



GREEN ROAD SYNAGOGUE

"Where we enrich our lives and our community through
TAM: Torah, Ahavat Yisrael & Medinat Yisrael."

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החודש אלול תשס"ט



Mazel Tov to our Olim!

On August 4th, several of our members made Aliya with the help of Nefesh B'Nefesh. Here are some pictures of their arrival in Eretz Yisrael.



We wish Hatzlacha to our Olim:

Yosef & Sher Mandelbaum & Family

Yoel & Ronit Oz & Family

Steven & Sarah Rosen & Family

Yossi & Miriam Sausen & Family

Rafi Engelhart, son of Miriam & Gerry.

Jeremy Davis, son of Evie & Howard



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Elul

In Chodesh Elul, we begin the process of introspection. This process culminates on Yom Kippur. Whereas our Sephardic brethren recite Selichot throughout the entire month, our practice is to blow the Shofar at Shacharit and recite Psalm 27 at both Shacharit and Mincha for the month of Elul. We begin our Selichot recitation very early on the Sunday morning before.

Rosh Hashana

The Hebrew letters for Elul: "Aleph, Lamed, Vov, Lamed," are used by the Midrash to represent the famous verse in Shir Hashirim: "Ani L'Dodi V'Dodi Li," — "I am my beloved and my beloved is mine." The "beloved" represents G-d; thus, throughout Elul our introspection and T'shuva are designed to recover our love and reconciliation with G-d.



DONATION OPPORTUNITIES

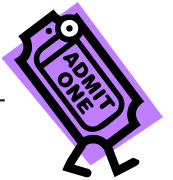
We would like to thank our members who have sponsored Kiddush or Seudah Shlishit or made other general donations this past year. Further, Sponsoring a Kiddush or Seudah Shlishit is a wonderful way to help support the Synagogue while sharing your events with the community. There are many ways in which you can support the Synagogue.

Donation	Cost	Requests
Kiddush:	Starts at \$360...	_____
Seudah Shlishit	Starts at \$180...	_____
Sanctuary Window Plaque ..	\$500	_____
Sanctuary Seat	\$1000	_____
Yahrzeit Plaque	\$350	_____
Simcha Board Plaque	\$100	_____
Chumash	\$54	_____
Machzor	\$36	_____
Donation Card	\$18 and up	_____

Please call Jane in the office to make arrangements at 216-381-4757.

High Holiday Ticket Sales

If you are not current on your account for dues and pledges to the synagogue, you will have to purchase seats as a non-member for the High Holidays, including price and when you can buy them. To check on your account, please call the Synagogue office at 216-381-4757 and Jane will be happy to assist you.



1. If you have designated seats and wish to purchase ONLY these designated seats, then you may do so as of Monday, August 31st by contacting the office.
2. All MEMBERS who's dues and pledges are current may purchase seats as of Sunday, September 6th from 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM and continuing from Tuesday, September 8th at 9:00 AM (including those with designated seats who wish to purchase additional seats).
3. Open sales to non-members will start on Monday, September 14th at 9:00 AM.

Tickets for members will be \$90.00 for the Main Sanctuary and Perl Hall Minyan. Non-Member's fee is \$125.00.

High Holiday Kibbudim & Aliyot

We will once again be selling the Aliyot & Kibbudim for the High Holidays in advance through a silent auction. Bidding will open Motsaei Shabbat , August 22nd. Bids will start at \$100. The auction will close 10 minutes before Mincha on Erev Rosh Hashana

We have a 'Buy it Now' option. If you want to be certain of a specific Kavod or Aliyah, you may buy it for \$350 at any time (Maftir buy-it-now price is \$500).



To place a bid or for more information contact the office at 216-381-4757 or email Office@GreenRoadSynagogue.org.



MONTHLY CALENDAR - ELUL

Thurs.-Fri., August 20-21 - **Rosh Chodesh Elul**
Morning Services 6:30 a.m.

Parshat Shoftim

Friday, August 21
Candle Lighting 7:59 p.m.
Kabbalat Shabbat 7:15 p.m.

Saturday, August 22
Morning Service 9:00 a.m.
Rabbi's Talmud Class 6:45 p.m.
Mincha 7:45 p.m.
Motsaei Shabbat 8:58 p.m.
Sunday Morning Services 8:00 a.m.
Weekday Morning Services 6:40 a.m.
Weekday Evening Services 8:00 p.m.

Sunday, August 23
Rabbi Granatstein's class in Jewish Philosophical Text
At Torat Tzion Kollel 9:15 a.m.

Parshat Ki Tetse

Friday, August 28
Candle Lighting 7:50 p.m.
Kabbalat Shabbat 7:15 p.m.

Saturday, August 29
Morning Service 9:00 a.m.
Rabbi's Talmud Class 6:35 p.m.
Mincha 7:35 p.m.
Motsaei Shabbat 8:49 p.m.
Sunday Morning Services 8:00 a.m.
Weekday Morning Services 6:40 a.m.
Weekday Evening Services 7:50 p.m.

Sunday, August 30
Rabbi Granatstein's class in Jewish Philosophical Text
At Torat Tzion Kollel 9:15 a.m.

Parshat Ki Tavo

Friday, September 4
Candle Lighting 7:37 p.m.
Kabbalat Shabbat 7:15 p.m.

Saturday, September 5
Morning Service 9:00 a.m.
Rabbi's Talmud Class 6:25 p.m.
Mincha 7:25 p.m.
Motsaei Shabbat 8:36 p.m.
Sunday Morning Services 8:00 a.m.
Weekday Morning Services 6:40 a.m.
Weekday Evening Services 7:40 p.m.

PLEASE NOTE: When Davening at an early Kabbalat Shabbat Minyan, you should light candles at that time.

Sunday, September 6
Rabbi Granatstein's class in Jewish Philosophical Text
At Torat Tzion Kollel 9:15 a.m.

Monday, September 7 - **LABOR DAY**
Morning Services 8:00 a.m.

Parshat Nitzavim - VaYeLech

Friday, September 11
Candle Lighting 7:25 p.m.
Kabbalat Shabbat 7:15 p.m.

Saturday, September 12
Morning Service 9:00 a.m.
Rabbi's Talmud Class 6:15 p.m.
Mincha 7:15 p.m.
Motsaei Shabbat 8:24 p.m.
Sunday Morning Services 8:00 a.m.
Weekday Morning Services *Selichot 6:20 a.m.
Weekday Evening Services 7:30 p.m.

Saturday Night, September 12 - **SELICHOT NIGHT**
Coffee Hour 12:00 Midnight
Selichot 12:30 a.m.

Sunday, September 13
Rabbi Granatstein's class in Jewish Philosophical Text
At Torat Tzion Kollel 9:15 a.m.

IN SYMPATHY

המקום ירחם אתכם
בתוך שאר אבלי
ציון וירושלים



THE CONGREGATION
WOULD LIKE TO EXTEND
ITS HEARTFELT
CONDOLENCES

TO JERRY HALBERSTADT &
FAMILY ON THE PASSING OF
OUR MEMBER MARY
WYMAN.

TO SAM & SUSAN SHVARTZ
& FAMILY ON THE PASSING
OF SAM'S FATHER,
YITZCHAK SHVARTZ, IN
ISRAEL.

TO THE FAMILY OF OUR
MEMBER MEYER HERMAN,
WHO PASSED AWAY ON
JULY 22ND.

MAZEL TOV

To Roger & Chaya Slain on the birth of a girl, Maya Rose (Maya Rochel).

To Jonathan & Dahna Baskin on the birth of a girl. Mazel Tov to grandparents Yehuda & Barbara Baskin.

To Yehuda & Yael Cik on the birth of a girl, Hanna Ava (Chana Chaya). Mazel Tov to grandparents Barry & Regina Cik.

To Ira & Barbara Taub on the birth of a baby girl, Shoshana Leiba.

To Moishe & Robyn Lovinger on the birth of twin boys. Mazel Tov to grandmother Gizela Lovinger.

To Barry & Regina Cik on the birth of a granddaughter, Eve (Chava) born to their daughter, Rachelle & Noah Lewinger of Hollywood, FL.

To Harvey Horwitz & Leah Meyer on the birth of a granddaughter, Tiferet Chana, born locally to their daughter Judy & Tamir Goodman.

To George & Pepi Weisz on the birth of a great-grandson, David Weisz, born to Rabbi Naftali & Abby Weisz of Columbus

To Rabbi Yehuda & Channah Appel on the engagement of their daughter Chaya to Ariel Fishman, son of Rabbi Yechiel & Chagit Fishman of Lawrence, NY.

To Philip & Pessy Baskin on their marriage. Mazel Tov to their parents Barbara & Yehuda Baskin and Zimra & Yaakov Pinkesz.

To Barry & Lynne Shiller upon their son, Benjamin, receiving Smicha from Yeshivat Chovevei Torah.



DONATIONS

We would like to thank the following for their generous contributions to our Synagogue.

WE THANK LIAM SHAMIR FOR DONATING A YAD FOR TORAH READING AT HIS BAR MITZVAH IN MEMORY OF CAL KIRCHICK.

IN MEMORY OF:

Margaret Herskovitz Wine: Sanford & Linda Herskovitz;
Arnold & Ellen Herskovitz; Ricky & Mort Lesser

Carol & Bill Weimer's Daughter: Judy & Ted Hersh

Sam Maizner: Judy & Ted Hersh

Sam Shvartz's Father, Yitzchak Shvartz: Herschel & Sheila
Pickholtz; Cyndee & Harry Goldstein

Cal Kirchick: Chaya & Robert Schottenstein

Meyer Herman: Louis & Sarah Radzeli

IN HONOR OF:

Philip & Pessy Baskin's Marriage: Judy Kirchick

Yehuda & Yael Cik's new daughter: Ivan Goldberg

Roger & Chaya Slain's new daughter: Ivan Goldberg

Jonathan & Dahna Baskin's new daughter: Ivan Goldberg

A Speedy Recovery to Louis Radzeli: Rose Epstein

KIDDUSH:

June 27: By Barbara & Yehuda Baskin in honor of their son
Philips' marriage to Pessy Sloan.

July 11: Jointly by:

Murray & Sarah Kudroff in memory of Murray's
parents, Samuel & Rae Kudroff

Morry & Judy Weiss in memory of Morry's mother, Gizi
Weiss

Tibor & Irene Rosenberg in memory of Tibor's father,
Pinchas Rosenberg

Moishe & Malka Rosenberg in memory of Moishe's
father, Pinchas Rosenberg

Sam & Susan Shvartz in memory of Sam's Mother,
Sally Shvartz

on the occasion of their Yahrzeits

Sponsor a Kiddush for the entire congregation starting
at \$360, or with Cholent at \$1000! To schedule a
Kiddush, call Dovid Greenberger at 216-401-7431.

Thank you...

Golda Mayers would like to thank everyone who visited, called,
sent donations, and gave support to her and her husband Sam
while she was recently in the hospital and recovering.

KIDDUSH (CONTINUED):

July 18: Jointly by Chaya & Roger Slain in honor of the naming of their
daughter, and in honor of our members who are making Aliya
this summer, including:

Yosef & Sher Mandelbaum & Family

Yoel & Ronit Oz & Family

Steven & Sarah Rosen & Family

Yossi & Miriam Sausen & Family

Jeremy Davis, son of Howard & Evie Davis

Rafi Engelhart, son of Gerry & Miriam Engelhart

July 25: Jointly by Johnathan & Dahna Baskin in honor of the birth of
their daughter Sharona Bracha,

And by Yehuda & Yael Cik in honor of the birth of their daughter
Hanna Ava.

August 1: Jointly by Judy Kirchick in memory of her husband Cal
Kirchick on the occasion of his first Yahrzeit

And by David Nittskoff & Thelma Silver in memory of David's
father Harold Nittskoff on the occasion of his Yahrzeit.

August 15: By Marla & Joe Shafran in honor of their son David's Auf Ruf
& upcoming marriage to Tamar Goldstein.

SEUDAH SHLISHIT:

July 18: By Gary & Zippora Coleman in memory of their fathers Yosef
Alal & Irving Coleman.

August 8: By Chaya & Robert Schottenstein and Arnold Altman in
memory of their parents Irving & Helen Altman.

August 15: By Miriam, Gerry, Yael & Talia Engelhart in honor of Rafi
making Aliya, David & Ora's first visit together to Cleveland,
and Adam leaving for Yeshivat HaKotel.