

# the SHOEFAR



TEMPLE BET YAM

July 2022

Tammuz/Av 5782

## *"Toda Rabah" Thank you very much*

I would like to thank all of you for a wonderful year at Temple Bet Yam! Together, we have celebrated all the Jewish Holidays: Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur, Sukkot, Simchat Torah, Chanukah, Tu Bishvat, Purim, Pesach Seder, Yom Hatzmaut, and Shavuot. Each Shabbat that I spent in Saint Augustine was outstanding.

I enjoyed visiting your homes and having dinner or lunch with lots of you. TBY honored my son, Ezekiel, who became Bar Mitzvah this year and together we celebrated the B'nai Mitzvah of Alex and Zack Black. Joe Marx inspired all of us to remember our commitment for Tikun Olam.

We enjoyed Religious School, our children benefited from Terry Cohen's leadership and our other teachers, and we celebrated outdoors with the children and families. We installed a new Sefer Torah donated by Phyllis and Maury Keiser. Each Shabbat and each Holiday our congregational choir and accompanists brought a wonderful spirit to religious services. All of us appreciate being able to return to TBY after a long period in which we only gathered virtually. Let's thank God each day of our lives for the possibility and opportunity to be alive!

"Baruch Ata Adonay Sheechianu Ve Kiimanu Ve Higuianu La zeman Ha Zeh." Blessed are you Adonai, our God, who gives us the possibility to be alive." My deepest gratitude to the entire TBY community for letting me be your Rabbi! I really appreciate the leadership of Jane, Teresa, Terre, Bobbi, and Emily. Thanks to Jen Sherman for preparing our monthly newsletter.



I wish all of you a wonderful summer! Let us use this time to rest, read, relax and reflect on our lives!

With many blessings,

Rabbi Claudio J. Kogan, MD, MBE, MEd

# THE SHOFAR

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# Let's Celebrate!

## July Anniversaries

July 4th, Cynthia & David Weiss  
14th anniversary



## July Birthdays

July 1st, Sean Banat ~ 14th birthday

July 3rd, Cherie Hamilton

July 4th, Debra Morris

July 4th, Jackie Witte

July 10th, Gary Bernstein

July 12th, Leon Feirman

July 14th, Barbara Stafford

July 16th, Andi Marx

July 17th, Elaine Stecker

July 19th, Donna Palevsky

July 23rd, Isabel Sherman

July 24th, Ron Banat

July 26th, Elliott Palevsky

July 27th, Joel Rosenfield

July 29th, Karen Selig

July 30th, Renee Speisman

## *In Memoriam*

**July 2nd, Tula Marks**

Father-in-law of Bob Beskind

**July 3rd, Nathan Broudy**

Brother of Martin Broudy

**July 3rd, Cynthia Sorkin**

Mother of Bob Sorkin

**July 5th, Berdye Berman**

Mother of Maxine Kronick

**July 6th, Annette Polish**

Mother of Tracey Gueits

**July 8th, Hannah Chaves**

Grandmother of Ellen Miller

**July 8th, Samuel Kornstein**

Mother of Patty Savage

**July 8th, Naomi Levy**

Mother of Bernie Levy

**July 8th, David Simon**

Son of Bruce Simon

**July 9th, Annette Cooper**

Aunt of Andrea Marx

**July 11th, Miriam Broudy**

Mother of Joan Broudy-Harris

**July 12th, Paul Seiden**

Brother of Henry Seiden

**July 12th, Pauline Tenenbaum**

Grandmother of Barbara Stafford

**July 13th, Norman Diamond**

Father of Pamela Diamond

**July 14th, Pauline Petziner**

Grandmother of Terre Wallach & Barbara Carman

**July 14th, Rose Speisman**

Mother of Michael Speisman

**July 15th, Sidney Beskind**

Father of Bob Beskind

**July 15th, Sanford Rudnick**

Brother-in-law of Shirley Rudnick

**July 16th, Joe Cruise**

Second Husband of Bernice Cruise

**July 17th, Peg Robinson Hale**

Aunt of Bev Darkatsh

**July 17th, Benita Sirkin**

Wife of Arthur Sirkin

**July 18th, Esther Cohen**

Grandmother of Marcia Rector

**July 18th, Harry Patchefsky**

Father of Phyllis Feirman

**July 18th, J. Aldus Rinehart**

Father of Bev Darkatsh

**July 20th, Ida Rabinovitz**

Aunt of Carol Gladstone

**July 21st, Fannie Shank Rinehart**

Grandmother of Bev Darkatsh

**July 22nd, Ida Bronstein Marks**

Mother-in-law of Bob Beskind

**July 22nd, Louis Strickman**

Father of Molly Grossholz

**July 23rd, Arline L. Jedel**

Mother of Joan Guglielmo

**July 24th, Rebecca Mensh**

Mother of Myron Mensh

**July 24th, Moses Solomon Strock**

Uncle of Rabbi Fred Raskind

**July 24th, Albert Weiss**

Father-in-law of Mimi Selig

**July 25th, Pearl Lavenberg**

Aunt of Barbara Kushner

**July 25th, Elizabeth Robbins**

Mother of Carol Gladstone

**July 27th, Adel Letaw Beskind**

Mother of Bob Beskind

**July 28th, Judy Seiden**

Sister-in-law of Henry Seiden

**July 30th, Chris Witte**

Father of Jennifer Love

**July 31st, Jim Hamilton**

Husband of Cherie Hamilton

**July 31st, Delores Lustig**

Sister-in-law of Marcia Rector

**July 31st, Max Pearce**

Father of Sue Kinkela

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Barbara Carman - In honor of the Keiser Family for their gift of our new Torah

Terre Wallach - In honor of Phyllis & Maury Keiser for their generous gift of our new Torah

### **Mitzvah Fund**

Sara Berman for Dining with Dignity

## **Upcoming Events for July. Mark your calendar!**

Board Meeting

Tuesday, July 5th, 7:00 - 8:00pm

Men's Club

Wednesday, July 13th, 6:00 - 9:00pm

Shabbat Service Lay Led by Men's Club

Friday, July 15th, 7:30 - 9:30pm

Dining with Dignity

Monday, July 18th, 10:00am - 11:00am

Food donations at TBY

5:15pm St. Paul AME Church on MLK Ave

Executive Committee Meeting

Tuesday, July 26th, 5:30 - 6:30pm



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