We recall those recently departed. Edith Cohen, mother of Susan Weinstein Bernard Schneider, father of Iris Schneider Rosen

We remember, with love, the Six Million whose lives were taken during the Holocaust. We also remember, with love, those who were taken from our midst this week in years past and commemorate the anniversaries of their passing.

Week of April 22-28, 2018

Lillian Arnowitz

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*Enshrined on the Memorial Tablet

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עִבְדוּ אֶת יְיָ בְּשִׂמְחָה בֹּאוּ לְפָנָיו בִּרְנָנָה

Serve God with gladness! Come into God's presence with singing Psalm100

S'firat haOmer - Counting the Omer This ritual is performed every evening from the second day of Pesach to the day before Shavuot.

הַנְנִי מוּכַן וּמַזְמַן לִקַיָּם מִצְוַת עֵשָּׁה שֵׁל סְפִירַת הַעְמֵר. Hin'ni muchan um'zuman l'kayeim mitzvat asei shel s'firat haomer.

I am ready to fulfill the mitzvah of counting the Omer.

בַּרוּדְ אַתַּה, יִיַ אֵלהֵינוּ, מֵלֵדְ הַעוֹלַם, אֲשֶׁר קִדְשַׁנוּ בִּמִצְוֹתַיו וָצְוַנוּ על ספירת העמר. Baruch atah, Adonai Eloheinu, Melech haolam, asher kidshanu b'mitzvotav

v'tzivanu al s'firat haomer. Our praise to You, Adonai, Sovereign of all, who hallows us with *mitzvot*,

commanding us to count the Omer.

היום שמונה ועשרים יום שהם ארבעה שבועות לעמר Ha-yom shemonah v'esrim yom, shehaym arba-a shavuot la-omer.

Today is twenty-eight days, which are four weeks of the Omer.

Hinei Mah Tov Text: Psalm 133:1	הְנֵה מַה טוֹב Music: Elana Arian				
Hi-nei mah tov She-vet a-chim gam ya-chad Hi-nei mah tov u-ma-na-im	הְנֵה מַה טוֹב שֶׁבֶת אַחִים גַּם יָחַד הְנֵה מַה טוֹב וּמַה נָּעִים				
How good it is How sweet it is To be together on this day					
Sha-lom a-lei-chem! Sa-laam a-ley-kum!	שָׁלוֹם עֲלֵיכֶם!				
How good and pleasant it is for brothers and sisters to sit together. Peace be to you!					



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TEMPLE BETH ABRAHAM

April 27-28, 2018 13 Iyar 5778 7:30pm Acharei-Kedoshim

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The **flowers** on the *bimah* are dedicated by the Schwartz Family in honor of Zachary becoming a Bar Mitzvah, and by Harris Bank and Roger Bank in loving memory of their mother, Bertha Bank.

The **Oneg** is sponsored by Paige and David Schwartz in honor of their son Zachary becoming a Bar Mitzvah.

Temple Beth Abraham Events April 28—May 5, 2018

Conservative Shabbat Service w/Kiddush ~ Zachary Schwartz, son of David and Paige

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Bar Mitzvah	Sat	Apr 28	9:00am
Gala Honoring Rabbi Holtz (not at TBA)	Sat	Apr 28	7:00pm
Pet Blessing	Sun	Apr 29	11:15am
ZEETY Board Meeting	Sun	Apr 29	11:00am
Israel Committee Brunch and Seminar	Sun	Apr 29	12:00pm
Mah Jongg	Mon	Apr 30	1:00pm
Committee Chair Meeting	Tues	May 1	6:30pm
Board of Trustees Meeting	Tues	May 1	7:30pm
<i>Tanakh</i> Study	Wed	May 2	10:00am
Israeli Dancing	Wed	May 2	7:00pm
Family Shabbat Dinner (w/reservations)	Fri	May 4	6:00pm
Family Shabbat Service w/K & 1st grade	Fri	May 4	7:00pm
Conservative Shabbat Service	Sat	May 5	9:00am
Ryan Gosset, son of Julia and Steven Gosse	et,		
will be called to the Torah as a			
Bar Mitzvah	Sat	May 5	11:00am



A robust endowment will allow us to innovate and try new, bold approaches that honor and expand upon our rich traditions, and remain on the cutting edge of American worship and spiritual communities.

For information about how to get involved or to make a gift, contact Bridges Campaign Chair Gayle Aaron at bridges@tba-ny.org or call Stuart Skolnick at the Temple.

TBA Gala Honoring Rabbi David Holtz THIS Saturday, April 28 from 7:00 to 11:00pm

We look forward to seeing you at this wonderful event!

The Gala will include a silent auction featuring sports and entertainment memorabilia. There will also be a 50/50raffle and a raffle drawing for a "Night Out in White Plains." Raffle tickets will be available at the event.

Cash, check, or credit card payments will be accepted.

Parking Arrangements - There will be self parking available in the lot

attached to the hotel. Valet parking will also be available; cost will be

\$12.00~15.00 depending on length of time parked.

Israel's #1 song from 20, 50, or even 70 years ago? You'll learn how

music has influenced Israeli society and how Israeli society has influenced

music! Join Mairov Dubrovsky and Josh Shron from the Israel Hour on

this musical journey.

Lunch will be provided followed by the program.

To register go to bit.ly/TBAIsraeliMusicSeminar or call the

Temple Office at (914)-631-1770

Whether you're a beginner or have been dancing for years, join the fun!

\$10.00 for all Temple Beth Abraham Members - \$15.00 for Guests -

\$5.00 for all Junior High, High School, and College Students. For more information contact Adulted@tba-ny.org

Israeli Folk Dancing

Wednesday, May 2 from 7:00~9:30pm

Beginning Instruction from 7:00~8:00pm

Open Dancing from 8:00~9:30pm

Israeli Music Seminar-"70 Years, 70 Songs"

THIS Sunday, April 29 at noon

Israel is turning 70! Celebrate this special milestone with a

fun program at TBA that chronicles the evolution of Israeli

music throughout the history of the Jewish state. What was



Program by Rabbi Holtz Tuesday, May 8 from 7:30-9:00pm

Tikkun Olan: Midnight Run— Saturday, May 12, 2018



toiletries, disposable razors. NEW packages of men's briefs ~ M/L ~ and athletic socks are greatly appreciated. We will also need some families to make bag lunches (20 each) for the Run. If you are interested in making food, participating in the Run, or want more information about what is involved, please email Steven Chang at: midnightrun@tba~ny.org

Tikkun Olam Projects at TBA **Recycle Electronics at TBA**

During the **month of April**, we are collecting inkjet printer cartridges and toner cartridges as well as cd's, dvd's floppy disks, ZIP & Jazz disks and cases, VHS and audio cassette drives, small electronics (MP3, hand-held CD & cassette players, and digital cameras). These items will be recycled through the Funding Factory and GreenDisk.

Donations Textiles and Benefit "The Harris Project"

Donate your textiles in the designated green bin in the parking lot. Unwanted clothing, bedding, towels, shoes, accessories in any condition are accepted.

Pet Blessing and Pet Food Drive -THIS Sunday, April 29 at 11:15am

Bring your pet (leashed) or a photo, if you pet doesn't travel well, for a blessing by the Rabbi on the front lawn. The Pet Food Drive supports the Hudson Valley Pet Food Pantry. See website for suggestions: <u>www.hvpetfoodpantry.org</u>

Monthly May Mitzvah ~ Sunday, May 6 11:15am—12:00pm

Create dog toys to donate to Paws Crossed Animal Shelter in Elmsford. We will need old t-shirts to cut and volunteers to help out.

Please contact <u>tikkunolam@tba~ny.org</u> for any questions on above events



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FAMILY SHABBAT-Friday, May 4 Family Shabbat Dinner at 6:00pm Family Shabbat Service with the K/1st Grade at 7:00pm

The main course is chicken. You may have pasta instead if requested at the time reservations are made. RSVP and payment in advance please.

Dinner: Adults ~ \$15.00 and Children (ages 2~12) ~ \$10.00 RSVP by THIS Monday, April 30, 2018

5th Grade Car Wash Fundraiser Sunday, May 6 from 10:00~11:00am



Come get your car washed by our enthusiastic 5th graders and help them support Israel! The \$10.00 per car donation will benefit various Israeli organizations that help improve the quality of life in Israel.

Arguments for the Sake of Heaven—A How-To

At the High Holydays, Rabbi Holtz spoke about



what constitutes a "machloket l'shem shamayim" - an argument for the sake of heaven. He said polarization of opinions and positions which we are experiencing in our country today has long been a feature of human discourse, though the animosity we're now seeing has not.

TBA is honored to be piloting the curriculum from Israel's Pardes Institute of Jewish Studies. We look at Jewish texts on one aspect of how to conduct an argument and then have the opportunity to put that idea into practice. Please join fellow congregants in a skills-building program on how to turn your disagreements into arguments for the sake of heaven. This is the third of the series. Upcoming dates are: May 22 and May 29. RSVP's are really helpful! Please email <u>rabbi@tba-ny.org</u>

> We are collecting CASUAL MEN'S clothing in the coatroom at TBA ~ jeans, corduroys, chinos, T-shirts, long-sleeve T-shirts, sweaters, hoodies, warm jackets, backpacks, travel-size



