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Rabbi's Message

While news outlets broadcast non-stop about the upcoming primary elections in our country, there is another election taking place that affects

us as progressive Jews. From now until March 11, online voting is open for the

World Zionist Congress elections. Today, I cast my vote. For just a \$7.50 investment, I registered and voted in the election, with the hopes for providing much needed funding and support to the progressive Jewish community in Israel.

The Israel Movement for Progressive Judaism was a fledgling community when I was growing up in Israel. In 1981, when my father was ordained at the Hebrew Union College, in Jerusalem, he was a part of what was only the second class of native Israelis to complete the Reform Movement's rabbinic program. To be sure, progressive Jewish life in Israel has grown by leaps and bounds since then. HUC has ordained more than 100 rabbis many of whom serve in some forty movement congregations throughout the country. And the Conservative movement, as well, has had a steadily growing presence in Jerusalem, where both the Conservative Yeshiva and the Schechter Institute of Jewish Studies host hundreds of students each year.

But our work is far from over; on the contrary, it's only just begun. Research suggests that close to fifteen percent of Israelis identify with

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the Israeli Reform Movement. Still, the government does not recognize the legitimacy of non-Orthodox Judaism, and as a result, it treats Reform, Conservative, and Reconstructionist Jews in a much poorer manner, denying them the rights allotted to Orthodox Jews, whose expressions of Judaism are deemed “authentic” as opposed to ours. While I fully believe in the rights of ALL Jews to express their Judaism in any manner they wish, it is difficult for us progressive Jews to live Jewishly when we lack the support that our Orthodox counterparts receive from the State. More than once, the Reform Movement’s Israel Religious Action Center, has gone to court, fighting for the rights of groups like women of the wall, to pray at the Kotel, the Western Wall, or for Reform rabbis like Rabbi Miri Gold, to have her salary paid by the government, just as her Orthodox neighbors do. Bit by bit, it is making a real difference.

In a recent CCAR newsletter, my colleagues Rabbis Beth and Jonathan Singer, shared the following about why it is so important for us to

vote in the WZC elections: “one reason our movement has gained traction is because of the pioneering efforts of our female and male colleagues who are defining what it means to be “Religious” in Israel. Another reason is because five years ago, we organized and won a majority of North American votes in the WZC elections. As a result, two important things happened: we were able to direct 4 million dollars a year for five years to the Israeli Reform movement. It also gave us representation and a voice to challenge religious extremism...” Both ARZA, the American Reform Zionist Association, and MERCAZ, the Zionist arm of the Conservative movement, have slates which seek to continue to promote progressive Jewish values, and to support the work of our movements in Israel.

Please, invest in our homeland and in Progressive Judaism. For just \$7.50 - \$5.00 if you are between 18 and 25 – your voice can make a real difference! Go to ZionistElection.org and cast your vote today!

~Rabbi Carmit Harari

Presidents’ Message

While it is the middle of winter in the Chicago area in February, in Israel it is the start of the planting season. Tu B’Shevat is February 10th and is “The New Year of the Trees”. It is when the weather starts to warm and the trees emerge from their hibernation. Fruits and flowers begin to grow on the trees and many communities have Tu B’Shevat seders with fruits grown from trees, such as grapes, figs, pomegranates, olives and dates. In modern Israel Tu B’Shevat is also celebrated as ecological awareness day and trees are planted in celebration.

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Trees, besides being aesthetically pleasing, help the environment. They give shade, reducing temperature, they absorb gases such as sulfur dioxide and carbon dioxide and provide oxygen, fruit and flowers. So when the weather improves in our area, go out and plant a tree.



As we have been talking about and will continue to discuss, security for our congregants, staff and building is a priority. We have a Security Task Force that is working diligently to develop "A Security Policy" for Shir Tikvah. Once the plan is complete we will be sharing and educating the congregation on the program and what part each of us needs to play to make the plan effective. We continue

to be proactive in our practice and procedures rather than reactive or paranoid. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Presidents or Board members.

In December we had our Shir Tikvah Chanukah Party. There were over 100 people attending from children to the young at heart. We lit our Chanukiah and truly illuminated the social hall on the last night of Chanukah. A big thank you to Rick and Amy Bloomberg and family for chairing the party, to Nancy Friedman for leading us in Chanukah songs and to the wonderful committee and fantastic bakers.

As you may remember, the current, first board of Shir Tikvah was elected for two years. All officer and director terms will end in June of 2020. Jerry Tenny is the President-Elect and will do a wonderful job. We will be announcing the Nominating Committee shortly that will nominate the officers and directors who will work with Jerry in the coming year.

Stay warm and remember, each day is getting longer and spring is approaching.

~Sherry and Sherman

sisterhood
unity . purpose . cause
stronger together

The Women of Shir Tikvah have been quite busy. As part of a social action project, we provided dinner for the clients at the Crisis Center. We are busy planning for Sisterhood Shabbat on February 21. We will be leading and participating in the service that features several writings by women. Our speaker on the 21st will be Lenore Mass. Lenore is a member of KAM Isaiah Israel in Chicago where she served as past president. She is a board member of URJ. She served on the ARZA board and is part of the World Union for Progressive Judaism. Lenore will speak about the World Zionist Congress election.



Don't forget to join us for our February birthday celebration at Aurelio's on Wednesday, February 5 at 12:30.

Mark your calendars for three upcoming events. The Passover Taste and Tell is scheduled for March 25. Our annual community 2nd seder will be held on Thursday, April 9. Plans are underway for an Antique Roadshow event to be held on Wednesday, April 29. Watch your bulletin for details.

Gayle Weil, Sisterhood President

38th World Zionist Congress Vote

The 38th World Zionist Congress is scheduled to meet in Jerusalem from October 20-23, 2020.

The elections will determine the size of the various delegations to the Congress and are scheduled to be held from **January 21 to March 11, 2020** (MLK Day to Purim).

Currently, the United States has 145 delegates in the WZC, the largest single delegation outside Israel. Thanks to a robust turnout in the 2015 elections, 56 of the 145 delegates (39 percent) represent the Reform Movement and, as a result, have been able to ensure that more than \$4 million a year (\$20 million over five years) is being directed to the Israeli Reform Movement. By comparison, the Israeli government annually provides nearly 4 billion NIS (\$1.1 billion) to Orthodox and Haredi institutions in Israel.

A strong election turnout among North America's Reform Jews and our supporters and allies will ensure that financial resources will continue to flow to our Israeli movement – including Reform congregations and institutions. It also will allow us to fill leadership positions in some of Israel's national institutions, including the World Zionist Organization (WZO), the Jewish Agency for Israel, and Keren Kayemeth LeIsrael – Jewish National Fund (KKL-JNF).



WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO VOTE?

VOTERS IN THE WZC ELECTIONS MUST:

- Be 18 years of age or older (by June 30, 2020)
- Self-identify as Jewish
- Agree to the Jerusalem Program*, the official platform of the WZO and the Zionist Movement
- Agree to pay a minimal processing fee.

*The Jerusalem Program is the platform of the World Zionist Organization. It does not favor any specific organizational or political platform. It does not encourage Settlement activity across the Green line and simply tries to espouse the central principles of Zionism today. We are asking all those who vote to simply acknowledge that this is the platform of the World Zionist Organization.

Visit www.azm.org/elections to vote.

Shabbat Service Times for February 2020

Reform Services

Saturday, February 1, 10:15 am

Shabbat Morning Service

Parashat Bo

Torah: Exodus 10:1-11:3

Haftarah: Jeremiah 46: 13-28

Friday, February 7, 7:30 pm

Shabbat Evening Service

Saturday, February 8, 10:15 am

Shabbat Morning Service

Parashat Beshalach

Torah: 13:17-15:26

Haftarah: Judges 4:4-5:31

Friday, February 14, 7:30 pm

Shabbat Evening Service

Saturday, February 15, 9:45 am

Joint Shabbat Morning Service

Parashat Yitro

Torah: Exodus 18:1-20:22

Haftarah: Isaiah 6:1-7:6; 9:5-6

Friday, February 21, 7:30 pm

Sisterhood Shabbat Evening Service

Saturday, February 22, 10:15 am

Shabbat Morning Service

Parashat Mishpatim

Shabbat Shekalim

Torah: Exodus 21:1-22:3

Maftir: Exodus 30:11-16

Haftarah: 2 Kings 12:1-17

Friday, February 28, 7:30 pm

Shabbat Evening Service with Nancy Friedman

Saturday, February 29 10:15 am

Parashat Terumah

Torah: Exodus 25:1-25:40

Haftarah: 1 Kings 5:26-6:13

Conservative Services

Saturday, February 1, 9:45 am

Shabbat Morning Service

Parashat Bo

Torah: Exodus 10:1-11:3

Haftarah: Jeremiah 46: 13-28

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Candle Lighting Times

Friday, February 7

4:56 pm

Friday, February 14

5:05 pm

Friday, February 21

5:13 pm

Friday, February 28

5:22 pm

Candle lighting times are for Homewood, IL

Yahrzeits

WEEK OF 2/7/2020

Iona Adleman
Gerda Bauer
Jacob Blumstein
Frieda Butler
Meyer Chiz
James Collop
Harold Cox
Ethel Fidler
Jack Freeman
Harry Friedman
Lewis Froman
Ida Garb
Dora Goldman
Robert Hersh
Elfriede Jungster
Leonhard Kamberg
Raymond Kaplan
Norma Kaufer
Tillie Kaufer
Paul Lewin
Bessie Liebovitz
George Mednick
Abe Paskin
David Plotnick
Robert E. Rader
Betty L. Rosen
Stewart Rusnak
Bernadine Schlesinger
Harry Sharfman
Ann Shlensky
Trudy Sichel
Bernadine Slupski
Isidore Snitkowski
Ervin Sprintz
Meier Strauss
Amalie Wagner
William Warner
Bernard Weinberg
William Weinberg
Ilse Werner

WEEK OF 2/14/2020

Isadore Asher
Merwyn Brodsky
Kurt David
Rose Teitlebaum Fassberg
Sheila Gaspar
Dr. Harold Gerber
Joseph Hirsch
Mike Kaufmann
Joseph Lassner
Philip Lepinsky
Jane Adams Levin
Charles Levine
Martin Levy
Roslyn Moskowitz
Ida Riffer
Albert Rosenfeldt
Gerald Sager
Jeanne Sallinger
Mollie Shlensky
Regine J. Singer
Anna Somerman
Jette Stein
Leonard Stelzer
Maynard Stelzer
David Warfield
Arthur Michael Wax
Nathan Zatz



WEEK OF 2/21/2020

Irving Ackerman
Alfred Altmann
Bertha Korey Bardige
Tillie Bayer
Jacob Brotman
Sam Dosick
Sarah Fine
Earl Goldberg
Alyce Goodkin
Harry Gratz
Flora Joseph
Joseph Kamen
Malvina Katz
Stanley Kaufer
Morton Krass
Nathan Landauer
Emanuel Lazer
Esther Lepinsky
Isaac Levinson
Leah Levy
Bessie Lurie
Goldie Mankin
Erich Mathias
Louis Noven
Louis Paskin
Emil Reich
Dora Riekes
Betty Rosen
Morris Rosen
Recha Rosenberg
Peggy Scotch
Ann Shiff
Solomon Shuchter
Carrie S. Sichel
Irving Somerman
Jacob Stein
Gustav Stern
Dr. Robert Tigay
Allen Warshaw
Alexander Weber
Hykel Yalowitz
Nathan Zipperstein

WEEK OF 2/28/2020

Patricia Berkowitz
Sam Brown
Anna Chasanov
Sylvia Cohen
Isadore J. Dietch
Ben Dosick
Samuel Fox
Sonia Giffin
Sheldon Green
Ruth Hare
Anne Jacobson
Molly Kamins
Max Kaplan
Morris Krugman
Ida Lederman
Ida Levinson
James Lorsch
Harold Magid
Sam Marks
Ethel Miller
Rose Mozer
Harvey Nachenberg
Jack Ourach
Jerry Podwol
Gertrude Safcik
Dora Salk
Henrietta Schapiro
Maurice Schulman
Ruth Seewald
Filis Gitlitz Settle
Elaine R. Shapin
Adeline Shifris
Ann Shiff
Morris Shiff
Frances Shulein
Symia Smith
RayRuth Solomowitz
Mathilde Tigay
Alan Warady
Anna Weil
Fannie Wolgel
Ruth Yuster

February Birthdays

2/2 Trudy Barch
2/2 Jordan Sigale
2/3 Aaron Latman
2/4 Matthew Lipman
2/11 Simone Switt
2/12 Gail Kaufman
2/12 Thomas Michael Anger
2/12 Tyler Burnett
2/13 Grigoriy Abramov
2/13 Joshua Greenberg
2/15 Risa Herbstman
2/15 Norman Weil
2/15 Ellen Dreyfus
2/15 Judy Lohr-Safcik
2/16 Shari Cohen
2/17 Rhoda Elias
2/17 Joel Cahan
2/18 Nancy Friedman
2/18 Tom Anger
2/18 Leo Wolfson
2/19 Risa Graff
2/19 Penny Shnay
2/21 Carly Anger
2/21 Louis Bloomberg
2/22 Sarah Goldberg
2/24 Cheryl Warshaw
2/25 Noah Cahan
2/26 Barbara Cohan
2/26 Harriet Sussman



March Birthdays

3/2 Jacob Schoeneman
3/3 Edith Strauss
3/4 Sherman Friedman
3/5 Barry Bayer
3/6 Lenny (Lenore) Zeiger
3/7 Marvin Goldberg
3/8 Harris Davis
3/8 Burt Zeiger
3/12 Dalia Podwol
3/14 Elliott Greenberg
3/16 Marsie Reisler
3/19 Dan Greenberg
3/19 Samuel Gilbert
3/19 Andrea Lieb
3/21 David Schoeneman
3/22 Ellen Kahn

March Anniversaries

3/16 Drs. John & Lauren Kern

February Anniversaries

2/4 Philip & Rhoda Elias
2/15 Sherry & Ron Dieckman
2/16 Marvin & Marilyn Goldberg

Change of Address:

Linda & Peter Wilkins

8625 Witham Court, Tinley Park, IL 60487

Peter: 708-751-4495

Linda: 708-902-3842

Barbara & Michael Sitrin

4450 South Park Avenue, #401, Chevy Chase, MD 20815

Tributes

Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

In Memory of

Mathilde Tigay from David Stein
Albert Rubin from Diane Wolf
Eva Machtinger from Larry & Dory
Machtinger
Jack Ourach from Nancy & Stuart
Friedman

General Fund

In Memory of

Helen Hartman, Anne Jacobson from
Shari Cohen & Bob Mayer
Frida Faynshteyn from Ida Raff
Ludwig Falkenstein from Judy Straus
Julius Freedman from Kenneth
Freedman
Renee Goldberg from Marilyn &
Marvin Goldberg
Florence Heiss from Janice Heiss
Leonard Lang from Marilyn Ruche
Dr. Arthur Falk, Manning Knapp from
Walter & Gretchen Falk
Menachem Eisenwasser from Laura &
Jake Eisenwasser
Meyer Friedman from Irwin & Harlene
Friedman
Alex Rubin from David & Bonnie Rubin
Cecile Lukas from Ellen Kahn
Pauline Zeiger, Leanore Zipser from
Burt & Lenny Zeiger

Adult Education

In Memory of

Abe Jacobson from Shari Cohen &
Bob Mayer

Choir Fund

In Memory of

Isaac Lawrence Rubin from Rhoda
Rosen
Robert J Corbin from Larry & Nancy
Burrows

Mazel Tov

To Shari Cohen and Bob Mayer on the
birth of their grandson, Nathan
Benjamin Mayer from Laura & Jake
Eisenwasser

Speedy Recovery

To Marie Baker from Laura & Jake
Eisenwasser, Diedre Bodine
To Risa Graff from Laura & Jake
Eisenwasser, Diedre Bodine

Sympathy

To Leo Wolfson from Jack Levitt and
Charlotte Fox

Sisterhood Tributes

Speedy Recovery

To Helen Wolkow from Barry & Susan
Bayer, Ruth & Sherman Friedman,
Bea Kamen, Penny & Jerry Shnay,
Gayle & Norm Weil

Mazel Tov

To Shari Cohen and Bob Mayer on the
birth of their grandson, Nathan
Benjamin Mayer from Ruth &
Sherman Friedman, Bea Kamen,
Penny & Jerry Shnay, Gayle &
Norm Weil

Women of Shir Tikvah Sisterhood News

Gold cards are available at a cost of
\$5.50. Please send your request to
Carol Zucker.

When you shop—think of us!
Purchase your Jewel Cards
to benefit the Women of Shir
Tikvah



Mazel Tov!

To Shari Cohen and Bob Mayer
on the birth of their grandson,
Nathan Benjamin born on
January 4th!



*We mourn the death of
Tat'yana Abramov.
May her memory forever be
a blessing to all who loved
her and may her family be
comforted among the
mourners of Zion and
Jerusalem.*



News You Can Use

It's time to VOTE!

Help us build a Progressive Jewish presence in Israel! Support ARZA or MERCAZ in the World Zionist Congress Elections! Before March 11th go to the 38th World Zionist Congress site and VOTE! Visit www.azm.org/elections for the ARZA and MERCAZ platforms which support progressive Jewish life in Israel.



Each month, on the 1st Wednesday, the Sisterhood gathers at the Aurelio's Pizzeria in Homewood at 12:30pm to celebrate the birthdays in the month. All WoST members are free to join them!

When you shop at Jewel — think of the Sisterhood! Purchase your Jewel Cards to benefit the Women of Shir Tikvah.

Denominations of \$25, \$50 and \$100 are available through the office.



Sunday School students surveyed their parents to find out how their Hebrew names continue 'I' dor v' dor, and then researched their names in the Jewish Encyclopedia, resulting in matriarchs, prophets, and an angel. They continued their

study of Jewish life events with one in which they will be participating in the future: Bar and Bat Mitzvahs.

Teacher Carole Fefferman reports: This winter our Hebrew students are focusing on the prayer, "Modim Anachnu Lach." As this prayer contains many difficult words, we spend each class with 3 words of the day; pronouncing them, writing them, and playing games with them. Last week we played a board game with dice and a poster containing 48 common prayer book words.

My goal for the year is that the children increase their familiarity with sight words, and increase their confidence in sounding out other words. Feel free to visit the class at any time.

Barb Cohan
Shir Tikvah School Coordinator

SHALOM TRANSPORTATION

Is a subsidized senior transportation option for Jewish seniors facing transportation barriers in the Southern Suburbs. This program broadens our transportation service area to better serve the Jewish community.

For more info, please contact Amy Bloomberg, the South Suburban Coordinator, at 708-249-6086.



SHALACH MANOT FOR PURIM 2020



In keeping with the delightful Purim tradition of giving *shalach manot* gifts to friends in the form of fruit, candies, and cookies, Shir Tikvah is pleased to offer *shalach manot* packages. Each package will include delicious hamantaschen, candy, nuts, fruit, and a card indicating the givers of the package. There will be a \$7.25 charge per name submitted. ***Unless we hear from you otherwise, we will assume that all packages are to be delivered by us. (If you want to deliver your own package or packages, please state that clearly. The cost is the same for delivery and pick-up.)***

Also! We have designed a lovely card that we will send in lieu of goodies that don't travel well, as *shalach manot* to your out-of-town friends and relatives. The card states that a donation has been made to Shir Tikvah in honor of the recipient. Each card is \$4.00.

Please email your list if you like. We love email! Also, if you have purchased *shalach manot* in the past and would like a copy of your old list, please let us know and we will send you your list.

Orders MUST be received with payment to Shir Tikvah, 1424 183rd Street, Homewood, IL 60430 by Monday, March 2, 2020.

Your name(s) _____
(Please print name(s) as you want them to appear on the gift card.)

Phone number _____ E-mail: _____

I/We wish to order _____ shalach manot packages.

For **local delivery**, please provide names and addresses (You do not need to provide addresses for Shir Tikvah members):

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

(please use additional sheet for more names and addresses)

For **shalach manot cards** for out-of-town friends and relatives:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

(please use additional sheet for more names and addresses)

Please check this box ☐ if you wish to be part of a **reciprocal exchange**. That is, to have *shalach manot* sent to anyone who has ordered a package for you but whose name does not appear on your original list. The cost of any additional *shalach manot* will be billed to you.

of packages _____ x \$7.25= _____

of cards _____ x \$4.00 = _____

Total: _____

For more information, please contact
Janet Herbstman at 708-404-0515 or at
shalachmanot2020@gmail.com.

Sisterhood Shabbat

Celebrate Sisterhood Sabbath with the Women of Shir Tikvah on Friday, February 21, 2020 at 7:30 pm. The women will lead and participate in a creative service celebrating our roles in Judaism.

Lenore Mass, from the World Union for Progressive Judaism, will be our guest speaker.

If you would like to be a part of our celebration please call the office at 708-799-4110.

We will host a special oneg for the evening! If you can bake please contact Ruth Friedman at rfrie44@yahoo.com, or Susan Bayer at susan@bayermail.net.

We look forward to seeing you and sharing this special evening with you!

Friday, February 21, 7:30 pm

Shir Tikvah

1424 183rd Street, Homewood, IL 60430



A Night of Opera

featuring

Celeste Siciliano ~ Soprano

Cantor Ted Labow ~ Baritone

& Lisa Kristina ~ Piano

7:30 pm Saturday 15 February 2020

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Shalom Over 50 Newsletter

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Jack Levitt, Treasurer

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Happy Holidays!

We hope you had a wonderful Thanksgiving.
Wishing you a wonderful Hanukkah and a
healthy & happy New Year.



Schedule:

11:00am A Little of This, A Little of That
(Jack Levitt or Ginny Gilbert)
12:00pm LUNCH

What's Coming Up at 1:15pm:

January 7 Program - Larry Bergnach
*Going to the Movies. The history of movies
from the silent era to the late 60s*

January 14 Lecture - David Clark
*The Ice Harvest: Industries left behind in the
march towards progress*

January 21 Performance - Ted Lemen

January 28 Current Events Discussion - Ted
Slowik, Columnist, The Daily Southtown

February 4 Performance - Bud Boblink

February 11 Performance - Violinist Rachel
Miller

February 18 Performance - Dean Milano

February 25 Performance - Steve Justman

March 3 Performance - Mark Dvorak

March 10 Performance - Bud Boblink

March 17 Lecture - David Clark
*Prohibition in the US: How a wet nation went
dry*

March 24 Performance - Dean Milano

March 31 Performance - Ted Lemen

April 7 Performance - Steve Cooper



April 14 **No Meeting**

April 21 Program - Larry Bergnach
*Hollywood, Broadway and the USO. Stars and
entertainers who brought their talent to our
troops during wars*

April 28 Performance - Mark Dvorak



Thank you to Bergstein's NY Deli for
their continued partnership and
delicious lunches.

What makes someone a Leader? Types of Judges in the Books of Judges and Samuel

Sunday morning, March 29th at 10:00
at Shir Tikvah, 1424 183rd Street in Homewood

In this class Jane Shapiro will explore a few characters—men and women— to see how people become leaders through different pathways and roles.



Jane Shapiro has been a teacher to many over the last thirty years, in classes ranging from weekly Torah study to Jewish thought, history and literature. She is a co-founder of Orot: Center for New Jewish Learning, which is building a new model for engaging Jewish adults in the Chicago area and beyond – a holistic approach to Jewish education that is an emerging paradigm for personal and community growth. Jane received an Educators Award from the Covenant Foundation.

The program is free and open to the public.

A partner with the Jewish United Fund in serving our community.

February 20

Shevat — Adar 5780



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 9:45a STC 10:15a STR
2 	3 YOGA 11am Tu BiShvat Program at Homewood Library with Rabbi Harari 6:30pm	4 Hamentaschen Cooking 10am Shalom Over 50s 11am NCJW 6:45pm	5 WoST Luncheon at Aurelio's 12:30 pm Hebrew School 4:30pm	6 	7 4:56pm 7:30p STR with Nancy Friedman	8 9:45a STC 10:15a STR
9 Sunday School 10am WoST Meeting 10:30am	10 YOGA 11am Board Meeting 8pm	11 Shalom Over 50s 11am	12 Hebrew School 4:30pm	13 	14 5:05pm 7:30p Conservative Service with Rabbi Harari in Sanctuary 7:30p Lay-Led Reform Service in Chapel	15 Special Anniversary of Jordan Sigale's Bar Mitzvah – All are invited! 9:45 am Joint Service with Kiddush lunch following
16 	17 YOGA 11am	18 Shalom Over 50s 11am	19 Hebrew School 4:30pm	20 	21 5:13pm 7:30p Sisterhood Shabbat	22 9:45a STC 10:15a STR
23 Sunday School 10am	24 YOGA 11am	25 Rosh Chodesh Adar Shalom Over 50s 11am	26 Rosh Chodesh Adar Hebrew School 4:30pm	27 	28 5:22pm 7:30p STR with Nancy Friedman	29 9:45a STC 10:15a STR Bible & Bagels

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 Yoga 11 am	3 NCJW 6:45 pm Shalom Over 50s 11 am Grand Prairie Singers 7 pm	4 WoST Luncheon at Aurelio's 12:30 pm Hebrew School 4:30 pm	5	6 5:30 pm  STR 7:30 pm with Nancy Friedman Packing Shalach Manot	7 STC 9:45 am STR 10:15 am
8  Sunday School 10 am CJC Program 1-4 pm	9 Erev Purim Yoga 11 am Megillah Reading with Nancy Friedman	10 Purim Shalom Over 50s 11 am Grand Prairie Singers 7 pm	11 Shushan Purim Hebrew School 4:30 pm	12	13 6:38 pm  STR 7:30 pm	14 STC 9:45 am STR 10:15 am
15 Sunday School 10 am	16 Yoga 11 am Board Meeting 8 pm	17 Primary Election Shalom Over 50s 11 am Grand Prairie Singers 7 pm	18 Hebrew School 4:30 pm	19	20 6:45 pm  STR 7:30 pm with Nancy Friedman Flossmoor Book Club	21 STC 9:45 am STR 10:15 am Grand Prairie Singers Concert at FCC 3 pm
22	23 Yoga 11 am	24 Shalom Over 50s 11 am Grand Prairie Singers 7 pm	25 Passover Taste 'n Tell	26 Rosh Chodesh Nisan	27 6:53 pm  STR 7:30 pm	28 STC 9:45 am STR 10:15 am Bible & Bagels
-----C C A R Convention-----						
29 Mini-Grant with Jane Shapiro 10:00 am	30 Yoga 11 am	31 Shalom Over 50s 11 am Grand Prairie Singers 7 pm				