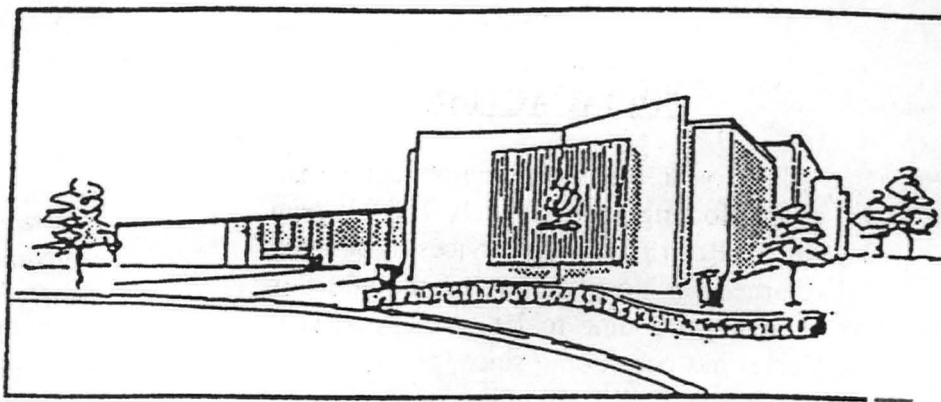


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-ELUL-TISHRI 5756

SEPTEMBER 1995

FRIDAY EVENING SERVICES

Sept. 1 Sabbath Eve - 8:15 PM
Conducted By Robert Schulman
Torah Portion: Deut. 16:18-21:9

8 Sabbath Eve - 8:15 PM
Sermon: *FACING FEAR*
Torah portion: Deut. 21:10-25:19

15 Sabbath Eve - 8:15 PM
Sermon: *COMING AND GOING*
Torah portion: Deut. 26:1-29:8

22 Sabbath Eve - 8:15 PM
Sermon: *ACCEPTING THE COVENANT*
Torah portion: Deut. 29:9-30:20

29 Sabbath Eve - 8:15 PM
Shabbat Shuvah
Sermon: *LEARNING HOW TO LIVE*
Torah portion: Deut. 31:1-30

HIGH HOLYDAY SERVICES

Sept. 16 Sat. S'lichot -
9:00 PM Havdalah, Bagel Bash,
Holiday Program 11:30 PM Service

Sept. 24 Sun. Erev Rosh Hashanah - 8:15 PM
Sermon: *MAKING CHANGE POSSIBLE*

Sept. 25 Mon. Rosh Hashanah-
Early service 8:45 AM
Late service 11:30 AM
Sermon: *TWO DIFFERENT VOICES?*
Family Service - 3:00 PM
Sermon: *GETTING THE NEWS OUT*

Oct. 3 Tues. Kol Nidre -
Early Service 6:30 PM
Late Service 8:45 PM
Sermon: *WHY ME?*

Oct. 4 Wed. Yom Kippur - 10:30 AM
Sermon: *A PLEA FOR PRACTICE*
Family Service - 2:00 PM
Sermon: *ASKING GOD'S FORGIVENESS*
Yizkor Service - 4:45 PM
Sermon - *WHEN PARTING COMES TOO SOON*
Neilah Service - 5:30 PM

SOCIAL ACTION

This year the social action committee will be distributing approximately 700 Mitzvah Bags at the Rosh Hashanah services to be filled and returned on Yom Kippur. I thought this would be a good time to let you know what The Center has been doing since last year. The Center is an all volunteer organization providing services for people with AIDS, HIV+ and their caregivers. Some of the services are support groups, rent subsidies, pharmacy subsidies, gas and electric bill subsidies, transportation for doctor visits, cooked meal deliveries, and a food and home health care pantry. The Mitzvah Bags will all go to the Center with the help of the Middletown Boy Scouts, Circle Chevrolet as well as others.

This year The Center could see real results in our fundraising efforts and raising the awareness of AIDS in our community. The Center hosted the first AIDS conference for Monmouth County. The Center has tripled its space on Mattison Avenue, with the help of a grant from the Monmouth/Ocean AIDS Consortium. This new space will enable us to start new support groups and enable us to store more home health care supplies. The pantry will also be expanded in the next few months. The Center can now provide a gathering place for people to sit and relax on a daily basis. Once again we are asking everyone to fill the bags they are given and other bags as well, if they choose, with a variety of non perishable food, home cleaning items, personal hygiene items, and home health care supplies. If you would like more information about the Center or the Mitzvah Bags call me at (908) 583-2256.

Steve Mahon

NEED A RIDE TO THE TEMPLE?

CALL FLORENCE COHEN - 542-2143

NEW MEMBERS

On behalf of the Officers and Board of Trustees of Monmouth Reform Temple, I warmly welcome the following members to our Temple Family:

Fred and Rhea Harris, Jeffrey and Jacqueline; 110 Hillcrest Road, Fair Haven, NJ 07704

Elliot and Carol Grand, Elizabeth, Rachel, Sarah and David; 121 Samuel Court, Lincroft, NJ 07738

Lisa Frost and Colin Goodall, Jesse and Charles; 94 Washington Street, Rumson, NJ 07760

Julie Ann Lipton, 100 Seaview Avenue, Monmouth Beach, NJ 07750

Sue Rekedal

REFLECTIONS

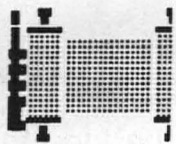
I went to the hospital yesterday. There I found a man from out of town, whose wife is seriously ill. The man sits there day and night, next to her bed, with nothing to do and no one to talk to. I felt for him and so I did what I could to give him some strength.

The man told me that he is not a believer. In fact, he said to me: "I have not been inside a synagogue in many years." I said to him: "If you would like to come to services this year, we would be glad to have you." I told him that he would not need a ticket. He could just tell the usher that he was a guest of mine.

The man said to me: "Look, Rabbi, whatever I have to ask God, I can ask from here." I said: "That's true, but maybe God has something to ask of you." The man thought it over and said: "I never thought of prayer that way."

This is why we come to synagogue on Rosh Hashanah - not only to tell God what we need - God already knows what we need, at least as well as we do. We come to hear what God needs, to listen to God's dreams, to hear God's visions of the way the world should be, to find out what God wants to ask of us.

-----Rabbi Arnold Turetsky



FROM RABBI PRIESAND

Among the many images associated with the Holydays, one of the most powerful and compelling is the Book of Life. At this season of the year, the record book is open and all our deeds recorded. Some believe that God does the recording and decides our fate, and others prefer the notion that we ourselves are responsible for writing the book. In either case, we have an opportunity to change our behavior and create a new and brighter future.

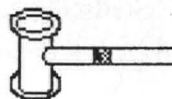
In Hebrew, the Book of Life is called Sefer Hachayim. Now creating a sefer is not like writing an ordinary book. In Judaism, a sefer is sacred, and no matter who its author or what its length, it is considered holy. If dropped, it should be kissed when picked up. If no longer usable, it is never tossed aside or thrown away, but buried with reverence. and perhaps most importantly, a sefer doesn't begin on page 1, but always on page 2, a constant reminder of its connection with everything that has gone before.

As the Holydays approach and we reflect on the priorities we have set for ourselves, we struggle to make certain that the book of our lives is indeed a sefer, a thing of holiness. Do we find in its pages a commitment to the values of our tradition - Torah, tzedakah, tikkun olam? Have we set aside sufficient time for study and prayer? Do we live according to the sacredness of the Jewish calendar, observing Shabbat and festivals, making ritual a meaningful part of our lives? Is God present in the activities of everyday? Do we say yes when the Temple asks for assistance? Are we involved in the community? Do we respond when others need a helping hand? These are the questions that fill our minds during the Hebrew month of Elul, the preparation time for the Holydays! These are the questions that await answers once Rosh Hashanah arrives.

I conclude with this midrash from rabbinic literature: "Adam complains to God: 'Your torah will record that I brought death into the world. I don't mind being responsible for the death of the wicked, but I do mind being held responsible for the death of the righteous!'" God replies: "Don't

worry, Adam. I'm going to have every person write an account of his or her life, and seal it."

May the account you write be filled with holiness, a sefer in the truest sense of the word, and may you and all those who are dear to you know the blessings of love and joy, health and wholeness, as together we begin a new year dedicated to the service of God, the well-being of the Jewish people and the betterment of our community. L'shanah tovah!



FROM THE PRESIDENT

The High Holy Days are fast approaching! As we all look forward to these most important Days of Awe, to reflect on the past year and worship with friends and family. I can say the Ritual committee and the Board have planned thoroughly. But no amount of planning can equal the feeling of Temple family we can anticipate and enjoy.

On a more mundane level, we continue to enjoy the participation of many in the Mitzvot of membership, whether it is through participation in the many committees and activities of our congregation, or simply to report that we maintain close scrutiny on the finances of the Temple. We have taken the action of installing the first stage of a fire safety sprinkling system in the Temple. This may be viewed as costly, but is essential. It is an ever critical imperative for us to balance the budget through our dues and a watchful eye on expenses. We did (barely) balance last year, so as we grow, both dues and saving expenses are important.

Wishing everyone a happy and healthy new year - L'Shanah Tovah!

Shalom,
Rich Goldberg

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

We have been receiving many inquiries about Temple membership. We can expect to see many new faces this fall. Be prepared.

Open house for new and prospective members will be held on Thursday, September 7, 1995 from 6 PM until 9 PM and again on Wednesday, September 13, 1995 from 5 PM until 8 PM. If your children are at Religious School stop in and meet some newcomers.

Be advised that the new member Shabbat will be on October 20, 1995. All are welcome.

Again, anyone interested in joining the membership committee please contact me.

Susan Rekedal
747-8247

OFFICE NOTES

Office Hours: 9 AM -- 5 PM

Fridays - 9 AM - 4 PM

Please schedule your time to meet these hours.

Announcements for Friday evening services are due by Thursday afternoon.

Mailings go out on the **15th of the month**. Flyers are due in the office by the **8th**.

Bulletin is mailed to arrive before the first Friday of the next month. Articles are due in the office by the **10th of the month**.

When making donations to the Temple, please include your name and the fund to which you are contributing when you write the information needed for the card to be sent. Occasionally notes get separated from the checks, making it difficult to match a donation with a name.

Also please return your statement along with your check when paying dues to assure proper credit to your account. Thank you.

BOARD HIGHLIGHTS - AUGUST MEETING

****House - Dean Ross reported that our organ is in poor shape. It was suggested that we start a fund to replace it.**

****Youth - Our new Junior Youth Group Advisor is Rachel Berez.**

****Senior Youth Group - Jessie reported that Sept. 10 will be elections and planning for events for the upcoming year.**

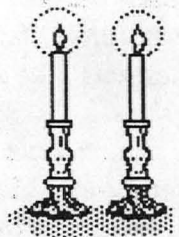
SISTERHOOD

Sisterhood once again is selling Entertainment books. The cost is still forty dollars. This year the '96 book is accompanied by a supplemental directory, Entertainment Gold, which features additional savings at restaurants throughout the country.

TRADITIONAL SABBATH EVE CANDLE LIGHTING

SEPTEMBER

1 - 6:11 PM
8 - 5:59 PM
15 - 5:48 PM
22 - 5:36 PM
29 - 5:24 PM



MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY UPDATE

Please make the following additions or corrections in your member directory:

Changes:

From: Robert & Marianne Gabel
84 Queens Drive South
Little Silver, NJ 07739

To: 55 Vista Drive
Little Silver, NJ 07739

Deletions: Barbara Fisher
P.O. Box 7932
Shrewsbury, NJ 07702

Susan Masluk
12 North Street
Rumson, NJ 07760

Allen & Judy Trauben
7 Shadow Lane
Holmdel, NJ 07733

Phyllis Steinberg
47 Beaumont Court
Tinton Falls, 07724

Brian & Leni Schiefer
26 Monterey Drive
Hazlet, NJ 07730

If you have corrections to be made please call the Temple office as soon as possible.

YOUTH COMMITTEE

This year we are fortunate to have two active, enthusiastic advisors for our youth groups. Rachel Gitlin will continue as advisor to the Senior Youth Group, grades 9-12. She and the Senior Youth Group will build on their progress of last year. For the Junior Youth Group, grades 6-8, our new advisor is Rachel Berez. Rachel B. comes to us with several years experience as the Junior Youth Advisor for Temple Anshe Emeth in New Brunswick. We anticipate creative programs for both groups and look forward to significant

participation by our students. We also solicit and encourage participation by the parents of our students, which is essential to make the program successful.

More details of the Youth Group programs will be sent out with Religious School information. We invite all who are interested in helping the work of the Youth Committee and the Youth Groups to participate with us. Please contact me for more information.

Jay Wiesenfeld

BROTHERHOOD

The Brotherhood officers, Jim Berg, Bernie Brandwene, Barry Miller, and Don Leeds, had a kick off breakfast meeting in August to plan the coming years activity. The annual favorite, Mother's Day Breakfast, is still on in May. But before that day we plan on interesting speakers covering such topics as the Holocaust, being a weekend warrior, Jewish Art, etc. Watch for our flyers regarding these programs. Don't forget your membership dues. If you haven't gotten your notice on membership, please contact Don Leeds at 583-2829.

One of our long standing traditions is to provide ushers for the High Holy Day Services. This year, with the services, more men will have the opportunity to participate. If you are interested please contact Bernie Brandwene at 505-0994

Jim Berg-946-8559

WANTED

The temple office is looking for a small telephone table. If you can donate one please call the office.

WAYS AND MEANS

GRAND UNION SHOPPERS : WE NOW HAVE GRAND UNION! And we hope that you will join with our shoppers from A & P, Acme, Shop-Rite, Foodtown and Pathmark who are raising money for our Temple. This is the easiest fund raiser we have. What makes it so popular? Simple answer; it does not cost you anything. Watch for our flyer to give you all the information you need. Joanna Charnick is in the Temple on Sunday mornings selling and answering questions. Roberta Brown is in the Temple Office during the week, and she will be more than happy to help you.

Our committee is looking for new members. We meet about 8 times a year. We oversee the Nursery School, act as liaison to the Arts Festival and run one fund raiser besides our Scrip Exchange.

Arlene Berg
946-8559

REMEMBER TO PURCHASE YOUR FOOD GIFT CERTIFICATES WHEN YOU'RE DOING YOUR FOOD SHOPPING. CERTIFICATES ARE AVAILABLE THROUGH YOUR SCRIP CAPTAINS OR AT THE TEMPLE OFFICE.

ARTS FESTIVAL NEWS

The kickoff meeting for the Festival of the Arts took place Thursday August 10th. We need help in locating a person or persons who might be interested in functioning as the head of our Publicity committee, or working alone in that role. Please contact Lisa Cohan Aronow if you are interested. Additionally, the MFA committee will be considering proposals from any one interested in being the 1996 Show Designer. For information please contact Kate Greenberg or Lisa Cohan Aronow.

MRT LIBRARY

Our library is located at the end of the classroom wing and is open to all MRT members. We have a large and comprehensive collection of adult and children's material in all areas of Jewish interest. Any time the building is open you can see the library. To check out a book or tape cassette,

just follow the instructions at the desk. The loan period is 2 weeks.

We try to staff the library every Sunday morning during religious school. If you need help using the library at other times, please call Rosalind Reisner or Shelly Gordon.

We are always interested in suggestions for improving the library and welcome new committee members. At our meetings, Sunday mornings, about once a month, we work on projects and plan library programs. (This year we will be concentrating on providing signs that make the collection easier to browse.) The Temple provides funds for us every year in the budget, but those monies are used mainly for the supplies it takes to keep the library running. We look to members of the congregation for funds to purchase books and tape cassettes. As you can see from the excellent collection we have, MRT members have been very generous through the years!

Stop in and take a look at what's available- if you aren't familiar with the library, you'll be pleasantly surprised.

Rosalind Reisner 741-8022
Shelly Gordon 671-9145

BEMA ASSIGNMENTS

Fri. September 8 8:15 PM Karen Karl
Fri. September 15 8:15 PM Susan St.Lifer
Fri. September 22 8:15 PM Joel Morgovsky

USHERS - HOSTS FOR ONEGS

9/8 Ushers-	Frank & Greta Singer
Hosts -	Harmon & Jill Butler Kate Greenberg & Steve Wilkus
9/15 Ushers-	Milton & Claire Mausner
Hosts -	Jerry & Peggy Baker Martin & Joy Weinstein
9/22 Ushers-	David & Helene Miller
Hosts -	Paul and Arlene Benson Steve and Elaine Weisbrot
9/29 Ushers-	Barbara Morreale
	Karen O'Rourke
Hosts -	Philip & Cynthia Auerbach Steve & Toby Woodard

SEPTEMBER EVENTS

SEPTEMBER 1 -	FRIDAY - 8:15 PM - SABBATH EVE
SEPTEMBER 6 -	WEDNESDAY - 7:00 PM - MUSIC COMMITTEE WEDNESDAY - 8:00 PM - RITUAL
SEPTEMBER 7 -	THURSDAY - 6-9 PM - OPEN HOUSE - NEW MEMBERS
SEPTEMBER 8 -	FRIDAY - 8:15 PM - SABBATH EVE
SEPTEMBER 10 -	SUNDAY - 12:00 PM - YOUTH
SEPTEMBER 12 -	TUESDAY - 7:30 PM - NURSERY SCHOOL PARENTS 8:00 PM - SOCIAL ACTION
SEPTEMBER 13 -	WEDNESDAY - 5-8 PM - OPEN HOUSE 8:00 PM - EXECUTIVE BOARD
SEPTEMBER 14 -	THURSDAY - 7:30 PM - ARTS FESTIVAL
SEPTEMBER 15 -	FRIDAY - 8:15 PM - SABBATH EVE
SEPTEMBER 16 -	SATURDAY - 9:00 PM - S'lichot HAVDALAH, BAGEL BASH, HOLIDAY PROGRAM 11:30 PM - SERVICE
SEPTEMBER 17 -	SUNDAY - 9:45 AM - SISTERHOOD BOARD 12:00 PM - YOUTH
SEPTEMBER 18 -	MONDAY - 7-8 PM PRE-SCHOOL PROGRAM
SEPTEMBER 19 -	TUESDAY - 8:00 PM - TEMPLE BOARD
SEPTEMBER 22 -	FRIDAY - 8:15 PM - SABBATH EVE
SEPTEMBER 24 -	SUNDAY - 8:15 PM - EREV ROSH HASHANAH
SEPTEMBER 25 -	MONDAY - ROSH HASHANAH EARLY SERVICE - 8:45 AM LATE SERVICE - 11:30 AM FAMILY SERVICE - 3:00 PM
SEPTEMBER 27 -	WEDNESDAY - 7:30 PM - YOUTH 7:45 PM - WAYS & MEANS
SEPTEMBER 29 -	FRIDAY - 8:15 PM - SABBATH EVE

WE NOW HAVE SEVERAL COPIES OF

LARGE PRINT

GATES OF REPENTANCE

FOR THE HIGH HOLYDAYS

PLEASE LET THE USHER KNOW

IF YOU NEED ONE

YAHREZEITS

- Sept. 4 *Ann Baron, *Lillian Kohn, Rose Boyer, Elaine Small, Edith Yourish, Joan Lever, Iyja Y. Bakelman, William Woolf, Jean Chanenson, Clayton Fishman, Jenny Shockman, Ethel Scharfer, Samuel Scharfer, Max Feldman, Alan Lowenstein, *Frieda Jung, Lillian Davis Kaswimer, Esther Brandwene
- 8 Anna Harran, Anna Dickheiser, *Morris Kalkstein, Jessie Miller, *Michael Yagoda, Estee Braddon, Morris Diamond, Eva Weinstein, Isadore Levin, Sylvia Woolf, Adolf Zager, Israel Ruby, Doris Boxman, Nathan Isquith, Rikki Schuster, Harry Cohen, Meyer Heyman, Gloria St. Lifer
- 15 Nan S. Bernard, *Sid Komar, John Potter, Lester Buttermann, *Irene Tuchband, Benjamin Lissner, Irving Brecher, Philip Schwartz, Max Brenner, Dorothy Hirsch, Myrna Fuchs, Mae Danzig, *Donald L. Fink, Ruth Levi, Julius H. Klein, *Harold Mausner
- 22 Phyllis Alpert, Abraham Snedcof, Irving Cohen, *Sonya Brecker, *Anne Rogovin, Lukas Hovatter, Ann Silvers, *Gertrude L. Marx, Marshall Lobell, *Morris Dworkin, *Gilbert H. Salomon, Julius Liff, Lillian Greenfield, Michael Kantor, *Stella Bernstein, *Blume R. Miller
- 29 *George Welner, Walter Peskoe, Esther Hauser, Jennie Feld, Ethel Goldsmith, *Herman Solomon, *Abram Kridel, *Roslyn Falk Garin, Harold Dick, Celia Goldstein, Babette Kaltenbacher Flaum, Martha Weinberg, *Philip Falk

* Indicates a plaque

Plaques, which are dedicated to a family member, can be purchased through the Temple Office. They are hung on the entrance way to the Sanctuary. Spaces are available on both walls. Cost is currently \$350. Please call the office for details.

NURSERY SCHOOL NEWS

My name is Bobbie LaPlaca and I am pleased to be the new Director of Tinton Falls cooperative Nursery School. We are a state certified preschool sponsored by Monmouth Reform Temple. The school accepts children between the ages of 2 1/2 years to 5 years. Parents may participate in the classroom; however, aides are available for those parents who are unable to help. The following morning and afternoon classes are being offered:

3yr olds	T & Th	Am or PM
4yr olds	M, W & F	Am or PM
4day Pre-K	M thru Th	AM
5 day Pre-K	M thru F	PM
5 day advanced Pre K	M thru F	AM
Mom & Me	Fri	AM
Extended Care	M thru Th	11:30AM - 5:00 PM

(New Expanded Hours)

We are now registering for the fall. Interested parents may drop in or contact the school for additional information.

Bobbie LaPlaca, Director
747-3990

For information and registration regarding the once a month Pre-School Program call Adaya Henis, 291-2085 or the Temple, 747-9365.

SAVE THE DATE!

MRT celebrates our
36th Anniversary.
Plan to join us for
a celebration on
Friday, December 8th and
Saturday, December 9th

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL NOTES

Religious School opens on Sunday, September 10. While your children are sharing summer experiences with their classmates and their teachers are learning new names, you are expected to take part in our annual BACK TO SCHOOL get together. After refreshments at 9:30, members of the Religious School committee will bring you up to date on MRT's programs. At the conclusion of the session, your children's teachers will meet with you in their classrooms to describe their curriculum and hopes for 1995-96.

With some manipulation of the school CALENDAR, Rabbi Priesand was able to give your children off from school on the Wednesday preceding and the Sunday following the NJEA school break in November. This four day weekend was created by holding school on Erev Rosh Hashanah, Sunday, September 24, and the Sunday preceding the January 15th birthday of Martin Luther King. A full school calendar appears on the last page of the Religious School Booklet. Please consider affixing the calendar to your refrigerator door with your favorite magnet.

Our school's rules, routines and policies are described in the Religious School Booklet to keep you current on the expectations MRT has for every student. With the approach of school comes the beginning of the soccer season. As a matter of course I will be asked to release children early from class to attend practices or games; absences may occur for the same reason. All absences, for athletic reasons, family visits or illness are governed by the same rule: children in grades 4-9 are expected to attend more than 80% of all sessions. Additional assignments will be given to students missing more than 20% of their class time. I suggest that parents carefully monitor their children's attendance and to advise them to judiciously use their allowable absences. Emergencies, illnesses and secular school related matters do necessitate absences in the later months; therefore, absences should not be taken unless definitely needed.

School families should read through the Booklet to become familiar with all school requirements. Booklets are made available to families with no children, very young children or

grandchildren in order to encourage them to attend our holiday celebrations. (In fact, MRT families subsidize the school operation, and therefore, are entitled to know how our budget is allocated.)

As I complete this month's article, I am still euphoric from my participation in the annual convention sponsored by the Conference on Alternatives in Jewish Education (CAJE). The four day conference, held at the University of Massachusetts, was attended by over 2,000 educators representing viewpoints along the entire Jewish philosophical continuum. Rabbis, cantors, principals, teachers and lay people met together to learn, sing, dance and renew old friendships in a totally Jewish setting. CAJE's Executive Director, Elliot Spack, ended the last night's ceremonies by asking us to return to our communities to report that "the leaders in charge of Jewish education are up to their task with greater knowledge and renewed vigor." After hours and hours of intense workshops followed by hours of late night Jewish entertainment, I echo Elliot's words.

Janet Bell and Evelyn Kornberg join me in thanking the Temple for sending us to this year's CAJE conference. We say to you without hesitation that our collective energies are ready for your children as we look forward to the 1995-96 academic year.

At one workshop on current educational theory, I listened to a distinction made between a principal's goals and his/her objectives. A goal is for the short term and an objective is meant for the future. My goal for your children is to provide the best possible Jewish education every Wednesday and Sunday. My objective is to greet each one of you as you enter the sanctuary to join family and friends at your child's Confirmation ceremony.

Leshanah Tovah Tikatevu - May God write you down for a good year.

Shalom,

David Levinsky

SECRETARY WANTED

MRT WISHES TO HIRE A PART TIME SECRETARY. THE APPLICANT MUST BE COMPUTER LITERATE, AVAILABLE ON WEDNESDAYS FROM 4:00-6:00 PM AND SUNDAYS FROM 9:00 - NOON, OTHER HOURS, IF ANY, ARE NEGOTIABLE. CALL DAVID LEVINSKY OR ROBERTA BROWN - 747-9365

THE CONGREGATION ACKNOWLEDGES WITH THANKS THE FOLLOWING CONTRIBUTIONS as received in the Temple Office from July 19 through Aug 18:

to the Rabbi's Fund:

from Ruth and Leonard Schlosberg to Mr. Harry Biller in memory of Esther Biller

from Sandy and Bernie Brandwene to Elaine Espey in memory of her mother and to Frank Whyman in memory of his mother

from Norma and Charles Bernstein in memory of Ann Baron and Martin A. Brown and in honor of Hy and Eleanor Kuperstein's anniversary

from Hilda Schnabolk

from Greta and Frank Singer to Rabbi Priesand, wishing you a speedy recovery

from Francine and Barry Litofsky to Rabbi Priesand, wishing her a speedy recovery

from Marcia and Geoffrey Horn to Rabbi Priesand, best wishes for a speedy and complete recovery

from Helene Marx to Mr. & Mrs William Kronenberg in honor of the naming of Alexis Jade Kronenberg

from Marika, Steven, and Alan Cagle to Rabbi, wishing her a complete and speedy recovery and to Sheila, Brad and Marissa Levin in memory of Marc and condolences on the loss of Leon Levin

to the Fund for the Homeless:

from Charlotte Maskowitz to Max Singer in honor of Max Singer

from Charles and Norma Bernstein to Hy and Fanny Klein congratulations on moving into their new home, to Florence Diller congratulations on being named Teacher of the Year, to Max Singer on his continued recovery, to Bob and Ann Koslow congratulations on the marriage of their son, to Rabbi best wishes for continued recovery

from Elaine Espey to Ann and Bob Koslow congratulations on the marriage of your son, to Fannie and Hy Klein congratulations on the birth of your grandson

to the Joan Goodman Scholar-In-Residence Fund:

from Adam and Florence Diller get well wishes to Rabbi Priesand and Flo Korchin

from Barbara and Al Goldstein to Francine Litofsky wishing you a speedy recovery, to Flo

Korchin wishing you a speedy recovery, to Ian Brightman wishing you a speedy recovery

from Florence and Herbert Korchin to Elaine Espey in memory of your mother, to Lila and Max Singer in memory of Max's brother, to Bob Rosin good health wishes, to Helene and Dave Miller in honor the birth of your grandson, to Fannie and Hy Klein best wishes in your new home, to Ann and Bob Koslow congratulations on the marriage of your son

from Betty and Bob Schulman to Phyllis and Bob Rosenberg in honor of the birth of your granddaughter, Piper Rosenberg

to the Altar Flower Fund:

from Louis and Doris Holzman in memory of Reba Pons and Rose Yellenberg

from Lois and Isaac Blonder in memory of Bradley T. Blonder

from Jerry and Peggy Baker in memory of Rose Zager and Arthur Baker

from Max and Lila Singer in memory of Joseph Singer

from Rich and Linda Goldberg in memory of Bernard Goldberg

from Leonard and Ruth Schlosberg in memory of Ralph Schlosberg

from Laurence and Laurie Lowenstein in memory of Toby Garson

from Susan J. Martin in memory of Ethel Alpine Semer

from Melvin and Shirley Zeisel in memory of Albert E. Zeisel

from Howard and Sheila Bodner in memory of Anne Potter

from Barry and Francine Litofsky in memory of Jack Shiffman

from Helene Marx in memory of Blanche C. Marx

to the Mazon Fund:

from Trudy and Steve Goldsmith to Bob Rosin so glad you're feeling better, to Max Singer so glad you're feeling better, to Wayne Baker congratulations on your engagement

to the Mazon Fund:

from Barbara and Richard Gitlin to Dr. and Mrs. Harvey Cohen and Family in memory of Harvy's mother, to Ian Brightman, thinking of you

to the Scholarship Fund:

from Barbara and Al Goldstein to Phyllis and Bob Rosenberg congratulations on your new granddaughter, to Jack Kohn congratulations on your recent birthday

from Barbara and Al Goldstein to Frank and Susan Whyman on the death of his mother, to Cora and Stu Tuchband congratulations on Matthew's and Steve's graduation, to Susan and Barry Kahn congratulations on Michael's marriage, to Fannie and Hy Klein much happiness in your new home and congratulations on the birth of your new grandson, to Robert and Ann Koslow congratulations on your son's marriage

to the Adult Ed

from Joan and Harold Kuskin to Frank and Susan Whyman in memory of Frank's mother, Celia Whyman

from Philip and Anna Balaban to Frank and Susan Whyman in memory of Frank's mother

to the Fink Music

from Lois and Larry Avrin in honor of Andrew Miller's marriage

to the Arts and Deco

from Joyce and John Christie to Rabbi Priesand, Ian Brightman, Bob Rosin, Max Singer wishing you good health, to Fannie and Hy Klein on the birth of your grandson, Benjamin

SHARING SIMCHAS

The Temple family extends a hearty Mazel Tov to:

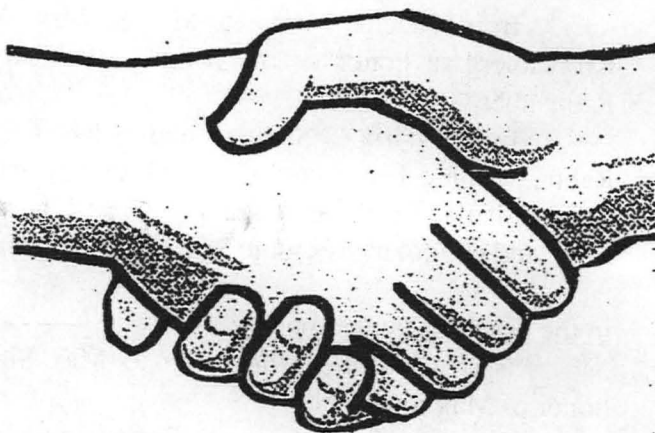
Gabe and Miriam Torok on the engagement of son David, to Sarah Rose

Linda and Ira Friedman on the engagement of their son, Jon

Susan and Barry Kahn in honor of the marriage of their son, Michael

HIGH HOLYDAY FOOD DRIVE

On Rosh Hashanah morning
Monday, September 25th each
family will receive a
MITZVAH BAG to fill with
food and other items for
THE CENTER
which provides support for
people with AIDS.



Please don't forget to fill and
return your MITZVAH BAG
to the Temple on Wednesday,
October 4th Yom Kippur
morning or afternoon family
service.

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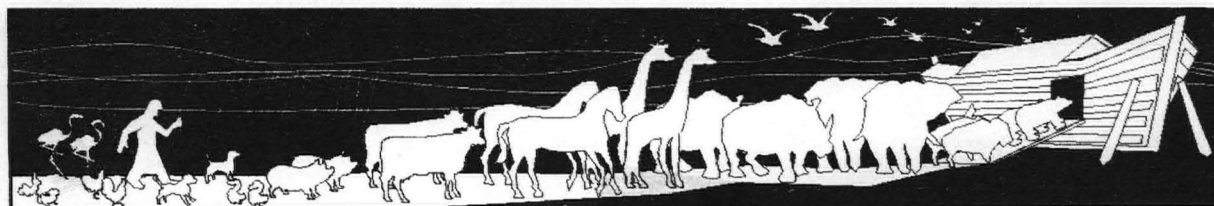
**BACK TO SCHOOL
MORNING FOR ALL
RELIGIOUS SCHOOL
PARENTS
ON OPENING DAY
SEPTEMBER 10**

REFRESHMENTS - 9:30

GENERAL MEETING - 10:00

PARENT-TEACHER MEETING

11:10



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MONMOUTH REFORM TEMPLE CALENDAR FOR SEPT.

WORSHIP SERVICES

September 1 Fri Sabbath Eve - 8:15 PM
8 Fri Sabbath Eve - 8:15 PM
15 Fri Sabbath Eve - 8:15 PM
16 Sat **S'lichot**
Haydalah - 9:00 PM
Bagel Bash, Holiday Program
Service - 11:30 PM
22 Fri Sabbath Eve - 8:15 PM
24 Sun Erev Rosh Hashanah- 8:15 PM
25 Mon Rosh Hashanah:
Early Service - 8:45 AM
Late Service - 11:30 AM
Family Service 3:00 PM
29 Fri Sabbath Eve - 8:15 PM
Shabbat Shuvah

MEETINGS

September 6 Music 7:00 PM
Ritual 8:00 PM
10 Youth 12:00 PM
12 Nur.Sch. Parents 7:30 PM
Social Action 8:00 PM
13 Executive Board 8:00 PM
14 Arts Festival 7:30 PM
17 Sisterhood Board 9:45 AM
Youth 12:00 PM
19 Temple Board 8:00 PM
27 Youth 7:30 PM
Ways & Means 7:45 PM

Special Events

September 7 Open House 6-9 PM
13 Open House 5-8 PM
18 Pre-School Prog. 7-8 PM