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TBA CELEBRATES LAG BAOMER

A Word from Rabbi Blumberg



Rabbi Sam Blumberg

THE ORIGINS OF LAG BAOMER

Rabbi Akiva (d. 135 CE) was a one of the greatest Torah scholars who ever lived. He grew up poor, humble, and illiterate, and it wasn't until his wife Rachel urged him at age 40 to go study that he began learning from *aleph*, the very beginning. After 12 years of intense study, Rabbi Akiva returned home to his wife only to get her permission to go back for another 12 years of study. When he returned home again, he had amassed 12,000 pairs of disciples.

But, teaches the Talmud, all 24,000 of his disciples died during the seven weeks between Passover and Shavuot because they did not treat one another with respect. This is one of the reasons why the period in which we count the Omer (between the freedom of Passover and the giving of the Torah on Mt. Sinai on Shavuot) is a period of semi-mourning.

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President's Message



Carol Hanover

IT'S YOUR TIME TO VOLUNTEER

I have written to you in this space in the past about how you can enhance your temple experience by participating in activities, but now I am asking you to participate in some small way because your participation can help to make our temple be the best it can be. We are struggling to find volunteers to staff our existing programs, never mind anything new.

You will soon receive a new slate of officers and chair people, but there's a problem with it—it's mostly not new. Many of the same people are in the same positions or shuffled around a bit. The fact is, we need YOU to help TBA grow bigger and stronger.

So, you are wondering, what am I getting myself into if I do volunteer? First of all, you do not have to chair anything, but perhaps you

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SERVICE SCHEDULE

IN PERSON: Masks are optional. Those feeling unwell or who have been near others who are unwell should enjoy our services from home, via Zoom.

ZOOM / TEMPLE MEMBERS: The link and password can be found in your TBA weekly email.

ZOOM / TEMPLE GUESTS: Please send an email to shalom@tempbetham.org to obtain the Zoom link information.

TBA NO LONGER SHARES THE PAGES OF THE MISHKAN T'FILAH DURING SHABBAT SERVICES ON ZOOM.

We encourage all congregants to purchase a Mishkan T'filah siddur for home use so that you can continue to follow along while on Zoom. (The online flipbook will still be available but can be difficult to navigate during the service.)

To purchase a copy of the siddur, visit www.ccarpress.org.

QUICK LINK FOR PURCHASING

Temple
Beth Am
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FRIDAY MAY 5, 2023 / 15 IYAR 5783

TOT SHABBAT SERVICE 5:15 PM

EREV SHABBAT EVENING SERVICE 7:15 PM

The Pulpit Flowers and Oneg Shabbat are sponsored by Jeffrey and Alisa Zaref

SATURDAY MAY 6, 2023 / 15 IYAR 5783

Weekly Portion EMOR Leviticus 21:1-22:16

Haftarah Ezekiel 44:15-24

SHABBAT MORNING MINYAN AND TORAH STUDY 9:00 AM

MORNING SERVICE AND BAT MITZVAH 10:30 AM

Rachel Bella Zaref, daughter of Jeffrey and Alisa Zaref

LAG BA'OMER

MONDAY MAY 8, 2023 / 18 IYAR 5783

BRING YOUR OWN PICNIC DINNER 5:30 PM

INFORMAL LEARNING & SINGING IN THE GAN HA'AM 6:00 PM

FRIDAY MAY 12, 2023 / 22 IYAR 5783

EDUCATION SHABBAT

EREV SHABBAT EVENING SERVICE 6:30 PM

Honoring our teachers, madrichim and students for another outstanding year

SATURDAY MAY 13, 2023 / 22 IYAR 5783

Weekly Portion BEHAR-BECHUKOTAI Leviticus 25:1-27:34

Haftarah Jeremiah 16:19-17:14

SHABBAT MORNING MINYAN AND TORAH STUDY 9:00 AM

FRIDAY MAY 19, 2023 / 24 NISAN 5783

EREV SHABBAT HALL'LU SERVICE 7:15 PM

SATURDAY MAY 20 2023 / 24 NISAN 5783

Weekly Portion BAMIDBAR Numbers 1:1-4:20

Haftarah I Samuel 20:18-42

SHABBAT MORNING MINYAN AND TORAH STUDY 9:00 AM

SHAVUOT

THURSDAY MAY 25, 2023 / 6 SIVAN 5783

METROWEST SHAVUOT CELEBRATION 7:30 PM

FRIDAY MAY 26, 2023 / 6 SIVAN 5783

SHAVUOT AND YIZKOR SERVICE 8:30 AM

FRIDAY MAY 26, 2023 / 7 SIVAN 5783

EREV SHABBAT EVENING SERVICE 7:15 PM

The pulpit flowers and Oneg Shabbat are sponsored by Dan and Betsy Fishman

SATURDAY MAY 27, 2023 / 7 SIVAN 5783

Weekly Portion SHAVUOT Deuteronomy 14:22-14:29

Haftarah Habakkuk 3:1-19

SHABBAT MORNING MINYAN AND TORAH STUDY 9:00 AM

MORNING SERVICE AND BAT MITZVAH 10:30 AM

Maya Charlotte Fishman, daughter of Dan and Betsy Fishman

FRIDAY JUNE 2, 2023 / 14 SIVAN 5783

EREV SHABBAT SERVICE 7:15 PM

The Pulpit Flowers and Oneg Shabbat are sponsored by Bethany and Jason Lane Marriage Reconsecration Service

SATURDAY JUNE 3, 2023 / 14 SIVAN 5783

Weekly Portion NASSO Numbers 4:21-7:89

Haftarah Judges 13:2-25

SHABBAT MORNING MINYAN AND TORAH STUDY 9:00 AM

MORNING SERVICE AND BAT MITZVAH 10:30 AM

Emma Lane, daughter of Bethany and Jason Lane



Your temple is here for you whether in good times or bad. Please let Rabbi Blumberg know what is going on in your life.

rabbi@tempbetham.org

Minyan and Torah Study



Please join us for Shabbat morning Minyan and Torah study Saturday mornings at 9:00 AM in the Levine Library.

A Word from Rabbi Blumberg

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However, the plague that took the lives of Rabbi Akiva's disciples is said to have let up on the 33rd day of the counting of the Omer—ל"ג (lamed-gimel) in gematria, the system of assigning numerical value to each letter of the Hebrew alphabet. And so, ל"ג בעומר (Lag BaOmer) became a day of celebration and joy instead of lamenting and gloom. Another legend about Rabbi Akiva says that it was on Lag BaOmer that he chose to defy the Roman authorities, sneaking his students into the wilderness to study Torah despite a decree against practicing Judaism openly. To throw off the Romans, Rabbi Akiva instructed his disciples to bring with them a bow and arrow to make it look as if they were merely going hunting. Those who avoid cutting their hair as a sign of mourning get a haircut on Lag BaOmer, weddings are held, bonfires are lit, and communities join outside in beautiful mid-Spring to sing and enjoy one another's company. Alternative origin stories for Lag BaOmer abound, including those that relate to Rabbi Simon bar Yochai, one of Rabbi Akiva's few disciples of who survived.

As we did last year, we will celebrate Lag BaOmer at Temple Beth Am with a fire pit, singing, lawn games, and a bring your own picnic dinner. This year, we will also learn together about Rabbi Shimon Bar Yochai and his connection to Lag BaOmer. The 33rd day of the Omer begins on the evening of **May 8th** this year; we invite you to join us at **6pm** in TBA's Gan Ha'Am as we celebrate this special day with our community.

L'Shalom,

— Rabbi Sam Blumberg



Join your TBA community in our
Gan Ha'Am for

Lag BaOmer!

Lag BaOmer (ל"ג בעומר), the 33rd day of the Counting of the Omer, is a minor Jewish holiday celebrated with bonfires, singing, and enjoying the outdoors with community!

Monday
May
8

Starting at 5:30pm, with informal learning and singing starting at 6pm

Bring Your Own Picnic Dinner!

Singalong!
Learning!
Lawn Games!
Fire pit!
Ice cream sandwiches!

Please RSVP to the temple office:
shalom@tempbetham.org
or (508) 872-8300

President's Message

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could just help—help usher at a service, or when Purim rolls around again, you could come in and help prepare the hamantaschen for distribution, or help with the annual Purim Carnival. Maybe you could join the School Committee or the Worship Committee, and learn how it all comes together. There are plenty of volunteer opportunities that begin and end in an hour or two.

Do you have a special skill that could help TBA? Perhaps you have accounting skills, or office skills, or can help with a sound system or computer hardware. Maybe you would like to join a committee, just to get your feet wet in managing an event or project, and then just maybe you would consider a position on the Board. The Board of Trustees

meets one Thursday evening a month for about 2 hours, eleven months of the year. Not a huge commitment. We are all busy people, but remember that old line about how if you want something done, ask the busiest person. I am asking. We need YOU.

We will shortly come to the end of the fiscal year—our fiscal years run from July 1 to June 30 each year. As I write this, we are near completion on a new budget. And the *new-ish* slate will soon be presented to the congregation. Just think...you could still be on it and we can celebrate together at the Congregation Meeting on June 21st.

See you there!

— Carol Hanover, President

Celebrating Shavuot, Torah, and a Year of Learning in Religious School at TBA



Cantor David Wolff,
Lower School
Education Director

On the evening of Thursday, May 25, Temple Beth Am, as part of a communal MetroWest multi-synagogue collaboration, will celebrate Shavuot. Shavuot celebrates the Jewish people's receiving the Torah on Mount Sinai, and that unforgettable, intimate experience with the Divine, the voice of G-d heard in fire and smoke from atop the Mount Sinai. There is a tradition to study Torah all night (or late into the evening) on the eve of Shavuot, and to rise early the next morning, to hear the 10 commandments chanted from the Torah.

As we celebrate the giving of the Torah on Shavuot, we also celebrate the learning that is essential to Judaism, and the Torah as its ultimate source. This month, as we conclude a year of learning in the TBA religious school, we celebrate our religious school students' commitment to learning. **On Friday, May 12, at 6:30 PM, we will celebrate Education Shabbat** — a special Shabbat service in which we honor our teachers, *Madrichot*, students, and families, and the wonderful learning they have engaged in this year.

This has been a special year of learning in the Temple Beth Am religious school; we welcomed new, dynamic teachers to our staff, and new families to our Temple and school community. Students attended a Tu

Bishvat Seder, learning all about their connection to the land, and eating special foods that grow in Israel. Students celebrated their connection to the land of Israel on Yom HaAtzmaut (Israel Independence Day), taking part in a ceremony, and then a day of Israel-focused games and crafts. A few highlights from individual classes include: creating freedom playlists for Passover, having a mock Passover Seder, our youngest students learning to read Hebrew, and 9 B'nai Mitzvah taking place throughout the year. We are thankful to our wonderful teachers and *Madrichim* for their commitment to our students' Jewish education.

And we recognize the commitment our religious school families have made to the Jewish education of their children.

The Jewish people are sometimes referred to as "עם הספר" (*am haSefer*), the people of the book. This month, we celebrate our Temple's commitment to Torah and learning with Shavuot and Education Shabbat. But Shavuot also calls on us to consider the moment of revelation, G-d's direct encounter with the Jewish people on Mount Sinai. As spring is upon us, and summer close behind, we can look for moments of revelation in our own lives. When have we felt the presence of G-d? When have we felt especially close to our families, our friends, and our community? When have we experienced personal, spiritual moments? On Shavuot, we relive the original moment of revelation, hearing the 10 commandments chanted from the Torah, and looking for spiritual meaning in our own lives. **We hope that you will join us to celebrate Shavuot, as part of a multi-synagogue MetroWest celebration, the evening of Thursday, May 25!**

Marriage Reconsecration Service

Every year at Temple Beth Am, we celebrate the joy of marriage and Jewish home life as part of a special Shabbat Service. A Marriage Reconsecration Service, (a special celebration of the 5-year milestone anniversaries) The service will be held on Friday June 3 at 7:15 pm. If you are a couple married in a year that ends in a 3 or 8 who wishes to celebrate your anniversary during this special service and have not received a letter by May 30, please reserve your place by calling the temple office at 508.872.8300. You are welcome to join on Zoom.

LEARN @ TBA

Lifelong Learning with Rabbi Blumberg

Sunday, May 7, 11:15am-12:30pm

In the Levine Library and on Zoom

The Prayers of the Friday Night Shabbat Service



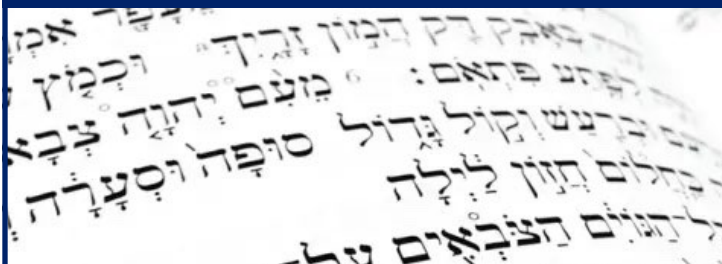
Join us for our fourth session of learning in-depth about the Friday night prayers. May 7th class will begin with a discussion of *V'ahavta*. All learners welcome; you're sure to learn something new whether you've been participating in Shabbat services your whole life or are brand new to the experience.

A Mishkan T'filah Shabbat siddur is required for the class which will be available for in-person participants.

Zoom link for those unable to attend in person

No prior knowledge is needed to attend the class. Each class is self-contained.

LEARN TO READ HEBREW



TBA president Carol Hanover is teaching a beginner Hebrew class. The class is held twice each month.

Until further notice, the class will be Zoom only.

Please contact the temple office for more information: shalom@tempbetham.org

Levine Library

It's that time of the year!! Congratulations to the following 1st graders, who completed reading five books and became eligible for the Library's

BOOKWORM CLUB:

ZAMIR BLUMBERG
RYAN BURNS
LEAH FREUDBERG
JACOB MOYER
PEMA NEEDLEMAN
JULIET JAGHER



We are so proud of your achievement!

Ending the year, with the following Dr. Seuss quote:

*"You're never too old,
Too wacky,
Too wild,
To pick up a book,
And read to a child"*



Marsha Massey, *TBA Librarian*

Have a wonderful summer!!

Please contact the temple office for specific library requests.

TEMPLE BETH AM RELIGIOUS SCHOOL LEARN. GROW. HAVE FUN!

ZERO
Registration Fee

Always bustling with activity...
our religious school is an exciting mix of Jewish activities & experiences.



A STARBURST OF READING ENTHUSIASM!

Enjoying all that our library offers, grade 3 students checked out great books and decorated stars for the bulletin board project.

Experienced and caring faculty • Inclusiveness • Family education
Parent engagement events • Diversity • Family Shabbat experiences
Community building • Music • Library

JOIN US. Contact our Lower School Education Director, Cantor David Wolff
508.872.8312 or cantor@tempbetham.org

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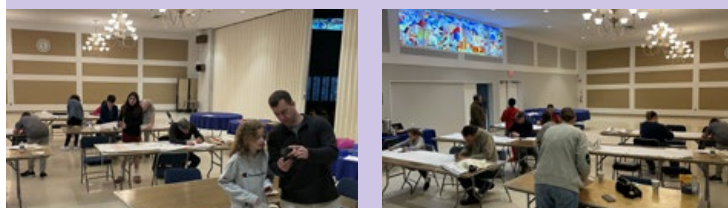


EVENTS & ACTIVITIES



Grade 6 Tallit Program

For the past several years, members of the 6th grade class are able to create their own tallit. This year's class worked on their tallitot on Sunday April 30th. With their parents' assistance, the group was able to create their own.



Tools for Empowering Students to Navigate and Counter Antisemitism at School and in the Community

Online Event

Sunday, May 7, 2023

1-2pm



Offered in Partnership by
JFS of Metrowest and TribeTalk



Antisemitism in high school settings can take many forms. From an offhanded remark to lessons taught in the classroom to criminal acts of hazing and vandalism, these messages of hate weave their way into student life and negatively



In this interactive workshop, designed for high school students and parents, facilitators will help unpack scenarios that occur on school campuses so that participants can increase their skills in recognizing antisemitism when it occurs and know how to respond effectively.



SCAN AND REGISTER TO
RECEIVE THE ZOOM LINK

SPACE IS LIMITED—REGISTER TODAY!

<https://jfsfmetrowest.wufoo.com/forms/event-for-high-school-students-and-parents5723/>



Music

Lyrism in a New Century

Guy Fishman in concert at the Museum of Fine Arts

<https://mfa.org/event/music/lyrism-in-a-new-century?event=96036>

Sunday, May 7, 2023

2:00 pm—3:00 pm

Harry and Mildred Remis Auditorium (Auditorium 161)

Ticket Required

Members
\$25.00

Nonmembers
\$30.00



Fun & Free JEWISH EVENTS FOR YOUNG CHILDREN & FAMILIES

Tot Shabbat

Come and welcome Shabbat with blessings, music, and a story.

For children ages 0-7 and their families.

Pizza for all.

Fridays

5:15 PM - 6:15 PM

May 5

June 9

Temple Beth Am of Framingham continues its commitment to
Jewish Learning for Young Children
with these fun FREE events!

JOIN US.

RSVP to shalom@tempbetham.org or 508-872-8300

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CALENDAR | May 2023

May 2023

May 2023							June 2023						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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28	29	30	31				25	26	27	28	29	30	

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Apr 30	May 1 6:00pm Upper School Classes	2	3 4:00pm Wednesday Religious School Classes 7:30pm Sisterhood Meeting	4 7:00pm School Committee Meeting 7:15pm Worship Committee Meeting	5 5:15pm Tot Shabbat Service #5 7:15pm Erev Shabbat Service; May Anniversary Blessings 7:31pm Candle lighting (Framingham)	6 9:00am Shabbat Morning Minyan & Torah Study 10:30am Morning Service & Bat Mitzvah Rachel Zaref
7 9:00am Sunday Religious School Classes & Parent Coffee 10:00am Religious School Gr. 3-5 Wedding Ceremony 11:15am LLL Class with Rabbi	8 5:30pm Lag BaOmer Celebration	9 Lag BaOmer	10 4:00pm Wednesday Religious School Classes 6:00pm TBA Executive Committee Meeting 7:30pm TBA Board of Trustees	11	12 6:30pm Erev Shabbat Service; Education Shabbat 7:39pm Candle lighting (Framingham)	13 9:00am Shabbat Morning Minyan & Torah Study 8:49pm Havdalah (50 min) (Framingham)
14 9:00am Sunday Religious School (Last Day)	15 6:00pm Upper School Classes	16	17	18 7:00pm Litzkor Program	19 7:15pm Erev Shabbat Hall'lu Service 7:46pm Candle lighting	20 9:00am Shabbat Morning Minyan & Torah Study 8:56pm Havdalah (50 min) (Framingham)
21 9:00am Brotherhood Breakfast	22	23	24	25 Erev Shavuot 7:30pm Metrowest Shavuot Celebration 7:52pm Candle lighting (Framingham)	26 Shavuot I 7:30am Shavuot & Yizkor Service 7:15pm Erev Shabbat Service 7:53pm Candle lighting (Framingham)	27 Shavuot II 9:00am Shabbat Morning Minyan & Torah Study 10:30am Morning Service & Bat Mitzvah 12:30pm Kiddush Luncheon for
28	29 TBA Office closed-Memorial Day	30	31 7:00pm Calendar Clearance 2023-2024	Jun 1	2	3



IN JOY

THE TEMPLE REJOICES WITH

Alan and Sharon Silverman on the birth of their 3rd grandson,
Nolan Edward Silverman.

His proud parents are Greg and Shanon Silverman. His awesome
big brothers are Mason and Connor.

SPECIAL ANNIVERSARIES

All couples celebrating an May wedding anniversary will be blessed
at a service on May 5 at 7:15pm.

Please call the temple office if you are planning to attend.

DATE	NAME	YEARS
5/30/1968	Howard and Priscilla Alpert	55
5/28/1978	Michael Form and Jane Karp	45

IN MEMORY

*We record with deep sorrow the names of those who have died since our last bulletin.
May their memory be for a blessing.*

THE CONGREGATION MOURNS WITH

Michael Sudikoff, on the loss of his father, **Barry Sudikoff**

Bruce Goldweitz, on the loss of his father, **Joseph Goldweitz**

Nicole Sweet, on the loss of her mother, **Nancy Sweet**

Mark Stetson, on the loss of his aunt, **Joan Stetson**

We mourn the loss of our friend and temple member

BARRY LEVINE

Condolences to his children and family.

BROTHERHOOD

WHAT ANOTHER INCREDIBLE MONTH BROTHERHOOD HAS HAD!

In March we welcomed, **Peggy Shukur** from the Anti Defamation League. With over 80 people in attendance, including the city's Mayor, First lady and Deputy Chief of Police, Ms. Shukur discussed the ever-growing problem of antisemitism that we are seeing in our country, state and community. We had a very open and frank conversation about the number of instances, type of antisemitism we see around us and what can be done to stop this.



Brotherhood has also started to support the **YELLOW CANDLE PROGRAM**. A long time program introduced by various Men's Groups throughout the United States, where yellow candles are distributed and lit on Yom HaShoah to remember those who perished in the Holocaust. We take this time to remember them and keep in mind that many have no one left to remember them or say mourners Kaddish for them. As well, we remember them in the hopes that the event and nothing like it should ever happen again.

Brotherhood distributed candles at the March breakfast to all in attendance and has been delivering candles to all temple members in the days leading up to Yom HaShoah on April 17. We want to thank the many of you who have helped us to continue this program by donating money back to Brotherhood. The funds allow us to purchase candles next year and to continue this extremely important program.

**Temple Beth Am Brotherhood
Buffet Breakfast and Speaker
May 21, 2023 9:00-11:00 AM**



Foot or Ankle Hurting?

Dr. Michael Sganga, podiatry surgeon specializing in reconstructive foot and ankle surgery will be our speaker. Learn about foot and ankle pain and state of the art treatments.

*Delicious Food
Great Speakers
Come for Both!*

Annual dues which include 9 breakfasts are \$90/senior rate \$65.
Nonmember / Guest fee for breakfast is \$15.

Breakfasts and Brotherhood membership are open to the public.

RSVP by May17 to brotherhood@tempbetham.org

This is our last breakfast for the 2022/23 season. Watch your email for details about the 2023/24 programs starting in September

Temple Beth Am Brotherhood 300 Pleasant St. Framingham, MA 01701
www.tempbetham.org



Brotherhood annual dues include 9 breakfasts
member rate - \$90 / senior rate - \$65
Nonmember / Guest fee for breakfast is \$15.
Breakfasts and Brotherhood membership are open to the public.
Next scheduled breakfast is May 21.

YOUTH

After Religious School on April 30th, our amazing BATY (Beth Am Temple Youth) participants did an important mitzvah, making chicken soup to keep in the TBA freezer and deliver to TBA members who are ill!



Here are some fun events we have coming up!

ICE CREAM SUNDAE PARTY

May 12 at 7:45 pm

For grades K-12

After Education Shabbat, we will have an ice cream party for both upper and lower school during the Oneg after the service! You can either email to RSVP or respond yes on the google calendar invitation.

MOVIE AT LEGACY PLACE

May 20 at 5:30 pm

For grades 6-12

THIS EVENT HAS CHANGED: Join us to eat dinner and walk around Legacy Place! We will meet at Temple Beth Am at 5:30 to carpool there. Sarah Rosenthal will be one of the drivers and will be looking for a few more parents to drive with her! After we arrive, we will be eating at the Yard House. Please send your teen with enough money for dinner. We will have some time to walk around Legacy Place and will plan to be back at TBA by 8:45. Chaperones needed! You can either email to RSVP or respond yes on the google calendar invitation.

SHILLMAN HOUSE

June 11th / 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm

For grades 6-12

Join Youth Programming as we head to Shillman house to do some discussion and learning with the residents. We will be talking about Tikkun Olam, as well as developing some interview questions to ask them! We will meet outside of Shillman House at 1:20 to get prepared and pick up will be at the front of Shillman House at 3:00. You can either email to RSVP or respond yes on the google calendar invitation.

TO SIGN UP OR WITH QUESTIONS

Sarah Rosenthal, Youth Advisor / youthadvisor@tempbetham.org

2023 SCHOLARSHIP ASSISTANCE OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE TEMPLE BETH AM YOUTH



**Application
Quick Link
DEADLINE
MAY 5**

Spring in the air. It's time for our Temple Beth Am youth to consider scholarship assistance opportunities if they will be attending Jewish overnight camp, traveling to Israel, doing Tikkun Olam (social justice), or beginning their college/university journey. Temple Beth Am's scholarships were established by members of our congregation to assist our temple youth to enrich their Jewish foundation and experiences.

Find our updated scholarships assistance application on TBA's website, <https://www.templebetham.org/community/youth-programs-baty/youth-scholarships/>. After your child(ren) complete their application, email application(s) to shalom@templebetham.org, and enter the words "2023 Youth Scholarship Assistance Application" in the subject line no later than May 5.

Lloyd Martin Youth: supports scholarships to college, trips to Israel, leadership opportunities for Junior BATY and BATY

Morris Chapman Scholarship: supports partial and full assistance for Junior BATY and BATY youth attending NFTY institutes or other Jewish youth groups, including Jewish camps and Israel programs.

Leslie Brenner Camp Scholarship Fund: assists Temple Beth Am youth attending Jewish youth enrichment programs. **Must send application directly to Sisterhood,** sisterhoodtba300@gmail.com.

Mindy Steinberg Memorial Fund: helps finance a Confirmation class graduate's first time traveling to Israel, and whose families are temple members in good standing. This includes the URJ High School semester in Israel.

David Mindess Scholarship Fund: supports high school graduating seniors, whose families are temple members in good standing. This is a one-year assistance opportunity.

Gail H. Constant Memorial Fund: provides a \$500 scholarship annually to a Temple Beth Am graduating senior planning a career path in art/design or fashion marketing. Under the conditions of this fund, graduating seniors must apply at least 60 days prior to the deadline.

Mickey Moffie Scholarship Fund: assists Temple Beth Am graduating seniors, whose families are in good standing and will be pursuing careers in business. This is a one-year assistance opportunity.



WEBSITE DONATIONS JUST A CLICK AWAY!

The TBA website can now accept credit card donations.

Please take advantage of this new capability on our website to acknowledge the memory of or to honor an accomplishment of a friend or a loved one.

Go to www.templebetham.org — Click on DONATE

TREE OF LIFE

The TREE OF LIFE mounted on the wall of the temple lobby is a favorite way for members to commemorate "simchas" and honor family members and friends. Your gift of leaves (\$300) and stones (\$1000) will support continuing growth projects in the future. Pledge cards are available in the temple office.

SPONSOR FUTURE ONEGS

This is a great opportunity for your family to honor any type of special occasion or Kiddush.

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For more information contact Patty Frankel via the TBA Office.

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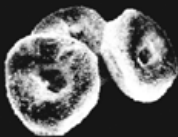
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