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From The Desk of The Rabbi

Up North back in Illinois, when completing the holidays of Sukkot, Shemini Atzeret & Simchat Torah, Fall was a given thing. The leaves on the trees were turning. We had our 1st and maybe 2nd frost. At times, we would have snow flurries in the Sukkah due to the lateness of the holiday cycle coming out of a previous Jewish Leap Year.

Always, after recovering from the holidays, education for children and adults would resume, or a new class would kick off in the Fall placing us back into our regular routines. Our young students are back into the routine of weekly Hebrew classes and it is time for us adults to do the same. One of the projects and goals for our Congregation is to become more proficient in the leading and conducting of Shabbat morning services.

To that end, I am proposing to teach an Adult B'nei Mitzvah class this year. This class can be attended either physically or on Zoom for the beginning stages of learning. As time goes on, I hope this will transition more to the physical. I am reaching out to all who are interested to contact me so I can have an idea of how many to prepare learning materials for. Some of you already have done so. I would like to start holding these classes each Thursday night starting on November 10th of this month at 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm.

One of the nicer aspects of an Adult B'nei Mitzvah class is the fact that everyone shares in the learning of the prayers and hopefully this makes it easier to learn parts of the service in smaller quantities rather than having to learn a large amount of material in a short time. From there everyone can expand to learning more sections or prayers of the service.

I look forward to this new opportunity of learning for our Congregation. May Hashem bless all of us with Koach and Gevurah!

With Torah Blessings,

Rabbi



PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

The High Holidays are now behind us but not totally. During the High Holidays, we all heard the Rabbi chant the beautiful prayer, "Heneni." It has always had a somewhat haunting melody that gets my attention that something important is being said. In fact, "Heneni" is stated several times in our collective Jewish history.

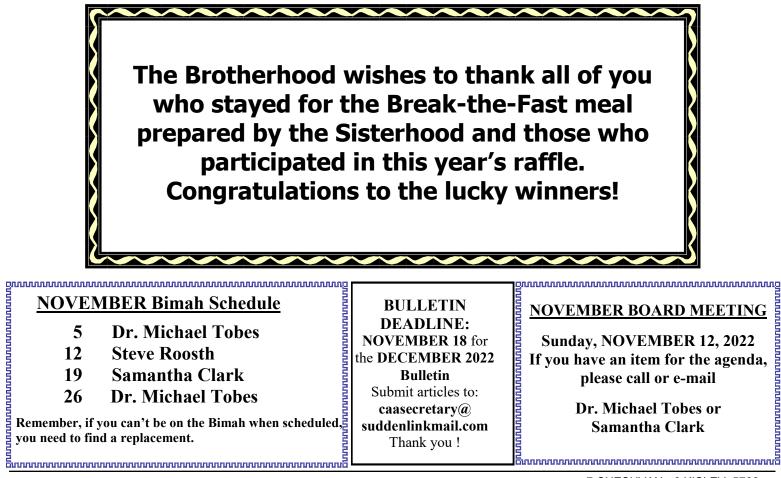
We all know the responses of Abraham, Moses and Samuel. There are however responses of many of the leaders of our people over time that have responded with 'Heneni." It is a Jewish response associated with profound moments in our history.

My curiosity about Heneni had me checking the internet about the meaning of this expression. Several articles raised the difference between Heneni, "Here I am", and Henihni, "I am here". Heneni is a more active state of presence and Henihni is a passive state of presence. Heneni implies being fully present, being fully here and being ready to act. Henihni implied that one is here as in response to a roll call.

There is so much going on in the world today where we as Jews are threatened but also opportunities for us to grow as a community. We need to take advantage of these positive opportunities. I also feel that this difference in attitude needs to be taught to our children especially by example.

We can all start by continuing to enhance what we do as a synagogue family and what we do in the greater Jewish and non-Jewish communities. Heneni has taught us how to live our lives in the way that Hashem has always intended us to do. Over this coming year, we will have opportunities to hear Hashem calling out to us. Hopefully, each of us will be able to respond with "Heneni."

Michael Tobes, President





shabbat shalom

NOVEMBER SCHEDULE OF READINGS

Triennial Readings/Holiday Readings



Saturday Sunday	November	5 6	Morning Service Torah Reading Haftorah Morning Service	LECH LECHA Genesis 12:1 - 13:18 Isaiah 40:27 - 41:16 TEPHILLIN	9:30 A.M. 8:00 A.M.
Saturday	November	12	Morning Service Torah Reading Haftorah	VAYERA Genesis 18:1 - 18:33 II Kings 4:1 - 37	9:30 A.M.
Saturday	November	19	Morning Service Torah Reading Haftorah	Birchat HaChodesh CHAYEI SARAH Genesis 23:1 - 24:9 I Kings 1:1 - 31	9:30 A.M.
Saturday	November	26	Morning Service Torah Reading Haftorah	TOLEDOT Genesis 25:19 - 26:22 Malachi 1:1 - 2:7	9:30 A.M.



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SUNDAY SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

We have just come out of the very busy High Holiday season and our kids have been having a great time:

- We were thrilled to see such a great turn-out for the Break the Fast raffle. Although this is a Brotherhood sponsored event, the kids get involved by drawing the tickets for each prize.
- From Break the Fast we move directly into preparing for Sukkot and this year's sukkah was decorated with garlands of autumn colors and everyone enjoyed shaking our lulavs for the first night of Sukkot.
- Most of our Sunday School families had an extra special opportunity to camp out at a local RV park for one night during Sukkot. We enjoyed a Sukkot themed bible verse scavenger hunt and even though there was a burn ban we were able to enjoy family style meals for dinner and breakfast in the campground's rec room and kitchen.

Our next Sunday School class with be November 6th at 10 am.

Shalom, Kimberly Walls

SISTERHOOD NEWS

We had a good turnout for Break-the-Fast. I appreciate everyone who helped with prepping and clean-up. Our next sisterhood meeting is Sunday, November 13th at 10:15 in the small sanctuary.

Make plans to attend and get your Chanukah gift lists together and come to the CAA Gift Shop sale which will be held Sunday, November 13th from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m.. Karin said there are lots of new items in stock as well as some new Chanukah cards. Shalom, Kesleigh

Congregation Ahavath Achim Jewish Life Calendar November:

I hope everyone is enjoying your Jewish Life Calendar which was made available during the High Holidays. There are still more available. Let Leanne know if you still need one.

This month's calendar art is a photograph of one of the cookies decorated by our Sunday School students for our Hanukkah party in 2021. Although they were decorated at Hanukkah time, the colors fit with autumn. I was really impressed with the artistic talent of our kids.

As we look forward to Thanksgiving with our families, please remember to prepare for Hanukkah which will be Sunday evening, December 18th to Monday, December 26th. Don't forget to submit pictures and art work for next year's calendar. Also, consider making a donation to help support the calendar project for next year.

With Gratitude and Appreciation,

Kimberly Walls

November Celebrations Birthdays 9 Heather Rey Dr. Larry Rosenfield Hannah Yates 12 **Yochered** Munoz 13 Taylor Goodman 14 Ríchard Beaver 15 Ruth Elmakiss 18 Chad Alexander Roosth 19 Samantha Clark 20 21 Ryan Davíd Green Betzalel Munoz 23 Jason Bromberg Aaron Mícah Green 24 Sophía Anna Learner 28 Ezra Meír Walls 30 Anníversaríes None

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!!

Loretta Lawson

Christopher Terry



TODAH RABBAH <u>GENERAL FUND</u>

Tim & Fran Birmingham in Memory of Beck Roosth Elizabeth Ellis in Memory of Beck Roosth Dr. Ron Hekier David Eliaser David Hunt <u>BREAKFAST FUND</u> Dr. & Mrs. Michael Tobes

MEMBERS MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND THE CONGREGATION MEETING TO BE HELD in DECEMBER ALONG WITH THE ANNUAL CHANUKAH DINNER PREPARED BY THE CAA SISTERHOOD. Date & Times TBA IF YOU WISH TO ORDER ADDITIONAL LATKES-PLEASE CONTACT KARIN LATNER TO PLACE YOUR ORDER.

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	Doris Miller		

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Sylvan Mellinger	
Jake Solinger	
Bertha Bertheim	
William Edelman	
Morris Goldberg	
Frank Levine	
Frances Chalmers	
Walter Lazarus	
Hilda Roosth	
Meyer Mellinger	
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Alex Golenternek	
Abner Waghalter	
Ben Edelman	
Madeline Lieberman Wolf	
Rebecca Heffler Berry	
MBER 23 - DECEMBER 29	
Hershel Sobel	
Sam Greenberg	
Fanny Fleischman	
Freda Levy	
Sallie Mellinger	
MEBER 30 - JANUARY 5	
Claire Ann Gaylin	
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- Minnie Beatrice Waghalter 30 **Robert Beaver**
- Ellinore S. Learner
- 31 Dorothy E. (Leon) Jacobs 1
 - Morris Sherman



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