



TEMPLE BETH OR



April 2023
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THE VINE



The Newsletter of
TEMPLE BETH OR
BRICK, NJ

April
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May
FLOWERS



HAPPY
PASSOVER

Temple Beth Or
(Hebrew for "House of Light")

Temple Beth Or is an egalitarian inclusive Conservative congregation, modern yet reverent to the Jewish tradition. The congregation is made up of singles, couples and families. We welcome all members of our community, including interfaith families, and feel that a congregation should be a friendly welcoming place and the anchor of a caring community. It reaches out to its members relating to their needs and interests and to the larger Jewish and general community as well. Temple Beth Or is affiliated with the United Synagogue of Conservative Judaism.

SPIRITUAL LEADERS

Rabbi Robert Rubin
Rabbi Emeritus Dr. Robert E. Fierstien



SERVICES: In-Person or on Zoom

Monday-Thursday, @ 6:45 PM on Zoom only

Friday @ 7:15 PM

Saturday @ 9:30 AM (beginning with Shocheyn Ad, Preliminary Services on your own) and after Shabbat with Havdalah

We look forward to seeing you!

***TBO Services available on Zoom**
Join us 15 minutes before the service
and schmooze together.*

Watch your email or contact the office for the Zoom Access.

If you have difficulty going online,
contact Rabbi Rubin at 610-639-5341.

**Temple Beth Or
MAILING ADDRESS**

**PO Box 789
Brick, NJ 08723**

Phone: 732-458-4700

TBO Office Location @
St. Thomas Lutheran Church,
135 Salmon Street, Brick

Office Hours

Monday - Friday
9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Call from parking lot to be met at door.

Secretary: Cindy

Email: TempleBethOrBrick@gmail.com

Website: www.TempleBethOrBrick.org

Facebook:
www.facebook.com/TempleBethOrBrickNJ

In case of an emergency

**Contact Rabbi Rubin
call 610-639-5341 or 732-840-1092**

Rabbi Rubin's Email:
RBobRubin@gmail.com

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	Jay Burke Anne Katz Naomi Monter Harriet Riss		Sara Askin Lenny Erlanger Larry Kalb Marlene Vogel

If a link is broken, the whole chain breaks. Yiddish Proverb



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All Submissions for The Vine are due by
the 15th of the prior month.

All Submissions are subject for review.

NO EXCEPTIONS

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A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

By Sandi Silber



Mazel Tov, we have received the resolution that will allow us to start to redo the new building. We are now waiting for the engineers to agree on a plan so the work can begin.

While we are waiting, we are preparing for Passover. I hope that we all have a zeeseen Pesach and a year filled with kindness and joy.

We all hope the Rabbi a refuah shelaymah and a happy Passover

The various committees of Temple Beth Or are getting ready with spring programs, please watch for details in the emails. Join us for services on Zoom for Passover as well as resumed services starting April 14 in person at St Thomas' gym.



A MESSAGE FROM OUR RABBI

By Rabbi Robert Rubin



Israel – We Are Concerned!

Israel is now facing a major political crisis. It is not about candidates in an election. It is not about the ongoing Israeli-Arab situation. It is not about the economy.

It is about the future of democracy in Israel. It is about whether Israel can remain both a Jewish AND a democratic state. It is about whether the Israeli government will continue to function with regular checks and balances between the Supreme Court/judiciary and the Knesset/Parliament/legislature (and the governing Coalition/Executive that comes out of the Knesset).

In the United States, we have three co-equal branches of government with checks and balances between them so that no one branch can rule alone over the others. In Israel, they have basically two branches of government.

Currently, the Knesset can pass a law and the Supreme Court can overturn it. One of the proposals being pushed by the current governing Coalition (with 64 seats out of the 120 in the Knesset) is that the Knesset will have the power to pass laws that would be immune from Supreme Court review. Another proposal is that if the Supreme Court did overturn a law passed by the Knesset, the Knesset could override the Supreme Court by a simple majority of 61.

The results of these proposals would give the Knesset the power to vote whatever it wants without any of the checks and balances that help maintain a democracy. Many people fear the tyranny of the majority which could ignore the rights of the minority (and Israel has many minorities). The governing Coalition claims that the Supreme Court needs to be “reined in” from being too interventionist and too activist. The protestors dispute that claim.

This is such a big issue that Israelis have been protesting in mass gatherings (often on Saturday night after Shabbat) for about twelve straight weeks. More protests are planned. At times, 500,000 Israelis have shown up for protests held all over Israel. In American terms, that would be like 15,000,000 people protesting all at the same time. Israeli President Isaac Herzog has delivered several “addresses to the nation” just in the last few weeks, which is similar to the U.S. President speaking from the Oval Office. President Herzog has warned of “blood in the streets” and the potential for civil war. He has called on the governing Coalition and the Opposition to sit down together and follow a more compromising framework.

As the Romans were besieging Jerusalem in 70 CE, the sages later lamented that while the siege was happening, the Jews in Jerusalem were fighting each other and that there was baseless hatred (sinat chinam) one for another within our community.

We can have differences of opinion. However, we must find ways to work together. We pray for the peace in Israel. We must stay informed about the events in Israel. There are many good English language sources for news and opinion; to mention two – online there is The Times of Israel and on TV and online there is i24 News.

At the end of the Pesach Seder, we say: Next Year in Jerusalem! At the end of the Pesach Seders this year, let us say: This year Peace in Jerusalem, in Israel and in the world!

Chag Pesach Sameach – May you (and Israel) have a happy (and peaceful) Pesach holiday!

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SISTERHOOD NEWS AND EVENTS

President: Deanna Burke

"Help one another is part of
the religion of our sisterhood"
Louisa May Alcott

SAVE THE DATE:

May 12, 2023, Friday - Sisterhood Shabbat & Dinner

Must RSVP by May 5, 2023

Flier on page 8

May 23, 2023, Tuesday - General Meeting - Elections

June 6, 2023, Tuesday - Shalom Party - Installation of Officers

June 9, 2023, Friday - Graduation Cake & Celebration



Join Sisterhood 2022/2023

Any suggestions for future meeting topics or guest speakers, please contact Deanna Burke or the TBO Office.



GOLDEN BOOKS

Send someone special a card for any occasion. Call the office
732-458-4700 or
email:

TempleBethOrBrick@gmail.com.

The cost is \$3.00 per card, including postage, or purchase a package of six cards for \$18.00.

Please make checks out to:
Temple Beth Or, Sisterhood
Attn: Golden Book

SHOPRITE GIFT CERTIFICATES

Buy supermarket gift cards from Sisterhood Temple Beth Or and earn 5% on your purchase for the Temple. ShopRite Gift Cards are available in denominations of \$25, \$50, and \$100. The cards are used as a debit card when you do your shopping. It is a convenient way to pay for your shopping while helping Temple Beth Or.

Please Call:

Rachel Zycband @ 732-581-4809

SISTERHOOD/TEMPLE CATERING

Sponsor an Oneg Shabbat, Kiddush Luncheon, or Private Event!
All Bookings must be made through Sisterhood/Temple Catering.
Please call Temple Beth Or's office:
732-458-4700

FLOWER FUND

Contributions are being accepted for the on going flower fund. A card will be sent "In Honor of", "In Celebration of", "In Memory of", or Just Because.
Contact Temple Beth Or's office



CHAI CHAIR FUND

The Chai chair Fund has been established to replace those chairs that are in disrepair and to purchase additional ones.

Checks are payable to:
Temple Beth Or, Sisterhood
Attn: Ann Metnick
Amount TBD per chair

A certificate of notification will be sent upon request.

Name:

Number of Chairs:

Amount Enclosed \$:

In Honor of:

In Memory of:

Sisterhood Shabbat Dinner & Service May 12, 2023



Sisterhood invites **all** congregants to join us in-person or on Zoom as we celebrate Shabbat service @ 7:30 PM.

In-person pasta dinner will be served before service @.6:00 PM.

Oneg Shabbat following service.

Dinner seating is limited.

Please make your reservation now. **RSVP by May 5, 2023.**

Fill out the form below or call TBO office @ 732-458-4700.



Mother's Day Bimah Flowers
Please use order form on page 11.



Sisterhood members
please respond by
May 5, 2023
if you can participate
in the readings.

Sisterhood Shabbat Dinner Reservation

Name(s) _____

of Adults _____ # of children _____

Enclosed is \$ _____

Payable to: Temple Beth Or Sisterhood

Cost: Adults - **\$18.00**

Children 17 years of age & younger- **\$8.00**

Mother's Day Bimah Flowers



Donations can be made In Memory or In Honor of a loved one.
Call Rachel Zycband 732-785-1980 or contact the TBO office by
email templebethorbrick@gmail.com or phone 732-458-4700.

Sisterhood Mother's Day Flowers

Name(s) _____

In Honor of _____

In Memory of _____

Enclosed is \$ _____

Payable to: Temple Beth Or Sisterhood

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MEN'S CLUB OF TEMPLE BETH OR

Co-Presidents: Jeff Fink & Larry Kalb

April 16, 2023, Sunday - General Meeting

May 7, 2023, Sunday - Elections

June 11, 2023, Sunday - General Meeting

June 16, 2023, Friday - Men's Club Shabbat

July 16, 2023, Sunday - General Meeting

August 13, 2023, Sunday - General Meeting & Annual BBQ

September 10, 2023, Sunday - General Meeting



Join Men's Club 2023

Form on page 12



UPCOMING YOUTH EVENTS

Toms River/Brick USY (TRICKUSY)

Joint USY groups with Congregation B'nai Israel of Toms River. Cantor Jacob Greenberg is the youth advisor.

Children do as you do, not as you say. -Swedish Proverb



Adult Jewish Learning Classes



Hebrew Reading: Beyond the Basics – read and learn some Modern Hebrew and Prayer Book Hebrew– online with Rabbi Rubin – Thursdays, April 20 & 27, 2023 @ 7:30-8:45 PM (every session independent), – modern easy-Hebrew magazine and prayers shown on the screen – translation provided along with discussion.

We invite you to join our Zoom Adult Jewish Learning classes even if you have not participated before.

We are open to your ideas for future classes.

Contact **Rabbi Rubin** at **732-840-1092 (home)** or **610-639-5341 (cell)** or

Mona Sternbach at **732-840-2098 (home)** with your input.



On the mountain, God gave Moses rules for the people to follow.



Join the 2023 Men's Club

- **Socialize at Productive and Meaningful Meetings**
- **Help fund-raise for TBO**

Dues: Still Just \$25

(Please make check out to TBO Men's Club)

Please Submit to TBO Office at your earliest convenience.

Temple Beth Or, Men's Club

P.O. Box 789

Brick, NJ 08723

(732.458.4700)

Name _____

Phone Number _____

Email _____

Amount enclosed _____

JOIN *the* FUN

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We wish to thank The Mitzvah Group and fellow congregants for the Get Well cards, phone calls, e-mails, and to Rabbi Rubin for his visits to Jay while in the hospital. It was greatly appreciated. It's good to be back home.
Jay and Deanna Burke

“Todah Rabah

Thank you so much to my Beth Or family who made donations and sent warm messages in memory of my beloved sister, Ruth Leah Rothman. Your support helped to ease my difficult time.

With Gratitude,
Gittel Footerman”

Thank you to everyone for their good wishes after my accident.
Your thoughtfulness is very much appreciated.
Rabbi Robert Rubin

Snowbirds

**TBO Snowbirds - Please let us know when you will be re-
turning to your primary address so that we can direct
mail there.**

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To All Members,

It is election time for the Temple Beth Or Board.

The Nominating Committee has put forth the following slate of officers, which has been approved by the Board.

President - Sharon Monter

First Vice-President - Melanie Rogacki

Second Vice-President - Noel Biller

Third Vice-President - Naomi Monter

Financial Secretary - Rachel Zycband

Recording Secretary - Marlene Vogel

Treasurer - Spencer Hoffman

Directors (new): Lenny Erlanger

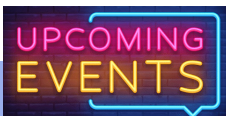
Mona Sternbach

Should anyone be interested in running for any position, including the two open Director positions, a petition signed by at least 10% of the voting congregation must be submitted to the secretary no later than April 20th.

The Temple Beth Or Nominating Committee consists of Sharon Monter, Noel Biller and Lenny Erlanger.



Temple Beth Or
Semi-annual Meeting
for Elections
Sunday, April 30, 2023
@ 10:00 am
on Zoom



April 5-13, 2023 - Passover begins at sundown **Wednesday night**
Service schedule on page 18

April 6 & 7 2023 - Pesach Days I & II - TBO Office closed

April 10, 2023, Monday - TBO Office closed

April 12 & 13, 2023 - Pesach Days VII & VIII - TBO Office closed

April 17, 2023, Monday @ 5:30 PM - Community Yom Hashoah Holocaust Remembrance Event
Flier on page 19

April 23, 2023, Sunday @ 4:00 PM - Movie, Discussion, Light Supper **Eagles Over Auschwitz: The Triumph of the Return** - co-sponsored by Living Faith Bible Church & Temple Beth Or.
RSVP required
Flier on page 20

April 30, 2023, Sunday @ 10:00 AM on Zoom - Temple Beth Or General Meeting - *Elections* -
Make sure to attend and vote for your new Board Members.
Slate on page 13

AVAILABLE – *The Jewish Journal* (April & March issues), *Shabbat/Holiday Prayer Books*, *Week-day Prayer Books*, *Chumashim*, *Yizkor Books of Remembrance*. Available in the TBO Office or contact Rabbi Rubin (cell: 610-639-5341).

Monthly Birthday List on page 20.

If you would like to have your birthday listed in the Vine, please email or call with the month and day of your birthday to the TBO Office.

Save the Dates:

May 5, 2023, Friday - TBO Board Installation

May 7, 2023, Sunday - Rise Against Hunger - Meal packing event
Flier on page 20

May 12, 2023, Friday - TBO Office closed

May 12, 2023, Friday - Sisterhood Shabbat & Dinner

May 14, 2023, Sunday - Mother's Day

May 25-27, 2023, Thursday night, Friday & Saturday - Shavuot

May 26, 2023, Friday - Shavuot - TBO Office closed

May 29, 2023, Monday - Memorial Day - TBO Office closed

June 9, 2023, Friday - Graduation Cake & Celebration



Emergency Campaign to help the Jews of Ukraine during this crisis – You can contribute through the Jewish Federation of Ocean County to help the Joint Distribution Committee and other agencies who are on the ground working in Ukraine. All contributions raised will be sent directly to our partners doing important work in response to this crisis. **Checks payable to JFOC can be mailed to 1235A Highway 70, Lakewood, NJ 08701; memo: Ukraine Emergency Fund.**



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Do not withhold good from those who deserve it, when it is in your power to act. -*Jewish Proverb*



Be Prepared – CERT is Community Emergency Response Team, a nationwide volunteer organization which most towns have. It backs up First Responders. Members are trained on what to do before, during and after a disaster, including basic first aid, CPR, fire safety, light search & rescue and triage. CERT members have assisted with evacuations, food & water distribution, fire and Super Storm Sandy as well as at township events, such as Summerfest, Night Against Crime and Trunk or Treat. When disaster strikes, those trained are able to assist the police and EMS, help themselves and help their neighbors. Successful completion of a CERT course, which includes a written & practical test and background check, are the requirements to become a CERT member. Preparedness is very important. Please stop in the Temple Beth Or office, located in St. Thomas Lutheran Church, Monday-Friday, 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM to pick up a Disaster Preparedness Guide. If you are at any township event look for the CERT table and say hello. If you want to learn more, call our TBO member Joy Witt at 732-278-9008.

VOLUNTEER



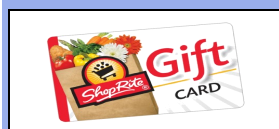
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - for Friday night Oneg Shabbat & Saturday Kiddush.

Volunteers needed to purchase food, set up and clean up.

Contact Rachel at Rachelzycband@comcast.net or 732-581-4809 for more info.



DONATE NON-PERISHABLE FOOD to a Food Pantry – Bring food directly to a food pantry, like the one at St. Thomas Lutheran Church, 135 Salmon Street, Brick, 732-477-5533, or one you have by you.



HELP SUPPORT TEMPLE BETH OR with the purchase of **ShopRite Gift Cards** - See flier on page 23.

or

HELP SUPPORT PEOPLE THROUGH THE FOOD PANTRY at St. Thomas Lutheran Church (where our TBO office is located). Buy a ShopRite gift card (\$25, \$50 or \$100) from Sisterhood and donate it to the food pantry. The church continues to go above and beyond in kindness and generosity towards our congregation in helping us continue to move forward at this difficult time. Order by contacting Rachel Zycband at Rachelzycband@comcast.net, or (732-581-4809) and specify that it is to be given to the food pantry. Buying ShopRite gift cards from Sisterhood also benefits TBO.



PLANT A TREE IN ISRAEL in a loved ones name. \$18 per tree. Temple Beth Or is working with the Jewish National Fund for this project. For more information contact TBO office or Rabbi Rubin (cell: 610-639-5341). See form on page 24.

COVID-19 Tests available – get free test kits at [COVIDtests.gov](https://www.covidtests.gov).

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Selling of Chametz before Pesach

An important part of the preparation for Pesach is the removal of Chametz (leavened food forbidden on Passover) before Passover begins in order to fulfill the commandment in the Torah, "no Chametz shall be found in your homes." This authorization for the sale of the Chametz should be submitted by the end of Monday, April 3, 2023.

The tradition of selling the Chametz transfers ownership of all leaven from our homes to a non-Jewish person for the duration of the Pesach holiday. The Chametz should not be used until after the Pesach holiday has ended plus one hour (which this year would be on Thursday, April 13 at 9:17 PM).

The form below grants full power and authority to Rabbi Rubin to serve as your agent to sell your Chametz as shall be deemed fit and proper in full accordance with Halakhah (Jewish Law).

Voluntary donations of any amount made in conjunction with this document will be deposited in the Temple Beth Or Rabbi Discretionary Fund and used to help people in need of food assistance. These donations are called Me'ot Chitim (Money for Wheat).

Please sign, date and return this form and any donation to Temple Beth Or, P.O. Box 789, Brick, NJ 08723 **NO LATER THAN MONDAY, APRIL 3, 2023.**

Best wishes for a joyous Pesach!

SHTAR HARSHAAH

DOCUMENT OF AUTHORIZATION FOR SALE OF CHAMETZ – 5783

I, the undersigned, fully empower and permit Rabbi Robert Rubin to act on my behalf to sell all chametz possessed by me – knowingly or unknowingly – as defined by Torah and rabbinic law, and to lease all places wherein chametz owned may be found. This transaction will be in effect from erev Pesach (which this year is the late morning of Wednesday, April 5) for the duration of Pesach (which this year is from Wednesday, April 5 through Thursday, April 13).

To this I hereby affix my signature on (date) _____, 2023.

Name (please print):

Signature:

Address (where the chametz is located):

Town:

State:

Telephone:

Schedule of Services - Pesach 5783 / 2023

(all services online through Zoom only)

Check the weekly emails for the Zoom access information.

If you know someone who wants to join our services,
ask them to contact Rabbi Rubin at 610-639-5341
(other than on Shabbat and Yom Tov).

First Two Days of Pesach, Shabbat Chol Hamoed

Wednesday night, April 5, First Seder, No service; Candle lighting at 7:09 PM

Thursday, April 6, 9:30-11:30 AM

Thursday night, April 6, Second Seder, No service; Candle lighting at 8:10 PM

Friday, April 7, 9:30-11:30 AM

Friday, April 7, 7:15-8:15 PM; Candle lighting at 7:11 PM

Saturday, April 8, 9:30-11:30 AM

Chol Hamoed - Intermediate Days of Pesach

Saturday, April 8, 8:25-8:45 PM (including Havdalah)

Monday, April 10, 6:45-7:15 PM

Last Two Days of Pesach

Tuesday, April 11, 6:45-7:30 PM; Candle lighting at 7:15 PM

Wednesday, April 12, 9:30-11:30 AM

Wednesday, April 12, 6:45-7:30 PM; Candle lighting at 8:16 PM

Thursday, April 13, 9:30-11:30 AM

(including the Yizkor Memorial Service at about 10:45 AM)

Thursday, April 13, 6:45-7:00 PM

First time to begin eating Chametz after Pesach

Thursday, April 13, 9:17 PM

Candle Lighting Blessings

All begin: Barukh atta Ado-nai Elo-heinu melekh ha-olam ...

First Night, April 5 – two blessings

... asher kid'shanu b'mitzvotav v'tzivanu l'hadlik ner shel Yom Tov.

... shehecheyanu v'kiy'manu v'higianu lazman hazeh.

Second Night, April 6 – two blessings

... asher kid'shanu b'mitzvotav v'tzivanu l'hadlik ner shel Yom Tov.

... shehecheyanu v'kiy'manu v'higianu lazman hazeh.

Seventh Night, April 11 – one blessing

... asher kid'shanu b'mitzvotav v'tzivanu l'hadlik ner shel Yom Tov.

Eighth Night, April 12 – one blessing

... asher kid'shanu b'mitzvotav v'tzivanu l'hadlik ner shel Yom Tov.

SAVE THE DATE

COMMUNITY YOM HASHOAH
HOLOCAUST REMEMBRANCE EVENT
Monday, April 17, 5:30 PM

**Congregation Ahavat Olam,
106 Windeler Road, Howell**

**A SERVICE OF
REMEMBRANCE**

featuring

Amazing Keynote Speaker

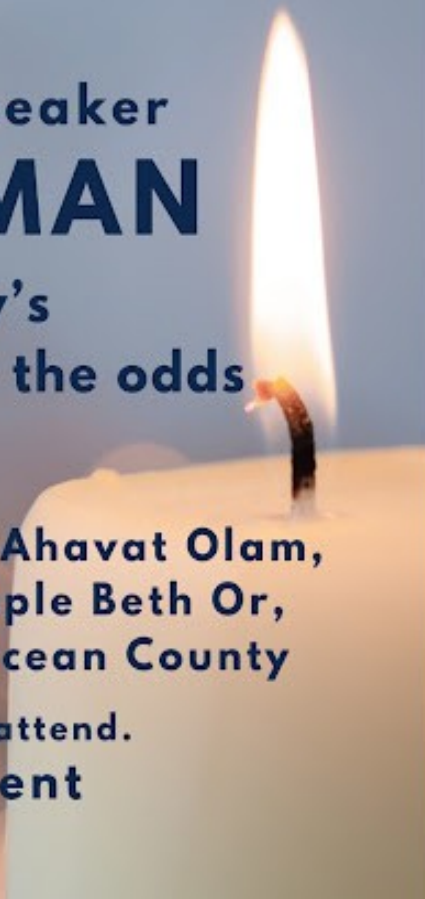
RUTH MILLMAN

**sharing her family's
story of survival against the odds**

**Co-sponsored by
Beth Am Shalom, Congregation Ahavat Olam,
Congregation B'nai Israel, Temple Beth Or,
and the Jewish Federation of Ocean County**

Students are encouraged to attend.

Security During Event



Join us for a special event!

Sunday, April 23, 4:00 PM

at Living Faith Bible Church

1595 Route 88, Brick

(corner of Route 88 and Larsen Street, across the street from Ocean Medical Center)

cosponsored by Living Faith Bible Church and Temple Beth Or

Movie, Discussion, Light Supper

(wraps from Circa in Lakewood)

Eagles Over Auschwitz: The Triumph of the Return

Learn the compelling story of the historic flyover of Auschwitz-Birkenau by three Israeli F-15s while officers of the Israel Defense Force (IDF) were visiting the death camp. In the documentary meet an Auschwitz survivor and an American Jewish aviator who flew over Auschwitz on a bombing mission with the U.S. Army Air Force in 1944.

This event is on a day in between Holocaust Memorial Day
(this year Monday night-Tuesday, April 17-18)

and Israel Memorial Day (this year Monday night-Tuesday, April 24-25)

and Israel Independence Day (this year Tuesday night-Wednesday, April 25-26).

No charge

Reservations required by April 19

To make a reservation, contact Temple Beth Or at
732-458-4700 or templebethorbrick@gmail.com.

Rise Against Hunger

a meal packaging program on an international scale
with a local interfaith base of support

Meal Packaging Event

*We plan to pack over 10,000 meals
to be sent to those who need it.*

Sunday, May 7, 2023
2:00-4:00 PM

Volunteers needed – Community invited

No admission charge

Optional:

bring nonperishable food items for a local Brick food pantry
make a voluntary donation at the door and help sponsor the
meals being packed

sponsored by the Brick Clergy Association
(an interfaith group of local clergy)

being held at
Brick Presbyterian Church
111 Drum Point Road, Brick

For general information about Rise Against Hunger visit
www.RiseAgainstHunger.org.

Visiting Nurse Association Health Group is inviting members of the community to join our team of hospice volunteers.

Why Become a Hospice Volunteer?

The simplest gifts are often the most profound. If you've got time, empathy, and compassion, you have the ability to support those nearing end of life. If you have been searching for meaningful ways to spend your time, we invite you to explore the role of a hospice volunteer with VNA Health Group.

Companionship visits in patient's homes or facilities in Ocean County, administrative projects, or comforting phone calls from our Toms River office, are just some of the ways in which our volunteers support patients and their families.

Training will be provided by members of the VNA Hospice Team on *3 consecutive Mondays*:

May 1, 8th & 15th, 2023 @ 10:00 am-3:00 pm

Advanced registration is required. *Volunteers must attend all 3 sessions.*

1433 Hooper Ave, Toms River NJ 08753

**To register or for more information please contact:
Pauline De Palma, BSW Director Volunteer Services (732) 224-6933**



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APRIL MEMBERS' BIRTHDAYS



*Wish them
a
Happy Birthday!*

5 Deanna Burke
19 Scott Peters

*Send them
a
Card
or
Golden Book!*

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!



The above birthday information is from the Temple Beth Or Calendar and also from information submitted individually.
If you would like to have your birthday listed in the Vine, please email or call with the month and day of your birthday to the TBO Office.



YAHRTZEIT DONATIONS

The human soul is a light from God.
May it be Your will that the soul of our loved ones
enjoy eternal life, along with the souls of
Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, Sarah, Rebecca,
Rachel, and Leah, and the rest of
the righteous that are in Gan Eden.
Amen.



IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

Alex Wechsler	Beloved husband of Goldie Wechsler
Barbara Swift	Beloved sister of Jeff Bernstein
Jacob Lesiger	Beloved uncle of Dr. Haskell Askin
Rev. Moshe Shmuel Lesiger	Beloved grandfather of Dr. Haskell Askin
Blanche Rubin	Beloved aunt of Sara Askin
Barry Silber	Beloved husband of Sandi Silber
Benjamin Tanenblatt	Beloved father of Deanna Burke
Joseph Weinberger	Beloved father-in-law of Elaine Wain and grand- father of Jeffrey Wain
Beatrice Comac	Beloved mother of Tema Goetzel
Dr. Betty Buchsbaum-Weinstein	Beloved aunt of Robert Ostrove
Bill Arnold	Beloved brother of Peggy Ostrove
Isidore Vogel	Beloved grandfather of Adrienne & Marlene Vogel
Rose Vogel	Beloved grandmother of Adrienne & Marlene Vogel
Ethel Kirshner	Beloved mother of Samuel Kirshner
Katherine Ravitz	Beloved mother-in-law of Lori Ravitz
Fannie Friedman	Beloved mother of Goldie Wechsler
Kenie Mittleman	Beloved sister of Goldie Wechsler
Louis Kanner	Beloved grandfather of Larry Kalb
Annette Kalb	Beloved aunt of Larry Kalb

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MISHEBERACH PRAYER

When someone near and dear to us is ill, a spiritual uplift can be very meaningful. This is done in Jewish tradition by reciting a "Misheberach" prayer on the days we take out the Torah.

If you would like a Misheberach said and are not able to attend the service, please call Temple Beth Or's office or email us at TempleBethOrBrick@gmail.com

We need the person's **Hebrew name** and the **mother's Hebrew name**, so that a prayer will be done for you.



MISHEBERACH PRAYER REQUEST

Date: _____

Person Receiving Prayer: _____

Hebrew Name: _____

Mother's Hebrew Name: _____

Reason: _____

From: _____

THE MITZVAH GROUP

Temple Beth Or's Mitzvah Group reaches out to all members. If you know of someone who needs or would like a phone call, hospital, nursing or rehab center visit, please let us know.

Kindly complete the form below and mail it to the synagogue.

Temple Beth Or
Attention: The Mitzvah Group
PO Box 789
Brick, New Jersey 08723

**If time is of the essence, please
phone the information to either:
Rabbi Rubin at 610-639-5341, or to
Mona Sternbach at 848-333-3596.**

You can email Mona Sternbach at mtsternytbo@gmail.com.

Let us join together in turning our good intentions into good deeds.

Thank you,
B' Shalom
Mona Sternbach
Chairperson

COMPLETE THIS FORM FOR THE MITZVAH GROUP REQUEST— PLEASE PRINT

Name of person wanting contact: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

Town: _____

Please circle type of contact wanted:

Phone Call

In Home Visit

Hospital Visit

Name of Hospital: _____ Town: _____

Nursing & Rehab Center Visit

Name of Center and Town: _____

Your name, if different than above: _____



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Call Temple Beth Or's office at
732-458-4700
or email us at

TempleBethOrBrick@gmail.com

Please give **us 24 hours notice** so we can have them ready for you to pick up, or we
can also mail them to you if you are unable to get here to pick them up.

**Please assist our fundraising efforts.
Support Temple Beth Or!**



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JNF Trees for Israel



Name of Donor: _____

Address of Donor: _____

Check if you want to include your address on certificate _____

Phone Number of Donor: _____

Number of Trees @ \$18.00 each: _____

Tree being planted in the name of: _____ In Honor _____ In Memory _____

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Send Certificate to: _____

Amount enclosed: \$ _____

Mail to Temple Beth Or, P. O. Box 789, Brick, NJ 08723

Office use only

Date received: _____

Check Number: _____

Cash: _____

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Ways To Give

Celebrate a Simcha, commemorate a loss,
mark a special occasion, or offer a get well.

Strengthen our synagogue by contributing to the General Fund or any of the specific funds indicated below. You can send your check to the Synagogue office specifying the fund you would like to support. A beautiful card will be sent from TBO informing the honorees of the gift you have made in their honor or in memory of a loved one.

General Fund	Discretionary
Oneg Sponsorship	\$100. & up
Kiddish Sponsorship	\$450. & up
Lifetime Seat (when available)	\$500.
Sim Shalom Prayer Book	\$36.00
High Holiday Prayer Book	\$25.00
Rabbi Discretionary Fund	Discretionary
Aliyah Fund	Discretionary
Misheberach Fund	Discretionary

Sisterhood Fund

Golden Book Cards	\$3.00/each
Flower Fund	Discretionary
Chai Chair Fund	\$18.00

Plaques

Memorial Plaques	\$350.00/member	\$450.00/non-member
Memorial Board (includes 2 plaques):	Inquire about cost	
Wall of Life Plaques		
1" x 3"	\$100.00	
2" x 3"	\$300.00	
3" x 3"	\$750.00	
2" x 6"	\$1000.00	



You may send or bring a check to the synagogue office. Tributes cannot be officially acknowledged until payment is received. Please contact the office for information regarding Legacy Gifts and opportunities to make larger contributions.

LIFE CYCLE EVENTS

Temple Beth Or is here for you to share your happy occasions, as well as any sad difficult moments, with others and with our community. We appreciate the following donations to help keep Temple Beth Or open and functioning. For the “member” rates, the person or the person’s parent/guardian must be a member of TBO or by an extension of reciprocity, of another congregation. Payment is to be made payable to Temple Beth Or. The arrangements for all of these ceremonies and dates must be approved by the Rabbi and TBO.

BAR/BAT MITZVAH FEE

Includes the option of choosing honorees at the service.

TBO Members - \$875.00

There is no additional charge for the lessons with the Rabbi. If the event is held as part of the Saturday morning Shabbat service, it is expected that the Saturday Kiddush and the Friday night Oneg Shabbat receptions will be sponsored in honor of the occasion (included in the above fee).

AUFRUF TORAH ALIYAH

Includes the option of choosing honorees at the service.

TBO Members - \$100.00

Non-Members - \$150.00

If the event is held as part of the Saturday morning Shabbat service, it is expected that the Kiddush following the service will be sponsored in honor of the occasion.

WEDDING

does not include a Chuppah.

The Rabbi does not have to be the officiant.

TBO Members - \$200.00

Non-members - \$300.00

BABY NAMING TORAH ALIYAH

Includes the option of choosing honorees at the service

TBO Members - \$100.00

Non-members - \$150.00

If the event is held as part of the Saturday morning Shabbat service, it is expected that the Kiddush following the service will be sponsored in honor of the occasion.

FUNERAL

(use of Sanctuary)

The Rabbi does not have to be the officiant.

TBO Members - No Charge

For a Kaddish relative of a TBO Member (parent, spouse, sibling, child) - No Charge

For a Non-member - \$550.00 (to be billed to the funeral director)

Following the funeral, if appropriate, a surviving relative is to be offered a one year courtesy membership or a \$550 credit to a higher priced membership with the welcome invitation to come here to attend services and to say Kaddish.

KADDISH RECITATION

A TBO member or a Kaddish relative of a TBO member who dies is to be remembered and automatically placed on the 11-month Mourner’s List which is read at the time of the recitation of the Mourner’s Kaddish at the end of Shabbat services on Friday nights and Saturday mornings. There is no required donation for this.

A request may be made to add a non-member to the Mourner’s List and have them remembered and included at the time of the recitation of the Mourner’s Kaddish at the end of Shabbat services on Friday nights and Saturday mornings.

A \$300.00 donation is requested for this.



PASSOVER

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FAMILY

EGYPT

BREAD

MOSES

BLOOD

ISRAEL

LAMB

PASSOVER

AARON

LAMBS

DOOR

MEAT

HEBREW

SACRIFICE

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Happy Passover



As you teach, you learn.
Jewish Proverb

