



Kehilataynu

**Our Community's
Monthly Newsletter**

Cheshvan - Kislev 5781 / November 2020

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SISTERHOOD FIRST HEBREW
CONGREGATION ZOOM MEETING

SUNDAY, NOV 1ST AT 10AM

Support the Soup Kitchen Project

First Hebrew Congregation has participated in the noonday program at the soup kitchen in Peekskill for at least 25 years and hopefully our support will never cease. Once a month a meal has been prepared by congregants and transported to the soup kitchen for the hungry in our area, where they have received a sit-down luncheon. Since March of this year when the pandemic began, the soup kitchen has been providing a takeaway meal instead and we have been offering financial support

instead of actual consumables. The congregation has been very generous, and we are very grateful for that. However, at this time we only have enough money left to provide meals for about 2-3 more months.

If you are able to contribute, please help us continue this very worthy project. Send your check made out to First Hebrew Congregation, with "soup kitchen" or "social action" in the memo line.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR THIS FREE VIRTUAL EVENT
A NIGHT OF MUSIC & JOY
Together at Home • בבית ביחד

**Presented by Kol Hazzanim and
The Westchester Jewish Council**

Saturday, November 21, 2020 @ 7:30-9:00pm

First Hebrew Congregation

Synagogue

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Synagogue Office Hours

Please consult constant contact or the FHC website calendar at www.FirstHebrew.org.



First Hebrew Congregation is affiliated with the United Synagogue of Conservative Judaism, Women's League for Conservative Judaism, Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs, and USY (United Synagogue Youth).

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Don't forget to 'like' us to keep up with our latest news and activities!

Mission Statement and Purpose - First Hebrew's mission is to enrich our vibrant egalitarian Jewish Community through education, worship, charity and social interaction, and to support each person in their pursuit of Jewish learning, values and spirituality.

First Hebrew Congregation is a warm and welcoming participatory Jewish community. We celebrate Jewish practices with present-day meaning. Inspired by our heritage, we foster the ideals of contemporary Conservative Judaism through life-long learning, worship, charitable acts and social connection. We are devoted to our community and are committed to building for the future. We welcome all individuals and families, including interfaith families, people of all ages, races, sexual orientation and disabilities.

If you like to get a hard copy of this Newsletter, please contact the office.

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This is what practicing self-care looks like. My article will return in the December Kehillateynu.

Rabbi Dana

President's Message

"The world is too small for anything but mutual care and deep respect; the world is too great for anything but responsibility for one another."- Rabbi Abraham Joshua Heschel

The past seven plus months have made this abundantly clear to us on a level we had not realized was possible. Before the pandemic, we could go where we wanted, do what we wanted, interact with others however we chose, dine out, go to movies or shows, celebrate and worship and mourn all according to our own personal choices and in public. The limits on gathering and traveling were dictated mostly by one's budget and fire/building codes.

After the pandemic began, all of that changed. Even as some aspects have returned and allowed us some semblance of "normal" there remain limits. We are masked, socially distant, and gatherings of all kinds are restricted based on the needs of public health. However, before the pandemic, most of us did not think about how reliant we are on others outside of our immediate circle. Now we have seen that fallacy laid bare- the essential workers who have made it possible for us to have food on our tables; the health care workers who have treated and cared for our friends, loved ones and community members sick with the corona virus and other illness despite risks to themselves; the first responders who do not have the ability to work from home.

We have seen that here at First Hebrew too.

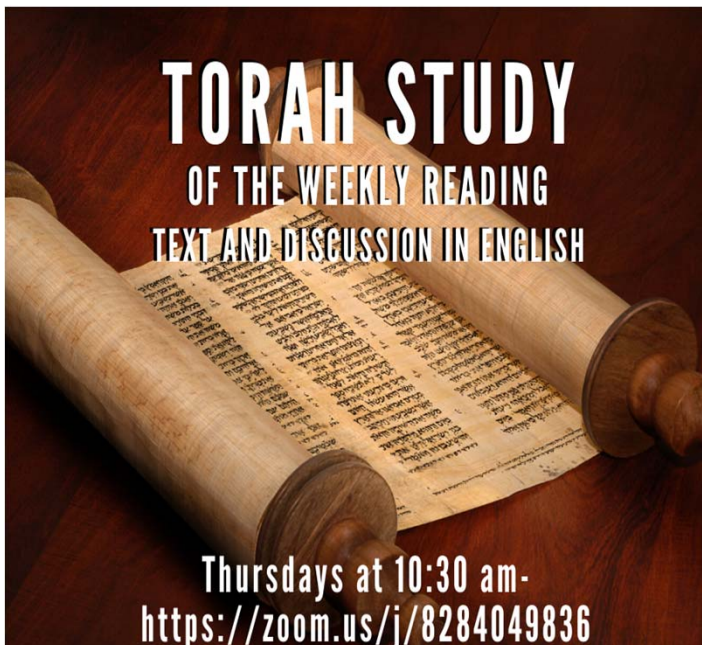
Limits and care- most of our programming remains on-line but the connection to our community remains strong. Members and friends have stepped up to provide assistance to others and check in with one another, our bonds persisting even if the circumstances have changed. If you have already made a donation for the High Holiday appeal, we thank you for your support of this vital work in support of our *Kehilla Kedosha*, our sacred community. If you have not sent one in yet, don't worry, you can still do so. Our Sisterhood and Social Action committee have continued to support our neighbors in need via our local food pantry and the local soup kitchen. Operation Isaiah, even during this year of challenging circumstances, brought in 277 pounds of non-perishable food for the food pantry. Many have given financial donations (through Sisterhood) to support the food pantry and others to the Social Action committee for our monthly "lunches". These all demonstrate the care and responsibility for our community both within First Hebrew and in the wider world, something at which you, our members, have always shown yourselves to be great.

On behalf of the officers and the Board of Trustees, I wish you and your loved ones a Happy Thanksgiving.

L'Shalom,

Mindy Steinholz

Sukkah 2020



Sisterhood.....Women Enjoying Jewish Life

I am generally not affected by the thoughts, activities or shenanigans of celebrities, but this past week I read an article in which Gal Gadot (the Israeli actress who plays Wonderwoman) talked about how she was grateful for the blessings in her life and how her gratitude practice compassed saying the Modeh Ani each morning. The Model Ani is the first words we are supposed to utter each morning-while still lying in bed. Our first conscious moments are supposed to be spent thanking G-d for the gift of life. The translation of the prayer is "thank you living and enduring king, for you have graciously returned my soul within me. Great is your faithfulness."

The Modeh Ani was the first prayer I ever learned in Hebrew school, and I remember much of my young years saying it each morning. I don't know why I stopped doing it, but Gal Gadot reminded me that how you start your day matters. She reminded me that despite the pandemic we all have many things to be thankful for-and Thanksgiving is approaching this month to give us another opportunity for gratitude. For many of us, it will be sad not to have all those with us to celebrate

the holiday, but we are still grateful for the existence of their love which transcends all physical barriers.

We can also be grateful that we live in a democracy and that this democracy, while certainly not perfect, is evolving. Election Day is coming up on November 3, and since the advent of early voting, capping the election "season." We are hopeful that all will go well and that this election will be peaceful and lawful. Highlighting democracy, Sisterhood will be having a special speaker on November 1 at 10 am to discuss the Jewish contributions to women's suffrage. Our speaker will be Marcia Belgorod, one of the Sisterhood co-presidents of Forest Hills JC. I urge you to login to zoom to participate in this very interesting program, and remind you that all Sisterhood meetings require an RSVP to Sisterhood@firsthebrew.org to receive the login information.

Happy Thanksgiving to all, and if you haven't already done so, VOTE.

Fran

LGBTQI+ Recovery Group

Starting Monday, October 19th at 5:30pm (and continuing every Monday at the same time), Rabbi Rachel Grant Meyer and Rabbi Igaël Gurin-Malous, founder of the NYC-based Teshuvah Center, will be hosting an online (for now) LGBTQI+ Jewish Recovery Group.

What is a Jewish queer recovery group!? It's a spiritual recovery space geared towards LGBTQI+ people (and allies) fighting substance abuse and process addiction, as well as people who are seeking more meaning and clarity in life. Additional info and registration at the link below.

Queer and trans folks and allies who aren't yet in recovery are welcome to join. Folks in recovery who are LGBTQI+-curious are also welcome to join. It will be a multi-generational space from age 18 to age 118. As this group is online, folks are welcome to join from wherever they find themselves (not just NYCers). Please feel free to reach out to Rabbi Meyer at rabbirachelgm@gmail.com or to Rabbi Iggy at igurin@tshuvahcenter.org with any questions.

More information and registration at <https://www.tshuvahcenter.com/lgbtqi-tshuvah-group>.

HEBREW CLASS

learn to read and understand a Biblical text

Contact Rabbi Dana:
rabbi@firsthebrew.org



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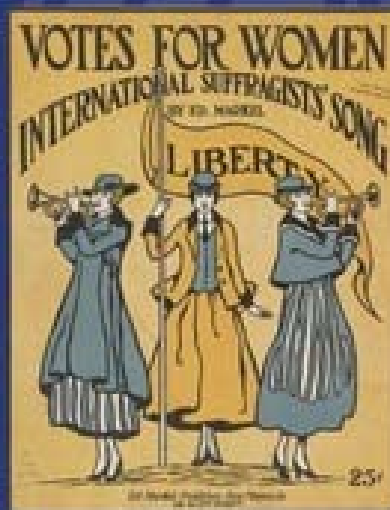
SUNDAY, NOV 1ST AT 10AM

Marcia Belgord: Forest Hills JC
Sisterhood Co-President

Will Present A Salute to the Jewish
Sheroes Who Fought For Our Right to
Vote!



Suffragist
Maud Nathan



Suffrage Opponent
Annie Nathan Meyer

**PLEASE RSVP TO
SISTERHOOD@FIRSTHEBREW.ORG
TO GET ZOOM DETAILS**

ONEGS

Friday, November 6

- Irene Reiss in honor of her granddaughter Gail Avni's birthday on November 7
- Frances and Steven Weiner in honor of their wedding anniversary on November 11
- Ken and Benjamin Litvin in honor of Michele Singer's birthday on November 12
- Roshi Newman in honor of her great granddaughter Evelyn Bloom Thomas' birthday on November 12

Friday, November 13

- Irene Reiss in honor of Yuval Avni's birthday on November 15
- The Rubin family in honor of Bill's birthday on November 16
- The Colman family in honor of Mike's birthday on November 19
- The Schefflein family in honor of Javin's birthday on November 19

Friday, November 20

- Irene Reiss in honor of Philip Yoskowitz's birthday on November 21
- Sue Weiler in honor of Phil Yoskowitz's birthday on November 21
- The Newman family in honor of Carol's birthday on November 22
- The Olmsted family in honor of Mark's birthday on November 22
- Marilyn and Freemont Reif in honor of Richard and Karen's wedding anniversary November 23
- The Olmsted family in honor of Sarah's birthday on November 25
- The Walker family in honor of Dave's birthday on November 25
- The Stern family in honor of Michelle's birthday on November 26

Friday, November 27

- The Stern family in honor of Mark's birthday on November 27
- Amy Burckhard in honor of Ariane and Peter Braverman's wedding anniversary November 28
- Frances and Steven Weiner in honor of Marisa's birthday on November 28
- The Blackman family in honor of Sarah Blackman's birthday on November 30

Donations

We thank the following for their kind and generous donations -

Yahrzeit – Maxine Janowitz in memory of her husband Steve, Barbara Ninos in memory of her father Irving Pearlman, Wendy & Richard Cohen in memory of Harold Rosoff.

In memory – **Jean Randall** – Shirley Kaplan

Gail Rosenfeld – Barbara Ninos

Candolences

- to Shirley Kaplan on the loss of her mother-in-law, Jean Randall.
- to Lisa Gagliardi on the loss of her mother Rose Vitale.

HaMakom y'nahem etkhem b'tokh sh'ar avelei Zion viYrushalayim.

May the Holy One comfort you among all the mourners for Zion and Jerusalem.



משלחת יום ההוקרה – "איתם ולמענם" 2020
Israel's 2020 Honor Day Virtual Delegation - "Together for Them"

TRIBUTE TO WOUNDED IDF SOLDIERS

Westchester Jewish Council

invites the community to join our Israeli Heroes, the wounded IDF Veterans,
for a ZOOM webinar on
November 5th at 12:00pm

Let us come together, parents and children, for Israel's 7th Official Honor Day.
Hear life altering, true stories of their heroism, as we give them our support.

Major Ofir Anidgar

Ofir served in a combat engineering unit which searched for terror tunnels.

During operation Tzuk Eitan, a missile was fired at his force and 11 reservists were wounded, including Ofir.

Ofir was injured in his right leg and left arm by shrapnel, as well as in his head and ears, and underwent rehabilitation at Tel Hashomer Hospital.



Shahaf Segal

Served in the special anti-terror unit, Sayeret Golani, as a sharpshooter and a medic.

During operation "cast lead" (the Gaza war), the team's Staff Sergeant, Dvir Emanuelof, was shot and killed from a terror tunnel, Shahaf got injured while trying to save Dvir's life.

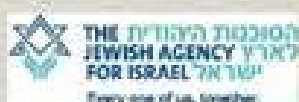
Shahaf got evacuated to Soroka hospital for a major reconstructive surgery on his arm, which led to five years of surgeries and rehabilitation in Tel HaShomer hospital.



Please register in advance for this meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/joining/register/tZMldOuhqzwsH9R-5VH9xoNFD-AregFj9wtU>

This event is free and open to all.



KABBALAT SHABBAT

A song, a story, a prayer, Mourner's
Kaddish and lighting Shabbat candles
together as Shabbat comes in.

Fridays at 6:00 pm

<https://zoom.us/j/8284049836>

Please check your email for password

Get well

First Hebrew wishes a speedy recovery to: Sandra Glicker Gilmore, Alice Krochmal,
Paul Schefflein, Carol Schlacter

Candle Lighting Times/Torah Readings

Fri. Oct. 30.... 5:45 pm	Sat. Oct. 31 .. Lech-Lecha
Fri. Nov. 6.... 4:25 pm	Sat. Nov. 7 .. Vayera
Fri. Nov. 13.... 4:19 pm	Sat. Nov. 14 .. Chayei Sara
Fri. Nov. 20.... 4:13 pm	Sat. Nov. 21 .. Toldot
Fri. Nov. 27.... 4:10 pm	Sat. Nov. 28 .. Vayetzei

Daylight saving time ends Sunday, November 1 @ 2 am

Zoom Meeting ID: 828 404 9836; call office for password

MODIFIED MINYAN

Thursdays at 9:00am-
<https://zoom.us/j/8284049836>
P/W: 177033



PLEASE JOIN US FOR THIS FREE VIRTUAL EVENT

A NIGHT OF MUSIC & JOY

Together at Home • בבית ביחד

Presented by Kol Hazzanim and
The Westchester Jewish Council



Saturday, November 21, 2020 @ 7:30-9:00pm

ENJOY THE MUSIC OF THE TALENTED
WESTCHESTER CANTORS OF KOL HAZZANIM



To register for this free event or make a donation toward the event
please go to our website at www.wjcouncil.org

925 Westchester Avenue, Suite 200, White Plains, New York 10604

For more information contact:

Donna Bartell at donna@wjcouncil.org • www.wjcouncil.org • 914-328-7001

Bingo is cancelled until further notice



How many people does it take to run a Bingo game? For the Bingo game to run smoothly Bingo needs at least 11 people. With less people it becomes arduous for those who are there. Yes, Bingo has a dedicated group of regulars some come at five p.m. and stay till ten p.m. The regulars come to most of the forty-five games Bingo has. They enjoy the night out and are proud that they raise \$30,000 for FHC. Bingo doesn't have enough regulars so FHC has the "list." The congregants from list fill the gap of regulars to the amount of people Bingo needs for a night. We find that when congregants work Bingo some realize they like the experience and that's how congregants have become regulars.

If we can't continue to run Bingo the \$30,000 raised would have to be spread among the members and that would be an increase of \$450 per unit. An increase of that size would be a difficult burden to many members.

If you are coming to Bingo from the list, we need you at 6:30 pm but whenever you show up will be appreciated. The surcharge of \$200 for singles and \$400 for couples is an added inducement but it is the workers we really need. If you can't come on your day please, please find a replacement.

Thanks in advance for your support, The Bingo Regulars.

Important Note: Your 2020–2021 dues include a surcharge for Bingo. If a member family meets its two-bingo requirement during the year, the family will receive a credit. Similarly, if a single member meets his/her one-bingo requirement during the year, he/she will receive a credit.

URGENT MESSAGE: If you are unable to attend on your scheduled Bingo night, **IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO GET A REPLACEMENT.**

Thank you for your continued cooperation!!!! Workers should report to Bingo by 6:15 pm and are expected to stay until at least 10:00 pm.

Kehilataynu Editorial Policy and Publishing Information

The synagogue bulletin is a place not only for news and information about FHC and its members, but also a forum for members to place information that may be of interest to their fellow congregants. We are happy to consider all articles submitted to Kehilataynu; however, we reserve the right to edit for style, and length. In addition, all articles submitted by FHC members are labeled as such and do not reflect the opinion of FHC or the Board of Trustees.

Please keep the following in mind:

- Articles and announcements must be received in the FHC office by the date below.
- Please submit your article or announcement via e-mail to bulletin@firsthebrew.org. If you do not have a computer, and/or your submission is not available in digital format, you may fax, mail, or deliver your (typed) submission(s) to the temple office.
- Please provide original copies of flyers and photos (faxed copies are not suitable for reproduction) — they will be returned

Email List

If you're interested in getting emails with the weekly announcements, please visit the website at www.firsthebrew.org. If you wish to contact the synagogue for any other business, please note that the e-mail address to use is fhc@firsthebrew.org. To email Rabbi Bogatz directly, use rabbi@firsthebrew.org.

If you change your Internet provider and/or email address, please remember to sign up for the First Hebrew mailing list again at your new address. Email bill@firsthebrew.org with your request to be added to the list.

First Hebrew website

Visit www.firsthebrew.org for synagogue information, articles, plus current and archived issues of the bulletin. The following month's bulletin is posted shortly after it goes to the printer, so you can read it without having to wait for the post office to deliver it! You can even view a printable version of the current month's calendar. Come check it out! If you have any questions or comments, feel free to send email to bill@firsthebrew.org.

סדור
לב שלם
Siddur
Lev Shalem
לשבת ויום טוב
FOR SHABBAT
& FESTIVALS

MODIFIED SHABBAT MORNING SERVICE

Includes Torah reading and
concludes with Mourner's Kaddish.

Saturdays at 10:00 am

<https://zoom.us/j/8284049836>

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LUNCH & LEARN

Tuesdays at 12:00 pm -
<https://zoom.us/j/8284049836>

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SHARE YOUR SIMCHAS BY SPONSORING AN ONEG SHABBAT!

First Hebrew invites you to sponsor an Oneg Shabbat in honor of your family and friends. Celebrate birthdays, anniversaries, engagements, weddings, Bar/Bat Mitzvahs, graduations, and more of friends and loved ones!

It's a Bargain: Only \$5 per Oneg!

It's easy to do: Just fill out this form and your Simcha will appear in the monthly bulletin, the weekly synagogue emails, and be announced from the Bimah.

Send this page with your check payable to First Hebrew Congregation, c/o Oneg Shabbat (Onegs@firsthebrew.org) to First Hebrew Congregation 1821 Main Street Peekskill, NY 10566. Please put "Oneg" in the memo section.

Name: _____ No. of Onegs: _____ @\$5_____

Address: _____

Amount Due: _____

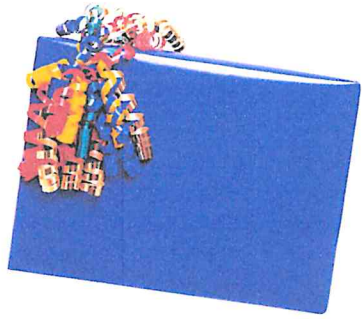
Phone: _____

Email: _____

Sponsor Name(s) to appear as _____

Honoree's Name	Occasion	Date of Event
1. _____		
2. _____		
3. _____		
4. _____		
5. _____		

Please allow 6-8 weeks for publication in the bulletin. You may send in more events at any time on a separate sheet.



Buy Scrip - Take The Stress Out of Shopping Make Your Life Easier - Make Someone Happy

Want to bring a smile to someone's face - give them a gift card.

This way you don't stress over what to buy them and they get what they want!!! They will thank you for it! Everyone goes food shopping! We have scrip for all local food stores available as well as CVS, Dunkin Donuts, Bed, Bath & Beyond, Walmart, Panera, Starbucks, Visa cards (with no \$5 activation fee), Shell & Gulf gas cards, call the office and and if we don't have what you want in stock, we will do our best to get it for you!

They make great gifts for birthdays, showers, weddings or just to say thank you to someone!

***** We always have Scrip on hand *****

Deadline for ordering is the last day of the month!



Family Order Forms

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First Hebrew Congregation of Peekskill

ORDERS DUE: Last Day of the Month

PHONE #:

E-MAIL (Please include!):

REMEMBER- BIRTHDAYS AND HOLIDAYS!!!

SCRIP Order Form

Name				Customer #			
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Apparel & Accessories			
Product	%	QTY	Total
Aeropostale \$25	7.00%		\$
American Eagle Outfitters \$25	10.00%		\$
Brooks Brothers \$25	16.00%		\$
Claire's \$10	9.00%		\$
Foot Locker \$25	9.00%		\$
Gap/Banana Republic/Old Navy Options \$25	**14.00%		\$
Gymboree \$25	13.00%		\$
H&M \$25	5.00%		\$
Lands' End \$25	16.00%		\$
Payless Shoes \$20	13.00%		\$
The Children's Place \$25	12.00%		\$
TJ Maxx/Marshalls/HomeGoods \$25	7.00%		\$

Department Store			
Product	%	QTY	Total
Bloomingdale's \$25	12.00%		\$
Kohl's \$25	4.00%		\$
Lord & Taylor \$25	8.00%		\$
Macy's \$25	10.00%		\$
Macy's \$100	10.00%		\$
Sears \$25	4.00%		\$

Dining - Casual			
Product	%	QTY	Total
Applebee's \$25	8.00%		\$
Boston Market \$10	12.00%		\$
California Pizza Kitchen \$10	4.00%		\$
Cheesecake Factory \$25	5.00%		\$
Chili's \$25	9.00%		\$

Dining - On The Go			
Product	%	QTY	Total
Baskin Robbins \$2	9.00%		\$
Burger King \$10	4.00%		\$
Cold Stone Creamery \$10	8.00%		\$
Dunkin' Donuts \$10	4.00%		\$
KFC \$5	8.00%		\$
Panera Bread \$10	9.00%		\$
Panera Bread \$25	9.00%		\$
Starbucks \$10	7.00%		\$
Starbucks \$25	7.00%		\$
Subway \$10	3.00%		\$
Wendy's \$10	4.00%		\$

Discount Store			
Product	%	QTY	Total
Target GiftCard \$25	2.00%		\$
Target GiftCard \$100	2.00%		\$
Walmart/Sam's Club \$25	2.00%		\$
Walmart/Sam's Club \$100	2.00%		\$

Electronics & Office			
Product	%	QTY	Total
Best Buy \$25	3.00%		\$
Office Max \$25	5.00%		\$
Staples \$25	5.00%		\$
Staples \$100	5.00%		\$

Entertainment			
Product	%	QTY	Total
AMC Theatres/Loews Cineplex \$25	7.00%		\$
Barnes & Noble \$10	9.00%		\$
Barnes & Noble \$25	9.00%		\$
Regal/United Artist/Edwards Theatres \$25	8.00%		\$

Grocery			
Product	%	QTY	Total
ShopRite \$25	4.00%		\$
ShopRite \$100	4.00%		\$
Stop & Shop/Giant Foods \$25 (NOT TOPS)	4.00%		\$
Stop & Shop/Giant Foods \$100 (NOT TOPS)	4.00%		\$

Home Decor			
Product	%	QTY	Total
Bed Bath & Beyond \$25	7.00%		\$
Pier 1 \$25	9.00%		\$

Home Improvement			
Product	%	QTY	Total
Home Depot \$25	4.00%		\$
Home Depot \$100	4.00%		\$

Online & Mail Order			
Product	%	QTY	Total
Amazon.com \$25	4.00%		\$
iTunes \$15	5.00%		\$
L.L.Bean \$25	15.00%		\$

Specialty Retailer			
Product	%	QTY	Total
Bath & Body Works \$10	13.00%		\$
CVS/pharmacy \$25 (Not online)	6.00%		\$
CVS/pharmacy \$100 (Not online)	6.00%		\$
Hallmark \$25	4.00%		\$
The Container Store \$25	9.00%		\$
Walgreens \$25	6.00%		\$

Make Checks Payable To: *FHC, 1821 E. Main St, Peekskill, NY 10566*

Total Due All Columns:

\$

****Limited time bonus offer. Participating retailers and products are subject to change without notice.**

First Hebrew Congregation

"Opportunities for Giving"

Yahrzeit Plaques

(memorial)

In memory of a member..... \$200

In memory of a non-member..... \$300

In memory of and purchased by a non-member... \$500

Tree of Life

(in honor of a birth, Bar or Bat Mitzvah, wedding, special anniversaries, life events, in memoriam, etc.)

Leaf..... \$150

Rock..... \$250

Root..... \$350

Memorial Plate. \$500

Books

(plate on inside cover recognizes your gift and names those you wish to honor)

Eit Ratzon..... \$40

Lev Shalem.... \$50

Mahzorim..... \$25

Chumashim..... \$54

Brick Garden

A wonderful way to memorialize or honor a loved one

One brick (with inscription)..... \$150

Two bricks..... \$275

Library Fund

General Fund Gifts (i.e., purchases at library discretion)

Specific Purchase Gifts (i.e. book series or encyclopedia)

Other Donation Ideas

Gifts of highly appreciated stock or real estate—save on income tax while avoiding capital gains taxes!

Scholarships - for youth programs and camps and travel to Israel.

Sisterhood Social Action

Project

Non-perishable food items for Fred's Pantry in Peekskill

This will be an ongoing project for the entire FHC community; bring your donations to our box in the upstairs coat closet

Torah Fund CARDS for ALL OCCASIONS are available through Sisterhood!

These cards help raise scholarship funds for the Jewish Theological Seminary and other Conservative Movement educational institutions.

The cards are on display in the FHC library and on a flyer in this bulletin.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>1</p> <p>Sisterhood Zoom Meeting 10:00 am 14 Heshvan</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Office Open 7am - 2pm 15 Heshvan</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Lunch & Learn Zoom - 12 noon 16 Heshvan</p>	<p>4</p> <p>Office Open 7am - 2pm Board Meeting Zoom 7:00 pm 17 Heshvan</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Office Open 7am - 2pm Modified Minyan Zoom - 9:00 am Torah Class - Zoom 10:30am 18 Heshvan</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Candles 4:27 pm Zoom Kabbalat Shabbat Service 6:00 pm BYO Shabbat dinner, share kiddush, singing & conversation together 19 Heshvan</p>	<p>7</p> <p>Shabbat Service Zoom - 10:00 am ~VAYERA~ 20 Heshvan</p>
<p>8</p> <p>Men's Club Zoom Meeting 9:30 am 21 Heshvan</p>	<p>9</p> <p>Office Open 7am - 2pm 22 Heshvan</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Lunch & Learn Zoom - 12 Noon 23 Heshvan</p>	<p>11</p> <p>VETERANS DAY Office Open 7am - 2pm 24 Heshvan</p>	<p>12</p> <p>7:00 am Office Open Modified Minyan Zoom - 9:00 am Torah Class - Zoom 10:30am 25 Heshvan</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Candles 4:20 pm Zoom Kabbalat Shabbat Service 6:00 pm BYO Shabbat dinner, share kiddush, singing & conversation together 26 Heshvan</p>	<p>14</p> <p>Shabbat Service Zoom - 10:00 am ~CHAYE SARAH~ 27 Heshvan</p>
<p>15</p> <p>28 Heshvan</p>	<p>16</p> <p>Office Open 7am - 2pm 29 Heshvan</p>	<p>17</p> <p>Lunch & Learn Zoom -12 Noon 7:30 Zoom Ritual 1 Kislev</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Office Open 7am - 2pm 2 Kislev</p>	<p>19</p> <p>7:00 am Office Open Modified Minyan Zoom - 9:00 am Torah Class - Zoom 10:30am 3 Kislev</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Candles 4:15 pm Zoom Kabbalat Shabbat Service 6:00 pm BYO Shabbat dinner, share kiddush, singing & conversation together 4 Kislev</p>	<p>21</p> <p>Shabbat Service Zoom - 10:00 am ~TOLEDOT~ 7:30 pm Zoom A Night Of Music & Joy 5 Kislev</p>
<p>22</p> <p>6 Kislev</p>	<p>23</p> <p>Office Open 7am - 2pm 7 Kislev</p>	<p>24</p> <p>Office Open 7am - 2pm Lunch & Learn Zoom -12 Noon 7:30 Zoom Exec. 8 Kislev</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Office Open 7am - 2pm 9 Kislev</p>	<p>26</p> <p>HAPPY THANKSGIVING Modified Minyan Zoom - 9:00 am 10 Kislev</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Candles 4:11 pm Zoom Kabbalat Shabbat Service 6:00 pm BYO Shabbat dinner, share kiddush, singing & conversation together</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Shabbat Service Zoom - 10:00 am ~VAYETZE~ 12 Kislev</p>
<p>29</p> <p>13 Kislev</p>	<p>30</p> <p>Office Open 7am - 2pm 14 Kislev</p>	<div>  <div> <p>Daylight Savings Time Ends</p> <p>11/1/20 - Turn Clocks Back One Hour</p> <p>*****</p> <p>From Our First Hebrew Family to Yours</p> <p>We Wish You All A Happy Thanksgiving!</p> </div>  </div>				

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Yahrzeits

The following Yahrzeits will be observed during the months of November as noted on the memorial plaque in our sanctuary:

Beverly Becher..... Cheshvan	15 (2-Nov)	Richard Brill..... Kislev	3 (19-Nov)
Ruby Trager..... Cheshvan	15 (2-Nov)	Barney Goldstein..... Kislev	3 (19-Nov)
William Herschel Kaufman..... Cheshvan	16 (3-Nov)	Benjamin Saltzman..... Kislev	3 (19-Nov)
Sarah Levin..... Cheshvan	18 (5-Nov)	Sylvia Ofrichter..... Kislev	4 (20-Nov)
Florence Silver..... Cheshvan	18 (5-Nov)	Harry Garber..... Kislev	5 (21-Nov)
Ida Solov..... Cheshvan	18 (5-Nov)	Allen J. Mills..... Kislev	5 (21-Nov)
Arthur Bensky..... Cheshvan	19 (6-Nov)	Charles Jacobs..... Kislev	6 (22-Nov)
Max Hershkowitz..... Cheshvan	20 (7-Nov)	Theodore Landsberg..... Kislev	6 (22-Nov)
Esther Rosenthal..... Cheshvan	20 (7-Nov)	Abe Dabrusin..... Kislev	7 (23-Nov)
Henry Becker..... Cheshvan	21 (8-Nov)	Nathan Finklestein..... Kislev	7 (23-Nov)
Milton Skolsky..... Cheshvan	21 (8-Nov)	Abraham Weinstein..... Kislev	7 (23-Nov)
Joshua Zamaloff..... Cheshvan	21 (8-Nov)	Mary Eleanor Blackman..... Kislev	8 (24-Nov)
Samuel Kissel..... Cheshvan	22 (9-Nov)	Murray Halperin..... Kislev	8 (24-Nov)
Saul Thorn..... Cheshvan	22 (9-Nov)	Leonard Krauter..... Kislev	8 (24-Nov)
Bill Grushow..... Cheshvan	23 (10-Nov)	Isaac Hiesiger..... Kislev	9 (25-Nov)
Mollie Yudowitz..... Cheshvan	23 (10-Nov)	Samuel Liebowitz, M.D..... Kislev	9 (25-Nov)
Irving Pearlman..... Cheshvan	25 (12-Nov)	Sol Sanders..... Kislev	9 (25-Nov)
Martin H. Gad..... Cheshvan	26 (13-Nov)	Helene Frogel..... Kislev	10 (26-Nov)
Abraham H. Garfunkel..... Cheshvan	27 (14-Nov)	Herman Berman..... Kislev	12 (28-Nov)
Zygmunt Herschhorn..... Cheshvan	27 (14-Nov)	Jacob Biloon..... Kislev	12 (28-Nov)
Francine Kaplan Bensky..... Cheshvan	28 (15-Nov)	Pincus Greenfield..... Kislev	13 (29-Nov)
Myrtle Gaffen..... Cheshvan	29 (16-Nov)	Mildred Rosen..... Kislev	13 (29-Nov)
Moe Reif..... Cheshvan	30 (16-Nov)	Samuel Skolsky..... Kislev	13 (29-Nov)
Evelyn Zorn..... Cheshvan	30 (16-Nov)	Jeanette Frogel..... Kislev	14 (30-Nov)
Philip Goldstein..... Kislev	1 (17-Nov)	Paul Weiss..... Kislev	14 (30-Nov)
Leonard M. Jacobs..... Kislev	1 (17-Nov)		

May their memory be a blessing to all

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Articles for the December Newsletter are due Friday, Nov. 27.