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Share our past Shape our future

January 2021

Tevet - Shevat 5781

Jacobs Camp Connection

We're on the road to welcome home and you won't want to miss out on an amazing summer experience at Jacobs Camp in 2021! Register now at www.jacobs-camp.org/register! For those potential campers (grades 1 – 4) wanting a sneak peak of the Jacobs Magic, try out camp early with the Jacobs Camp team on Zoom on 1/24/2021 at 1:30 PM CT. Register for this wacky and fun time at www.jacobs-camp.org/tasteofcamp! Missing Jacobs Camp? Relive the magic through our new promo video and hear from **our campers on what they can't wait for next summer!**

For questions about registration, the virtual taste of camp experience, or other general questions, please email Jacob Fijman, jfijman@urj.org

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Connect to Worship and Study Opportunities via Zoom

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8504383321>

Phone: 312 626 6799. Meeting ID: 850 438 3321

Shabbat Worship

Friday, Jan 1 at 6pm via Zoom and Facebook Live
Friday, Jan 8 at 7pm via Zoom and Facebook Live
Friday, Jan 15 at 7pm via Zoom and Facebook Live
Friday, Jan 22 at 7pm via Zoom and Facebook Live
Friday, Jan 29 at 7pm via Zoom and Facebook Live

Torah Study - Book of Kings

Saturday, Jan 2 at 9:30 am on Zoom
Saturday, Jan 16 at 9:30 am on Zoom

Two Jews 3 Opinions Discussion

Tuesdays at 11:30 am on Zoom

Torah on Tap

Tuesday, Jan 5, 5:00 pm on Zoom
Grab a favorite beverage and join us for our month exploration of hot-topic issues through the lens of **Jewish texts. Our topic will be "Who Should Get the Vaccine First?"**

Events that Shaped Judaism in the 21st Century

Thursdays Jan 28, Feb 4, and Feb 11 at 7pm on Zoom
The Jewish world has changed in significant ways since the start of the 21st century. Join Rabbi Joel in exploring the seminal moments of the century's first two decades and their influence on Jewish life around the world.

For more information please contact Rabbi Joel at rabi@templebethelofpensacola.org or 850-438-3321.



SJL Hanukkah Fun. 5th/6th Grade light candles with students in Dimona, Israel, below.



If you have a computer with access to the internet but are challenged to get into Zoom for Temple services or other programs, please contact Ray Engel at:
Email: raymondengel@cox.net
Text or phone: 8505133495

Sisterhood Message

I'll admit it, we're ecstatic that we don't live in the Northeast right now. Forget the lovely blanket of first snow that suggests a gentle winter, building snow persons and drinking warm cocoa, cuddling under a plaid blanket with fire blazing, bear skin rug, matzoh ball soup, etc. I'm talking about the two screaming feet of snow that dropped in December in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York.

Our awesome Sheryl Lowenthal Crown, appellate attorney extraordinaire, kicked off our "Lunch & Learn" series on December 15. To get your wine samples for our January 13th "Wine & Dine" beginning at 7 pm, please reach out to Cindy Pinhas (cpinhas@aol.com). Yes, it's reasonably priced at \$15per person. It is being conducted via Zoom and Cindy is distributing your wine samples the day of the event so that we are all sipping the same Syrah. I think Cindy may need a volunteer or two. Please contact her if you can help.

Do you know of a sisterhood member who needs a drive-by cheering up? Rose Kuhhirte, Elaine Storms and Pat B made a special someone smile with a drive-by car posse which included horn honking, balloons and general well wishing. If you are interested in supporting frivolity, silliness and general good cheer, drop me a note at mschuffman@gmail.com.

What a great way to celebrate the beginning of 2021!

XOXO

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Temple Beth El General Fund:

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NEW TEMPLE BETH EL BOOK CLUB

The New Temple Beth El Book Club will have its inaugural meeting at 6:30 PM on January 7, 2021. We, of course, will be meeting via ZOOM. Mary Jo Pelton will review **"Friday the Rabbi Slept Late"** a fun read from Harry Kimmelman. This book is available in paperback, Kindle, and Audible. This meeting will last 40-45 minutes. At that time we will also decide when to meet again and worthwhile books to read. If you are unable to attend please send your suggestions to Bill Zimmern: william.zimmern@gmail.com

January Birthdays and Anniversaries

Birthdays			
1st	Ryan Bradley Rosenblatt	20th	Ellie Nissim
	Aubrey Morris		Fiona Radon
3rd	Sheryl Crown	21st	Greg Rich
	Buddy Pollak	22nd	Joshua Jurnovoy
	Charlotte Zimmern		Sean Chaffee
5th	Ansley Marie Segal	23rd	Katherine Springer
	Aidan Thomas McCulley	24th	Alan Sacks
	Benni Baker	25th	Samantha Templin
	Paul Miller		Steven Curiale
6th	Faye S. Rickoff	26th	Dave Aronson
7th	Johanna Ostrich		Daniel Aronson
	Rebecca Ostrich	27th	Marah Brener
	Marny Needle		Kimberly Speer Sullivan
8th	Gavin Schwartz	30th	Belinda Bunnen
10th	Erica Friedland		Sally Schwartz
11th	Jordan Marcus		Remington Bloomer
14th	Brad Rosenblatt		
	Elaine Storms	Anniversaries	
17th	Marlene Sackheim	3rd	Connie and Alan Bookman
18th	Joshua Hochhauser	8th	Patti and Dante Kahn
	Jessica Bodkin	12th	Denise and Louis Rosenbloum
19th	Ruth Stricker	23rd	Jennifer and Jay Zimmerman
20th	Tyler Gross		
	Daniel Soloway		

SOCIAL JUSTICE TEAM EVENT

There will be a Temple community cleanup near Wahoo Stadium at Bruce Beach on Sunday, January 31 at 11 AM. We will be helping our local Ocean Hour organization who regularly conducts beach cleanups for areas around our community. They will be supplying bags for the cleanup.

We will not be having food this year because of Covid 19 so if you would like to have something to eat you will need to bring it. Masks are recommended.

This effort is being coordinated by the Temple's Social Justice Team. If you have ideas that help our community we would like to hear about them. Our next meeting will be via ZOOM on Wednesday, Jan 13 at 9 AM. All are welcome. Log in information can be found in the Temple's weekly email.

For further information on the Bruce Beach cleanup you can call Chuck Lisner at 850-380-5585

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Please note we are now using ZOOM for meetings. See connection instructions above.				1 Shabbat Service 6pm ZOOM & Facebook Live	2 Torah Study 9:30 am
3 NO SJL	4	5 Two Jews, Three Opinions 11:30am Torah on Tap 5:00 pm	6	7 Temple Book Club 6:30 pm Via Zoom	8 Shabbat Service 7pm ZOOM & Facebook Live	9
10 SJL in person 9:30	11	12 Two Jews, Three Opinions 11:30am	13 Justice Committee 9:00 am via Zoom Sisterhood Wine Tasting 7:00 pm	14	15 Shabbat Service 7pm ZOOM & Facebook Live	16 Torah Study 9:30 am
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24 SJL Remote 31 SJL in person 9:30 Community Cleanup at Bruce Beach 11 am	25	26 Two Jews, Three Opinions 11:30am	27	28 Events Shaping Judaism in 21st Century 7pm via Zoom	29 Shabbat Service 7pm ZOOM & Facebook Live	30