




Temple Beth Sholom

January 2016 5776

Rabbi Elliot Rosenbaum

חזק חזק ונתחזק
Be strong, be strong, and may we be strengthened.



The Price

The Jewish people have paid the price for being in the minority since ancient times.

On the first Shabbat in this month of January, synagogues throughout the world began reading the second Book of the Torah, Sh'mot (Exodus).

The Book of Exodus, of course, tells the story of the Almighty and Moses and the freeing of the Hebrews from slavery.

How were the Egyptians able to enslave us for so long?

Because we were a minority in Egypt.

Throughout the last 2,000 years the Jews have had to survive prejudice and annihilation.

Why? Because we were always "strangers in someone else's land".

That is why I support Israel 150%.

One of the many lessons that the Book of Exodus (and the whole Torah) teaches us: without our own country, the Jewish people are unprotected.

And even in our own country, whether in ancient times or modern, it seems we are still paying the price for being us.

As we begin 2016, let us continue to support our Jewish brothers and sisters and pray for their protection in The Holy Land, the Jewish Homeland, Erets Yisroel-The Land of Israel.

Best Wishes for a Happy and Healthy 2016,

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President's Corner

My fellow congregants,

I hope that each of you had a wonderful New Year.

Your board is preparing for both Purim and Passover, if you would like to offer assistance or have an opinion you would like to share about either celebration, please inform a board member

Elections are coming up, if any member would like to participate on the Board of Temple Beth Sholom, please let me, or any other board member know.

Shalom,

Stan Coffield

Sponsors are needed for Oneg Shabat.

Oneg sponsorship requires that you supply refreshments for the congregation or simply donate \$30.00 to buy the items.

Temple Beth Sholom needs your PARTICIPATION

If you are aware of unaffiliated families,
please invite them to Sabbath services and/or advise the board.
Please consider taking a more active part in running your temple.
Call, email or let us know at services.

Yartzheits

Paul Simon	Remembered by	Joy Simon	on January	9
Maxine Bond	Remembered by	Linda Dux	on January	11
Francis Silverman	Remembered by	Vivien Simon	on January	12
Irwin Schneider	Remembered by	Vivien Simon	on January	15
Sara Jane Galst Hunt	Remembered by	Galst	on January	25
Ruth Flamm	Remembered by	Stuart Flamm	on January	27
Kate Kupetsky Shaw	Remembered by	David Cooper	on February	15
Louis Serota	Remembered by	Galst	on February	15

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Two editions of the “Diary of Anne Frank” were published online in a challenge to the foundation that allocates the book’s royalties.

A French lawmaker and a French scholar published the diary on Jan. 1, when the current copyright expired.

European copyrights generally expire 70 years after an author’s death, thus the copyright was expected to expire at the end of 2015. However, Anne Frank Fonds, the Swiss foundation that Frank’s father, Otto, established to allocate the book’s royalties to charity, announced recently that it planned to list Otto Frank as a co-author, thus adding 35 years to the copyright. Otto Frank, the sole survivor of the eight Jews who sought refuge in the attic, died in 1980.

Early last week, however, an Amsterdam court ruled that the original text of the diary may be copied for academic research.

Isabelle Attard, a French Parliament member whose grandparents died in the Holocaust, published the entire Dutch text of the diary on Friday, the French news agency AFP reported. Separately, Olivier Ertzscheid, a lecturer at the University of Nantes, published the text on his website the same day.

“The intimate diary, written in a secret apartment in Amsterdam by a Jewish teenager, born German but stripped of her nationality, has finally entered the public domain,” Attard said in a statement on her website. “Seventy years after the author’s death, the whole world can use, translate and interpret these works, and use them to create new ones.”

Frank’s diary, which chronicles two years of hiding from the Nazis in an Amsterdam attic, may be the most famous Holocaust-era document and has inspired several play and film adaptations. Anne died in 1945 at the Bergen-Belsen extermination camp.

Adolf Hitler’s anti-Semitic book “Mein Kampf” also entered the public domain on Jan. 1.

Our thanks for donations from the following congregants

Joy Simon for her support of the Hanukah party
Andrea Coffield for her wonderful home made treats
and to Jill Fetz for the DELICIOUS home baked challahs

Schedule of Upcoming services

Friday Evening Shabbat Prayers: January 8- 7:30 PM
Saturday Shabbat Torah Class: January 9- 10 AM

Friday Evening Shabbat Prayers: January 22- 7:30 PM
Saturday Shabbat Torah Class: January 23- 10 AM

Friday Evening Shabbat Prayers: February 12- 7:30 PM
Saturday Shabbat Torah Class: February 13- 10 AM

Friday Evening Shabbat Prayers: February 26- 7:30 PM
Saturday Shabbat Torah Class: February 27- 10 AM

Friday Evening Shabbat Prayers: March 11- 7:30 PM
Saturday Shabbat Torah Class: March 12- 10 AM

PURIM begins evening of Wednesday, March 23 and ends evening of Thursday, March 24
Purim Evening Service: Wednesday, March 23- 7:30 PM

Friday Evening Shabbat Prayers: March 25- 7:30 PM
Saturday Shabbat Torah Class: March 26- 10 AM

Friday Evening Shabbat/Passover Prayers: April 8- 7:30 PM
Saturday Shabbat Torah Class: April 9- 10 AM

PASSOVER

(begins in the evening (sunset 7:13 PM) of Friday, April 22 and ends in the evening of Saturday, April 30)

TBS Community Seder: Friday, April 22- Doors open at 6:45 PM Seder-7:15 PM

Our Next Board Meeting will be Thursday January 28th

6:30pm at the Temple.

***We will attempt to have ALL board meetings
on the last Thursday of each month***

Plan on attending, show your support of TBS Everyone is welcome