The reading of the list of names for Yahrzeit
will occur on Shabbat morning)

FRIDAY, APRIL 17 10:00 A.M.

Final Pesach & Yizkor Morning Service

FRIDAY, APRIL 17 8:00 P.M.

Rabbi Gold will speak on:
"The Mirror"

SATURDAY, APRIL 18 10:00 A.M.

TORAH STUDY & MINYAN

FRIDAY, APRIL 24 8:00 P.M.

Shemini
Mary and Samuel Hamelsky Music Program
We welcome Cantor Robert Solomon as
our composer-in-residence who will present:
"Photo Album"

The Adult and Junior Choir will participate in music for services.
Babysitting is available during services - see inside.

Candle Blessing: Susan Millner

SATURDAY, APRIL 25 11:00 A.M.

BAT MITZVAH OF EMILY MILLNER

HAFTARAH/TORAH STUDY & MINYAN 9:30 A.M.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL TEFILLAH SER. 11:15 A.M.

Between Us . . .

We are blessed with a number of families who have devoted much of their lives to the Temple. In fact, we are very blessed because we have quite a few families who have given of themselves in so many ways to the Temple. That is why we established the Crown of Torah Award a few years back. It is our way of saying thank you to those who give so much to us.

This year is no exception. The Temple's leadership has selected a couple whose lives are synonymous with the Temple. I am pleased to tell you that they are **Ann Zar and Arthur Taub**. I am sure that you will agree with the selection.

Ann and Arthur have devoted almost all of their lives to the Temple. Ann grew up in our congregation, attended our religious school and has contributed to everything good in our Temple. Both she and Arthur have served on our Board of Trustees and Ann was elected to be one of few honorary life-time trustees.

I know that you all know this (although Ann prefers to keep it quiet in order to protect her around the High Holy Days), that Ann chairs our High Holy Day seating committee. Imagine seating, as she says, "over 1,500 tucheses" with class and dignity. And she does it year after year after year. Arthur, of course helps by serving as an usher.

There is hardly a Friday night when they are not at Temple. And whenever the grandchildren are in town they all come to Temple, too. And why not. It is a Taub tradition of long standing, taught to their children and being passed down to a new generation.

Now lest you think that they do nothing else, let me set the record straight. For many years they worked day and night at Taub Pharmacy on Route 18. After that they devoted their time to us and to Rutgers. You can still find them at games with Ann leading the cheering section whether Rutgers is winning or losing. They are among the university's most loyal fans. And in between, they raised their children, to do what? To be good Jews, to be active in synagogue, and to give of themselves each and every day.

So mark the date, Thursday June 11, and join us in honoring Ann and Arthur when we present them with this year's Crown of Torah Award.

Bernice F. Miller

Worship Services

Friday, April 3 - *The Meaning of Fire*

The Torah portion speaks of fire and gives it meaning for the ancients. What does it mean for our time? Join with Rabbi Miller as he explores the question of fire and its meaning.

Friday, April 10 - Pesach Sederim at home. Please join us for our morning Pesach Services in Keller Hall on Saturday.

Friday, April 17 - *The Mirror*

The 7x7 days stretching between Passover and Shavuot reflect light in several directions. Rabbi Gold will discuss this unusual time of the year which causes us to change our perspectives on time and the rhythm of our lives.

Friday, March 27 - *Photo Album*

We welcome Robert Solomon as our composer-in-residence for our Mary and Samuel Hamelsky Music Program. Robbie Solomon is a member of Safam. Both our Adult and Junior Choirs will be performing his work entitled *Photo Album* for Passover and Yom Hazikaron. Please join us for a very special program.

Fund for the Future

We invite you to participate in the Fund for the Future Endowment Campaign. A major part of this campaign is the Torah Education Fund which will provide for the education of all of our members — youth, families and adults. Additionally we want to ensure that the excellent programming of which we are already so proud continues and to maintain the integrity of our beautiful building.

All of these programs are vital to the future of our Temple community and provide a wonderful way to honor a loved one or affirm your commitment to Anshe Emeth. You may want to consider donating matured Israel Bonds or appreciated stock. Please call Rabbi Miller at 545-6484, Lee Livingston at 821-9757 or Leonard Littman at 572-7911, for more information on how you can participate.

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Officer's Column

I don't know about you, but I was pleased to finally see snow on the ground right here in New Jersey. Never mind that it was the first day of Spring, never mind that within two hours it had all melted away. Even as an adult, there's still something magical about waking up, looking outside and seeing white lawns and white trees, deep down hoping that school (or work?) will be canceled on account of snow. Somehow, we've been cheated this year. Blame it on El Nino.

As the days grow longer, I've been thinking more and more about golf and baseball. The indoor winter sports (basketball and hockey) are starting to lose their appeal as images of warm Spring and Summer days become more real. Which leads me to the Golf Outing:

I'm proud to say that Anshe Emeth is hosting a First Class golf outing at one of the finest new golf courses in New Jersey. After last year's disappointing turnout at Princeton Meadows, Golf Committee Chairmen Brian Taxman and Stuart Levine opted to boldly go in a different direction. Raise the price from \$125 to \$225 per person, change the location from a local course to the phenomenal new New Jersey National Golf Club in Basking Ridge, and create an outing that can compete with the best of the Spring's offerings. Well I'm pleased to report that everyone wants to play! Even my dentist and his partners will be coming.

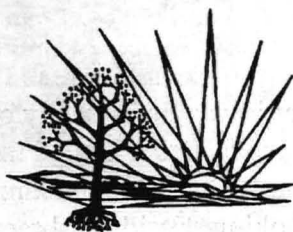
For those of you who haven't signed up yet, it's still not too late to reserve a spot. Please reserve Wednesday May 6th as a day for fun and friends, with the beauty and challenge of New Jersey National Golf Club on the agenda. After this year's winter, don't you deserve it?

See you there.

David Schaer

BABYSITTING AVAILABLE!

During April, babysitting will be provided during Shabbat Services on April 24. Please call either Ann Thayer-Cohen at 819-0580 or Sara Levine at 297-3864 to let them know you will be bringing your children so that we can be sure to have enough sitters.



The KEEPERS OF JEWISH EXCELLENCE series presents

Daniel Gordis

Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m.

April 26, 1998

Evil in God's World: Is There a Jewish Explanation?

Rabbi Daniel H. Gordis is Vice President for Public Affairs and Community Outreach at the University of Judaism. He also serves as Dean of the Ziegler Rabbinical School - the newest rabbinical school in the United States - and Assistant Professor of Philosophy. Dr. Gordis received his B.A. from Columbia College, his Rabbinic Ordination and M.A. from the Jewish Theological Seminary of America, and his Ph.D. from the University of Southern California.

Dr. Gordis is the author of *God Was Not in the Fire: The Search for a Spiritual Judaism* (Scribner, 1995) and *Does the World Need the Jews? Rethinking Choseness and American Jewish Identity* (Scribner, 1997). His third book to be coauthored with Dr. David Ellenson, will be titled *For the Sake of Heaven: Conversion, Law and Politics in the World of Modern Orthodoxy*.

Rabbi Gordis has published numerous articles on Jewish law, ethics, and the future of Jewish life in America. He resides with his wife, Beth, and their three children in Los Angeles.

Don't miss our last speaker of the season! Amos Oz on Monday, May 18 at 7:30 p.m.

We are pleased to announce our Slate of Officers and Trustees for 1998-99.

PRESIDENT

Paula Masciulli is currently serving her first year as President of Anshe Emeth, a position she views as a great honor and privilege. Over the years she has chaired just about every major committee at the Temple. The particular achievements she is most proud of are her Tzedakah involvement, the beginning of the Caring Community and the start-up of the Gan, The David H. Meyer Children's Center. Paula's focus this year has been to get our financial house on a better track for the years ahead. She just completed a two year Paralegal program this past December. Princeton is home to Paula and her two children, Scott and Karen.

FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

Marvin Zektzer is currently Chair of the Budget and Finance Committees and Annual Appeal Committee. He was Co-Chair of the Long Range Planning Committee and the past two years Raffle Committees. Marvin has been a member of the Religious School Committee and also serves on the Ushering Committee and Cultural Arts Committee. He is currently completing one year as Second Vice President at Anshe Emeth. Marvin is First Vice President, Investments with Morgan Stanley Dean Witter in Short Hills. He lives in Edison with his wife, Lee, and two children, Carly and Andrew.

SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT

Regina Belowsky is currently the co-chair of the Religious School Committee and the co-chair of the Central New Jersey Jewish Book Fair. She is the chairperson of the Scrip Program. Ginny (as she is known) also serves on the Budget & Finance Committee. In the past she has chaired the Religious School Book Fair and Personal Jewish Library. She has also headed the Purim Carnival and the Membership Committee. Currently she is First Vice-President but has requested to serve as Second Vice-President for the coming year in order to better balance her home and business life. Ginny and her brother own Associated Auto Body and Trucks in Newark. She lives in East Brunswick with her daughter, Ilise.

FINANCIAL SECRETARY

Harvey Stone is chairperson of the Building and Grounds, co-chairperson of the Cultural Arts Committee and Judaica Shop and serves on the Tzedakah Committee, Finance Committee, Fund Raising Committee, and Caring Community Committee. He is currently the Financial Secretary. Harvey works at Card Payment Systems as the Senior Vice-President. He lives in East Brunswick with his wife, Roberta, and daughter, Alison.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

Dr. Richard Snepar is Co-Chair of the Raffle Committee. He has served on the Religious School Committee as co-chair. He is currently finishing his first term as Corresponding Secretary. He is a physician with the Highland Park Medical Associates, P.A. Rick lives in North Brunswick with his wife Barbara and four children, Jeremy, Rory, Dale and Casey.

RECORDING SECRETARY

Julia Green has been co-chairperson of the Caring Community Program and Adult Purim Festival. She has been the Financial Secretary and serves on the Tzedakah Committee, Finance Committee, and the Cultural Arts Committee. She is one of the creative hands behind L'Dor V'Dor. Julie lives in Highland Park with her husband, Howard, and two children, Sarah and Aaron.

TREASURER

Dr. David Schaer is chairperson of the Social Action Committee and has chaired the Consultation on Conscience. He is a member the Golf Outing Committee, Long-Range Planning Committee, and Budget Committee. He can be found at Torah study on Saturday mornings. David is a partner in Cardiology Associates of New Brunswick and maintains a busy angioplasty practice at Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital. David lives in North Brunswick with his wife, Teresa, and two sons, Daniel and Andrew.

You are invited to join us at the May Congregational Meeting on Tuesday evening May 5, 1998 at 8 p.m. when the slate will be formally voted on and the Installation of Officers and Trustees on Friday evening, May 8, 1998 at 8:00 p.m.

CONGREGATIONAL SECRETARY - OFFICER AT LARGE

Hon. Jane Cantor grew up at the temple and her family has been very active here. Her father, Harold Bruskin is a past president of our congregation. Jane chaired the Purim Carnival. She was the president of the Youth Group, Young Couples Club. She was the vice-president of the Temple Sisterhood and consistently chaired the covered dish dinner. Previously she was the co-chairperson of the Social Action Committee and served on the Long-Range Planning Committee and the Assistant Rabbi Search Committee. She is a judge of the Superior Court of New Jersey. Jane and her husband, Phil, live in North Brunswick and have 4 children, Mollie, Jenny, Daniel & David.

TRUSTEES:

Roberta Brown is the chair person of the Library Committee. She has served on the Cantorial Search Committee, Caring Community, Tzedakah Committee, and Membership Committee along with several fund raising and social events committees. She has chaired a graduation dinner, art auction, and Passover seders. This will be her second term as a Trustee. Roberta is the administrator of the Department of Jewish Education at our U.A.H.C. offices in New York. She lives in Morganville with her husband, Jordon and they have two children, Sondra and Mitchell.

Deborah Cohn is currently co-chair of the Adult Continuing Education Committee and chair of the Chavurah Committee. She has served on the Library Committee, Membership Committee, and chaired Holiday Celebrations. This will be Debbie's second term as a Trustee. She is studying at Jewish Theological Seminary for her doctorate. Debbie lives in Highland Park with her husband, Joe, and daughter, Beth. They are members of the Joyful Noise Chavurah.

Sanford Deckman has been an active member of Anshe Emeth for the past ten years. He has worked on Jubilation'94. Sandy has worked on the sets for the Temple's theatrical productions for the past four years. He is co-chairing the Raffle Committee and is on the Building and Grounds Committee. Sandy is about to start his second term as a Trustee. He has his own business H.F. Systems, Inc. Sandy lives in North Brunswick, with his wife, Sue, and two daughters, Rebecca and Danielle.

Sharon Karmazin has been a member of Anshe Emeth since the mid 1970's. She is a member of the Temple Library Committee and volunteers with the soup kitchen and Passover food distribution projects. Sharon is the director of the East Brunswick Public Library. She is active in several library professional associations as well as serving on the boards of the Associate Alumnae of Douglas College and George Street Playhouse. She resides in North Brunswick, and has two children, Dina Elkins, 26 and Craig, 22.

Susan Kohn has been a member a member of Anshe Emeth since birth. Susan's father Lou Goldstein is a past president of the Temple. Susan was president of the Youth Group and now serves as the chair person for the Youth Committee. She serves on the Membership Committee and chaired the Family Concert. Susan is starting her second term as a Trustee. She can be found in the Religious School in Morah Gail's class with her eldest. She lives in East Brunswick with her husband, Stuart and two sons, Brandon and Garrett.

Bruce Newman has participated in the Caring Community Program and Tzedakah Committee by delivering Passover Baskets and volunteering at Elijah's Promise. This is Bruce's second term as a Trustee. He is Senior Vice President of Development at RWJ University Hospital Foundation. Bruce lives in North Brunswick with his wife, Rochelle, and two children, Marissa and Ross.

Laura Singer has been very involved in the Temple. Shewas very active in the Sisterhood and became a member of the National Sisterhood Board. She received the National Award from the NFTS for the publication of *Heritage Album*. She serves as the vice president of Fund Raising for the Jewish Home for the Aged, co-chair of the Fund Raising for the Women's Division of U.J.A. This is her first term as a Trustee. She is President and founder of Professional Plant Service. Laura lives in Highland Park.

Joyce Weinberg has served on various committees including chairing the Directory and the Display Showcase for many years. Prior to that she chaired the food concession at the Purim Carnival for several years. Currently she is co-chairing the Directory and serves on the Membership Committee and Budget Committee. This will be her fourth term as a Trustee. Joyce lives in South Brunswick with her husband, Harvey and two children, Cari and Mark.

Jerome Wichinsky has been instrumental in the revival of the Theater Program at Anshe Emeth. He produced the temple productions of *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dream Coat*, *Fiddler on the Roof*, *Crossing Delancy* (which he also directed), and this year's *Traditions...The Jewish Composers of Broadway*. He is also involved with the Cultural Arts Committee. Jerry is the Director of Human Resources for PCSI in Hackensack, NJ This is Jerry's second term as a Trustee. He lives in East Brunswick with his wife, Barbara and daughter, Nicole.



Judaica Shop

Come to the Judaica Shop for your tallit during April and get a 40% discount on all in stock tallitim.

The Judaica Shop is open Sundays from 9:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., regular Temple hours and by appointment. Call Harvey or Roberta Stone at 613-0830 or Barbara Sigman at 238-9215.



Spring Plant Sale

Come see the "garden" on the steps of the Temple on Sunday, May 3 from 9:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Get your garden started or buy a present for Mother's Day. Celebrate Spring with some color for your house. Great prices!!



Hanging Baskets

Single variety - 8"	\$8.00
Mixed variety - 10"	\$14.00

Religious School News



- Parents, please join us for our third grade Siyyum HaSefer, **Saturday, April 4 at 9:30 am in Keller Hall**. This ceremony is in celebration of learning the complete Hebrew alphabet.
- Parents are invited to join us for our High School Special, "Turning I Can't to I Can", **Sunday, April 5 at 11:15 a.m.** High School classes for students will begin at 10:00 a.m. Our speaker is Emmanuel Ben Avraham, CEO of the Amer-I-Can Academy, a youth at risk gang intervention program. Mr. Abraham overcame homelessness and the death of his parents and older brother to the AIDS virus as a result of their heroin addiction. Mr. Abraham has received numerous awards and honors. He is a member of Adath Israel Synagogue in Lawrenceville, N.J.
- Religious School Model Sederim will be held **Tues. and Wed. April 7 & 8** during religious school hours. Please send in appropriate food items for the sederim by Saturday, April 4 and Sunday, April 5. We need several volunteers to help set up and serve during the seder. If you are available, please contact the Religious School office, (732) 545-6484.
- Students in grades 3-7 are invited to participate in the **Haggadah Decorating Contest**. Prizes will be awarded to the best artistic creations in each class! Entries need to be submitted by Saturday, April 4 & Sunday, April 5.
- Reminder there will be no religious school classes, **Saturday, April 11 through Sunday, April 19**. All classes resume Monday, April 20.
- Save the date, **Saturday, May 2** for our school celebration of Israel at 50. Activities (held during religious school hours) will include: Israeli dance, arts & crafts, food, music & more. More information will follow.

Todah Rabah

- Joyce Hurst, Judi Burke, Barb Peabody & Debra Friedman for bringing food for Breakfast with the Rabbi
- Susan Kohn, Allison Warzala, Karen Finkelstein, & Nancy Schwartz for helping with the Shabbat Dinner
- Regis Bulman, Jeff Packer, Tom Moroney, & Sandi Tracy for driving the 7th grade students to the Central New Jersey Jewish Home for the Aged
- Sari Workman who organized our Passover Candy Sale which earned over \$1,000 in proceeds for the Religious School

News from the Gan



March was a wonderful month filled with lots of special activities. The children enjoyed a Pirate/Purim Show. No one walked the plank; however we did have to help Captain Rick by saying some "magical terminology." The Purim Parade was great. Everyone shook their groggers and made an incredible amount of noise upon the mere mention of "Haman."

The April showers continued to water our parsley seeds, which grew quite abundantly. Our home grown parsley will proudly take its place on our seder plates. Rabbi Gold will lead the children in our Passover seder. We are practicing the Four Questions and a special medley of songs, our favorite being The Frog Song to share with Rabbi Gold. During Passover week we will prepare several Passover treats, including matzah brei and matzah meal pancakes which are the best.

Parent Teacher Conferences will be scheduled for April. Remember to send in registration for Summer and Fall. Early Bird Discounts are currently in effect. Call for your registration packets at 545-6555.

Youth Group News

AETY

AETY is already anxiously anticipating next year. We have had a wonderful year of rebuilding, and we hope that you'll join in reinventing the youth group next year. In the coming weeks, all high school students will be receiving information about how to run for the AETY Board next year. Elections are set for **Sunday, May 17**. Come be a part of it!

April is a crowded month for Jewish calendars, with Passover and spring vacations. Join us for a funky, creative, and different Passover seder-like-you've-never-seen-before, on **Sunday, April 17**. Watch your mail for details.

AETY wishes the entire Anshe Emeth family a Happy Passover filled with celebration and freedom.

JAETY

Chag Sameach! JAETY will be attending the Anshe Emeth's performance of *Traditions* musical on **Sunday, April 5** -- lunch included. Watch your mail for details.

In May, we're looking forward to a trip to the **Philadelphia Zoo on Sunday, May 3**.

For questions about JAETY events, contact Michael Chodroff at 254-1356.

MAETY

MAETY will be hosting a Shabbat dinner celebration at Anshe Emeth on **Friday, April 3** -- come join us in one big blowout of *chametz* prior of Passover!

And in May: watch for details to the **Philadelphia Zoo on May 3**.

Happy Passover to everyone!



Gan Yeladeem Preschool/Daycare Center David H. Meyer Children's Center

Register now for the Summer or Fall Programs
Flexible scheduling

Call Helene Chelton to make an appointment to visit at 545-6555.



Library Corner

As we now get ready for the Passover Season, the library is prepared for you. We have several different kinds of Haggodot shelved at 262.5. Also available for borrowing are liturgical and ethical adult books as well as an increasing array of children's story books. A sampling follows:

Keeping Passover
by Ira Steingroot

This book is subtitled "Everything you need to know to bring the ancient tradition to life and to create your own Passover Celebration." It provides descriptions of many of the rituals called for in the Haggadah. Armed with this information, families may form their own special Passover rituals.

Thinking Passover: A Rabbi's Book of Holiday Values
by Ben Kamin

Passover can become a time of reflection by drawing parallels between Passover themes and modern themes. Examples of such include relating the 10 plagues to what may be America's own 10 plagues and comparing Moses to Martin Luther King, Jr. This spiritually uplifting book provides new reflections on the Passover message.

Also among our new acquisitions are several delightful books for children. You may borrow *The Story of Passover* by Norma Simon, *Passover Magic* by Roni Schotter, *On Passover* by Cathy Goldberg Fishman, *Sammy Spider's First Passover* by Sylvia A. Rouss, *Sam's Passover* by Lynne Hannigan and *DAYENU or How Uncle Murray Saved the Seder* by Rosalind Schilder. These delightful books are among the many new books for children that you will see in our library.

At this point I would like to break from the theme of Passover books to let our young adult readers know that they have not been forgotten. We have new books such as *Fitting In* by Sharon Kirsh, *The Circlemaker* by Maxine Rose Schur, *Gideon's People* by Carolyn Meyer and *The Kofax Dilemma* by Steven Schnur.

Circulation of library items is constantly increasing. That is because selection has greatly increased. We have many more books on many more levels as well as new periodicals and audio books. Take a moment to visit the library the next time you have some free time.

Book Discussion

Sunday, May 3 at 10 a.m. in the Library

Snow in August
by Pete Hamill

Join us for a book discussion led by Sharon Karmazin. This is our last book discussion for the year. Don't miss it!!

Anshe Emeth Memorial Temple Announces the GRADUATING CLASS OF 1998

Members of the congregation who wish to make a contribution to honor individual graduates or the entire graduating class are asked to do so as soon as possible. A card will be sent to the individual graduates selected. Please check the name(s) and also a fund.

Graduates:

- [] Cari August, daughter of Barbara & James August
- [] Jordan Bear, son of Susan & Fred Bear
- [] Stacy Berkowitz, daughter of Lois & Barry Berkowitz
- [] Joshua Cherniss, son of Deborah & Cary Cherniss
- [] Michael Cohen, son of Deborah & Richard Cohen
- [] Nathan Corwin, son of Amy Corwin
- [] Eric Deutch, Renee & Victor Deutch
- [] Stacie Dubin, daughter of Shelly & Brian Dubin
- [] Eileen Epstein, daughter of Carol & Mark Epstein
- [] Debra Falk, daughter of Rena & Richard Falk
- [] Hillary Freeman, daughter of Susan & Howard Freeman
- [] Alex Hass, son of Ruth & Michael Hass
- [] Rachel Hatzipetros, daughter of Ren Reinish
- [] Rachel Isaacson, daughter of Sara & Gerald Isaacson
- [] Atar Lior, daughter of Dianne Lior
- [] Gerri Miller, daughter of Karen & Ira Miller
- [] Asaf Orr, son of Michal Feinmesser & Avigdor Orr
- [] Lauren Rubinfeld, daughter of Susan & Alan Rubinfeld
- [] Matthew Schlossberg, son of Rachelle & Ken Schlossberg
- [] Asa Turkin, son of Diane Turkin
- [] Danielle Wasserman, daughter of Marlie & Mark Wasserman
- [] 1998 Graduates (Bulletin only)

Funds

- [] Altar Flower Fund
- [] Cantor's Music Fund
- [] Caring Community Fund
- [] Children's Special Education & Daycare Fund
- [] Honorarium Fund
- [] Keller Memorial Lecture Fund
- [] Library Fund
- [] Max Marder Youth Fellowship Fund
- [] Ner Tamid Fund
- [] Prayerbook Fund
- [] P.T.O. Fund
- [] Rabbi Miller Chai Tribute Fund
- [] Rae Schlesinger Memorial Fund
- [] Rina B. Pakenham Memorial Fund
- [] Shoshana Parsells Youth Education Fund
- [] Special Publications Fund
- [] Tzedakah Fund
- [] Youth Activities Fund

\$5 per individual name or "1998 Graduates."

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222 Livingston Avenue, New Brunswick, NJ 08901

Enclosed is my check in the amount of \$ _____

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PASSOVER SUPPLEMENT - 5758

What is Passover?

Passover is a major Jewish Spring festival which commemorates the Exodus from Egypt over 3,000 years ago. During this period Jews all over the world abstain from eating foods that contain leavening; instead we eat matzah and other non-leavened foods. Passover actually has five names, each one explaining another significance of the holiday.

Chag Ha-Aviv

The Spring Festival

In the book of Deuteronomy we are commanded to offer a Passover sacrifice and to abstain from eating anything with leavening in it. This is to remember our departure out of Egypt. The name Aviv is the old name for the spring month and which later became known as Nisan.

Chag Ha-Matzot

The Festival of Unleavened Bread

In the book of Exodus, we hear that the Jews did not wait for their bread to rise because they had to leave in haste; therefore, we are commanded to eat matzah to commemorate this event. However, before the events tied to the Exodus from Egypt, Jews and other people of the region made and ate matzah to thank God for the spring crops. Therefore, eating matzah is also part of a spring thanksgiving tradition.

Chag Ha-Pesach

The Festival of the Paschal Offering

Before the tenth plague, the Jews took the blood of a sacrificed lamb and smeared it upon their doorposts to safeguard their homes from the angel of death. The sacrifice of one lamb from a flock was a spring time tradition in agricultural societies. Thus another agricultural tradition is associated with this festival.



*Dates for the
Observance of Passover-5758*

Friday Evening, April 10
First Seder
Saturday Morning, April 11
Pesach Morning Service
at 10:00 a.m.
Saturday Evening, April 11
Second Seder
Friday Morning, April 17
Final Pesach
and Yizkor Service
at 10:00 a.m.



IF YOU ARE FAR AWAY FROM FAMILY and in need of a place to go to share in the Seder, or if you will have an extra seat at your table, please notify Rabbi Miller or Rabbi Gold at 545-6484 so we can make a match.

Zeman Cherutenu

The Season of Our Liberation

During the Seder we are reminded that we were once slaves in Egypt. We eat reclining to emphasize the fact that we are now free. Modern seders refer to those who were victims of the Holocaust, and more recently, to Soviet Jews who want to emigrate to Israel. This year the Soviet threat is gone; however, we all realize and pray for those Jews around the world who are subjected to anti-Semitism and persecution.

Pesach

Passover

Pesach, the common name for this festival, is derived from Moses' promise to the Israelites that God would "pass over" their homes during the night of the killing of the first born. This name also unifies the concepts symbolized in the other four names.

In Israel, Passover is celebrated for seven days, as commanded by the Torah. Reform Jews all over the world also celebrate Passover for seven days. Outside of Israel, Orthodox and Conservative Jews celebrate Passover for eight days. This tradition originated in 700-600 B.C.E., when people were notified of the holiday's beginning by means of a network of bonfires. To ensure that the holiday was observed on the correct days, an extra day was added. By the time a reliable standard calendar was adopted in the fourth century C.E., the added day was so ingrained in tradition that it became law.

**BRING PASSOVER FOOD
ITEMS TO THE TEMPLE**

for baskets for the needy

VOLUNTEERS are needed to help prepare and distribute Passover Baskets on Sunday, April 5 at 9:00 a.m. Call Ruth Bordo at 572-6464, Susan Millner at 572-0932 or the Temple office at 545-6484.

PREPARING FOR PASSOVER

All foods that are not permitted for Passover must be removed from the home.

These foods include: leavened bread, cakes, biscuits, crackers, cereals, coffee substances derived from cereal, wheat, barley, oats, rice, dry peas, dry beans and all liquids which contain ingredients or flavors made from grain alcohol. (There are some variations on these prohibitions among Sephardic Jews). Not only must they be removed from the home, but, traditionally, a Jew may not own these food products during Passover. Thus, some people "sell" the food to a Gentile friend only to "buy" it back after the holiday; others give the food away.

After the house is scoured, the search begins for hidden chametz. This occurs the night before the first Seder. One parent should place at least one piece of chametz in each room on a window sill or in a corner; make sure you keep count of the number of pieces you have hidden. Then the children, led by an adult, go from room to room by candlelight to find the chametz. When a piece of chametz is found, it is placed in a wooden spoon and dropped into a cloth; then a feather is used to brush up all the crumbs. After all the chametz is found, the feather and wooden spoon are wrapped in the cloth with the chametz, and the whole bundle is burned. The blessings that are said at the beginning of the search and before the bundle is burned are found in the Haggadah. All chametz must be out of the house by 10 a.m. of the day of the first Seder.



THE SEDER TABLE

The Seder Plate is a beautiful symbol of Passover. The items that are placed on the Seder Plate are listed below:

Z'roah (Roasted Lamb Bone) - This symbolizes the animal sacrifice that the Israelites made to God on the night they left Egypt.

Betzah (Roasted Egg) - The egg symbolizes the sacrifices made in the Temple; it is also a symbol of life, the coming of spring, and also the loss we feel at the destruction of the Temple.

Maror (Bitter Herbs) - This is usually horseradish. It reminds us of the bitterness of slavery.

Charoset - This is a mixture of apples, nuts, wine, and cinnamon. It symbolizes the mortar that the Israelites used when slaves in Egypt.

Karpas (Green Vegetables) - Usually we use celery or parsley to symbolize spring. We dip the vegetable in salt water to remind us of the tears shed by the Israelites.

Hazeret (Bitter Vegetable) - This vegetable, usually romaine lettuce or another bitter green, is used for the same symbolic purpose as the Maror. Some Seder Plates do not include Hazeret.

Elijah's Cup - Elijah the Prophet is symbolically welcomed at every Seder as a sign of hope for the coming of our ultimate redemption in the Messianic Era.

3 Matzot - The symbolism of Matzot has already been mentioned. Aside from what may be eaten by individuals at the Seder, 3 are used symbolically, and will often be placed in an ornate Matzah cover.

HAGGADOT

There are many beautiful Haggadot that are available. Look through a Haggadah to make sure that the language is appropriate for the age groups that will be assembled at your Seder. Also, make sure you have copies for each person at the Seder; make sure that you have one edition of the Haggadah so that the page numbers will be consistent for each copy. Our Judaica shop has several Haggadot from which to choose; you may also obtain them at Jewish book stores or through Jewish catalogues. Here is a list of some of the Haggadot that are currently in print:

A Family Haggadah by Shoshana Silberman. This volume has activities and questions for children. A cassette that is cued to the Haggadah is also available.

The New Union Haggadah prepared by the Central Conference of American Rabbis. This contemporary Haggadah based on tradition has easy-to-follow large print. A leader's copy is available. It contains beautiful drawings by Leonard Baskin. It also contains a full section of Passover songs, words and music.

A Family Seder in 20 Easy Steps by Maida Hoffman. This contemporary Haggadah based on tradition has easy-to-follow large print. A leader's copy is available.

On Wings of Freedom by Rabbi Richard N. Levy. This Haggadah, distributed by the B'nai Brith Hillel Foundation, includes many readings that help make the experience of the Exodus more current.

We Tell It To Our Children by Mary Ann Barrows Wark. This Haggadah is set up as a play that children can participate in. It includes outlines for puppets that can be made in advance to help provide greater meaning for children.

A FEW SEDER SUGGESTIONS

prepared by Rabbi Bennett Miller

- ° As you prepare your home for Passover, involve the children in the pre-festival house cleaning and general preparations. The memory of the sights, sounds and smells of the food and home around holiday time remains with us as Jews throughout our adult lives. Children should have the opportunity to share in the anticipation.
- ° Make your Seder table as elegant as possible. Spare nothing in order to make the service superb, the setting breathtaking and the floral arrangements thrilling.
- ° Be sure to have an adequate number of Haggadot. Each person capable of reading should have a Haggadah.

Be sure that they are all the same.

- ° Whoever is to lead the service should prepare in advance to be familiar with the order and the material. The tone that the leader sets will establish the tone of the service. The leader should assign portions of the service in advance. Enable the participants to become proficient in what they will read. The leader should personally study "The Four Questions" with the youngest child who will recite them at the Seder.

- ° Hiding the Afikomen can be a delightful game and activity. In some families, the children "steal" the Afikomen and hold it for ransom. However, in most families today, the leader hides the Afikomen, and the children must find it. To enhance the fun, prepare symbolic warning signs using Jewish content. Instead of using the words "hot" and "cold," use names from the Haggadah. Although many families reward the finders with gelt (money), Jewish books or ceremonial objects (a Mezzuzah) are even more appropriate.

- ° "Who Knows One" and "Chad Gad Yah" are two songs that easily can be turned in to skits. These would be fun to prepare for the younger children who do not read so that they can feel that they are contributing to the Seder.

- ° Do not end the evening with the meal. Be sure to complete the Haggadah after the meal. The most entertaining and joyous part of the Seder is near the conclusion.

- ° Singing is a great activity for the Seder. Especially appropriate are songs about freedom and about Israel.

REMEMBER: The Seder table is a stage on which is re-enacted, in symbolic fashion, many of the events that we associate with the deliverance from Egyptian slavery. Understanding the symbolism is important if we are to celebrate Passover properly, namely, by reliving the experience of the Exodus.

MAZON

Our congregation is a partner with Mazon, a Jewish organization that helps to feed the hungry. The Haggadah says: "Let all who are hungry come and eat." Unfortunately, in this day and age, few of us are prepared to open our door for anyone to walk in. Instead, Mazon suggests that we donate to them the cost of feeding an additional person at your seder. Donations can be sent to the Temple office with checks made out to Mazon.



ORDER OF THE SEDER

In Jewish homes all over the world, the Passover Seder is conducted in the same order; in fact, the word "seder" means "order". The following are the sections of the Seder in the order in which they occur:

Kadesh - Sanctifying the holiday with the prayer over the wine.

Urchatz - Washing the hands with no prayer. This section is optional.

Karpas - Dipping the green vegetable in the salt water.

Yahatz - Breaking the middle matzah.

Maggid - This section contains the Four Questions and four renditions of the story.

Rohtzah - Washing the hands with a blessing.

Motzi Matzah - Blessing the matzah and eating it.

Maror - Blessing and eating the bitter herbs.

Korekh - Making the Hillel Sandwich, which is bitter herb and charoset placed between two small pieces of matzah.

Shulhan Orekh - Eating the Passover feast.

Tzafun - Finding the Afikomen

Barekh - Saying the blessing after the meal.

Hallel - Singing songs of praise and opening the door for Elijah.

Nirtzah - Concluding the Seder.

GAMES FOR PASSOVER

The custom of distributing nuts to children on the eve of Passover to arouse their curiosity may well account for the origin of playing games with nuts during the festival. Another reason for this traditional and favorite pastime is that the numerical value of the Hebrew for nut is the same as that of the word for good. Some of the games given below have been played by Jewish children for many generations while others are modern adaptations of popular pastimes.

LEFT OR RIGHT?

One player puts both hands behind his back and places a nut in one hand. He then brings forth both hands and the other player must guess if the nut is in his left or right hand. If he guesses correctly, he takes the nut.

ODDS OR EVEN?

One player holds a number of small nuts in a closed fist. He asks the second player to guess if the nuts in his hand are an even or odd number. If the second player guesses correctly, he takes all the nuts in the hand of the first player. Failing to guess, he forfeits the corresponding number of nuts that the first player held.

NUT-PITCHING

An open box or other receptacle is placed on the floor. Each player is given five nuts and, standing at a fixed line, tries to pitch the nuts into the box. He collects those that did not fall into the box and awaits his next turn. The first player to pitch all his nuts into the box is the winner and he receives all the nuts in the box.

NUT-BOWLING

Place a two-foot board with one end on the floor and the other end leaning on one or more objects so as to form a triangle. Set ten nuts about two feet from the bottom of the board. Each player is given three walnuts which he rolls, one at a time, down the board, aiming to "bowl over" the ten nuts on the floor. He wins all the nuts that his nut hits directly or indirectly. If he fails to hit any nuts, his nut remains on the floor.

MUSICAL QUIZ

A few bars of a Passover song are played on the piano. The first player who calls out the name of the tune is given a point. The player who has the most points is the winner.

Thank you to Hillary Freundlich for her efforts in the preparation of this supplement.

RECIPES

KNEIDLACH (MATZAH-BALLS)

4 eggs	6 tbs chicken fat
1 tsp salt	1/2 tsp cinnamon
1/2 tsp white pepper	(optional)
1/2 cup soup stock or water	1 cup <i>matzah</i> meal

Beat the eggs with the salt, cinnamon, pepper and chicken fat. Add the *matzah* meal and the soup or water. Mix thoroughly. Cover and allow the mixture to stand in the refrigerator for one hour or more. Bring four quarts of water to a boil. Shape the mixture into *matzah*-balls and drop in boiling water. Cook covered for half an hour. Balls are then ready to be added to soup. Twelve large *matzah*-balls can be made with these ingredients.

CHAROSET

2 apples	1/4 cup shelled almonds
1/4 cup shelled walnuts	1/2 cup raisins
1 teaspoon ginger	1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/4 cup sweet wine	

Quarter and core the apples. Grind the apples, raisins and nuts, and then add the ginger and cinnamon. Blend in the wine. The above quantities allow enough for twelve portions. The finished haroset will keep in the refrigerator for a couple of weeks.

MATZAH BREI

4 <i>matzot</i>	1 1/2 tsp. salt
4 eggs	butter or shortening

Soak the *matzot* just enough to soften them. Break the eggs in a bowl and beat with the salt. Add the soaked *matzot*. Heat the butter or shortening in a frying pan over a moderate flame. Pour the mixture and fry until golden on underside, turn over with spatula and fry on the other side. Serve with sugar and cinnamon. Four servings.

ALMOND MACAROONS

4 egg yolks	2 cups ground almonds
1 cup sugar	

Beat the egg yolks well; add the sugar and beat until lemon-colored. Add the ground almonds and mix thoroughly. Chill for easy handling. Take small pieces of the mixture and shape into small balls. Place the macaroons on a greased baking sheet. Top with half an almond, if desired. Bake 350 oven for ten minutes. 50 macarrons.

For the Games and Recipes credits go to Philip Goodman author of *The Passover Anthology*.

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WE NEED YOUR HELP! We need you to buy or sell at least one ticket. Although this is a temple fund-raiser many may have an interest in entering this 50/50 cash raffle.

Tickets can and have been sold to co-workers, business associates, vendors, suppliers, family and friends. Entire tickets can be purchased or any number of people can combine to purchase a ticket.

With your help a sellout can raise a significant amount for the temple and give away a large sum in prize money.

Please complete and return the enclosed ticket order form. In addition you can order tickets over the phone by calling the temple.

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DAVID H. MEYER

IN MEMORIAM

DR. LOUIS KRAFCHIK

a long time member of our congregation

ABRAM MATLOFSKY

father of Sharon Karmazin

BENJAMIN WEINER

father of Andrew Weiner

BEATRICE KONER

sister of Muriel Glazer

HAROLD SAFFER

father of Barbara Lowen

ARTHUR SILVER

brother of Harriet Steinberg

*We extend deepest condolences to the
families of all of them.*

May their memory abide for blessing.

Buddy, can I hitch a ride?

A transportation network, established under the auspices of the Caring Community Committee, needs your help. Drivers are needed. Drivers will pick up other members who need rides to the Temple for services or other events.

Please call Ruth Bordo at 572-6462, Fay Sosnick at 873-0373, Paula Masciulli at (609)497-1133 or the Temple office for more information about this important service.

USHERING SCHEDULE FOR APRIL 1998

Fri., Apr. 3	Sanc. - Joyce & Harvey Weinberg Lobby - Maxine & Martin Chodroff Delavan St. - Janice & Alan Germain
Sat., Apr. 4	Sanc. - Michele & Paul Watter
Fri., Apr. 17	Sanc. - Gail & Howard Weber Lobby - Deborah & Richard Cohen Delavan St. - Celeste & Richard Gladstone
Fri., Apr. 24	Sanc. - Susan & Stuart Kohn Lobby - Hillary & Gene Corburn Delavan St. - Linda & Mark Kramer
Sat., Apr. 25	Sanc. - Renee & Jeffrey Packer

Please try to obtain a substitute if you are unable to usher when scheduled, and call Fred Greenstein at 248-4408 or Harvey Stone at 613-0830. (When Fred or Harvey are not available, call the Temple office at 545-6484.)

CALENDAR OF TEMPLE EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

April 1998

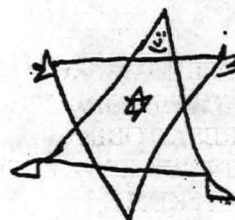
Friday	3	Shabbat Services	8:00 p.m.
Saturday	4	Haftarah Study / Torah Study	9:30 a.m.
		Minyan	10:30 a.m.
		Religious School Tefillah Service	11:15 a.m.
		Shabbat Service	11:00 a.m.
		<i>Traditions... Jewish Composers of Broadway</i>	8:00 p.m.
Sunday	5	Passover Food Drive Delivery	9:30 a.m.
		Bar /Bat Mitzvah Network	
		<i>Traditions... Jewish Composers of Broadway</i>	2:00 p.m.
Monday	6	Interfaith Connections	7:30 p.m.
		Mini Mester V - Passover	7:30 p.m.
		Adult B'nai Mitzvah Class	8:00 p.m.
Tuesday	7	<i>Dreamers and Teachers</i> - Rabbi Gold	12:30 p.m.
		AETY Board	6:00 p.m.
		<i>Pirke Avot Study</i> with Rabbi Miller	6:00 p.m.
		Board of Trustees Meeting	8:00 p.m.
Friday	10	Home Sederim	
Sat. - Sun. 11-19		Religious School - closed	
Saturday	11	Pesach Morning Services	10:00 a.m.
Sunday	12	AETY Seder	
Friday	17	Final Pesach & Yizkor Morning Service	10:00 a.m.
		Shabbat Evening Services	8:00 p.m.
Saturday	18	Torah Study & Minyan	10:00 a.m.
Monday	20	Membership Committee	8:00 p.m.
Tuesday	21	<i>Dreamers and Teachers</i> - Rabbi Gold	12:30 p.m.
		<i>Pirke Avot Study</i> with Rabbi Miller	6:00 p.m.
		Officers Meeting	7:00 p.m.
Wednesday	22	Religious School Committee	7:45 p.m.
Friday	24	Shabbat Services - <i>Babysitting available</i>	8:00 p.m.
Saturday	25	Haftarah Study / Torah Study	9:30 a.m.
		Minyan	10:30 a.m.
		Religious School Tefillah Service	11:15 a.m.
		Shabbat Service	11:00 a.m.
Sunday	26	Keepers of Jewish Excellence - Daniel Gordis	10:30 a.m.
		Rosh Chodesh Group	7:30 p.m.
Tuesday	28	Tzedekah Committee	
		Day Care Committee	
Wednesday	29	Patron Preview of <i>Israeli Art Show</i>	8 p.m. - midnight
Thursday	30	<i>Israeli Art Show</i>	9 a.m. - 7 p.m.
		<i>Israel's Fiftieth Anniversary Youth Concert</i> - State Theater	7:30 p.m.

For your information:

Need forms to sign up for the Golf Outing or Wine Sale? Call the office for forms at 545-6484.

Send in your Directory Ads. If you need more forms call the Temple office at 545-6484. Support the advertisers in our Temple Directory.

Save the date:
June 7, 1998
Mitzvah Day is coming!!!



In Celebration of Israel's 50th Anniversary



Come see **Traditions ... The Jewish Composers of Broadway**
An Original Musical Revue

Saturday, April 4 - 8 p.m. or Sunday, April 5 - 2 p.m.

Tickets may be purchased at the door or stop by the Temple office during the week.

Israel's Fiftieth Anniversary Youth Concert on April 30 at 7:30 p.m. at the State Theatre in New Brunswick

Come hear children from our Religious School as they sing with youth from other religious schools, day schools and youth groups in Central Jersey. 500 children will be participating in this tribute to Israel. There will be a multimedia presentation of images of Israel with traditional and modern songs in honor of Israel's 50th anniversary. The concert is free but tickets must be ordered in advance. Call the Jewish Federation office at 432-7711, ext. 20 to reserve your tickets.



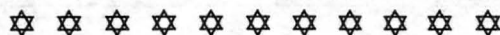
Shabbat Celebration on **May 1**. We welcome **Prof. Yael Zerubavel**, *Director of the Center for the Study of Jewish Life Rutgers University* as our Rabbi Nathaniel M. Keller Memorial Lecturer.

Look for your invitation to our **Israeli Art Show and Sale**. April 29 is the Patron Preview. Come May 1-4 to see the art display. Call the Temple office for the hours.

The Birth of Israel: Celebrating Fifty Years of Life 1948-1998

Monday, May 11 through Wednesday, June 3

Photographs by Marlin Levin. The exhibit is a glimpse at the faces, the times, the mood, the ambience in which the war was fought and the state was born. Chanin Gertaide returned to the sites where some of the shots were taken and pictured them as they have developed over the past century.



Don't miss our **Spring Concert** in celebration of Israel's 50th on **Sunday, May 17**. Kol Dodi, the Community Choir of Northern NJ will be joining our Adult and Junior Choirs in honor of Israel's 50th Anniversary. Invitations will be sent out soon.

Amos Oz: Israel at 50: Some Israeli Perspectives as part of our Keepers of Jewish Excellence series. Monday, May 18 at 7:30 p.m.