

# Tuesday Tidbits

~August 25, 2020~



## Officers and Budget Vote Results

We are proud to announce that your temple Board of Trustees has been voted on and approved. The proposed budget was also passed. Thank you for sending in your vote and ensuring our temple will continue to strive no matter what we face with this strong group of volunteers who are willing to share their time. We thank you for taking care of our temple in such a loving way as you would your own home.

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## Remember to mail your membership packets by September 1st!



The temple's mailbox is full of envelopes already! Thank you to those who mailed their annual membership renewal packets back to us so quickly! Getting your information early makes it much easier to plan our High Holy Day services without frantic last-minute additions or changes. Checks received before September 1st will be deposited on September 1st. We need to do that to ensure that your membership donations are credited to the coming fiscal/membership year (which starts on September 1st). If you have not mailed your membership packet yet, please remember to drop it in the mail ***no later than September 1st.***

Finally, if you have not received a membership renewal packet in the mail, please contact Marcy Weinberger at 205-310-8343 or [bernatz2053@gmail.com](mailto:bernatz2053@gmail.com). She mailed them over a week ago and they should have reached you by now. She will make sure you are sent another packet by snail mail or email (your choice) if your packet did not arrive for some reason. Thanks! *Marcy*

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## Sisterhood Virtual Get Together



This virtual gathering will take place on Sunday, August 30 from 5-6 pm. All women from the temple are invited. You don't have to be a member of Sisterhood to come have some fun with us!

Make sure to have a beverage of your choice in hand and try to think of an idea for future socializing. Party hats are encouraged. Can't wait to see what Amy Ahmed will be wearing!

## Holiday Information

Are you concerned that this holiday season won't be as meaningful as the past holidays? Well let us tell you it will be different but just as meaningful!

The Ritual Committee along with Rabbi Jacobs and Cantor Dan have worked very hard to make sure that we all celebrate together virtually in these unusual but still wonderful times. Lets review what you need to do:

**Send in your Yizkor form** and check to Marcy to make sure your loved ones are remembered during the holidays. Those must be received by September 1st.

**Send in your High Holy Day Fund donation.** As mentioned previously, this is a way for you to participate in the services. Yes, in a different way but just as important. The Rabbi or Cantor will mention your name as an "honored donor" during the services.

**Learn how to get on the Zoom webinar to view the services or if you are on FaceBook** make sure you join the temple's private page where you can also view services.

**Don't know how to do either? Don't worry!** Angela will be calling each home over the next couple of weeks to make sure you know what to do and to guide you through the process or have someone else call you back to assist. Not all of us are tech savvy so don't be embarrassed. We all need help with these things at times.

**Test your knowledge!** Join a Shabbat Zoom service on Friday night's at 6:00 pm or a Torah Study class on Sunday mornings at 10:00 am. This will give you some practice on how to link in to Zoom.

With all that said lets realize that as we watch the news on television and other events that are done virtually you will always see some glitches. Technology is great but not perfect so don't be surprised if during our services there might be a slight hiccup. The team is working hard to prevent as many of those as possible. You all should be very proud of the work they have put into this holiday season. We couldn't do it without them

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## Social Committee

The Social committee is making plans for the whole temple to get together for some virtual fun. The first event will be after the holidays so pay attention to your Tuesday Tidbits for details!

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## DIRECTORY UPDATE TIME

Don't forget to send Angela any corrections that need to be made to our directory.

Zoom Shabbat Service | Friday, August 28, 2020 | 6PM - 7PM

Join here: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89547739615>

Temple Emanu-El Meeting ID: 895 4773 9615

OR dial-in if you wish only audio: 312-626-6799

Zoom Virtual Torah Study | Sunday, August 30, 2020 | 10AM - 11AM

Join here: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87870980013>

Temple Emanu-El Meeting ID: 878 7098 0013

OR dial-in if you wish only audio: 312-626-6799

Here is the link for the Shabbat prayer book:

<https://www.ccarnet.org/publications/resources-repagnated/>

### Yahrzheits:

#### Aug 28-29

Sylvia Aaron 08 24 2011

John Cohen 08 26 0001

Gladys Cook 08 29 2012

Baila Berman Block 08 29 2014

### Donations:

Lee Thomas to the General Fund

Bob and Geri Stone in appreciation to Rabbi Jacobs with hope for his improving health.

### This week's Torah Portion: Ki Teizei

Haftarah: Isaiah 54:1-10

*When you [an Israelite warrior] take the field against your enemies, and the Eternal your God delivers them into your power and you take some of them captive, and you see among the captives a beautiful woman and you desire her and would take her to wife.... - Deuteronomy 21:10-11*

### SUMMARY

- Moses reviews a wide variety of laws regarding family, animals, and property. (21:10–22:12)
- Various civil and criminal laws are delineated, including those regarding sexual relationships, interaction with non-Israelites, loans, vows, and divorce. (22:13–24:5)
- Laws of commerce pertaining to loans, fair wages, and proper weights and measures are given. (24:10–25:16)
- The parashah concludes with the commandment to remember for all time the most heinous act committed against the Israelites—Amalek's killing of the old, weak, and infirm after the Israelites left Egypt. (25:17–19)

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