#### WEEKLY SERVICES AT

THE SYNAGOGUE -

FRIDAY: Online via ZOOM 6:00 pm SATURDAY: Shul Services 9:30 am Check our online Events.

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## STUDENT RABBI'S REPORT

Last week, as we read the story of Noah, I was struck by all the birds. Four times Noah sends out birds to access whether the flood waters had receded. It feels like every day, I find myself sending out little birds, tiny hopes and concerns for the future, emails to ask after the health of family, prayers to end the pandemic. Last week, I sent out what feels like the holiest dove of them all, my absentee ballot. I send out these tiny missives with anxiety. It is scary to hope and the prospect of failure is terrifying. If you too find yourself anxious in this moment, about your health, about the election, about the state of our world, please know that I am here to talk.

I find myself particularly stuck on the story of Noah's first dove explorer. When the dove came back, without an olive branch, with no sign of a dryer world to come, the Torah relates that Noah reached out his hand and drew the bird in. With the bird cradled in his arms, Noah walked back into his ark. May we have the gentleness and courage to cradle our failed hopes, to nurse those little doves until they can fly again.



Joey Glick Student Rabbi

# PRESIDENT'S REPORT

As I commented in my remarks on Yom Kippur, we may all manifest the Jewishness in our lives differently but it is so important to have a place where we all come together to interact and let our Jewishness rub off on each other. Shaaray Tefila is that Jewish public square, that cauldron where it all comes together Jewishly for us. The pandemic has created obstacles to that togetherness, but I am proud that we are all working to overcome those obstacles, whether through live services with social distancing, through virtual services and events or individual interactions with each other on a daily basis. Regardless of how you would like to "do Jewish," I encourage you to think of how you can make Shaaray Tefila a part of your Jewish life.

Thank you to everyone who made donations and paid dues over the last few months.

Regarding our weekly Zoom services with Joey Glick, with the decreasing hours of daylight, we will be switching from Friday evening Kabbalat Shabbat to Saturday evening Havdallah at 7PM as of the weekend of November 7. This will allow us to continue making sure that we are inclusive of congregants with all ranges of observance. In addition, it will take away some of the time pressure from those of us who would like enjoy a relaxed Shabbat dinner on Friday evenings.

I would like to express my condolences to Francine Torra and family on the passing of her beloved aunt, Lilyan Silverman.



Mark Hoffman President

## WEEKLY TORAH PORTION



Vayera	Nov 6, Candlelighting 4:21pm
TORAH	Genesis 18:1-22:24
HAFTARAH	<u>II Kings 4:1 - 4:23</u>
Cheyei Sara	Nov 13, Candlelighting 4:13pm
TORAH	Genesis 23:1-25:18
HAFTARAH	I Kings 1:1 - 1:31

**Toldot** *TORAH HAFTARAH*  Nov 20, Candlelighting 4:07pm Genesis 25:19-28:9 Malachi 1:1 - 2:7

**Vayetzei** *TORAH HAFTARAH* 

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Nov 27, Candlelighting 4:03pm <u>Genesis 28:10-32:3</u> <u>Hosea 11:7-12:12</u>

# If you have an upcoming yahrzeit and need a minyan, please let us know.

# TSRS - TEMPLE-SYNAGOGUE RELIGIOUS SCHOOL REPORT

I am so happy that our beloved Religious School has continued momentum while on Zoom. TSRS is my heart and soul. I love the kids dearly! We will remain on Zoom until it is deemed safe to get back together in the building. We are excited to welcome Shaaray Tefilah Student Rabbi Joey Glick to our TSRS staff this year. He will join us in keeping our students excited about learning along with our other wonderful teachers.

We have created a targeted and specific program for our youngest students which will

occur before the older students join us in the morning. This new program will focus on their specific needs of Jewish learning. We are making sure our Family Services on Zoom give everyone the feeling of togetherness and we are continuing to bring the holidays to life through interactive programming online.

We will continue to explore Israeli culture and history, Jewish values and Hebrew while adding programs that cover our "name story," with a focus on our Hebrew names. We will explore our homes for Jewish family treasures and share them with our school in a program that I credit learning about through my experience at New CAJE Jewish Educators Conference and a wonderful storyteller and teacher Cherie-Karo Schwartz. We will also create our own TSRS "person" and take them through each part of the Jewish life Cycle.

These programs and much more are what you will be hearing about throughout the TSRS year. Whether online, in-person, or both, our Temple-Synagogue Religious School will continue to thrive!



*Rebecca Charhon* Director, TSRS



November Greetings Everyone,

Continued healing thoughts and prayers to members, family and friends of Sisterhood.

On behalf of Sisterhood, condolences and love to the Silverman and Torra families on the passing of Lilyan Silverman, aunt, great-aunt, great-great-aunt, cousin and friend. Francine was devoted to her Aunt Lilyan and also visited whenever possible during COVID restrictions. Francine's brother Donald Silverman shared wonderful memories of his and Francine's special visits over the years with their aunt at the funeral via long distance (phone).

Thank you for your Sisterhood dues and donations. The dues' deadline has been extended to Monday, November 30th. Again thank you for your continued support.

Snowbirds stay safe as well as members and past members living in different locations.

Be safe and have a healthy, Happy Thanksgiving!



Bonnie Yanklowitz Sisterhood President

## SYNAGOGUE NEWS, ANNOUNCEMENTS & IMPORTANT DATES

We welcome member articles and news to our



monthly Bulletin. We reserve the right to edit submissions for content and length. We reserve the right, at our discretion, to refuse to publish or remove any content we deem inappropriate.

The monthly due date is usually the third Thursday of each month. Please submit items to: <u>cstgfny@gmail.com</u>. Thanks!

#### **NOVEMBER ONEGS & KIDDUSHES**

No word yet when we will be able to resume preparing food for our gatherings, as we comply with state guidelines. We look forward to resuming our fellowship – how much more meaningful our meetings and refreshments together will be when we have not been able to share for so long!



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Rhona Levíne	11/2/2020
Sarah Bush	11/3/2020
Mary Kuntz	11/3/2020
Amy Gottesman	11/5/2020
Hílda Schwartz	11/6/2020
Tara Blau	11/7/2020
Andrew Frenyea	11/7/2020
Aaron Davíd Bush	11/11/2020
Barbara Lynn Frenyea	11/12/2020
Claíre K. Kantrowítz	11/14/2020
Avví Ruven Shabat	11/17/2020
Robert Tompkíns	11/17/2020
Sharon Aronson	11/18/2020
Emíly Rebecca Korot	11/19/2020
Lewís Spar	11/25/2020
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Arnold & Díane Alkes November 3, 2020 31st anniversary

## Jeffrey & Pattí Schwartz

November 13, 2020 37th anniversary

Míchael & Jo-Ann Rapaport

November 15, 2020 28th anniversary



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In Memory of Grandfather Barney Aronson, Father Moe Schwartz, Uncle Albert Yunich, and Uncle Abe Schwartz *From Roz Winston* 

#### SISTERHOOD FUND

Donation in Honor of Bonnie Yanklowitz for her Dedication to the Congregation and its Community. *From Lorraine Hochman* 

Sisterhood Donation *From Clara Rudnick* 

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## YOM KIPPUR

Yom Kippur Donation From the Kleinmann Family

In Memory of Frank Imbimbo Mary Kuntz

Yom Kippur Donation *From Anonymous* 

In Honor of our Family From Dan and Melissa Korot

In Memory of Ben Aronson and Harry Goldman *From Ruth Goldman* 

### YEAR 5781 HOLIDAYS AND YAHRZEIT REFERENCES \*\*SAVE TO YOUR COMPUTER\*\*

Below are links to several compilations you may want to save to your computer or smart phone for reference. Current yahrzeits are also found in our weekly Announcements, monthly Newletters and on our website at:

https://www.shaaraytefila-gfny.org/5779yahrzeits/

YEAR 5781 YAHRZEITS – alphabetical list

YEAR 5781 YAHRZEITS – 2020-21 date list

YEAR 5781 HOLIDAYS & OBSERVANCES

#### YAHRZEIT RECORD FOR NOVEMBER 2020

Weiner, Shirley (Sindy) Sunday, 11/1/2020 Heshvan 14, 5781 Matzner, Isaac Monday, 11/2/2020 Heshvan 15, 5781 Kaye, Harold Schwartz, Abraham Tuesday, 11/3/2020 Heshvan 16, 5781 Abt, Ada Elliott Lisman, Ruth Hirsch, Miriam (Mimi) Wednesday, 11/4/2020 Heshvan 17, 5781 **Beeson, Betty Reaves** Thursday, 11/5/2020 Heshvan 18, 5781 Perlman, Mary Yanklowitz, Louis Saturday, 11/7/2020 Heshvan 20, 5781 Kohn, Paul Alan Modell, Margaret Schwartz, Morris (Moe) Sunday, 11/8/2020 Heshvan 21, 5781 **Cohen, Mary Mark** Searleman, Charles Wednesday, 11/11/2020 Heshvan 24, 5781 Luria, Shirley Sproul, Myrna Friday, 11/13/2020 Heshvan 26, 5781 Leinoff, Lillian Sunday, 11/15/2020 Heshvan 28, 5781 Wechsler, Florence Monday, 11/16/2020 Heshvan 29, 5781 Aronson, Arthur Tuesday, 11/17/2020 Kislev 1, 5781 Shapiro, Joan Thursday, 11/19/2020 Kislev 3, 5781 Semelisky, Simon Friday, 11/20/2020 Kislev 4, 5781 **Bittman**, Melvin **Brown, Gerald (Jerry)** Saturday, 11/21/2020 Kislev 5, 5781 **Chary, Thomas Michael** Weinstein, Jack Sunday, 11/22/2020 Kislev 6, 5781 **Beeson, Quay Harris Bobbin**, Louis Kaplan, Thelma Lebowitz, Leonore Monday, 11/23/2020 Kislev 7, 5781

(Yanklowitz) Yanko, Alvin Tuesday, 11/24/2020 Kislev 8, 5781 Goldman, Harry Wednesday, 11/25/2020 Kislev 9, 5781 Robitaille, Dorothy Thursday, 11/26/2020 Kislev 10, 5781 Cohen, Joseph Friday, 11/27/2020 Kislev 11, 5781 Abrams Highton, Gertrude Levin, Dr. Leon Saturday, 11/28/2020 Kislev 12, 5781 Segan, Shirley Sunday, 11/29/2020 Kislev 13, 5781 Adler, Lydia Monday, 11/30/2020 Kislev 14, 5781

#### YAHRZEIT RECORD FOR DECEMBER 2020

Kudan, Nathan Henry Thursday, 12/3/2020 Kislev 17, 5781 Friedman, Orel Kanter, Florence Klein, Arnold Silverman, Herman Sunday, 12/6/2020 Kislev 20, 5781 **Polonsky**, Nancy Monday, 12/7/2020 Kislev 21, 5781 Aronson, Milton Myers, Lila Tuesday, 12/8/2020 Kislev 22, 5781 Bennett, Joyce Marie Grossman, Joan **Raynor, Gregory** Wednesday, 12/9/2020 Kislev 23, 5781 Berman, Ben Goldstein, Fannie Goldstein, Jacob Weiss, Sigmund Thursday, 12/10/2020 Kislev 24, 5781 Aronson, Ben Saturday, 12/12/2020 Kislev 26, 5781 Levitt, Ethel Goldie Myers, Louis Monday, 12/14/2020 Kislev 28, 5781 Weiss, Harry Tuesday, 12/15/2020 Kislev 29, 5781 Fisher, Danny Wednesday, 12/16/2020 Tevet 1, 5781

Weiss, Anna Friday, 12/18/2020 Tevet 3, 5781 Korot, Mildred Suckman, Sandra Saturday, 12/19/2020 Tevet 4, 5781 Gersten, Elizabeth Sunday, 12/20/2020 Tevet 5, 5781 **Every**, Leonard Monday, 12/21/2020 Tevet 6, 5781 Kantrowitz, Burton Tuesday, 12/22/2020 Tevet 7, 5781 Morrissey, Robert Wednesday, 12/23/2020 Tevet 8, 5781 Rote-Rosen, Eva Silverman, Dvorah Sobel, Rabbi Richard Zweibelson, Anna Thursday, 12/24/2020 Tevet 9, 5781 Ferber, Bert Gersten, Gertrude Friday, 12/25/2020 Tevet 10, 5781 Gellman, Marion **Ochsner**, Evelyn Sunday, 12/27/2020 Tevet 12, 5781 **Bobbin, Seymour** Greene, Elinore Solomon, Morris Monday, 12/28/2020 Tevet 13, 5781 Landsman, Chana Tuesday, 12/29/2020 Tevet 14, 5781 Juris, Emanuel Wednesday, 12/30/2020 Tevet 15, 5781





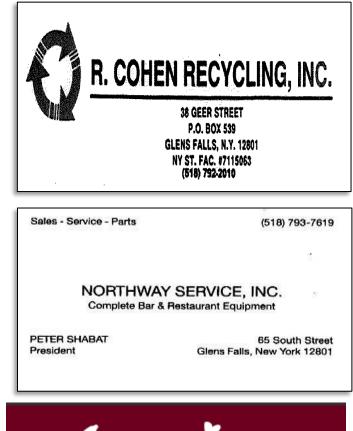


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# NOVEMBER 2020

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME PONT FORGET TO FALL BACK	2	3 ELECTION DAY	4 Kosher Order Due	5	6 6:15pm <u>ZOOM</u> Family Shabbat Service with Temple Beth-El and Joey Glick	7 9:30am <u>LIVE</u> Service-upper Sanctuary
8 10-12 noon TSRS-ZOOM	9	10 Kosher Delivery	11 VETERANS DAY	12	13 ZOOM service New Time	14 9:30am <u>LIVE</u> Service-upper Sanctuary ~~~ 7:00pm <u>ZOOM</u> Havdallah with Joey Glick
15 10-12 noon TSRS-ZOOM	16	17	18	19	20	21 9:30am <u>LIVE</u> Service-upper Sanctuary ~~~ 7:00pm <u>ZOOM</u> Havdallah with Joey Glick
22 10-12 noon TSRS-ZOOM	23	24	25	26 Happy THANKS CIVING OFFICE CLOSED	27	28 9:30am <u>LIVE</u> Service-upper Sanctuary ~~~ 7:00pm <u>ZOOM</u> Havdallah with Joey Glick
29	30					