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Rabbi's Reflections



Recently, we read the story of the spies (Parshat BeShalach). This episode is, rightly, famous. Because of it, the Children of Israel had to wander 40 years in the wilderness, and the generation born in Egypt does not enter the promised land.

The plot is straight-forward: Moses sends scouts to do reconnaissance. The majority of them come back alarmed, scared that the peoples of the land are much more powerful than they are. Ten of the spies report (Nu. 13: 33): "... in our own eyes we were like grasshoppers. And, so we were in their eyes."

Midrash Tanchuma (Shlach 7), a rabbinic commentary, writes: "The Holy Blessed One, said, "I [can] forgive them for that [first remark, "in our own eyes..."]; but I [cannot forgive them for the second, when they said] 'And so we were in their eyes.' Who would say that you were not like angels in their eyes?"

In other words, since when are you mind readers? You have no clue what they are thinking! The Midrash is teaching us something important about self-doubt, about the necessity of distinguishing between our inner, emotional tumult and the outer reality.

The next week, we read about the rebellion of Korach. Korach rebels against Moses and Aaron (his cousins): "You have gone too far!" says Korach, "for all the community is holy, all of them, and God is in their midst. Why then do you raise yourselves above God's congregation?" The argument hits Moses like a cannon-ball, and, we are told, he falls flat on his face. Perhaps, the argument is so powerful because it is not entirely false: after all, God has called the Children of Israel a "nation of priests."

My teacher, Rabbi Sharon Cohen Anisfeld points out: "Korach's message reveals a big problem tucked into a little word - the word 'is.' 'All the community is holy.' Martin Buber points out that Korach speaks in the present tense, treating holiness as a given, rather than a goal, an assumption rather than an aspiration. This would suggest that we can do anything - and still be holy." And, that, of course, is not true. Holiness is a process, an aspiration. As soon as we think we have arrived, we are in trouble.

Somewhere between grasshoppers and holy-being lies the journey of our lives. Never as low as we might imagine, and never as high as we might claim, we are called upon to strive, to aspire, to improve.

Over the summer, lies the 17th of Tammuz, a fast day that marks the moment the walls of Jerusalem were breached. Three weeks later we mark the 9th of Av, the lowest point of the liturgical year: the date when both the 1st and 2nd Temples were destroyed. Our sages teach that these tragedies befell us because of our own sins. And yet, there was a "day after," a future, for a people devastated by disaster. From these low-points, we begin our journey anew, each and every year. We reject the self-delusion that we are mere grasshoppers; we reject the temptation to see ourselves as already-holy beings. We re-commit ourselves to the process, to the aspiration, and we gear up to enter a new year.



From Our President

As many of you know, my son Nate and I recently spent three wonderful weeks in Italy. One week was spent bicycling through southern Italy, where we rode through beautiful countryside, small villages, and coastal towns. The rest of the time was spent on the Rome, Naples, and the Amalfi Coast, enjoying the incredible history, culture, beaches and scenery. It was a memorable trip, and we returned home with plenty of stories and photos.

One of the things I enjoy most about traveling is the opportunity to experience new places and meet new people. It reminds me that while the world is a very large place, people everywhere share many of the same hopes and values—love of family, community, tradition, and faith. Traveling gives us a chance to learn, reflect, and return home with a renewed appreciation for what matters most.

Summer is a wonderful season for exploration. Some of us travel great distances, while others enjoy discovering places much closer to home. Whether your adventures take you across the ocean, to the Jersey Shore, the mountains, a national park, or simply to visit family and friends, I hope you find time to create special memories with the people you love.

As your President, one of the things I enjoy most is getting to know the members of our congregation and hearing about the experiences that shape your lives. If you have an interesting summer story, a favorite travel destination, or a memorable family adventure, I would love to hear about it. Feel free to stop me at services, send me an email, or share a photo.

Wishing you and your families a happy, healthy, and meaningful summer. I look forward to hearing about your adventures and seeing everyone at the FJCC in the months ahead.

Jonathan Nemeth, President
president@flemingtonJCC.org





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Leave Your Mark at FJCC

Commemorative Brick Program

100-Year Anniversary

1926 - 2026

Orders between now and June 30 will be ready for installation at the August 23rd FJCC Picnic and Commemorative Brick Walk ribbon cutting program. Orders after July 1 will be installed at a later date.

Cost: \$136 per brick

Register: Thatsmybrick.com/flemingtonjcc



Personalize your message to celebrate a milestone, honor a loved one, or create a meaningful memorial

Honor our past – Celebrate our present – Build our future together



100 Weeks of Mitzvot Challenge

The winner, by random draw, of the bi-monthly Mitzvot Challenge is Zuchovicki fam. Please see Deborah in the office for your prize.

Zuchovicki fam and all participants completed one or more of the following:

- Looked for and picked up trash they saw lying on the ground
- Called a relative or friend just to say "I love you"
- Brought compostable waste to the FJCC compost bed
- Cleaned their bedroom
- Attended a Shavout study session
- E-mailed Rabbi Cohen a birthday greeting
- Smiled at a stranger
- Helped a neighbor or the FJCC by pulling weeds from their garden

Mazel Tov to everyone participating. There are 26 weeks of Mitzvot Challenge mitzvot to go. If you stopped participating or haven't yet started, there's no time like the present to do these simple but meaningful tasks and celebrate the FJCC's 100th anniversary!!!



Hebrew School Update

Keep your eyes open for the “This Week in Hebrew School” email sent out each Friday during the school year.

[Click here to go to the Hebrew School Calendar.](#)

Questions? Contact Mrs. Walsh at kwalsh@flemingtonJCC.org.

בעברית
in Hebrew

DROP IN SATURDAYS
TIME 11:00 AM

- ✓ Hebrew Vocabulary Immersion for Kids in Gan - 6th Grade
- ✓ Weekly themed Hebrew Vocabulary through sight, sound, & movement.
- ✓ Facilitated by Mira Berzofsky Starting in June

COME TO ONE OR COME TO THEM ALL

AUG 23, 2-6PM

BBQ & BRICK CEREMONY

MUSIC
KIDS' ACTIVITIES

\$36 THRU AUG 15
\$45 AS OF AUG 16
HEBREW SCHOOL KIDS ARE FREE

Hebrew School Billing

There are two fees associated with Hebrew School. The first is the RP Fee (registration and programming fee). These funds support classroom needs, including books, craft supplies, and programming. The RP fee must be paid by July 15 for your child to be enrolled in Hebrew School and receive textbooks.

The second fee is tuition. You can pay tuition over the fiscal year as long as it is paid by April 30, 2027

Back to School Paperwork

Expect to receive the Back-to-School Packet mid-July. It will have the handbook, medical release form, and media consent form. Please return the paperwork by August 19th.

HEBREW SCHOOL 2026 FIRST SESSION

9 SEP	Wednesday 5 TH - 7 TH 4:30 - 6:20
11 OCT	Sunday 5 TH - 7 TH 9:00 - 12:00
15 OCT	Thursday Hebrew High 6:00 - 7:15
18 OCT	Gan Goes to Hebrew School 10:00 - 11:25

If you have any questions, contact Karen kwalsh@flemingtonjcc.org



Hebrew School

High Holidays and Hebrew School for Kids and Families

Hebrew School Starts

Wed Sep 9
4th - 7th 4:30 - 6:15
Sun Oct 9
Alef - 7th Grade 9:00 - 12:00
Wed Oct 15
Hebrew High 6:00 - 7:15
Gan Goes to Hebrew School: TBA

Rosh Hashanah Day 1

Sat Sept 12
Jr. Congregation
Gan 10:30 - 11:30
Alef - 7th 10:30 - 12:00
Babysitting 10:20 - 2:00*
*register for babysitting

Rosh Hashanah Day 2

Sun Sept 13
Family Program
Gan - 7th grade 10:30 - 12:00
Babysitting 10:30 - 2:00*
*register for babysitting

Yom Kippur

Mon Sep 21
Jr. Congregation
Gan 10:30 - 11:30
Alef - 7th 10:30 - 12:00
Babysitting 11:00 - 2:00*
*register for babysitting

Sukkot Family* Program

Sun Sept 27
Gan - 7th Grade Families
10:30 - 12:00
*This is not a drop-off program

Simchat Torah Family* Program

Sun Oct 4
Gan - 7th Grade Families
10:30 - 12:00
*This is not a drop-off program



Welcome



We are delighted to welcome Faith Lang and Robert Tousignant to our congregation! We look forward to getting to know them and are so glad they have chosen to make our synagogue their Jewish home. Please introduce yourself and help make them feel part of our community. Shalom u'vracha!



High Holiday Information

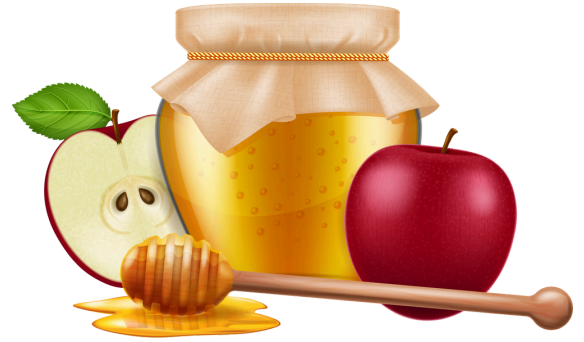
High Holiday Forms



High Holiday forms will be emailed
on Tuesday, July 21



High Holiday forms are due Tues,
August 11. Late submissions for the
Yizkor book are not guaranteed to
be included.



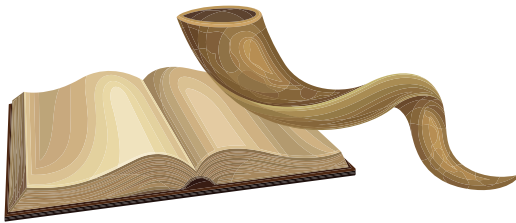
High Holiday Babysitting registration required

September 12
Rosh Hashanah Day 1
Time 10:30 - 2:00

**Babysitting registration info
is on High Holidays form**

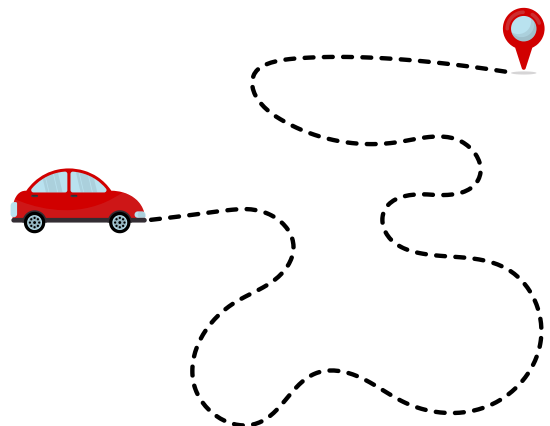
September 13
Rosh Hashanah Day 2
Time 10:30 - 2:00

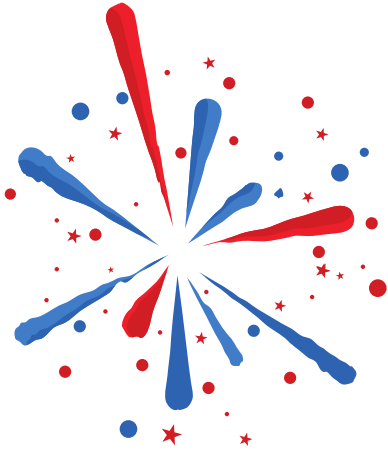
September 21
Yom Kippur
Time 11:00 - 2:00



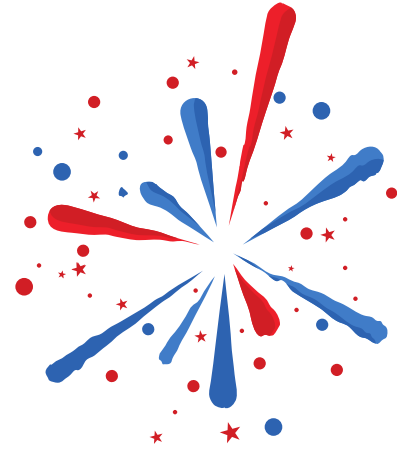
**NEED A RIDE TO HIGH
HOLIDAY SERVICES?**

**CONTACT
DEBORAH IN
THE OFFICE**





July



Booking Calendar, Hebrew School Calendar, Jewish Holidays

Jul 2026 (Eastern Time - New York)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28 9am - Sunday Morning	29 1pm - Parshat Hashavuah 7pm - Book Club	30 11:15am - Chair Yoga at 6:30pm - Yiddish Class		1 17th of Tammuz No Mah Jong or Bridge 11am - Adult Ed	2 OFFICE CLOSED 7:30pm - kabbalat shabat	3 9:15am - Shabbat service 11am - NO B'lurit this
5 9am - Sunday Morning	6 OFFICE CLOSED 1pm - Parshat Hashavuah 6pm - CS LT Meeting	7 11:15am - Chair Yoga at 6:30pm - Yiddish Class 7pm - Movie Club 7:30pm - Genealogy	8 7pm - EB Meeting	9 11am - Adult Ed 1pm - mah jongg 7:30pm - Bridge	10 7:30pm - kabbalat shabat	11 9:15am - Shabbat service 11am - B'lurit Gan - 6th
12 9am - Sunday Morning	13 1pm - Parshat Hashavuah	14 11:15am - Chair Yoga at 5:45pm - Security Meeting 6:30pm - Yiddish Class 7pm - Center Series	15 6:30pm - Women's Rosh 7:30pm - BoT Meeting	16 11am - Adult Ed 1pm - mah jongg 7:30pm - Bridge	17 7:30pm - kabbalat shabat	18 9:15am - Shabbat service 11am - B'lurit Gan - 6th
19 9am - Sunday Morning 4pm - Potluck Social	20 1pm - Parshat Hashavuah	21 11:15am - Chair Yoga at 6:30pm - Yiddish Class	22 Tisha B'Av Eve	23 No Mah Jong or Bridge Tisha B'Av 11am - Adult Ed	24 7:30pm - kabbalat shabat	25 9:15am - Shabbat service 11am - B'lurit Gan - 6th
26 9am - Sunday Morning	27 1pm - Parshat Hashavuah	28 11:15am - Chair Yoga at 6:30pm - Yiddish Class	29	30 11am - Adult Ed 1pm - mah jongg 7:30pm - Bridge	31 Marshall Oneg 7:30pm - kabbalat shabat	1 9:15am - Shabbat service 11am - B'lurit Gan - 6th



August



Booking Calendar, Hebrew School Calendar, Jewish Holidays

Aug 2026 (Eastern Time - New York)

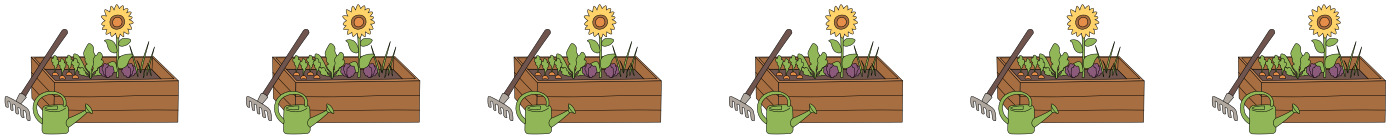
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2 9am - Sunday Morning	3 6pm - CS LT Meeting	4 11:15am - Chair Yoga at 6:30pm - Yiddish Class 7:30pm - Genealogy	5	6 11am - Adult Ed 1pm - mah jongg 7:30pm - Bridge	7 7:30pm - kabbalat shabat	8 9:15am - Shabbat service 11am - B'Ivrit Gan - 6th
9 9am - Sunday Morning	10	11 11:15am - Chair Yoga at 5:45pm - Security Meeting 6:30pm - Yiddish Class 7pm - Center Series	12 7pm - EB Meeting	13 11am - Adult Ed 1pm - mah jongg 6:30pm - Women's Elul 7:30pm - Bridge	14 7:30pm - kabbalat shabat	15 9:15am - Shabbat service 11am - B'Ivrit Gan - 6th
16 9am - Sunday Morning	17	18 11:15am - Chair Yoga at 6:30pm - Yiddish Class	19 7:30pm - BoT Meeting	20 11am - Adult Ed 1pm - mah jongg 6:30pm - Women's Elul 7:30pm - Bridge	21 7:30pm - kabbalat shabat	22 9:15am - Shabbat service 11am - B'Ivrit Gan - 6th
23 BBQ and Brick Ceremony 9am - Sunday Morning 2pm - BBQ	24 7pm - Bookclub	25 11:15am - Chair Yoga at 6:30pm - Yiddish Class	26	27 11am - Adult Ed 1pm - mah jongg 6:30pm - Women's Elul 7:30pm - Bridge	28 7:30pm - kabbalat shabat	29 9:15am - Shabbat service 11am - B'Ivrit Gan - 6th
30 Build the Sukkah 9am - Sunday Morning	31	1 Women's Elul Group 11:15am - Chair Yoga at 6:30pm - Yiddish Class 7:30pm - Genealogy	2	3 11am - Adult Ed 1pm - mah jongg 7:30pm - Bridge	4 7:30pm - kabbalat shabat	5 9:15am - Shabbat service 11am - B'Ivrit Gan - 6th





Thank you all those who donated plants to the Giving Garden this May - Karen Walsh, Sharon Rednor, Kim Muller, Pam Nemeth, Virgie, Donna Drewes, CrossCountry Farm in Stockton, and a woman in Alexandria Township who read on Facebook that we were looking for plants. Thank you also to whomever posted our need on Facebook. Thank you to the Nursery School children, teachers, and Kathleen for the Nursery School's participation planting.

We also want to acknowledge Nathan for his generous donation of a garden hose and for helping with garden repairs, and Lowe's for providing a number of garden supplies including much needed trellises and fertilizer.



2026/2027 Pledges Overdue

Due June 1 - make your pledge for 2026/2027 fiscal year on the ShulCloud form

Due August 1 - make payment in full or set up quarterly or monthly payments - pay at least 25% of your annual amount

<https://flemingtonjcc.shulcloud.com/form/26/27-family-membership-pledge.html>



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Upcoming Events July



MOVIE CLUB

JULY 7
NUREMBERG (2025)

WATCH ON YOUR OWN
DISCUSS ON ZOOM




ROSH CHODESH
WOMEN'S DISCUSSION GROUP


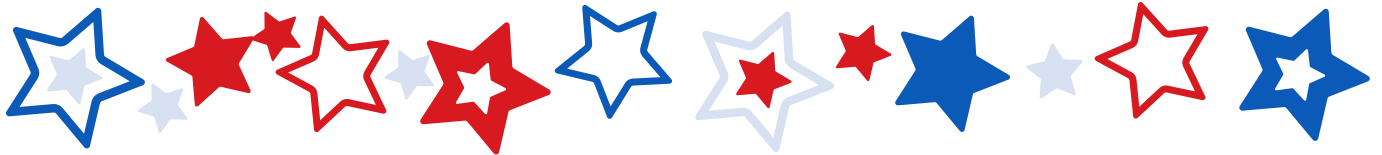

facilitated by Mira Berzofsky

Selected readings
for women, by women,

Rosh Chodesh Av - July 15th
Discussion Group - July 15
6:30 PM on Zoom

Look for selection in News and Notes

Sep 15, Oct 11, Nov 9, Dec 10, Jan 7,
Feb 8, Mar 8, Apr 7, May 18

FJCC
DINNER IS SERVED
POTLUCK SOCIAL

*bring a dish to share, vegetarian
or fish (no shellfish),
your favorite beverage,
and a towel*

the pool will be open
at Carol & Mike Wolf's
July 19, 2026 | 4-7 pm
Rain Or Shine


RSVP by July 12
tell us who's coming and what you are bringing
address shared after RSVP
kimfmuller@yahoo.com

This event falls during the three weeks before Tisha B'Av, when we refrain from parties, celebrations, and listening to live music. Many also abstain from wine and haircuts. This will be a low-key community get-together.

Tisha B'Av
Services

Wed 7/22 8pm
Thur 7/23 9 am, and 8pm

Zoom Option in News and Notes





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Upcoming Events August

Elul Openings: Return, Repair, Renew

A women's spirituality exploration of the Month of Elul, preceding the High Holy Days. From Rosh Chodesh Elul, the shofar blasts call us to wake up and prepare for the Jewish New Year. We will engage our senses and our Neshama--internal sense of self, center and presence, with 4 weekly sessions engaging with the themes of Teshuvah (Return/Repentance/Renewal) and Tikkun (Repair), culminating in an in person gathering and Shiviti (focus wall hanging) craft project. No prior knowledge or ability is required. Come as you are with a willingness to open to new ways of entering the new year.

Elul Openings:
Return, Repair, Renew

A WOMAN'S
SPIRITUALITY CIRCLE
TO PREPARE FOR
THE NEW YEAR

Facilitated by Mira Berzofsky

Thursdays, August 13, 20 & 27
6:30 pm online

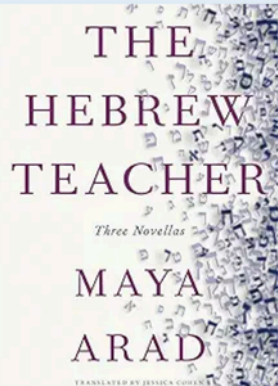
Tuesday, September 1
in person

Midlands Falls
CENTER
SERIES

FJCC Book Club
At the FJCC at 7:00 PM
August 10

The Hebrew Teacher

by Maya Arad



translated by Jessica Cohen
(NATIONAL JEWISH BOOK
AWARD FOR HEBREW
FICTION IN TRANSLATION)
Three Israeli women, their lives
altered by immigration to the
United States, seek to
overcome crises



AUG 23, 2-6PM

**BBQ
&
BRICK
CEREMONY**

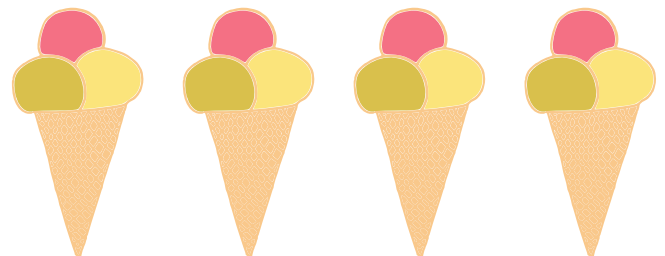
**MUSIC
KIDS' ACTIVITIES**

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Join Us!

Sunday, Aug 30
10:30 am
Rain Date: Sun, Sep 6

**BUILD
our
SUKKAH**





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Ongoing Events



Adult Education
with
Rabbi Cohen

Thursdays
11:00-12:30
All are welcome!

Parshat HaShavuah
with Rabbi Cohen

Mondays, 1 PM

Mah Jongg

Thursdays, 1-3:30
\$5 cash at door

New & Experienced Players Welcome!

Bring friends
Light snacks

Contact Karen Walsh
kwalsh@flemingtonjcc.org



CONTRACT & DUPLICATE BRIDGE

BRIDGE

with
DAVID GOLDMAN

DUPLICATE BRIDGE

MONDAYS- 10 AM
\$5/pp/session
includes a light lunch

CONTRACT BRIDGE

THURSDAYS- 7:00 PM
\$2/pp/session
includes snacks
BEGINNERS ARE WELCOME!



Ongoing Events

Yoga - Not Just for Seniors

Summer Schedule - Starting May 5th

Mat Yoga on Zoom
Tuesdays 9:30 \$10

Chair Yoga at the FJCC
Tuesdays 11:15 \$5

Contact Karen for details



908.642.0989
karenyoga108@yahoo.com
beherenowyoga108.com

FJCC CARES

The FJCC Weekly Mitzvah Project!

Shabbat Bag prepared & delivered to FJCC members in need, including soup, challah & a cookie.

If you know of someone who needs a Shabbat Bag, please reach out to Rabbi Cohen by Wednesday each week.

The FJCC Cares delivery list has been growing, and we need volunteer drivers to distribute our Shabbat Bags. Let the office know if you would like to help.



Did you know ShopRite scrip is a fundraiser for the FJCC?

We have \$25, \$50, \$100 denominations
for giving and every day shopping!

Pick up some ShopRite gift cards from us before you head to the supermarket! They are easy to use, and you're helping the shul. Please call the office ahead of time to ensure availability.

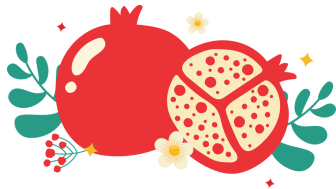




Rosh Hashanah Services Schedule

Selichot		September 5
Study Session	7:00 PM	
Services	8:00 PM	
Rosh Hashanah		September 11
Services	7:30 PM	
Candle-lighting	6:56 PM	
Rosh Hashanah		September 12
Services	8:30 AM	
Jr. Congregation	10:30 - 12:00 PM	Babysitting
Gan Jr. Congregation	10:30 - 11:30 AM	10:30 PM- 2:00 PMM
Evening Service	7:30 PM	
Candle-lighting (from an existing flame)	7:52 PM	
Rosh Hashanah		September 13
Services	8:30 AM	Babysitting
Family Program	10:30 - 12:00 PM	10:30 PM- 2:00 PMM
Tashlich	6:30 PM	

High Holidays in a nutshell

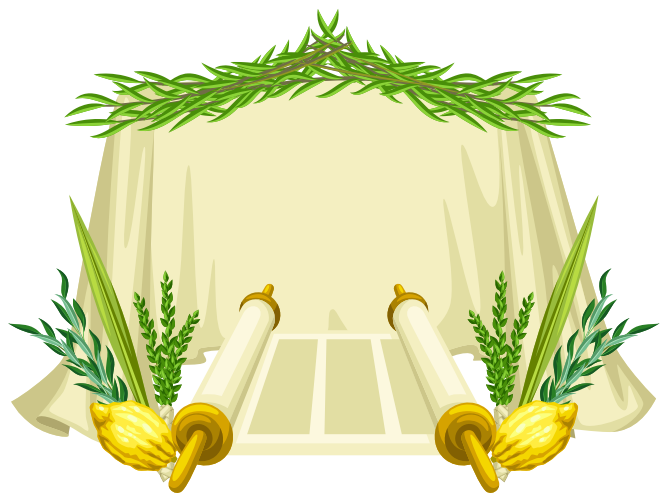


Yom Kippur Services Schedule

Erev Yom Kippur		September 20
Kol Nidre	6:15 PM	
Candle-lighting	6:42 PM	
Yom Kippur		September 21
Services	8:15 AM	Babysitting
Yizkor	11:00 AM	11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Jr. Congregation	11:00 AM-12:30 PM	
Gan Jr. Congregation	11:00 AM-12:00 PM	
Babysitting	11:00 AM-12:30 PM	
Minchah	5:15 PM	
Neilah	5:30 PM	
Fast Ends	7:20 PM	

Sukkot & Simchat Torah Services

Sukkot Day 1 and 2		Hoshanah Rabbah	
September 26		October 2	
Services	6:30 PM	Services	9:15 AM
Candle-lighting	6:33 PM		
September 27		Shemini Atzeret	
Services	9:15 AM	October 2	
Candle-lighting fr/existing flame	7:30 PM	Candle-lighting	6:21 PM
Services	7:30 PM	Services	7:30 PM
September 28		October 3	
Services	9:15 AM	Services	9:15 AM
AM		Yizkor	10:15 AM
Sukkot Family Program		Simchat Torah Family Program	
Sunday, September 27		Sunday, October 4	
10:30 - 12:00		10:30 - 12:00	
October 3			
Candle-lighting fr/existing flame	7:19 PM		
Services	7:30 PM		
October 4			
Services	9:15 AM		





Happenings

JFED WCNJ Board

Mazel Tov to Pam Nemeth on Being Re-Installed as Secretary

Congrats to our very own Pam Nemeth on being installed for another term as Secretary of the Jewish Federation of West-Central New Jersey. She has served for 9 years. The event was held at the Federation's annual meeting on May 12th, 2026.



**GRATEFUL
FOR YOU**



Happenings

John Fellin and Bruce Moskowitz Recognized by the Jewish Community Foundation on May 19th

Mazel tov to John Fellin and Bruce Moskowitz for being recognized as Champions of Life & Legacy for their commitment to sustaining our Jewish community at a dinner held by the Jewish Community Foundation on May 19th.



Congratulations!



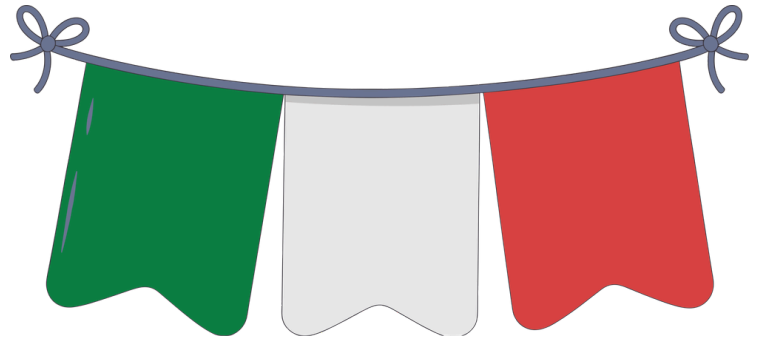
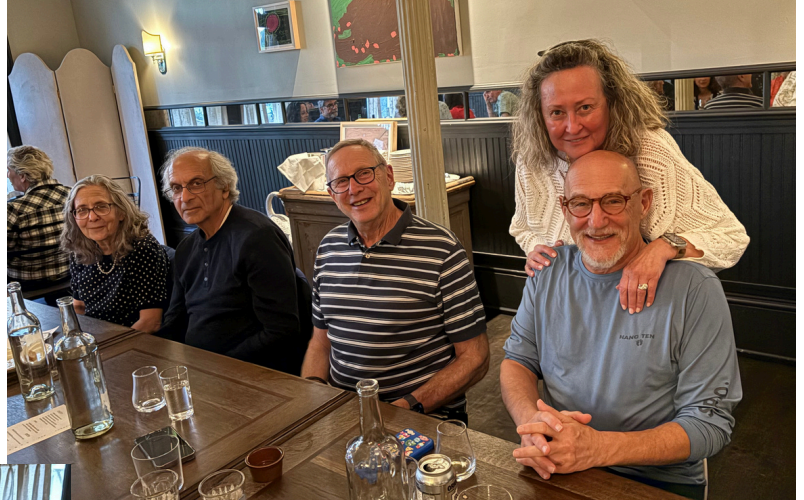
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FiNNBAR
May 28th

Happenings

Dinner is Served



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APPETITO •





Happenings

Farmland Ride, June 14, 2026

The 2026 Farmland Ride – A Success!

The ninth annual Farmland Ride was once again a successful fundraiser for the FJCC. It was envisioned and started by the late Mindy Engle Friedman, former member and FJCC Board president. This year's committee: Dena Scibilia, Bruce Moskowitz, John Fellon, Barry Mittler, Rachel Rodriguez, Sharon Rednor and Mitch Clarin, worked diligently to make sure the bike ride was safe, well run, and fun. On the day of the event, we had many FJCC members volunteer their time. The committee thanks them!

Cyclists who participated seemed thrilled by their experience. They let us know how well run the ride was, how much they liked the routes, how they enjoyed the beautiful countryside of Hunterdon county, and how much they appreciated the well-stocked rest stops and lunch. Many of the riders have returned year after year.

The Farmland Ride committee will soon start the process of planning the 10th anniversary Farmland ride in the next few months. There is much to be done and we need more volunteers. Please consider giving some of your time and join the committee.

To see all the photos from the ride, go to <https://privateerdigitalimaging.pixieset.com/farmlandride2026/>.

Contact Mitch Clarin at mitchclarin@comcast.net for more information and to volunteer.



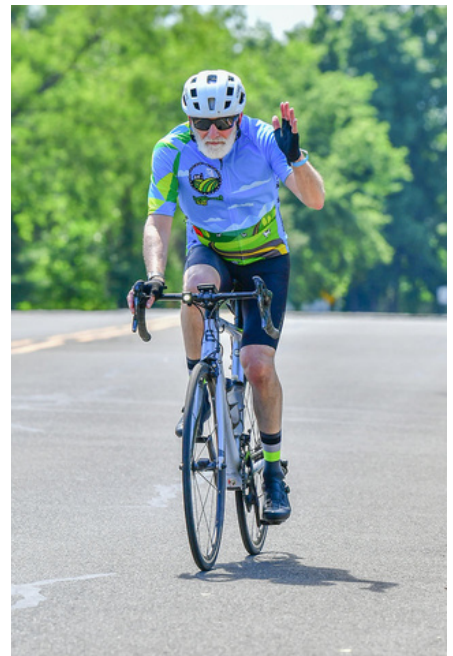


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Happenings

Farmland Ride





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Feeding Flemington June 17, 2026

Feeding Flemington is a weekly distribution of bagged lunches to over a hundred seniors and residents in the Flemington Community, started by the Three Bridges Reformed Church. This week, the FJCC shopped for, prepared, and distributed 160 lunches. It was great to see so many volunteers step up.

Kim Muller sponsored the event and purchased a lion's share of the food to honor her mother, Barbara Audrey Friedman, on her yahrzeit. Rabbi Cohen provided the additional funding.

Volunteers and Tasks – many hands make light work.

Sharon Rednor – oversaw the details of food preparation, bagging, and distribution. We saw some familiar faces and some new faces in the kitchen, including Adah Radzin, Barbara Clarin, Carol Wolf, Faith Lang, Jane Wasserman, Laurie Koss, Pam Nemeth, Richard Hotchkiss, Sam Kohn, Salena Kern, and Steve Kesselhaut.

Volunteers assembled food and packed non-perishables on Tuesday.

Wednesday morning, they made 160 sandwiches, loaded lunches into cars, set up at the Harvest Success Center, and delivered lunches to Harbor of Hope and the Flemington Food Pantry.

Did you miss the opportunity to help this time around? Don't worry, we plan to do this again in August. First, we need a commitment from volunteers. Are you able to help? We are also looking for congregants to subsidize the program's cost. Could that be you? Consider contributing in honor of a yahrzeit or an upcoming celebration.

Contact Karen Walsh or Sharon Rednor





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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

July 2- Marce Zuchovicki, Craig Schindler
July 4- David Rothstein, Joyce Nahama,
Shira Engle-Friedman
July 5- Becky Lefkow
July 6- David Cohn, Nathaniel Mehrlust,
Nadine Goldman, Samuel Doshna
July 7- Jacob Stirberg
July 8- Stacy St. Pierre
July 9- Austin Rednor
July 10- Judith Leibowitz, Sharon Rednor
July 11- Ross Holley, Amy Cook
July 13- Ian Weitz, Cory Franklin, Harry Rapkin
July 14- Arielle Engle-Friedman, Alisa Grossman
July 15- Denise Vasquez
July 16- Adrienne Scibilia, Jeffrey Marshall,
Alexa Rosenbaum
July 17- Bruce Moskovitz, Jonathan Treinish,
Michael Goldman
July 19- Judith Heffron
July 22- Nadine Milecofsky
July 25- George Ollwerther
July 26- Raymond Bragin
July 31- Yair David Berzofsky

August 3- Jessica Ort
August 6- Matthew Shankoff
August 8- Eric Berzofsky, Daniel Gavzy
August 11- Barbara Thomas
August 14- Stacey Wetstein
August 16- Neil Pollack, Richard Goldstein
August 19- Erika Ollwerther
August 20- Drew Farber, Debbie Hylton
August 21- Anneliese Nifoussi, Jodi Weitz
August 22- Zachary Kesselhaut
August 24- Landon Jampel
August 25- Alissa McInerney, Sheila Fernekes,
Chase Martoccia
August 26- Samantha Muller
August 27- Jacqueline Kestenbaum,
Garry Rodriguez, Justin Nahama
August 28- Gerald Grossman
August 29- Julius Kawarsky
August 30- Jeremy Silberman
August 31- Hunter St. Pierre, Alissa Shankoff



HAPPY Anniversary!

July 1- Ken & Sharon Brooks, Ed & Rosemary Mehrlust

July 4- Matt & Cheryl Schutz

July 5- Eric Sirota & Cara London

July 7- Hoyt & Reba Holley

July 11- Philip & Evelyn Stern, Adam & Larissa Wolf

August 5- Jonathan & Jodi Weitz

August 11- Michael & Carol Wolf

August 12- David & Carolyn Goldman

August 19- Mitchell & Barbara Clarin

August 23- Frederick & Suzanne Rothstein

August 30- Jonathan & Pamela Nemeth, Alan & Adah Radzin



Yahrzeits

July 1- David Quinn

July 2- Harry Lehrer, Sheila Neibart, Leon
Suslow

July 3- Louis Hurwitz, Elsie Simon

July 4- Shirley Cohen

July 7- Edna Goldstein, Isaac Mizrahi

July 8- Daniel Doshna

July 12- Sarah Doshna

July 15- Beatrice Klein

July 18- Allan Goodman, Ozzie Nahama,
Pauline Pianelli

July 19- Herbert Dvoor

July 20- Reba Chaiken, Ruth Naar

July 25- Anna Kanter

July 28- Lillian Shapiro

July 30- Bertha Kreisler

July 31- Barbara Grace

August 1- Sarah Rubin

August 2- Renee Gold, Maurice Suess

August 3- Abraham Rothstein, Benjamin
Rubin,

Benjamin Wetstein

August 4- Eva Cohen, Sophie Sunny
Neustadt

August 8- Saul Golowner, Tybie Milecofsky

August 10- Rabbi Evan A Jaffe

August 12- Edward Charen, Robin Goldfin

August 13- Gerald Cohen, Ruth Wolf

August 14- Leonard Goldenberg

August 15- Lilie Gerber, Joanna Goldman,
Leonard Kaminsky, Rita Rednor

August 17- Esther Bragin

August 18- Frieda Frant, Theodore London

August 19- Bertha Kahansky

August 22- William Suess

August 25- Evelyn Treinish

August 27- Rose Billowitz

August 29- Lillian Gerstein

August 30- Jack Franklin, Kurt Hylton

August 31- Abraham Greenberg



Donations



Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

SHARON & KEN BROOKS

For the yahrzeit of Newton Brooks

FRED EISINGER

In memory of Bruce Davidson, beloved husband of Marsha Goldstein

SUSAN & BRUCE KAMICH

For the yahrzeit of Mindy Engle Friedman, wife of Eliot Friedman

KENN & RANDI POGASH

Prayer book burial - geniza

JERROLD & LINDA ATLAS

FJCC Cares

RINA ROGINSKY

In memory of Bruce Davidson

CHANTAL RUBIN

In memory of Bruce Davidson.; Our hearts are broken for his family.

Building

ADAH & ALAN RADZIN

Refuah Shlemah to Zel Gerstein

ZEL & MARSHA GERSTEIN

-In memory of Bruce Davidson, beloved husband of Marsha Goldstein. May the Goldstein, Davidson, Rosenberg, Hampson, and Neuwirth families be comforted among the mourners of Zion and Jerusalem

-Mazel tov to Nadine Milecofsky, on being named Woman of the Year

-Refuah shlemah to Rich Goldstein on a speedy recovery
-Refuah shlemah to Myra Stein, on a complete and speedy recovery

-Refuah shlemah to Andrea Goldstein on a speedy recovery

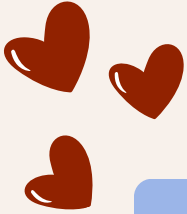
-Refuah shlemah to Matt Schutz on a speedy recovery

-Refuah shlemah to Adah Radzin on a speedy recovery



Donations

Thank You



Kiddush and Oneg

ADAH & ALAN RADZIN

For the yahrzeit of Adah's parents, Chaim & Emma Leaf

LAURIE & HARRY RAPKIN

For the yahrzeit of Laurie's father, Bernard Weiss

SHARON & JOEL GOLDSTEIN

For the yahrzeit of Shelley Goldstein, sister of Joel; and Goldie Goldstein, mother of Sharon's mother

CAROL & MIKE WOLF

For the yahrzeit of Victory Lonsk, mother of Carol

ANTJE DOYLE

For the yahrzeit of Walter Likuski, father of Antje Doyle

SALENA & ALLEN KERN

For the yahrzeit of Lillian Erich, mother of Salena and Estelle Kern

JACK DANIELS

For the yahrzeit of David, son of Marian & Jack; medical school graduation and wedding of grandson, Zachary

GEORGE OLLWERTHER

For the yahrzeit of Lori Ollwerther, husband of George

DALE & BRIAN SPERLING

For the yahrzeit of Steven Epstein, husband of Dale Sperling

Kiddush and Oneg

CAROLYN STONE

In memory of Bruce Robert Davidson

KATIE PASSARETTI & RYAN SULLIVAN

In memory of Bruce Davidson

ELISSA & JOSH LEVINE

In memory of Bruce Robert Davidson

DALE & BRIAN SPERLING

In memory of Bruce Robert Davidson

JANET VITUCCI

In memory of Bruce Davidson

CAROLINE HOLLAND

In memory of Bruce Davidson

KAREN & DAVID RANSENBERG

In memory of Bruce Robert Davidson

DEBBIE SUMNER & BILL MAHLE

In memory of Bruce Davidson

SIMONE OPPENHEIMER & STEVEN COOPER

In memory of Bruce Davidson



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General Donations

OLGA BARNER

In memory of Bruce Davidson,
beloved husband of Marsha
Davidson

ALEC SOTO & JAY KAWARSKY

In memory of Bruce Davidson,
beloved husband of Marsha
Davidson

TANYA & JEFFREY MUSLER

In memory of Bruce Davidson,
beloved father of Lisa Davidson

ALISA GROSSMAN & JEREMY SILBERMAN

For the Feed Flemington project

ROBIN & JEFF ALEXANDER

Refuah shlemah to Zel Gerstein



100th Year Celebration

RACHEL & GARRY RODRIGUEZ

In honor of the yartzeits of my
grandparents Beatrice and
Michael Williamson

Refugee Fund

ERIC & JANE WASSERMAN



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Save the Date



The Flemington Jewish Community Center Presents....

100th Anniversary Centennial Ball:

A Night of Precious Memories

Saturday, December 5, 2026





Looking Ahead to the High Holidays 2026-5787

Build our Sukkah: Sunday, August 30th (rain date Sunday, September 6th, 9:00 AM)

- Services9:00 AM
- Breakfast9:30 AM
- Sukkah Building. 10:00 AM

Selichot

Saturday evening: September 5th

- Study Session7:00 PM
- Services8:00 PM

Rosh Hashanah - Day 1:

Friday, September 11th

- Services7:30 PM
- Candle-lighting6:56 PM

Saturday, September 12th

- Services8:30 AM
- Junior Congregation10:30 AM - 12 Noon
- Baby-sitting10:00 AM - 2 PM

Rosh Hashanah - Day 2:

Saturday, September 12th

- Evening Services7:30 PM
- Candle-lighting from existing flame7:52 PM



Sunday, September 13th

- Services8:30 AM
- Baby-sitting10:00 AM - 2 PM
- Family Programming10:30 AM – 12 Noon
- Tashlich (followed by Minchah)6:30 PM
- Havdalah7:52 PM

Fast of Gedaliah: Monday, September 14th

Shabbat Shuvah:

Friday, September 18th

- Candle-lighting6:45 PM
- Services7:30 PM

Saturday, September 19th

- Services9:15 AM

Yom Kippur:

Sunday, September 20th

- Services6:15 PM
- Candle-lighting6:41 PM

Monday, September 21st

- Services8:15 AM
- Yizkor11:00 AM
- Jr. Congregation11:00 AM – 12:30 PM
- Baby-sitting11:00 AM – 2:00 PM
- Minchah5:15 PM
- Neilah6:30 PM
- Fast Ends7:39 PM



Sukkot – Day 1:

Friday, September 26th

- Services followed by dinner6:30 PM
- Candle-lighting6:33 PM

Saturday, September 27th

- Services9:15 AM

Sukkot – Day 2:

Saturday, September 27th

- Candle-lighting from existing flame7:30 PM
- Services7:30 PM

Sunday, September 28th

- Services9:15 AM
- Family Programming10:30 AM - 12 Noon

Hoshanah Rabbah:

Friday, October 2nd

- Services9:15 AM

Shmini Atzeret:

Friday, October 2nd

- Candle lighting6:21 PM
- Services7:30 PM

Saturday, October 3rd

- Services9:15 AM (Yizkor about 10:15 AM)

Simchat Torah:

Saturday, October 3rd

- Candle-lighting from existing flame7:19 PM
- Services7:30 PM

Sunday, October 4th

- Services9:15 AM
- Family Programming10:30 AM – 12 Noon



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