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### From the Desk of Cantor Bruce Rockman



### We Embrace Your Gifts

This year I had the opportunity to prepare my daughter Bashe for her upcoming Bat Mitzvah. Many have asked me if it was difficult for me or for Bashe. It has been fun and a pleasure. The communication was a little simpler and Bashe was the perfect student, she was always prepared, never had an excuse for not studying and I was always cool and collected. OK, so this is mostly true. I was always calm and it was a pleasure. You know how proud I am of every student that I teach, I'm told you can see it on my face, I'm sure I'll be a little emotional when our family stands together and receives our blessing from Rabbi Wolkoff.

Do you remember your bar or bat mitzvah? For me and most everyone I speak to with, it was a most memorable time. We remember that we celebrated with our parents, grandparents, relatives and the friends who helped to shape our lives. We remember the difficulties of learning our haftarot, the endless hours of studying, the badgering of our parents and the liberation when that part was done. We remember the celebration that followed that was so much fun and finishing the thank you notes gave me true peace.

I've been so honored to teach quite a few b'nai mitzvah students at B'nai Tikvah, my role as their teacher and mentor fills me with pride. I remember what it felt like to prepare for my big day, the pressure and the challenges that we all confronted. It is always my goal to nurture a positive, memorable Jewish experience of a lifetime. It has always been my purpose for my students to remember their learning experience fondly and for them to relish their accomplishment with joy and sweetness. This is the reason that we end every lesson with candy.

Through this lengthy process, with its ups and downs, I try to provide our b'nai mitzvah students with a sense of accomplishment and encourage them to pay their experience forward. With all of these good intentions and the encouragement to be socially conscious, which our students express through their mitzvah projects, exactly how successful are we in creating engaged Jewish people?

As parents of these children, we make an enormous commitment to Judaism by being members of a synagogue and participating in synagogue programs. Many but not most of our students continue their Jewish engagement post b'nai mitzvah. Those who continue their Jewish education and Jewish involvement through youth groups such as USY and Jewish summer camps and programs, are given the most sustenance toward building a strong Jewish home of their own and a meaningful Jewish perspective.

But not everyone will follow my recommendations for living a Jewish life. My parents provided a framework that allowed me to find my path. I believe that Judaism is a major part of my persona; Judaism is a part of my inheritance, one that I value and cherish. Judaism is my responsibility to love and to enjoy. I guarantee that my family will continue to have the same wonderful opportunity, that is their birthright and this is my sacred responsibility as a parent of Jewish children.

Now you may go about this differently than Stacey and I do. I assure you that you, too, are on the right path. I encourage you to do everything you can to solidify and strengthen this road for your children. Look for ways to bring more Jewish context into your lives. This summer, when you're at the beach, hiking in the mountains, riding your bikes or just enjoying a cool summer breeze, remember, all of these are God's gifts to us; embrace them with gratitude and with all your heart.

Have a wonderful summer.

# Worship the Lord in gladness; come before God with joyous song.

Cantor Bruce Rockman cantor@bnaitikvah.org

### A Message From Rabbi Robert Wolkoff



In a recent scathing article, *The Prophet and Trump*, liberal thinker Paul Berman bemoans the cultural crisis of our time. He cites the disappearance of newspapers, the shrinking of magazines, the lack of depth and professionalism in the media, the collapse of book-review supplements, the weakness of television news, the decline of trade unions (which used to have a strong intellectual component), the decline of music education and the subsequent decline of symphony orchestras that are no longer understood or appreciated.

What is the source of this intellectual disaster? In part, "disembowelment by Internet;" and perhaps even more serious, betrayal by humanities professors who seem more concerned with criticizing "Zionist colonialism" than with teaching virtue and moral discernment.

In political terms, writes Berman, the "enemies of intellect" have left "huge portions of the population rudderless as to making political decisions." We are no longer capable of judging "who is worthy of respect and who is not," and as a result we are left with "proud barbarians" who are "confident in their illiteracy."

Although the article is directed in the first instance against Donald Trump, a proud barbarian if ever there was one, it could just as easily apply to democratic candidates. How much of a leap would it be, after all, to imagine today's young Sanders supporters cheering a Justin Bieber/Kim Kardashian ticket in 2020?

G-d help us.

So what are we supposed to do about this? I can answer in a single word: LEARN! If our Judaism is to mean anything—anything—it must be based on the fundamental understanding that knowledge is one of the two essential qualities that make us human. The other, of course, is compassion/love. Our tradition teaches us that G-d's choice to give us the Torah was an enormous act of compassion. And our study of it is a reciprocal expression of love for our Creator.

With this in mind, I invite you to our annual *tikkun lel Shavuot*, our late night study session on the evening of June 11, the anniversary of our receiving the Torah at Mt. Sinai. Together we will explore those qualities that are, in fact, worthy of respect, and the myriad ways G-d teaches us to show compassion.

So many times in the past, in the face of the Babylonians and the Romans, the Byzantines and the Mongols, from the shtetls in the Pale of Settlement to the ghettos of Europe to the American urban slums a century ago, our love of learning has empowered us to survive any onslaught. Today, learning Torah together can once again help us rise above the morass that is today's "intellectual" discourse. Be a part of it.

Yours in Torah, Rabbi Robert L. Wolkoff

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### Join us at the Israel Day Parade!

This year, for the first time in several years, we are marching as a community, together with the Jewish Federation in the Heart of New Jersey, in the Israel Day Parade; Sunday, June 5, 2016.

Israel, a small country about the size of New Jersey, is bursting with energy. Ultra-modern cities with towering skyscrapers sit alongside ancient, Biblical cities. With more than 8.4 million people from more than 30 regions and countries in the world, Israel is a model of diversity. Celebrated as the Start-Up Nation, Israelis think out of the box in order to solve problems and are at the cutting edge of science, Technology, and invention. Israel speaks to our history and to our hearts. In Israel, there is so much to see, so much to do, so much to feel and embrace. We cannot wait to celebrate Israel: Sights, Sounds, and Spirit!

If you are interested in joining the fun and have not already responded to our emails, please contact Allison at <u>nagelberga@aol.com</u>. We hope that our participation in this annual event will grow each year as we continue to demonstrate our unwavering support for the State of Israel.

This is the last issue of Hakol until the fall. We wish everyone an enjoyable summer, and time to spend with friends and family.

Warmest regards, Allison Nagelberg, Co-President Ruth Anne Koenick, Co-President

## HAKOL

The Newsletter of Congregation B'nai Tikvah, JCC of North & South Brunswick 1001 Finnegan's Lane North Brunswick, NJ 08902

Published monthly, except for July and August. Submissions are welcomed about Congregation events, group activities, and anything relevant to the Jewish community. Submissions are subject to available space and editorial constraints.

All Submissions are due by the 12th of the preceding month

Please send submissions and correspondence via e-mail to: hakol.cbt@gmail.com

View online at bnaitikvah.org and CBT Newsletter.



Thanks to everyone who submitted an article, ad, or photo to Hakol during the past year.

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Cantor Bruce Rockman for his many photos.

I hope everyone has a great summer. Michael Weiss

## CBT Religious School and CBT Chai

Jennifer James, Director of Education



Yasher Koach to all our Alef and Dalet students, who led Shabbat services this month with beautiful Hebrew, confident voices, and lots of kavannah (intention) and ruach (spirit)!

Although it really feels to me as though we only just convened in September, the Religious School year has come to an end for 2015-16. I want to thank all of our wonderful teachers for the time and effort they put into preparing for their classes, and leading our students through Jewish learning with knowledge and enthusiasm and love.

We tried some new things this year, in several of our classes. Many of them worked beautifully! Some of them gave us ideas and challenges to think about, as we constantly revisit and re-tool to keep the educational experience both effective and engaging. When a new idea succeeds on the first try, it is invigorating for us all. When it doesn't, we can either throw up our hands in frustration and say "it's not worth it even to try something new," or we can roll up our sleeves, find the best in what we have done, and continue the change process. You probably can guess that I subscribe to the latter view. I am deeply grateful to this congregation, and to all the students and the parents who support these efforts, for the thoughtful feedback that you give and for being involved in the continuing process of raising our Jewish learning to higher levels.

The Religious School Committee members, led by Sharon Cohen and Suzanne Oliver, have been a tremendous this year, putting together some huge events that were attended by the great majority of our school community. This is a committed group of parents, and I hope that even more of you will join their efforts next year.

I also thank Rabbi Wolkoff and Cantor Rockman for all of their support. From spending time in classes, to working with the children for their Shabbat services, to providing me always with their wisdom and insights, this school truly could not flourish as it does without them.

Have a wonderful summer everyone!

*B'shalom*, Jennifer



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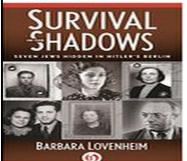
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This email list was initially designed as a discussion group but, it has evolved to become B'nai Tikvah's unofficial bulletin board for classified ads. If you need to buy or sell something or would like to seek advice about anything from your fellow congregants, this resource could be invaluable. The group is "exclusive to CBT members" and is guaranteed totally free of spam from outside sources. To join, you must obtain a (free) Yahoo-id and ask to be invited by sending an email to postmaster@bnaitikvah.org.

### CBT Newsletter - ConstantContact.com

All congregants receive a weekly update indicating Service times, Shabbat luncheon sponsors, and notices from the staff and volunteers of upcoming events. These "Weekend Announcements" include a host of often used links to our website of a timely nature. If you are not getting these announcements, please send an email to the synagogue office (office@bnaitikvah.org) and/or to webmaster@bnaitikvah.org.

### BOOK REVIEW: Survival In The Shadows



The remarkable true story of two German Jewish families that survived against all odds while hiding in the heart of the Nazi capital.

In January 1943, unable to flee Germany, the four members of the Arndt family went underground to avoid deportation to Auschwitz. Ellen Lewinsky and her mother, Charlotte, joined them; a year later, Bruno Gumpel arrived. Hiding

in a small factory near Hitler's bunker. Without identification cards or food-ration stamps, they were dependent on German strangers for survival.

When Russian soldiers finally rescued the group in April 1945, the families were near death from starvation. But their will to live triumphed and two months later, four of the survivors—Erich Arndt and Ellen Lewinsky, and Ruth Arndt and Bruno Gumpel—reunited in a double wedding ceremony.

Survival in the Shadows chronicles the previously untold story of the largest group of German Jews to have survived hiding in Berlin through the final and most deadly years of the Holocaust.

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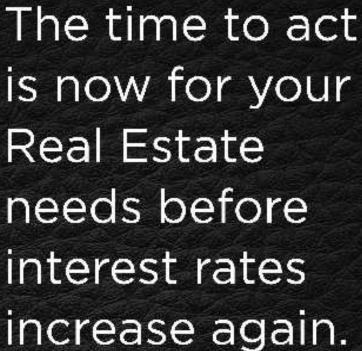


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Join the CBT Sisterhood on an adventure through New York's Lower East Side in order to explore culture, tradition and delicious cuisine. This program is open to Sisterhood members and their daughters, 18 and above. We will join and tour with the Sidewalk of NY. We will visit six different tasting locations such as: Yonah Schimmel Knish Bakery, Russ & Daughter's and The Pickle Guys. Just to list a few.

We are limiting this tour to 36 participants and the Sisterhood will subsidize the cost for this program! Participants will only pay \$36 (normally the tour is \$65).

Transportation to the city is on your own. Let us know if you would like to carpool and we will try to coordinate rides. One registered, we will give you the starting location and a list of other activities to do in the area, as well as nearby parking garages.

The tour is approximately 3 hours in duration and requires about 1.5 miles of walking. Enough food is included so that you will not need to bring lunch.

To secure your spot, please email cdm0710@optonline.net and leave a check in the sisterhood mailbox or RSVP and pay online at bnaitikvah.org/les

These spots will go quickly!

### <u>This Month</u>

**Friday, June 10<sup>th</sup>** - Please join Sisterhood, USY and Kadima for the End of Year Dinner and Installation of our new officers. We will start the evening at 6:30 for dinner, followed by services. Please RSVP for dinner to Amanda Dillman at nsbrunswickusy@gmail.com or online at the synagogue website.

**Membership** - It's never too late to join Sisterhood. Please visit the CBT website at http:// bnaitikvah.org/community-2/sisterhood/sisterhoodmembership-application/ if you are interested in getting involved. Sisterhood will love to welcome you. For more information please contact Melissa at 617-869-1422 or at Melissa.dara.kessler@gmail.com.

### **Gift Shop**

The Gift Shop is open to you by appointment only for the summer. Please contact Serena Blackin 732-390-9515 or serena@blackin.org

Thanks to all who supported the gift shop this year. A special thank you to Felice Ciccione & Nancy Asher Shultz for all the two of you do to support me, and the shop, which is not a small task.

### Torah Fund

Your Torah Fund contribution strengthens and perpetuates Conservative Judaism throughout the world. For information on ways you can support Torah Fund, contact Ann Rosenzweig, 732-249-9141.

Pins and Women's League cards are available. For ordering information, please check the Bulletin Board or contact Ann Rosenzweig, 732-249-9141. Cards are \$5.

### Mitzvah Baskets

Having a B'nai Mitzvah or other simcha? Let Sisterhood decorate the bima with two non-perishable food baskets. We also deliver the baskets for use at other synagogues, so tell your local friends about this service! For more information or to order your mitzvah baskets, contact Kim Riemann at Kimmer99@aol.com

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"Yes I will," replied the student. He then took a seat and began writing. After two hours, the professor called for the exams, and the students filed up and handed them in. A half hour later, the last student came up to the professor who was sitting at his desk preparing for his next class. He attempted to put his exam on the stack of exam booklets already there.

"No you don't, I'm not going to accept that. It's late." The student looked incredulous and angry. "Do you know WHO I am?" "No, as a matter of fact I don't and I don't care," replied the professor with an air of superiority. "Good," replied the student, who quickly lifted the stack of completed exams, stuffed his in the middle, and hurried out of the room.

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The mail-in form can be found on page 7.



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Bat Mitzvah Sydney Botnick Daughter of Craig and Candace Botnick June 4



Bat Mitzvah Bashe Rockman Daughter of Cantor Bruce and Stacey Rockman June 18



Bar Mitzvah DJ Glassman Son of Jill Glassman Peter Glassman June 25



### **Daily Schedule of Services**

Sunday	9:00 am & 7:30 pm			
Monday	7:30 pm			
Tuesday	7:30 pm			
Wednesday	7:30 pm			
Thursday	7:30 am & 7:30 pm			
Friday	8:00 pm			
Saturday	9:30 am			



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### Watch Our Services Online By Ben Gottesman, CBT Ritual Committee



Last September, two days before Yom Kippur, my wife's mother unexpectedly passed away. As you can imagine, it was a very tumultuous and emotional time for the family. Rabbi Wolkoff explained to Linda that because the funeral wasn't until after Yom Kippur, she was under no obligation to come to services. This was a relief since, as much as we love being with all of our friends at B'nai Tivkah, it would have been too difficult to be among so many people.

It was very comforting to spend Yom Kippur day with Linda's family at her father's house but in addition to the huge void left by Linda's mother's absence, we missed the powerful and moving Yom Kippur services. Fortunately, we didn't have to miss services completely. During the preceding few months, I had been investigating for the Ritual Committee the possibility of streaming B'nai Tikvah's services over the Internet. I was aware of several synagogues that already offered streaming and so we spent the day hopping amoung services broadcast from New York City, Baltimore, Cleveland, Houston, Los Angeles and North Jersey. (As one service went to a break, we moved to another.) It was a relief to be able to partake of services on a day that we could not attend.

The topic of streaming our services from B'nai Tikvah has been under discussion for months by the Ritual Committee. We have considered the issue of the use of electricity on the Sabbath (and: yes) it is permitted for this purpose. We have considered the question of whether someone watching at home can count as part of a minyan (answer: no) and whether they could say Kaddish if a minyan is physically present at B'nai Tikvah (answer: yes). We have also considered the possible negative consequences of streaming the services—both that people at services might feel inhibited if they knew they are being "watched," and also the possibility that people will choose to stay home rather than come to services.

These concerns are understandable, but we don't believe the negative consequences will be far-reaching, while the benefits will be substantial and widely shared. Watching services over the Internet cannot match the warmth, intimacy and spirituality of being in the sanctuary in person with your fellow congregants and the rabbi and cantor. However, there simply are times when we just can't make it to synagogue, perhaps because we're not feeling well, the weather is too forbidding, or we're traveling. And of course there are times when we want friends or family members to celebrate a simcha with us but they live too far away or are physically not up to coming.

With that in mind, I'm very pleased to announce that for these times, you can now stream B'nai Tikvah's Shabbat and holiday services and other events to any Internetconnected computer, smartphone, or tablet. You even can even watch on your TV. (More on this below.) We have partnered with a company called StreamSpot which specializes in broadcasting services from houses of worship. In addition, my employer, DGA Security, generously donated a high quality camera so we can broadcast with crystal-clear clarity.

To watch online, just go to bnaitikvah.org and click on Watch Our Services. Please note that broadcasts are automatic and scheduled in advance. Because of the restrictions against doing work on Shabbat and many holidays, should technical difficulties arise, we will not be able to address them immediately.

There are several ways to watch on your TV instead of squinting at your phone's screen. If you have an iPhone or iPad and an Apple TV, you can use AirPlay to send the video to your television. If you use an Android device, you can do the same with a Google Chromecast or Roku streaming device.

Do you have a friend who is considering joining B'nai Tikvah? Streaming video will also be a valuable marketing tool for CBT. Encourage your friend to click the Watch Our Services link and view archived recordings of select past services and events. And then, of course, invite him or her to come to shul to hear the cantor's wonderful chanting and the rabbi's insightful commentaries in person.

Finally, a huge thank you to Gary Bergman for all his help configuring the network and running up and down the ladder to get everything set up. We hope you enjoy this new service as we move forward into 21st century Conservative Judaism.



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Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
			1 24 Iyar	2 25 Iyar	3 26 Iyar	<b>4</b> 27 Iyar
			Lunch with Rabbi Cooking with Stacey			Bat Mitzvah Sydney Botnick
5 28 Iyar	6 29 Iyar	7 1 Sivan	8 2 Sivan	9 3 Sivan	10 4 Sivan	11 5 Sivan
NYC Israel Parade Ride for Amy Yom Yerushalayim	Board of Directors ROSH CHODESH	Men's Basketball	Lunch with Rabbi		Sisterhood and Youth Program Birthday Shabbat	Dinner Program EREV SHAVUOT
12 6 Sivan	13 7 Sivan	14 8 Sivan	15 9 Sivan	16 10 Sivan	<b>17</b> 11 Sivan	18 12 Sivan
SHAVUOT	Office and School Closed (YIZKOR) SHAVUOT	Book Club Israel Stamp Club Men's Basketball	Lunch with Rabbi	Bikur Cholim	Plugged-in- Service	Bat Mitzvah Bashe Rockman
<b>19</b> 13 Sivan	20 14 Sivan	21 15 Sivan	22 16 Sivan	23 17 Sivan	24 18 Sivan	25 19 Sivan
FATHER'S DAY	Congregational Meeting	Men's Basketball	Lunch with Rabbi	Calendar Meeting	Last Day of Nursery School	Bar Mitzvah DJ Glassman
26 20 Sivan	27 21 Sivan	28 22 Sivan	29 23 Sivan	30 24 Sivan	Candle Lighting	Shabbat Ends
	Camp Begins SIP Study Group Ritual Committee	Men's Basketball	Lunch with Rabbi		3 8:06 pm 10 8:10 pm 17 8:13 pm 24 8:14 pm	4 9:14 pm 11 9:18 pm 18 9:21 pm 25 9:22 pm



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