# Temple Beth Torah NEWS FOR YOU

FEBRUARY 2025 SHEVAT 5785

## **FEBRUARY EVENTS**

Friday, February 7	7:00 PM	Shabbat Service with Rabbi Dan
		In Person and Virtual
		Oneg looking for a sponsorship
Friday, February 14	7:00 PM	Shabbat Service with Rabbi Dan
		In Person and Virtual
		Oneg sponsored by The TBT Sisterhood in Honor of
		Aaron Blumin's Bar Mitzvah
Friday, February 15	3:00PM	Bar Mitzvah of Aaron Blumin
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Friday, February 21	6:00 PM	Family and Youth Service (Tot Shabbat) and Potluck
	7:00 PM	Shabbat Service with Rabbi Dan
		In Person and Virtual
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Sunday, February 23	9:30 AM	Adult Education with Rabbi Dan
Wednes., February 26	12::00 PM	Adult Education with Rabbi Dan
Friday, February 28	7:00 PM	Shabbat Service with Rabbi Dan
		In Person and Virtual
		Oneg looking for a sponsorship

Adult Learning with the Rabbi at TBT What do Jews think about...?

> Sunday, February 23, 9:30 AM Wednesday, February 26, 12 noon

Informal discussion covering a wide range of topics

Everything you always wanted to know about Judaism but were afraid to ask!

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## MISSION

**STATEMENT Temple Beth Torah** is a congregation that embraces the philosophy and values of Judaism in the following ways: Spiritually, by celebrating the richness and traditions of Torah, prayer, holidays and life cycle events; Educationally, by encouraging learning, increasing Jewish knowledge and enriching understanding for children, teenagers and adults; Compassionately, by caring for our members and others in the Jewish community in times of need while also fostering positive relationships with our non-Jewish neighbors. **Temple Beth Torah** embraces the spirit of inclusion for Jewish individuals and families who represent a variety of backgrounds and family compositions.

## **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:**

Dear Temple Beth Torah Family,

As we step into February, I want to take a moment to express my deepest gratitude to all who have contributed to our temple community. First and foremost, a heartfelt thank you to last year's Board of Directors for their dedicated service and leadership. Your commitment has helped strengthen our congregation and guide us through another meaningful year. Your efforts, both seen and unseen, have made a lasting impact, and we sincerely appreciate all that you have done.

Looking ahead, we are excited about the opportunities before us, especially our ongoing building fundraiser. Temple Beth Torah is more than just a place of worship—it is a home for learning, community, and connection. As we work to enhance our facilities, we invite everyone to be a part of this important effort. Your support, whether through donations, volunteering, or spreading the word, will help ensure that our temple continues to thrive for generations to come.

Thank you all for being part of this wonderful community. May we continue to grow together in faith, unity, and purpose.

With gratitude,

Míchael Míller TBT Presídent

### SAVE THE DATE

## Temple Beth Torah Welcomes the Jewish Federation of Greater Houston CEO, Renee Wizig-Barrios - Friday, March 28

Service will be Led by Rabbi Dan Gordon and Cantor Francyne Davis Jacobs Shabbat dinner: 6:00 PM and Service: 7:00 PM

The Jewish Federation of Greater Houston does so much for Temple Beth Torah and we are so excited that the Federation's CEO, Renee Wizig-Barrios will be making her first visit to our synagogue to share Shabbat with us on Friday, March 28. A dinner will begin at 6 pm followed by the service at 7 pm. An Oneg reception will follow. The service will be led by Rabbi Dan and Cantor Francyne. Ms. Wizig-Barrios will be speaking from the pulpit.

Registration information for the dinner will be announced closer to the date, but we want everyone—adults and children—to attend this special dinner and service to show our thanks to the Jewish Federation and all they do for Temple Beth Torah.

## **RABBI'S MESSAGE**

### Be the Butterfly

The term "butterfly effect" was coined in the 1960s by <u>Edward Lorenz</u>, a meteorology professor at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, who was studying weather patterns. He devised a model demonstrating that if you compare two starting points indicating current weather that are near each other, they'll soon drift apart – and later, one area could wind up with severe storms, while the other is calm. With a mathematical formula, he noted that anything that happens in the world can affect the whole world. This is a very simplified summary of the theory, but it contends, for instance, that when a butterfly flaps its wings, the entire weather system can be affected, which has ramifications on agriculture, economics, people's moods, etc.

Do you ever wonder what kind of impact you have on the world? Sometimes, it is apparent and noticeable, but more often, it remains a mystery. How seemingly insignificant encounters (or significant ones for that matter) make a difference? Most of us rarely have the opportunity to find out how we have made a difference, and often, it may not be apparent to those who were affected.

As a rabbi and educator, every once in a while, I encounter a former student who shares with me that I made a difference. I am humble enough to know I might have been a VERY small part of that person's growth, but it is very exciting, nonetheless. The key to making a difference, I believe, is in partnership. I remember very early in my rabbinic career; a congregant who did not attend often wrote to me before High Holidays. He said, "Rabbi, I've had a very difficult year. I will be coming to Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur, and I need some real inspiration to help begin a new year with hope". I felt quite a bit of pressure. If things were so difficult, how could my words really make a difference? Words will not cure cancer, improve financial problems, get someone a new job or solve marital relationships. I asked myself, "what is this person hoping for?" I put him in my heart throughout the holidays, catching a glimpse throughout the services, praying I could somehow be helpful. When the holidays were over, I got another note: "Rabbi, thank you. I got just what I needed." I responded, "Whatever you got, it was because you were open to receiving."

We all have different gifts that can make a difference in others' lives and in the world. It could be a gift of food, a phone conversation, an email, a greeting card, or even just a smile. Often, just showing up is huge. When we let others know that we care, it's immeasurable how that can make an impact. One of my rabbinic colleagues gave a High Holiday sermon on the expression, "It's the thought that counts." He contended that thoughts are nice, but they don't *really* count until we act. What good is it to think about calling, or sending a card, or giving *tzedakah* if we don't follow through?

I am reminded of the famous story of the starfish in the sand. A man was walking along the beach after the tide had washed hundreds of starfish that could not make it back into the water. One at a time, he picked up a starfish and tossed it back into the ocean. An observer asked why he was doing it, and he responded, "They can't get back into the ocean on their own. If I don't toss them into the water, they'll die." The observer was incredulous. "This is a foolish waste of your time," he said. There are hundreds of starfish on this beach. And what about the other beaches nearby? You can't save them all! You can't possibly make a difference!"

The man picked up another starfish, tossed it into the water, and said, "Made a difference to *that* one!" The observer smiled for a moment, chuckled, and began picking up starfish himself.

When we make a small difference, we can set an example and be an inspiration for others. The impact is infinite. YOU can be that butterfly! Flap your wings! You may never find out the impact you might have made, but it doesn't really matter. Your presence in the world makes a difference.

### L'shalom,

Rabbi Dan Gordon

## **RELIGIOUS SCHOOL HAPPENNINGS**

February is a very busy month! Temple Beth Torah students will bake challah on February 2<sup>nd</sup> and then will celebrate Tu B' Shevat on February 9. The classes will plant vegetable seeds outdoor if the weather permits or in starter containers. We hope everyone will have parsley to take home by Passover!

We are also excited to celebrate with Aaron Blumin and his family as he becomes Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, February 15<sup>th</sup>. Students are encouraged to attend Friday night for Shabbat and the Saturday afternoon service. It is a wonderful way for students to hear and see one of their friends complete this important life cycle event. He has worked diligently for several years to reach this occasion!

Sunday February 16 is Yom Limmud, a Day of Jewish Learning, at Congregation Emanu El, 1500 Sunset Blvd. in Houston. There will not be class for Religious School at TBT but it would be wonderful to see families at Yom Limmud. The theme this year is Am Israel Chai with many of the classes focusing on classes related to Jewish Text, arts, health and wellness, Israel, anti-Semitism, public affairs & resilience.

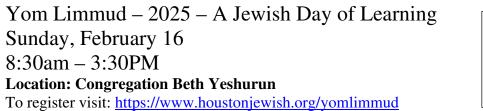
Visit the Federation website at <u>www.houstonjewish.org</u> for registration forms, links and class lists. The topics are always interesting and varied from cooking classes to political discussions. Presenters from the Houston area and world wide will be teaching.

Purim is just around the corner. We will have our Religious School celebration on Sunday February 25. Students may come to Religious School dressed up in costumes (no weapons, please). We will have lots of fun activities. Watch your emails for detail.

As part of our Purim celebration and Social Justice Projects we will again have *Shoes for Shushan*. Please start bringing in gently worn shoes and also new sneakers for HAAM to support their Sneaker Doodle program for families in our area. Remember there are teens in need of shoes also. Gift cards are also appreciated. These may be dropped off at TBT beginning this month. They will be donated to HAAM and Family Time this spring. We will continue to also collect non perishable food for families in need in our area.

The students are working with Cantor Francyne to prepare for the next student Shabbat on April 4<sup>th</sup>. The students are learning songs and prayers for the Shabbat service. Please put this in your calendars to attend.

Looking forward to lots of fun learning activities, *Carrie Keith – Religious School Principal* 





Join us at Yom Limmud 2025 for a meaningful educational experience. We can't wait to see you. Yom Limmud has educated students, parents, and teachers across our diverse community for more than 30 years. Our theme this year is **Am Yisrael Chai** referring to the resilience Jews have shown in the world post October 7. We are honored to bring you classes related to Jewish Text, arts, health and wellness, Israel, antisemitism, public affairs & resilience. We are sure you will find an amazing session to enjoy.

We are thrilled to announce that our keynote speaker is spiritual leader, community builder, and sociologist **Dr. Mijal Bitton**, co-host of the podcast Wondering Jews.

Yom Limmud Cost: Pre-registration until February 12: \$18 per person From February 13 and at the door: \$36 per person. No backpacks or large bags permitted.

### Dear Members and Friends of Temple Beth Torah,

We hope this message finds you and your loved ones safe and well. As you know, Hurricane Beryl left its mark on our community, causing damage to our beloved Temple Beth Torah. Despite these challenges, we are heartened by the resilience of our congregation and the strong bonds that unite us in times of adversity.

Today, we are reaching out with an **urgent and exciting opportunity to restore and improve our sacred space**. Thanks to the generosity of the **Jewish Federation** and **two private benefactors**, we have a remarkable matching gift pledge. <u>Every dollar donated to our fundraiser will be double-matched up to our goal of \$60,000</u>. This **means your \$1 donation will become \$3—multiplying the impact of your generosity!** 

Our primary goal is to repair the damage caused by the hurricane, ensuring that Temple Beth Torah remains a safe and welcoming space for worship, learning, and community gatherings. Any additional funds raised will be directed toward much-needed improvement projects, such as updating the playground and enhancing other areas of our temple.

This is a critical moment for our congregation. By coming together, we can not only restore our spiritual home but also make meaningful improvements that will benefit our community for years to come. Here's how you can help:

- Make a donation: Every contribution, no matter the size, will make a significant difference.
  - Does your company make a matching gift?
- **Spread the word**: Share our campaign with friends, family, and neighbors who may also wish to support our cause.

To contribute, please visit <u>https://temple-beth-torah.org/giving/</u> and you can donate to the building fundraiser or send a check to Temple Beth Torah at 320 Shallow Dr, Humble TX, 77338 noting "Building Fundraiser" in the memo line.

Together, we can achieve this ambitious goal and ensure that Temple Beth Torah continues to be a beacon of faith, learning, and community for generations to come. Thank you for your support and commitment during this important time.

With gratitude and blessings,

Michael Miller

President

Temple Beth Torah

## SUNDAY DISCUSSION GROUP SUNDAYS at 11:30 A.M.

The Sunday Discussion group meets every Sunday at 11:30 AM virtually. Books are read and discussed. The books chosen are always thought provoking and generate interesting discussions. If you are interested in joining the discussion or have any questions, please email Susan at <u>spollard@tbthumble.org</u>. The discussion group meets through Zoom. The link remains the same each week and is sent out in our weekly emails.

## Simchas in February Birthdays

- 6 Patty Perez
- 11 Ruth Tobin
- 13 Barry Sachs
- 14 Greg LaCour
- 16 Michelle Schwartz
- 17 Alyce Baur
- 17 Jonathan Couch
- 20 Jim Meinholz
- 25 Donna Karash
- 26 Iris Graf
- 27 Lynn Gordon

### Anniversaries

22 Stephen and Kim Levy

## **FEBRUARY Yahrzeits**

The following names will be read each week during February to acknowledge those who have passed away who were connected with our community. If there are mistakes or omissions, please e-mail the temple at admin@tbthumble.org or leave a message at 281-446-5611.

Harold Minkes, Vesta Amos, Karen Arner, Kenneth Watterston, Carolyn Katz, Harry Schnitzer, Anna Polavsky, Marjorie Liss, Mary Beth Graf, Allan Berger, Marilyn Lapman, Jerome Kharasch, Arlene Starr, Harry Rapoport, Nathan Mandell, Kathleen Dolan, Julie Jones, Ben Myers, Barbara Teichner, Linda Penn, Jacqueline Bitterman, Jacob Haidnick, Beatrice Sayovitz, Sheelah Smith, Ellis Caplan, Shirley Solomon, Bob Theriot, Irving Weisberg, Joseph Kolichstein, Aaron Markowitz, Susanne Witt Wiener, Stanley Simrin, Sylvia Schwartz, Patricia Pena, Steven Blumin

## Yahrtzeit Memorial Plaques

The minimum donation for one memorial plaque to be placed on the wall in the sanctuary remains \$300. However, those purchasing **two plaques at the same time can do so for \$500, a savings of \$100**. It usually takes at least a month for a plaque to be engraved and sent back to the temple, but in the summer months, it can take longer because many synagogues are purchasing plaques to be ready for High Holidays. You may consult with the rabbi for the Hebrew name and date by emailing Rabbi Dan Gordon at <u>rabbi@tbthumble.org</u> Checks must be sent to TBT prior to the plaque being ordered.

## For HAAM (Humble Area Assistance Ministries)

HAAM is collecting non-perishable foods and hygiene items: They are in need of canned beans, canned fruit (low sugar), canned chicken and tuna and canned vegetables (low sodium). If you prefer to donate hygiene items they need toothbrushes, toothpaste, razors, shampoo, and conditioner. Thank you for your support!

## **ONEG INFORMATION**

Thank you to everyone who has provided an oneg recently. They have been delicious and a highlight to every Shabbat. Thank you also to those who have sponsored an oneg with your generous donations. Preparing an oneg is a wonderful way to celebrate a special event. It is also a way to commemorate a Yahrtzeit for a loved one. If you would like to do an oneg, please leave a message for Stacey Blumin at 281-446-5611, or email admin@tbthumble.org

Please sign up at this link to prepare an oneg – thank you in advance

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F084BAEAA22 A2FB6-51181610-tbtoneg#/

### **Torah Portions for February 2025** Summarized by Rabbi Dan Gordon

### January 31-February 1, 2025 Bo, Exodus 10:1-13:16

The plagues continue with Pharoah's lack of response predictable, as G-d reveals to Moses, "I am hardening Pharaoh's heart in order to increase My wonders - so you will tell your children and grandchildren how I toyed with Egypt, and the wonders I put in them. And they shall know that I am God." (Exodus 10:1-2) For years, scholars and commentators wonder why ten plagues were necessary. The Torah suggests that the plagues had to be memorable enough for us to continue to retell the story. The Israelites receive instructions to place blood above our doorposts as a sign for the angel of death to "pass over" our homes, and the Torah reveals laws about how to remember Pesach/Passover in the future.

### February 7-8, Beshalach Exodus 13:17-17:16

Finally set free by the Pharaoh, the Israelites depart from Egypt, only to be pursued by the ambivalent Pharaoh. God instructs Moses to lift his staff, and the Sea of Reeds parts for the Israelites to walk through on dry land. When Moses and the Israelites see the Egyptians drown in the Reed Sea, they sing a song of praise to God. Bitter reality of their journey causes them to complain to Moses their leader. In response, God sends manna to appease their hunger.

### February 14-15, 2025 Yitro Exodus 18:1-20:23

*Yitro*, the portion named for Moses' father-in-law, begins with the Midianite priest's stunning confession that "the Lord is greater than all gods." Wise Jethro sees that Moses is taking too much on his own shoulders, and counsels his son-in-law to delegate his authority. The Ten Commandments are given by God in *Yitro*, amidst thunder and lightning, through Moses' voice. These commandments begin our relationship as a people with a special covenant with God that includes special responsibilities. They are not referred to as "Ten Commandments" at this point, and later called in Hebrew "*Aseret Dibrot*," or "Ten Words/Utterances." How the ten are divided differs between Judaism and Christianity, as well as within some Christian denominations.

## February 21-22, Mishpatim Exodus 21:1-24:18

"Mishpatim" means "rules," "laws" or "ordinances," and seems disorganized to the modern reader because the rules were meant to be remembered through hearing rather than reading. Both ritual and ethical laws are given in *Mishpatim*. Some of the most important laws concern ethical treatment for the stranger, the widow and the orphan. The first laws given after the Ten Commandments include treatment of slaves. While we were not forbidden to have slaves, we were commanded to treat them in a certain manner, which included offering freedom after seven years. It is a valuable lesson to remember, since we had just come out of slavery. Sometimes, we are expected to do the opposite of the examples of what we've observed from our experiences. In this case, we're expected to treat servants how we would have liked to have been treated, rather than how we were treated.

## February 28-March 1 , Terumah, Exodus 25:1-27:19

We receive an elaborate description of how the Tabernacle is to be constructed, from the kind of wood used to the fabric for the drapes. Even though the construction is described in very elegant terms, we are encouraged only to make offerings from our hearts. A center piece in the Tabernacle will be the seven-branched menorah, which will be kept lit in an eternal light, signifying God's constant presence.

### **KROGER card to support TBT**

Kroger has recently upgraded their Community Rewards system and as a result TBT has a new account number- VE980. Please use this new number when linking your Kroger card to TBT so we can receive a percentage of your Kroger purchases. It's an easy way to help TBT earn some money. While the previous number will continue to be associated with our organization, it will not be visible to members when enrolling. New members can enroll by searching for either VE980 or Temple Beth Torah. If you are a Kroger shopper, please link your Kroger card to TBT at no cost to you.

### **DONATIONS**

### **RABBI DISCRETIONARY FUND**

M. Barton and Suzanne Baker

**Deborah Dills** 

### **GENERAL FUND**

Lynn Gordon and Hy Penn - In memory of Ruth Herman

Robert Weirner - In Honor of Carrie Keith

Gloria Mendez - In Memory of Raymundo Mendez

Susan and David Morriss - In Memory of Ruth Herman

If you would like to sponsor a TBT service or event in honor of an occasion or in memory of a loved one, please contact Stacey at <u>admin@tbthumble.org</u>.

### **Give-a-Gift to TBT An Easy Way to Help TBT**

TBT is in need of the following items this month. If you would like to donate any of these items, please send a message to giveagift@tbthumble.org to ensure we do not get too many of a needed item. The items can be brought to TBT whenever we are open, or we may be able to arrange for a pick-up.

Items needed this month:

Coffee cups Forks Coffee Creamer Rolls of Paper Towels Zip Lock Bags Dessert size plates Copy paper Bottled water Togo Containers

### Join a Committee!

Have you thought about becoming more active at TBT? One way is to join a committee. Some of our committees include the building, ritual, social, membership, fundraising, education, social justice and safety & security committees.

A new committee that is being brought back is the caring committee. This committee is designed to remember members on special occasions, help with meals if ill, and brighten people's lives.

If you are interested in serving on a committee or for more information, please contact Shari Ellsworth at president@tbthumble.org

### DONATIONS

Making a donation to TBT is a perfect way to honor a joyous occasion like a birthday, anniversary, wedding/engagement, new home, job change, or retirement. It is also appropriate to honor someone who has passed away with a donation in his/her memory at the time of the passing or on the yahrzeit (anniversary) of the passing. All donations to Temple Beth Torah are tax deductible. You can choose where you would like your donation to be applied.

You can now make a donation online to any of our funds. Tell your friends and family to visit our website, <u>www.tbthumble.org</u>, to make a donation or see the donations form in this newsletter.

#### **GENERAL FUND**

Any donation that is not specified to another specific fund goes to the General Fund, which helps maintain the operating budget of the temple. Building expenses, insurance, staff salaries and all program expenses that are not underwritten come out of the General Fund, as well as support for the Religious School.

#### **RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND**

This separate tzedakah fund enables the rabbi to make confidential contributions to help individuals and causes that may be in crisis. The rabbi may also use this fund to help support unbudgeted programs that will benefit the temple or community.

### BURT LEVY MEMORIAL LIBRARY AND BEAUTIFICATION

**FUND** This fund maintains the library and helps purchase new books, as well as other cosmetic improvements to the temple's interior. Our library, located in the back of the sanctuary, is named after TBT's founding president, Burt Levy, who was a major inspiration in starting Temple Beth Torah.

#### TRACY TOBIN JOHNSON MEMORIAL EDUCATION FUND

This fund provides scholarships to Jewish summer camps for children and for educational conferences for teachers. It also helps support special educational programs that are not in the general budget. The fund honors Tracy Tobin Johnson, who was an active TBT member, volunteer and teacher before passing away at a young age.

#### TOM THERIOT MEMORIAL PROGRAM FUND

This fund supports special dynamic programs, often related to the arts. It is named after Tom Theriot, a lover of the arts, who was a constant presence at TBT and supported every cause.

#### LEGACY GIVING SOCIETY

TBT's Legacy Giving Society is a group of visionary donors who have committed themselves to the future of Temple Beth Torah. Legacy gifts are easily to establish, cost nothing during your lifetime, and make a difference for our community. Contact <u>admin@tbthumble.org</u> for more information.

## SCOTT ERIC KAUFMAN AND JEFFREY KAUFMAN TECHNOLOGY AND EDUCATION FUND

This fund helps support the technology needs of TBT including computers, screens, and cameras and will help with our virtual programming. it also supports other educational pursuits related to technology. The fund was established in memory of Dr. Scott Eric Kaufman and his father, Jeffrey Kaufman.

## **Temple Beth Torah Donate a Brick Campaign**

TBT member Will Pollard has built a brick path in front of our Sukkah as part of his Eagle Scout project. We are now giving everyone an opportunity to donate an engraved brick for the path with **all donations going to support Temple Beth Torah!** 

This is a wonderful way to remember a loved one or honor a friend/family member. You can also use it to commemorate an occasion, like a bar/bat mitzvah, a wedding, an anniversary or a memorable birthday.

Each brick can be inscribed with 3 lines and 20 characters per line (letters, numbers, spaces, punctuation and other keyboard symbols are considered characters).

Various approved clip art designs can be made available for an additional \$20 donation per brick. If clip art is used, the text is limited to 15 characters per line.

Brick donations are:		
1 Brick= \$100		
2 Bricks= \$180 @ \$90/each		
3 Bricks= \$240 @ \$80/each		

4 Bricks= \$280 @ \$70/each 5 Bricks= \$300 @ \$60/each 6 or more Bricks= \$50 a brick

Please send your check with the engraving information to TBT: 320 Shallow Drive, Humble, Texas 77338.

Questions? Please contact project coordinator Jeremy Blumin at <u>admin@tbthumble.org</u>.

Name of donor: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number or email address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please consider making a donation to support Temple Beth Torah's many worthy endeavors. You can indicate which fund you would like your contribution to support on the form below, as well as the names of those you wish to honor or remember.

You may contact the Temple by calling 281-446-5611 with any questions.

### THANK YOU

### Please mail your donation and form to the Treasurer at: Temple Beth Torah 320 Shallow Drive Humble, TX 77338

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