

MJCBY NEWS

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SERVICE SCHEDULE

Friday Night – 6:15pm

Saturday Morning – 9:30am

ZOOM

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6576297611>

Meeting ID: 657 629 7611

Passcode: MJCBY

LIVESTREAM

<https://www.mjcb.org/service-livestream>

Join us online for Havdalah at the end of Shabbat every week! Havdalah times listed in weekly e-blast.



WHAT IS GEMILUT HASADIM?

Gemilut Hasadim means “bestowing kindness”. In Judaism, an attribute of G-d is said to be imitated by those who show personal kindness towards others.

The Gemilut Hasadim Committee at MJCBY is here to help support you and your family during times of need. Whether experiencing an illness, recovering from surgery, or having lost a loved one, we are here to help make difficult times a little easier.

We are able to cook and deliver meals, provide support during shiva, or help connect you with other resources. If you or a fellow congregant could benefit from our services, please contact Debbie Goldstein. If you would like to be added to the list of those available to help when needs arise, please contact Debbie as well.

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FROM THE RABBI'S DESK



My Heart is in the East

Rabbi Adam Gillman

Many have reflected that a cloud hovers over Israel. As scholar Yehuda Kurtzer, President of the Shalom Hartman Institute of North America, recently penned, *"its people's visages visibly darkened by grief for what has already happened and with fear of what is yet to come."* Many of us have lived in Israel during difficult and dangerous periods; through intifadas, wars, the assassination of Yitzhak Rabin, the prime minister, and perpetual elections - but we have never experienced anything quite like the horror and sorrow that grips the country right now. The heaviness and intensity of this moment are only coupled with the deep sense that things are going to intensify; suffering and the loss of life are on the horizon.

Amidst our distress and mourning, we understood the magnitude of Hamas' brutal and inhumane massacre and leapt to attention. We rallied with pain in our hearts and tears in our eyes. We showed up. We came together in a force of unity we haven't seen since the movement to rescue *Refuseniks* trapped in the Soviet Union.

Yet we've been led by the remarkable resiliency and fortitude of the Israeli public. We saw Israel, a nation in the midst of deep divisions across the political, ideological, religious, and social spectrums, come together in solidarity and support of one another. In times of crisis, the power of community makes a difference. Showing up to services, attending programming, and communal events matters.

In this moment, I am navigating what it means to live with the burden of what our people have endured and traversed across time with its layers of trauma, fear, and sadness. We are hurting. We are in mourning. A part of us has been broken. Our hearts and minds have found it hard to comprehend the unbearable barbarity that has taken so much from so many. And yet, we must follow the example of those who came before us and go forward, even when our hearts are heavy. May we continue to show up. Let us be empowered to continue praying, donating, and acting in whatever ways we can.

As we navigate many compounding and strong feelings to the pain and difficulty of these times, I ask that we find compassion for ourselves and others. May we be blessed to care for ourselves and each other by checking in and opening our ears and hearts to each other.

My heart is in the East (Israel) and with all of you as we hold each other in sadness and worry, our resiliency and communal strength.

L'Shalom,

Rabbi Adam Gillman



CANTOR'S NOTES



The War in Israel Cantor Shana

One week after the beginning of the violent Hamas attack of Israeli civilians that began on the morning of Shemini Atzeret, October 7th, 2023, many of us had been drowning in a deluge of media about the situation from all possible sources, from thousands of miles away. Addicted to reports of the horror, I was sure I had nothing new to say about it myself. But when I began to prepare the Torah reading for Bereisheet that first Shabbat, I found that the Torah itself had something to say:

"What have you done? The sound of your brother's blood cries out to Me from the ground." (Genesis 4:10). There it was in the Torah portion of the week, mirroring the unthinkable images I had just seen of members of the Hevra Kadisha in Ofakim literally mopping up the blood of murdered Israelis from the sidewalk: their brothers' blood, crying out from the ground.

In the Torah, God says this to Cain, in response to Cain's false claim not to know where his brother Abel is after suddenly and brutally murdering him. Famously, Cain had just added the snarky question to his denial of the murder: "Am I my brother's keeper?" But of course, God is not to be fooled.

Compared to other characters that appear later in Genesis, Cain and Abel don't get much character development. They seem to exist basically to embody the worst possible example of sibling rivalry, unfortunately setting the stage for future generations found as a recurring theme throughout Genesis. A basic reading of the story of Cain and Abel seems almost cartoonish, if they are read as individuals, but if they are read as stand-ins for nations rather than just individuals, the story takes on more significance. I will admit that having read the story many times before, it had never hit me quite like this before.

I certainly do not intend to draw any sort of parallel between the story of Cain and Abel and the continuing tragedy of Hamas and the citizens of Israel today. But the shock, anger, and horror at cold-blooded murder remains real, and it occurred to me, sometime after I had leyned the gut-wrenching sentence in our Torah service that morning, that we could actually find some comfort in God's shock and horror at this first murder as described in the Torah. After all, if the Torah had been written differently, God could have ignored the murder, or shrugged it off, or remained "neutral" to it. God could have even said that Abel had it coming to him. But that's not the kind of God in whose image we were made. We are meant to echo God's horrified question: "What have you done?" and to be shocked at the sound of the blood of our murdered brothers and sisters crying from the ground.

Cantor Shana

Our clergy is here for you. Please let us know when you need us or when you want to share your good news: a new baby, a marriage, or other simcha. We want to know, but you have to tell us. Please call the office at (973) 538-9292 or email office@mjcbj.org. When you have experienced the death of a loved one, please contact Rabbi Gillman at (973) 538-9292 before you make any plans. He will be the most helpful in making these preparations in a proper Jewish manner.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Coming Together as a Community

Jason Navarino

With the 85th anniversary of *Kristallnacht* arriving in November, I had intended to write this month about how unfortunate it is that anti-Semitism remains present in our world, but how fortunate we are at MJCBY for the hard work of our Security Committee keeping us safe. *Mann tracht, un G-tt lacht*, as they say in Yiddish. Man plans, and G-d laughs. But no one is really in a laughing mood right now. Indeed, we don't need a reminder about the persistence of anti-Semitism in 2023, and probably won't need one for a long time to come.

Our world changed on October 7th. Or perhaps it didn't change – it's always been this way, as the Torah teaches us to remember what Amalek did to us in the wilderness, and that our war with Amalek lasts from generation to generation (Exodus 17:16, Deuteronomy 25:17-19). Amalek, the Biblical symbol for unprovoked, unmitigated evil and hatred of our people, made all too real in the form of the Assyrians, the Babylonians, the Romans, the Crusaders, the inquisitors of the Spanish Inquisition, and the perpetrators of the pogroms, none of which to be outdone by the Nazis. Now add Hamas to that list. We were just reminded that the cruelty and horrors of the Holocaust really aren't so distant a memory. After all, Holocaust survivors are among the victims of this latest attack, the deadliest day for the Jewish people since the gas chambers were in operation.

I am heartened that several world leaders, and leaders from across the political spectrum in this country, and at our state and local levels of government, have proudly stood with Israel and the Jewish people in our hour of need. This was made clear to us by the bipartisan showing of support at the impromptu vigil in our Sanctuary on October 9th, and we are grateful for that support. Although the handful of "no" votes are getting a lot of attention, the fact that the House of Representatives passed a resolution on October 25th in support of Israel by a vote of 412 to 10 is impressive, and meaningful.

I would be equally foolish not to recognize the rising wave of anti-Jewish sentiment not only in the Arab world, but in the capitals of our allies, and on college campuses throughout this country. Sure, we can have debates about military strategy, the laws of war (even though no one seems to argue that those laws apply to Hamas, only Israel), and how best to achieve peace in the Middle East. After all, Israel is a democracy, and three opinions are rarely enough for two Jews. But when the killing, raping, and hostage-taking of innocent civilians is disregarded or, worse, justified, there is nothing left to debate. The people on the other side of the argument don't view us as human. Amalek is back in the 21st century. This is why we needed a Jewish state in the first place, and why we still do.

So what do we do? As the CEO of the Jewish Federation of Greater MetroWest NJ, Dov Ben-Shimon, so eloquently told us in his visit to MJCBY on October 25th, there is a lot we can do. We can support our friends and family in Israel – and I count the entirety of Israel's population as our family for this purpose – by speaking up for Israel, by taking in refugees, and by contributing financially to Israel's numerous monetary needs at this time. We can push back on the anti-Jewish narrative that often festers on social media by sharing and reposting the truth. We can let our college kids know that they are not alone – that they are part of a strong and loving worldwide Jewish community. And we can all keep showing up, to make that community even stronger.

Since the weekend of the October 7th massacre, Rabbi Gillman has stressed the importance of being together in community. On an individual level, being with others at this difficult time helps us psychologically and spiritually. And on a community level, being part of a strong, vibrant community sends a message. We will not be deterred. We will not cower. We will continue to pass on our traditions and our values to the next generation. We will stand strong. We will keep on proudly declaring: *Am Yisrael Chai!* The people of Israel live!

While there is danger in the world, we are fortunate to have numerous layers of security at MJCBY. Thanks to the hard work of our Vice President and Security Chair, Alexis McGrath, and our Security Committee, our building is equipped to alert us to and keep out threats, our staff and volunteers are trained to deal with those threats, and our law enforcement and emergency management partners are ready to support us on a moment's notice. You can read about what the Security Committee has been up to in light of the current situation elsewhere in this newsletter. But I do want to take a moment to thank the Morris County Sheriff, Morris County Office of Emergency Management, Morristown Police Department, Morristown Fire Department, and other local agencies for their tremendous presence and support over the past several years and, particularly, in the past several weeks. When situations arise, often they reach out to us to offer assistance before we even get a chance to ask them for help. That type of partnership is important and appreciated.

I must also thank our security guards from Global Mark Security, who physically put themselves directly between us and whatever danger there may be for us each week. I often ask my Christian friends if they must go through security to get into church, and they are almost always shocked to realize that their experience is so much different from ours just going to a prayer service. But we certainly appreciate the friendly but professional presence of the guards assigned to us by Global Mark at our services and other events. It helps us come together as a community, especially in times like these, when we really need to come together as a community.

We pray for the safety and swift return of the hostages. We pray that the Israeli Defense Forces be safe and successful in their mission. We pray that the war be swift, that civilian casualties be minimized, but above all, that security and peace be realized for our people in Israel, and for all the people of Israel.

President Jason Navarino

BOARD OF DIRECTORS RETREAT

October 15th was a very productive strategic session!



Thank you, Dov Ben-Shimon, for being with our MJCBY community to share some Israel updates and joining us in solidarity as we support Israel. #IamGMW

LIVINGSTON SOLIDARITY MARCH FOR ISRAEL



To the right,
Channel 7 News
that includes our
very own
President Jason
Navarino on
stage!



PROCLAMATION IN SUPPORT OF ISRAEL

The Morris Township Committee (of which Jeff Grayzel is a member) adopted a proclamation in support of Israel on the eve of October 18th. Rabbis Gillman, Nesson and Small, Cantor Shana and President Jason Navarino were present on behalf of MJCBY, along with representatives of TBO, the Rabbinical College of America, Congregation Ahavath Yisrael, Chabad of Morristown, and the American Jewish Committee.



TOWNSHIP OF MORRIS MORRIS COUNTY, NEW JERSEY PROCLAMATION

IN SUPPORT OF THE STATE OF ISRAEL AGAINST HAMAS

Whereas, the State of Israel is a long-standing friend and ally of the United States of America, and the people of Israel share a deep commitment to democracy, peace, and security;

Whereas, Israel has faced ongoing threats to its sovereignty, security, and the well-being of its citizens, particularly from the terrorist organization Hamas, which has consistently launched attacks against Israeli civilians and infrastructure;

Whereas, the people of Israel have endured relentless rocket attacks, terror tunnels, and other forms of aggression perpetrated by Hamas, endangering the lives and livelihoods of countless innocent Israeli and Palestinian civilians;

Whereas on October 7, 2023, Hamas unleashed thousands of rockets and infiltrated the State of Israel, indiscriminately and brutally killed over 1400 innocent civilians in a most heinous manner, including over 260 at a music festival, all in a single day;

Whereas, Hamas took nearly 200 innocent civilian hostages, many of which were of international origin, back into Gaza to use as bargaining chips;

Whereas, Hamas has in its very charter, and has stated clearly, their intention is to annihilate Israel and Israelis and replace Israel with an Islamic state;

Whereas, Israel desires peace, security, and regional stability through diplomatic efforts and agreements with neighboring nations, and it has a legitimate right to defend itself and its citizens from acts of terrorism;

Whereas, Hamas has consistently used the Palestinian people as human shields and has brought nothing but misery and destruction since taking control of Gaza in 2007;

Whereas, the people of the Township of Morris value and stand in solidarity with Israel in its quest for security, peace, and the right to live in a safe and thriving environment;

Now, therefore, be it proclaimed by the Township of Morris:

We express our unwavering support for the State of Israel in its legitimate right to defend itself against acts of terrorism and aggression perpetrated by Hamas.

We condemn the indiscriminate rocket attacks, terror tunnels, and other forms of violence aimed at Israeli civilians and infrastructure by Hamas.

We call upon the innocent people of Gaza to renounce Hamas, renounce violence and terror, help secure the release of all hostages, and to recognize Israel's right to exist with secure borders so that all parties can work toward peaceful coexistence.

We stand in solidarity with the people of Israel and express our hope for a future where peace, security, and prosperity prevail for Israelis and Palestinians. This proclamation is hereby issued to show our support for the State of Israel against Hamas and to reaffirm our commitment to peace and security in the region.

William "Bud" Revitz
Deputy Mayor

Mark J. Gyorffy
Mayor



Donna J. Guariglia
Township Committee Member

Catherine J. Wilson
Township Committee Member

Jeffrey R. Grayzel
Township Committee Member

October 18, 2023



*AUF*RUUF

NOVEMBER 4
9:30AM

Please join MJCBY in honoring

**RABBI GILLMAN
LEAH SILVER**

on the occasion of their wedding

*S*HABBAT
*D*INNER

NOVEMBER 17
6:15PM



NOVEMBER EVENTS

Repairing OUR World United Against Hate

A COMMUNITY EVENT FEATURING THE SCREENING OF THIS
RIVETING DOCUMENTARY ON HOW THE CITY OF PITTSBURGH
UNITED TO BE "STRONGER THAN HATE."

**NOT
IN OUR
TOWN**
STOP HATE. TOGETHER.

**REPAIRING
THE WORLD**
STORIES FROM THE TREE OF LIFE



**Nov. 12th
6:30pm**

PLEASE REGISTER
USING THE QR CODE HERE



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Please register at:

<https://www.adathshalom.net/event/repairing-the-world-stories-from-the-tree-of-life.html>

For Further Information contact bonnie@rainbowpeace.net or 973-361-5456



ADATH SHALOM

841 Mountain Way, Morris Plains, NJ

Hanukkah Shabbat & Latke Dinner

Friday, December 8th

*Services at 6:15pm
followed by dinner*

\$15 / Person
Children under 5 free



DECEMBER EVENTS

Live Music!
Doughnuts!
Hot Drinks!
Hanukkiah
Lighting!
Prizes!
Gelt!

Hanukkah on the Green

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 5-6PM
FUN FOR ALL AGES



- SECULAR -

NEW YEAR SHABBAT

*with delicious & kosher
Chinese dinner*

FRIDAY, DEC 29, 7:00 PM
\$15 / PERSON

ANNUAL OPEN HIGH HOLIDAYS REVIEW MEETING

Monday November 6th, 2023 at 7:30pm via Zoom

All MJCBY members are invited to attend and participate in the virtual Annual Open High Holy Days Review Meeting. This year the meeting will take place on Monday, November 6th, 2023, at 7:30pm. The Zoom information for the meeting is below.

At the meeting you will have the opportunity to express your views on any aspect of the High Holy Days this year as well as listening to the comments of others. This includes all of the Sanctuary Services on Rosh Hashanah, Kol Nidre and Yom Kippur, all of the “shorter” services in the Ballroom on Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur, the Family Service and Tashlich. While the Ritual Committee does not have responsibility for all of these programs, it will pass along comments for those areas outside of its responsibility.

You will also be able to comment on the technology that was used.

To keep the meeting manageable, the host will mute all participants upon arrival. Please use the chat box or the hand icon to advise the host if you wish to speak. Depending on the number of people who wish to speak, we may need to limit each person to one opportunity to speak.

If you cannot make this meeting in person or wish to express your comments in writing, please e-mail your comments to Paul Green at greenpaulh@gmail.com, Howard Baum at hjbaum@optonline.net, and Ira Hammer at irajh@aol.com.

The Ritual Committee will discuss all comments at a subsequent committee meeting and not at the Open Meeting.

ZOOM INFORMATION FOR MJCBY HHD OPEN MEETING

Time: Nov 6, 2023 07:30 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88474177536?pwd=aZbhEIYWMHgDaFTjp5h48yfaR4RK2n.1>

Meeting ID: 884 7417 7536

Passcode: HHD2023

Find your local number: <https://us06web.zoom.us/u/kvP8fuxMQ>

SECURITY CORNER



Amping Up Security in Wake of Israeli Attacks

Alexis McGrath, Security

The terrorist attacks by Hamas against Israeli citizens on October 7th, 2023, were horrific and inexcusable. The conflict that followed the initial attacks has significant security implications internationally but also here at home, at MJCBY. Over the past several weeks, this conflict may have caused many of you to wonder about your security when in our building, your safety as a Jew in Morris County, and even your safety as you travel across the United States and abroad.

As soon as MJCBY's Security Committee was notified of the attacks in Israel, we acted quickly to do the following:

- Contacted the Jewish Federation's security team to clarify threat information and receive guidance.
- Secured the MJCBY building and property.
- Spoke with the Morris County Police Department to arrange more frequent patrols of MJCBY's property and arrange to have police officers present in the parking lot.
- Contacted our security guard vendor to arrange for an armed guard to cover our property throughout the day, including for Shalom Yeladim.
- Participated in multiple daily threat briefings from the Secure Community Network, the New Jersey Office of Homeland Security and Preparedness, and the New Jersey Interfaith Advisory Council (run by Homeland Security).

In addition, as part of MJCBY's standard procedures *each year*, all staff, teachers, and clergy have been recently trained on emergency response protocols, emergency communication, and building access control procedures. We are also conducting security drills to practice these skills. While we do our best to prevent any incident from occurring, we must also be prepared to handle whatever comes our way.

Morris County and Morristown law enforcement agencies continue to keep a close eye on Jewish facilities and houses of worship out of an abundance of caution. This includes more frequent patrols and property checks, as well as officers stopping by to "say hello", serving as a deterrent to our adversaries. MJCBY's Security Committee Chair also met with Morris County Sheriff Gannon to discuss the county's protection of Jewish facilities—MJCBY in particular—and was assured that law enforcement will remain vigilant, continue heightened patrols, and keep in constant contact with us.

Intelligence agencies at the federal and state level estimate a low likelihood that the three terrorist groups active in Israel and the Palestinian Territories (Hamas, Hezbollah, and Palestinian Islamic Jihad) will initiate an attack on U.S. soil. Instead, agencies' primary concern is that Homegrown Violent Extremists (also known as HVEs), who are inspired by these terrorist groups yet not directed or funded by them, will attempt small-scale attacks in the United States. It is important to note, however, that law enforcement at all levels is constantly scanning for evidence of adversary planning, and they remain on high alert to prevent and respond to any incidents.

If you have any questions about security at MJCBY, want to suggest a Security Corner topic, or would like to volunteer, please email the security committee at security@mjcby.org.

PLEASE NOTE: In some cases, there are times, in addition to our security guards, when we will need MJCBY member volunteers to be door greeters during events and Friday night and Saturday morning services. Please do not ignore these pleas when you receive them. It takes a village to run a synagogue, and our village is our shul community. Please help us protect our building, especially in these heightened periods. If you would like to be on a list of potential volunteers for Door Greeter duty in the future, please email Alexis at the address above. Thank you!

DEVELOPMENT

Thank you so much for your ongoing support of MJCBY! Without your financial support, beyond your payment of dues, we cannot achieve as much as we desire. Today, we call on you to help strengthen our community by making a commitment to support our Kol Nidre and Education Endowment Fund. As of today, we do not know if matching funds will be available to us for any of our fundraising efforts going forward. Therefore, it is critical for us to reach 100% participation from our congregation for this appeal. No donation is too small or too big. We ask each of you to assess what you can afford and then just stretch a little bit more. We need to be able to fund the necessary expenses to run the daily needs of our shul and the programs that you want and need, beyond the religious aspects of our lives.

On many fronts, the last few years have been challenging and unfortunately the news has not improved. Our dues cover only a portion of the synagogue's operating budget. Maintaining the beauty of our historic building is costly, and our Education Fund directly benefits the religious school's comprehensive programming that sets MJCBY apart from all other synagogues in our area.

As your lay leadership, we are working hard to chart the best path forward for our community, which has changed significantly over the last several years. We have begun to develop a comprehensive strategic plan, but we need your help to achieve a living plan that meets our members' needs and desires. This does **not** only mean monetary support but also your thoughts, suggestions, needs, and desires. Your input is vital and necessary for MJCBY to grow and thrive into our next century.

Our board of directors understands that there is a limit to how many fundraising requests our members are prepared to consider, and that is why our 5784 campaign will be asking you to pledge for both Kol Nidre and the Education Fund together. Be on the lookout for a pledge card with this year's High Holiday information. We will be reaching out to each of you in the coming weeks and look forward to talking about how your generosity will help ensure a continuation of our spiritual home. If you would be interested in hosting a small gathering, we would be delighted to talk about MJCBY funding with you at any time.

We are always available to speak or to answer questions if you would like more information. Please do not hesitate to call us or text us; our mobile numbers are listed below.

Thank you again for your consideration, your past support, and your future commitment and involvement.

B'shalom,

Irv Cohen & Sara Forman

Development Co-Chairs

(973) 615-4488 (917) 273-6185

MEMBERSHIP

Rebecca Wanatick and Amy Brunswick, Membership Chairs

We welcome the following new members who were voted in by the board in October:

Ellen Freitag | Sam & Jaya Wolf and Family | Jamie & Melea Henig and Family
Rabbi Amy & Robert Small | Sue Grossbard | Lisa Benison & Angel Aguirre | Adina & Adam Hendrix

JEWISH YOUNG COMMUNITY OF NEW JERSEY (JYC)

Upcoming Events!

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Asher Weinstein aweinstein68@gmail.com Co-Chairs

Jacob Levy, Writer/Editor

Shabbat

On Friday, November 10th, JYC will be having our monthly Shabbat dinner at Morristown Jewish Center Beit Yisrael. New members are always welcome. Secure your spot for this free event by registering on OneTable by Wednesday, November 8th. Any registrations made afterwards will require a \$10 fee.

Thanksgiving Potluck

Join the JYC Thanksgiving Potluck on Saturday, November 18th at 6:30 p.m.

Prepare your favorite dish as we gather to celebrate the upcoming holiday season. All foods are encouraged regardless of whether or not they are related to Thanksgiving. Don't miss out on what is sure to be a fun-filled evening. Location details will be announced within the coming weeks.



JYC Birthright Trip Postponed

In light of current events, JYC has decided to postpone next summer's Birthright Trip. Our thoughts and prayers are with all who have been afflicted by the ongoing conflict. Given time, we hope that Jewish Young Community will be able safely enjoy all that Israel has to offer.

Community Forum

JYC will be holding a Community Forum on Thursday, November 9th at 8:30 p.m.

This open platform will allow anyone to ask questions, suggest future events, and provide valuable feedback. Let's shape the future of JYC together.

SHALOM YELADIM –

THE JUDIE GERSTEIN EARLY LEARNING CENTER



Fire Safety & Thanksgiving!

Becky Narli, Director

Shalom Yeladim is getting ready for the excitement to come in November! We have a lot of fun and learning planned for the coming month.

In honor of October's Fire Safety month, we will start November with a trip to our neighbors, The Morristown Fire Station! All of our children have been learning about fire safety in their classes and now they will get the opportunity to meet Nick, the Deputy Fire Chief, and Matt, our Fire Marshal, plus see a fire engine up close and learn more about how to stay safe.

In anticipation of Thanksgiving, the children will spend much of November learning about the Native People and the Pilgrims. Classes are already working on crafts and preparing for our annual Thanksgiving feast on November 22nd.

Becky Narli and the SY Teachers

Fall Leaf collage with Morah Sue



And, some general all around **CUTENESS** with the new Twos!



Learning about Tzedakh with Morah Rorye



First time in the chapel with the Rabbi and Cantor.



Mommy & Me

For Babies up to 24 months and their caregivers

November 1, 15, 29

Wednesday Mornings
9:30 – 10:30am

For more information, please email
ShalomYeladim@mjcby.org
973-538-8284

OPEN TO THE COMMUNITY – NO CHARGE

NOVEMBER CALENDAR

Nov 9 - 10: TEACHERS' CONVENTION (NO SCHOOL)

Nov 13 - 17: TEACHERS' CONFERENCES (SCHOOL IN SESSION)

Nov 22: THANKSGIVING FEAST (12PM EARLY DISMISSAL)
All children welcome whether or not they come on Wednesday!

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Welcome to Noa, our Rishona! Miriam Loew, Director

We are very excited to welcome Noa Akiva to MJCBY! Noa is a Rishona from Israel who will be working with our Religious School students and will also get involved with other community events as part of Lifelong Learning Programming. We are so grateful to the Jewish Federation

of Greater MetroWest NJ for this wonderful opportunity!

An Interview with Noa Akiva, MJCBY's Rishona (Israel emissary)

Welcome to the community, Noa! We are very excited to have you! Can you tell us a little bit about yourself and your life back at home in Israel?

I grew up in a Moshava - a very small town, called Mizkeret Batya. Mizkeret Batya is situated between Jerusalem and Tel Aviv and is home to less than 9,000 people.

I am a competitive dancer, and I have danced my whole life. I use dance to help express emotion so I dance mostly to emotional songs and my dances are more classical and lyrical. Dancing always helps me feel better. I am also a swimmer and like to be active, I like to move. I also enjoy learning about the world, and about different cultures and religions.

Back in Israel I was part of a Teen program called Mashatzim. It is like Scouts but more focused on traveling around the country and practicing survival skills. The goal is to learn new things about Israel, meet new and different people, visit new cities, sleep in nature, build our own campsites, connect with people without the use of phones or technology, backpacking and seeing the country through our own eyes, away from screens. We were only allowed to use our phones for one hour per day to talk to our families. We learned how to use maps and really connect to the environment.

As part of the Mashatzim program, I guided people of all ages, Kindergarten to Seniors. I also worked with the special needs' population. They taught me so much about myself and what I am capable of, and I developed a deep love and care for the special needs community.

Tell us a little bit about what brought you here? What inspired you to come to the U.S. this year as a Rishona and what was the process like to get here?

I have wanted to participate in this program since I was in 8th grade when I heard about it from my brother's friend who was an Israeli emissary in London. I would hear about what people outside of Israel think about our country. People like to judge Israel from here, but Israel is really complicated. Some people like to focus on bad things happening there, but they don't know how beautiful and modern the country is. I always wanted to come here to see what people think about Israel and then try to show them what Israel is really like and change their view for the better. I want to tell

YOUTH PROGRAMS

For more information about any of the events below, email miriam@MJCBY.org

MINYONAIRES

Saturday, Nov 4th
Ages 12+ at 9:30am

JR CONGREGATION

Saturday, Nov 18th
3rd – 7th Grade
10:30am

ALP

Kristallnacht and the Rise of Antisemitism
Monday, Nov 6
6:30-8:30pm
Dinner Included

TGIS

Green Shabbat
Friday, Nov 17
5:30pm in Frigand
Dinner Included

USY

Silent Disco
Sunday, Nov 19
12-1pm

BETTER TOGETHER

Rugelach Baking
Sunday, Nov 19
1-3pm

people about our culture, our holidays, the warmth of the people and how everyone helps each other. We are all so proud of our country and we love our country so much.

I had to go through 1.5 years of investigation into my character and mental fitness to come here. They test to see if you are capable of it, if you have the skills for this program, if you are fit to guide. Thousands of teens want to be a part of this program through the Jewish Agency but only about 250 are selected. We go all over the world to the U.S., South America, Europe, Australia, South Africa. I was originally supposed to go to Leeds, England but had problems with my visa since I am not yet 18 years old. Yes, I graduated high school and will turn 18 on December 21. This program is a gap year between high school and the army but when we go back to Israel, we still have to do a full army service. I will be here for one year and all 7 of the Metrowest NJ Shlichim have become good friends.

Because I was supposed to go to England initially, I took all my courses in preparation with the England group and arrived here a month after the other six Metrowest NJ Shlichim. It was hard for me. I flew here alone, arrived a month after everyone else and didn't know anyone. I was mentally prepared to spend the year closer to home in England and had to prepare myself to be further away than expected. I have to say that everything worked out in my favor in the end. I had always wanted to spend my gap year in the U.S. and especially in this community. Being in the NJ/NY area is a dream, and it's very exciting to be here. Although I came late, the other 6 Metrowest NJ Shlichim and I have become close friends, we support each other, and I don't feel different from the others anymore. Especially now with the situation in Israel, we have all gotten even closer. We all have family and friends in Israel. We are very worried, and it is hard but at the same time I know this is an opportunity because I get to be here in a large Jewish community during this crisis and my work here became even more important now.



How has your work here shifted or changed with the war in Israel?

When I work with young children of course you can't tell them exactly what happened, I can't tell them the worst. So, with kids I talk about the fact that there are so many people who care so much about each other and love the country so much and they will do anything to help and protect each other, so I focus on that. There have been a lot of rallies and protests that are important for me to attend so I can talk to people about what it is like now in Israel, the beauty of Israel, of people donating, collecting, helping each other, opening their homes to families from Southern Israel. This is what's important to let the world see; how we deal with it. How we can all be together and help each other during hard times. People are taking in each other's kids, famous Israeli singers are going around to sing for the injured, food is being made and donated. The world needs to see the good and that Israel is protecting its citizens, protecting its past and protecting its future.

So many of us want to help. How can we best help the people in Israel now?

Donate and write letters to soldiers. This is how everyone can help. It can be frustrating to be here, to be far and to feel helpless but donations and letters really help. Support the soldiers who are still kids themselves. It is amazing to see older people coming back to the army to tell their stories and their legacy, to give inspiration to the young soldiers. There is a lot of unity in Israel now. Everyone forgot about politics and there's so much togetherness now, from the most religious to non-religious, from right to left, we are all together now to save the country, because we are now in a crisis, regardless of politics.

Is there anything else you would like to share with our community?

Keep a smile on your face. We are very strong, and it is going to be okay. The community here is amazing, I am happy to be a part of it. I ended up with the best community and all my hurdles in coming here were for a reason!

RS Interactive Learning!



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LLL Pizza in the Hut
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SISTERHOOD NEWS & EVENTS

JUDAICA GIFT SHOP

The Sisterhood Judaica Gift Shop is open Sunday mornings during religious school hours and by appointment during the week. To make a shopping appointment, contact us at giftshop@mjcby.org. You may also review our various merchandise catalogs that are posted on the MJCBY website under Sisterhood or by selecting the Sisterhood Judaica Shop link on the Support tab on the home page. Support Your Sisterhood-Support Your Shul! Note: Gift Certificates are available for purchase through the Gift Shop.

MARJORIE ELKIND SISTERHOOD BOOK GROUP

We are reviewing the book *Dinners with Ruth: A Memoir on the Power of Friendships* by Nina Totenberg on Tuesday December 5th. Place to be announced at a later date. For more info, please contact Amy Brunswick at abrunswick4321@gmail.com

KIDDUSH COMMITTEE

The **Kiddush Committee** needs your help to prepare the kiddush luncheon each week. Please contact Dorothy Cohen (dorothy_irvingcohen@msn.com) for more info.

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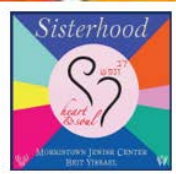
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Thank you to all our sisterhood members who so graciously contributed to our annual dinner raffle which added so much to the success of the evening!



These and all the rest of the pictures can be found on the Sisterhood Facebook page – Sisterhood of Morristown Jewish Center Beit Yisrael!



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November 1st

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ADULT ED

Virtual Author Talk with Pamela Nadell

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Adult Ed invites you to our next virtual author talk with Pamela Nadell on November 14.

Pamela Nadell is Professor and Patrick Clendenen Chair in Women's and Gender History at American University in Washington, DC. Her courses include Antisemitism: Enduring Hatred, Holocaust, and American Jewish History. She is a popular lecturer on American Jewish life, speaking to audiences from New York's Streicker Center to Los Angeles' American Jewish University, from Columbia University to UCLA, as well as at universities in England, France, Germany, Hungary, and Israel. Past president of the Association for Jewish Studies, her consulting to museums includes Tel Aviv's ANU: The Museum of the Jewish People, Philadelphia's Weitzman National Museum of American Jewish History, and Pittsburgh's new Tree of Life complex.

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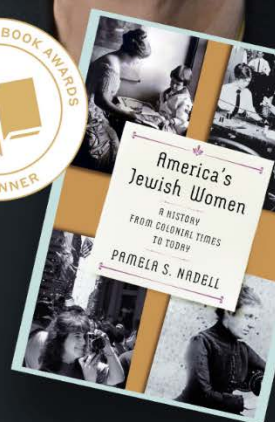
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SOCIAL ACTION

High Holiday Mitzvah Project

Lou Bodian & Howard Buxbaum, Social Action Chairs

Loub48@Gmail.com - HowardBuxbaum@Gmail.com

As the picture shows, our congregants are so caring to those less fortunate in our community. We collected over 50 bags of personal toiletry items, paper supplies, clothing, food preparation items, and food during our High Holiday Mitzvah Project. These items were donated to 3 local social service agencies: *Table of Hope*, *Homeless Solutions* and *NourishNJ*.

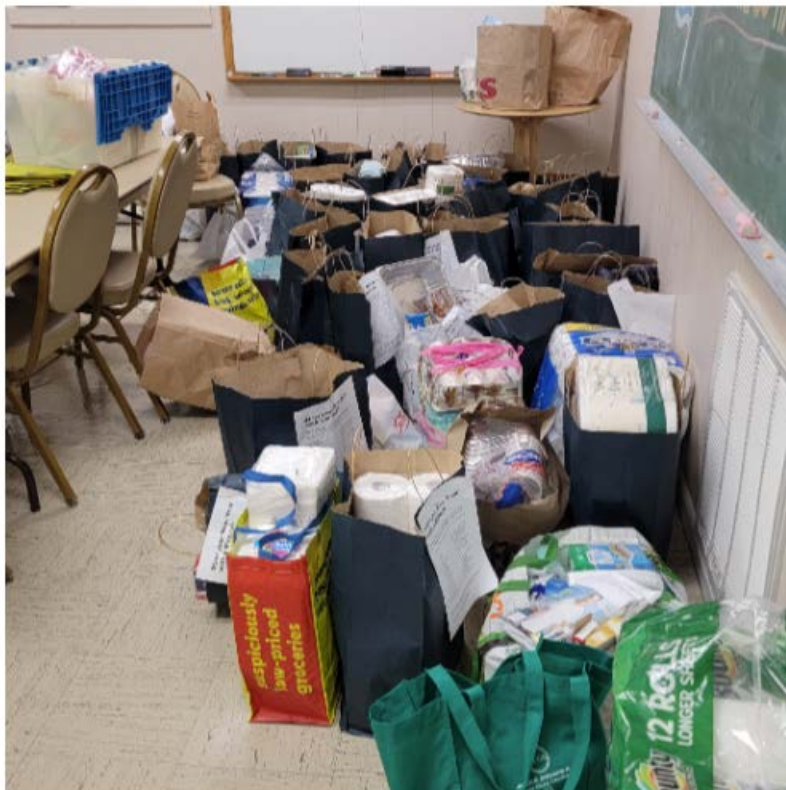
Table of Hope operates out of the Bethel AME Church on Spring St. Every Thursday, local residents can go there to pick up boxes of fruits, vegetables, prepared foods and personal care items. The serving pans, saran wrap, aluminum foil, clamshell containers that we collected went largely to this group.

Homeless Solutions operates a homeless shelter located on West Hanover Ave, in the original Morris View Nursing Home building, serving up to 85 people at any time. Their Social Workers help residents to become independent by helping with employment and permanent housing. They also operate a Code Blue Emergency Shelter during the cold weather months for those who are street homeless. Toiletry items and paper supplies, along with clothing, were donated to this organization.

NourishNJ (formerly known as the *Community Soup Kitchen*) serves lunch and provides social services out of a storefront on Sussex Avenue, a block and a half from MJCBY. They are about to open a food commissary in Victory Gardens from where they will prepare meals for the larger Morris County indigent community. MJCBY members have been volunteering at the "Soup Kitchen" for over 35 years.

Thank you to all who participated in this project. Your help is greatly appreciated by those we serve.

In late October, we formed a Social Action Committee to oversee our local activities and to identify new ways we can be of service to those in need. We invite you to join us; just call or e-mail.



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To Be Remembered Shabbat Nov 3 & 4		
11/4/23	20 Cheshvan	Milton Appelbaum
		Doris Kashi
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		Dave Rubin
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11/5/23	21 Cheshvan	Sarah Golding*
		Israel Lantzman
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11/6/23	22 Cheshvan	Maurice Nagie*
		Selma Rogoff
11/7/23	23 Cheshvan	Herman C. Glucoft
		Hyman Keller
		Joseph Markiewicz*
		Tessie Rubinstein*
		Warren Stein
11/8/23	24 Cheshvan	Beth Ehrlich
		Muriel Judkowitz
11/9/23	25 Cheshvan	Leatrice Adelman
		William Farenci*
		Harold Grandis
		Abraham Loewensteiner*
		Martha Loewensteiner*
		Shirley Needel
		Eva Ostrager*
		Lily Simon
11/10/23	26 Cheshvan	Eliezer Finelt
		Dorothy Freeman*
		Emanuel Gross
		Celia Hebel
		William Kopp*
		Jacob Korn
		Alvin Mintz*
		Irving Rachlin
		Martha Sheffrin
		Solomon Sperber
		Thelma Spitzer*
11/10/23	26 Cheshvan	Isidor Tolkoff*

To Be Remembered Shabbat Nov 10 & 11		
11/11/23	27 Cheshvan	Frances Balter
		Esther Gervich
11/12/23	28 Cheshvan	Bert Buddy Balaban*
		Sadie Gottesman
		Edward Seligman*
		Pearl Ostrager Tanzman*
		Nina Wolff
11/13/23	29 Cheshvan	Elinor Braude
		Harriette Dorf
		Herbert Greenbaum*
		Alexander Greif*
		Philip Lubitz
		Bernard Oxfield
11/14/23	1 Kislev	Morton Barrows
		Louis Fenyves*
		Fay Greenberg*
		Evelyn Herman
		Jack Tetelbaum
		George Wein
11/15/23	2 Kislev	Doris Grayzel
11/16/23	3 Kislev	Rhonda Farber
		Rose Langunoff
		Leonora Miller
		Ida Pikus
		Nathan Singer
		Anna Weinstein*
		Hedwig Winter*
11/17/23	4 Kislev	Aaron Greif
		Frank Heller
		Bessie Lewis*
		Stephen Starr
To Be Remembered Shabbat Nov 17 & 18		
11/18/23	5 Kislev	Helen Judkowitz
		Martin Katz*
11/19/23	6 Kislev	Samson Hittner*
		Anthony Navarino
		Bernard Rayfield
		Tuly Reiter
		Hilde Rosenbaum
11/20/23	7 Kislev	Fred Cohen*
		Melvin Hebel
		David Ruderman
11/21/23	8 Kislev	Stanley Stupay
11/21/23	8 Kislev	Sheila Thal*

11/22/23	9 Kislev	Hyman Evans*
		Sandra Halpern*
		Jesse Salsberg
11/23/23	10 Kislev	Judith Baron
		William Rothstein
		Louis Spivak
		Gertrude Youngerman
11/24/23	11 Kislev	Mordecai Kantrowitz
		Bonnie Kazam
		Earl Price
		Herbert Samuels
To Be Remembered Shabbat Nov 24 & 25		
11/25/23	12 Kislev	Joseph Csillag
		Nicholas Czeisler
		Sylvia Dornfeld
		Golda Zisel Drucker*
		Harry Morchower*
		Irving Press
		Sally Rhines*
11/26/23	13 Kislev	Gloria Francus
		Arnold Spain*
11/27/23	14 Kislev	Annie N. Cohen*
		Howard Cohen
		Rosalie Kosterlitz*
		Elias Notowicz
		Max Shapiro
11/28/23	15 Kislev	Dorothy Goldband
		Philip Sperber*
11/29/23	16 Kislev	Moses Grossbard
		Jerome Lawrence Medford*
		Hyman Stone
11/30/23	17 Kislev	Lillian Frigand*
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