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From the Rabbi: Amen!

By: Rabbi Tracy Nathan

If you were wondering if there is a Fast Lane/E-Z Pass equivalent to getting through the gates to Gan Eden, there may be, for Resh Lakish taught: "The gates of the Garden of Eden open to all who answer "Amen!" with all their strength" (Babylonian Talmud Shabbat 119b). To help you open those gates, I thought I would write about why saying Amen is an important feature of blessing making and encourage greater awareness and participation in Amen moments.

How is Amen used in Jewish practice? When someone says a bracha, those who hear should respond "amen," publicly affirming the bracha (Orach Chayim 124:6). This is the case when one recites a personal bracha over food or when one is reciting the brachot of liturgical prayer. So when one prays, "Blessed are you, God, who heals the sick," then those who respond amen add their prayers for healing. Responding "amen" also enables one to fulfill

one's obligation through another's bracha; it is as if one said the blessing oneself. One does not, however, generally answer amen to one's own bracha, with few exceptions.

Jewish prayer is an intensely communal experience; even when we pray alone, we say prayers in the plural. And the response of "amen" transforms an individual's blessing into a communal act, which gives the blessing a fullness and completeness over and above the blessing of the individual. Some sages even suggest that one who answers "amen" is greater than the one who initiated and recited the bracha itself (Babylonian Talmud Berachot 53b).

The way our tradition understands the coming together of a bracha with amen can be seen in the following statement from the 13th century Talmudist

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Monday - Friday

9:30am - 12:30pm

Upcoming Events

- Dec. 11 Breakfast sponsored by Lester and Ellen Macklin
- Dec. 16 Friday night service and dinner
- Dec. 18 A Klezmer Hanukkah
- Dec. 21 Hanukkah candle lighting at City Hall 4:30pm



December Yahrzeits



Plaque Loc.	Name	Yahrzeit Date	
2-2	Morris Goodman	1-Dec	Kislev 05
5-2	Bessie Griff	1-Dec	Kislev 05
5-1	Mildred Perlmutter	2-Dec	Kislev 06
2-4	John F. Kennedy	2-Dec	Kislev 06
5-4	Margret Fassberg	3-Dec	Kislev 07
2-4	Abraham Shecktmann	3-Dec	Kislev 07
5-1	Nathan Weiner	3-Dec	Kislev 07
5-1	Helen Norman	4-Dec	Kislev 08
5-2	Milton Portnov	5-Dec	Kislev 09
6-1	Sylvia Moldoff	5-Dec	Kislev 09
4-2	Eileen Moses	5-Dec	Kislev 09
6-3	Blanche Weinstein	6-Dec	Kislev 10
	Abraham Werblin	6-Dec	Kislev 10
2-1	Alexander Abraham	7-Dec	Kislev 11
5-1	Miriam Goldman	7-Dec	Kislev 11
3-4	Edward Rosenberg	7-Dec	Kislev 11
6-4	Blanche Kaufman	7-Dec	Kislev 11
6-2	Max Canter	7-Dec	Kislev 11
6-3	Donald Marc Merowitz	7-Dec	Kislev 11
2-2	Simon Greenberg	8-Dec	Kislev 12
6-3	Joseph Finstein	8-Dec	Kislev 12
2-2	Barney Geller	8-Dec	Kislev 12
3-2	Mollie Fine	9-Dec	Kislev 13
3-3	Rose Bloom	9-Dec	Kislev 13
3-3	Henry Milesky	9-Dec	Kislev 13
2-2	Louis Gould	10-Dec	Kislev 14
2-3	Becky Mankowich	10-Dec	Kislev 14
3-4	Bella Weiner	11-Dec	Kislev 15
2-3	Jacob Mankowich	11-Dec	Kislev 15
1-1	Benjamin Caplan	11-Dec	Kislev 15
2-2	Abraham Ginsburg	11-Dec	Kislev 15
5-1	Rose Grater	11-Dec	Kislev 15
4-1	Mary Rosenfeld	12-Dec	Kislev 16
1-4	Lipman Simmons	12-Dec	Kislev 16
2-4	Meyer Rosenfeld	12-Dec	Kislev 16
1-1	Lana Blackstone	13-Dec	Kislev 17
3-3	Sadye Leyton	13-Dec	Kislev 17
6-3	Elaine Kaplan	13-Dec	Kislev 17
	Sadie Kaitz	14-Dec	Kislev 18

Plaque Loc.	Name	Yahrzeit Date	
6-3	Jack Marcou	14-Dec	Kislev 18
	Morris Bootin	14-Dec	Kislev 18
2-2	Jennie Fine	14-Dec	Kislev 18
4-3	Samuel Blackstone	15-Dec	Kislev 19
1-2	Shiphrah Goldberg	15-Dec	Kislev 19
2-2	Tillie Klayman	15-Dec	Kislev 19
2-3	Paul Meyerovitz	15-Dec	Kislev 19
2-2	Sarah Harris	16-Dec	Kislev 20
4-2	Eva Rebecca Tauber	16-Dec	Kislev 20
4-3	Philip Leavy	16-Dec	Kislev 20
3-2	Edward Rubin	17-Dec	Kislev 21
2-1	Ida Canter	18-Dec	Kislev 22
	Rebecca Sechter	19-Dec	Kislev 23
3-3	Bertha Lebowitz	19-Dec	Kislev 23
5-4	Dr. Ludwig Kubin	20-Dec	Kislev 24
5-4	Harry Cotton	20-Dec	Kislev 24
	Fanny Meiselman	20-Dec	Kislev 24
5-2	Charles Goldstein	21-Dec	Kislev 25
2-3	Charles Mendelsohn	21-Dec	Kislev 25
2-3	Ida Mendelson	21-Dec	Kislev 25
6-3	Dr. Joseph Jacobs	23-Dec	Kislev 27
1-4	Dora Posner	24-Dec	Kislev 28
4-3	Louis Sheer	24-Dec	Kislev 28
5-2	Jennie Elkins	24-Dec	Kislev 28
2-1	Joseph Berman	25-Dec	Kislev 29
4-3	Carl Simon	25-Dec	Kislev 29
1-4	Chana Chosed	25-Dec	Kislev 29
5-3	Benjamin Greene	26-Dec	Kislev 30
3-2	Leah Freedman	26-Dec	Kislev 30
1-3	Blume Pill	27-Dec	Kislev 30

If you would like to make a donation in memory of a loved one listed above please send it along with a brief note of who you would like remembered to the Temple Office.

From the Rabbi: Amen

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Rabbi Yom Tov of Seville (Ritba): “As long as they are still answering amen, the blessing has not concluded” (cited in “Amen and Amen: Blessings of a Heretic (Like Me),” in *Judaism*, Spring 2002). Amen, then, is part of the bracha itself, not separate from it. As Rabbi Jeremy Kalmanofsky points out, “a blessing needs Jewish society” (ibid).

You may have noticed my occasional non-verbal reminders and my tendency to accentuate the brachot within the repetition of the amidah so that those present will respond Amen. I have observed a tendency for many to kick back and just listen to the *shaliach tzibbur*, the individual leading the prayers, without participating. When you stay present and respond with Amen, it becomes the communal prayer experience it is meant to be, where we are all sending our collective prayers to the Divine. Let’s all remember to respond to blessings with a hearty Amen so we don’t get stuck in the cash only lane into Gan Eden!

We are grateful to those who contributed to our Yom Kippur appeal...

Morris and Edith Hollender

It is never too late to donate. Use the form on the last page of the bulletin and mail it to the Temple. Thank you in advance.

Join Temple Beth Israel and Waltham’s Mayor Jeannette McCarthy on Wednesday, December 21st at 4:30pm at City Hall for a Hanukkah Candle Lighting Ceremony.



From the Cemetery Committee

Beginning on January 1, 2012 the price for one grave at Beth Israel Cemetery in Waltham will increase from \$1,700 to \$2,200.

If you do not belong to Temple Beth Israel, you must pay an additional \$300 for a year’s dues. Only Temple members are allowed to purchase plots at the Cemetery.

If you are thinking about purchasing a pre-need Cemetery grave, it would be prudent to do so before the price increases on January 1, 2012.

Thank you,
Herb Baron

Marks Remarks: Lessons from Babel

By: Mark Frydenberg

A few weeks ago I shared a D'var Torah at services about the story of the Tower of Babel – that nine-line construction project that immediately follows the story of Noah, who builds an ark to save the animals and his family from destruction. Here is a brief summary of that teaching.

After the flood, the descendants of Noah settled in Shinar, defying God's commandment to scatter over the earth. Genesis 11:1 teaches that the whole earth was of one language and speech. They built bricks and mortar, and said "Come let us build a city and a tower, with its top in heaven, and let us make a name for ourselves, lest we be scattered upon the face of the earth."

They believed they would have power in numbers, and if they combined their strength, could "make a name for themselves" by building a tower to the sky. God wasn't so keen on the idea. Gen 11:6, God says, "Behold they are one people, and all have one language, and this is what they do. Now nothing is impossible for them..."

The Tower of Babel was an expression of people wanting to achieve power and greatness through big egos and a desire for power. Because they were focused on being united and powerful, they didn't care about each individual. If someone fell off the tower while building it, and died, the others kept going because the common goal was the most important thing. The people of Babel were so taken by their tools and achievements that they lost sight of the people around them.

God could have brought about a windstorm to topple their tower, but instead the



punishment this time had a more profound effect: everyone had a different language, so they would have to learn to communicate with each other in order to really work together. God's challenge is to have us learn from each other, appreciate our differences, and avoid the arrogance displayed by the people of Babel.

The key to the story is that anyone can work together to build a tower if they all speak the same language, and have the same understanding of the world. The real challenge is to achieve the same task when there are hundreds of languages, and points of view. Success lies in the ability to acknowledge the contributions of others, make compromises, rather than being convinced we're the only ones with the right answer. Our community's strength is based on this lesson from Babel. Our many languages and experiences and ideas are a result of our different backgrounds. We come together to build a tower that connects us with each other and welcomes each of us for the value each of us brings.

December 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3 <i>Vayetze</i> Rabbi Tracy Nathan
4	5 Board Meeting 5:45pm	6	7	8	9	10 <i>Vayishlach</i> Rabbi Tracy Nathan
11 9:00am- Breakfast Program	12	13	14	15	16 6:30pm- Friday Night Services and Dinner	17 <i>Vayeshev</i> Rabbi Tracy Nathan
18 3:00pm- Klezmer Hannukah Concert	19	20 <i>Hanukkah</i> begins at <i>sundown</i> Light Candle #1	21 4:30pm- Candle lighting at City Hall Light Candle #2	22 Light Candle #3	23 Light Candle #4	24 <i>Miketz</i> Cantor Ellen Band Light Candle #5
25 Light Candle #6	26 Light Candle #7	27 Light Candle #8	28 <i>Hannukah Day 8</i>	29	30	31 <i>Vayigash</i> Member Led Service

If not specified, Minyan—Monday—Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday is at 7:00am and on Saturday and Sunday at 9:00am.

Mazel Tov

To Rabbi Rim and Anne Meirowitz on the marriage of their daughter, Sara, to David Finkelstein at the end of October.

Refuah Shlema

Roni-Beth Shapiro

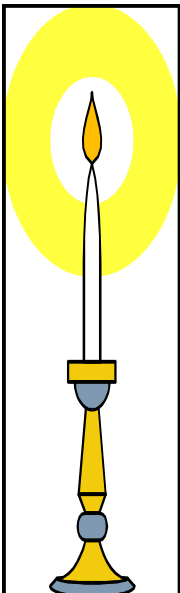


We Need Minyanaires

Services are held at 7:00am on weekdays (except Tuesday) and at 9:00am on weekends & 8:00am on holidays.

Kaddish

We are not able to guarantee a minyan at each morning service, so if you need a minyan on a particular day to recite Kaddish, please let the Temple know at least 2 days prior.



Candle Lighting Times

Dec 2	3:55pm
Dec 9	3:54pm
Dec 16	3:55pm
Dec 23	3:58pm
Dec 30	4:02pm
Jan 6	4:09pm
Jan 13	4:16pm
Jan 20	4:25pm
Jan 27	4:34pm
Feb 3	4:43pm

Donations

Hannah Handel, in memory of her brother, Harold Shapiro.

Lillian Etkind, in honor of Harry and Ann Baker's 70th Wedding Anniversary.

Dolores and Lester Mack, in honor of Harry and Ann Baker's 70th Wedding Anniversary.

Thelma and Julius Kennen, in honor of Harry and Ann Baker's 70th Wedding Anniversary.

Merrill and Carol Griff, in honor of Harry and Ann Baker's 70th Wedding Anniversary.

Thelma and Julius Kennen, in memory of her father, Max Katz.

Ina Moses, in memory of Louis Baron.

Hella Hakerem, in honor of her grandson Aaron Forder's Bar Mitzvah.

Merrill and Carol Griff, in honor of the B'not Mitzvah anniversary of Genevieve, Catherine, Ina, and Esther.

From the Revitalization Committee

The Revitalization Committee is looking for members to help plan and staff events at the Temple. If you are interested in joining the committee, or just lending a hand, please contact Marilyn Racette at [781-893-8693](tel:781-893-8693), or email jr9760@aol.com. Please put Revitalization Committee in the subject line if you contact me by email.

Thank you,
Marilyn Racette
Revitalization Committee Chair

Breakfast with Sid

Sunday, December 11th after morning minyan



Sid Werlin is everyone's grandfather. He lived in Belmont for many years with his wife Bea where they raised their two sons. During that period, Sid labored as a salesman while Bea was the homemaker and raised their "boys" to adulthood. If you needed advice, Sid was the person to go to, and you would find him and Bea Saturday morning at Temple services.

During the last several years of their marriage, Sid wanted them to move to a Jewish assisted living facility where life would be easier, but Bea liked her home. Then life reared its dark side and Bea was taken ill. Many months of hospitalization and surgeries and then home with Hospice care. After the funeral, many friends, neighbors and family helped with meals but it was clear, Sid could not live alone. So he moved to the Cohen Florence Levine Estates in Chelsea.

What is it like at that facility? What should you know if you are considering moving to an assisted living facility? You can hear all about it from Sid when you attend the breakfast on Sunday, December 11th that has been specifically arranged by Temple Beth Israel for Sid Werlin. Minyan is at 9 AM and the breakfast follows thereafter.

This breakfast is Free and we expect a large turnout, so it is really important you R.S.V.P. the temple office at 781-894-5146 to ensure adequate food is prepared.

From the Membership Committee

The Temple Beth Israel Membership Committee is planning a get together so that we can reach out and welcome prospective members. We are a dynamic and friendly community with a very warm and caring Rabbi, Cantor and numerous lay leaders from the congregation.

The synagogue now offers Beginning Hebrew and Torah Chanting lessons. These are ongoing and presented at the student's level. Shabbat morning services are concluded with a kiddush/luncheon where we relax and have time to get to know one another. We celebrate monthly Friday evening services followed by homemade dinners, and are looking forward to offering semi-monthly Children's Shabbat Services. Other amenities include Sisterhood, morning minyans, trips, concerts, breakfasts and luncheons featuring guest speakers and entertainers. Please call our office with names and contact information so that Andrea or we can personally speak with friends and acquaintances who might be interested in partaking in our services. You provide the names and we will follow it up.

Membership Co-Chairs

Diana Korzenik and Ellen Macklin



The Tall Ships Return to Boston!

Mark Sunday, July 1, 2012 on your calendar because the Tall Ships from across the globe are scheduled to return to Boston next summer, marking the bicentennial of the War of 1812 and the role of the *USS Constitution* in the conflict. Celebrate 200 years of history and the writing of our national anthem, the *Star Spangled Banner* as you cruise the harbor, dine on fabulous food and take part in this significant event.

Climb aboard *Boston Harbor Cruises*, relax as you cruise the Boston Harbor and take in the magnificent views. Enjoy the narration as we sail among these majestic towering ladies of the sea. Feast on a delicious three course meal at the *Gloucester House Restaurant* located on historic Seven Seas Wharf.

After lunch, visit the charming coastal village and artist colony of Rockport, also the site of Norman Rockwell's "Motif #1". Here you will have free time for browsing in the many shops and art galleries that crowd its bustling streets before leaving for home.

Our coach is comfortable and has a restroom on board. This exciting day is all yours and the Price is Right, \$85 per person. Reserve your place by sending a deposit of \$30/per person. Everyone is welcome, so bring your friends and relatives. You do not have to be a member of Temple Beth Israel to be part of our group. Pickup at Temple Beth Israel is at 7:45 AM (come 15 minutes early).

Get your reservations in early because the cut off date is when all 52 seats are sold. Send the coupon below and your check made out to: Temple Beth Israel, as soon as possible.

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Temple Beth Israel Tall Ships, Sunday, July 1, 2012

PO Box 540182 Waltham, MA 02454-0182

Name(s) _____ Telephone _____

Address _____ EMAIL _____

No. Reservations _____ x \$30 Deposit/pp = \$ _____ Enclosed.

NOTE: Deposit is due by February 1, 2012 Balance due May 31, 2012.

SAVE THE DATE

MLK Day at Temple Beth Israel Monday January 16th

On January 16th there will be a Martin Luther King Day service followed by a Volunteer Opportunity to help out around our Temple.

If you can use a screwdriver and consider yourself to be handy, or just want to get out of the house, join us as we change some lightbulbs, add programmable thermostats and even insulate some windows. All supplies will be at the Temple.

Great Community Service Opportunity!

Please join Temple Beth Israel and other Waltham neighbors for a Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Interfaith Volunteer Service on January 17, 2011

Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Interfaith Volunteer Service
"Many Peoples, One Nation"

11:30am - 8pm

held at Brandeis University and sites across Greater Boston
Sponsored by Cooperative Metropolitan Ministries (CMM) and our partners

Registration, Lunch & Dialogue: 11:30 - 1:30pm

Service at Sites around Boston: 2 - 5pm

(service sites will include Haiti relief, new immigrant sites, homelessness and environmental justice projects)

Dinner & Dialogue: 5:15 - 6:15pm

King Day Celebration with Speakers Rev. Liz Walker and Rev. Dr. Gloria White Hammond, Spoken Word, and Much More: 6:30 - 8pm

All Ages Welcome!

PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS for this powerful, all ages experience of interfaith/crosscultural dialogue, community service in our neighborhoods, and celebration. Our focus will be bridgebuilding and cooperative action, focusing on linking new immigrant communities with US native-born, so that we might build Dr. King's vision of Beloved Community and the "World House" where are all welcome, fed, clothed, and housed, and live together in peace and dignity.

On that day, we will work together on welcoming the stranger, aiding Haiti, and addressing environmental justice, poverty, and hunger and homelessness in our communities.

Send an email to office@tbiwaltham.org or call the office if you are interested in forming a TBI group to participate together on this day.

Hanukkah Blessings

Before kindling the Hanukkah lights on the **first night** of Hanukkah, Tuesday, December 20th recite all three blessings. On **every subsequent night** only the first two are recited.

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יי אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם, אֲשֶׁר קִדְּשָׁנוּ
בְּמִצְוֹתָיו וְצִוָּנוּ לְהַדְלִיק נֵר שֶׁל חֲנֻכָּה.

1. *Ba-ruch A-tah Ado-nai E-lo-he-nu Me-lech ha-olam a-she-
r ki-de-sha-nu be-mitz-vo-tav ve-tzi-va-nu le-had-lik ner
shel Cha-nu-kah.*

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יי אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם, שֶׁעָשָׂה נִסִּים
לְאֲבוֹתֵינוּ בְּיָמֵים הָהֵם בְּזִמְנֵי הַזֶּה.

2. *Ba-ruch A-tah Ado-nai E-lo-he-nu Me-lech Ha-olam she-
a-sa ni-sim la-avo-te-nu ba-ya-mim ha-hem bi-zman ha-zeh.*

Recited only on the first night (or the first time lighting this Hanukkah):

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יי אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם, שֶׁהַחֲזִינוּ
וְקִיַּמְנוּ וְהִגִּיעָנוּ לְזִמְנֵי הַזֶּה.

3. *Ba-ruch A-tah Ado-nai E-lo-he-nu Me-lech Ha-olam she-
heche-ya-nu ve-ki-yi-ma-nu ve-higi-a-nu liz-man ha-zeh.*

Translation:

1. Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Ruler of the universe, Who made us holy through Your commandments and commanded us to kindle the Hannukah lights.

2. Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Sovereign of the universe, Who performed wondrous deeds for our ancestors in those ancient days at this season.

(First Night Only)

3. Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Sovereign of the universe, Who has given us life and sustained us and enabled us to reach this season.

Are you a senior or homebound person looking for a source for Kosher meals delivered to your home?

I have benefited from receiving daily delivery of delicious Kosher meals from Springwell in Watertown, 617-926-4100.

Meals arrive hot daily. They are inexpensive. They have Kosher diet meals as well as specialized diets restricted for health purposes: low lactose, restricted protein, etc.

I also have a list of other Kosher food delivery services as well. I will be happy to chat with any shul members about this.

Diana Korzenik
(617) 965-9338

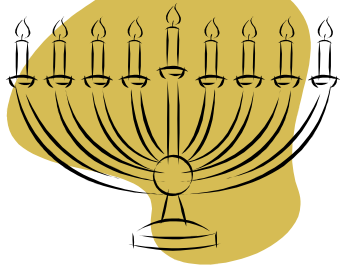
Receive wellbeing while giving to Temple Beth Israel.

In honor of our grand opening, Waltham Chiropractic Health will be offering a 1 hour massage for \$40 with a complimentary stress evaluation (a combined value for \$135).

When you participate, Waltham Chiropractic will donate \$10 directly to Temple Beth Israel.

In the spirit of giving,

Dr. John Duffy
Waltham Chiropractic Health
136 Bacon St
Waltham, MA 02451
[781-728-3520](tel:781-728-3520)



A Klezmer Hanukkah with Hankus Netsky and Friends

Sunday December 18th
from 3:00pm-5:00pm

At Temple Beth Israel, 25 Harvard Street, Waltham, MA

On Sunday, December 18th at 3PM, Temple Beth Israel in Waltham will present A Hanukkah Celebration featuring Hankus Netsky and Friends.

The program will feature vocalist/violinist Eden MacAdam Somer, vocalist Cantor Ken Richmond, clarinetist Zoe Christiansen and members of the Klezmer Conservatory Band, along with some special guests. The concert will include Hanukkah music from all over the world, including little-known eastern European repertoire gathered from Temple Beth Israel member and Holocaust survivor Morris Hollender.



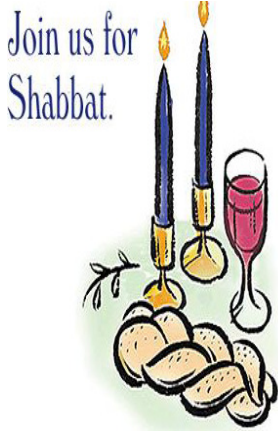
There will be dancing and refreshments for all. All ages are welcome to come and celebrate the season!

Hankus Netsky is founder and director of the Klezmer Conservatory Band and Music Director for Itzhak Perlman's "In the Fiddler's House" and "Soul of Jewish Music" projects. He is the director of the Discovery Project at the National Yiddish Book Center and chair of the Contemporary Improvisation Department at the New England Conservatory.

Tickets are \$20 for Temple Members, seniors and students & \$25 for Non-members.

For more information, call the Temple office (M-F 9am-12pm) at [781-894-5146](tel:781-894-5146)

or visit their website www.tbiwaltham.org/ to buy tickets online.



Join us for
Shabbat.

Welcome Shabbat with Services and Community Dinner at Temple Beth Israel

Services: 6:30 pm

Dinner: 7:30 pm

\$12 per adult, \$30 per family

Welcome Shabbat with a spirited Kabbalat Shabbat Service at 6:30 pm, led by **Rabbi Tracy Nathan**, followed by a Temple-cooked dinner at 7:30 pm, singing, and good conversation. **Reserve now!** Payment must be received by Thursday morning, the day before the dinner you are attending. We cannot accept payment at the door, and will not send bills afterward. Sign up for all three dinners and save \$5.00

Friday Nights

Dec 16

Jan 20

Feb 17

Send your check to Temple Beth Israel, P.O. Box 540182, Waltham, MA 02454-0182. For more information, see www.tbiwaltham.org, email: office@tbiwaltham.org or call the Temple Office at (781) 894-5146.

Names of Adults and Children Attending:	Date		Number		Amount
Contact Phone:	Dec 16	Adults		\$12 per adult or \$30 per family	
		Children			
Email:	Jan 20	Adults		\$12 per adult or \$30 per family	
		Children			
	Feb 17	Adults		\$12 per adult or \$30 per family	
		Children			
				Payment Enclosed Take \$5 off if sending payment for all three dinners.	

What is the number of vegetarian meals required at each dinner for this reservation? _____

Here's how I/we can help: (check all that apply)

- shopping
 setting tables
 cooking
 serving
 cleaning up
 making phone calls
 offering a ride to someone who otherwise couldn't come

Send your check to Temple Beth Israel, P.O. Box 540182, Waltham, MA 02454-0182. For more information, see www.tbiwaltham.org, email: office@tbiwaltham.org or call the Temple Office at (781) 894-5146.

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- Kol Nidre Pledge
- High Holiday Donation

- General Fund
- Rabbi's Discretionary Fund
- Morris Hollender Music Appreciation Fund
- Carl Goldstein Memorial Fund

- Other, please specify: _____

Temple Beth Israel Donation Form

For your convenience, please use this form to make your donations and send to:

Temple Beth Israel, P O Box 540182, Waltham, MA 02454-0182

I have chosen the fund indicated at the right:

(Please use a separate form for each fund. Minimum donation: \$10)

Attached is my check in the amount of: \$ _____

The donation is being made

In Honor Of _____

In Memory Of _____

Other _____

This donation is made by:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip _____

Please send acknowledgement to:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip _____