

Temple Emanu El
Bulletin • May 2026/Iyar-Sivan 5786



Hello May

THE MUSSAR EDITION

Teaching The Heart

What The Mind Already Understands

A while back, I got an email from the Mussar Institute advertising a course called "Five Steps to a Better You."

I'll be honest, I was skeptical. It sounded like every other self-help promise: quick fixes, instant transformation, a "new you" in no time.

And yet... something nudged me to sign up anyway.

I'm really glad it did.

Because what I discovered wasn't a trendy self-help program. It was Mussar, a millennia-old Jewish spiritual practice that is both deeply rooted and incredibly practical. At its core, Mussar is about cultivating inner qualities such as patience, humility, gratitude, and compassion so that we can live more meaningful and intentional lives.

Rabbi Elya Lopian, one of the great Mussar teachers, described it this way: Mussar is "teaching the heart what the mind already understands."

We already know the kind of people we want to be. We know how we want to show up in our relationships, in our work, and in our communities. But knowing and living are not always the same thing.

Mussar lives in that gap.

One of the ideas that has most shaped me is this: each of us has a soul that is like a light. That light is inherently good and whole. But life has a way of placing obstacles in front of it such as stress, frustration, complicated relationships, and the weight of a world that often feels fractured.

Those obstacles can dim the light.

Mussar teaches that our work is not to become someone new, but to gently and honestly remove what blocks that light so it can shine more fully into the world.

Over the past year, dozens of us in our Temple Emanu El community have begun exploring this path together through our Sunday morning adult education sessions and our monthly Mussar Lunch & Learn. What we have found is that Mussar is not abstract. It shows up in the small, everyday moments: how we speak, how we listen, and how we respond when we are challenged.

And perhaps most importantly, Mussar reminds us that working on ourselves is not a private or selfish act. It is how we contribute to something larger. When we do the soul work of refining who we are, we make the people and the world around us more whole and holy.

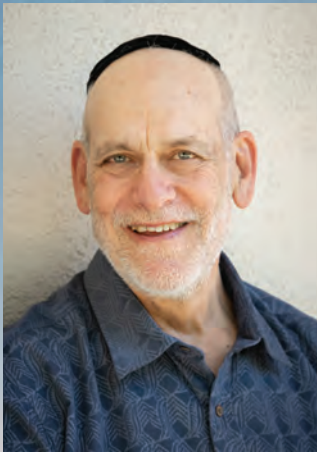
That is why I am especially excited for our upcoming weekend with Alan Morinis, the founder and director of the Mussar Institute. He is one of the leading voices in bringing Mussar into contemporary Jewish life, and I am grateful to the generous donors who made this opportunity possible for our community. This weekend is not a culmination of what we have been learning. It is an opportunity to deepen it and to invite our Temple Emanu El family to continue the journey together.

I hope you will join us for what will be a very special weekend. - *Rabbi Matt*

Scholar-in-Residence

Mussar Shabbaton Weekend with Alan Morinis

Mussar is a 1,000-year-old Jewish spiritual practice focused on cultivating personal character and ethical behavior through the study of middot (soul traits) like patience, gratitude, and humility. It offers practical tools for mindfulness and self-transformation, helping individuals align daily actions with their inner, divine essence to live a more meaningful life.



Alan Morinis, founder of The Mussar Institute, received his doctorate from Oxford University. He is one of the leading lights in the revival of the Jewish spiritual tradition of Mussar and is the author of five books.

We are *grateful* to our Weekend Sponsors

- Anonymous (3)
- Elliot & Natasha Davidson
- Ruth & Mark Elliott
- Jo Ann & Jeff Fink
- Debe Levine Klotzman & Kerry Klotzman
- Benjamin & Alice Krall Prayer Book Fund
- Helene Krasney & Gary Moskowitz
- Gloria & Leon Plevin Education Fund
- George & Pam Richards
- Rebecca Rolleston
- Cindy Jo Shwab
- Manny & Sherrie Sperling Family Arts & Entertainment Fund (as of 3/12)

Friday, May 22

5:45pm | Shabbat Nosh

★ 6:15pm | Shabbat Service

Sermon by Alan Morinis:
“Jewish Spiritual Journeys”

Saturday, May 23

★ 9:30am | Torah Study

“From Sinai to Transformative Torah”

★ 11:30am | Brunch & Learn
Light Dairy Meal
“The Pleasures of Shabbat”

★ 3:00pm | Afternoon Text Study
“Your Life & My Holiness:
What’s the Connection?”

★ 8:00pm | Dessert, Havdalah & Teaching
“The Tachlis - Putting Mussar into Practice”

Alan will also be doing a book signing at this session.
Alan’s books can be purchased through Amazon.

★ RSVP for each Saturday session

to AWalker@teecleve.org

TEE Members: No charge

Non-Members: \$36/person all access ticket



4545 Brainard Road, Orange Village

79th Temple Emanu El

Congregational Annual Meeting

Sunday, May 3, 2026

9:30 a.m. Congregational Annual Meeting

10:30 a.m. Religious School Celebration of Learning
& Honoring Education Director Eileen Sadowsky

11:15 a.m. Community Brunch

RSVP requested to awalker@teecleve.org



Resolution: The following Trustee slate has been nominated to serve on the Board of Trustees for three-year terms (June 1, 2026 - May 31, 2029):

- 1st Term: Rachel Torrance
- Additionally, Wesley Kretch will complete a vacated term which will end on May 31, 2027.

Resolution: The following Officer slate has been nominated to serve on the Board of Trustees for a one-year term (June 1, 2026 - May 31, 2027):

- Pamela C. Richards • President
- Susan Freimark • Executive Vice-President
- Michelle Nozik Bogomolny • Vice-President/Personnel
- Hermine Krasny Ostro • Treasurer
- David Silverman • Secretary
- Mitchell Cronig • Immediate Past President

Submitted by the Nominating & Leadership Development Committee: Mitchell Cronig, Chair;
Michelle Bailin, Susan Freimark, Dan Goldfarb, Sharon Lockman, Nelson Pitlor, Pamela C. Richards, Ashley Walker

NOTED

May

DATES

See flyers or TEE mail for event details

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TEE's 79th Annual Meeting + Celebration of Learning + Honoring Eileen Sadowsky + Brunch

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Confirmation + HS Graduation Shabbat Service

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Feeding the Soul: Mussar Lunch n'Learn

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TEE'S GALA FUNDRAISER
"Lost in Times Square"

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Shavuot - TEE Office + Preschool Closed

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22-23

MUSSAR SCHOLAR IN RESIDENCE
Learn with Alan Morinis, Founder of the Mussar Institute

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Memorial Day - TEE Office + Preschool Closed

JUNE
5

TEE Preschool Graduation Shabbat Service

JUNE
14

Brotherhood @ Guardians Game

Celebrate Shabbat

FRIDAYS:

5:45 pm | In-person Shabbat Nosh

6:15 pm | In-person & Livestream Shabbat Service

For all streamed services & events, go to the homepage of our website (www.teecleve.org), click on "Participate" at the top & then "Stream." Then click on the image in the center of the page as the stream begins.

Talkin' Torah Zoom Info: Meeting ID: 846.5218.0544 | Passcode: TEETorah

Friday, May 1

Lay-Led Shabbat Service • 6:15 pm

Saturday, May 2

Parashat Emor
Talkin' Torah with Rabbi Matt • 9:30 am

Friday, May 8

Shabbat Service • 6:15 pm
with Confirmation & High School
Graduation

Saturday, May 9

Parashat Behar-Bechukotai
Talkin' Torah with Rabbi Matt • 9:30 am

Friday, May 15

Shabbat Service • 6:15 pm

Saturday, May 16

Parashat Bamidbar
Talkin' Torah with Rabbi Matt • 9:30 am

Thursday, May 21

Erev Shavuot

Friday, May 22

Shabbat & Yizkor Service • 6:15 pm
D'var Torah by Mussar Educator Dr. Alan Morinis

Saturday, May 23

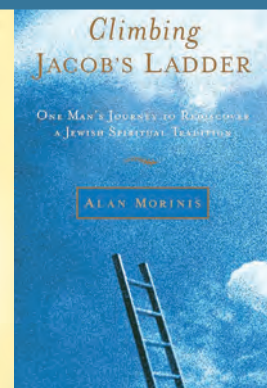
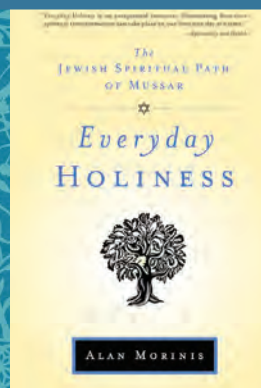
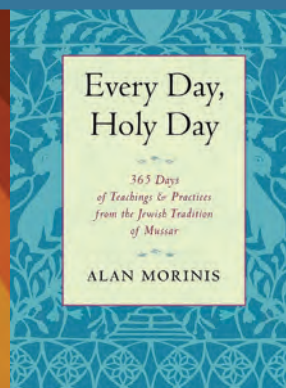
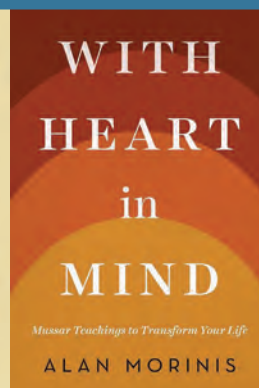
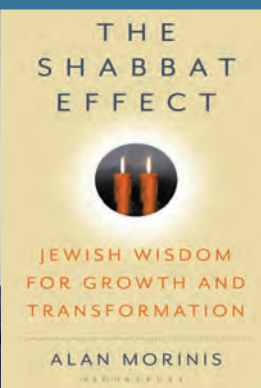
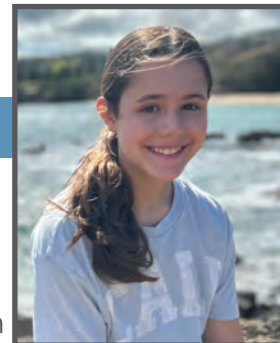
Yizkor & Shavuot, Second Day
Talkin' Torah with Rabbi Matt &
Mussar Educator • 9:30 am
Brunch & Learn with Mussar Educator • 11:30 am
Afternoon Text Study with Mussar Educator • 3:00 pm
Dessert, Havdalah & Teaching
with Mussar Educator • 8:00 pm

Friday, May 29

Shabbat Service • 6:15 pm

Saturday, May 30

Parashat Nasso
Talkin' Torah • 9:30 am
Shabbat Service • 10:30 am
Bat Mitzvah of Rachel Couch,
Daughter of Kelly & Christopher Couch



Confirmation & Graduation

Shabbat Service

Friday, May 8th

5:45pm Shabbat Nosh

6:15pm Shabbat Service

Rabbi Matt will lead the service with

Ayden Cohen

Megan Cohen

Samantha Cohen

Marissa Lockman

Lillian Paponetti

Drew Rosenblum



Temple Emanu El

WE SAVED YOU A SEAT



Step into the electric heart of New York City, where neon lights blaze, crowds collide, and something extraordinary unfolds.

Temple Emanu El Gets **LOST IN** **TIMES SQUARE**

Date
Saturday, May 16, 2026
From - Gate
Temple Emanu El
4545 Brainard Road
Orange Village

Boarding Time
6:15 PM • VIP Access
7:00 PM • Event Start



Ages 21 & Up
RSVP by • 05.12.2026
Dress Code • Night Out in NYC
Open Bar • Buffet • Raffles
Silent Auction • Ball Drop
Street Performers • Photo booth
All proceeds to benefit TEE



BOARDROOM

LOST IN TIMES SQUARE

VIP SPEAKEASY DONOR RECEPTION

This private enclave is only for Patrons, Sponsors & Partners. (see RSVP form)

Slip beyond the bright lights and into something more intimate... As a valued guest of Temple Emanu El's Gala you are cordially invited to an exclusive Speakeasy VIP Donor Reception at 6:15pm.

Inside, you'll enjoy:

- A guided whiskey tasting
- Specialized wine service
- A menu of curated hors d'oeuvres
- An atmosphere of vintage charm & quiet sophistication

Entry instructions will be discreetly provided.

We look forward to welcoming you behind the curtain, because the best parts of Times Square are the ones you have to find.

New York,
New York

IT'S UP TO YOU

Temple Emanu El Gets

LOST IN

TIMES SQUARE

SPONSORSHIP + ADMISSION

Respond by Thursday, May 14th

Drop off, Email or Mail: 4545 Brainard Road, Orange Village, OH 44022

AWalker@teecleve.org

For questions, contact Renee Delafronconi: 216.408.1030

1. TOURIST ATTENDEES

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Email _____

Phone _____

2. SPONSORSHIP & ADMISSION

Patrons, Sponsors & Partners will be invited to the VIP Speakeasy Donor Reception (see insert details) and listed in the Program Book, social media, & event signage.

- **Fun Money Patron** Reserved Table for 10 Guests + 10 Raffle Tickets # ____ @ \$6,500 = \$ _____
- **Ball Drop Patron** Reserved Table for 8 Guests + 8 Raffle Tickets # ____ @ \$5,000 = \$ _____
- **Food & Servers Patron** Reserved Table for 6 Guests + 6 Raffle Tickets # ____ @ \$4,000 = \$ _____
- **Bar Sponsor** 6 Guests + 6 Raffle Tickets # ____ @ \$3,000 = \$ _____
- **Raffle & Prizes Sponsor** 4 Guests + 4 Raffle Tickets # ____ @ \$2,500 = \$ _____
- **Speakeasy VIP Reception Sponsor** 4 Guests + 4 Raffle Tickets # ____ @ \$2,000 = \$ _____
- **Wine Pull Sponsor** 2 Guests + 4 Raffle Tickets # ____ @ \$1,500 = \$ _____
- **Photo Booth Sponsor** 2 Guests + 2 Raffle Tickets # ____ @ \$1,000 = \$ _____
- **Street Performer Sponsor** 2 Guests # ____ @ \$500 = \$ _____
- **Orchestra Partner** 1 Guest # ____ @ \$200 = \$ _____
- **Mezzanine Partner** 1 Guest # ____ @ \$150 = \$ _____
- **Balcony General Admission** 1 Guest # ____ @ \$100 = \$ _____
- **I/We cannot attend, but would like to make a donation** = \$ _____

TURN OVER FOR FUND-A-NEED + PAYMENT

LOST IN TIMES SQUARE

FUND-A-NEED + RAFFLE + PAYMENT

3. FUND-A-NEED

This summer, Temple Emanu El will celebrate 18 (Chai) years of worship, learning, and community in Orange Village. We are fortunate to have a facility that has supported our congregation as we continue to grow and thrive. As with our own homes, it is essential that we ensure our building remains structurally sound.

With the generous support of donors to this year's Fund-a-Need, we hope to undertake an Entryway Upgrade this summer. While this project may not be the most glamorous, it is a necessary investment. The work includes the installation of proper drainage along the front of the building, repair of the entry base, and reinstallation of our existing pavers. The total cost of this essential project is \$30,000.

• I/WE WOULD LIKE TO MAKE A DONATION TO THE FUND-A-NEED \$ _____

4. RAFFLE

Enter the "Escape to the Big Apple" Raffle! Get ready for bright lights, big dreams, and pure New York magic. Imagine yourself walking through Times Square on your way to a Broadway show, exploring Central Park, and eating through Chinatown and Little Italy. Win \$1,000 towards a weekend getaway!

Underwritten by the Renee Delafronconi Discretionary Fund

____ @ \$25 PER TICKET OR 5 TICKETS FOR \$100 = \$ _____

5. PAYMENT

Cash will not be used at the event. All purchases at the Gala will be added to check out sheets and will be paid by check, billed to the credit card indicated below, or added to your Temple statement (payable by 5/31/26)

Check for \$ _____ made payable to Temple Emanu El

Credit Card# _____

Exp. Date _____ CVV# _____ Zip Code _____

I/We will pay a voluntary 3% credit card processing fee to offset costs \$ _____

GRAND TOTAL \$ _____

TURN OVER FOR SPONSORSHIP + ADMISSION

Yahrzeit

✧ Denotes a perpetual yahrzeit plaque has been installed in the Kumin Family Memorial Alcove

Week Ending May 1

- ✧ Isadore Bloom
- Sigmund Cohen
- Yael Cohen
- Alan Cooper
- Ben Davies
- ✧ Edythe Firestone
- Charles Fishman
- ✧ Maurice L. Goldstein
- Joel Greenberg
- ✧ Dr. Harry Hauser
- ✧ Sam B. Hoffman
- ✧ Sari Meyer Jordan
- Martin Klebanow
- Lois Krumholz
- ✧ David Lefkowitz
- Jeffrey Levey
- ✧ Milton S. Lipson
- Gene Phillips
- Dale Powers
- Irving Pritzker
- ✧ Bertha Raznick
- ✧ Bruce M. Reifman
- ✧ Saundra Scher
- ✧ Robert L. Sedley
- ✧ Meyer Selzman
- David Snow
- Robert Stern
- ✧ Leroy Timen
- Harry Tirk
- Hans Wimpfheimer
- Zandra Yaffe

Week Ending May 8

- Jeanette Berkelhamer
- Minnie Brenis
- Muriel Cohen
- Michael Falcon
- Helma Fine
- Adam Scott Freimark
- ✧ Martin Garber
- Dora Goodman
- ✧ Pauline Haims
- ✧ Augusta L. Hinds
- Robert Katz
- ✧ Rebecca Katz
- ✧ Abe R. Kipperman
- Reggie Krasney
- Frances Liss
- Beverly Mann
- Joseph Marcovy
- Faulkner Merdes
- Leila Peters
- ✧ Benjamin Plevin
- ✧ Celia Posner
- ✧ Jay Rosenberg
- Helene Schechter
- ✧ Max Schleifer
- ✧ Regina Schwartz
- ✧ Ruth R. Serlin
- ✧ Esther Blum Spevack
- Marc Stieglitz
- Bruce Waldman

Week Ending May 15

- ✧ Lois Abt
- ✧ Sally Brust
- ✧ Albert J. Davidson
- ✧ Sanford Eisler
- ✧ Esther Frieder
- Abraham Greenberg
- Eva Hirsch
- Roslyn Hirschfeld
- Rachel Jacobs
- ✧ Lillian Koch
- ✧ Gilbert Krantz
- ✧ Sandra H. Levin
- Herbert Madgen
- ✧ Helen Markowitz
- Joel Pitlor
- ✧ Janice Mae Reifman
- ✧ Harry H. Rose
- Jacob Rosenbaum
- Sidney Rubin
- ✧ Louis L. Schaffer
- Isabel Schusterman
- Jack Silverman
- Aaron Taymor
- ✧ Julius Uchitel
- ✧ Sanford D. Wallenstein
- Rosalyn Waxman
- ✧ Samuel R. Weiskind

Week Ending May 22

- Gertrude Baron
- Meyer Bregman
- Luke Coleman
- Barbara Coopersmith
- Bryan DeHaan
- Ann Dery
- Gerald Fields
- Lester Frank
- ✧ Abraham Friedberg
- ✧ Adella Gilman
- Manya Gun
- ✧ Yetta Halpert
- ✧ Leo Halpert
- Goldie Kramer
- ✧ Anne Krassovitz
- ✧ Ernest Laks
- Morris Lebowitz
- Milton Mann
- ✧ Theodore Marks
- ✧ Esther Messinger
- ✧ Gilbert Metzler
- David Meyer
- Miriam Molecke
- ✧ Tracy E. Myers
- Lena Pester
- Mollie Roberts
- Elaine Rozen
- Arnold Sachs
- Anna Schwartz
- ✧ Leo Sebransky
- David Shwartz
- ✧ Hubert B. Stern
- ✧ David Weinstein
- ✧ Elsie Weiss
- Margaret Wine
- ✧ Jerry Zober



Yahrzeit

Week Ending
May 29

Milton Bailin

☆ Dr. Bernard L Brofman

☆ Stuart L. Buchler

Irene Davis

Richard Goddard

☆ Dr. David Goodman

☆ Martha V. Greenberg

☆ Charles K. Harris

Ted Hersh

Robert Hershey

☆ Robert A. Koenig

☆ Helen Krantz

☆ Jack M. Landau

Robert Leibowitz

Rose Levine

☆ Louis Markowitz

☆ Iris Light Mechanic

☆ Ralph Mechanic

☆ Jack Neben

Evelyn Perloff

Mel Rozen

Lucille Rubin

☆ Sara Ruby

Sol Siegal

Dinah Sobul

☆ Jacob Solvith

Rebecca Waldman

Please reach out to
Renee Delafronci,
reneed@teecleve.org
for information on
yahrzeit plaques or
cemetery lots.

“The essential features of Mussar can be summarized under two headings: 1. it offers us a ”map” of the inner life and 2. it offers us a body of practices we can employ to transform our inner ways.” ~ Everyday Holiness, by Alan Morinis

The Map

Humility *Anavah*

Patience *Savlanut*

Gratitude *Hakarot Ha'Tov*

Compassion *Rachamim*

Order *Seder*

Equanimity *Menuchat Ha'Nefesh*

Honor *Kavod*

Simplicity *Histapkut*

Enthusiasm *Zerizut*

Silence *Shtikah*

Generosity *Nedivut*

Truth *Emet*

Moderation *Shevil Hazakov*

Loving-Kindness *Chesed*

Responsibility *Achrayut*

Trust *Bitachon*

Faith *Emunah*

Yirah *Yirah*



Milestones

Milestone birthdays are listed every 5 years beginning at age 25 & every year after age 90.
Anniversaries are listed every 5 years & every year after 50 years.

MAY MILESTONE BIRTHDAYS

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|------|---------------------|
| 5/4 | Matthew Kall |
| 5/4 | Debbie Halpern |
| 5/8 | Fred Goodman |
| 5/8 | Earl Cohen |
| 5/10 | Susan Landau Golden |
| 5/10 | Mark Elliott |
| 5/11 | Steve Schechter |
| 5/14 | Richard Gross |
| 5/19 | Richard Dettelbach |

MAY MILESTONE ANNIVERSARIES

5/22 Cameron & Anna Borenstein Wright

Our Congregation Mourns

THE CONGREGATION MOURNS THE LOSS OF OUR MEMBERS:

Eileen Pritzker
mother of Lori Kaplan

Nason Lightman
father of David Lightman & Lisa Lightman

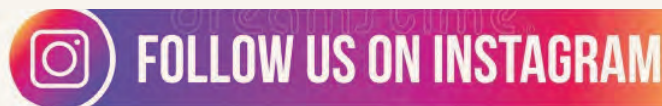
Robert Weiser
husband of Susan Weiser

WE EXTEND OUR CONDOLENCES TO:

Susan (Brett) Regal
on the loss of her mother,
Joan Eigner

Lisa (Mitchell) Cronig
on the loss of her father,
Harold Waxman

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FOLLOW US ON INSTAGRAM

@TempleEmanuEICLE



FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK

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We are less than one week away from Ohio's primary election. Polls will be open on May 5 from 6:30 am to 7:30 pm.

Voting is an important way to choose the leaders who represent us and to support the interests of our community. If you plan to vote early, you can request an absentee ballot or vote in person at the Cuyahoga County Board of Elections (1803 Superior Avenue, Cleveland, OH 44114).

Please make a plan to vote. Visit the Cuyahoga County Board of Elections website to find your polling location and see which offices and issues will appear on your ballot.

Dedications

As of 4/28/26

ADMINISTRATIVE

General Operating Fund

in memory of

Harold Waxman by Beth Dery & Steve Schechter, Marlene Cohen, Allison Levine, Shirley Scheer, Helene Krasney & Gary Moskowitz, Andrea Mindell, Wendy Cohen, Loretta Magden, Susan & Randall Klein

Eva Mandula by Theresa & Mitch Lapin

Philip Wasserstrom by Elaine Neifach

Ilene Rawson by David Rawson

Louis Persky by Brian Zaner

in appreciation of

Temple Emanu El by Judi Miller & John Davies

Chesed Fund

in memory of

Eileen Pritzker by Naomi & Matt Kall

Harold Waxman by Naomi & Matt Kall

DISCRETIONARY

Rabbi Matt Cohen Discretionary Fund

in appreciation of

Rabbi Matt Cohen for the funeral of Harold Waxman by Lisa & Mitchell Cronig

in memory of

Joan Bradley Freedman Eigner by Susan & Brett Regal

Bernice & Seymour Krevsky by Betty & Daniel Malmad

Renee Delafronconi Discretionary Fund

in memory of

Joan Bradley Freedman Eigner by Susan & Brett Regal

EARLY EDUCATION

Sharyn Bailin Memorial Preschool Fund

in memory of

Jackie Wieder & William Burstyn by Michelle & Mark Bailin

EDUCATION

Camp & Israel Fund

in memory of

Sherry Berkowitz by Lee & Peter Haas

Sophie Herman Religious School Fund

in memory of

Ruth Berger by Judy Uram & Earl Cohen

in appreciation of

Pam Richards' leadership by Judy Uram & Earl Cohen

in honor of

Eileen Sadowsky's retirement and Suzi Freimark becoming our next TEE Executive Vice President by Judy Uram & Earl Cohen

Fred & Judy Klotzman Jewish Experience Fund

in memory of

Fred Klotzman by Judith Klotzman

Betty & Harvey Krantz Religious School Tuition Fund

in memory of

Harold Waxman by Nadine & Kenneth Chavin

in honor of

Eileen Sadowsky by Marcia & Marc Bakst

Dr. Martin & Rita Krasny Scholarship Fund

in memory of

Shirley Arnoff by Hermine & David Ostro

Elaine Katz Rembrandt Drama Fund

in memory of

Harold Waxman by Rabbi Daniel Roberts

in honor of

Lynn Ritvo by Rabbi Daniel Roberts

Dedications Continued

FACILITIES, ENHANCEMENT & BEAUTIFICATION

Richard Landis Name Badge Fund

in memory of

Marvin Rubin by Kay Kaplan

Thank You!

We are so grateful to all of you who make donations to our funds. Your donations support TEE programming throughout the year, help provide for local and national causes that are dear to our Jewish values, and assist members of our congregation who might require extra support. It is your continued care that sustains our missions and makes all the difference.

Online Donations

Donations can be made online through our website home page. Click on the link to make a donation in honor or in memory of a loved one. (Do Not try to Log In) Please note that in order to complete your online donation, you will need the recipient's email address. If you do not have an email address, you can still make a donation by contacting Louis Innenberg, 216.454.1217 or linnenberg@teecleve.org.



Feeding the Soul: A Mussar Lunch n' Learn

In Memory of Larry Mattes

May 14th | 12-1pm

Mussar is a Jewish spiritual study and practice that gives us the tools to live more meaningful and holy lives. These monthly gatherings will examine foundational Mussar middot (values) through text study, group discussion and daily practice.

- ★ Taught by Rabbi Matt Cohen
- ★ Bring your own lunch
- ★ Beverages provided by TEE Brotherhood
- ★ Open to All TEE Members
- ★ RSVP by 5/13 to Ashley Walker, awalker@teecleve.org



4545 Brainard Road, Orange Village



Take Me Out to the



GUARDIANS

Game



Sponsored by TEE Brotherhood



MEN MAKING A DIFFERENCE

SUNDAY, JUNE 14th @1:40 PM

Cleveland Guardians vs. Detroit Tigers

KIDS FUN DAY + RUN THE BASES

Tickets are \$19.00 (\$45 value)

VIEW BOXES, SECTION 461, ROWS B-E

GET YOUR TICKETS NOW BEFORE THEY ARE SOLD OUT

LIMITED NUMBER OF TICKETS AVAILABLE

PAY BY MAY 24TH (NO REFUNDS)

GUARDIANS TICKET RESERVATION FORM

Please send check payable to TEE Brotherhood:
TEE Brotherhood, 4545 Brainard Rd., Orange Village, OH 44022
OR pay by Venmo to @Len-Gold (1156), include email address

Name(s): _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Number of Tickets _____ x \$19.00 _____ Check Amount \$ _____

Tickets will be distributed digitally to your MLB account upon payment
Questions? Email Len Gold, crete2us@gmail.com

**MUST BE
RECEIVED BY
MAY 24**

Community-Wide Tikkun Leil Shavuot 5786

Thursday, May 21 - Friday, May 22, 2026 - 7:00 pm - 7:00 am

B'nai Jeshurun Congregation, 27501 Fairmount Blvd., Pepper Pike, OH 44124



FREE and Open to the Community

Come for one session or the entire evening - Doors open at 6:45 pm

Pre-registration Required by Monday, May 18

For Registration and Updated Schedule, go to the website at

<https://www.bnajeshurun.org/tikkun2026.html> or scan the QR code

Select sessions will be streamed



TIKKUN
LEILSHAVUOT



Presented by B'nai Jeshurun Congregation and
the Estelle & Dr. Milton Rosenberg ^{77r} Tikkun Leil Study Session Fund

As of April 13, teachers include:

- Naama Arzi**, Director of Jewish Life and Learning, Mandel Jewish Day School
- Nomie Bental**, Executive Director, Ketzev Cleveland Israeli dance
- Dr. Dafna Ben-Yosef**, Director of Jewish Lifelong Learning, Siegal Lifelong Learning, CWRU
- Rabbi Noah Benjamin Bickart**, Mandel Chair in Jewish Studies, John Carroll University
- Elise Braverman-Plotkin**, Community Educator
- Chaia & Teddy Eisenberg**, Composer, intersection of Yiddish culture & electronic music
- Ella Caspi**, Community Shlichah
- Rabbi Matt Cohen**, Temple Emanu El
- Rabbi Josh Foster**, B'nai Jeshurun Congregation
- Ginny Galili**, Head of School & **Sheri Gross**, Director of Arts & Culture, Gross Schechter Day School
- Cheryl Gordon**, Community Educator
- Rabbi Danny Gottlieb**, Suburban Temple-Kol Ami
- Rabbi Peter Haas**, Abba Hillel Silver Professor Emeritus, CWRU
- Ed Horowitz, Ph.D.**, School of Communications, CSU
- Bob Jacob**, Editor, Cleveland Jewish News
- Rabbi Joshua Jacobs**, B'nai Jeshurun Congregation
- Professor Doron Kalir**, College of Law, CSU
- Rabbi Roger C. Klein**, Congregation Mishkan Or
- Rabbi David Komerofsky**, Temple Israel, Canton
- Dr. Dale Levy**, Past President, FJMC International, KIO Region
- Rabbi Melinda Mersack**, Director, jHUB
- Rabbi Shoshana Nyer**, Suburban Temple Kol Ami
- Dr. Katya Oicherman**, Museum Director, Congregation Mishkan Or
- Rabbi Shalom Plotkin**, Chaplain, VA
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- Rabbi Thalia Halpert Rodis**, Chayim Tovim: Living Well, Jewish Education Center of Cleveland
- Rabbi Scott B. Roland**, Congregation Shaarey Tikvah
- Rabbi Alex Rosenbaum**, Director, JWell, B'nai Jeshurun Congregation
- Cantor Alyssa Rosenbaum**, B'nai Jeshurun Congregation
- Rabbi Michael Ross**, Temple Beth Shalom, Hudson
- Rabbi Hal Rudin-Luria**, B'nai Jeshurun Congregation
- Rabbi Steve Segar**, Kol HaLev
- Yoshi Silverstein**, Founder & Executive Director, Mitsui Collective
- Rabbi Dan Utley**, Director, Camp Wise, Mandel JCC of Cleveland

Schedule

Session 1 - 7:00-7:40 pm

Session 2 - 7:45-8:25 pm

Candle Lighting - 8:25 pm

Session 3 - 8:30-9:25 pm

Ma'ariv Festival Evening Service - 9:30 pm

Dessert Grand Buffet - 10:00 pm

Session 4 - 10:30-11:15 pm

Session 5 - 11:20 pm-12:05 am

Breakfast Bar - 12:05 - 3:30 am

Session 6 - 12:30-1:30 am

Session 7 - 1:40-2:40 am

Session 8 - 2:50-3:50 am

Kabbalistic Mystical Wedding - 4:15 am

Sunrise Shacharit Festival Service - 4:45 am

Tikkun Teen Program for 5th-12th grades with Avigail Botnik, Youth Director, B'nai Jeshurun Congregation from 7 - 8:30 pm

Open library with Dr. R. Raphael Simon,

Librarian, B'nai Jeshurun Congregation from 7:00 pm - 1:00 am



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