

# TEMPLE BETH EMETH of SCOTTSDALE APRIL 2023



## APRIL PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Once again, it's time to eat all your Chametz and get ready for Passover. I heard an interesting lecture last week, that the holiday has several names and each one means something different. The English word Passover describes the protection given to the Jews in Egypt as the angel went past their houses because they had smeared the blood of a lamb on their doorpost.

In Hebrew, the holiday is called Pesach, which actually refers to the lamb, which was slaughtered as a sacrifice in temple times, and then barbecued and eaten. As a result of rabbinical rulings, most Ashkenazi Jews do not eat Lamb at the Seder. Sephardi Jews will eat lamb but will not have it roasted or barbecued. Another name for Passover is the holiday of matzah, or Chag Ha'Matzot in Hebrew. There are two other less well-known names In Hebrew, which translate to 'The Time of our Freedom', and 'The Spring Festival'.

I think Passover must have more names than any other holiday! I hope you have an enjoyable holiday and eat lots of matzah!

The Board has decided that the member dues for the coming year will remain at \$180 per person.

Clyde Hurtig            President

## OFFICERS FOR 2020-2023

Vice President Harvey Roberts  
Recording Secretary Harold Sacks

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Corresponding Secretary OPEN

## MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

Joan Abrahamson            Sandy Stein            Harriet Williams

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## **COMING EVENTS**

**A BOARD MEETING WILL BE ANNOUNCED  
BY EMAIL & PHONE MESSAGES**

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## **SERVICES**



**PASSOVER SHABBAT APRIL 8<sup>th</sup> at 10 AM**

**OTHER SERVICES WILL BE ANNOUNCED  
BY EMAIL MESSAGES**

# April 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						<b>1</b> 10th of Nisan Shabbat HaGadol Yom HaAliyah Parashat Tzav 7:25p Havdalah
<b>2</b> 11th of Nisan	<b>3</b> 12th of Nisan	<b>4</b> 13th of Nisan	<b>5</b> 14th of Nisan 4:55a Fast begins Ta'anit Bechorot Erev Pesach 6:33p Candle lighting	<b>6</b> 15th of Nisan Pesach I 7:29p Candle lighting	<b>7</b> 16th of Nisan Pesach II 6:34p Candle lighting	<b>8</b> 17th of Nisan Pesach III (CH"M) 7:31p Havdalah <b>SERVICE</b>
<b>9</b> 18th of Nisan Pesach IV (CH"M)	<b>10</b> 19th of Nisan Pesach V (CH"M)	<b>11</b> 20th of Nisan Pesach VI (CH"M) 6:37p Candle lighting	<b>12</b> 21st of Nisan Pesach VII 7:34p Candle lighting	<b>13</b> 22nd of Nisan Pesach VIII 7:35p Havdalah	<b>14</b> 23rd of Nisan 6:39p Candle lighting	<b>15</b> 24th of Nisan Mevarchim Chodesh Iyyar Parashat Shmini 7:37p Havdalah
<b>16</b> 25th of Nisan	<b>17</b> 26th of Nisan	<b>18</b> 27th of Nisan Yom HaShoah	<b>19</b> 28th of Nisan	<b>20</b> 29th of Nisan	<b>21</b> 30th of Nisan Rosh Chodesh Iyyar 6:44p Candle lighting	<b>22</b> 1st of Iyyar, 5783 Rosh Chodesh Iyyar Parashat Tazria-Metzora 7:42p Havdalah
<b>23</b> 2nd of Iyyar	<b>24</b> 3rd of Iyyar	<b>25</b> 4th of Iyyar Yom HaZikaron	<b>26</b> 5th of Iyyar Yom HaAtzma'ut	<b>27</b> 6th of Iyyar	<b>28</b> 7th of Iyyar 6:50p Candle lighting	<b>29</b> 8th of Iyyar Parashat Achrei Mot-Kedoshim 7:48p Havdalah
<b>30</b> 9th of Iyyar						



## **FUNDRAISING**

To send Donation Cards, \$5.00 each please call 480-941-4112

For Memorial Plaques, please call 480-941-4112. Please include the following information: English name, Hebrew name, if known, date of death. The plaque cost is \$180.00. The plaque will be added to the Leighton Memorial Tablet.

For a Tree of Life Leaf, to honor a special occasion or special person, Please call 480-941-4112. Please complete the dedication information "In honor of....." (Limit to 3 short lines). The cost is \$25.00 for each leaf.



### **Make a Donation to Temple Beth Emeth**

(Please provide the following with your check to **Temple Beth Emeth**)

Donation made by \_\_\_\_\_

In Memory/Honor of \_\_\_\_\_

Other Notes \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to: Temple Beth Emeth, PO Box 2831, Scottsdale, AZ 85252-2831

### **Donations – Thank You**

**David Horowitz  
Dr. Avrom Simon  
Deborah & Brett Orlove**

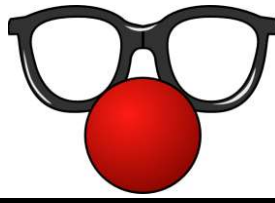
**Yahrzeit for Mother Renee Horowitz  
Yahrzeit for Rabbi Mordecai & Maxine Simon  
In Memory of Ira Goldenberg**





## YAHREIT

ENGLISH DATE	HEBREW DATE	NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO MEMBER	KADDISH DATE
	Nissan			
04/02/23	11	Henry Cohen	G/F of Sheila Nice	04/01/23
04/04/23	13	Helen Rothstein	Previous Member	04/01/23
04/04/23	13	Gussie Silver	S / I / L of Ira Goldenberg	04/01/23
04/06/23	15	Jerry Fisch	Previous Member	04/01/23
04/06/23	15	Adele Bank	M/ of Sue Stegman	04/08/23
04/09/23	18	Naomi Golob	M / I / L of Fran Golob	04/08/23
04/10/23	19	Jerome "Jerry" Sigel	F/ of Deena Sigel	04/08/23
04/11/23	20	Henry Katz	F / of Lee Katz	04/08/23
04/12/23	21	Leah Weingarten	M / of Bernie Weingarten	04/08/23
04/13/23	22	Rita Rubin	M/ of Arline Smalheiser	04/08/23
04/15/23	24	Joseph Whitman	F / of Sue Chopak	04/15/23
04/20/23	29	Samuel Wishnick	F/ of Deborah Hoffman	04/15/23
04/21/23	30	Silvia Rowe	S / of Hilliard Bloom	04/15/23
	Iyar			
04/22/23	1	Esther Lisitza	G/M of Harriet Williams	04/22/23
04/23/23	2	Geneva Paroly	Previous Member	04/22/23
04/25/23	4	Ben Leighton	H / of Ruth Leighton	04/22/23
04/25/23	4	Theresa Grossman	M / of Sue Chopak	04/22/23
04/26/23	5	Edith Levine	M / of Sandy Stein	04/22/23
04/27/23	6	Hyman Bank	F/ of Sue Stegman	04/22/23
05/04/23	13	Joseph Honig	F/ of Allen Honig	04/29/23
05/05/23	14	Frances Golob	Mother of Sheila Nice	04/29/23



## **April Passover Humor**

**How do you drive your mother completely insane on Passover?  
It's really a piece of cake.**

**What's your favorite Passover film? Shawshankbone Redemption.**

**Why did the matzah quit his job? Because he didn't get a raise.**

**What army base is off limits on Passover? Fort Leavenworth.**

**It seems a group of leading medical people have published data that indicates that Seder participants should NOT partake of both chopped liver and charoses. It is indicated that this combination can lead to Charoses of the Liver.**

**At our Seder, we had whole wheat and bran matzo, fortified with Metamucil. The brand name, of course, is "Let My People Go".**

**What do you call steaks ordered by 10 Jews? Filet minyan.**

**If a doctor carries a black bag and a plumber carries a tool box, what does a mohel carry? A Bris-kit!**

**Why do we have a Haggadah at Passover? So we can Seder right words.**

**What do you call someone who derives pleasure from the bread of affliction?  
A matzochist.**

**Did you hear about the gefilte fish that went deaf? He had to buy a herring-aid.**

**When it comes to Karpas, who is the king of Passover? Elvis Parsley.**

**An Egyptian task master fell down a wishing well, The Jewish slave was amazed, "I never knew they worked."**

**How does NASA organize their Passover Seders in space? They planet.**

**What did one Seder plate say to the other? "Dinner is on me!"**

**What kind of shoes did the Egyptians wear during the plague of Frogs? Open-toad!**

**What was the name of the Secret Spy for the Jews in Egypt? Bondage, James Bondage.**

**What did the Teddy Bear say when he was offered the afikomen? No thanks, I'm stuffed.**