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A Note From Your Rabbi,

A beloved part of our activities at Beth Shalom has been the movies. Jewish in some respect is our criteria for the movies we watch as well as movies that likely will generate lively discussions and idea exchange. The last movie we watched together was Gett, the mostly unknown story of how hard it is for women to obtain a Jewish (religious) divorce, gett. In our discussion following the movie, I shared that no one is ever allowed to witness the rabbinical courts proceedings, thus no one other than the Bet Din (rabbis of the court) and the couple, know what goes on in those

courts. Gett, the movie, is an attempt to show what these proceedings truly look like. The movie is based on a collection of stories from eye witnesses, lawyers and rabbis, who described to the writers/directors what their experiences have been in the rabbinical courts.

The movie generated great attention and discussion in the Israeli public. Eventually there was a special screening of Gett at an annual meeting of Dayanim/Bet Din judges in Northern Israel with the Chief Rabbi David Lau in attendance. For the first time dayanim were confronted with the way they are perceived by the general public as the movie sheds light on the difficulties of obtaining a gett in Israel, especially for women. The social discussion of the movie brought on a public demand to begin changing this unfair reality and find ways to establish additional marriage options such as Israeli civil marriages.

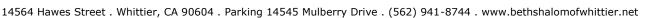
The movie Gett was created and directed by brother/sister team - Shlomi and Ronit Elkabetz. It won numerous awards and was nominated for the best foreign language film Golden Globe in 2015. This movie is added to Ronit's already long list of excellence in films, who has been an influential feminine voice on the Israeli cultural scene.

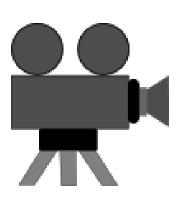
In a strange stroke of fate, as I was preparing to write about the next movie event at Beth Shalom, it was announced that Ronit Elkmbetz has died aged 51 from cancer.

In a statement, Former Israel president Shimon Peres, said that Elkmbetz was "an extraordinary cultural ambassador for the state of Israel" and that "on various stages of the world, Ronit represented the citizens of Israel and the state of Israel with great pride, creativity and beauty." May her memory be an eternal blessing for us all.

Please be sure to join us for another thought provoking movie, A Serious Man, on Sunday , May 1st with pizza, snacks and friends.

Your Rabbí, Osnat





Presents **Sunday at the Movíes**

May 1, 2016

12:00 Р.М. **A Seríous Man**

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On May 6 we will have the Kol Haemek choir from the Jewish Federation sing during our Shabbat Evening service. They were a wonderful hit last year when they came to sing the Ami Aloni Shabbat evening service and this year will reprise a couple of those pieces with

some additional new compositions by Hazzan Charles Osbourne, Danny Maseng, Cantor William Sharlin, Salomone Rossi, Hazzan Lawrence Avery, Hazzan Meir Finkelstein, and Lisa Levine. These pieces will show the diversity and brilliance of our Shabbat evening liturgy and allow us to see and hear how centuries of great lewish choral

music have been written to accompany the majestic Rabbinic and liturgical words of our service.

My friend and colleague, Hazzan Judy Sofer will again be conducting this wonderful group of talented singers from all over the San Gabriel Valley. Hazzan Sofer's reputation in the SGV is unparalleled for her programming talents and her ability to bring together lews from all walks of lewish belief into one cohesive artistic unit. I know that you will want to circle this Shabbat evening on your calendar to come and hear the multi-talents of this choral group and all they bring to our table. It will be a Shabbat evening to remember.

- - Hazzan Lance H. Tapper

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Mazel Tov Hazzan Lance

Congratulations to our Hazzan, Lance H. Tapper

While in New York attending the Cantor's Assembly Executive Council Meeting, our Hazzan was awarded the honor of Volunteer of the Year. This is only the 3rd occasion this award has been presented.

What makes this award so special is, the office staff members of the Assembly choose the recipient. The award is given with a special gift from the staff, this year it was a gift card for the Metropolitan Opera.

We are so pleased our Hazzan has received this award for all he does for the Cantor's Assembly which is also a reflection for all he does for us here at Beth Shalom as well.

Bonnie Neville



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May 22, 2016 10:00 am

State of the Synagogue, Board Reports, Election of Officers

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Tabernacle and Temple

Our first Temple (Bet HaMidash) was built by King Solomon and represented the focal point of the Land of Israel in the city of Jerusalem. It stood for 410 years until it was destroyed by Nebuchadnezzar and his Babylonians. Seventy years later, the second Temple was built by Ezra. According to history, it stood for



420 years until it was razed by the Roman legions under Titus.

Many of us think of the Jerusalem Temple as being a synagogue; however, it was a unique structure. G-d commanded shortly after the Exodus from Egypt that the Israelites build a Tabernacle (Mishkan) in the desert. G-d said, "They shall make me a sanctuary, and I will dwell therein." [Exodus 25:8]

Through this Tabernacle G-d's presence would dwell in the heart of each Jew. [Zohar 1:129 in Midrash Ne'elam] The Tabernacle thus represented our partnership with G-d in bringing the world toward its final goal. In a sense, the Tabernacle paralleled G-d's own act of creation.

The Tabernacle was probably the world's first prefabricated structure. It was large: 20 feet high,. 24 feet wide, and 64 feet long. The entire structure could be taken apart and transported from place to place. It accompanied the Israelites in their wandering in the desert. After they entered our Holy Land, it was occasionally moved from place to place. It stood in Gilgah for 14 years, in Shiloh for 369 years, in Nob, and then in Gibeon for a total of 57 years. [Samuel 21:2, 1 Kings 3:4]

There was also a commandment to build a permanent Temple. As the Torah states, "You shall seek (G-d's) habitation." [Deuteronomy 12:5] This could only be accomplished when the Israelites occupied the Promised Land, appointed a king, and attained a state of peace. Of significance, the Torah continues, "When you cross the Jordan, dwelling in the land which the L-rd your G-d gives you to inherit, and He gives you rest from all your enemies round about so that you dwell in safety; then there shall be the place which the L-rd your G-d will choose to make His name dwell there." [Deuteronomy 12:10] Such peace was not obtained until the time of David and Solomon. Only then could the Temple be built.

Key Temple Features

An important feature of the Temple was the Great Altar (Mazbeach) upon which all sacrifices were placed and the only place in the world where a specific sacrifice to G-d could be offered. Today a central platform, called a Bimah or Almenar, is built in the synagogue. That platform is where the Torah is read. It parallels the Great Altar, which was located in the center of the Jerusalem Temple. On the festival of Succot, we march around the platform, just as our people once marched around the Great Altar of the Temple.

The Temple also had an inner chamber called the Hechal, containing three main features. The best known of these was the golden Menorah, a huge seven-branched candelabrum taller than most NBA basketball players. Six of the seven lamps were kindled each evening, while the middle lamp burned constantly as the Eternal Light. This was the Menorah that was lighted during the miracle of Chanukah in the time of the Second Temple. Beside the Menorah, this inner chamber contained a golden altar for incense and a special table upon which the show-bread was placed. [Exodus 25:11-30, 30:1-10]

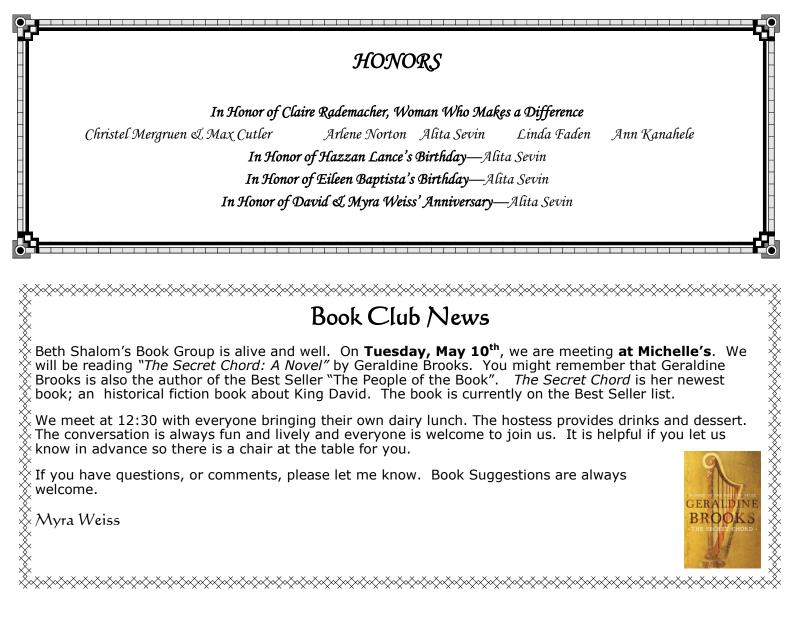
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Past this chamber was the Holy of Holies, the innermost chamber and focal point of the Temple. No one was ever allowed to enter it other than the High Priest (Cohen Gadol) and only on Yom Kippur. Jews from all over the world gathered in Jerusalem to see the High Priest emerge in peace after having worshiped in this inner sanctuary. [Leviticus 16] Even today, one of the most dramatic portions of the Yom Kippur service is the portion in the Mussof which recounts how the High Priest would enter the Holy of Holies.

In the center of the Holy of Holies stood the Ark of the Covenant, which was made of wood covered with pure gold. Attached to the cover were two gold Cherubim that were made under the personal supervision of Moses. [Exodus 25:10, 17, 40:18]

The Ark's contents included objects that were most sacred to Judaism: the two Tablets inscribed with the Ten Commandments, which G-d had given to Moses; and the original Torah that Moses had written as dictated by G-d. The present location of the Ark and the significance of the Western Wall will be discussed in next month's *Mishpacha*.

Sam Pearlman



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Kol HaEmek The Voice of the Valley Community Chorale of the San Gabriel Valley



Hazzan Lance will be officiating when Beth Shalom welcomes The San Gabriel Valley Jewish Community Chorale Kol HaEmek to Beth Shalom on Friday Night, May 6, 2016 at 7:30 PM.

The music for this service will contain choral liturgical compositions from the 20th and 21st centuries from various composers with a short foray into the Jewish Baroque by Rossi at the end. It will be exciting to hear music of the last 118 years of Jewish composition.

Kol HaEmek is directed by Hazzan Judy Sofer and accompanied by Leeav Sofer. This will be a magnificent experience for all to witness. Come Join Us!





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May 2nd - Katella Deli Fundraiser

Passover is over - Feel like a great bowl of chicken noodle soup or a fantastic sandwich? Maybe corned beef or pastrami? We have just the answer!! Eat at Katella Deli in Los Alamitos on May 2nd. Not only will you have a great meal but 10% of your restaurant bill will be donated to Beth Shalom of Whittier. This deal is good for all day May 2, 2016. Just bring in a copy of the flyer that is in the Mishpacha. Flyers will also be mailed out and available at the Temple. Give a copy of the flyer to everyone you know who might be interested. The food can't be beat and you will be supporting Beth Shalom.

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Tired of not being able to understand conversations around you? Embarrassed by having lived in Southern California for years and having your knowledge of Spanish limited to ordering in a restaurant? Mina Cano, a member of our congregation, has taught conversational Spanish previously and now is volunteering to teach us. If you are interested, contact Rita Rubin.

Classes continue at BSW each Wednesday at 6:00pm

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May Yahrzeit Observances

Dear Departed

Barembaum, Moishe Becker, Martin Bass, Mary Goldberg, Rebecca Shinder, Lena Esterson, Abe Rose, Benjamin Schwartz, Joseph Friedheim, Perry Gettleson, Florence Freedman, Ida Brouse, Nan Grossberg, Rose Steinhauer, Martha Goldberg, Abraham Goldberg, Betty Jaffe, Miriam Berry, J. Wesley Goldberg, Anna Cutler, William Plevin, Samuel W. Lieberman, Jack Lieberman, Mina Seidman, Anna Millman, Margaret Norton, Marty Oran, David Pearlman, Bernice Pearlman, Rachel Allweiss, Esther Nuckowitz, Lena Rothenberg, Sylvia Rubin, David Shapiro, Arthur Feldman, Stanley Weiner, Al Bromberg, Julius Dim, Sally Fishelberg, Murray

Observed by Barembaum, Abdon & Lenore Becker, Myra Bergerson, Frederic & Irene Brunelle, Evelyn Goldberg Di Natale, Mona Esterson, Marilyn & Sherman Esterson, Marilyn & Sherman Fuchs, Agnes Fuhrman, Bea Gettleson, Robert Golden, Joel & Jo Ann Gross, Rhoda Grossberg, Joseph Hess, Richard & Michelle Hock, Millie Hock, Millie Jaffe, Paul Kanahele, Ann Kless-Gilbert, Ada Kolnick, Jeffrey & Tock, Rosa Lewis, Jeffrey R. Lieberman, Susan Lieberman, Susan Melcer, Eli & Frieda Millman, Linda Norton, Arlene Oran, Renee Pearlman, Samuel Pearlman, Samuel Pinck, Toby Rosen, David A. Rothenberg, Richard & Yvonne Sandoval, Lisa & Miguel Shapiro, Bruce & Marcy Singer, Ellen Weiner, Teresa Yahrzeit Board Yahrzeit Board Yahrzeit Board

Relationship

Father of Abdon **Ex-Husband** Mother of Irene Grandmother Mother Father of Sherman Father of Marilyn Step-Father Father Mother Grandmother of Joel Mother Mother Aunt of Michelle Father Step-mother Mother Father Mother of Jesse Grandfather of Jeffrey Father-In-Law Father-in-Law Mother-in-Law Mother of Frieda Mother Husband Father-in-Law Wife Mother Mother of Toby Mother-in-Law Mother of Richard Grandfather of Lisa Father of Bruce Father of Ellen Brother of Ray

We honor the memory of our loved ones who have departed this earth as we kindle the Yahrzeit candle in remembrance. May their memory endure as an eternal blessing.

Yahrzeit Observances, cont'd

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Latt, Herbert	Yahrzeit Board
Liberman, William	Yahrzeit Board
Lieberman, Anna	Yahrzeit Board
Marovitz, Aaron	Yahrzeit Board
Pinck, Mary	Yahrzeit Board
Prog, Bessie	Yahrzeit Board
Rosenberg, Isaac	Yahrzeit Board
Ross, Joseph	Yahrzeit Board
Roy, Rose	Yahrzeit Board
Sandow, Rebecca	Yahrzeit Board
Sarkin, Abraham	Yahrzeit Board
Schneiderman, Miriam	Yahrzeit Board
Sherman, Isaac	Yahrzeit Board
Slater, Jeanette	Yahrzeit Board
Slonka, Mildred	Yahrzeit Board
Storm, Maurice	Yahrzeit Board
Unger, Alice	Yahrzeit Board

Beloved Departed	Observed By	Relationship	
Lena Berkowitz	Fred Blankstein & Maxine Berkowitz	Mother of Fred	
Arlene Berry	Ann Kanahele	Sister-in-law	
Bobbie Golden	Joel & Jo Ann Golden	Mother of Joel	
Edward Sandler	Richard & Michelle Hess	Uncle of Michelle	
Jacob Sandler	Richard & Michelle Hess	Grandfather of Michelle	
Mary Torren Paul	Sid & Sandra Paul	Mother of Sid	
Ann Lehman	Sid & Sandra Paul	Mother of Sandra	

May Clergy Schedule / Candle Lighting Times				
May 6,	7:30p	Hazzan Lance and the Kol Haemek Choir from the Jewish Federation conducted by Hazzan Judy Sofer	Candle Lighting 7:22p	
May 7, May 13,	9:45a 7:30p	Hazzan Lance Hazzan Lance	7:27p	
May 14, May 20,	9:45a 7:30p	Hazzan Lance Hazzan Lance	7:32p	
May 21, May 27,	7:30p	Hazzan Lance, Mark Peterson, and Siddur Kol Shalom Rabbi Osnat	7:37p	
May 28,	9:45a	Rabbi Osnat		

Daniel Cohen, Author of Single Handed, the Story of Tibor "Teddy" Rubin



What a triple treat we had Sunday, April 17. Treat number one was the food. The morning started with a brunch provided by Sisterhood that was both delicious and beautifully prepared. That was followed by treat number two - the amazing story of Tibor "Teddy" Rubin who was fourteen when he was captured by the Nazis and sent to Mauthausen Concentration camp. Liberated a year later by the Americans, he vowed, if he ever made it to the U.S., he would enlist in the army to repay the debt. Penniless, barely speaking English, and experiencing horrendous prejudice in the army, he was discharged without recognition for all of his heroic deeds in battle and as an inmate in a Chinese Prisoner of War Camp. The survival skills he learned in Mauthausen helped keep him and many of his fellow POWs alive in the camp. Finally, at the age of seventy-six, after heavy lobbying by fellow veterans and the Jewish War Veterans, he was finally awarded the Medal of Honor. And what was treat number three? Dan Cohen's presentation itself. We knew he was an award winning film maker, a journalist, and a film critic, but the secret to his amazing presentation that kept us spell-bound was his experience as a stand-up comedian. We ended the morning with three Wows - one for the food, one for Teddy Rubin, and one for Dan Cohen! Dan's book, "Single Handed, The Inspiring True Story of Tibor "Teddy" Rubin - Holocaust Survivor, Korean War Hero, and Medal of Honor Recipient" is available in the Synagogue Gift Shop or on Amazon.com.

CELEBRATIONS

May Birthdays

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May Anniversaries

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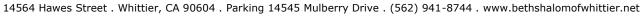
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Happy Birthday And Happy Anniversary

The office will be closed on May 8th & May 16th





CLAIRE RADEMACHER

Beth Shalom's 2016 Woman Who Makes A Difference

Beth Shalom could not have chosen a more outstanding representative for the Woman Who Makes A Difference. On Thursday, March 31st, Claire was honored by the Federation at their annual luncheon at the Double Tree Hotel in Monrovia. The luncheon was attended by staff from Federation, Rabbi's, Cantor's, Honoree's and guests from other Synagogues in the San Gabriel Valley.

The guest speaker was witty and funny, keeping the guest laughing while he related stories about his childhood and family.

Many from our Synagogue were there to join in honoring Claire as well as the other women chosen to be honored by their Temples. There were 4 of Claire's children with their spouses to honor their Mother. It was not until a background written by Joann Golden was read did many of us realize just how much Claire gives of herself to our Temple and outsiders.

Claire has been part of our Temple as Office Administrator for over ten years now. So we all know she is responsible for the well run office. She has been behind the scenes participating and helping with many of our Temple activities. It's Claire we go to when we need extra copies, flyers done, handle RSVP's and questions for our events or complete a last minute project. On the holidays you will find Claire at choir practice after work and on the bimah singing for all the holiday services.

She has supported our Bingo program by working on various teams for many years and is now a pinch hitter, filling in when needed. Claire also takes care of all the Bingo supplies for our Sunday Bingo games, and leads Israeli dancing after Onegs.

Away from the Synagogue Claire sings with Bel Canto attending rehearsals weekly. Also noted Claire is the Mother of 5 as well as a Grandmother who finds time to be with her large family on various occasions.

Beth Shalom could not have selected a more deserving recipient of The Woman Who Makes A Difference.

Bonnie Neville



1st Night Passover Seder

As the sun set on Friday, April 22nd, 57 gathered at our Synagogue to begin the observance of Passover. Led in a beautiful service by our Rabbi and Hazzan, the room took on a special feeling as the walls echoed with prayers, readings and music of our ancestors on their flight from Egypt.

Young and old, familiar and new faces gathered at the Seder tables to hear the story of Passover, the freedom of our ancestors in Egypt long ago. Each table had the familiar Seder Plate with parsley, haroset, roasted egg, shank bone and horseradish. As well as other ritual items matzot - the cracker like bread, salt water - the tears of the Israelites to dip the parsley in and wine (or grape juice) for the four cups to be drank during the Seder.

One topic of the evening was the strength of the horseradish, it was HOT, I took one bite and left it for others much braver than myself. Dinner was absolutely delicious matzot ball soup with a light and delicious matzot ball, chicken with roasted potatoes and vegetables, ending with a plate of various desserts. Our ancestors would have been jealous of the meal.

The Afikomen was found by the Farias children who were each rewarded with a box of jellied fruit slices. The evening was filled with the laughter of children, conversations among the tables and our Jewish family coming together to celebrate the holiday of freedom for our ancestors. Just one more great Jewish tradition celebrated at Beth Shalom.

Bonnie Neville



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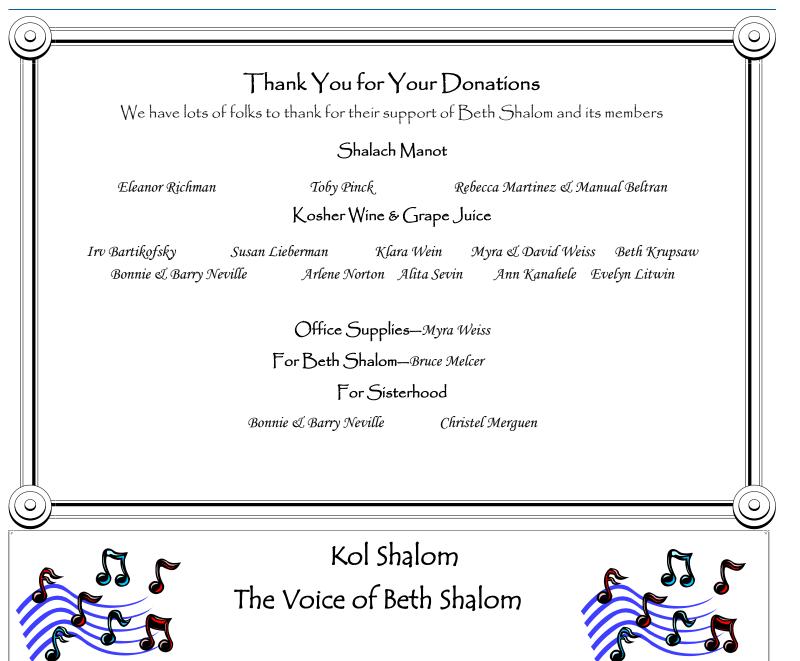
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Join Hazzan Lance on May 21, 2016 for the Shabbat Morning Siddur, *Kol Shalom*, The Voice of Beth Shalom. The entire community is invited to breakfast at 9:00 am followed by the service featuring this Siddur at 9:45 am.

This service encapsulates the essence of the traditional Shabbat morning service reframed into a shorter time span with a Torah reading, discussion, and lots of participation through readings and accompanied singing that reflect both traditional and some contemporary traditional style themes.

Join us for this beautiful celebration where you will find both the comfort of tradition and learn new things about Shabbat as well.

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Movie Matinee A Serious Man 12:00p Bingo	Daily Minyan 12:30p Katella Deli Fundraiser 7:00a-9:00p		Spanish Class 6:00p	<u>Yom HaShoah</u> Daily Minyan 12:30p	7:22p Candle lighting Kol HaEmek Chorale Hazzan Lance	<u>Parashat</u> <u>Achrei Mot</u> Hazzan Lance 9:45a
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Bingo	Daily Minyan 12:30p		Spanish Class 6:00p	Daily Minyan 12:30p	Hazzan Lance 7:30p	Hazzan Lance 9:45a
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General Membership Meeting	Daily Minyan 12:30p		Sisterhood Board Meeting 1:00p	<u>Lag BaOmer</u> Daily Minyan	lighting Shabbat Under	<u>Parashat</u> <u>Behar</u>
Brunch 10:00a			Spanish Class 6:00p	12:30p	the Stars Rabbi Osnat 7:30p	Rabbi Osnat 9:45a
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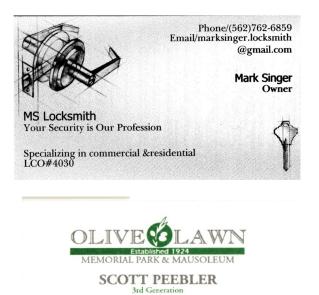
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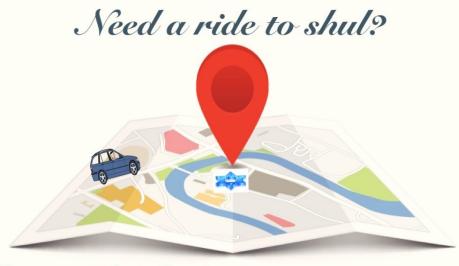


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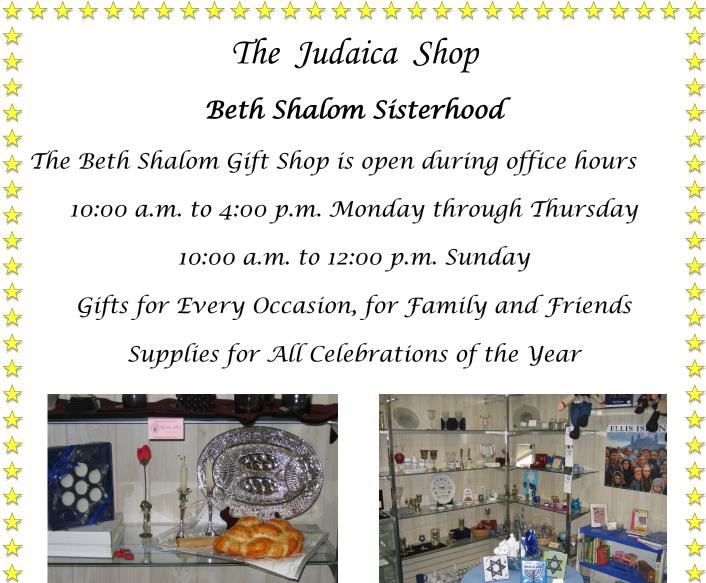
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