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Congregation B'nai Moshe—Welcome Home

Thoughts From Our President

By Mark S. Roth



A Review of Where We Stand

This is the last column I will write as B'nai Moshe President. As promised, I want to review what we have accomplished and what we still must do to achieve our strategic plan goals to hopefully, ensure a secure future for our shul.

We had five goals. The first was to try to increase the involvement of young adults in our shul since they and their children will be essential to secure our future. Rachel Daien and Hannah Fine worked very hard to get this going. They had two quite successful virtual events. However,

"attendance" was not what they hoped for because people in that age group (who work all day often staring at a computer screen for hours on end) were not eager to spend more time staring at a screen. Our hope is that, once people can gather to go out and do enjoyable things, interest and participation will increase.

Our second goal was to find ways to make shul leadership (like serving on the Board or as an officer) and involvement in our activities more appealing so as to enhance the number of active members. We succeeded in getting three new young Board members, and they have provided creative ways for our Board to function. I have tried to make meeting participation more interactive and meaningful, and I think this has been moderately successful. Our slate of Board members include more new people who will further enhance the energy of our meetings.

Our third goal was to make our religious activities more meaningful and attractive to people. Marc Sussman, Hannah Fine and, of course, Rabbi Kantor have made many innovative contributions toward this goal. We can hardly keep up with the Rabbi's creative and energetic new ideas. He has made virtual minyan services something that people come to with great regularity and joy. Shabbat Experience provides a different Jewish experience, and also has a group of "regulars" who wouldn't miss this. Again, the number of participants is less than we would like, and, hopefully, when we can be together physically, more people will try this out and join in regularly.

Our fourth goal was to find ways to secure a sound financial status both now and for our future. I am pleased to say that we "survived" the pandemic financially very well. However, our membership is aging and, until we succeed in getting new and younger members to join us, our numbers are slowly dropping due to the imbalance between younger and older members. We also have another important task to accomplish. We really need to increase our endowment funds to help ensure our financial security.

Finally, we want to form small groups of people who have something in common (young or adolescent children, empty nesters, or some common interest) to develop a camaraderie which, in turn, will enhance involvement with the totality of what B'nai Moshe offers. Our first goal is to gather families who have young children. This has been a challenge. Stacey Whelan is continuing to work to get these groups (Chavurot) formed and active. In the past it was this camaraderie which led to the development of our current group of active members, and we need to reinvigorate that closeness by forming new chavurot.

So there you have my final presidential summary of the status and hopes of our synagogue. It has been an honor to serve as your president, and I thank all those people I spoke of before who helped me guide the shul over the past two years. Now I am ready to ride off into the sunset and join the ranks of past presidents. I wish the incoming administration and board great success as we continue to build and strengthen the future of our beloved B'nai Moshe.

- Mark S. Roth

A Word From Our Rabbi

by Rabbi Shalom Kantor



We Finish Together

While it may be over simplifying things, I think there are two ways that people pack for a trip. There are the people who the **night before** the trip, go through their closet and drawers, get what they need, place it in a suitcase and are ready to go. Then there are those **who at least a week before the trip** (if not more) begin lining

things up against a wall in their bedroom, planning exactly what they will need for each part of the trip.

Sometimes we are given a choice and other times we find ourselves thrust into one category or the other. When the Israelites were driven out of Egypt, the Torah tells us:

...since they had been driven out of Egypt and could not delay, they had not prepared any provisions for themselves. (Ex. 12:39)

They did not have the opportunity to pack, to plan, and think about what they would need on the trip. Whatever they could borrow from their Egyptian neighbors and take on their backs, they took and left. It is not a stretch to say that this is similar to how we left our building last year. We did not have our prayer books, Chumashim, our Tallitot – and, at least in the beginning of the pandemic, we cobbled our services together so we could pray as a community.



Now, as we begin making plans for **moving back into our building**, it is much more appropriate to see ourselves as Joshua and the Israelites as they **prepared to cross into the Land Flowing with Milk and Honey**. It took a few verses to tell how they left in haste from Egypt. But their planning for crossing into the land of Israel spanned more than 3 chapters in the book of Joshua. Upon crossing the Jordan we are told,

The priests who bore the Ark of the LORD's Covenant stood on dry land exactly in the middle of the Jordan, while all Israel crossed over on dry land, until the entire nation had finished crossing the Jordan. (Joshua 3:17)

As we make plans to move back into the sanctuary there are those of us who might “just want to dive in.” Yet the reality is that we have made it this far and we want to do this safely, making sure that we **bring EVERYONE along** so that we can **sing, pray, and celebrate together**. What this means is that we will be moving slowly but safely – letting you all know what the plans are so that you feel comfortable with each step we take. And **NO ONE WILL BE LEFT BEHIND**. Even when we move back into the sanctuary for services on a consistent basis, we will continue to employ a hybrid service model that allows for those who don't feel safe coming into the sanctuary to still PARTICIPATE from home through their computers.

We are all grateful that it did not take us 40 years to get here – and look forward to the day, not too far away, when we will “cross the Jordan” and join together in singing out Halleluiah!

From our Executive Director

By Steven J. Fine



Let's Stay Strong and Stay Together as a Community

Needless to say, the past 14 months have been challenging. We mourned the loss of summer camp for our children in 2020, of attending sporting events and family vacations, and of much of our ‘normal’ life.

Some of us have been ill, have lost family members, and have had simchas like graduations, bar/bat mitzvahs, and family weddings postponed, cancelled or different than we had imagined. And yet, there have been moments of hope, of joy, of friendship, of family that have really been the silver lining of this experience.

We've loved seeing pictures on social media of our B'nai Moshe family baking challahs, sitting down to dinner together, of camping trips, and of unlimited precious time we spent getting to know each other in a different way. With many in our community getting vaccinated, we know that everyone – children, parents and grandparents alike - are returning to life this spring having grown tremendously, both physically and figuratively. Some are tanner, thinner, and more independent, but EVERYONE is more aware of the world, more confident in who we are and what's important to us.

There is magic during the summer months, even during this pandemic, that is hard to replicate. And while last year certainly looked and felt different than years past, we know that we are that much closer to returning to the life we knew and the relationships we have forged throughout the years. Building relationships is one the most important parts of what we do at B'nai Moshe. We are committed to an engaging, safe, meaningful year of programming and connecting with each other.

So...please come. Whether only virtually or when we safely return to in-person gatherings, please remain part of our community, joining us for in-person socially distanced programming, and virtual classes and events. This year, more than ever, we need each other to stay strong, stay connected, and to support each other. We will all have to be flexible as we navigate this new world, but we cannot wait to share these special moments with each and every one of you. Make it a point to join a daily morning or evening service, an event, or a learning opportunity. Together we can keep our community strong and as one.

Dor L'Dor Legacy Campaign

Give Today - - Guarantee Tomorrow

Why give to B'nai Moshe's Legacy Campaign? Because **together** we impact the future! This is your opportunity to create a lasting legacy to align your values with the synagogue's needs.

Dor L'Dor is dedicated to endowing the future of our beloved community and to ensuring that B'nai Moshe will endure for generations to come. We are blessed with the strength and vibrancy needed to face the future. We have the opportunity to secure our sacred and special place for our children and grandchildren.



A legacy gift creates the opportunity to keep Jewish commitment and values strong. There are many ways to give to Dor L'Dor. Simply include Congregation B'nai Moshe in your estate planning, either by designating a dollar amount, a particular asset, or a percentage. All legacy gifts, regardless of size, make a meaningful difference. And in many cases, these gifts do not cost you a single penny during your lifetime.

This year, B'nai Moshe celebrates its 110th year serving the metro-Detroit community. From Detroit to Oak Park to West Bloomfield we have been here for you. Won't you please help us continue to be a part of your children's and grandchildren's lives?

Many donations to B'nai Moshe are exempt from gift and estate taxes and may even have capital gains and income tax benefits. Please consult with your tax advisor.

Ways to give include:

BEQUEST IN YOUR WILL OR TRUST

- An easy way to leave a legacy.

IRA OR PENSION PLAN

- Designate B'nai Moshe as the beneficiary to all or part of your retirement plan, such as an IRA or 401k.
- Are you 70 ½ or older? There are benefits for income tax savings with IRA charitable giving.

LIFE INSURANCE

- Consider naming B'nai Moshe as a beneficiary of an existing policy.
- Allows you to pledge a generous gift in the future with an affordable donation today. This is especially attractive to younger donors.

"Nobody is ever impoverished through the giving of charity."

– Maimonides

These are only a few of the opportunities for giving a lasting gift to benefit future generations. In most cases, this can be done at no cost to you while you are alive. A legacy gift is a promise for a Jewish future. Your loving act of a bequest or planned gift permanently endows the congregation to secure its well-being for this and future generations. It is your chance to thoughtfully determine how you want to be remembered.

For more information on how to participate in B'nai Moshe's Dor L'Dor Legacy Endowment Campaign, please contact Executive Director Steven Fine at 248-788-0600 or by email at sfine@bnaimoshe.org.

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Please attend B'nai Moshe's Annual Membership Meeting Thursday, May 27 at 7 p.m. We will discuss where we stand regarding re-opening the synagogue for indoor and outdoor services and events. Also, we will be electing our new Officers and Board of Directors.

Proposed Slate

President: Alan Levenson
Vice-President: Kevin Whelan
Vice President: Ruth Shayne
Vice President: Ken Kirshenbaum
Treasurer: Steven Sperling
Secretary: Rachel Daien
Past President: Mark Roth

Board of Directors

Hannah Carroll
Martha Goldberg
Alan Hitsky
Jack Light

Please return your ballots to the office either by mail or in the dropbox by May 27 and please plan on attending the membership meeting via zoom. The meeting ID is 837 093 5173.

MINYANAIRES

Who Wants to Be a Minyanaire?

During the synagogue shutdown, due to the coronavirus pandemic, we began video streaming our afternoon/evening and morning services.

It is heartwarming to see 30+ people each evening as we gather "alone together" to catch up, laugh, and pray. We have been joined daily by a growing number of B'nai Moshe family members and friends from near and far. We have learned that seeing a friendly face, even if via video, of a B'nai Moshe family member is soothing to the soul. We are a family.

Let's keep joining together Sunday—Thursday afternoon at 6p, Sunday mornings at 9a and Monday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings at 7:30a. And don't forget to join us Friday at 5:45p and during our Saturday morning Shabbat service at 9.

After 21 years with CBM, Irina Ostrovsky recently retired as our bookkeeper. We are fortunate that Irina's sister-in-law, Emily Ostrovsky, who has an extensive background in accounting and accounts payable, accepted the job to be our new bookkeeper. We wish Irina all the best in her retirement and welcome Emily to CBM. Say hi when you call!

Cantors at B'nai Moshe

Deborah Bletstein Pamela Schiffer Zachary Mondrow

EACH MONTH WE BRING YOU THE VOICE OF A TALENTED CANTOR

Sisterhood Lauds Honorable Menschen

Anne Rottman Earns Sisterhood Accolades

We would like to congratulate Anne Rottman on being awarded the March Mensch-of-the-Month.

Anne and her husband, Michael, have been long-standing members of Congregation B'nai Moshe. Anne has served our Congregation in many roles. She has been a past president for many years of Sisterhood, has sat on the Board and chaired many committees.

Pre-pandemic, Anne volunteered weekly in the Sisterhood kitchen baking, cooking, shopping, setting up the social hall, and cleaning up after Kiddush. She has always been available for anything that is needed last minute - from participating in minyan and making Havdalah sachets, to picking up items for rummage.

Anne was one of those at B'nai Moshe who recently passed out Purim shalach manot to our congregants who drove up.

Anne currently serves on the Congregation's Executive Com-

mittee and has been the chair of our phone call team which has contacted many of our senior members during the pandemic. Anne is always willing to lend a hand.

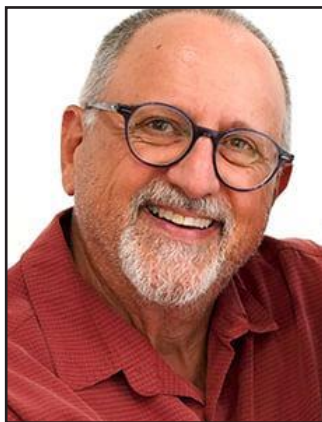
If you happen to not feel well and Anne hears about it - you will likely receive a delivery of her delicious homemade chicken soup, even during the pandemic!!!

Yasher Koach, Anne. We at B'nai Moshe are so fortunate and grateful for all that you do to keep our congregational family together.



Anne Rottman

Marc Sussman Named April Mensch of the Month



Marc Sussman

We want to wish Marc Sussman mazal tov on being named B'nai Moshe's Mensch of the Month for April. Marc and his wife, Lynne Avadenka, have been leaders in our synagogue in many ways. Some of you may remember their sons Max and Eli singing with Cantor Klein z"l as v'ne'emar boys.

Marc has taken on many leadership roles at B'nai Moshe. He served on the Executive Committee and currently is back on the Board of Directors where his

calm demeanor and experience are welcome assets. As many of you know Marc is currently the chair of B'nai Moshe's ritual committee.

Marc has been part of the B'nai Moshe choir for many years and for the past year has worked diligently with Rabbi Kantor to create meaningful and participatory Zoom services. Marc continues to lead all parts of the service from the preliminary service to shacharit, musaf, reading Torah and chanting haftarat. He has also taught members to lead the service including being a bar/bat mitzvah tutor. Marc created a series of recordings to help people familiarize themselves with the Shabbat morning prayers. Those recordings can be found on our website under the "Learn With Us" tab. Marc, along with Hannah Fine, created and are the facilitators of our wonderful Shabbat

Experience alternative Shabbat program. Marc is also the official "counter" at Zoom minyanim as he keeps track of how many people have attended at least one minyan since our services became virtual. I believe at last count Marc was reporting approximately 500 different people have attended at least one service.

Outside of B'nai Moshe Marc volunteers at Yad Ezra and is a tutor in a Detroit Public Schools 1st grade classroom, amongst we are sure, many more volunteer projects he is involved in. For all you have done and continue to do we say mazal tov to Marc for being B'nai Moshe's April Mensch of the Month!

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Learn the Prayers of Shabbat

Do you come to Shabbat services but still feel a little uncomfortable with the prayers? Perhaps they sound familiar but you find yourself listening rather than davening along. Here is your opportunity to familiarize yourself with the prayers chanted during Shabbat morning services, provided by our Ritual Team Leader, Marc Sussman. Marc has provided individual recordings of different parts of the service so you can better familiarize yourself with them. The recordings below only include the parts that the prayer leader sings aloud. They can usually be found in the siddur with a small diamond shape at the beginning of the line.

Listen a few times and you'll find yourself singing along in no time. Who knows, maybe one day you'll volunteer to lead services. [Click Here to view our Siddur Tefillah L'Moshe](#)

- [Shacharit: Shochen Ad to Meshichecha, pp 191 - 192](#)
- [Shacharit: Yishtabach to U'v'reh et HaKol, pp 193 - 195](#)
- [Shacharit: Ekes to end of El Adon, pp 197 - 199](#)
- [Shacharit: V'chulam to Yotzeei Ha'm'orot, pp 202 - 204](#)
- [Shacharit: Vehavi'enu to Atah hu me'olam, pp 206 - 212](#)
- [Shacharit: Tehilet le'El elyon to ga'al Yisra'el, pp 214 - 215](#)
- [Shacharit: Amidah, first 3 brachot, pp 216 - 218](#)
- [Shacharit: Kedushah, pp 218 - 220](#)
- [Shacharit: Kaddish Shalem, pp 234 - 235](#)
- [Psalm for Shabbat, pp 236 - 237](#)
- [Musaf: Beginning through Kedushah, pp 280 - 285](#)
- [Musaf: Tikanta through Kaddish Shalem, pp 286 - 290](#)

Celebrations & Mazal Tovs

May Birthdays

1 Harold Friedman	6 Jerry Cohn	11 Michael Friedman	18 Noah Goldberg	25 Evelyn Stein
2 Roz Grand	6 Linda Levich	11 Matthew Epstein	21 Henry Khinchuk	26 Vicki Goerke
2 Larry Brown	6 Larry Gunsberg	12 Lauren Weinberger	21 Lisa Jaffe	27 David Ceifetz
2 Jon Isenberg	6 Beatrice Rubin	13 Harry Robins	21 Rabbi Elliot Pachter	27 Tiffany Hodges
2 Jeremy Rebenstock	7 Lana Feldman	13 Arkady Shargorodsky	22 Cindy Diskin	27 Jaclyn Cohen
3 Hannah Rebenstock	8 Marlene Zeitlin	13 Dana Eisenberg	23 Charles Langwald	28 Edward Klarman
4 Joyce Borovoy	9 Ashley Shayne	14 Sara Cahn	23 Asa Diskin	28 Audrey Bloomberg
5 Toni Korman	9 Rena Kantor	15 Dorothy Lopatin	24 Sylvia Nussbaum	28 Michael Diskin
6 Katherine Sattler	10 Helen Bayles	15 Gloria Bookstein	24 Judith Pasternak	28 Daniel Litman
6 Joyce Sherman	10 Gary Yashinsky	15 Elyse Fine	24 Michele Siegal	31 Alisa Peskin-Shepherd
6 Elly Meisler	10 Julia Zaft		25 Fay Siegel	

June Birthdays

1 June Rubenstein	6 Marlene Kaufman	17 Lisa Sperling	21 Sara Weinfeld	27 Helen Lee Kraizman
1 Nathan Bloch	6 Ellen Starr	19 Colleen Storchan	23 Elaine Fertel	28 Eva Kohn
1 Nadine Aaron	8 Chuck Berris	19 Neal Rosenthal	23 Cynthia Rosenthal	28 Carol Kastan
2 Zoli Rubin	8 Mark Kowalsky	19 Erica Brown	23 Jackson Abohasira	28 Dennis Paul
2 Jerome Sima	9 Diane Weinberger	20 Susan Friedman	24 Maxine Shoskes	28 Bruce Roth
3 Jonah Yoskowitz	10 Sharon Friedman	20 Evan Paul	24 Edie Arbit	28 Andrew Cahn
4 Marcel Halberstadt	13 Jennifer Levine	20 Avi Bass	24 Jared Jackson	29 Danielle Zaft
4 Mitch Bass	14 Rebecca Teitel	21 Marilyn Skulsky	24 Anna Rubin	30 Stacey Whelan
5 Farrell Moore	14 Andrew Gross	21 Larry Rubin	25 Matthew Siporin	
6 Harriett Patchakos	16 Garry Zeitlin	21 Bruce Epstein	26 Earl Koenig	
6 Sandra Sharp	17 Mel Hersh	21 Mara Daien	26 Linda Mondrow	



May Anniversaries

7 Stephanie & Zachary Friedman	24 Nori & Larry Rubin	28 Jessie Alperin & Matthew Friedman	31 Elissa & Dennis Paul
23 Tiffany & Daniel Hodges	25 Beverly & Tom Klimko	28 Linda & Steve Mondrow	31 Stacie & Bruce Roth
23 Cindee & Neal Rosenthal	25 Jackie & Joey Yashinsky	28 Sheryl & Shay Rosenfeld	
	26 Chelly Slagter-Katzman & Jerry Katzman	28 Beverly & Mark Roth	



June Anniversaries

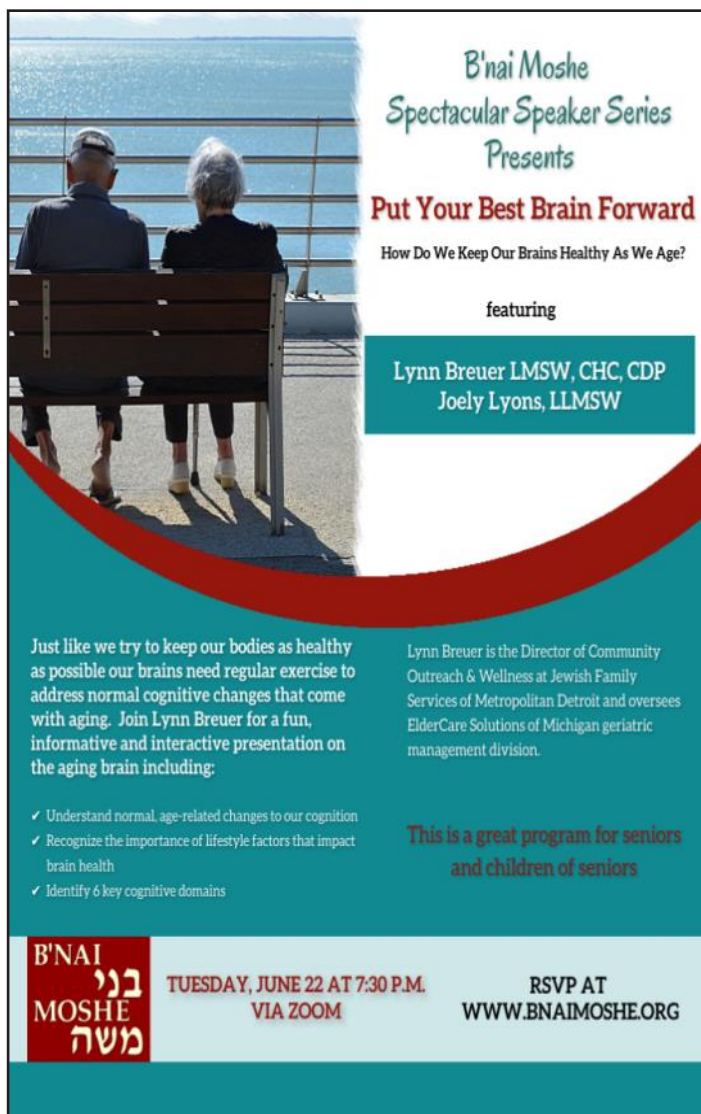
1 Debbie & Adam Plotnick	20 Sherri & Michael Litman
5 Naomi Weckstein & Rabbi Elliot Pachter	22 Rebecca & Steve Blaharski
8 Cynthia & Daniel Hirsch	22 Robin & Paul Ehrmann
8 Adele & Alan Levenson	22 Renee & Steven Freeman
9 Lorraine & Arnie Fisher	22 Pat & Barry V Levine
10 Rena & Ken Kirshenbaum	24 Jaymie & Matthew Epstein
12 Kathryn & Henry Averbuch	24 Ellie & Don Reimer
12 Natie & Alan Reinstein	25 Jennifer & Mitch Bass
13 Ellie & Abraham Aharoni	25 Shana & Rabbi Shalom Kantor
13 Doron & Daniel Vergun	26 Naomi & Dennis Bahcall
14 Tsipi & Ed. Golenberg	26 Maxine & Paul Krause
15 Ilana & Cantor Earl Berris	26 Arlene Millman & Steve Gershman
15 Tami & Eric Brown	27 Marion & Bert Stein
15 Lana & Marc Feldman	28 Barbara & Chuck Berris
18 Michelle & David Jarczewski	28 Sue & Jay Kalisky
18 Laurel & Alan Rebenstock	29 Ilana Wolfson & Morse Taxon
19 Edie & Steven Arbit	30 Susan & Bill Brown



~ Dedication ~

Harry & Ruth Averbuch

Forever in Our Memories



B'nai Moshe
Spectacular Speaker Series
Presents
Put Your Best Brain Forward
How Do We Keep Our Brains Healthy As We Age?

featuring
Lynn Breuer LMSW, CHC, CDP
Joely Lyons, LLMSW

Just like we try to keep our bodies as healthy as possible our brains need regular exercise to address normal cognitive changes that come with aging. Join Lynn Breuer for a fun, informative and interactive presentation on the aging brain including:

- ✓ Understand normal, age-related changes to our cognition
- ✓ Recognize the importance of lifestyle factors that impact brain health
- ✓ Identify 6 key cognitive domains

Lynn Breuer is the Director of Community Outreach & Wellness at Jewish Family Services of Metropolitan Detroit and oversees ElderCare Solutions of Michigan geriatric management division.

This is a great program for seniors and children of seniors

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9:30 am

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What people are saying about Shabbat Experience

"An open, non-judgmental space of kindness, compassion, warmth, and friendliness."

"We experience prayers both holy and wholly."

Join Our Growing Group of Torah Readers

I am delighted to report that since July of 2020, we have had 35 Torah readers. It is such a joy to have so many participants, including a few first time readers. If you would like to read Torah, please contact me at rabepach@bnaimoshe.org.

Lynne Avadenka
Jennifer Bass
Millie Bass
Charles Berris
Gordon Berris
Rachel Berris
Cantor Deborah Bletstein
Mark Cahn
Sharon Friedman
Edward Golenberg
Noam Kantor
Rabbi Shalom Kantor

Shana Kantor
Jeffrey Kirsch
Isaac Lemus
Nathan Lemus
Barry V Levine
Jennifer Levine
Matthew Levine
Zera Levine
Jack Light
Laurie Novetsky
Gabriel Pachter
Yael Plotnick

Ryan Reinstein
Mark Roth
Stacie Roth
Steven Rabinovitz
Lisa Schaap
Marc Sussman
Diane Weinberger
Annen Weber
Kevin Whelan
Stacey Whelan
Michael Yanitz



Mazal Tov To...

- **Sharon Horwitz** on the birth of her great-grandson Jack Matthew Gross, son of Erin and Ian Gross and grandson of **Suzy and Dr. Marty Gross**, and Sue and Matthew Savage.
- **Anne Rottman** on being named March Mensch of the Month.
- **Marc Sussman** on being named April Mensch of the Month.
- **Stacey Whelan** on celebrating 25 year of employment with General Motors.
- **Jaymie and Matthew Epstein** and **Lori and Bruce Epstein** on the birth of their son and grandson Asher Bennett.
- **Lisa and Joseph Konheim** on the bar mitzvah of their grandson Noah Konheim at Park Synagogue in Cleveland.
- **Pat and Barry Levine** on the birth of their third great-granddaughter Melani Fox, who was born on February 2 in Boulder, CO . Melani is the daughter of Pat & Barry's grand-daughter Rhianna and daughter of Beth. Melani is adored by big sisters Gabby and Reagan.
- **Phyllis and Jack Light** on their daughter, Dr. Jessica Light, receiving the Texas A&M Department of Multicultural Services 2021 Accountability, Climate and Equity (ACE) Diversity Service Award. Dr. Light earned this award for demonstrating outstanding commitment to the value of diversity at Texas A&M University.

Tanya Gersh Shares Her Amazing Story of Strength

B'nai Moshe Sisterhood welcomed Tanya Gersh who told her amazing story of strength and perseverance.

The founder of a major neo-Nazi website orchestrated a horrific harassment campaign launching a troll storm relentlessly terrorizing Tanya Gersh and her family with anti-Semitic threats, messages and internet terrorization. This harassment took a personal, physical, professional and emotional toll on Tanya and her family. But, with the support of the Southern Poverty Law Center, Tanya found strength in Hashem and fought back. She was awarded a \$14M judgment although she doubts she will ever see any of it.

Tanya shared with us the outpouring of love and support she received not just from her Jewish community but of the Jewish community worldwide. Tanya shared an important message with us: Embrace and celebrate your Judaism.

To view Tanya's entire engagement, you can find it on the Congregation B'nai Moshe YouTube page or type into your web browser:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YM8FTaXUctw&t=1019s>.



Learning, Friendship and Fun!

After an April hiatus, Rabbi Pachter's Sunday morning Talmud class returns, 10-11 am via Zoom. New students are welcome, and no prior skills or experience in Talmud is necessary. If you would like to join, send an email to Rabbi Pachter at rabepach@bnaimoshe.org.

Continuing students will automatically be sent the Zoom link. Beginning May 2, we will study Tractate Berakhot, the first volume of the Talmud, which focuses on issues related to Prayer. In addition to the laws, the Talmud also provides us with great stories and moral lessons. Come join us to learn (and laugh).



Make Sure You Receive Our Emails

One of the best ways for B'nai Moshe to get information to you is via email. We send weekly messages as well as emails informing you of important events and, unfortunately, deaths. Many of you may have opted out of receiving these emails in the past. If that is the case, we are asking that you re-instate receiving emails from B'nai Moshe.

CBM never removes anyone from our email list. Only you can do that and it's why **only you** can re-instate yourself. Please contact Suzette Fitzhugh in the office and let her know that you want to be re-instated. Suzette can be reached at **248-788-0600** or at suzette@bnaimoshe.org. She will then send you a link to complete the process. We promise to keep our emails to a minimum.



Celebrate the Class of 2021

B'nai Moshe loves to celebrate the accomplishments of our members and their families and the summer is the perfect time to celebrate all of our graduates.



If you, a child, grandchild or great-grandchild have graduated or are graduating soon we want to share the good news! Is there a high school, college, graduate school or Melton graduate in your family? Let us know and we will spotlight our graduates in our upcoming July/August *Bulletin*.

Last year's graduation *Bulletin* was our most popular *Bulletin* of the year and we expect this year to be as big a success.

All you need to do is send an email telling us the name of your graduate and where they are graduating from to cbminfo@bnaimoshe.org no later than June 4 and we'll make sure they are spotlighted. Please also include a picture.

We will also celebrate all of our graduates during Shabbat services on Saturday, June 26.

Let's celebrate our 2021 graduates!



Rachel Slagter Shares Her Story of Surviving the Shoah

B'nai Moshe Men's Club welcomed Rachel "Chelly" Slagter to share her incredible story of surviving the Shoah as a young child and the bravery of the righteous gentiles who rescued her from an orphanage to the sanctity of a caring gentile family.



"I was hidden for two years by some brave Dutch people and transported to them by a young man who saved 33 Jewish children during the years 1943-1945," she said. Rachel's siblings were rescued in a similar fashion after forced separation from their parents who were transported to Bergen-

Belsen concentration camp.

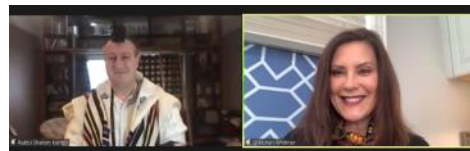
Rachel's father survived, however, he would not discuss any aspect of his Holocaust experiences, his wife's death or the children's survival. This led to Rachel's decades-long search to identify and thank her rescuers. You can watch Chelly's presentation on the B'nai Moshe YouTube page or by typing into your web browser:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PhLBUL8T85s&t=3s>

Governor Whitmer Visits B'nai Moshe

Not only was B'nai Moshe honored to welcome Lt. Gov. Garlin Gilchrist to our Sunday morning service in January but we were extremely honored to welcome Michigan Gov. Gretchen Whitmer who visited with us on Sunday, March 21.

Governor Whitmer addressed those in attendance and congratulated us on keeping our members healthy and



offering a safe environment for prayer. She commended us in our efforts in continuing to "mask up" and get vaccinated as each of us plays an important role in re-opening the state safely and effectively.

She stayed with us and answered questions that congregants posed on a range of topics that are relevant to the people of Michigan. Accompanying Gov. Whitmer was her Director of Community Affairs, Dion Williams. We were thrilled to have them both join us in March.

Sorry Kermit. It's Actually Easy Being Green . . . by Ada Yerman

Thank you to Chef Cari for presenting at our Zero Waste Food Program on Monday, March 8. The event was well attended and very informative! We will use this column to keep you posted on activities that the Green Team has planned, include some facts about environmental sustainability. Hopefully, it will inspire you to join us on the journey of preserving our planet for future generations.



Did you know that scientists predict that by the year 2050 there will be more plastic in the ocean by weight than fish? Plastic pollution has created a “garbage patch” in the Pacific Ocean that is 3 times the size of France! Although single use plastic offers the consumer a lot of convenience, it is very harmful to our planet and wildlife. It has been reported that all sea turtle species, 45% of marine mammal species and 21% of seabird species are harmed by ingesting plastic or becoming entangled by it.

I collected all the plastic that I use in my home for 1 week - and I do not use Ziploc storage bags or plastic grocery bags, and rarely use plastic wrap. I was amazed by how much plastic I collected. Most items in the grocery store come in some sort of plastic. A box of cereal has a plastic bag inside containing the cereal. Cheese sticks are wrapped in plastic, produce is wrapped in plastic. And the list goes on...

I have decided that each month I will commit to one change that will decrease my single use plastic waste. In March, I decided to reuse the little plastic medicine bottles that my family receives its medication in. I called our local pharmacy—Lakes Discount Pharmacy on Haggerty Rd. in West Bloomfield and asked if I

brought in my used amber or green plastic container, would they put the refill in that bottle. I was so happy to hear the answer - YES!

Prior to the pandemic I used mesh bags when buying produce at the grocery. I stopped as stores were requesting that shoppers *not* bring their own bags. I have started to use my own mesh produce bags again. I have tried to use my own grocery totes, but have been told by some stores that they cannot put the groceries in them. I asked if I could pack my own bags and the answer was YES. Now I pack my groceries in my own reusable totes.

The other change I made in March was to try and use less paper towel as it comes wrapped in plastic. I bought a product called Unpaper Towels online (they are washable and recyclable/compostable). I have used a lot less paper towels since purchasing these. In April, I stopped buying dental floss in the little blue plastic case. I have ordered dental floss from an online store that is recyclable and comes in a refillable glass case.

I know it seems like a small thing, but if we all did a small thing and told our friends about it, then maybe we could start to have an impact. What can you do this month? Can you give up drinking/buying water in plastic water bottles, use reusable grocery bags, or stop using a plastic straw?

Let me know what you have changed. Send your info to me at ayerman@comcast.net and I will share with our congregational community.

We would love to have you join us on the Green Team. We could use your ideas and enthusiasm.

To join - just email Ada. No prior experience is needed :-)

B'nai Moshe Engages Cantor Deborah Bletstein for High Holidays

B'nai Moshe is thrilled to announce that we have engaged Cantor Deborah Bletstein to lead our upcoming High Holiday Services from the cantorial pulpit. Cantor B has been one of our guest cantors for several months, leading services and chanting haftarat.



Many thanks go to Marc Sussman and his committee who interviewed the candidates and made the recommendation to the Board of Directors. We were fortunate to have excellent candidates. One of the candidates, Cantor Zachary Mondrow, has a recurring agreement to lead services at a synagogue in the Chicago area for the high holidays.

Marc and his committee are also interviewing for a cantor or cantors to lead Shabbat morning services. We'll keep you posted as soon as we have more information to report. Both CBM and Chicago are fortunate to have talented chazzanim.

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Week of May 8-14 26 IYAR – 3 SIVAN

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Week of May 15-21 4 – 10 SIVAN

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Week of May 22-28 11 – 17 SIVAN

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Week of June 5-11 25 SIVAN – 1 TAMMUZ

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SHAVUOT UNDER THE STARS

Commemorate the receiving of the Torah with a study session of Torah and Jewish texts.

we will gather to study under the stars in the parking lot

Sunday, May 16 @ 8 P.M.
mincha, maariv, nosh, tikkun

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Mother's Day

Sunday, May 16
Erev Shavuot – Parking Lot Service and Tikkun at 8 p.m.

Monday, May 17
Shavuot I – Office Closed

Tuesday, May 18
Shavuot II/Yizkor – Office Closed

Thursday, May 27
Elections and Annual Membership Meeting via Zoom

Monday, May 31
Memorial Day – Office Closed

Saturday, June 12
Officers and Board of Directors Installation Shabbat

Sunday, June 20
Father's Day

Tuesday, June 22
B'nai Moshe Speaker Series "Put Your Best Brain Forward"
7:30 p.m. via Zoom

Saturday, June 26
Graduation Celebration Shabbat

Kolel Moshe

Rabbi Pachter's Talmud Class (Via Zoom)
All Sundays in May and June at 10 a.m.

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Executive Committee Meeting (Via Zoom)
Thursdays, May 13 and June 10 at 7:30 p.m.

Board of Directors Meeting (Via Zoom)
Thursdays, May 27 and June 24 at 7:30 p.m.

Candle Lighting, Havdalah & Services

Candle Lighting Times

5/7 8:22p, 5/14 8:30p, 5/21 8:37p, 5/28 8:43p
6/4 8:49p, 6/11 8:53p, 6/18 8:56p, 6/25 8:57p

Havdalah Times

5/1 9:16p, 5/8 9:24p, 5/15 9:31p, 5/22 9:38 p, 5/29 9:44p
6/5 9:49p, 6/12 9:53p, 6/19 9:56p, 6/26 9:57p

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Weekday—Zoom

Sunday - 9 a.m.
Monday, Wednesday, Thursday – 7:30 a.m.
Evenings, Sunday through Thursday – 6 p.m.

Shabbat Service Times

Zoom/Streaming

Friday Evenings – 5:45 p.m.
Saturday Mornings – 9 a.m.

Shabbat Experience Time

Zoom

Saturdays, May 1 and 15 – 9:30 a.m.
Saturdays, June 5 and 19 – 9:30 a.m.

Shavuot Service Times

Sunday, May 16 – 8:00 p.m. Mincha-Ma'ariv
Followed by Shavuot Study Session (weather permitting)
Monday/Tuesday, May 17/18 – 9 a.m. – *No evening service*



Until we are able to gather together in our beautiful sanctuary and chapel, B'nai Moshe is providing an interactive evening service every Sunday - Thursday at 6 p.m.; Friday evening at 5:45 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday mornings at 9 a.m., and Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday mornings at 7:30 a.m. via Zoom. This allows us to safely gather, while in our own homes, say Kaddish, pray and see friendly faces and catch up. For information on how to access the zoom services, please visit our website at www.bnaimoshe.org.