



# Temple Adath Israel Bulletin

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## An abundance of Omer opportunities

### FROM THE RABBI'S STUDY



**David  
Wirtschafter**

The 49 days between the festivals of Passover and Shavuot are known as the Omer. A blessing is said for each day as we count them off in order. As the rabbinic

commentary goes, the purpose of the Omer is not merely to count our days but to make our days count. Here are a number of worship and program highlights to enrich the next few weeks of our spiritual lives:

**MAY 10:** Our Views from the Pews speaker will be Janny Scheeline. Janny is an active member of our congregation who works diligently in the Mitzvah Garden and pitches in on culinary events like TAI on Rye. A person who lives with a hearing impairment, Janny was inspired to speak on this particular Torah portion that includes the famous verse “You shall not curse the deaf nor place a stumbling block before the blind.” Music for this service will be led by Gabe Robitaille and Jonathan Miller with additional guitar and vocal accompaniment from Jonathan and Levi Bronner, the father and brother, respectively, of Ariana Bronner, who will be called to the Torah as a Bat Mitzvah the following day.

**MAY 17-18:** Hadassah Shabbat, with Friday evening services at 7 p.m. at TAI and 10 a.m. Saturday at OZS. You might recall that we had to cancel last year’s Hadassah service at Temple due to the weather, so we are looking forward to this

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At the Passover-themed Kabbalat Shabbat in April, Eva was pleased with the results of her macaroon-decorating efforts.

## Kabbalat Shabbat: a new monthly event

After a low-key start, TAI’s new Kabbalat Shabbat is off and running.

The idea behind Kabbalat Shabbat is, as its name means, to welcome Shabbat. The program, which began in

March, includes dinner and programming before regular services at 7 p.m. It is family-friendly but also meaningful and appropriate for anyone of any age who wants to find

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# Oh, the places you'll go

## FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK



**Rich  
Ornstein**

It's interesting how much being involved at TAI can change one's life. Before becoming more involved, I practiced and participated in Judaism as I saw fit, something I still do, but back then I was more likely to be at TAI for a "food" event than for a religious service. And on vacation, with the rare exception of visiting the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum in Washington, D.C., I don't recall visiting another Jewish site unless you count

lunching at a kosher or kosher-style deli. TAI has changed that part of me.

In April, Angie and I, along with Joy and Simon Fisher, friends we made by participating in Jewish Federation of the Bluegrass activities, took a cruise that included Aruba and Curaçao. As a history buff and someone who enjoys older architecture, I was excited about these stops. While our Aruba visit was nice, it's Curaçao that I will remember fondly, and it wasn't for the reasons I thought. We did the typical tours and had lunch at a wonderful spot where I unwittingly enjoyed a delicious Curaçao-Jewish entree, *keshi yena*, basically stuffed cheese. But what made this trip memorable was the walk through downtown Willemstad to Mikvé Israel-Emanuel synagogue, consecrated in 1732 and the oldest synagogue in continuing use in the Americas. Would I have visited



The sand-covered floor at Mikvé Israel-Emanuel in Curaçao

the synagogue on my own? Probably not, but with Joy leading the way, I followed.

Once there, we visited its museum, which was fine for what it was. What was memorable were two things: the sanctuary floor, which was covered in sand, and talking with Rabbi Martin Hirsch. We had a delightful conversation with him about the small congregation (104 congregants with half living elsewhere), our congregation and the building. After being asked, Rabbi Hirsch explained that the sand on the sanctuary floor was not some cool Caribbean tradition but served two religious purposes: It represents both G-d telling Abraham that his children would be like sand on a beach, and the 40 years our ancestors spent in the desert. The latter resonated with me as Passover was approaching.

That's one of the many ways that my involvement in TAI has changed me for the good. I'm aware I have written many articles — maybe too many — about that. But it has been a wonderful exploratory journey and one I hope some of you will experience. Being involved at TAI doesn't require hours and hours of service monthly. Just a few hours each month can be life-changing. While I currently volunteer more than a few hours a month, those hours are some of the best in my life.



**Our pop-deli returns  
Sunday, June 2  
11:30 a.m.-2 p.m.**

Mersack & Stern Social Hall

We'll be taking advance orders for chopped liver. Look for an email when the ordering site goes live.

**From Pastrami to Poetry:  
Nourishment for Body and Soul  
2 p.m. Sunday, June 2 (after TAI on Rye)**

Educational Suite

Poetry, prose, music & open mic  
With poet Susan Cobin  
and musical duo Lauren Hill and Jerry Suhl

Presented by TAI Adult Education Committee  
RSVP by calling the temple office at 859-269-2979.





## **FROM THE RELIGIOUS SCHOOL**

**Elissa Weinstein,  
Director**

Shalom! Sunday, May 5, is the last day of our Religious School year, and what a great year it's been. Our students accomplished so much. The year started off with a fun Yom Kippur- and Sukkot-themed day followed by consecration in the fall. We collected and donated lots of supplies for the Compassionate Caravan, the Hopemobile and the Hope Center Emergency Shelter. Tzipurei Shir, our children's choir, delighted us with song at many of our Family Shabbat services. We helped with the garden, cooked up a storm in the kitchen, created amazing art projects, learned, sang, laughed, made sandwiches and bags for the needy, heard from guest speakers and readers, learned about summer camp opportunities, participated and led services, and so much more.

Our Family Shabbat dinners and services went great, so much so that we rolled out a new Kabbalat Shabbat program in March that has been amazing. In March, our first-/second-graders each presented the favorite thing they've learned this year. The class, taught by Faith McBride-Byrne and Raya Isenstein, did an amazing job. During their class time they learned about Jewish values, learning the Aleph Bet and talking about Jewish holidays. In April, our kindergarten and Pre-K classes also shared the favorite things they've learned this year. Another wonderful job done! Kindergarten is taught by Jamie Schencker and Danit Schachman, while Jessalin Archer teaches our Pre-K. Both of those classes have spent the year working on their Hebrew letters and vowels, learning about holidays and different Jewish values.

Religious School could not exist without our amazing teachers. It's not only been a pleasure watching them teach every week, but also seeing them take such care in molding our children. I would like to thank all the teachers who have made an impact on Religious School this year: Laura Schachman, Jo Stone, Abby Miller, Mark Schachman, Dan Isenstein, Diane Arnson-Svarlien, Jordan



Teacher's aide Danit Schachman helped kindergartner Rama share his favorite lesson at Religious School this year.

Brennan, Amanda Palley, Rabbi David Wirtschafter, Faith McBride-Byrne, Raya Isenstein, Danit Schachman, Jamie Schencker, Gabe Robitaille, and Jessalin Archer. Whether it was an occasional Sunday or every week, these people have given our TAI children a gift. Their hard work and support of Jewish education is exceptional.

While we are looking forward to a nice summer off, plans are being made for the next school year. Keep an eye on your email for Religious School updates this summer.

## **KABBALAT**

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more ways to connect with their faith and our community.

The idea stemmed from a TAI working group representing young families in the congregation. Chaired by Erik Schwartz, the group's goal was to come up with recommendations for "deepening the role that young people and families play in all aspects of temple life."

"We already were looking to expand our family Shabbat programming that would appeal to a wider range of congregants and fit their busy schedules," Religious School

director Elissa Weinstein said. "Based on the working group's suggestions and along with Rabbi Wirtschafter and Executive Director Nick Fain, Kabbalat Shabbat was born."

The next Kabbalat Shabbat is set for 5:30 p.m. Friday, May 31, with services at 7. Weather permitting, it will be a block party along the back of the building, spreading out from the patio. Bring a lawn chair, stake out a spot to eat, mingle, participate and welcome Shabbat.

Additional Kabbalat Shabbats over the summer are scheduled July 19 and Aug. 23. The format will continue to evolve as TAI seeks to reach out to the entire congregation.



**BAT MITZVAH**

Jonathan and Sarah Bronner  
invite you to share  
in their great happiness as their daughter

**ARIANA JADE BRONNER**  
is called to the Torah as a Bat Mitzvah

10:30 a.m. Saturday, May 11, 2024  
at Temple Adath Israel,  
124 N. Ashland Ave.

There will be a kiddush luncheon  
immediately after the morning service.

Ari also will participate  
in the Shabbat service  
at 7 p.m. Friday, May 10.

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to let us know that you plan to attend.



**RABBI**

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upcoming service. The speaker Friday evening at 7 will be Dominique Olbert; Saturday at 10 a.m. we will hear from Joy Fisher. Please note: To support strong attendance at OZS, there will be no Saturday study sessions at TAI.

**MAY 24:** Our musical guest reunites us with an old friend who joined us nine years ago at my installation service.

Dr. John Pleasants, right, is the cantorial soloist and choir director at Ames Jewish Congregation, the Iowa community I served on a part-time basis for seven years when we were living in Minnesota. In addition to singing with us at installation, you might be familiar with John from his rendition of *V'Shamru* which we have used at TAI on numerous occasions. Please join us for a service filled with John's original compositions and personal favorites among melodies we are more familiar with.



**JUNE 2:** A dynamic double feature: TAI on Rye,

followed by a readings from poet Susan Cobin and music by Lauren Hill and Jerry Suhl. We are calling the afternoon "From Pastrami to Poetry: Nourishment for Body and Soul." Come for a delicious sandwich and stay for a delightful reading and dessert. There also will be 3-minute open-mic opportunities for attendees.

**JUNE 7:** Sisterhood Shabbat. Join us for this annual service led by the remarkable women of our congregation. There will be a pre-service oneg at 5:30 p.m., followed by the service at 6 (note the hour-earlier start time), and dinner afterward.

**JUNE 11/13:** Tikun Leil Shavuot (Erev Shavuot study sessions), hosted by OZS and co-sponsored by TAI with session leaders from both congregations, will be at 7:30 p.m. June 11. This year's theme will be "Blessings and Challenges of Peoplehood." Yizkor and festival service for Shavuot also will be at OZS with co-sponsorship from TAI. Worship on June 13 begins at 9:30 a.m.

Please make the most of these Omer opportunities by attending as many as you can and encouraging family and friends to do likewise.





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Week IV: July 29 - Aug 2 - The Olympics



## News From



The Jewish Federation  
OF THE BLUEGRASS

### Maggid: Israel Experience

7 p.m. Wednesday, May 8, at Pivot Brewing, 1400 Delaware Ave. Community members tell their stories in celebration of Yom HaAtzmaut. Questions: email Joy Fisher at [joy@jewishlexington.org](mailto:joy@jewishlexington.org).

### Night at the Ballpark

6:45 p.m. Thursday, May 23, at Legends Field, 207 Legends Lane. Celebrate Jewish Heritage Month as the Lexington Legends take on the High Point Rockers with a special giveaway. \$8; tickets available at [Bit.ly/JFBlegends](https://bit.ly/JFBlegends). For more information, contact Mindy Haas: [mindy@jewishlexington.org](mailto:mindy@jewishlexington.org).

### 2024 DiverCity Festival

Noon-7 p.m. Saturday, May 25, at Robert F. Stephens Courthouse Plaza, Main Street and North Limestone. JFB will represent the local Jewish community as Lexington celebrate its diverse cultures. Performances, vendors, food, drink. More information: Daniel Baker, [Daniel@jewishlexington.org](mailto:Daniel@jewishlexington.org).

### Assistance requests

If you or someone you know needs help with housing, utilities, grocery shopping or other situations, contact Paula Mertens, Jewish Family Services director, at (859) 269-8244 or [jfs@jewishlexington.org](mailto:jfs@jewishlexington.org).



# YAHREZEIT ... *These we remember ...*



## **May 3**

Harry L. Alperin  
 Mary Ann Baumstark  
 Bernard Brill  
 Don Buckholtz  
 Philip Dechtenberg  
 Henry Diamond  
 Sonya Fishman  
 Bernice Herman  
 Lee Wayne Hicks  
 Phillip Hurwitz  
 Oscar Kaston  
 Regina L. Landesberg  
 Max Lattin  
 Marjorie B. Leffler  
 John K. McDonald  
 Isadore A. "Jack"  
 Miller  
 Shirley Rattner  
 Richard N. Rose  
 Ernest Rosenzweig  
 Maurice W. Spector  
 Kahlman Stern  
 James Wile Strauss  
 Hattie Weil Thurman

## **May 10**

Daniel Adams  
 Irene Caudill  
 Bloomfield  
 Robert Cazden  
 Janet Clawson  
 Carolyn Davis  
 Lawrence Michael  
 Gerson  
 Matilda Coulter  
 Gilmour  
 Emma Roos Hammel  
 Annie Jacobsen  
 Samuel Kahan  
 Amelia H. Marks  
 Morris Mayer  
 Beatrice F. Miller  
 Seymour L.  
 Moskowitz  
 Nathan Mulinsky  
 Barbara Robinson  
 Roth  
 Kurt Rosenbaum  
 Joseph Shapero

Isadore Weiss  
 Irvin Young

## **May 17**

Sol Bederman  
 Robert V. Breck  
 Charles H. Cohen  
 Marie P. Davis  
 Marion Fine  
 Charles Gewirtzman  
 George Gordon  
 Edna Gorfine  
 Dorothy Halleck  
 Marianne Madeleine  
 Haskell  
 Lottie Lattin  
 Yetta Levenson  
 Morris L. Levy  
 Rena Marks Markhoff  
 Harry Markovitz  
 Lena D. Munich  
 Liesel Rein  
 Rose Rozen  
 Fannie H. Scher  
 Beatrice Schumer  
 Herman Straus  
 Renee Boral Trief  
 Joyce Wenneker  
 Lillian Wintner  
 Fannie Torte  
 Wurmser

## **May 24**

Rose Cantor  
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 Emile Elkouby  
 Mildred Emily Frank  
 James Slaughter  
 Frankel  
 Alberta Gerson  
 Jack L. Goldenberg  
 Jane Hart  
 Jack Joffe  
 Sara Joffe  
 Leonard Lipton  
 Robert Ades Mickler  
 Frances Nisman  
 Bobby Morse Payne  
 William Snyder

## **May 31**

Erna Terese Abraham  
 Annibale  
 Ida Wides Baker  
 Max Bloom  
 Elsie Bloomfield  
 Lillian Brill  
 Jean Louisa Brown  
 Anita Fleet  
 Eleanor Fried  
 Miriam Graff  
 Rabbi Milton  
 Grafman  
 Craig Jonas  
 Howard Kauffman  
 Daisy Frankel Klein  
 Yetta Kravetz  
 Joseph Leep  
 Julius Marks  
 Jack Martin  
 Bonnie McCrary  
 Joseph Herman  
 Miller  
 Adalin Moskowitz  
 Melvina Newman  
 Rita Mitchell  
 Nichtberger  
 Dorothy Palley  
 Eleanor Potash  
 Joseph G. Pressman  
 Stanley Irwin Rose  
 Max Sandler  
 Robert Louis Scher  
 Luvishia W. Stivers  
 Grigori Tabacnic  
 Goldie Walters

## **June 7**

Howard Cherin  
 Robert Colley  
 Jim Delk  
 Rabbi Julian Fleg  
 Myrtle Fox  
 Jake Friedman  
 Marsha Rudnick  
 Gross  
 Minerva Hamburg  
 Stuart Harris  
 Nathan Herman  
 Lillian Kaplan

Ruth Kuc  
 Marilyn Lieber  
 Constance Loventhal  
 Pearl Roorda  
 Vida Schottenstein  
 Nemat Shakib  
 Yafa Shakib  
 Freda Shraberg  
 Dorothy Silver  
 DeWayne Sparkman  
 Ruby Jewel Sparkman  
 Robert B. Stith  
 Bob Trammell  
 Irene Wenneker

## **June 14**

Maxwell Bloom  
 Alan Bloomfield  
 Bill Booker  
 William Clemmons Sr.  
 Alva U. Coyle  
 Dorothy Day  
 Harold Louis Diamond  
 Sidney Greenberg  
 Aaron Hymson  
 Albert Isaacs  
 Sylvia Seligman Levy  
 Joseph Manus "Jay"  
 Liebman  
 Manuel Lowenthal  
 Elouise Shepherd  
 Sallye Barnett  
 Slaughter  
 Martin Solomon  
 Irvin Stern Jr.

Ronald Troxtell  
 Maxwell Weinberger  
 Norma Hundley  
 Whitehouse

## **June 21**

David Ades  
 Harold Baker  
 William Biederman  
 Jayne Bolotin  
 David Carl Dachner  
 David Fine  
 Louis Hustedde  
 Agatha Kling Isaacs  
 Simon Jacobs  
 Emanuel Jaffe  
 Mae Kahan  
 Alvin Kaplan  
 Bessie Kessler  
 Ruth Kessler  
 Nancy Latouf  
 Barbara Liebman  
 Leslie Ann Lipton  
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 Sarah K. Mickler  
 Sam Nevel  
 Tinya Norris  
 Shirley Elizabeth  
 Poppas  
 Morton Rosenberg  
 Benjamin Rubin  
 David Shakib  
 Rabbi HD Uriel Smith  
 Houston Todd  
 Helene Trachtenberg

### *In Memoriam ...*

**Rabbi William Leffler**, husband of Ki Leffler, father of Carrie, Edie and William III

**Ira Mersack**, father of Rebecca (Joe) Young, Beth (Raymond) Brody and Melinda Mersack (Mark Jacobs), grandfather of Jacob and Max Young, Ethan and Camille Brody, and Isaiah, Eli and Kiva Jacobs

**Susan Schueler**, sister of Frank (Jill) Ceraulo

*May their memories be for a blessing*



# WORSHIP, STUDY SCHEDULE



Study groups meet in person with a Zoom option.

### May 3

Shabbat 7 p.m.

### May 4

Jewish Texts/Kollel 9 a.m.  
Parsha 11 a.m.  
Acharei Mot— Leviticus 16:1-18:30

### May 10

Shabbat 7 p.m.

### May 11

Jewish Texts/Kollel 9 a.m.  
No Torah Study  
Ari Bronner Bat Mitzvah 10:30 a.m.

### May 17

Hadassah Shabbat 7 p.m.

### May 18

Hadassah Shabbat 10 a.m. at OZS  
No Jewish/Texts or Torah Study sessions  
at TAI

### May 24

Shabbat 7 p.m.

### May 25

Jewish Texts/Kollel 9 a.m.  
Parsha 11 a.m.  
B'har— Leviticus 25:1-26:2

### May 31

Kabbalat Shabbat 5:30 p.m.  
Shabbat 7 p.m.

### June 1

Jewish Texts/Kollel 9 a.m.  
Parsha 11 a.m.  
B'chukotai— Leviticus 26:3-27:34

### June 7

Sisterhood Shabbat 6 p.m.

### June 8

Jewish Texts/Kollel 9 a.m.  
Parsha 11 a.m.  
B'midbar— Numbers 1:1-4:20

### June 11

Erev Shavuot study sessions  
7:30 p.m. at OZS

### June 13

Shavuot yizkor/festival service  
9:30 a.m. at OZS

### June 14

Shabbat 7 p.m.

### June 15

Jewish Texts/Kollel 9 a.m.  
Parsha 11 a.m.  
Naso— Numbers 4:21-7:89

### June 21

Kabbalat Shabbat 5:30 p.m.  
Shabbat 7 p.m.

### June 22

Jewish Texts/Kollel 9 a.m.  
Parsha 11 a.m.  
B'haalot'cha— Numbers 8:1-12:16

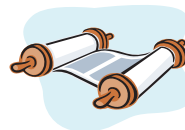
## KOLLEL STUDY GROUP

Kollel meets at 9 a.m. Saturdays, alternating with Jewish Texts. The group explores cultural, ethical and historical aspects of our 4,000-year tradition. The emphasis is on dialogue and exploration. You may join the group any time.



## JEWISH TEXTS STUDY

We will discuss selected readings in rabbinic literature at 9 a.m. Saturdays, alternating with Kollel Study Group. The discussion is always lively and informative, and you may join any time.



## PARSHA

Join us each Saturday morning at 11 as we take a look at the Torah portion for the week. Sessions are not held when there is a bar or bat mitzvah service.

## UPCOMING MEETINGS

### Executive Committee

Thursday, May 16, 6:30 p.m.

Monday, June 10, 6:30 p.m.\*

Thursday, July 11, 6:30 p.m.

### Board of Directors

Tuesday, May 21, 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, June 18, 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 16, 6:30 p.m.

\* Note change from usual day

## TAI MISSION STATEMENT

Temple Adath Israel is a Reform Jewish congregation linked to a tradition of welcoming those searching for a community committed to honoring the dignity we all share as children of the one God by embracing these enduring Jewish values: *AVODAH* (Worship); *TALMUD TORAH* (Torah Study); *TZEDEK* (Social Justice); and *KEHILAH* (Community). Our mission is to inspire our congregants' Jewish engagement and to ensure a vibrant Jewish present and future by nurturing the many generations of our community. We share a commitment to the Reform Jewish foundational beliefs of furthering individual and communal spiritual growth, while recognizing a range of personal philosophies, practices and needs. We are the community center through which our families can celebrate faith, justice, and the blessings of family lives present and future.



# TAI'S ENDOWMENT AT WORK

The cumulative value of TAI's endowment, which supplements the temple's financial needs, grew about 5.08% in the first quarter of 2024. Based on information compiled by Endowment Committee Treasurer Stacey Myers-Wilson, disbursements were made as follows to meet temple needs through March 31:

- \$14,100 from Enrichment Fund; offset operating expenses.
- \$7K from Hineni Fund; offset operating expenses.

- \$3K from Marty Solomon Fund for Jewish Youth Experiences and General Fund Purposes; offset cost of LiveControl.

- \$3K from Bloomfield Family Fund; offset cost of LiveControl.

- \$1.1K from Perpetual Care Fund; care of nine gravesites at Lexington Cemetery.

- \$100 from Maurice, Evelyn and Barbara Hymson Adult Education Trust Fund; programming expenses.

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