FROM THE CLERGY

Connecting Over Meals and More

“Our tradition recognizes that with blessing, an act such as eating becomes transformed into the realm of the sacred.”

My rabbi, Rabbi Bennett Miller, wrote these words in an article about the blessings before and after meals, which is found in “The Sacred Table” (edited by Rabbi Mary Zamore). I draw three relevant applications from this quote: First, about blessings. Second, about who is gathered around the table. Third, about how we build relationships within a congregation.

First, our tradition teaches us to pause as we eat, potentially at every significant action in our lives. We fill those pauses with blessings, recognizing the good fortune we have to be alive and to experience the basic building blocks of life. Nothing is easier than reciting Motzi before a meal. Give it a try on Shabbat, maybe at each meal, or simply at each dinner. Few blessings are harder than Birkat Hamazon (the blessing after a meal); however, you could give that a try as well. Our campers at Union for Reform Judaism camps learn the words. Our clergy and educators could help you learn it. I will admit Motzi is easier.

Second, Judaism reminds us that it is good to share our meals with others when possible. Many are lucky enough to have family or friends with whom to regularly share meals. Others have to work a bit harder to make sure that their table is blessed not only with food, but also with company. Don’t be shy about inviting a friend or a fellow BHC member to share a meal. It doesn’t have to be a grand one, just sharing the meal can be grand.

Third, one of the deep blessings implicit in congregational life is the opportunity to befriend one another, our rabbis, cantors and others. As open as Rabbi Miller was to me as I was growing up, I sought him out while being encouraged to do so by my parents. As we are past those wonderful but hectic fall holidays, there are more peaceful moments to engage in a conversation between BHC members or with one of our clergy or staff. It is our deepest congregational goal, and hope that we will weave these relationships with one another. As congregants, I hope you understand that often you need to take the first step. Speaking for myself, and I believe for others I will be more than happy, even blessed, to respond to your desire to sit, talk, and deepen the relationship. Together, we can transform our realm towards the sacred.

– Rabbi Busch

TODAH RABBANAH

The Kiddush on October 14 was sponsored by Christine & Kevin Sidle in honor of their son Eric becoming a Bar Mitzvah.

The Kiddush on November 4 is sponsored by Barbara & Ely Hurwitz in honor of their grandson Ian Tucker becoming a Bar Mitzvah.

LIFECYCLE EVENTS

For lifecycle events and special occasions, BHC has wonderful facilities to rent, such as the Dalsheimer Auditorium, the Goodwin Center and the Straus Social Hall. INFO: Francie Gill, Facility/Event Coordinator, 410-764-1587, ext. 226.

YAHRZEIT REMINDER

To have a Yahrzeit name read, call the Temple Office or fill out a card when coming to a service. INFO: Iris Powell, 410-764-1587, ext. 224 or ipowell@baltimorehebrew.org.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The BHC Nominating Committee welcomes suggestions towards the upcoming 2018 Board of Electors. Electors must be members of the congregation in good standing. Suggestions should be made by November 30, 2017 as the Nominating Committee will be working over the coming months. Nominations can also be made directly for the elections at the Annual Meeting, but require a petition signed by five congregants and must be received by BHC’s Secretary thirty days before the May 4, 2018 Annual Meeting (per Bylaws). Suggestions or nominations should be sent to Jo Ann Windman, jwindman@baltimorehebrew.org. The Nominating Committee is composed of Chair Martha Weiman, Rebecca Green, David Kramer, Linda Litofsky, Jerry Macks, Drew Pate, Edward Perl, Jonathan Schwartz, and Donna Wasserman.

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A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT:
STEVEN SHARFSTEIN

Are Racists and Anti-Semites Mentally Ill?

Many of us responded with bewilderment and disbelief to the sight of hundreds of people marching in Charlottesville last August carrying torches and chanting “Jews will not replace us.” Who are these people, members of the Ku Klux Klan, neo-Nazis and other groups, and what makes these people think these racist and anti-Semitic thoughts and feel such hate? Are these people mentally ill, suffering from a personality disorder, or worse, a delusional psychosis? Or is there another way to try to understand this phenomenon in America in the 21st century?

Many years ago a colleague and friend of mine, Dr. Alvin Poussaint, a Professor of Psychiatry at Harvard Medical School, proposed that extreme hatred and racism was a diagnosable sickness and potentially treatable. He proposed that such individuals be diagnosed as having a specific paranoid and delusional disorder. This idea met a lot of resistance from many in my profession because the concept lacked any scientific evidence and could be seen as a way to excuse these individuals and the violent behavior that might happen as a result of extreme hate.

So the idea that extreme racism (including anti-Semitism) was a mental illness was rejected at the time, but what are we to think when we see individuals and groups express such hate today? In 2006, the American Psychiatric Association issued a statement acknowledging that racist beliefs and behavior may be an expression or a symptom of underlying psychiatric illness. Dylann Roof, the young man who held racist views and murdered nine black parishioners in a church in Charleston, South Carolina, has been diagnosed with “schizoid personality,” a variant of schizophrenia.

Of course, many if not most of us harbor some prejudices. Humans may be hard-wired in this fashion, biased against people unlike themselves. But at the extremes, what is normal versus abnormal and diagnosable? Most racists lead high-functioning lives and harbor these thoughts. My son, while researching a book he was writing on race, interviewed a member of the Ku Klux Klan who owned a successful business and was outwardly normal. During the interview he expressed virulently anti-Semitic views. When my son told him he was Jewish (after all his name is Sharfstein), this individual expressed surprise and said that he was “obviously different” from most Jews.

For decades Baltimore Hebrew Congregation, through its clergy and many members, has been in the forefront of fighting racism and anti-Semitism. BHC Justice (our Social Justice Committee) continues that tradition today, spreading religious and intergroup tolerance and understanding.

Perhaps the key issue is whether people who have these hateful views and beliefs act on them rather than just profess them. Let’s not excuse such acts as a product of a mental illness but label these acts for what they are: evil and criminal.

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BHC Faces: Our Board and Staff

Caren Pozanek
Hails from: Caren was born and raised in Baltimore as an only child. Caren and her family belonged to Beth Tikvoh, and she was raised Orthodox. Caren became a member of BHC when she met and married her husband, Keith, who had grown up and become a Bar Mitzvah at BHC. Going from an Orthodox service to Reform was quite a shock, but she loves BHC. Caren started working in retail when she was 16. When she had children, Caren stopped working to raise them. She has two children, a son who is 27 and a pharmacist and a daughter who is 24 and a teacher. Now that they are grown, Caren works for her husband, who is a pharmacist.

Board Role: This is Caren’s second year on the Board of Electors.

Time at BHC: Caren has been a member for 31 years.

Profession: Caren does the accounting for her husband's pharmacy.

Three Things to Know About Caren:
(1) Caren and her husband love to travel. They currently own four homes, which helps them get to some of their favorite places more often: Colorado in the summer and the beach are two of Caren’s favorites. Most recently, Caren and Keith went on a leaf-peeping trip around upstate New York, Vermont and Maine.
(2) In her spare time, Caren enjoys reading and walking her dog along the waterfront where she lives. She reads lighthearted books and romances. Lately she has been reading Elin Hilderbrand’s books about New England.
(3) Caren is an avid bowler. She is the president of three leagues (duckpins), and carries a 110 average.

Tyler Coburn
Hails from: Tyler grew up in Northern Virginia, where he lived until recently. He attended George Mason University for creative writing and folklore. He graduated this past spring with a Bachelor’s Degree in Fine Arts. Tyler then moved to Baltimore City to live closer to his significant other. In his free time, Tyler writes for fun but also as a groundwork for his future career. He wants to go to grad school for creative writing and become an established writer. Tyler’s studies in folklore brought him interest in his Jewish identity as well as Jewish mysticism in art and history. Tyler is reclaiming his Jewish identity, which drew him to the job here; he is always on the lookout for people to teach him more about Judaism, Hebrew and Yiddish.

Staff Role: Administrative Assistant, E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center

Time at BHC: Tyler began working at E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center at the end of July 2017.

Three Things to Know About Tyler:
(1) Tyler enjoys watching competitive sports. He fenced for 11 years, and he sees an art and appreciation as he watches. One of his favorite sports to watch is rugby.
(2) Tyler admires foreign films and arts, especially Filipino and Japanese art.
(3) Tyler writes fiction primarily. Recently he has enjoyed working on comic books and graphic novels with his significant other. She studied illustration at MICA, and graduated in spring 2017.

Stay current with all that’s happening at BHC! Send your e-mail address to postmaster@baltimorehebrew.org.
THOUGHTFUL THURSDAYS WITH SISTERHOOD
Thursdays, November 2, 9, 16 & 30, 10 AM
See page 5 for details.

PJ SHABBAT
Friday, November 3, 6:30 PM
Bring your toddlers and young children for BHC’s pajama-clad service the first Friday of every month.

FAMILY SHABBAT EDUCATION
Saturday, November 4, 3 PM
Families join to learn Torah and Jewish values in a hands on way.
INFO: Brad Cohen, Director of Education, 410-764-1587, ext. 290 or bcohen@baltimorehebrew.org.

YOUTH EDUCATION
Sundays, November 5 & 12, 9 AM
Youth Education Sundays enables students ages 3-13 to develop a foundation of Jewish life as part of an inclusive, vibrant, active community.
INFO: Brad Cohen, Director of Education, 410-764-1587, ext. 290 or bcohen@baltimorehebrew.org.

SISTERHOOD HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE
Sunday, November 5, 9 AM and Monday, November 6, 11 AM
See page 5 for details.

E.B. HIRSH EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER BOOK FAIR
Sunday, November 5, 9 AM through Sunday, November 12
See page 7 for details.

ADULT BEGINNER HEBREW CLASS
Sundays, November 5 & 12, 9:15 AM
This class is for adult BHC members with little or no Hebrew reading ability and will fulfill the beginner Hebrew requirement for the Adult Bar/Bat Mitzvah program.
INFO: Becky Gutin, bgutin@baltimorehebrew.org or 410-764-1587, ext. 250.

NEXTGEN: SOCIAL ACTION LAB
Sundays, November 5, 12, 10:30 AM
Sunday, November 19, 8 AM
See page 8 for details.

UNDERSTANDING PRAYERBOOK HEBREW CLASS
Sundays, November 5 & 12, 11:15 AM
Join Cantor Sacks’ Sunday morning course, introducing basic prayerbook Hebrew vocabulary and grammar. The class will continue through the spring. Basic decoding skills are required and this class is for BHC members only.
INFO: Becky Gutin, bgutin@baltimorehebrew.org or 410-764-1587, ext. 250.

TEEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Sunday, November 5, Noon
The Teen Advisory Committee meets once a month to engage with their peers, brainstorm new programs and ideas, and participate in leadership-building activities.

NEXTGEN: JEWISH ART AND CULTURE
Monday, November 6, 6 PM
See page 8 for details.

E.B. HIRSH EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER GRANDPARENTS AND SPECIAL FRIEND’S DAY
Friday, November 10, 9 AM
See page 7 for details.

SISTERHOOD WOMEN’S RETREAT
Friday, November 10 through Saturday, November 11
See page 9 for details.

JUNIOR YOUTH GROUP SHUL-IN
Friday, November 10, 6 PM through Saturday, November 11
See page 8 for details.

FAMILY SHABBAT AND DINNER: CAMP EDITION
Friday, November 10, 6:15 PM
See page 5 for details.

INTERFAITH DINNER
Saturday, November 11, 6 PM
See Program Highlights on page 6 for details.

NEXTGEN: FRIENDSGIVING
Saturday, November 11, 6 PM
See page 8 for details.

PEP: PURSUITG EDUCATIONAL POSSIBILITIES
Sunday, November 12, 9 AM
See page 5 for details.

BROTHERHOOD BREAKFAST
Sunday, November 12, 9:30 AM
See page 9 for details.

HOFBERGER GALLERY ARTIST’S RECEPTION
Sunday, November 12, 2 PM
See page 7 for details.

CHAI LIFE SOCIAL ACTION
Sunday, November 12, 4:30 PM
See the Chai Life column on page 7 for details.

NEXTGEN: ROSH HODESH/SHEVET ACHIM
Monday, November 13, 6 PM
Rosh Hodesh, a girls group, and Shevet Achim, a guys group, allows teens to meet once a month to consider fundamental questions of Judaism, gender, and society. RSVP required, and dinner is included.
INFO: Lauren Offermann, Assistant Director of Education, 410-764-1587, ext. 248 or loffermann@baltimorehebrew.org.

CHAI LIFE COOKING CLASS
Saturday, November 14, 6:30 PM
See the Chai Life column on page 7 for details.

NEXTGEN: ROBOTICS: EMPOWERING JEWISH INVENTIONS
Thursday, November 16, 6:30 PM
See page 8 for details.

BHC PRIDE DINNER
Friday, November 17, 7:30 PM
Join us for dinner at Mr. Chan’s, 1000 Reisterstown Road, following Shabbat Service.

STAY SHABBAT
Saturday, November 18, 11:30 AM
See page 5 for details.

FAMILY SOCIAL ACTION DAY AND TURKEY BOWL
Sunday, November 19, 9 AM
Join us for family volunteer projects from 9-11 AM and then we will gather for “Text and Turf” Flag Football.

E.B. HIRSH EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER PLAYDATE
Sunday, November 19, 10 AM
See page 7 for details.

E.B. HIRSH EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER THANKSGIVING
Thursday, November 21, Noon
See page 7 for details.
KOL ECHAD - AN INCLUSIVE SHABBAT
Six Baltimore-area synagogues and two agencies from The Associated: Jewish Community Federation of Baltimore have joined forces to launch a series of inclusive Shabbat services for school-aged children with special needs and their families. Kol Echad: An Experiential Shabbat will offer six Shabbat morning services at area synagogues during the 2017-18 school year. BHC is excited to be the first host on Saturday, November 18, 11 AM. The 45-minute sessions will include music and movement breaks and are open to students of all abilities and their families. Sensory products like a crash pad, weighted blanket and light covers are available. BHC Cares welcomes those who have attended the service to join the STAY Kiddush following Shabbat Shelanu.

A BOOK OF BEAUTY AND BLESSINGS
The BHC Cares Committee is currently creating “A Book of Beauty and Blessings,” a booklet of poetry and art that will be given to BHC congregants facing illness, bereavement and other challenges. We would love to have congregants—including children—submit original artwork to be considered for inclusion in the booklet. It could be abstract or related to Jewish themes, nature, beauty or other uplifting, universal ideas. The art will be printed on 8.5x5.5 inch (half page letter size) sheets in black and white and possibly some color. The deadline for submissions is Friday, December 1.
INFO & SUBMISSIONS: Maria Kannen, opus130@gmail.com. We look forward to receiving your artwork!

BAR/BAT MITZVAH DATES FOR 2020
Member children born in 2007, who are registered and attend our Youth Education program, are eligible to become Bar or Bat Mitzvah in 2020. We invite you and your family to the Parsha Party on Saturday, December 2, 10:30 AM. Your family will attend the Shabbat Service, then join our clergy at a Kiddush luncheon where you will learn what happens over the next three years. Your child will receive their Bar/Bat Mitzvah date. If you have not received an informational mailing, contact Becky Gutin, 410-764-1587, ext. 250 or bgutin@baltimorehebrew.org.

JOIN REFORM JEWS AT BIENNIAL
We are heading to Boston Wednesday-Sunday, December 6-10. Join Rabbi Busch and other members of the BHC community at the URJ Biennial as we network, learn, and celebrate Shabbat. The Biennial is a great opportunity to participate in the national community of Reform Judaism and to connect to other synagogues from around the country. INFO & REGISTRATION: urj.org/biennial. QUESTIONS: Nicki Barrett, Coordinator of Engagement and Programming, nbarrett@baltimorehebrew.org.

SAVE THE DATE FOR CHANUKAH
Save the Date for our annual Chanukah Shabbat and Dinner on Friday, December 15. Our service begins at 6:15 PM followed by dinner. The cost is $12 dollars per person or $25 per family. RSVP: Nicki Barrett, Coordinator of Engagement and Programming, nbarrett@baltimorehebrew.org.
Annette Saxon

Through your generosity, BHC will continue to thrive and be the strong community of Jewish tradition and learning.

Your gift today will ensure that future generations can grow up in a family, where all are welcome and cherished.

At Baltimore Hebrew Congregation, every congregant is an integral part of a wonderful family, where all are welcome and cherished. This Thanksgiving, as you enjoy the warmth of family and gain inspiration from everything for which we have to be thankful, we ask you to consider making a meaningful gift to Annual Giving 2017.

You may not know that your membership dues provide only 47% of the yearly revenue that is necessary to:

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- Sustain a dynamic educational program for children and adults.
- Uphold our commitment to our wonderful vibrant congregation.

We are grateful to those of you who have already been so generous to this year’s campaign. Your contribution provides support for BHC’s programs, including worship services, pastoral care, educational activities, community outreach, and a host of other activities. Annual Giving helps to ensure that no one is ever denied membership because of economic difficulties or hardship. Your gift today will ensure that future generations can grow up in a strong community of Jewish tradition and learning.

This year, your investment in BHC is even more valuable. We have the added incentive of a dollar-for-dollar match on gift increases and new gifts by a grant from the Adalman Goodwin Foundation in memory of Hilda Perl Goodwin, Douglas Goodwin and Sylvia Adalman. If you increase your gift last year by $50, the match will bring your total increase to $100! If your gift is new, and you make it by November 11, then you will receive a match which will bring your total increase to $100.

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We all play a vital role in ensuring that BHC has a bright future. Through your generosity, BHC will continue to thrive and be the vibrant community that we all treasure.

Annette Saxon
Director of Development

REMEMBER YOUR BHC FAMILY THIS THANKSGIVING - SUPPORT ANNUAL GIVING 2017

THE PERFECT PART-TIME JOB

Are you looking for a part-time job? We have the best job in the world for you! What can be better than playing with kids? E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center is seeking substitute teachers who are patient, kind and caring for children ages infants to 4 years old. A teaching credential is not required. Competent candidates are invited to visit the school, interview, and pass a background check before being placed on the sub list. Once on the list, substitutes are called on an as-needed basis, but generally will be in demand. A brief overview of the position is to maintain a safe, productive learning environment for the students. E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center is a warm, friendly environment that values its employees.

CONTACT: Jill Eisen, 410-764-7281 or jeisen@baltimorehebrew.org.

GET TO KNOW YOUR NEIGHBORS AT OUR INTERFAITH DINNER

After a long and exciting holiday season, it is nice to take a break. We are in a moment of pause before our secular holidays begin, and getting to know your neighbors is a great way to spend this time. On Saturday, November 11, 6 pm join Baltimore Hebrew Congregation, the Baltimore Jewish Council, and the Islamic Society of Baltimore as we get to know our neighbors. We will have a family-friendly dinner followed by schmoozing for the adults and non-religious programming for kids.

RSVP: Noah Mitchell, nmitchel@baltjc.org or 410-542-4850.

Nicki Barrett
Coordinator of Engagement and Programming

SHARING SHABBAT

Sharing Shabbat is a program that brings Shabbat services to residents of local assisted living homes and senior living communities. Congregant volunteers lead a short Shabbat service with participation by the residents. Services are currently held at Springwell on the first Saturday of the month, led by Karan Engerman, Harriet Stulman, and Hannah Lerner; at Arden Court, led weekly by Rabbi Ariel Walsh and Jane West Walsh, and at North Oaks Autumn Ridge Health Center, on the first Friday of the month. All who participate in this mitzvah report that it is a most rewarding experience. Our appreciation goes out to all of our special volunteers. Leading the service is not complicated and can be done even if you have limited experience. We are looking for volunteers to help lead services at other assisted living homes and senior living communities. If you would like to volunteer for this mitzvah, please contact us. To volunteer at Arden Court & Springwell, contact Sid Bravmann, sidbrav@aol.com or 410-952-6352; North Oaks, Sue Brown, tommie22@verizon.net.

INFO: Carol J. Caplan, caroljcapla@comcast.net or 410-764-1587 ext. 270. Remember “Shabbat is the Power Source of Jewish Unity.”

OUR DAILY BREAD: CHRISTMAS CASSEROLES

For more than two decades, members of the BHC community have provided Christmas Dinner for the guests at Our Daily Bread. We continue our service this year with the awareness that for so many of those years, our efforts were orchestrated by Sally Palmbaum, of blessed memory.

There are many ways to be part of our Christmas Dinner efforts. Here are the needs: 40 turkeys – cooked, sliced and frozen, 60 pans of dressing – prepared and frozen. BHC will provide the pans (Stove Top is fine, 4 boxes per pan). Monetary donations will be used to purchase institutional size cans of green beans, sauerkraut, mashed potatoes, fresh dinner rolls and cake for dessert; volunteers – spaces are limited to 40. This opportunity is open to BHC members only.

If you would like to participate, either by donating or by volunteering, please contact Lauren Yetter, 410-764-1587, ext. 232 or llyetter@baltimorehebrew.org.
Chai Life: 20s & 30s Community

NOVEMBER WITH CHAI LIFE

November is a great month to reflect and help out in the community. Chai Life will be participating in a social action activity on Sunday, November 12, 4:30 PM. We will be feeding the homeless at Weinberg House Recreation Center. That same week, on Tuesday, November 14, 6:30 PM we will be taking an instructor-led cooking class at BHC. Learn about Israeli food and how to cook it. The class will be two hours. We hope to see you at one or both of these events this month. INFO & RSVP: Co-Chairs David Castine, dcastine9@gmail.com or Andrew Haines, andrewhaines2@gmail.com.

David Castine and Andrew Haines
Chai Life Co-Chairs

Hoffberger Gallery

“COLORFUL PAINTINGS OF PARTIES, COUNTRYSIDE, AND BALTIMORE CITY”
Works by Patricia Bennett
November-December Exhibit
Reception: Sunday, November 12, 2-4 PM

Artist’s Statement:
I expected to be a scientist like my father, but I enjoyed looking at the colors of the reagents far more than caring about their contents. So a month after receiving my degree in physics from Reed College, I bought a one-way ticket to Chicago where I immersed myself in art, attending the Art Institute of Chicago and then the Schuler School of Fine Arts in Baltimore.

Finding my voice within the art world has taken over a decade. I painted still lifes and portraits for several years in the classical style in which I was trained, using hand-ground oils and Maroger Medium. But when I switched to acrylics and began painting parties in a completely Impressionistic and colorful style, I knew that this was why I had become an artist.

Mostly I paint weddings. I have been privileged to paint over 100 around Baltimore, Washington D.C, Long Island, Colorado, Texas, North Carolina, Delaware and Pennsylvania. Along with being a wonderful experience for me, this gives the couple or their parents a lifelong memento of their special day, a unique service that I can provide. I have also painted at places that I care about, at beautiful Oakdene and Summerfield Stables, La Cuchara, Stone Mill Bakery, the Greenspring Montessori School, the Farmers Market, Cylburn Arboretum, Lake Sunapee in New Hampshire, and more.

E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center

A BUSY NOVEMBER IN PRESCHOOL

There is just something so special about being surrounded by books. I can lose myself in a bookshop, library or book fair. We are excited to tell you the dates of our E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center Book Fair co-sponsored by BHC Sisterhood and The Ivy Bookshop: Sunday, November 5 through Sunday, November 12.

The kick-off will be a joint venture with Sisterhood's Holiday Boutique and Silent Auction. There will be a booth full of children’s books and parent advice books in the boutique. From 10-11 AM, we will have storytelling, activities, and crafts based on the wonderful book “Only One You” by Linda Kranz. The books will then be available all week in the E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center lobby.

We will end our book fair at The Ivy Bookshop, where a percentage of all proceeds will be donated to the E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center. There will be a children’s author reading and activities centered on the book theme. Look for updates on our Facebook page: facebook.com/EB-Hirsh-Early-Childhood-Center.

Grandparents, aunts, uncles, and special friends are important to us. We are honoring these special people in our lives on Friday, November 10, 9 AM. The program begins with breakfast and a slide show and ends by 11 AM. Invitations were sent home in the beginning of October.

We will end our November festivities with a Feast of Gratitude on Tuesday, November 21, NOON. Each class will cook or bake an item for the school meal that is held in our lobby. The four-year-olds will set the tables for about 70 students. Each class will lead the school in a song, poem or story. It is such a joy watching the students participate in gratitude, hakarat hatov, and acts of loving kindness, gemilut hasidim.

NOVEMBER DATES TO NOTE

Wednesday, 1
Picture Day
Friday, 3
PJ Shabbat, 6:30 PM
Sunday, 5
Book Fair Kick-off Event, 10 AM
Monday-Sunday, 6-12
Book Fair in the E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center
Book Fair Closing Celebration at The Ivy Bookshop on Sunday
Friday, 10
Grandparents and Special Friends Day, 9 AM
Family Shabbat and Dinner: Camp Edition, 6:15 PM
(RSVP required for Dinner)
Sunday, 19
Playdate at Oregon Ridge Playground, 10-11 AM
Tuesday, 21
Feast of Gratitude, NOON
Wednesday, 22
E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center Closes at 3 PM
Thursday-Friday, 23-24
E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center Closed

Jill Eisen
Director, E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center
Youth Education

SUNDAY MORNINGS
Some of our 3rd and 4th grade students are participating in our Torah Arcade. As they explore stories from the Torah they will build an arcade game out of cardboard boxes to teach a lesson in the story. In December they will travel to Temple Shalom in Chevy Chase, MD to play each other’s arcade games.

Our teachers have met twice in the fall for Professional Development Day. These breaks in the schedule allow teachers time to plan, create, learn and shift their thinking as we continue to build a strong faculty.

1ST-7TH GRADE YOUTH GROUP
November brings a few unique opportunities for our 1st-7th graders!

6th-7th Grade Shul-In: On Friday, November 10-Saturday November 11, we have a shul-in (an overnight at BHC) for our 6th-7th graders. During this time, students will enjoy our Family Shabbat: Camp Edition service and dinner, participate in a Shark Tank theme program, and then enjoy a late night hang-out with their peers!

Fall Camp Day: On Friday, November 17, 9 AM-4 PM we will have a daylong camp at BHC. This is a professional development day for public schools and we want to spend it with our 1st-7th graders! This program will include snacks, lunch, and fun camp like activities! Before and after care available upon request.

INFO or RSVP:
Brad Cohen, Director of Education, 410-764-1587, ext. 290 or bcohen@baltimorehebrew.org
Lauren Offermann, Assistant Director of Education, 410-764-1587, ext. 248 or loffermann@baltimorehebrew.org

FAMILY

Gesher Family Program: 1st-2nd grade families come together to study Torah with the rabbis and do a family project on Sunday morning. It is great to see families making time for adult and family learning.

Family Shabbat Education: One of our alternative programs explores Torah on Saturday afternoon and incorporates Jewish values. We explore these concepts and their relevance to everyday life. Our sessions so far have explored themes of courage and hope expressed in the stories of Noah’s Ark and Joshua leading the Jewish people.

Both of these programs are generously funded by the Leah and Morton Kemper Family Education Enrichment Program.

NEXTGEN: THE MILLIE AND ALVIN BLUM
8TH-12TH GRADE TEEN PROGRAM

Each opportunity for teens at BHC enables them to pick and choose their Jewish path. We offer a range of topics and styles each month to provide programming that makes the teens passionate! Check out what November brings for teen engagement:

Taste Of: During Jewish Art and Culture on Monday, November 6, teens will explore their Jewish history and culture through a powerful lens: Art. Our Robotics: Empowering Jewish Inventions on Thursday, November 16, will have teens make robotic creations through a Jewish lens.

Friendsgiving: Come socialize with other teens as we enjoy a Mediterranean dinner followed by a social action opportunity on Saturday, November 11. Last year we made trail mix bags for Paul’s Place after school program.

Social Action Lab: The social action lab will meet once a week for three weeks on Sundays, November 5, 12 & 19. We will create, plan, and implement a Family Social Action Day for our Youth Education Families.

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BROTHERHOOD BREAKFAST

Enjoy our second breakfast of the season on Sunday, November 12, 9:30 AM. This month’s program features Dr. Jeffrey Goldstein, Center Director, National Center for Earth and Space Science Education, and Institute Director, Arthur C. Clarke Institute for Space Education, speaking on “A Voyage That Will Forever Change Your Perspective of Home.” You’re invited to the story of our existence—a race of explorers, 6 billion tiny souls strong. It is a story that ignites wonder about the universe, and a sense of pride in our ability to reveal its nature through both human imagination and ingenuity. It is a story that humbles us, and brings a sense of humility to our lives. It is a voyage that will forever change your perspective of home. The focus will be inspiration to young and old—a wonderful family program; understanding the nature of our existence using the power of models.

Dr. Goldstein is a nationally recognized science educator and planetary scientist who has dedicated his career to the public understanding of science and the joys of learning. Jeff’s planetary science research includes the development of techniques for measuring global winds on other planets using large telescopes on Earth.

Spouses, friends, and other guests are welcome. Free to BHC Brotherhood members and children under 18 and only $10 for guests and non-members. Register by Thursday, November 2 to have breakfast included. INFO & RSVP: Sid Bravmann, 410-952-6352 or baltimorehebrew.org/breakfast.

Mark the date to enjoy our next breakfast on Sunday, December 17, featuring J. Wynn Rousuck from the Hippodrome Theatre speaking on “You Won’t Succeed on Broadway...If You Don’t Have Jews.”

HELP CHICKEN Flickers

Do you want to be part of an award-winning group? Become part of the Brotherhood Chicken Flickers. Known as the Iron Chefs of BHC, they cook for over 100 people at times and they make tasty dishes. Whether it’s cooking tenderloin, salmon, or scrambled eggs it always come out as good as a catered meal. You do not have to commit to every event. They could use help occasionally to assist with cooking or serving and it’s always a fun time, too. No experience is needed but you must be part of the Brotherhood. It’s just an enjoyable way to do a Mitzvah and enjoy feeding the program guests. INFO: Sid Bravmann 410-952-6352.

BECOME AN USHER

We would love to have you help us out by being an usher for one of the Congregation’s services, and welcome congregants and guests to our services. To sign up or if you have any questions, call Harvey Schevitz 410-484-7598.

WRJ MID- ATLANTIC DISTRICT 2017 KALLAH

Spend a weekend with your WRJ sisters to explore, to connect and to share your spirituality from Friday-Saturday, November 3-5. This year’s theme is “Wonder Woman’ Live YES Fund: An Accessories Auction and other Surprises,” and enjoy Special WRJ guest Liz McOsker, WRJ Executive Board. The full registration price is $149, but there are partial options to enjoy. District tee-shirts are available for purchase before and during the Kallah for $25. Temple B’nai Shalom Sisterhood will host this event at Fairfax Marriott at Fair Oaks, 1187 Lee Jackson Memorial Hwy, Fairfax, VA 22033. INFO & RSVP: Marilyn Morrison, mmorrison@vaacceses.org or wrj.org/mid-atlantic.

THE WOMEN’S RETREAT

Join Sisterhood for a weekend of spirit, meaningful interaction, learning, and fun at the Women’s Retreat on Friday-Saturday, November 10-11 at the Mt. Washington Conference Center. The theme is “Jewish Journeys,” centering around the Parshah of Chayei Sara. There will be participatory worship, teachings with our clergy, activities for exploring our individual Jewish journey and those of our forebears, and lots of really good food. More details to follow. INFO: Karan Engerman, karansander@comcast.net or 443-570-6435, or Suzanne Strutt, swstrutt@verizon.net or 410-236-6177.

CELLPHONES FOR CHANA

Sisterhood is collecting used cell phones for CHANA, which offers a Jewish community response to the needs of persons who experience abuse and other forms of interpersonal trauma. The phones’ data will be cleared and refurbished, then given to clients for emergency life-line or recycling. Drop-off box is located the Temple Office.
IN MEMORIAM
We record with sorrow the passing of

Rhoda Block
Nancy Danoff
Terry Decker
Theresa Dreyer
Esther Elkin
Marvin "Mike" Gellman
Sonia Goldberg
Muriel Jacobs
Marc Kabik
Philip Klein
Rena Lecker
Dr. Boris O’Mansky
Myron Rothbloom
George Washington Sauter
Barbara Steinke
Elaine Suls

May their memories be for a blessing.

PERPETUAL MEMORIALS

November 3-4
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Marguerite B. Baer
Eve Terren Ballan
Leo Baneman
Benson Becker
Lena Mendelsohn
Berlowitz
Clara Block
Clara Bloom
Herman S. Braverman
Sarah G. Caplan
Mary B. Castine
Milton Bachman
Cohen
Ruth Salabes Cohen
Ruth Farber
S. Stanley Fleischer
Joseph Frank
Celia Newman Fried
Reta F. Gans
Eli Garfink
Bessie Fisher
Goldberg
Joseph Golombek
William L. Goulne
Esther Hamburger
Samuel Himmelrich
Clare Hoefliech
Jules Ruben Israel
Abraham Jacobs
Ida S. Jacobson
 Hirsh Lobe Julius
Florence Levitt Kahn
Harry Katz
Isabel Katz

Doris E. Schwartzman
Stanley Schwartzman
Eleanor Segall
Libby Sharrow
Max Sharrow
Sylvia Sharrow
Anne B. Siegel
Henry M. Siegel
Leni Simon
Bessie G. Snitzer
Ada Snyder
Edwin J. Snyder
Sara Statter
Harry Steiger
Amanda Marks
Straus
Helen Stromberg
William Sussman
Pauline Tepper
Sanders J. Thalheimer
Louis Tunick
LaFayette Weinberg
Dora Weisberg
Sarah Collector
Weiss
Bernice Winkler
Margery Stern Wolf

November 10-11
Betty Davidov Adler
Paul Judah
Bachrach
Nathan Baider
Leonard Bass
Phyllis I. Benerhaus
Lena L. Berlin
Ada Bernstein
Harry Bursky
Anna Fisher Brass
Berton Albert
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Morris Joseph
Hoffman
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Jesse Jandorf
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Lilyan Joel Kalis
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Joan Steinbach
Rose Stofberg
Ella Straus
Gertrude Koblentz
Struminger
Bessie Smith
Umansky
Selma T. Wagner
Sadie F. Weinberg
Dena Zimmerman
Henry L. Zimrin

November 17-18
Lottie Adeleberg
Gregory Bachrach
Julius Baer
Byron Berman
Isaac Berman
Dorothy Long
Berney
Henry Binder
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Louis Berkowitz
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Hackerman
Benjamin Hament
Jacob Harman
Celia Schindler
Hellman
Benjamin Honigman
Rose W. Honkofsky
Col. Isaac
Hoppenstein
Blossom Kramer
Horowitz
Jack Horowitz
Barbara Ikin
Ollie P. Joseph
Jennie Judd
Ellis I. Kahn
Dena Swartz
Katzenberg
Julian Katzenberg
From Generation to Generation

Special Birthdays

Special Anniversaries
50th Suzanne & Daniel Crane III
40th Miriam & Jack Feintuch
10th Jennifer & Moshe Samuelleis
5th Nancy & Brian Shavitz

B’nai Mitzvah
November 4
Ian Tucker, son of Emily and Richard Linger

Engagements
Gabrielle Edwards, daughter of Susan Finkelstein Sellman, to Ryan Levenson
Sarah Perlimer, daughter of Rabbis Rachel Hertzman and Rex D. Perlimer, to Jonah Freeland
Molly Sober, daughter of Debra Rabinick, to Bobby Fischbeck

Marriages
Robert Bacharach, son of Deborah and David Bacharach, to Summer E. Wyatt
Lindsey Frank, daughter of Lori and Larry Frank, granddaughter of Stanley Frank, to Andrew Snyder
Sarah Elizabeth Gartner, daughter of Alison Gartner and Robert Cohen, to Ariel Oken

Births
Jacob Max Cohen, son of Julie and Brett Cohen, grandson of Cheryl and Andrew Snyder, great-grandson of Shirley Snyder

Elliot Joan Kamphaus, daughter of Kelly Kopeikin and Timothy Kamphaus, granddaughter of Linda and Mario Kopeikin, great-granddaughter of Gerald Katz
Ethan Sacks, son of Melanie Harris and Aaron Sacks, grandson of Lisa Kovens-Harris and Bruce Harris

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In honor of
David Berenhaus for participating in the Rosh Hashanah service at Weinberg Village, by Weinberg Village
The special birthday of Tom Brown, by Sheila & Rabbi Gustav Buchdahl • Linda Lefman
Julie & Brett Cohen on the birth of their son Jacob Max Cohen, by Becky & Larry Gutfin • Bobbi & Aron Perlman • Linda & Berryl Speert
The 100th birthday of Naomi B. Cohen, by her family
Dressing and undressing the Torah & for their grandson, Alec reading on Yom Kippur, by Marsha & Arthur Kalisch, Jr.
The 70th wedding anniversary of Minna & Louis Katz, by Sandy Feldman
The new home of Polina & Mark Lebed, by Becky & Larry Gutfin & Family
Amy Winkelstein & Aaron Milstone on their daughter Lily reading from the Torah, by their parents, Ellen & Leonard Milstone
Rabbi Rachel Hertzman & R D. Perlimer on the engagement of their daughter Sarah to Jonah Freeland, by Nancy & Curt Civin • Becky & Larry Gutfin • Louise & Richard Kemper • Lois Rosenthal
The birthday of Lois Rosenthal, by Jeanette & John Parmigiani
Janet & Jeffrey Silverman on their grandson Hayden Lazorchak becoming a Bar Mitzvah, by Patsy & Sheldon Milner

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Theresa Dreyer, by Richard Rynd
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Leonard Kabik, by Ruth & Melvin Kabik
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Cecelia Idov Keiles, by Carol J. Caplan & Family
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## November 2017

### Thursday, November 2
- **10 AM** Thoughtful Thursdays with Sisterhood

### Friday, November 3
- **6:15 PM** Shabbat Service, Oneg Shabbat following
- **6:30 PM** PJ Shabbat

### Saturday, November 4
- **9 AM** Torah Talk
- **10 AM** Shabbat Shelanu
- **10:30 AM** Shabbat Service with Bar Mitzvah
- **3 PM** Family Shabbat Education

### Sunday, November 5
- **9 AM** Youth Education
- **9 AM** Sisterhood Holiday Boutique
- **9 AM** E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center Book Fair Launch
- **9:15 AM** Adult Beginner Hebrew Class
- **10:30 AM** NextGen: Social Action Lab
- **11:15 AM** Understanding Prayerbook Hebrew Class
- **NOON** Teen Advisory Committee

### Monday, November 6
- **11 AM** Sisterhood Holiday Boutique
- **6 PM** NextGen: Jewish Art and Culture
- **7:30 PM** BHC Board of Electors Meeting
- **7 PM** Kol Rinnah

### Tuesday, November 7
- **5 PM** BHC Cares Meeting
- **7:30 PM** Alcoholic Anonymous
- **7:30 PM** Overeaters Anonymous
- **7:30 PM** Processed Food Anonymous

### Thursday, November 9
- **10 AM** Thoughtful Thursdays with Sisterhood
- **4 PM** Audit Committee Meeting

### Friday, November 10
- **Sisterhood Women’s Retreat through Saturday, November 11**
  - **9 AM** E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center Grandparent’s Day
  - **6 PM** Junior Youth Group Shul-In
  - **6:15 PM** Family Shabbat, Oneg Shabbat and Family Shabbat Dinner following, RSVP Required for dinner

### Saturday, November 11
- **9 AM** Torah Talk
- **10 AM** Shabbat Shelanu
- **6 PM** Interfaith Dinner
- **6 PM** NextGen: Friendsgiving Dinner

### Sunday, November 12
- **9 AM** Youth Education
  - **Gesher**
- **9 AM** PEP
- **9:15 AM** Adult Beginner Hebrew Class
- **9:30 AM** Brotherhood Breakfast
- **10:30 AM** NextGen: Social Action Lab
- **11:15 AM** Understanding Prayerbook Hebrew Class
- **2 PM** Hoffberger Gallery Artist’s Reception
- **4:30 PM** Chai Life Social Action

### Monday, November 13
- **6 PM** NextGen: Rosh Hodesh/Shevet Achim
- **7 PM** Kol Rinnah

### Tuesday, November 14
- **6:30 PM** Chai Life Cooking Class
- **7:30 PM** Alcoholics Anonymous
- **7:30 PM** Grey Sheet Anonymous
- **7:30 PM** Overeaters Anonymous
- **7:30 PM** Processed Food Anonymous

### Thursday, November 16
- **10 AM** Thoughtful Thursdays with Sisterhood
- **6 PM** NextGen: Robotics (Empowering Jewish Inventions)

### Friday, November 17
- **6:15 PM** Shabbat Service, Oneg Shabbat following
- **7:30 PM** BHC Pride Dinner

### Saturday, November 18
- **9 AM** Torah Talk
- **10 AM** Shabbat Shelanu
- **11:30 AM** STAY Shabbat

### Sunday, November 19
- **8 AM** NextGen: Social Action Lab
- **9 AM** Family Social Action Lab and Turkey Bowl
- **10 AM** E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center Playdate
- **10:30 AM** Sisterhood Board Meeting

### Tuesday, November 21
- **NOON** E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center Thanksgiving
- **7 PM** Youth Education Advisory Committee
- **7:30 PM** Alcoholics Anonymous
- **7:30 PM** Grey Sheet Anonymous
- **7:30 PM** Overeaters Anonymous
- **7:30 PM** Processed Food Anonymous

### Wednesday, November 22 • Temple Sinai
- **Office closes at NOON and E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center Closes at 3 PM**

### Thursday, November 23 • Thanksgiving • E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center Closed

### Friday, November 24 • E.B. Hirsh Early Childhood Center Closed

### Saturday, November 25
- **9 AM** Shabbat Dinner following, Oneg Shabbat following

### Sunday, November 26 • Building Closed

### Monday, November 27
- **7 PM** Kol Rinnah

### Tuesday, November 28
- **7:30 PM** Alcoholics Anonymous
- **7:30 PM** Grey Sheet Anonymous
- **7:30 PM** Overeaters Anonymous
- **7:30 PM** Processed Food Anonymous

### Thursday, November 30
- **10 AM** Thoughtful Thursdays with Sisterhood
- **6:30 PM** BHC Justice Meeting

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### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

#### CHANUKAH SHABBAT AND DINNER AT BHC
**Friday, December 15**
Bring your chanukiah (menorah) and five candles to BHC for our annual Chanukah Shabbat and Dinner. See details on page 5.

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#### WINTER NIGHTS ON PARK HEIGHTS
**Thursdays in January, 6:30 PM**
Current events discussions with our clergy and educator.
SERVICES

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3
6:15 PM • Shabbat Service
Rabbi Sachs-Kohen will speak
6:30 PM • PJ Shabbat
with Rabbi Busch

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4
Vayeira, Genesis 18:1-22:24
9 AM • Torah Talk
10 AM • Shabbat Shelanu
10:30 AM • Shabbat Service
Bar Mitzvah of Ian Tucker,
son of Emily & Richard Linger

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10
6:15 PM • Family Shabbat
Rabbi Busch will speak

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11
Chaye Sarah, Genesis 23:1-25:18
9 AM • Torah Talk
10 AM • Shabbat Shelanu

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17
6:15 PM • Shabbat Service
Rabbi Busch will speak

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18
Toldot, Genesis 25:19-28:9
9 AM • Torah Talk
10 AM • Shabbat Shelanu

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24
6:15 PM • Shabbat Service
Rabbi Busch will speak

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25
Vayeitze, Genesis 28:10-32:3
9 AM • Torah Talk
10 AM • Shabbat Shelanu