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Letter From The President

Welcome home to all our summer residents. We are looking forward to seeing you all in person and are excited to have Maya and Menachem back in town. They will be with us all summer, July and August, and will be offering Friday evening (7:30pm) services and Sunday morning (10:00am) Torah study. We are also planning a special study session about mezuzot with a mezuzah hanging ceremony at the new Rabbi House. The celebration is at 10:00am, Sunday, July 11 and will conclude with a potluck brunch.

I'm happy to state that of the 72 respondents (to date) of a quick survey – 98 percent of us are fully vaccinated. To continue to keep our congregants safe, we have a few guidelines that we ask you all to follow while visiting:

- One member of your group sign in (for contact tracing purposes).
- Wear a name tag
- Sanitize your hands
- If you are not vaccinated, please wear a mask
- If you are going to sing softly, please wear a mask
- Socially distanced seating will be provided

Happy summer –

Val Meyerson, President

Donations Received

General Fund

Silver level patron donation

Steven Fishman And Bonnie Josephson
Patty Beck

Gold level patron donation

Ms. Rachel Goodstein

Perpetual Kaddish

Mr. and Mrs Henry Hanflick- In Memory of
Joshua Hurand

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- Temple General Fund Newsletter Fund
- Prayer Book Fund Rabbi House Fund
- Irene Gordon Memorial Fund Security Fund
- Lee and Miles Jaffe Memorial Fund
- Religious Education Fund
- Stacy McCracken Memorial Youth Enrichment Fund
- Alvin & "Helping Hand" Rosenhaus Memorial Fund
- Aubrey & Gerald Meyerson Perpetual Kaddish Fund

Named Donations Available

- Tree of Life Fund (\$100 Per Leaf)
- Memorial Wall (\$180 per plaque)

Temple B'nai Israel **Donation Form**

Name: _____

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Phone: _____

Email: _____

My contribution is in honor or memory of:

Circle which fund you are designating (above) and then mail your check and this completed form to:

Gus Paz Treasurer
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PO Box 2416
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Join Maya for study sessions and a pot luck brunch – Sundays at 10:00am.

- July 4: Tractate Avot (the sayings of our Fathers) Introduction
- July 11: Short study about Mezuzah before the ceremony of affixing the Mezuzah in Rabbi's New house .
- July 18: Tractate Avot- Continued
- July 25: Song of Songs- Song 2 (song was studied in Winter session)
- August 1: Song of Songs - song 3
- August 8: Thilim (Psalms) 91
- August 15: The Big Woman of Shunem –Kings 2, 4 ,8-25
- August 22: Thilim 98
- August 29: Farewell session

Events

- July 2nd- Shabbat Service 7:30 PM
- July 4th– Maya's Torah Study 10 AM
- July 9th Shabbat Service 7:30 PM
- July 11th- Mezuzah Ceremony 10 AM
- July 12th- TBI board meeting- 7PM
- July 16th- Shabbat Service 7:30 PM
- July 18th-Maya's Torah Study 10 AM
- July 23rd- Shabbat Service 7:30 PM
- July 24th– Temple Beth El-Alpena w/ Rav Maya 10 AM
- July 24th-Havdalah At Willens-7 PM
- July 25th-Maya's Torah Study 10 AM
- July 30th- Shabbat Service 7:30 PM

L'Dor v'Dor Northern Michigan Consortium Update

The updated L'Dor v'Dor Upper Great Lakes Jewish Consortium invites you to check out our website, which contains schedules from each congregation. ldvd.net.

Digital Equipment Update: The congregations have all received the available equipment to date.

The only thing missing is our new Lenovo computer, which is on hold due to a backlog of microchips. The company is now estimating that chips will not arrive until October. In the meantime, TBI has started to use the equipment that has already been received.

Join us for Dr. Steven Bucci's upcoming in-person trainings on issues of security and safety, especially as they pertain to our congregations. Two trainings will take place at the end of August, just before the High Holidays – one in Petoskey, and one in Marquette – with Zoom coverage for people who are unable to attend. Dates will be posted in the next newsletter.

Upcoming Retreats:

o August 13-15: Summer Camp Intergenerational Retreat, Clear Lake Education Center and/or Zoom. Topic: Wherever You Go, There's Always Someone Jewish.

o November 5-7: Fall Women and Girls Retreat at Munising Holiday Inn Express and/or Zoom.

Have any ideas for a possible retreat or Zoom program? Contact Carol Ellstein at cgeinstein@gmail.com or 517-881-0668 to share your thoughts!

All Temple events, including Sunday School sponsored programs, are open to all!

For questions about programs, please contact:

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wed.	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27	28	29	30	1	2 Shabbat Service 7:30 PM	3
4 Maya & Torah Study 10 AM	5	6	7	8	9 Shabbat Service 7:30 PM	10 Rosh Chodesh
11 Mezuzah Ceremo- ny 10 AM	12 TBI board meeting 7PM	13	14	15	16 Shabbat Service 7:30 PM	17
18 Maya & Torah Study 10 AM	19	20	21	22	23 Shabbat Service 7:30 PM	24 Temple Beth El- Alpena w/ Rav Maya 10 AM Havdalah At Willens-7 PM
25 Maya & Torah Study 10 AM	26	27	28	29	30 Shabbat Service 7:30 PM	31