

Steve Rothstein... Sounding the Shofar 5776

Teshuva: Sounding the Shofar
by Barbara Davidson

After Steve Rothstein, TAY's "Shofar Extraordinaire," appeared at the Rosh HaShannah service in October, 2008, a toddler approached Rabbi Beth with a serious comment.

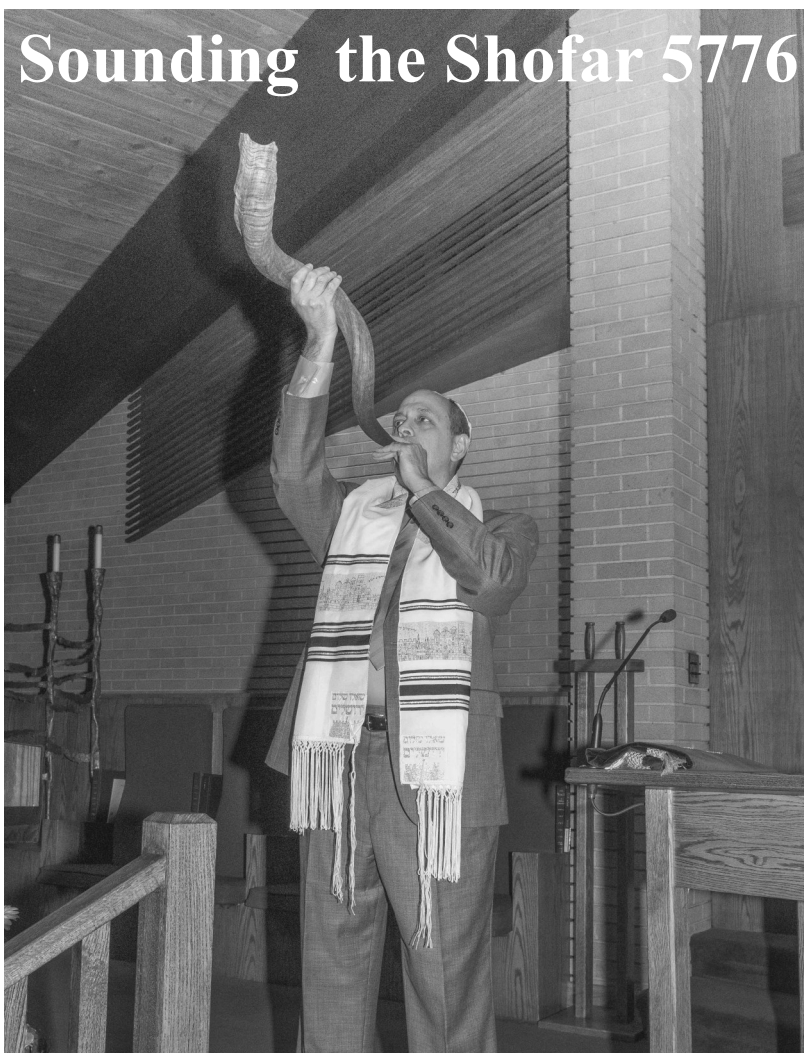
"God is very loud!" the youngster told the Rabbi.

Momentarily taken back, the rabbi told the child that God was loud "to make sure that everyone heard and listened."

Steve, a modest man who takes his considerable prowess in casual stride, admits that his shofar blowing is loud, probably heard, and perhaps even listened to. But he doesn't claim to pinch-hit for God. He blows that horn because he can. But he adds, "I put my heart and soul into it."

Sounding the yard-long sheep horn and sustaining the individual notes for minutes at a time are more than a mere musical exercise.

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FROM the RABBI Beth D. Davidson

Community Family: In Moments of Joy, of Sadness, and of Change

As I write this, it is hot, humid, and horrible, and the High Holy Days feel very far off. But the reality is they are right around the corner.



I don't know about you, but I will not be unhappy to see 5775 end and 5776 begin, fresh with new possibilities. For me, this past year was tough: death claimed many wonderful members of our community; too many of our community are living with serious illness and challenge; and while changes in our building will ultimately be good for us, and I believe, for the Jewish community, change also requires hard work—emotionally, physically and spiritually.

When our Sanctuary and other building projects are completed, our renovated building will help us move into a new year with fresh and functional space; when the JFNH Preschool is moved in, and our reconfigured Religious School opens, we will enjoy hearing the sounds of young people and will have an opportunity to help shape young lives and minds. The educational and cultural programs we have planned for this coming year will provide something for every member of our TAY family.

Truly, family is what this congregation is! I have to tell you that one of my proudest moments as the rabbi of TAY took place this past Spring.

A member of our congregation passed away, and he didn't leave folks to remember him at his funeral. But the TAY family stepped up and in, and came to his service.

Our Talmud teaches us that attending a funeral—especially for someone you didn't know—is one of the most important mitzvot one can observe. I knew this intellectually but I learned this lesson for myself on a Sunday morning when our community gathered to say Kaddish. My heartfelt appreciation goes to those who fulfilled this mitzvah, and if you would like to be on the "call" list for other such times, please let me know.

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Sounding the Shofar, cont. from p. 1.

Steve & Karen Rothstein at TAY's Annual Meeting in May 2015

"I don't practice all year long," Steve said, "but a month before the holidays I take the shofar out, clean it up and start practicing. The important thing is to get my lip and my breath ready, to be as good as I can be."

Steve's skill with the shofar didn't develop as a result of a childhood dream. Born and reared in Cranston, R.I., Steve played the clarinet and drums at school. But when he was 17, his father passed away. The rabbi at Temple Sinai in Cranston—their congregation—asked Steve to sound the shofar that holiday season, as a tribute to his Dad. Steve did, became fascinated by the experience and, of course, the rest is history.

By the time Rothstein graduated from the Ohio College of Podiatric Medicine and he and his wife Karen [now our TAY Office Manager] moved to Manchester in 1982, Steve had proved to himself and his listeners "that I could do it."

His services were not immediately needed at TAY because Rabbi Arthur Starr handled the sounding of the shofar; Starr's successor, Rabbi Barbara Borts, did call upon Steve occasionally. When Rabbi Beth Davidson appeared on the scene and heard Steve's sound, she gave him the gig—and the title "Shofar Extraordinaire."

This will be Steve Rothstein's eleventh year sounding the shofar at TAY. As Rabbi Beth reflected on teshuvah and Maimonides in August, Steve was practicing "to be as good as I can be."

"It has more meaning," he says. "Having my heart and soul engaged is more important than just sounding that horn."

[Editor's Note: This article was originally published in the TAY Bulletin of November, 2008, written by Barbara Davidson, who now resides at Birch Hill Terrace. We updated it for this 11th anniversary of Steve Rothstein's sounding of the shofar at TAY.]

THANKS...to Brenda Schadick & David Rosenzweig for volunteering in the OFFICE.



Steve and Karen both do special service during the High Holydays: Steve steps out of his regular back row seat for Shabbat every week and takes his place on the bimah to blow the shofar. Karen helps organize the programs and services and makes sure every donation is properly noted and every name is spelled correctly. She answers the phone and greets all members and visitors with unfailing good humor. She also organizes Sisterhood's Annual Craft Fair. The Editor says: "Thank you both for your contributions too numerous to mention."
~D. Rosenzweig photo.

RABBI'S FAMILY, cont. from p. 1.

The TAY Family helped Dani Taub collect onesies for the Elliot Neo-Natal unit and helped Matthew Schwartz send letters to our troops; The TAY family supported the Baron Family, the Goodman Family, the Krasner Family, the Silver Family and so many others, when they were sitting Shivah; The TAY family helped us move and schlep as we arranged, and rearranged rooms and space in this building.

Thank you for reminding me that when needed, family can be there:

in moments of joy, of sadness, and of change.

As we celebrate our eleventh High Holidays together, I hope that the entire TAY family embraces this opportunity to pause, to refresh and to renew....

5776 will be a year full of exciting opportunities at Temple Adath Yeshurun, and I hope to see you as we pray, study, and celebrate together.

A Happy, Healthy, Prosperous and Peaceful New Year to our entire family.

~Rabbi Beth D. Davidson

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Elul/Tishrei 5776

Opening Day!



TAY BROTHERHOOD monthly meeting

Your TAY Brotherhood is looking forward to another year of good camaraderie and LOTS of fun. Our past program history has included Sukkah building, Chanukah Candle Drive, Chanukah and Purim Parties, Christmas Mitzvah Program, Deli Night, MANTY Winter Wonderland Breakfast, Seniors Dinner, Memorial Day Service, Brotherhood-Sisterhood Service, Annual Meeting/BBQ, Educational and Social Breakfasts, Candidates Forums—*whatever.*

Our first Brotherhood Meeting of the year is scheduled for
Tuesday, September 8, 2015, at 6pm, at TAY,
with a BBQ meal.

Please come and join us. All men with any Jewish connection are welcome.

Happy 30th
Anniversary
Paul Silver



&
Paula Noyovitz

August 2015

MAZEL TOV TO OUR GRADS!



*In the excitement of celebration,
Did you forget to send in your June news?
DEADLINE for our next issue is OCT 1.
Inquiring Minds **STILL** want to KNOW. **SEND IT NOW!**
EMAIL TAYNEWS@COMCAST.NET*

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President's Message

Alan D. Kaplan

My Fellow Congregants,

The High Holy Days are quickly approaching, heralding the Jewish new year. While the secular calendar year renews each winter, and nature sprouts new



growth each spring, it is interesting to note that we Jews roll the Torah scroll back and begin our year in the early fall.

Following our Torah's example, most education programs (pre-school through college) also begin their new year in the fall. So it is special that Jewish education will expand at TAY this year with the addition of the Jewish Federation of New Hampshire (JFNH) Preschool which will move to our TAY ground floor location.

My personal thanks to our negotiation committee—Joel Gordon, Bob Katchen, Lee Hill and Cate Tanzer—for making this change of venue happen for us all.

Thanks also to the members of our new pre-school liaison committee—David Rosenzweig, Joel Gordon and Bob Katchen—who will continue to work with the Federation administration on behalf of the TAY board.

Our Temple Adath Yeshurun Religious School is also seeing a new beginning as Steve Dolman, with years of experience both as a teacher and as an administrator,

takes the reins as the leader of our program. Our thanks to our immediate past principal Jessica Gallant who will be staying on to teach Kindergarten and Grade 1.

It is customary to welcome the New Year season by preparing ourselves both spiritually and physically. Each New Year we make many resolutions which (despite our best intentions) are never fulfilled. **I am pleased to report that last year's resolutions presented in my High Holy Day message—to give new life to our Temple home—are proceeding on track. We will see many of the projects completed in time to welcome our Jewish New Year of 5776.**

David Rosenzweig's photos taken last week show us a bit of the work on the Temple that has already begun, especially the removal of the pews from the sanctuary. (See pages 5 & 6.). You'll be glad to know that the pews are not leaving Manchester, but will provide the seating for a new Charter School auditorium.

Our new seating is scheduled to ship on August 18. We hope to have the Bimah extension, handicap accessible ramp and lighting completed before September 13. The patio, foyer renovation and movable wall between the Sanctuary and social hall projects will follow later this fall or next spring.

Thank you to everyone who has pledged or contributed thus far to the Capital Campaign. **I hope every member of the congregation will be a part of and take pride in the renewal of our home of worship, study and social life at what ever level they can afford.**

On the spiritual side, the Rabbi has begun to find her words of inspiration and build her sermons. We will again this year be blessed with the beautiful voice of Cantor Lori Salzman as well as the TAY Choir to enhance our spiritual experience. Those who would like to participate in the services should contact the Rabbi.

It's still not too late to join the rehearsals and add your voice to the choir. Joe Rojek is a patient teacher who helps us prepare the (mostly) simple arrangements we'll be singing with Cantor Salzman.

Wishing everyone a happy and healthy New Year.

~Alan D. Kaplan

YES: You Too Can Join the High Holyday CHOIR
Singing Rosh HaShannah AM—
Monday, Sept. 14
& Yom Kippur AM—
Wednesday, Sept. 24

Rehearsals Mondays and/or Thursdays at 7 PM-- starting on August 20. *It's not too late.*

Come along and join in. Don't be shy. We need sopranos, altos, tenors, and basses to make a full sound for the holidays. Joe Rojek teaches and leads us.



**SUPPORT TAY by PURCHASING
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in the TEMPLE OFFICE.**

**Renew CARDS in the Temple Office,
So TAY will be credited.**



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A New Look for the New Year: Rejuvenation for 5776

Temple Adath Yeshurun is undergoing rejuvenation of its site as a home for Jewish prayer, study and social gathering.

The present building was heralded as an architectural masterpiece when it was constructed over 50 years ago, but time has taken its toll on infrastructure.

We knew it was time for changes to be made inside as well as outside the building. Many of the seats in the pews were in need of repair, a very expensive proposition.

After study and review, it was decided to remove the pews and replace them with comfortable chairs which can be linked together in either straight lines or in a semi-circular pattern. These chairs have a book-rack underneath for copies of the Torah and a small pocket for the service folder.

The old pews have been donated to the



August, 2015. Above: The empty sanctuary. Below, left: Pews in the parking lot, ready for pickup. ~D.

Founder's Charter School in Manchester for use in their assembly hall.

The TAY bimah will be expanded with handicapped ramp access created. New indoor LED lighting is planned for the sanctuary and the wall dividing the sanctuary and social hall will be replaced with a moveable one. A plan is also underway to redesign the lobby and entrance area.

Changes are also being made, both inside and

out, to accommodate the JFNH Pre-school Program of the Federation, previously housed in the former Federation building across the street. Improved lighting is being installed in the back of the building on Harrison Street. A playground will be constructed on the Harrison Street side.

It is hoped that **these changes will give TAY the flexibility to allow not only for more intimate prayer space for worship when needed, but also for increased space for programs when needed:**

for TAY's Religious School; for the JFNH Preschool; for temple events such as holiday celebrations, educational programs, concerts and plays; for Sisterhood, Brotherhood, and Seniors Forever Young—three groups that benefit not only TAY, but often the Jewish and non-Jewish communities, as well.

[Editor's Note: a revised version of this article will also appear in The Jewish Reporter this August, 2015.]



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5776: The Rabbi Starts with an Empty Sanctuary, August, 2015



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Welcoming Shabbat with Our Onegs

~David Rosenzweig photo.

Get to services early on Rosh HaShanah to try out the 225 new seats.

We need all of members of our TAY family to contribute to our temple in a variety of ways. One of these is to assist with hosting our onegs.

Sisterhood will be coordinating this effort, and we want to make it as convenient and enjoyable for you as possible. We will be compiling a list, assigning 2-3 members each week to specific dates.

Please notify Linda Rockenmacher at Rockenmacher@comcast.net or 232-3477 if:

- You want to do a specific day or month
- You will be away for part of the year
- You especially want to partner with a specific person.

We will try to accommodate your requests. The list will be distributed in September and you will receive a reminder in advance—as well as provided guidelines.

Thank you to all for helping to make TAY a warm and welcoming Jewish community.

GOD OF GOODNESS, we give thanks
for the gift of life, wonder beyond words;
for the awareness of soul, our light within;
for the world around us, so filled with beauty;
for the richness of the earth, which day by day sustains us;
for all these and more, we offer thanks.

ברוך אתה, יי, הטוב שמך ולך נאה להודות.

Baruch atah, Adonai, hatov shimcha ul'cha na-eh l'hodot.

Shabbat Prayer of Thanksgiving

from *The Mishkan T'Filah*, Central Conference of American Rabbis, NY: 2007, p. 177.

~David Rosenzweig, photo.

Co-chairs needed for Second Night Seder 2016

(FYI, 2nd Night Seder will be Saturday night, April 23, 2016.)

Please contact the office if you might be interested: 669-5650.

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Principal's Message Stephen Dolman

5776: A Year of Change

As we begin to make preparations for the high holidays and the New Year, the Temple Adath Yeshurun Religious School is doing the same. It will be a year of both stability and change.

The first major change is one of a physical nature. We will be sharing our space with the Greater Manchester Jewish Preschool which was previously located across the street at the former Jewish Federation Building. This sharing of space has led to some changes in our physical structure and the usage of our school facility. Some of the changes were the relocation of the principal's office, the addition of a sprinkler system and the sharing of some classroom space.

The biggest and most important change will be that more little bodies will be using our school. There should be no conflict with either arrivals or dismissals because our times are different; and the Jewish Preschool students will be using the Harrison Street entrance for their drop-offs and pickups.

But since this is the first year, I'm sure that possible concerns will occur.

We must keep in mind that the sharing of our building is a good thing for both organizations and the Jewish community. With good communication, no problems should be too big to solve.



The second change is that I—Stephen Dolman—will be joining the staff as the new principal. I'm a retired teacher with 39 years of experience in the Manchester school

district. My background includes serving as an assistant principal, a director of a city summer recreation program, and a basketball coach and director of basketball camps.

My outside interests have led me to be involved in productions at the Palace Theater, as well as in Manchester politics, where I was elected to serve as an alderman and as a school board member.

Most important, my three children with my wife Donna Lenz Dolman of 26 years—Joshua, Caleb, and Alea—have all attended and graduated from Temple Adath Yeshurun Religious School.

For years, our family has demonstrated our commitment to Jewish values and education.

In the next year I have two specific goals I would like to accomplish, the first be-

ing the creation of an online program where students can make up missing assignments. The second goal is the establishment of an incentive program to encourage positive participation, student engagement, and better attendance.

I am very fortunate to have a very experienced and talented staff returning. I am looking forward to working and supporting these skilled professionals in this New Year:

K1: Jessica Gallant.
Grade 2: Missy Rosenberg
Grade 3 Hebrew: Lisa Schectman
Grades 3 and 4 Judaica: Barbara Scotch
Grade 4, 5, 6 Hebrew: Shirley Ginn
Grade 5 and 6 Judaica: Heidi Miller
Grade 7 Hebrew: Lisa Schectman
Grade 7 Judaica: Rabbi Beth Davidson
Grades 8-10: Michael Yellin & Rabbi Beth Davidson
Madrachim: Jessica Miller & Alea Dolman

[Editor's note: Our madrichim are teaching assistants who have already completed their religious school studies. They assist teachers and their students with their studies and projects.]

As the new school administrator, I look forward to working with you in making this school year a positive learning experience for all. In order

for our school to succeed, we need to work as a team. As a parent I know our children are busy with many school and outside activities, but let us make Temple Adath Yeshurun Religious School a priority.

I wish everyone a happy and healthy New Year.



Teachers shown above from l. are Mrs. Jessica Gallant (K-1); Mrs. Heidi Miller (5-6 Judaica) and "Miss Missy" Rosenberg (2). The picture is from May, 2014: students shown will be in grades 1-4 in the upcoming school year.

~D. Rosenzweig photo.

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TAY High Holiday Ticket Policies

In order to attend and participate in High Holyday Services, your yellow membership form must be completed and returned to us along with your chosen payment plan, and your appropriate payment. All accounts must be current.

We do not sell or provide tickets to people living locally who are not members of Temple Adath Yeshurun.

Members in good standing have the following High Holyday privileges at Temple Adath Yeshurun:

- Attending and participating in all High Holyday services at TAY;
- Purchasing guest tickets (\$200

each) for out of town family/friends;

- Bringing adult children UNDER 30 years old (complimentary);
- Receiving reciprocity at another Temple (**All requests must be made by September 1, 2015**);
- Bringing complimentary guests who are members in good standing at another Synagogue.

Sukkot Services & Simchat Torah

Please join us on **Sunday afternoon, September 27, at 4 PM**, for our Sukkah decorating event, followed by **Pizza in the Hut at 5 PM**, and **Family**

Services at 6 PM. Come Shake your Lulav. [Editor's Note: Be sure to be there if you don't know what or where your Lulav is.]]

Adult Sukkot Services will be held on **Monday, September 28, at 6 PM.**



And you can join us on **Sunday afternoon, Oct. 4, at 6 PM**, for our **Simchat Torah and Consecration Service**, as we celebrate completing and restarting our Torah cycle, as well as the beginning of our new students' Religious School educations.

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Yizkor will be observed on **Monday, Oct. 5, at 10 AM.**

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SISTERHOOD NEWS

Gail Ellis

I hope that you have been having a wonderful summer and have enjoyed the many activities that summertime affords us here in New Hampshire.



The Sisterhood Board has been at work planning programs and events for the upcoming year.

These include social events, lectures on academic and contemporary issues, presentations on health and exercise, and trips to area venues that will enhance our knowledge of art, music, and literature.

We sincerely hope that you will join us for these activities, and encourage you to send along your suggestions for programs that you feel would be of interest and benefit to the Sisterhood.

In addition, we encourage women to attend the Interfaith Women of New Hampshire special events that are scheduled throughout the year. You will see them advertised in our TAY Bulletin, on flyers in the temple, and elsewhere. Temple Adath Yeshurun's sisterhood has been involved with Interfaith Women of New Hampshire since its inception nine years ago. First Jane Silberberg, and then Linda Rockenmacher served on its steering committee; now Mary Singer represents our Sisterhood. (See the advertisement for the September program of Interfaith Women of New Hampshire on p. 12 of this *Bulletin*.)

LATE-BREAKING MAZEL FOR AUGUST!

Just after sundown, on **Aug. 15, 2015**, at Elawa Farm in Lake Forest Illinois, Ori Joseph Fienberg married Emily Florence Maloney. Rabbi Beth Davidson officiated. Lorne & Nona Fienberg of Amherst were the happy parents. More on the wedding in Oct. *TAY Bulletin*.

It takes many volunteers to insure the success of our programs. We know that everyone is busy, but we truly hope that you will volunteer some of your time, talent, and energy to assist us with our programs and events.

Speaking of volunteers, Sisterhood will be coordinating the Friday Onegs again this year, but will be assigning dates to members of the temple in order to facilitate participation. See article on page 6 for more information.

The TAY Sisterhood Board would like to take this opportunity to wish our temple family a happy, healthy, and sweet New Year. I know that we will have a rewarding and successful year.

L'Shana Tovah.

Smiling Seniors Plan Fun for ALL

by Brenda Schadick



Seniors Forever Young have been enjoying many events recently and welcome all to join with us in socialization and fun.

We began 2015 by enjoying a harmonica musical group from the Nashua Senior Center, performing in the TAY social hall—with a delicious lunch catered by our ever-popular Heidi Miller.

We went to the Majestic Dinner Theatre for a lunch and matinee production

of a comedy.

We traveled to Meredith, New Hampshire, for a production of the Taffetas (an "oldies" musical group), and then enjoyed dinner at T-Bones.

On Thursday, July 30, we had a delicious fish luncheon from Jerome's Deli (salmon and haddock)—again in the TAY social hall—and then played BINGO. Ted Yegerman was the BINGO caller and joke teller. His jokes were great, as usual.

Upcoming on Thursday, August 20, we will have another yummy lunch and a movie at TAY—starting with the meal at 11:30 AM. The movie "It's Complicated" will be shown at 12:30 PM. Cost for lunch and the movie is only \$6, payable on site.

We are also planning a fall mini-trip.

If you want to be on the mailing list, there's no charge for that: the Jewish Federation of New Hampshire (JFNH) sends out mailings about the Seniors Forever Young upcoming events. To have your name added to the list, contact Audrey Rondo, 603-673-6875; or myself, Brenda Schadick, 603-627-1754.

Our goal is smiles on the faces of all seniors.

A happy healthy New Year to all.

Want to Volunteer your time or talents at the TEMPLE?

Call Karen at 669-5650.

Getting Names RIGHT for

Anniversary Couples and ALL members

Beginning with the **May 2015** issue, we will list anniversary couples with first and last names. If the couple has different surnames, we will so note. We will omit Dr., Mr., and other address titles.

If we make errors—or if your TAY mailing labels are not as you prefer—please let us know : 669-5650.

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August Birthdays

Brooke Flanders
Audrey Gallant
Nathan Herlicka
Aaron Hill
Miriam Waldman



August Anniversaries

Darci & Adam Bernstein
Martha & Jeffrey Crocker
Sherry & Stephen Goldberg
Judith & Robert Jolton
Kris & Brian Kossak
Nancy & Richard Kudler
Heidi & Michael Miller
Reva & Arnold Miller
Susan & Jay Niederman
45 years
Paula Silver & Paul Noyovitz
30 years
Susan & Steven Paris
Elaine & David Penchansky
Mallory & Scott Sandler
Joan Izen & Joel Schwellung
35 years
Jean & Julian Shlager
Linda & Arthur Starr
50 years!
Doreen & Richard Stonner
Ann Sukany-Suls &
Howard Suls
Julie & Philip Taub

DONATIONS

Donations are listed from July 10, 2015 through August 10, 2015.

Special Purpose Funds

Created with a minimum donation of \$5000; may only be used for a specified purpose.

Adult Education

By Rona Zlokower and George Bruno to D.G. Krasner, in memory of Alice Krasner.

Rabbi Starr Interfaith Fund

By Rabbi Arthur Starr, in honor of the 50th Anniversary of Rabbi Arthur Starr and Linda Starr.

Bud Baron Ritual Fund

By Rona Zlokower and George Bruno to Jonathan Baron and family, in memory of Bud Baron.

Chesed Fund

By Barbara and Barry Scotch to Rabbi Beth, in appreciation.

Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

By Lee Hill to David Rosenzweig, in appreciation.

By Michael Yellin and Debra Garlin to Robert, Brad and Justin Silver, in memory of Hillary Silver.

By Carolyn and Philip Hollman to Rabbi Beth D. Davidson, in appreciation.

By Linda and Sol Rockenmacher to Robert, Brad, and Justin Silver, in memory of Hillary Silver.

By Lorne and Nona Fienberg, in memory of William Fienberg.

By Gail Ellis in memory of Herman Brouse.

By Richard Friedman to Frankie Shapiro, in memory of Deborah Shapiro.

By Richard Friedman to the Dubinsky family, in memory of Nannie Dubinsky.

By Richard Friedman to Dr. Robert Silver and family, in memory of Hillary Silver.

By Richard Friedman to the Honorable Ruth Kleinfeld, in memory of Burton Kleinfeld.

By Merle Treisman, in memory of Jason Treisman.

By Susan Hardy & Nancy Wilsker to the Honorable Ruth Kleinfeld, in memory of Burton Kleinfeld.

By Sharon Linder and Wishkin daughters to Rabbi Beth D. Davidson, in appreciation.

Religious School Fund

By Rona Zlokower and George Bruno to Dr. Robert Silver and family, in memory of Hillary Silver.

Deeva Rosenzweig Social Action Fund

By Ruthie and Joel Gordon to David Rosenzweig, in honor of being named Brotherhood's Man of the Year.

Named Funds

Created with a minimum donation of \$1500; income helps fund Temple operations

Judith & Michael Goldsmith Fund

By Ruthie and Joel Gordon to Michael Goldsmith, in appreciation for your service on the TAY Trust Committee.

Please Note: Minimum Donation to any specific fund is \$18.

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*Happy 45th Anniversary to
Susan and Jay Niederman
August, 2015*



September Birthdays



Landon Ginn
Alexander Harrison
Samuel Krasnof
Alexander Schwartz



**Happy 35th
Anniversary to
Joan Izen &
Joel Schwelling**

August, 2015

Manchester Community Theatre Players

Presents

PETER PAN

AUDITIONS

Sunday, August 23, 1 - 4 PM

Monday, August 24, 6 - 8 PM

Wednesday, August 26, 6 - 8 PM for callbacks if needed

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152 Prospect Street

Manchester, NH

**(across the street from the MCTP Theatre)
at 698 Beech Street**

(see www.mctp.info for more information)

Birthday Blessings

At FAMILY SERVICE (usually the first Friday of each month) children under the age of Bar or Bat Mitzvah are called to the Torah for birthday blessings. A community pot-luck supper follows.

September's Family Service is 6 PM
Sept. 4—with pot-luck supper.

See you on Shabbat.



September Anniversaries

Rebecca Snider & Jack Beard
Anna & Jake Berry
Jane & Stephen Bogursky
Karen & James Fenster
Darlene & Steven Friedman
Ellen & Samuel Gold
Loretta & Ernest Greenberg
Babs & Jonathan Levenstein
April & Andrew Starin
Ana & Mitchell Utell



*Happy 50th Anniversary to
Arthur & Linda Starr
August 15, 2015*

See LETTER from Rabbi Starr and pictures on page 13.

AUGUST MAZEL TOV TO...

Rabbi Michael Schadick of Grand Rapids, MI, who walked to commemorate the 50th Anniversary of the Voting Rights Act with fellow rabbis and members of the NAACP in Athena, GA. The walk began 8-1-15 in Selma and will end on 9-25 in Washington, DC. Rabbi Schadick is the son of TAY member Brenda Schadick of Manchester.

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Women of Faith and Strength: Then and Now

Tuesday, September 29 at 6:30 p.m.

*Registration begins at 6:00 and program begins at 6:30 with
an opportunity to see this historically-significant church:*

*St. Joseph's Cathedral, 145 Lowell Street,
Manchester 03104*

Our Presenters:

(groundbreakers in their own right)

*Barbara Miles, Archivist for the Diocese
will tell us about 4 important Catholic women leaders of the past*

*Diane Quinlan, Chancellor for the Diocese
will speak of influential women of courage today*

Join us for refreshments and conversation after the program.

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TEMPLE ADATH YESHURUN

Starrs Cruise the World for 50th Anniversary Rabbi Arthur Starr—Rabbi Emeritus—Writes Letter to Congregation



Linda and Arthur Starr on their Wedding Day, fifty years ago on August 15, 1965.

My dear friends,
How many times did I begin an article or a sermon to you with those words over the thirty-one years I was privileged to be your rabbi in Manchester. Where have the years gone? I arrived in Manchester in 1971, at the young age of 29 years old. I retired in 2002. Let me fill you in on what we have done since then.

We went to St. Thomas, U.S. Virgin Islands, in 2002 to be the rabbi of the historic St. Thomas Synagogue. It is a small, but very active congregation and I was the rabbi there for a little more than six years. When I retired, Linda and I began going on cruises as the rabbi-on-board, and we found that we loved it. We did a few two-week cruises for Chanukah and Passover, a thirty-day cruise for the High Holydays around Australia.

I was then asked to take an eight-week cruise to the Mediterranean which we did for three years; also one around South America and Antarctica, and to the South Pacific and Asia.

This year we were thrilled to be invited to take a four month cruise around the world. It was a perfect start to our 50th anniversary celebration!

Two years ago we moved from St Thomas to Florida, so our kids would have an easier time coming to us. We spend the summers in the Berkshires of Massachusetts, and they all visit us here.

Our three daughters, all of whom grew up and were married at TAY, have beautiful families and are very involved in their own Jewish communities. We visit them during the year in Pennsylvania and North Carolina. Our six grandchildren are growing up. Our

Below, Arthur and Linda Starr aboard ship on their 50th Anniversary World Cruise.



Rabbi Arthur Starr on the TAY bimah in 1971. He was 29 years old.

oldest granddaughter celebrated her Bat Mitzvah two years ago and our oldest grandson will become Bar Mitzvah in October.

We have also led seven missions to Cuba over the last ten years to aid the Jewish community there. It has been a very fulfilling mitzvah. We are hopeful about the new relationship that has begun between the US and Cuba.

We feel we have been blessed with good health and great opportunities and are grateful for all we have, including the wonderful years we spent in Manchester. We have stayed in touch with many of you over the last thirteen years, which has helped keep alive those precious memories.

With all good wishes for the new year to you and those you love,

B'shalom,

~Rabbi Arthur and Linda Starr

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PREVIEW of High Holy Day SERVICES

Sept. 11	HH warm up with Cantor Lori	
Sept. 12	Selichot (combined)	8 PM at TAY
Sept. 13	Erev Rosh HaShannah	8 PM service
Sept. 14	Rosh HaShannah	10 AM service Tashlich
Sept. 15	Rosh HaShannah	10 AM service (New Horizons)
Sept. 18	Shabbat Shuvah	7 PM service
Sept. 22	Kol Nidre	8 PM service
Sept. 23	Yom Kippur	10 AM services begin
Sept. 27	Erev Sukkot	5 PM Pizza in the Hut, 6 PM/Family Service
Oct. 2	Shabbat of Sukkot	5 PM Dinner in the Sukkah, 6 PM/Family Service
Oct. 4	Simchat Torah	6 PM Consecration and Family Service
Oct 5	Yiskor	6 PM Service

Religious Response for Hunger 5776

by Judith Jolton
Chair of Religious Response for Hunger

August 18, 2015. This is the year Temple Adath Yeshurun and Temple Israel hope to pour our hearts out for the Religious Response for Hunger.

When was the last time you said "I am hungry," and you had nowhere to go to get food? Many people go to bed hungry and wake up the next day hungry, wondering where they will get something to eat. How do we feel when we pass someone holding a sign that says "feed me"? Our actions can help make a difference for those people.

The New Horizons Soup Kitchen counts on us every year during the High Holy Days—along with churches in the Greater Manchester area—to collect non-perishable food staples to help restock the shelves at the Soup Kitchen. In addition to providing meals, the organization distributes food to the needy.

For over 35 years Temple Adath Yeshurun has made the commitment to make this collection drive of non-perishable food item a tremendous success. **Our generosity comes at a time when the Soup Kitchen is preparing to meet the cold weather needs of the many hungry people who depend on this aid.**

MANTY will distribute plastic bags after Rosh HaShannah services September 14 and 15 to take home to fill with the equivalent food you might have eaten during your Yom Kippur fast. Then add a little more so we surpass all other past years.

This year a new step has been added to help increase the amount of food for the Soup Kitchen. Rabbi Beth Davidson, Charlie Sherman from New Horizons, Mayor Ted Gatsas, and Judith Jolton have been **working to insure that we designate September as "Hunger Action Month."** Many businesses have been contacted and are more than willing to place large boxes in their places of business for food to be collected.



Adult Ed News: "Thoreau's Sukkah"

Please join us on **Saturday, October 3, at 10 AM**, for a special Torah Study and Sukkot experience entitled "Thoreau's Sukkah." We will be studying Mishnah and Walden texts. Please watch your email updates for more info.

New Horizons Wish List

**Tuna
Peanut Butter
Jelly
Baked Beans
Mac and Cheese
Canned goods
Tomato Sauce
Pasta
Diapers (larger sizes)
Baby formula**

Thank you!

The New Horizons van will be on Elm Street in front of City Hall on September 16, 17, and 18 from 11 AM to 2 PM to encourage workers in downtown Manchester to donate to Hunger Action Month.

Please speak to your neighbors and friends to help raise awareness of Hunger Action Month and the need in our city. Fill those bags and place them by your door to return to the Temple. **Your actions will help repair the world.**
Tikkun olam.



Elul/Tishrei 5776

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DATES & TIMES : MARK YOUR CALENDAR



AUGUST

Thursday, August 20

Seniors Forever Young lunch & movie
11:30 AM

FRIDAY, August 21

Shabbat Service 7 PM

SATURDAY, August 22

Torah Study 10 AM

FRIDAY, August 28

Shabbat Service 7 PM

SATURDAY, August 29

Torah Study 10 AM

SEPTEMBER

Tuesday, Sept. 1

Sisterhood Meeting 6 PM

Brotherhood Opening Day BBQ

FRIDAY, Sept. 4

Shabbat Family Shabbat 6 PM

Followed by Pot-luck supper 7 PM

SATURDAY, Sept. 5

No Torah Study

Monday, Sept. 7

LABOR DAY-OFFICE CLOSED

Tuesday, Sept. 8

Religious School, FIRST DAY

3:45 PM—5:45 PM

Wednesday, Sept. 9

OFFICE CLOSED

FRIDAY, Sept. 11

Shabbat service 7 PM

SATURDAY, Sept. 12

Torah Study 10 AM

Selichot Service at TAY 8 PM

Sunday, Sept. 13

Religious School

Erev Rosh HaShannah 8 PM

*(Editor's Note: For High Holyday
Service listings, see page 18 or check
your mailing flyer.)*

Monday, Sept. 14

Rosh HaShannah 1 ~ 5776

Tuesday Sept. 15

Rosh HaShannah 2 ~ 5776

New Horizons Food Delivery, afternoon

Wednesday, Sept. 16

OFFICE CLOSED

Thursday, Sept. 17

TAY Board Meeting 7 PM

FRIDAY, Sept. 18

Shabbat Service 7 PM

SATURDAY, Sept. 19

Shabbat Shuva

Torah Study 10 AM

Sunday, Sept. 20

Religious School 10 AM—Noon

Tuesday, Sept. 22

Erev Yom Kippur ~ Kol Nidre 8 PM

Wednesday, Sept 23

Yom Kippur

FRIDAY, Sept. 25

Shabbat Service 7 PM

SATURDAY, Sept. 26

Torah Study 10 AM

Sunday, Sept. 27

Religious School 10 AM—Noon

Robert Stahl—unveiling 1:30 PM

Sukkah Building & decorating

Pizza in the HUT 5 PM

Sukkot Service 6 PM

Monday, Sept. 28

OFFICE CLOSED—Sukkot

Tuesday, Sept. 29

Religious School 3:45 PM—5:45 PM

Wednesday, Sept 30

OFFICE CLOSED

OCTOBER

FRIDAY, Oct. 2

Family Shabbat Service 6 PM, fol-
lowed by potluck supper

SATURDAY, Oct. 3

Torah Study 10 AM

Sunday, Oct. 4

MANTY Leadership Institute

Simchat Torah and Consecration Service
At 6 PM

Monday, Oct. 5

Yizkor Service 10 AM

OFFICE CLOSED

Tuesday, Oct. 6

Religious School 3:45—5:45 PM

Brotherhood Meeting 7 PM

FRIDAY, Oct. 9

Shabbat Service 7 PM

November Memorial Planned for TAY Member Nannine Dubinsky

Nannine Dubinsky, a long-time mem-
ber of Temple Adath Yeshurun, passed
away on July 3, 2015, in Boca Raton,
Florida.

Nannine's ashes will be laid to rest
with Irving's in a Memorial Service at
the Manchester Hebrew Cemetery,
South Beech Street, in Manchester.
The TAY community is invited to join
the family members on **Friday,
Nov. 27, at 11 AM**, (the day after
Thanksgiving) to reminisce about
Nannine and visit with family.

SATURDAY, Oct. 10

Torah Study 10 AM

Sunday, Oct. 11

NO Religious School

Monday, Oct. 12

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