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# March, 2018 14 Adar- 15 Nissan, 5778

### Service Schedule

Egalitarian Friday Night Services begin at 8:00 p.m., followed by an Oneg.

Children's Services begin at 6:45, when scheduled

Traditional Saturday morning services begin at 10:00 a.m. and are followed by a Kiddush.

#### **Candle Lighting Times:**

March 2, 6:23 p.m. March 9, 6:30 p.m. March 16, 7:38 p.m. March 23, 7:45 p.m.



#### Mark your calendars:



March 3 – Bat Mitzvah of Zora Pejsova, 10:00 a.m.

March 21 – Jewish Studies Lecture 12:30 p.m.

March 26 – Joint Sisterhoods Meeting March 28 – Jewish Connection Book Group March 30 – Erev Passover, First Seder



# Yahrzeits May their memories be for a blessing.

Solomon Goodman – 16 Adar, March 3 Bara Pearlman – 17 Adar, March 4 Frank Goldstine – 18 Adar, March 5 Esther Simon – 18 Adar, March 5 Harriet Berger – 19 Adar, March 6 Moshe Radinsky – 20 Adar, March 7 Sonia Barash – 20 Adar, March 7 Dottie Benzer – 22 Adar, March 9 David Bercovitz – 23 Adar, March 10 Gilbert Rubenstein – 27 Adar, March 14 Hillel Kaplan – 1 Nissan, March 17 Bessie Bosco – 2 Nissan, March 18 Tillie S. Garfinkel – 5 Nissan, March 21 Kay Savitz-Brownstein – 5 Nissan, March 21 Morris Pickus – 6 Nissan, March 22 William Zaban – 8 Nissan, March 24 Samuel Rostov – 9 Nissan, March 25 Morris Rubinstein – 12 Nissan, March 28 Victor Weitzman – 14 Nissan, March 30 Matus Fishelson – 15 Nissan, March 31 Kusiel D. Gordon – 15 Nissan, March 31



Suggestions and information for this Bulletin are always welcome. Please contact me at bridgejudy@aol.com

with your thoughts. Deadlines are usually seven days before the end of the month.

Judy Weitzman, Editor

# **The Jewish Connection Book Group**

The Jewish Connection Book Group will meet next on Wednesday, March, 2:30 p.m. at the home of Katara Busch, 4121 Black Forest Lane, in West

Lafayette.

The group will discuss <u>Dinner at</u> the Center of the Earth by Nathan Englander. This selection is a spellbinding thriller, spy novel and

love story that tackles contemporary moral issues and captures timeless human truths with emotional power and comedic genius.

Newcomers are always welcome, and carpooling is available. For more information, call Kathy Busch at 583-2247.



Thanks to Sam Harris for his weekly notifications of Shabbat schedules

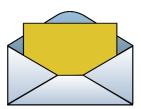
Thanks to Ephraim Fishbach, Sam Harris, David Sanders, for conducting services, and to Ephraim for reading the Purim Megillah.

Thanks to Sonya Garfinkel for preparing Onegs.

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honor someone with a new leaf on the **Tree of Life** the Shul, please call Jo Gartenhaus at 765-464-1209 to learn how



To have a **Happy Day Card** or a **Memorial Card** sent in your name, please contact Esther Chosnek by e-mail at erc@wolfelt.com. She will promptly send your card for a minimum donation of only

\$5.00. You need only contact Esther, then send your check, made payable to Sisterhood Sons of Abraham to Sisterhood Treasurer, Sonya Garfinkel, 2229 Carberry Dr., West Lafayette, IN 47906.



To Mickey and Sam Harris on the recent birth of a granddaughter. Proud parents are David and Megan, son and daughter-in-law of Sam and Mickey.

And, Mazel Tov to Mark Lillianfeld on the birth of twin grandchildren, a boy and a girl, Bradley and Adelyn. The proud parents are Abbie and Marc, daughter and son-in-law of Mark.

# Purdue University Jewish Studies Program Noon Lecture and Discussion Series

Wednesday, March 21 Stewart Center, Room 313 12:30 p.m.

"Jewish Memory, Jewish Museum, Jewish Modernist: On Jewish American Poet Kenneth Goldsmith's Annotations for <u>The Arcades: Walter</u> <u>Benjamin and Contemporary Art</u>"

Presented by Daniel Morris, Professor,
Department of English, Purdue Unversity
Jewish Studies program events are free and open to
the public.



# Spring is coming!

Please join us for the Joint Sisterhoods Meeting on Monday, March 26, at 7:30 p.m.

The Shul Sisterhood will host this event at Temple Israel.

The program is s romantic comedy, <u>The Wedding Plan</u>, which was included in a list of the 10 best Jewish films of 2017. It tells the story of a devout woman, unmarried at 32, who challenges G-d to find her a husband in one month by the eighth day of Chanukah.

Popcorn and goodies will be served. Men are also invited.

R.S.V.P. to Sonya Garfinkel at 463-7071.

# A Little Ladino, because you never know when it might come in handy.

While often called Ladino, the language of the Sephardic Jews who settled in the lands of the Ottoman Empire after their expulsion from Spain in 1492 is also known as Judeo-Spanish.

But neither term captures the multiple cultural influences that shaped the language for more than five centuries of life in the eastern Mediterranean, resulting in a marvelous blend of Spanish, Portuguese, Hebrew, Turkish, Arabic, Greek, Italian and French. Like Yiddish, Ladino was traditionally written in Hebrew characters and known as *Djudezmo* and *Djudyo*, words that mean "Jewish."

Here are a few popular Ladino expressions, with a pronunciation guide at the top.

#### **Ladino Pronunciation Guide**

j as in French "bonjour"h as in English "hot"dj as in English "joy"

## 1. Ijo de ken sos tu?

**Pronunciation:** EE-jo de ken sos tu **Meaning:** You are the child of whom?

**How to use it:** You meet someone, realize you might know people in common, and begin playing Sephardic Jewish geography with the question: "Ijo

de ken sos tu?"

#### 2. Haberes buenos

**Pronunciation:** ha-BEAR-es BWE-nos

Meaning: Good news!

How to use it: This can be used either to announce good news or as a way to ward off bad news.

Sample uses: You aced your exam and tell you parents: "Haberes buenos! I got an A!"

You find out *Nona* (grandma) broke her hip and, to ward off the bad news, reply, "Haberes buenos!"

## 3. Djente de piron

**Pronunciation:** DJEN-te de pee-ROAN **Meaning**: The one percent (i. e. rich folks)

**Literal translation:** "People of the fork": owning a fork (and not just a spoon) was once a sign of high-

class status.

4. Bivas, kreskas, engrandeskas, komo un peshiko en aguas freskas! Amen!

**Pronunciation:** BEE-vas, KRES-kas, en-gran-DES-kas, KO-mo un pesh-EE-ko en AG-uas FRES-kas! a-MEN!

**Meaning**: An elaborate "bless you" after a sneeze (or multiple sneezes)

**Literal translation:** Live; thrive; grow; like a little fish in fresh water! Amen!