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# CHAI TIMES

## TEMPLE BETH EMET OF BURBANK

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### "Avinu Malkeinu, Shma' Kolenu" (Our Father, Our King, Hear our Voice) (High Holiday Prayer)

It was a Wednesday a couple of weeks before Rosh Hashanah and I was helping Lisa, Ira and Fran prepare a mailing for new members. As we were folding and stuffing, the choir members began to arrive for their weekly practice. After I finished reviewing the Torah portion for Rosh Hashanah to be read by Nicholas Zavallos, one of our High Holiday Torah readers, along with Sam and Ian McKinnon, Kevin Colton and Sarah Emerson, I walked toward the Kitchen from my study only to be stopped by the sound of our incredible Choir, made up of Temple Beth Emet members. They were singing "Avinu Malkeinu" and above the notes you could hear the sound of love. As I stopped, I stood in the doorway that separates Blum Hall from the Sanctuary and I looked at both groups, the 'mailing' volunteers, by now the group had grown to ten participants: Barbara, Shirley, Yosi, Eileen, Jeannie and Emily, (Rebecca and Steve joined later) and the choir which has also increased in recent months. Two groups of volunteers!

Our choir is one of the few all-volunteer High Holiday choirs I know of. Even when I sang at Temple Ramat Zion in the mid-1980s, we had a few professional singers with us to keep us on tune and task. The greatest of compliments go to the choir for their beloved voices surely, but also for their commitment to our Temple. After a long hard day of work, these members trek over to the Temple and sing for at least two hours. Some people sing beautifully with their voices and some sing beautifully with their hearts, our choir members do both. The purity of



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### High Holy Day Services Dates, Times, Locations



**Services conducted by Rabbi Mark H. Sobel, featuring Cantorial Soloist Akiva Leyton and the TBE Adult Choir, under the direction of Music Director Robyn Kriesberg.**

**Selichot (Preparation for High Holy Days through prayer and music):** Saturday, September 24 at 8:00PM at Temple featuring Cantorial Soloist Akiva Leyton.

**Erev Rosh Hashanah (New Year's Eve):** Wednesday, September 28 at 8:00 PM at [St. Jude's Episcopal Church](#), 111 South Sixth St. (at E. Olive Ave.), Burbank 91501.

**Rosh Hashanah (New Year):** Thursday, September 29 at 10:00 AM at St. Jude's. Bring your shofar (ram horn). Children's program starts at 10:30 AM.

**Erev Yom Kippur (Eve of Day of Atonement):** Friday, October 7 at 8:00 PM at St. Jude's.

**Yom Kippur (Day of Atonement):** Saturday, October 8 at 10:00 AM at St. Jude's. Bring your shofar. Children's program starts at 10:30 AM.

#### **Scroll of Remembrance:**

In order to assure inclusion, make sure to submit the names for the Scroll of Remembrance memorial book no later than the conclusion of Rosh Hashanah services on September 29.

#### **High Holy Day tickets:**

All members in good standing will receive their High Holy Day tickets in the mail. Those who wish to attend and are not members should contact the Temple office.

The purchase price for tickets is still \$100 for adult and \$25 for youth under age 13. The cost of tickets is strongly encouraged to be applied to Temple Membership through the Temple office.

Change is in the air. Fall has officially started. Religious School has been in session for a month. We should call it **"Back to Shul."** I have to admit, I do miss the leaves changing colors. It is a beautiful site to behold. Fall is a new beginning, a fresh start, a shedding of the old skin. Fall is the time to reflect. It is like getting back to the basics, for example family. Fall is football. It is time to root for your favorite team, albeit, high school, college, and/or pro. In the beginning of a football season every team is equal. It is a chance to start over. You can look at it like the High Holidays.

We are all equal in G-d's eyes. G-d is giving us a chance for a spiritual cleansing of our souls. It can be looked at as an awakening of our senses, being in touch with our inner beings. G-d wants us to see our mistakes. G-d wants us to learn and grow from our past to build a stronger foundation for the future. G-d also wants us to give back. We give back thru tzedakah and tkun olam. We need to look at these two pieces.

Tkun olam is to heal the world. Before we can heal the world, we must heal ourselves. This is a continual process. We must also look at healing the Temple. The Temple is our inner soul to the outside world. How do we heal the Temple? We must get more members. Every one of us must go out there and spread the good word about our Synagogue. Volunteer. What are your strengths? What can you do to help the Temple? Even if you think you are not the best at a certain task, the Temple appreciates your volunteerism. The Temple was built by volunteers. We don't have Merlin working here. We need your help. There are so many things you can do. You can be a board member. You can participate in Sisterhood, Men's Club and/or the Havurahs. The choice is yours, whatever you want to do. **(See Mitzvah Day on page 5 and Children's Hospital Toy List on page 9.)**

If you cannot give to the Temple physically, try monetarily through tzedakah. Every little bit helps. We want our Temple to be strong for years to come. Just remember tzedakah and tkun olam come from the heart. **WE ARE THE TEMPLE WITH THE HEART.** We want to hear your ideas of things you would like to see at the Temple. I look forward to your responses.

B'Shalom, President Steve Abrams



## **TEMPLE BETH EMET (HOUSE OF TRUTH) ORGANIZATION**

### Religious Leadership

Rabbi Mark H. Sobel  
Cantorial Soloist, Chase De Luca  
Cantorial Soloist, Kyle Orlemann  
Music and Choir Director, Robyn Kreisberg  
Rabbi William M. Kramer Z"L\*  
\*His memory will always be a blessing to us.

### Morris Gold Religious School Faculty

Rabbi Mark Sobel, Education Director  
Shirley Kirschenbaum, Grades K-1  
Fran Bernstein, Grades 2-3  
Sarah Emerson, Grades 4-5  
Joshua Sobel, Grades 6-7  
Mahnaz Termechi, Bar/Bat Mitzvah Preparation  
Martin Greenfield, Confirmation (Grades 8-10)  
Robyn Kreisberg, Music  
Ezra B., Teaching Assistant  
Tanya M., Teaching Assistant

### Office Staff

Victoria Gaffney, Sylvia Sutton  
Religious School Office Asst., Edith Dague

### Volunteers

**Building Committee Chair**, Richard Emerson  
Library, Marva Felchin  
Maintenance, Yosi Fisher  
Marquee, Craig Weisman  
Technology, Alan Barlow  
**Calendar and Usage Com. Chair**, Ira Goldstein  
**Communications Committee Chair**, Sandra Lewin  
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Historian, Craig Weisman  
One Call, Andrea McKinnon  
Publicity, Stefani Kahn  
[Webmaster](#), [Alan Barlow](#)  
**Education Committee Chair**, Fran Bernstein  
Adult Education, David Goldstein  
PTA President, Margaret Goldfarb  
**Finance Committee Chair**, Bruce Bigley

### Volunteers (Continued)

**Membership Committee Chair**, Lisa De Luca  
(818) 434-2244  
Havurahs, Ruth Glick, (818) 780-9134  
Men's Club, Richard Emerson  
Reach Out, Craig Weisman  
Sisterhood/Chai Society, Melissa Schenk  
Tributes, John Eisenger, 818-842-5439  
Youth Groups, BBYO-AZA, BBYO-BBG,  
Martin Greenfield  
**Ritual Committee Chair**, Ira Goldstein  
Mitzvahs, John Eisenger, 818-842-5439  
Oneg Scheduler, Stacie Barlow  
Ritual Scheduler, Sandra Lewin  
**Social Action Committee Chair**, Roni Razankova  
Children's Hospital LA Toys, Shirley Abramson  
Family Promise Coordinator,  
Melissa Schenk, (818) 448-9017  
Food Drives, Jerry Engelberg  
**Strategic Planning Committee Chair**,  
Chase De Luca  
**Ways and Means Committee Chair**,  
Barbara Bolter, 818-761-3116  
eScrip, Ralphs, Kathy Kreyns,  
Recycling, Yosi Fisher

### 2011-2012 Officers and Directors

Steven Abrams, *President*, (661) 714-3618  
Richard Emerson, *Vice President*  
Bruce Bigley, *Treasurer*  
Shirley Abramson, *Secretary*

### Directors

Fran Bernstein, Yvonne Beltzer,  
Barbara Bolter, Yosi Fisher,  
Margaret Goldfarb, David Goldstein,  
Stefanie Kahn, Sandra Lewin,  
Roni Razankova, Melissa Schenk,  
Craig Weisman

Former Presidents: Lisa De Luca,  
Richard Emerson, Ira Goldstein

**We are here to serve you!**

### Temple Beth Emet Office Hours

Monday-Thursday—9:00 AM-noon  
Friday & Sunday—9:00 AM—1 PM  
Saturday closed

### The office is closed in observance of the following holidays:

*New Years Day, President's Day,  
First day of Pesach, Memorial Day,  
Independence Day, Rosh Hashanah,  
Yom Kippur, Thanksgiving*

Call Temple office at (818) 843-4787 to contact Temple Staff/volunteers. Your message will be forwarded to the appropriate person.

### **CHAI TIMES**

**Chai Times** is a free, monthly newsletter delivered by email to members and available at [www.TempleBethEmet.com](http://www.TempleBethEmet.com). Mailed hardcopies are available for an \$18 annual TBE donation payable through the Office.

Editable article submissions, photos and feedback are encouraged and **due by the 15th of the month** and may be emailed to [chaitimes@TempleBethEmet.com](mailto:chaitimes@TempleBethEmet.com) or by delivery to the Temple office. Submissions will be published based on space available, relevant content, and at the discretion of Editor Kathy Kreyns, Temple Officers and Directors.

If you have any suggestions or ideas on how we can better serve our members, call Steve at 661-714-3618 or "Let us hear from you" at [www.templebethemet.com](http://www.templebethemet.com)

the sound is matched by the purity of their efforts.

While I am speaking of volunteerism, let us not forget the painting of the classrooms or the putting up of the High Holiday banner or the sign board out front, and of course, our very own Hanukkah menorah. Temple Beth Emet could not exist without its volunteers. They are the glue that keeps us together. Many times during the 25 years I have been with the Temple, I have called upon people to volunteer their time, their effort, and their selves to projects that are so numerous it goes beyond counting. If there is a plea from me to the volunteers, I am proud to say, it gets answered. This includes our Temple Board of Directors. These people's love for our congregation rivals mine and that is no small feat. We could not have accomplished what has been accomplished had it not been for the Board's support. True, we may argue, we may disagree, but we never, ever, question the commitment to Beth Emet. I am reminded, though, that at the Board Meeting the night before, people forgot themselves, just a bit. The mutual love and admiration skull caps were replaced with helmets of anger and disdain. Words

were exchanged that were unnecessary and you could see that people questioned their commitment and their neighbors'. I ask all of our family members to forget worthless words and replace them with irreplaceable deeds. Rekindle the spirit of giving and give willingly, lovingly and unequivocally. Make the same commitment to volunteer your talents to the Temple family, that you have always made and then double that commitment. The song that the Choir was singing that night, Avinu Malkeinu, continues in its lyrics, "Tzedakah, v'Hesed, v' Hosheainu" meaning "Tzedakah, Grace and Redemption (ours)." Volunteerism is the finest act of Tzedakah, treating each other with love, honor, and respect is the essence of G-d's grace. When we practice these two aspects of G-D's being, we cannot but be redeemed by G-D, who rescues us from our sins. This is our target, this is our goal, this is our spiritual destination and when we act in this manner, we cannot but make our Temple, "the greatest Temple in the whole, wide world."

B'Ahava v'Gamar Hatema Tova, Rabbi Mark



## MITZVAHS AND TZEDAKAHS

Let Rabbi know if you have questions/ideas regarding the Adult Ed. Series "Why Do We Do the Things We Do?" Series starts on Tuesday, Nov. 1 at 7:00 PM.

### Show your Temple and Shul pride!

**Purchase a TBE T-shirt available in adult sizes small, medium, X-large and 2XL (large T-shirts are sold out)**



### Remember the sick with cards, calls and visits. They help heal:

- ♦ Bernice Dacher was hospitalized
- ♦ Carole Eisenger is recuperating from a broken arm
- ♦ Maureen Gold fell and hurt her back
- ♦ Laurie Kierstein was in an auto accident
- ♦ Arda Paley has health issues

We wish them a Refuah Shleima, whole recovery to good health.

Please call John Eisenger at (818) 842-5439 if a Temple member is sick or hospitalized.

Arda Paley thanks everyone who sent cards and called her.





## The Men's Club WANTS YOU

to join us for our monthly  
meeting and brunch.

This month's meeting will be on  
Sunday, Oct. 23rd at 9:30 AM

The cost is \$5 per person.



### Havurahs

There are now two Havurahs here  
at Temple Beth Emet. Enrich your life.  
Join a Havurah: you'll be happy you did.



For information, call Ruth Glick at (818) 780-9134.



Thank you so much to all members that served  
[Family Promise](#) families at [St. Jude's Episcopal Church](#)  
last month, by providing a dish, enjoying a  
dinner, sharing a story.

TBE's next turn to cohost is Nov. 13-20. Call  
Melissa Schenk at (818) 448-9017 to help.



**BBYO-AZA boys' chapter**  
meets at TBE every other

Tuesday from 7:30-8:30 PM

and **BBYO-BBG girls' chapter**

meets at TBE every Wednesday from 7:00-8:30 PM.

Contact Martin Greenfield through the Temple office  
for more information.

### Happy October Anniversaries

**Larisa and Michael Bolotsky**

**Sandra and Joel Coler**

**Kathleen and Bruce Colton**

**Tammy and Peter Golper**

**Leslie Nathan and Michael Heiss**

**Melissa and Michael Schenk**

### ✻ SISTERHOOD-CHAI SOCIETY ✻

The newly combined Sisterhood-Chai  
Society wishes you and yours a truly happy,  
peaceful, prosperous and wonderful new year  
beyond measure! Please join us for apples and  
honey at our next meeting on Sunday, October 2!  
We will discuss the new year ahead and how we  
can work together to accomplish great things at  
our temple!

And speaking of great things, have we got  
a sweet deal for you! We are still offering Honey  
Gift Boxes here at TBE through the High Holidays  
for \$18 each shipped to your loved one, or \$13  
each for non-mailed gifts! Gift boxes include an 8-  
ounce pure honey bear bottle, a wooden honey  
wand, a personalized New Year greeting, a  
delicious honey cake recipe card, and three  
pieces of honey-sesame candy (kosher honey and  
candies). This sweet deal is in limited supply, so  
order soon! In the unlikely event that we have  
unsold honey gift boxes after the High Holidays,  
we will offer any leftovers for \$5 each! Thanks to  
everyone for helping support this fabulous  
fundraiser again this year!

If you want to "toot your own horn" this  
year, please visit the Temple gift shop to purchase  
a new shofar! Fran and Lisa have recently  
purchased many new gorgeous gifts for our  
temple shoppers, including shofars! Don't blow it,  
come and get a new shofar while supplies last.  
You will have a blast with this purchase!

To begin our wonderful new year at  
Temple Beth Emet together, our Sisterhood-Chai  
Society ladies will be sponsoring a special and  
fruitful Oneg Shabbat to celebrate Sukkot on  
Friday, October 14! Please join us! Sisterhood  
and Chai Society ladies who would like to provide  
a fruit or harvest-themed dish may sign up at our  
October 2 meeting or call or email Melissa Schenk  
or Stacie Barlow.

Last, but not least, our group and our  
Temple still needs a new Mitzvah Coordinator and  
committee members to help host at our Temple  
Bar and Bat Mitzvahs, and we also need more  
volunteers for our Oneg Shabbat shopping and  
set-up rotation. Please help! To volunteer, please  
contact Melissa at [meve11@aol.com](mailto:meve11@aol.com) or (818) 448-9017.

All the best to you & yours in the new year!  
L'Shanah Tovah, Stacie Barlow



# Mitzvah Day 2011

commandments in the Torah; act of human kindness

Who:	Temple Beth Emet Families (children, adults, seniors)
When:	Sunday, November 6 <sup>th</sup> from 10:40 AM to 2:00 PM
Where:	Temple Beth Emet – Blum Hall & Parking Lot
Why:	By actively participating in the Jewish Federation Council Mitzvah Day, we learn that we are part of a community and that our community reaches beyond our local boundaries.
What:	School supplies for homeless children, toys for children's hospital, dog wash, bake sale

## WE NEED:



SCHOOL SUPPLIES-BACKPACK DONATIONS



TOYS FOR CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL



FOOD DRIVE DONATIONS



FRIENDLY DOG WASH (sponges, towels, buckets, soap)













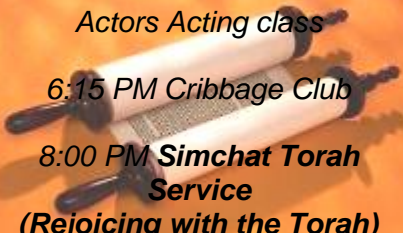



BAKE SALE (bake your favorite cookies, sweets and bring them to the Temple)

**Please drop them off at the Temple office on or before November 6th, 2011 before 10am.**

Come and have fun!!

Call the Temple at (818) 843-4787 for more info.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
<b>25</b> 9:00 AM-12 Noon <b>School</b> 12:00-12:45 PM <b>Junior Choir</b> 	<b>26</b>  6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting Class	<b>27</b>  6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting class	<b>28</b>  8:00 PM <b>Erev Rosh Hashanah Service at St. Jude's Church</b>
<b>2</b> 9:00 AM-12 Noon <b>School</b> 12:00-12:45 PM <b>Junior Choir</b>  10:00 AM <b>Sisterhood/Chai Society Meeting</b>	<b>3</b>  6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting class	<b>4</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting  7:30 PM-8:30 PM <b>BBYO-AZA Meeting</b>	<b>5</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting class  7:00 PM -8:30 PM <b>BBYO-BBG Meeting</b>
<b>9</b> 9:00 AM-12 Noon <b>School</b> 12:00-12:45 PM <b>Junior Choir</b> 	<b>10</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting class  <b>COLUMBUS DAY</b>	<b>11</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting class  7:00 PM <b>Board Meeting</b> (members welcome)	<b>12</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting class  7:00 PM -8:30 PM <b>BBYO-BBG Meeting Erev Sukkot</b>
<b>16</b> 9:00 AM-12 Noon <b>School</b> 12:00-12:45 PM <b>Junior Choir</b> 	<b>17</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting class	<b>18</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors class 7:30 PM-8:30 PM <b>BBYO-AZA Meeting</b>  7:00 PM <b>Strategic Planning Meeting</b>	<b>19</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting  7:00 PM-8:30 PM <b>BBYO-BBG Meeting</b>
<b>23</b> 9:00 AM-12 Noon <b>School</b> 12:00-12:45 PM <b>Junior Choir</b>  9:30 AM <b>Men's Club Meeting &amp; brunch</b> 	<b>24</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting class	<b>25</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting class  7:00 PM <b>Executive Committee Meeting</b>	<b>26</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting  7:00 PM-8:30 PM <b>BBYO-BBG Meeting</b>
<b>30</b> 9:00 AM-12 Noon <b>School</b> 12:00-12:45 PM <b>Junior Choir</b> 	<b>31</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting class	<b>1</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting class 7:30 PM-8:30 PM <b>BBYO-AZA Meeting</b> 7:00 PM <b>First Adult Ed. Session in Series, "Why Do We Do the Things We Do?"</b>	<b>2</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting class  7:00 PM-8:30 PM <b>BBYO BBG Meeting</b>

Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>29</b> 10:00 AM <b>Rosh Hashanah Service</b> 10:30 AM <b>Children's Program starts</b> <b>Both at St. Jude's Church</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting class 6:15 PM Cribbage Club	<b>30</b>  7:30 PM <b>Shabbat Service</b> Welcomer Yvonne Beltzer	<b>1</b>
<b>6</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting class 6:15 PM Cribbage Club	<b>7</b> 8:00 PM <b>Erev Yom Kippur Service (Eve of Day of Atonement) at St. Jude's Church</b> (Pizza Night returns Dec. 2)	<b>8</b> 10:00 AM <b>Yom Kippur Service (Day of Atonement)</b> 10:30 AM <b>Children's Program starts</b> <b>Both at St. Jude's Church</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> 7:30 PM <b>Sukkot (Feast of Booths of Tabernacles) Shabbat Service</b>  Welcomer Margaret Goldfarb Sukkot Oneg sponsored by Sisterhood/Chai Society	<b>15</b> Chai Times submissions due
<b>20</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting class  6:15 PM Cribbage Club 8:00 PM <b>Simchat Torah Service (Rejoicing with the Torah)</b>	<b>21</b> 7:30 PM <b>Simchat Torah Shabbat Service</b>  Welcomer David Goldstein	<b>22</b>
<b>27</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting 6:15 PM Cribbage Club	<b>28</b> 7:30 PM <b>Shabbat Service</b>  Welcomer Stefanie Kahn	<b>29</b>
<b>3</b> 6:30 PM—8:30 PM Active Actors Acting class 6:15 PM Cribbage Club	<b>4</b> 6:00 PM <b>Heshvan Harvest Potluck, canned and packaged Food Drive (See flyer)</b> 7:00 PM <b>Family Shabbat Service</b> with the Junior Choir performing Welcomer Roni Razankova (Pizza Night returns Dec. 2)	<b>5</b> 





NAME	REMEMBERED BY	DATE
<b><u>Sept. 30 at Temple</u></b>		
Sarah Sedlesky	Anne Newman	Oct. 1
Joseph Halpern	Frances Luben	Oct. 1
Msgr. Martin Keating	The Congregation	Oct. 1

## **Oct. 7 at Temple**

Ann Pollack	Roger Pollack	Oct. 4
Harry Ringel	Mark Ringel	Oct. 4
Jeanette V. Kramer	The Kramer Family	Oct. 5
Robert R. Beltzer	Yvonne Beltzer	Oct. 5
Anna Poddig	Monica Pink	Oct. 6
Vaughn Verdi	Barry Verdi	Oct. 6
Joseph Bachelis	Maurice Bachelis	Oct. 7
Elizabeth Teller	Mickey Teller	Oct. 7
Irwin Eugene Siegel	Lisa De Luca	Oct. 7
Jennie Dacher	Bernice Dacher	Oct. 8

## **Oct. 14 at Temple**

Anne Mundon	Cheryl Mundon	Oct. 9
Nan Gold	Gold Family	Oct. 10
Sarah Solomon	Nissim Ferris	Oct. 10
Irving Jacob	Rina Shavit	Oct. 11
Conor Lynch	Vicki Margolin	Oct. 11
Joseph Schanzer	Orven Schanzer	Oct. 11
Elsie Rattner	Arnold Rattner	Oct. 11
Dr. Harold Resick	Sid Resnick	Oct. 11
Irma Karchmer	Sylvia Schuster	Oct. 12
Rabbi Albert Shulman	Gold Family	Oct. 12
Marvin Zweier	Jean Zweier	Oct. 12
Joe Murez	Herbert Murez	Oct. 13
Dorothy Conner	Harvey Phillips	Oct. 13
Solomon Sorkin	Sofia Brook	Oct. 13
Zeke Manners	Susie Manners	Oct. 14
Ida Freemel	Matt Johnson	Oct. 15
Berthold Kleinberg	Carole Eisinger	Oct. 15
Abraham Mazor	Howard Strauss	Oct. 15
Robert Charofsky	M/M Don Spielvogel	Oct. 15

NAME	REMEMBERED BY	DATE
<b><u>Oct. 21 at Temple</u></b>		
Stephen Merrill	Andrew Merrill	Oct. 17
Rev. Harry Cosson	Sybil Bracher	Oct. 18
William Schneider	Sybil Baitz	Oct. 19
Gabriel Markado	The Markado Family	Oct. 19
Solomon Friedberg	Stanley Franklin	Oct. 19
Els Valk Gold	Gold Family	Oct. 19
May Lubow	Nathan Lubow	Oct. 20
May Lubow	Lester Pink	Oct. 20
Yetta Pink	Lester Pink	Oct. 21
Yetta Pink	Nathan Lubow	Oct. 21
Thomas Landolfi	Mary Manocchia	Oct. 21
Joan F. Strauss	Howard Strauss	Oct. 22
Fanny Rosenberg	The Congregation	Oct. 22
Mary Reinhart	Dottie Pierce	Oct. 22

## **Oct. 28 at Temple**

Samuel Sopasnik	Judith Antelman	Oct. 23
Samuel Sopasnik	Marlene Flowers	Oct. 23
Nosrat Hakakha	Mina Sobel	Oct. 23
Vicki D. Strauss	Howard Strauss	Oct. 24
Larry Weinfeld	Brad Weinfeld	Oct. 24
Edythe Bresn	Ruthe Granat	Oct. 24
Bill Babroff	Janet Babroff	Oct. 24
William Aronoff	Naomi Aronoff	Oct. 24
Louise Hammett	Lucy Rafaeli	Oct. 25
Eva Resnick	Fred Bayer	Oct. 26
Dora Bigley	Bruce Bigley	Oct. 27
Sheldon G. Schorr	Richard Schorr	Oct. 28
Elmore Leland Rogers	Roxanne Oliver	Oct. 28
Rae Brykman	Harriett Schwab	Oct. 29
Henry Shapiro	Meyer Nudell	Oct. 29
Eva Pandrowitz	Harriet Feinstein	Oct. 29

## **Nov. 4 at Temple**

Jennie Nudell	Mayer Nudell	Oct. 30
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Our condolences to the family of TBE member Janet Babroff, who passed away. Her memory will always be a blessing to us.



**October Yahrzeit Donations**

**Shirley Abramson**

...in loving memory of Hannah Bolter

**Patricia Bigley and Henry Kapson**

...in loving memory of Max Kapson

**Margery Brown**

...in loving memory of Susan Betnun Moore

**Robert & LaVerne Cohen**

...in loving memory of Sadie Cohen & Morey Cohen

**Carole & John Eisinger**

...in loving memory of Irma Shuman

**Marjorie Jacobs**

...in loving memory of father Harry Osbaum

**Philip Liberson**

...in loving memory of Albert Liberson, Vivian Liberson and Katie Liberson

**Susie Manners**

...in loving memory of Charles Manners

**Cheryl Mundon**

...in loving memory of Lester and Esther Klein

**Monica Pink**

...in loving memory of grandfather Albert Sommerfeld and grandmother Laura Sommerfeld

**Shari Rosenberg**

... In loving memory of Melvin David Golden

**Robert Seeman**

...in loving memory of father Max Seeman

**Paul and Nancy Tidwell**

...in loving memory of Sidney Korman



**SUGGESTED TOY LIST**

The following is a list of suggested items that are age appropriate for our patients. We always run out of these items because they are very popular so we ask that you select from this list. Well-established brands are usually excellent, safe choices.

**INFANTS 0-12 MONTHS**

- New baby clothes (sleepers, one-sies)
- Musical Crib Mobiles
- Interactive Crib Toys
- Musicals with lights
- Rattles (musical keys)
- Board Books

**TODDLERS 13 MONTHS – 3 YEARS**

- Interactive toys with lights & music
- Soft Baby Dolls (appropriate for ages under 3)
- Cars /Trucks (appropriate for ages under 3)
- Pop-Up Toys

**SCHOOL AGE 4-11 YEARS**

- Model Planes/Cars (recent models)
- Remote Control Cars
- "Dora the Explorer"
- Anything with Dinosaurs
- Barbie/Bratz Dolls
- Barbie/Bratz Clothes
- K'Nex or Leggos
- Bubbles (no attachments)
- Super Hero Action Figures
- Puzzles (100-piece & under)
- Transformers
- Super Bounce Ball Craft Kits

**TEENS AND YOUNG ADULTS 12 YEARS AND ABOVE**

- Bath & Body Works lotions/gel sets
- MP3 Players
- Craft Kits (Teen Level-challenging)
- Bead Kits (Teen Level-challenging)
- Nintendo DS & Playstation Portable
- UNO Cards
- Playing Cards
- Fuzzy Brand
  - Velvet Art Boxes
  - Velvet Art Posters
- Life
- Connect Four
- Battleship
- Operation
- Monopoly

**ALL AGES**

- Coloring Books
- Crayons
- Markers
- White Artist Paper
- Diaries/Journals
- Pull-on Shorts
- Sweat Pants
- T-Shirts
- Underwear

**PLEASE REMEMBER THAT THE PATIENTS NEED ITEMS THAT CAN BE PLAYED WITH OR USED IN BED. ALSO, BECAUSE OF OUR INFECTION CONTROL POLICY ALL ITEMS MUST BE BRAND NEW, IN THEIR ORIGINAL PACKAGING, AND NOT GIFT WRAPPED**

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