

all the rest is  
COMMENTARY

## New Siddurim Arrive at BHT



We have long awaited the publication of the new siddur of the Reform Movement, *Mishkan T'filah*. At long last, the first 100 books have

arrived, and we will begin to use *Mishkan T'filah* as our regular siddur at Beth Hillel at the end of January. (Thanks to your donations, we will eventually have 200 siddurim. The first printing is already sold out, so we must wait for the second printing for the remainder.) Please plan to attend a special service of dedication for the books on Friday, January 25, at 7:30 p.m.

What is it about this new siddur that caused the *New York Times*, the *Chicago Tribune*, and Israel's top daily newspaper *Ha'aretz* to feature articles about it when it rolled off the presses this fall? Why would anyone, other than rabbis and cantors, be excited by the publication of a prayer book to begin with? And how come it took 20 years to produce this siddur?

In order to fully understand the answer to these questions, you will want to come to Shabbat services on January 25 and hold *Mishkan T'filah* in your hands. Not only is it a beautiful book, but it is unique in many ways: foremost among them, its versatility. The words "Mishkan T'filah" mean "Dwelling Place of Prayer." The variety found within the text of this siddur is designed to enable any worshipper, no matter what his/her theology, to find a comfortable worship experience. The special layout of the book, in which each two-page spread gives a number of choices to express a particular prayer's theme, enables each worshipper to find his/her place

on the page. Commentary about the prayers, their traditional sources, and prayer "choreography" help congregants better understand Jewish prayer.

The tremendous variety of readings — from traditional to classical Reform to contemporary — allow the worship experience to be different each and every week. Those who wish to may lead a traditional

all-Hebrew worship service with this book.

Others can lead an eclectic and very 21st century service.

Or a mix of both can be achieved. The very extensive collection of songs in the back of the book

will eliminate the need for extraneous song-sheets in many situations. Every prayer is printed in Hebrew and also fully transliterated with English letters. Special attention has been paid to design, making this book a real work of art.

With the decision to bring this new siddur to our congregation, the Beth Hillel Ritual Committee hopes to reinvigorate and enliven our worship. If you have been away for a while, this is a time to reconsider the place that the prayer experience might play in your life. Be here to pray with us on January 25 and regularly thereafter at Shabbat services. Come and find your own *Mishkan T'filah*, your own "Dwelling Place of Prayer."

Dena A. Feingold



## SERVICE HIGHLIGHTS

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 18

7:30 p.m., Special Tu B'Shvat service, inaugurating Israel's 60th anniversary observances at BHT.



### FRIDAY, JANUARY 25

7:30 p.m., Dedication of *Mishkan Tefilah* siddur. See article for details.

### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 2

10:30 a.m., Kitah Gimel participates on the bima.

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8

7:00 p.m., (Note earlier time!) "Bring Your Teacher/Neighbor to Temple Night." Please see the pull out invitation enclosed. Explanatory talk at 6:30 p.m. Beit Sefer Beth Hillel Grade 2 will participate on the bima. Feel free to copy the flyer and give to guests.

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15

7:30 p.m., Racine Home Shabbat at the home of Judith and Skelly Warren. Pot-luck dinner preceding services at 6:00 p.m.

## BHT to Participate in Small Cities, Adult Retreat

An Illinois, Wisconsin, small cities, adult retreat at the URJ's Olin Sang Ruby retreat center will take place February 8-10, 2008, Shabbat dinner through Sunday lunch. The theme of the weekend will be *Kol Yisrael arevim zeh ba-zeh, All Jews are responsible for one another: An exploration of being Jewish in a small community.*

This will be a weekend of study, worship, fellowship, and celebrating Shabbat, led by rabbis and educators from small congregations across the region, including Rabbi Feingold. For registration information, please contact Naomi Berkowitz. The cost for double accommodation is \$155 including private bath and all meals. A single accommodation is \$205.

## A Taste of Judaism: Are you Curious?

A Taste of Judaism will be offered in three sessions, Tuesday evenings January 15, 29, and February 5 from 7:30 until 9:00 p.m. This class is for beginners — Jewish or not — and will explore topics such as Jewish spirituality, ethics and community. It is especially recommended for unaffiliated Jews, intermarried couples and those who are searching for an entry into Jewish life.

The class is taught by Michael Remson, an ordained rabbi who lives in Kenosha and works as a congregational consultant. He was the rabbi of Beth Hillel Temple from 1973 until 1983. Call the temple office to make a reservation ASAP. There is no charge for the class.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### JANUARY 15, 29 AND FEBRUARY 5

7:30 p.m., "Taste of Judaism" class. See article for details.

### JANUARY 18

6:00 p.m., Tu B'Shvat Seder and pot-luck dinner. Please call the Ottmanns or Lewis-Levinsons to make a reservation.

### JANUARY 20

11:00 a.m., An informational session on NFTY Israel summer programs will be given by Melissa Sobin and Abby Backer to the 8-9 grade Beit Sefer Beth Hillel class. Interested parents or other adults are invited to attend.

### JANUARY 22

11:45 a.m., Jewish Perspectives on Current Issues class meets in Racine. The topic this month is *After Annapolis: Hope for a New Peace Process?* Class meets in the atrium of the Johnson Financial Building in downtown Racine.



7:00 p.m., Kindness Week Interfaith Service at the First United Methodist Church.

### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3

10:30 a.m. Mishkan T'filah study session, see article for details.

### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10

10:30 a.m., Brainstorming session on starting a Beth Hillel "Sisterhood" with Women of Reform Judaism leader, Sandy Firsell.

### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11

7:00 to 8:30 p.m., Shaliach Tzibur (Service Leader) Workshop for Mishkan T'filah, led by Rabbi Feingold.

## Save the Date For the next Chemerow Program

Andy Muchin of the Wisconsin Small Jewish Communities Project will present *Farmers, Mayors and Football Players: Jews in Small-Town Wisconsin* in a "Lunch and Learn" format after religious school on Sunday, March 2. Details to follow in the next *Achshav*.

### TEMPLE INFORMATION

Beth Hillel Temple, 6050 Eighth Avenue, Kenosha, WI 53143  
p) (262) 654-2716 f) (262) 654-2799  
e) office@bethhillel.net e) rabbi@bethhillel.net www.bethhillel.net  
**Temple Caretaker: Wayne Gooder** (262) 657-9359  
**Temple Administrator: Lois Bruno**  
**Director of Life-Long Learning, Naomi Berkowitz:**  
wcfg110@sbcglobal.net

### NEWSLETTER PRODUCTION STAFF

**Editors: Robin and Ken Lapins**  
p) (262) 948-0760 f) (262) 948-0762 e) bhnews@wi.rr.com  
**Production: Hollie Horn** hollie.horn@rotary.org

# The Secret to Beth Hillel's Success Shared at Panel Discussion



By Lois Bruno

I recently had the pleasure of participating in a panel discussion during a program meeting for the URJ

Great Lakes Council/Chicago Federation. In preparation for the evening, Dr. Laura Horn, Assistant Regional Director, called Beth Hillel to gather information about our volunteers. She began by asking how we achieved and maintained our relatively high rate of member participation in temple services and activities. (Apparently, we are getting a reputation.) Is it due to the size of our congregation? Is it because we are "off the beaten track?" Could it be due to the absence of a full-time staff dedicated to program management? What began as a few relatively simple questions turned into a rather lengthy conversation. Our exchange ended with an invitation to share my thoughts with leaders from other congregations. So, I found myself headed toward Northbrook wondering what I could add to the insights of the other two panel members.

Rabbi Dan Rabishaw, Director of the URJ – Great Lakes Council/Chicago

Federation and moderator of the evening's discussion, provided each panel member with a list of questions submitted prior to the meeting. While the subject of each question was unique, the answers to most overlapped each other. Additionally, although the details of this particular discussion were geared specifically toward Jewish congregations, most of the concluding principles could be applied to a variety of other scenarios.

So, to what do we owe the secret of our success here at Beth Hillel? Most assuredly, having a congregation that is one-tenth the size of those found elsewhere means that our members, by necessity, have to be actively involved in order to create and maintain programming. However, my sense is that the smallness is also one of our greatest assets. The feeling of true community that exists here is created, in part, by the continuous need for involvement from every member — without restriction.

The likelihood of getting lost in the crowd in a larger congregation, unfortunately, is not uncommon. Combined with a large full-time staff, it is easy to have the perception that there is no real need for volunteers or that one's ability may not be valued. Not so at BHT! Our

many events, our thriving school and our community involvement all serve to draw our members to the temple again and again. The result is strengthened interpersonal relationships as well as a deeper commitment to keeping our temple a vibrant place of learning and worship. This, in turn, sustains an atmosphere conducive to the ongoing development and support of our volunteers.

Regardless of the many factors that make each congregation or organization unique, the basic cardinal rules to be mindful of when working with volunteers remain the same. Despite our dissimilar life experiences, my two co-panelists and I agree that, to encourage and maintain volunteerism, it is necessary to:

- Align individual skills and passions to opportunities
- Have a clearly defined goal/objective
- Don't waste a volunteer's time
- Provide volunteers with opportunities to take leadership/responsibility
- Connect the task to the big picture

And, most importantly

- ALWAYS SAY THANK YOU!

## "Mishkan T'filah 101" to be Offered Sunday Morning, February 3

The arrival of the new siddur *Mishkan T'filah* at Beth Hillel marks a new era in our worship experience. The book is very different than any siddur we have used before in many interesting ways. Rabbi Feingold will be orienting worshipers to the book a little at a time at services as we begin to use it. In addition, to help us better understand how to get the most out of this siddur and the philosophy behind its style and contents, Rabbi Feingold will offer an adult education session on Sunday morning, February 3, from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Reservations are not necessary. If you would like to learn about the siddur, but are not available on that day, please speak to Rabbi Feingold. If there is enough interest, the session will be repeated on a weekday evening.

## The Ins and Outs of Mishkan T'filah:

### A Workshop for Service Leaders (Shlichei Tzibur) February 11

Now that we have our new siddurim, veteran and potential new lay service leaders (shlichei tzibur), will be given an opportunity to study the book in depth and learn how to use it. Even if you have never led services before, but think you might like to, this workshop on Monday, February 11 at 7:00 p.m. is for you. An accompanying CD and links to a web site on the use of *Mishkan T'filah* will be demonstrated. Please call the temple office by Monday, February 4 if you plan to attend.

## Book Discussion Group Meets

The Beth Hillel Book Discussion Group will meet on the first Wednesday of the month beginning in April from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at members' homes.

### Next Meetings

Wednesday, April 2, at the home of Doris Dorfman. The book will be *The Book Thief* by Markus Zusak.

Wednesday, May 7, location to be announced. The book will be *Why Good Things Happen to Good People: The Exciting New Research that Proves the Link Between Doing Good and Living a Longer, Healthier, Happier Life* by Stephen Post and Jill Neimark, with a forward by Reverend Otis Moss Jr.

# Letter from Your Newsletter Team

## Happy New Year!

As we embark on 2008, we find ourselves in the midst of our fifth year as the newsletter production team. After much thought and consideration, we have decided that we will turn the reins of this important communication tool over to another team of BHT members after the May/June issue. Who has agreed to take on this task you must be wondering. Well, in fact, we wonder the same thing. The Leadership Council already knows that we have decided to step aside and move on to other projects. We're confident that the Leadership Council will be overjoyed if a team of members were to speak up and offer to take on this project. And, we're happy to provide any advice and direction the new team needs.

Just so you understand, we're not abandoning the newsletter ... we've experienced a number of signs that indicate that ... well ... it's time for someone else to take over. For example:

- We have trouble remembering when the deadline for the newsletter is

- We can no longer spell Tu B'Shvat correctly ... or is it Tu B'shevat?
- We can't decide which spelling of Chanukah is the best to use (Hanukah, Hanukkah, Chanukah ...)
- Our eyes are going ... as evidenced by items we miss during the proofreading process (see next item)
- We actually named Jamie as Sari in a photo caption, and didn't notice until it was too late (attributed to declining eyesight and too many late nights and early mornings spent proofreading.) Jamie and Sari we apologize, and would like to set the record straight...



**This is Sari**



**... and this is Jamie**

We have loved being the voice of BHT for the last five years. You never know what you're getting when you agree to a project. And while we have enjoyed the project, what we treasure most is that the Horn and Lapins families have become friends: which, when you think about it, is one of the most important missions of the Beth Hillel community — bringing people together. Our families are at very different stages in our lives but over this one project, many planning and organizing phone calls, hunting for the "award-winning typo" found before going to print, lifecycle celebrations and the other ups and downs that come with life, we have become great friends. That, we will always treasure!

We challenge you to take on this publication and make it your own ... and make a new friend or two!

Sincerely,

Robin, Kenny and Hollie

## Beth Hillel Literacy Project at Durkee School Seeks Volunteers

Jews are sometimes called the "People of the Book." We are known, as a people, for our high literacy rate. To share our love of books and the importance of reading in our lives, the National Jewish Literacy Project was founded a number of years ago. At that time, Beth Hillel adopted Durkee school (across the street from the temple) as a place where we would focus our energies on helping children to read. Since that time, a number of BHT members have been devoting a half hour to an hour a week, tutoring Durkee students in reading. There is always need for more. If you have time and are interested in this very fun and rewarding volunteer work, please speak to Rabbi Feingold.

## BHT Scrapbooking Group to Meet on January 27

The BHT Scrapbooking Group will be gathering in Founders Hall on Sunday, January 27 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Bring your scrapbooking stuff and a snack to share. Scrapbooking is open to everyone interested ... no matter your age or skill level! If you have questions, or plan to attend, please contact Karen Eisenberg at (262) 697-3454 or keisenb@aol.com.

## A Women's Group ("Sisterhood") at BHT? Join a Discussion on February 10

What do you think about the possibility of a women's group or Sisterhood at Beth Hillel? We need your input and ideas. All BHT women are invited to come to give us their thoughts at a brainstorming session on Sunday morning, February 10 at 10:30 a.m. Sandy Firsell, Past District President and current member of the National Board of Directors of the Women of Reform Judaism will be on hand to help us think about this interesting opportunity. Coffee and bagels provided!

# JANUARY CONTRIBUTIONS

## RELIGIOUS SCHOOL FUND

RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

## GENERAL FUND

IRINA AND LEONID KHOLYAVSKY

*In Honor of Bud Lepp's Special Birthday*

ESTHER AND BERNIE CHULEW

*In Memory of Gail Varhula's father,  
Arnold Rosenberg*

REVA AND MICHAEL HOLMES

ANNE AND JERRY RABIN

*In Memory of Bill Hogan*

REVA AND MICHAEL HOLMES

*In Memory of Bruce Raginsky*

REVA AND MICHAEL HOLMES

*In Memory of Frieda Aronson*

REVA AND MICHAEL HOLMES

*In Memory of Sidney Holmes*

REVA AND MICHAEL HOLMES

## MEMORIAL FUND

*In Memory of Faye Reinherz*

DORIS DORFMAN

RUTH AND MORRIS KIMMEL

DORIS AND ELLIOTT MIRMAN

ADAM REINHERZ

SUSAN, MARK, DANIELLE, BEN AND JONATHAN

WINTER

## MUSIC FUND

*In Honor of George Sedloff's Special  
Birthday*

ADELE BERENSON

EVIE AND BUD LEPP

*In Memory of Faye Reinherz*

BETSY AND HOWARD BROWN

IRMGARD DANIELS

*In Honor of a Speedy Recovery for Elaine  
Hovely-Ostrov*

IRMGARD DANIELS

ELLYN STERN

*In Honor of a Speedy Recovery for He-  
lene Goodman*

ELLYN STERN

## HIGH HOLY DAYS DONATIONS

*With our thanks to Beth Hillel Temple*

PHYLLIS AND SIDNEY FREEDLAND

CHERYL AND DOUG JEFFERY AND MR. ED SEGIL

## RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

*In Memory of Adrienne Klafter*

WILLIAM KLAFTER

*Chanukah donation*

KHOLYAVSKY FAMILY

*In Memory of Faye Reinherz*

MARJORIE BLOCK

FAMILY OF FAYE REINHERZ

## Donations to Funds

Following is a list of the funds to which you can contribute:

- Capital Improvement
- Education
- General
- Library
- Memorial
- Music
- Rabbi's Discretionary

## MAZAL TOV

To Melissa and Zachariah Koff on Zach's official adoption on December 20, 2007.

## B'RUCHIM HABA'IM

(Welcome) to New Members

Phil Fine

## REFUAH SHLEIMAH

(A Complete Recovery)

Elaine Hovley-Ostrov

Wayne Gooder

## NOTES

Please note that due to privacy laws now in place, hospitals do not release patient lists, even to clergy. If you or another member of our congregation are hospitalized and wish a visit, please call the synagogue to let Rabbi Feingold know.

Please be advised that tax advisors recommend that all checks intended for the Rabbi's Discretionary Fund are to be made out to Beth Hillel Temple rather than to Rabbi Feingold. Rabbi Feingold does not accept gifts for officiating at life-cycle events. All such checks are placed into the Beth Hillel Temple Rabbi's Discretionary Fund.

## ZICHRONAM LIVRACHA

(May their memories be a blessing)

We mark with sadness the passing of Adrienne Klafter, longtime Beth Hillel member, recently of Sun City, AZ.

Visit us on the web at: [www.bethhillel.net](http://www.bethhillel.net)

## BETH HILLEL TEMPLE CONTRIBUTION FORM

The enclosed is a contribution to the \_\_\_\_\_ Fund.

In memory/honor (circle one) of \_\_\_\_\_.

### Please acknowledge to:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

### Donor:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

## JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2008 YAHRZEITS

### January 18

Florence Block\*, Jennie Engle, Sylvia Fisher, Melvin H. Garb, Celia Kadwit\*, Milton Korf\*, Sarah Mann, Peter Mendelsohn, Yetta Remson, Herbert Zien

### January 25

Ruben Aronson, Clarence J. Becker\*, H.M. Chasson\*, Frank Gordon\*, Judith Jozefiak, Nellie Kalb, Gertrude Korf\*, Morris Phillips, Bernard Schwartz, Celia Simon, Rose Rosenfeld Stewart

### February 1 and 2

Lucy Bieszczat, Samuel and Helene Kurzmantel, Richard Lapp\*, Burton Lepp\*, Samuel Morrison\*, Fannie Ostrov, Paul Phillips

### February 8

Clara Aronson, William Block\*, Carl Blum\*, Robert Frankel\*, Harold Goodman, Esther Gottlieb\*, Jennie Rosenfeld Harband, Harry J. Kadwit\*, Ethel Lepp\*, Pearl Lepp\*, Samuel Phillips\*, Ruth Rubenstein\*, Elias Shaffron, Sol Zien

### February 15

Esther Alberts, Frank Bieszczat, Rebecca Block\*, Samuel K. Chortek\*, Rebecca Cohen, Edward Cohn, Sam Dorfman, Goldie Epstein\*, Ida Feinberg, Dina Feingold, Samuel Frankel\*, Judah L. Heyman\*, Mary Olsman\*, Morris Plous\*, Elaine Rubenstein\*, Marcia Segal\*, Josephine Stern

*\*indicates a memorial plaque light will be illuminated*

## Library Link

Our library has been truly blessed with the complete "first ever translated" works of the ZOHAR. Thanks to the Chief of the Kenosha Police Department, Daniel C. Wade, who donated them. Dorothy Sentieri's daughter Cindy brought the ZOHAR collection to Dorothy, and she brought them to the temple. THANK YOU!!

The ZOHAR is the most famous work of kabbalah. It was believed to be written by Moses De Leon in the 13th century. However, Orthodox kabbalists attribute these writings to Simeon Bar Yochai as the recorder of these mystical traditions dating back to the time of Moses!!

The ZOHAR was originally written in Aramaic as a commentary of the five books of Torah. You will be able to match the weekly Torah portion with a specific text of the ZOHAR. All the texts are well labeled. This collection is very valuable so it is in the REFERENCE section of the library--near a comfortable chair. ENJOY!!

Visit us on the web at: [www.bethhillel.net](http://www.bethhillel.net)

## Naomi's Corner



Dear BHT Family,

I want to wish each of you a happy New Year. I guess we get to celebrate New Years twice

a year. I would like to give you an update about things which have happened already in Beit Sefer Beth Hillel and some of the things we have planned for the rest of the year.

Each of our classes are immersed in learning Hebrew and Judaic studies. It is so wonderful to see our students involved in classroom projects and participation of all kinds. Our classes

are also taking turns helping to lead services both on Thursday evenings and Sunday mornings. We have terrific song leaders who help set the mood during the opening and closing of services. I have seen amazing art projects which are just adorable and enhance the subject they are learning.

Kitah Hey and Kitah Dalet helped lead the Shabbat services and the Chaverim class helped lead opening and closing songs.

Sixth and 7<sup>th</sup> graders — save the dates Friday, February 8, through Sunday, February 10. They will be going to OSRUI for a retreat with other kids their age from small congregations

in Wisconsin and Northern Illinois. I will join our students at the retreat for the weekend. Rabbi Feingold will also be there as her schedule permits. The cost for each student will be \$60. If you have any questions or financial needs, please feel free to contact me.

Adults are invited to an Adult Retreat the same weekend. This is a retreat with other smaller congregations from Wisconsin and Northern Illinois. Registration forms are available by request. Please note that parents of children attending the 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> grade retreat may NOT attend.

B'Shalom,

Naomi

# January-February 2008/6 Shevat - 10 Adar I 5768



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>6 Shevat</p> <p>Religious School 9:30 a.m. Adult Hebrew 9:30 a.m. Rabbi weekend off</p>	<p>7 Shevat</p> <p>Calendar Key: ii - Candle Lighting S - Observance End</p>	<p>8 Shevat</p> <p>Talmud Circle 11:00 a.m. Adult B'nai Mitzvah 6:00 p.m. Taste of Judaism 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>9 Shevat</p>	<p>10 Shevat</p> <p>Hebrew School 5:15 to 7:00 p.m. Weekday service 6:35 p.m.</p>	<p>11 Shevat</p> <p>ii 4:27 PM</p> <p>Tu B'Shvat Seder and pot-luck dinner 6:00 p.m. Regular Shabbat/Tu B'Shvat 7:30 p.m. Torah Beshalach Exod. 13:17-17:16 Haftarah Judges 4:4-5:31</p>	<p>12 Shevat</p> <p>\$ 5:32 PM</p>
<p><b>JANUARY 13</b></p> <p>13 Shevat</p> <p>Religious School 9:30 a.m. Adult Hebrew 9:30 a.m. NETTY Israel Summer Programs 11:00 a.m.</p>	<p>14 Shevat</p>	<p>15 Shevat</p> <p>\$ 5:35 PM</p> <p>Tu B'Shvat Current Issues 11:45 a.m. Soup Kitchen 3:30 p.m. Kindness Week Interfaith Service 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p>16 Shevat</p>	<p>17 Shevat</p> <p>Hebrew School 5:15 to 7:00 p.m. Weekday service 6:35 p.m.</p>	<p>18 Shevat</p> <p>ii 4:36 PM</p> <p>Regular Shabbat 7:30 p.m. <i>Mishkan T'filah</i> dedication Torah Yitro Exod. 18:1-20:23 Haftarah Isaiah 6:1-7:6; 9:5-6</p>	<p>19 Shevat</p> <p>\$ 5:41 PM</p> <p>Beit Cafe 6:00 p.m.</p>
<p>20 Shevat</p> <p>Religious School 9:30 a.m. Adult Hebrew 9:30 a.m.</p>	<p>21 Shevat</p>	<p>22 Shevat</p> <p>Taste of Judaism 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>23 Shevat</p>	<p>24 Shevat</p> <p>Hebrew School 5:15 to 7:00 p.m. Weekday service 6:35 p.m.</p>	<p>25 Shevat</p> <p>ii 4:46 PM</p> <p>Family Kabbalat Shabbat 5:45 p.m. (1/2 hour service) Birthday/Anniversary blessings given</p>	<p>26 Shevat</p> <p>\$ 5:50 PM</p> <p>Parashat Hashavuah Study 9:30 a.m. Learner's Minyan 10:30 a.m. K'tah G'mel on Bina Torah Mishpatim Exod. 21:1-24:18 Haftarah Jeremiah 34:8-22:33-25-26</p>
<p>27</p> <p>27 Shevat</p> <p>Religious School 9:30 a.m. Adult Hebrew 9:30 a.m. <i>"Mishkan T'filah 70"</i> with Rabbi Feingold 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p>28</p> <p>28 Shevat</p>	<p>29</p> <p>29 Shevat</p> <p>Talmud Circle 11:00 a.m. Adult B'nai Mitzvah 6:00 p.m. Taste of Judaism 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>30</p> <p>30 Shevat</p> <p>Rosh Hodesh I</p>	<p>31</p> <p>1 Adar I</p> <p>Rosh Hodesh II Hebrew School 5:15 - 7:00 p.m. Weekday service 6:35 p.m.</p>	<p><b>FEBRUARY 1</b></p> <p>ii 4:55 PM</p> <p>6th &amp; 7th Grade Small Cities Retreat Bring Teacher Night 6:30 p.m. explanatory talk Regular Shabbat 7:00 p.m. 2nd Graders on Bina Torah Terumah Exod. 25:1-27:19 Haftarah I Kings 5:26-6:13</p>	<p>2</p> <p>3 Adar I</p> <p>\$ 5:59 PM</p> <p>6th &amp; 7th Grade Small Cities Retreat</p>
<p>3</p> <p>4 Adar I</p> <p>6th &amp; 7th Grade Small Cities Retreat Religious School 9:30 a.m. Adult Hebrew 9:30 a.m. BHT Sisterhood discussion 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p>4</p> <p>5 Adar I</p> <p>Shalich Tzibur (Service Leader) Workshop for Mishkan T'filah 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p>5</p> <p>6 Adar I</p> <p>Leadership Council 6:30 p.m.</p>	<p>6</p> <p>7 Adar I</p>	<p>7</p> <p>8 Adar I</p> <p>Hebrew School 5:15 - 7:00 p.m. Weekday service 6:35 p.m.</p>	<p>8</p> <p>ii 5:04 PM</p> <p>Pot-luck dinner 6:00 p.m. Racine Home Shabbat 7:30 p.m. Torah Teitzaveh Exod. 27:20-30:10 Haftarah Ezekiel 43:10-27</p>	<p>9</p> <p>10 Adar I</p> <p>\$ 6:09 PM</p>
<p>10</p>	<p>11</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>15</p>	<p>16</p>

## Israel at 60 Class Begins March 4



This class will include a retrospective look at the events and ideals leading up to the creation of the Jewish State almost 60 years ago, as well as an analysis of key events since Israel's founding in 1948. Using a URJ/ARZA curriculum entitled *One Heart. Two Homes*, participants will also examine the question, "Why should I, as an American Jew, have a relationship with Israel?" This question will be examined in light of Israel's compelling story and recent events. Prospects for Israel's future will be considered. Rabbi Feingold will teach the course on six Tuesday nights from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. beginning March 4. Offered to temple members only, there is no fee for the course. Please register by calling the temple office by February 29. The class meets on March 4 and 18; April 15, 22 and 29; and May 6.



January 26 is KRAFTY's entertaining annual fundraiser Beit Café. It begins at 6:00 p.m. with Havdalah and is expected to end at 8:00 p.m.

Goodies to snack on during the event will be available.

*KRAFTY will be performing a Top Secret act during the event in addition to the Top Secret Leadership Council Skit.*

Sign-up sheets are available at the temple for anyone interested in performing or call Justin Eisenberg at (262) 914-4648.

Admission is \$7 or \$10 for VIP seating, with all proceeds to benefit KRAFTY.



6050 Eighth Ave. | Kenosha, WI | 53143