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Share our past Shape our future

November 2021

Chesvan - Kislev 5782

Thanksgiving Interfaith Service



Interfaith Thanksgiving Service

Sunday, November 21, 5:00 pm
Allen Chapel AME
500 N. Guillemard St.

Join with friends from Pensacola's
Historic Downtown Congregations
for our

Annual Interfaith Thanksgiving Service

The service begins at 5pm and is
followed by a dessert reception

Participating Congregations:

Allen Chapel AME
Basilica of St. Michael
Christ Episcopal Church
First Baptist Church of Pensacola
First Presbyterian Church of Pensacola
First United Methodist Church of Pensacola
Temple Beth El



Torah Study Field Trip

"Creation" Art Show
Saturday, November 6, 11:00am
Gallery 1060
1060 N. Guillemard St.

Following Torah Study on Saturday, November 6, we will visit the ongoing art show at Gallery 1060 called "Creation." The show includes an eight image series by Temple Beth El's own Chuck Lisner depicting the Days of Creation with commentary, including the thoughts of Jewish sages, for each day.

Shabbat Worship

Join Zoom Meetings at <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8504383321> or enter Meeting ID 8504383321

Shabbat Worship

Friday, November 5, 6pm Shabbat Worship & Dinner
Friday, November 12, 7pm Shabbat Worship
Friday, November 19, 7pm Shabbat Worship
Friday, November 26, 7pm Shabbat Worship

Torah Study - Journey Through Genesis

Saturdays, November 6 and November 20, 9:30am
Temple Beth El and via Zoom

Torah on Tap

Tuesday, November 2, 5:00pm
Perfect Plain Brewery, 50 E. Garden St., Pensacola

Two Jews, Three Opinions

Tuesdays, November 9 and November 23, 11:30am
Via Zoom

One Text, Two Faiths

Wednesdays, November 3 - November 17, 5:30pm
Temple Beth El and via Zoom

Torah on Tap

Tuesday, November 2, 5:00pm
Perfect Plain Brewery

Join us in the Perfect Plain Courtyard for Torah on Tap. This month our topic will be **"Do We Have An Obligation to Welcome Immigrants? Do Immigrants Have An Obligation to Assimilate?"**

Schmoozing starts at 5:00, Learning at 5:30.

For more information contact Rabbi Joel at rabbij@templebethelofpensacola.org.



One Text, Two Faiths

Continuing on Wednesdays, November 3, November 10, and November 17, 5:30pm
Temple Beth El and via Zoom.

Temple Beth El joins with our friends from Christ Episcopal Church for a unique, interfaith learning experience. Co-led by the Rev. Dr. Michael Hoffman and Rabbi Joel Fleekop, we will explore shared texts from the Hebrew Bible and the way each of our faith traditions understands and makes meaning from the text.

Newcomers Welcome!!

For more information contact Rabbi Joel at rabbij@templebethelofpensacola.org.



Mazel Tov Rabbi Joel on a Boston Marathon PR finish of 3:51:26!!!



Sisterhood

Dear Sisters,

In October we were privileged to get together in person for a luncheon that we have dreamed about for over a year. Although hastily planned and organized, we had a robust group gather for **Charles Kahn's presentation of historical Jewish Pensacola. For those of you** who joined us via Zoom, Janet and Chuck have graciously shared digital images of his artifacts that I can send to you via email. After Chuck presented, Bill Zimmern came on to describe his genealogical project **that he's working on with Bruce Pelton. It will include a thorough mapping of our cemetery.**

The unsung hero of the day, however, was Kathy Smith. I know I thoroughly enjoyed her helping me in planning and hands on food prep, organization and general joie de vivre.

After the modest success of this last in person luncheon, we will proceed with another in person luncheon this month that will also be broadcast via Zoom look forward to seeing you!

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November Events from Federation

Cafe Israel: Monday, November 15
6 PM for dinner, program at 6:30 PM
Calvert's In The Heights
Holidays Celebrated in Israel Today that
You've Never Heard Of

Chai Discussion Group:
Thursday, November 18
Temple Beth El 11:45-1:15 PM
Topic: Should Our Border Be
Better Secured?



Oneg Sponsors Needed

11/5, 11/12 and 11/26

This opportunity is available to anyone in the congregation, not just Sisterhood members. Please consider contacting Cindy Pinhas or Debbi Schlesinger if you can help. cpinhas@aol.com
Debbi.schlesinger@gmail.com



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Rabbi's Discretionary Fund:

A donation was made to the Rabbi's fund by Owen Mancarella
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In memory of Lester Yates from Lewis and Belle Bear
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In memory of Doris Jean Kahn from Lewis and Belle Bear

November Birthdays and Anniversaries

Birthdays	23rd	Matthew Shawyer
1st		Myrna Lane
2nd		Melissa Featherstone
	24th	Faye Merritt
		Joshua Retzloff
4th		Missy Hecht
5th		Micah Clark
6th	25th	Rodney Rich
7th		Dylan Erskine
10th	26th	Barrie Lamb
12th		Jeanette Pollett
	28th	Patty Kahn
13th		Alan Bookman
		Victor Shure
14th	Anniversary	
15th	4th	Janet and Capt. Fred Levin
16th		
17th		
21st		



Social Justice Committee Update

I am happy to be writing today because the doors have opened up for us to volunteer at Manna Food Pantry in a limited capacity. As most of you know, the Temple has supported and helped Manna out for many years. Our high holy day food collections are successful and very much appreciated by Manna.

Due to Covid, needless to say, so many things have changed and have not been able to occur. Manna has not been able **to do their spring collection, "Stamp Out Hunger" which is aided by the postal service for the past 2 years.** Their next **biggest collection is "Fill the Mayflower."** This takes place in the Cordova Mall parking lot and is always very successful. This event occurs the week of Thanksgiving. The following week they begin the sorting of the food that has been collected. This is where we can help them. Our social justice committee wants to have a team of 10-15 eager volunteers to help with the sorting process. This will take place on Tuesday, Nov. 30th from 9a-12p. You must be 18 years old to participate, wear close-toed shoes and wear a face mask. It is a fun time especially when working with old or new friends.

Won't you please sign up and help us out? Please contact me by email: debrbuch@icloud.com. If you need to talk just email me a note plus your phone number. More details to follow closer to the date.

Shalom,
Deborah Buchalter

Please Save the Date: Tuesday, Nov. 30th, 9a-12p.

Yahrzeits

To be read on Nov 5:

Oct 30th Harry Silverman
Martin Menko
Rosalyn Rose
Olly Alexander
Rita Orenstein
Bettie Kahn

31st B. Irvin Greenhut
Eva Gross
Dorothy Feinstein
Helen Gorman
Ralph Jaffe
Joe Khatena

Nov 1st Alexander Swett
Dr. Heather Bazzel
George Schneider

2nd Sarah Rubin
Maurice Osber

3rd Sylvia Cordone
Harold Mechancik

4th Louis J. Nathan
Ann Kahn
George Gorman

5th Rafael Levin
Maurice I. Bloch

To be read on Nov 12:

6th Myra Franc Rosenthal
Samuel Bloom
Helene Engel Tobias
Richard Dunning, Sr.
Ruth Wassermann

7th Eleanor Sameth
Bernard Savell
Cheryl Morrison
Larry Parks

8th Sandy Landa
9th Jane K. Kohlmann
Leon Kohlmann
Ralph Max Sacks
Sadie Levy Lewis
Mae Potts

10th Jenny B. Buckman
Lillian Son
Emile Sommer

To be read on Nov 12, con't:

10th Louis Bunnen
Rachel Khatena
11th Samuel Lapin
Imek Cukler
12th Lina Gallay

To be read on Nov 19:

13th William Kozloski
14th Morris Levy
Alice Greenhut
Sarah Danneman
Evelyn Goldberg
Klaudia Adam
Stanley Jay Bernstein

15th Sadie Friedman
Helen Cramer
Bill Bendt
Howard Potts
16th Bootsie Rich
Jacqueline Fleekop
Mark Steven Rosenberg
17th Jeanne Rosenberg
18th Leon Levy
Harry Lesser
Libby Yalom

19th Dolores Gelfand
Rasi Katsnelson
Jack Krumbein
Ida Siegel
Jane Starr Seligman

To be read on Nov 26:

20th Frances W. Cohen
21st Max Bear
22nd Sam Green
Ray Simon
Moses Golt, MD
Jack Klein
Juanita Couture
23rd Milton Rome
24th Josephine Carroll
Lillian Liberman
Hannah Joshua
25th Solomon Mindell

To be read on Nov 26, con't:

25th Janice Brewton
26th Paul Landau
Irving Levine
Abbie Minsk
Roger Samuel Storms
Gilbert Elzweig

To be read on Dec 3:

27th Dr. Samuel Cirola
Peisakh Alshuts
Betty Prinz Rubin
Murray A. Schwartz
Eleazer Moses Joshua
28th Hermina Ochs Silverman
Michael Eilen
29th Rachael Berlin
Ethel I. Feig
Pearl S. Rubel
Nettie Wolkind
Michael Schoen
30th Rabbi William Ackerman
Jack Perry
Bertha F. Gilbert
Max Wolff
(date unknown)

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No experience required.
Read for accuracy once per month.
Contact Janet Schilling at janetschilling54@gmail.com



Consecration Class 2021-2022

December Book Club



Rick Gordon will lead our next book club on Wednesday, Dec. 15th at 6pm. We will discuss *Immigrant Soldier*, The Story of a Ritchie Boy, by K. Lang-Slattery.

The book is the true story of a refugee from Nazi Germany. It combines a coming-of-age story with an immigrant tale and a WWII adventure. On a cold November morning in 1938, Herman watches in horror as his cousin is arrested. As a Jew, he realizes it is past time to flee Germany, a decision that catapults him from one adventure to another, his life changed forever by the gathering storm of world events.

Gradually, Herman evolves from a frustrated teenager, looking for a place to belong, to a confident US Army intelligence officer who struggles with hate and forgiveness.



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November 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 Torah on Tap Perfect Plain Brewery Garden Street 5pm	3 One Text Two Faiths TBE and via Zoom 5:30pm	4	5 Shabbat Service 6pm Covered Dish	6 Torah Study 9:30am TBE and via Zoom
7 SJL 9:30am	8	9 Two Jews, Three Opinions 11:30am Via Zoom	10 One Text Two Faiths TBE and via Zoom 5:30pm	11	12 Shabbat Service 7pm	13
14 SJL 9:30am	15 Café Israel Calvert in the Heights Program begins at 6:30pm	16	17 Sisterhood TBE and via Zoom 11:30am One Text Two Faiths TBE and via Zoom 5:30pm	18 Chai Discussion 11:45am-1:15pm TBE	19 Shabbat Service 7pm	20 Torah Study 9:30am TBE and via Zoom
21 No SJL	22	23 Two Jews, Three Opinions 11:30am Via Zoom	24	25 Thanksgiving Office Closed 	26 Office Closed Shabbat Service 7pm	27
28 No SJL  First Night of Hanukkah	29	30 Social Justice Team Volunteer Project @ Manna 9am-12pm Registration Required				

Oh Hanukkah, oh Hanukkah, come light the menorah. Light first candle on Sunday, November 28 at sunset. Happy Hanukkah!!!