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## *Rabbi's Message by Rabbi Beth H. Klafter*

As the American Jewish community is on the “Journey to 50 Years of Women in the Rabbinate,” I will be sharing snippets of our history, our heroes and accomplishments.

As we began the cycle of Torah readings for the year 5782, I shared the story of Rabbi Regina Jonas during Shabbat Services. I spoke about her on Shabbat Bereshit, the Sabbath when we read the first chapters of the book of Genesis as this is considered to be her yartzeit. Her biography and much more about Jewish women can be found on the website of the Jewish Women’s Archives (JWA) at <https://jwa.org>.

While we look towards the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the ordination of Rabbi Sally J. Priesand, 2022 will mark a centennial anniversary, too. In that year, the Central Conference of American Rabbis (CCAR), the organization of all Reform rabbis, took up the question of the ordination of women. After what is reported as a lively debate, ultimately, the CCAR declared that “women cannot justly be denied the privilege of ordination.” Though the Reform rabbis voted this way, the board of the Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion, the Reform seminary which Cantor Halpern and I attended, voted against it. The JWA website reports about this historic vote. Of course, it took another 50 years for that resolution to actually enable a woman to be ordained.

During this month and next, I will be teaching a four-part series, “*Scouts, Trailblazers, Pathfinders, Explorers: A History of Women Rabbis*,” on the TBD Zoom. Feel free to join me for one session or any number which are convenient for you.

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This curriculum is a project of the Women’s Rabbinic Network; it was created by Rabbi Lisa Levenberg and is being taught by rabbis and educators in many congregations during this year. Watch for more information about Panel Discussions of women rabbis on Zoom and a speaker series, also sponsored by the Women’s Rabbinic Network, in the months leading up to June.

I am grateful to the women and the men who paved the way for me to enter the rabbinate. And I look forward to continuing to include all of you, my temple family, along the Journey to 50!

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Classes will meet Sunday mornings throughout the school year, 9:30-10:30am, with our esteemed early childhood educator. All families with young children are also invited to join us for TBD Holiday Events.



**TBD'S TOGETHER WITH TOTS SERIES:**

**November 7, January 9, February 6 and April 3**

**TBD HOLIDAY EVENTS:**

**December 5, March 13, May 15**

*Fees: Members \$100/Child; Non-Members \$125/Child*

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## Clergy Reflections by Rabbi Audrey Halpern



*Dear Friends,*

In last month's article I shared my personal story of stress with you. It is one many of you have responded to by sharing your own tales of moving, downsizing, retiring, or reframing your lives in one way or another. I must tell you, I have enjoyed hearing the stories you've told me and it has not only validated my own feelings, but it has made me feel less like there is something unnatural about my own reaction to this somewhat traumatic time in our lives.

A friend of mine is celebrating a big birthday this month and she happens to live in the community we now live in. She invited me to join a group of six women to go for a couple of nights to a spa. She even arranged it around my temple schedule so that I needn't miss anything critical and so, with some trepidation and some high expectations, we all took off for Lenox, Mass. We were planning to eat well, share the war stories of our lives, but most of all, we were going to be swaddled, rubbed and scrubbed until our troubles faded away.

I was sharing a room with a friend I have been close to since seventh grade and my other close friend on the trip was in my kindergarten and first grade class. We were at each other's Bat Mitzvahs and we are part of the three musketeers who meet every weekend at 8 a.m. for coffee. We share everything and support each other with listening, love and truthfulness. It is a sisterhood that I know I am very blessed to have in my life – we all know it. The day before the trip, my roommate and I wrote a song for our friend – a parody to the tune of Mame but with her name instead. We laughed and cried as we sang it and the rest of the group joined in spontaneously on the chorus!

Though the spa was overpriced and underwhelming, in many ways the trip was a memory that taught me lessons I will always take with me. The relationships in our lives are like so many things – our homes, our jobs, our families and ourselves. Nothing is perfect, but it is ours. It is like that with the temple too. I came home realizing that while there are things I will always work on improving about what I do and how I do it, our temple is very much a part of the fabric of our lives. It isn't perfect, but it is like a home.

On the last morning of our trip we did a floating meditation. We were wrapped in silks that were like cocoons. We laid back suspended and the suggestion was to soften our minds. My mind went to Temple Beth David – our challenges and our members who have been so devoted and so generous with their time, their financial support and their loyalty to us – your clergy. The awareness of these blessings came to the center of my thoughts and I breathed in deeply as I felt the true sense of gratitude for all of you.

In this month when we will celebrate Thanksgiving, I am especially grateful for this temple and for the many friends here that I hold dear. May all of us enjoy the bounty of the earth, the love that comes with sharing that bounty, and good health and strength.

B'shalom,

*Rabbi/Cantor Audrey Halpern*  
Rabbi/Cantor Audrey Halpern

**November  
B'nai Mitzvah**



**November 6**

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## Message from President Craig Cooper

**B**efore I dig into this month's column, I wanted to personally thank every temple member (and non-member) who has contributed to this year's Kol Nidre appeal. If you haven't done so yet, please consider making a donation today. We're very close to this year's goal, and with a few final acts of generosity, we can get there! You can mail a check or visit [TBDCommack.org](http://TBDCommack.org) for the link to make an online donation.

I find that my Hakol articles focus a lot on time. And COVID, of course. And the combination of COVID and time has been a theme we can watch on the news and read about almost anywhere – how COVID has dragged on so long, how it's robbed us of so much of our lives. In a weird way, COVID has become a way to measure time. Things are discussed as before, during or after COVID.

But I have something entirely different that measures time, and it's becoming more and more annoying. How many of you have one of those plastic, daily pill boxes? My first one had seven little compartments marked for one dose a day. A couple of things have happened over the past few years. First, I reached the point where the little compartments wouldn't hold all my pills. Then, I needed to upgrade to the pill box that had two rows of compartments – AM and PM.

That's not the annoying thing. I get it. I'm getting older, and I have the eating habits of a trick-or-treater who just dragged his bag of candy into a steak house, then waddled over to Baskin Robbins for dessert. Fortunately, there are certain medications that conveniently cancel out every negative effect of mini-Baby Ruth bars, home-made snickerdoodles (better than BW's by the way) Sweetarts (thank you, RK,) red meat and cookie dough ice cream.

What is annoying is how quickly I need to refill the pill box. Every single week, I empty the last of fourteen compartments and think to myself, "I just filled the whole thing a couple of days ago!" Can I get an amen?

We all have those things in our lives that measure the passage of time – birthdays, weddings, kids starting a new grade of school, the beginning of another season of Grey's Anatomy (which jumped the shark years ago.)

If you ever want to appreciate how different people have reflected on time, do a Google search for "Quotes about time passing." There you will find:

*"Time moves slowly, but passes quickly."* – Alice Walker

*"Time flies over us, but leaves its shadow behind."* – Nathaniel Hawthorne

And here's a good one: *"The future is something which everyone reaches at the rate of sixty minutes an hour, whatever he does, whoever he is."* – C.S. Lewis

But tying time to a message about our temple community gets a little tricky. Our congregation has been around since 1961 (somehow TBD's 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary is about to pass without the appropriate fanfare.) Our Hauppauge Road building was built in two phases, first opening in 1971, then expanded to complete our current sanctuary in 1985. Just like every one of us, the building is aging. In some places it's happening gracefully – like a fine wine. Our beautiful sanctuary has been a familiar, comforting space for three generations. Maybe the South-western-80s-chic-orangey-fleshy-peachy paint could be updated with something a little more contemporary, but structurally, it's in incredibly good shape.

In other places, there are things we need to address, which should be expected for a building going on 40 years old. One of those things is our HVAC (air conditioning) system, which has served us so well that people's biggest regret is forgetting to bring a sweater for High Holiday services. Even with annual preventive maintenance, we're going to need to replace some costly components, probably sooner vs later.

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*Scouts, Trailblazers,  
Pathfinders, Explorers:  
A History of Women Rabbis*

A Four-Session Adult Education Series on Zoom  
Taught by Rabbi Klafter

**TBD Zoom for the New Year**  
**TBD Zoom for the New Year**  
**Meeting ID: 833 2788 9752**  
**Passcode: 5782100**

2022 marks the 50th anniversary of the ordination of Sally J. Priesand, the first woman publicly ordained as a rabbi. Yet, her groundbreaking ordination, which opened the door for subsequent generations of women, was preceded by the impactful lives of other, lesser-known female scholars and community leaders.

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Come to one or as many sessions as you like!

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for the Women’s Rabbinic Network  
in Honor of the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Women in the Rabbinate





## Margie Gursky Religious School News

As I write this, we have had only two weeks of classes, but in that short time, we celebrated and welcomed over 30 new students (from last year and this year) at our Simhat Torah New Student Consecration. Some families came in-person while others Zoomed with us. All of our new students were blessed by Rabbi Klafter and Cantor Halpern and have received a certificate and a mini Torah gift.

By the time you read this, we will have finished a month of Religious School classes and conducted Mitzvah Day where Religious School families made cards for Gurwin residents as well as for U.S. soldiers, dog toys for Little Shelter, bags of fun for children in need, loomed hats for the Dolan Center, and collected food at a local supermarket.

Our start to school has been a little different as we repurposed the large nursery school classrooms and Youth Lounge into Religious School classrooms to create appropriate social distancing. We also have been eating snacks outside, which we will continue to do as long as the weather allows. And, of course everyone is masked. Although school looks different, the learning is the same. Mrs. Gilbert taught the K/1 students about Simhat Torah and marched around the school. Ms. Pomeranz and Ms. Chaikin showed the movie, *The Wave*, and had a meaningful conversation with the seventh grade. Meanwhile, Ms. Hertel is teaching her fifth graders about the meanings of their Hebrew names and Ms. Chaikin is introducing the alef-bet to our second and third graders.

November is a very busy month for Religious School families. Our annual K-3 program will take place this month. We have scheduled a PACT program for both fourth/fifth grades as well as another for sixth grade. December 5 is the Chanukah Happening! Save the date and look out for emails, "Remind" messages and Facebook posts with details on these programs. If you haven't already, please join Remind and the Facebook group and page. We also started an Instagram account with photos of our school, so follow us there as well.

Below see photos from Ms. Gilbert's K/1 parade as well as Ms. Gilbert and Ms. Chaikin's outdoor mock Shabbat celebration.

Happy Thanksgiving!





# *Thanksgiving Food Drive*

*sponsored by Temple Beth David's Isaiah 58  
Social Action Committee*

## **NEEDS YOUR HELP**

**To provide holiday food to needy families in our community**

**Please help by DONATING one or more of the following items to the temple by  
Sunday, November 14.**

**(We cannot accept frozen turkeys or food needing refrigeration.)**

- *gravy*
- *instant potatoes*
- *instant stuffing*
- *canned vegetables*
- *desserts - cookies, cakes*
- *cranberry sauce*
- *canned fruit/applesauce*
- *bottled/canned juice*



**Please put food donations in designated boxes in the Religious School hallway. Monetary donations to the Isaiah 58 Committee to purchase food are appreciated.**

**If you would like to assist, join us to bag groceries on Sunday, November 14<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 in the Youth Lounge. For COVID safety please wear a mask and do not come if you are feeling ill.**

**For further information email Beverly Horowitz:  
beverly.horowitz@carespecialists.net, tel. (631) 427-3074.**

**T**hanksgiving is nearly here. While many of us are fortunate and look forward to safely celebrating Thanksgiving with our family and friends, many in our community are less fortunate, particularly after coping with the multiple stressors of COVID for over a year and a half. This has been a most challenging year for so many. Many people have lost loved ones, been ill, or have suffered financially due to COVID.

For over twenty years it has been my honor to be part of Temple Beth David's Isaiah 58 Social Action Committee and help organize our annual Thanksgiving Food Drives to help individuals and families in our community enjoy this holiday. Most recently we have partnered with the Suffolk County JCC to provide Thanksgiving food to individuals and families in our community. After this year's Yom Kippur food drive the generosity of members enabled us to deliver car loads of food to the JCC to help support those in need in our community. The ongoing generosity of Temple Beth David members has assisted many families each Thanksgiving. Please donate Thanksgiving canned goods and packaged foods before noon on Sunday, November 14. We will have designated bins in the rear of the Temple and will hold our annual Thanksgiving Food Drive on Sunday, November 14 at 12:00 in the Youth Lounge. Supermarket food coupons for turkeys and supermarket gift cards are also greatly appreciated. For COVID safety please wear a mask when entering the Temple.

Please share this information with your Temple Beth David friends and others in our community. While we are now focusing on our annual Thanksgiving Food Drive, food insecurity is a problem throughout the year for many in our community. The Isaiah 58 Social Action Committee asks for food donations and accepts monetary donations throughout the year to enable us to supply food to local food pantries including the food pantry at the Suffolk JCC. This has been a difficult year for so many, and we want to help our neighbors enjoy Thanksgiving. Thank you. Please be generous in your contributions.

Beverly Horowitz  
Isaiah Social Action Committee

## *Chai Club*

**T**he Chai Club had a lovely get together at a diner lunch in September. Members are delighted to socialize once again, so another lunch is being planned for the near future. For information about joining, contact Sheila Eisinger at [seising2@gmail.com](mailto:seising2@gmail.com).



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## News from Isaiah 58



The new year has begun! Our pledge remains the same: Feeding needy families and providing food to the local food pantries. At TBD, the Social Action Committee makes a monthly food contribution to our surrounding communities. Cara Millman has been food shopping and delivering to the pantries and we thank her for the selfless hours she puts in. Please let Cara know if you would like to help shop or deliver. Many thanks for the food and monetary generous donations from our congregation!

Children and adults are hungry because they cannot afford enough food all the time. We can help. Along with a grant from Long Island Cares, Isaiah 58 provides lunches for children in need. A donation of 150 sandwiches per month is customary. When many helping hands show up to make PB&J sandwiches, we can help so many! Thanks to the leadership of Caryn Cantley, PB&J should be underway soon. At TBD, making sure health protocols are followed to keep everyone safe is a major concern. As soon as we can begin to safely make sandwiches, dates and times will be announced. In the meantime, we welcome donations of peanut butter, jelly, sandwich baggies and gloves.

We collect canned food, dried goods and baby items to deliver to the pantries. This season, this day, please make a food donation of canned goods, shelf stable products, personal care items like toothpaste and shampoo or babies' needs such as diapers and baby food. Help us donate 1,000 pounds of food and needed items! If you prefer, make a monetary donation to Isaiah 58 and we will do the shopping for you. Make a new habit that every time you come to our temple, you will add a donation to our big gray bin by the religious office.

As we approach Thanksgiving, we focus on gratitude and blessings of abundance. Please donate generously to our food collection. Beverly Horowitz leads our Thanksgiving Food Drive and we partner with the JCC. Every little bit helps! Look for the flyer to see which foods are requested. If you care to deliver food, please let Beverly know and we will make arrangements for you.

Be well, stay safe! Enjoy the fall season!

### Peanut Butter & Jelly Project



—Jane Oberwager Gaines  
Isaiah 58 Chair

### THE HUNGRY NEED OUR HELP EVERYDAY!

Please try to bring a non-perishable item with you when you come to Temple and place it in our food bin located in the lobby. We periodically empty the bin and bring these items to the food banks in Suffolk County to be distributed to the people who so desperately need them.



## Chicken Soup

Soup of memory  
sensory and strengthening



Beginning with the chicken  
Kosher—steeps us in tradition  
Then veggies with a vengeance  
turnips and parsnips  
celery, onions, carrots and leek  
would be incomplete  
without parsley and dill  
to instill  
that distinctive flavor we savor...

Yes, the preparation  
demands dedication  
dutiful daughter, grandma,  
grandchild, hubby—help  
shopping, peeling,  
chopping, dealing  
with dirty pots, pans, bowls...  
*boil boil boil*

Nurtured along  
fine-tuning our song  
we attend the dance of the  
Matzoh Ball  
floating, we hope  
to rhythms—its own  
aroma, taste  
soft and sensitive...

--Sandy Wicker



.....what you're doing and join our lay led group.

### Haftorah Study Session

No special skills or  
Hebrew reading required.  
Mondays at 2 p.m. at TBD

### Shabbat Service and Torah Study

Saturdays at 10 a.m. at TBD

## Sisterhood



I hope that all of you enjoyed the beautiful fall weather we had in October. We had many fun events on Zoom and in person! Our TBD Sisterhood's Breast Cancer walk was a great success! The weather was perfect, and Sisterhood was able to participate walking and raising money for such an important cause. Thanks go to Marcia Karter for organizing the walk!

Sisterhood Cultural Arts also hosted a Fun Night of Macrame with master of crafts, Amy Tischler. In December, Amy Tischler will come back and walk us step-by-step through the art of hand knitting a warm, soft, chunky blanket. Keep an eye out in the Whole Megillah for details.

A big thank you goes out to Debbie Friedman for arranging our first Sisterhood Zoom Guided Meditation event. This program was perfect for aiding us in reducing stress and relaxing. A shout out to Holly Dornfeld and Toni Spring for moderating on Zoom October's book club discussion, *Apples Never Fall*, by Liane Moriarity. Our Sisterhood book discussions are always thought-provoking, engaging, and fun! We will continue our monthly book club discussions on Zoom.

If anyone has any ideas for upcoming events, please contact me at 631-988-5486 or email me at [Kbrandsdorfer@yahoo.com](mailto:Kbrandsdorfer@yahoo.com).

--Karin Brandsdorfer  
President



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The second issue has come as a complete surprise – the gradual, undetected sinking of a small part of the breezeway that leads to the Social Hall and sanctuary. We know there has been some wood damage which has been progressing for quite some time, and we've taken recommended steps to shore up the area until repairs can be done. We are in the process of getting structural recommendations and estimates for the breezeway work, and will be talking to a few HVAC contractors about the most cost-effective, but durable updates we should do to our air conditioning system. Neither will be inexpensive, but those repairs, and others, are part of caring for any building – especially one of TBD's vintage.

So, as I get ready to refill the pill box for another week's worth of "getting older" potions, I'm glad there are doctors to help me fight the battles of Oreo vs Butterfinger and Frankfurter vs Filet Mignon.

And I hope you take comfort in knowing that as time passes in our congregational community, there are good people looking out for our temple building – our spiritual home, as it's often referred to. We will keep you updated on these projects and thank you in advance for your understanding and support.

We are approaching a special time in our family and congregational lives – Thanksgiving and Hanukkah are just a few weeks away. Tammy's and my wish for every member of Temple Beth David is that this will be a time of happiness and reflection, a blend of family and Jewish traditions warmed by togetherness, and illuminated by the lights of your *menorah*.

—Craig Cooper,  
President



## *Spotlight on Brotherhood*

At 90 years of age, William Shatner traveled to the edge of space and back. Who better to launch us all into what we hope will be a wonderful New Year in this 'New Normal' era than the man known to millions of fans as James Tiberius Kirk, Captain of the starship Enterprise? The day after his adventure Shatner was interviewed on "The Tonight Show". He gave us all a message.... *"The message is...we all need a wake-up call every so often in our lives where*

*your life is threatened by something. You may have a near accident or somebody you love has died, and all of a sudden you look at your life and say, 'Wait a minute, what's important here?'"*

Even though it is 50 years post the original Star Trek series, Captain Kirk is still helping us all to 'seek out' the values and mindset we should all strive to 'engage' after such a challenging time. The Brotherhood is very proud of our community at TBD. We continue to find ways to participate with one another while adhering to the new social standards and ongoing concerns when we get together. Through the summer and into the fall we have had some terrific events including golf, bourbon night, tennis, watching the opening NFL games, playing football and of course Sukkot building & ushering at the High Holiday services. We center our planning on how we can best 'seek out' great ways to stay 'engaged' while always being here to lend a helping hand.

We have some wonderful events coming up over the next few months and hope to see many of you soon! The Brotherhood Dinner, a Financial Planning Speaker, Axe Throwing, TopGolf, Movie Night at a theatre we rent for ourselves, and the Gurwin Jewish Nursing & Rehabilitation Center Holiday Spectacular are just a few of the events we are planning. Keep an eye out for future notifications in your email and through the Whole Megillah.

Thank you again Captain Kirk for showing us you can boldly go where no man (his age) has gone before! More than ever, we need to smile, laugh and continue to learn.

Be well TBD and stay "engaged",  
Steve & Adam  
Brotherhood Co-Presidents

## Gracious Gifts from Thoughtful People

**Rabbi Klafter's**  
**Discretionary Fund**  
**The Weintraub Family**  
*In appreciation*  
**Jane & David Gaines**  
*In memory of Lenny Gaines*

**Rabbi Halpern's**  
**Discretionary Fund**  
**The Weintraub Family**  
*In appreciation*  
**Jane & David Gaines**  
*In memory of Lenny Gaines*  
**Donna & Steven Blanc**

**Choir Fund**  
**Gabey Fenster**  
*In memory of Harry Stern*

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*In memory of Tillie Reiff*

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*In memory of Abraham Pasetsky*  
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*In memory of Abe Tilkin*  
**Marilyn Tananbaum**  
*In memory of Abraham Tananbaum*  
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**Arthur Silverstein**  
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*In memory of Janice Silverstein*  
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*In memory of Dorothy Regensburg*  
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*In memory of Fannie Brudno*  
**Linda & Alan Bryan**  
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**Myra Shak**  
*In memory of Howard Faust*  
**Robin Kain**  
*In memory of Howard Faust*  
**Linda & Joel Evans**  
*In memory of Betty Evans*  
**Jodi Maisel**  
*In memory of Arnold Bornfriend*  
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## Yahrzeits November 2021



11/1	Irving Zion Theresa Berger Matilda Fuchs Anne Katz	11/10	Abraham D. Eisner Clare Frenkel Gordon Schwartz George Ball Arnold Bornfriend	11/20	Adrienne Stern
11/2	Sally Kaplan Helen Berger Sidney Henner Todd Schwartz Dorothy Regensburg Fran Wasserspring Sam Gibbs Simon Moskowitz	11/11	Jeannette Miller Berdye Spatz Bernard Grabois Miriam Troupp Janet Taft	11/21	Fay Ehrenreich Abraham Pearlstein Faye Marenus Morris Greene Abraham Tobias Joseph Elkin Emanuel Ochital
11/3	Martha Dinces Fay Kramer Selma Sibener	11/12	Steve Zakarin	11/22	Paul Eichler Mary Haberman Nathan Bender
11/4	Lena Troupp Fanny Piskorz Samuel Riefberg Monika Magid Ruth Grumet Herbert Vogel Jacob Kiperman	11/13	Corinne K. Klafter Stephen H. Riefberg Herbert Drucker	11/23	Hy Mandel
11/5	Shirley Zelevansky Daniel Fuchs Marvin Linnemann Silvia Sandler	11/14	Jack Brudno Helen Lipkin Netty Schwartz Linda Halpern	11/24	Jack Laifer Selma Bender Shirley Gibbs Zoltan Weisz
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## What's Happening at TBD — November 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 2:00 pm Haftorah Study Group  6:30 pm Hebrew High at TBE  7:00 pm Brotherhood Meeting	2 NO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	3	4	5  7:30 pm Shabbat Service with Birthday Blessings	6  10:00 am Torah Study & Service  10:00 am B'nai Mitzvah Service
7 9:30 am Together with Tots	8 2:00 pm Haftorah Study Group  6:30 pm Hebrew High at TBE	9 6:45 pm 6th Grade PACT	10	11 TEMPLE OFFICES CLOSED	12  8:00 pm Shabbat Service	13  10:00 am Torah Study & Service
14 9:30 am K-3 Family Program  11:00 am Isaiah 58  12:00 pm Thanksgiving Food Drive packaging	15 2:00 pm Haftorah Study Group  6:30 pm Hebrew High at TBE  7:30 pm Budget & Finance Mtg.	16  7:30 pm Sisterhood Meeting	17  6:45 pm 4th/5th Grade PACT  7:00 pm Brotherhood Meeting	18	19  8:00 pm Shabbat Service	20  10:00 am Torah Study & Service
21  7:00 pm Interfaith Thanksgiv- ing Service on Zoom	22 2:00 pm Haftorah Study Group  6:30 pm Hebrew High at TBD  7:00 pm Executive Board  8:00 pm TBD Board Meeting	23 7:00 pm History of Women Rabbis	24  NO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	25  TEMPLE OFFICES CLOSED	26  TEMPLE OFFICES CLOSED  8:00 pm Shabbat Service with Anniversary Blessings	27 10:00 am Torah Study & Service
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*Worship Schedule*

Friday, November 5  
*Shabbat Toldot*  
 7:30 pm Shabbat Service with Birthday Blessings

Saturday, November 6  
 10:00 am Torah Study and Service  
 10:00 am Celebrate with us as Loren Rosenthal and  
 Alexa Walsh become B'not Mitzvah

Friday, November 12  
*Shabbat Vayetzei*  
 8:00 pm Shabbat Service

Saturday, November 13  
 10:00 am Torah Study and Service

Friday, November 19  
*Shabbat Vayishlach*  
 8:00 pm Shabbat Service

Saturday, November 20  
 10:00 am Torah Study and Service

Friday, November 26  
*Shabbat Veyeshev*  
 8:00 pm Shabbat Service with Anniversary Blessings

Saturday, November 27  
 10:00 am Torah Study with Service

Friday, December 3  
*Shabbat Miketz*  
 7:30 pm Shabbat Service with Birthday Blessings

Saturday, December 4  
 10:00 am Torah Study with Service

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