



TEMPLE ISAIAH *BULLETIN*

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June 2017 Calendar of Events

Thursday, June 1—Gala Dinner, 6:30pm

Friday, June 2—Shabbat Service, 8:00pm

Saturday, June 3—Torah Study & Service, 9:30am

Monday, June 5—Spanish, 10:30am

Tuesday, June 6—Board Meeting, 7:30pm

Friday, June 9—Shabbat Service, 8:00pm

Saturday, June 10—Bar Mitzvah Service of Jeremy Malaga, 10:30am

Monday, June 12—Spanish, 10:30am

Friday, June 16—Shabbat Service, 8:00pm

Saturday, June 17—Torah Study & Service, 9:30am

Monday, June 19—Spanish Class, 10:30am

Wednesday, June 21—Tai Chi, 11:00am

Thursday, June 22—Tag Sale at 38 Allenwood Rd.

Friday, June 23—Tag Sale Continues; Shabbat Service, 8:00pm

Saturday, June 24—Torah Study & Service, 9:30am

Sunday, June 25—Tag Sale Continues

Monday, June 26—Spanish, 10:30am

Wednesday, June 28—Tai Chi, 11:00am

Friday, June 30—Kabbalat Shabbat Service, 6:15pm followed by Potluck Dinner

Super Garage Sale June 22nd-25th

Cathy & Jane Bendor are graciously permitting Temple Isaiah to have a tag sale at Susan's home at 38 Allenwood Road. All proceeds will go the temple. Please contact Terry Joseph to help. (Exact dates & times to be provided later.)



JUNE SPECIAL EVENTS!

(DETAILS INSIDE)

June 1, 2017

6:30pm

**Temple Isaiah's Jubilee
Anniversary
GALA DINNER**



Saturday, June 10, 10:30am

*Jeremy Malaga Bar Mitzvah Service
Share in the Occasion with the
Malaga & Solow Families*



**Garage Sale at
38 Allenwood Road to
Benefit
Temple Isaiah
Thursday 6/22, Friday,
6/23 & Sunday, 6/25**

**Friday, June 30
Potluck Dinner Following
Kabbalat Shabbat Service at 6:15pm**



CANTOR'S COLUMN

A YEAR OF JOY

Earlier in the year Rabbi Chase Foster – then Student Rabbi Foster – led a fascinating discussion about the different models of leadership found in the bible. It may have been the second day of Rosh Hashanah and one of the first teachings led by our new student rabbi. We studied leaders that guided with humility, courage, strong tempers, utmost faith, one that led with a tough mind and a tender heart, even one that led from a place of fear.



None, however, led with joy and a sense of humor.

Temple Isaiah has been privileged to have had an inspirational and joyous year of learning and worship with Chase. We all know that studying Torah is interpretive and we've probably all experienced it as a serious endeavor. But Chase's sheer delight and enjoyment in studying has been infectious and has taught us all that humor and wry observation can broaden the process.



Chase has been a delightful and open-minded bima partner; he is always eager to learn, to teach, and to be a good friend. I wish him and Sarah a safe and successful journey as they begin the next phase of their careers.

Cantor Leslie Friedlander

“VOICES OF ISAIAH”

What Brought Us to the Door of Our Synagogue? By Gail Gordon

In October 2016, the Isaiah family gathered together in prayer and fellowship for our 50th High Holiday Season and the start of our Jubilee Year. It is a time to reflect on our past and look forward to the future.

In some parts of the world, there is no question regarding which synagogue to join because there is only one Jewish house of worship in town. When our family became a part of the life of Temple Isaiah during the early 1990's, that was hardly the situation in Great Neck. Like most important things in life, it did not seem like a big deal at the time when Bob and I made the choice of enrolling our oldest child in Isaiah's religious school, one of many in the community. All these years later, it is hard to believe what an important impact that “small” act had on our lives. It has profoundly shaped out spiritual lives, friendships, and sense of belonging to a larger Jewish community.

At the time we joined Temple Isaiah, it was unique in this community for its intimate size, the friendliness of the congregation, and the generosity of its Fair Share policy. Little did we realize that at Isaiah, it was not just our children who would receive a Jewish education, but the entire family. Of course, our rabbis and cantors have taught us all so much. Speaking for myself, I also made many friends who were my teachers. Have an idea at our little shul? Great. Go ahead and make it happen. Before I knew it, I was coordinating an adult bat mitzvah group. Later, I got the biggest education of all by acting as co-president with Terry Joseph. It made me focus on our synagogue's valuable role for its members and the larger Jewish community. What a lesson!

All these years after we joined so our daughter could have a formal Jewish education, she has agreed to serve on the board of directors of her synagogue. Her involvement there is a tribute to our family's positive experience here. Thank you, Temple Isaiah, for giving us such a welcoming and positive Jewish home.

We welcome and solicit your personal story and experience in our “Voices of Isaiah” column. Tell us your story ... the unique path to the door of our synagogue. The *Shehecheyanu* blessings that connect your family to our Temple Isaiah family. Raise your voice, sing out in joy and share your Isaiah experience. Please contact either Kathie Davis or Bill Rosenberg to share your story.

Potluck Dinner—Friday, June 30th Following Kabbalat Shabbat Service

Our summer service schedule begins in July and we celebrate our last regular service with a potluck dinner (non-dairy) following the final Kabbalat service of the season.

Please call or email the dinner chairs to let them know what dish you will be bringing:

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Helene Dorfman—487-3395
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June 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Gala Dinner 6:30pm 	2 Shabbat Service, 8:00pm	3 Torah Study & Service, 9:30am
4	5 Spanish Class, 10:30am	6 Board Meeting, 7:30pm	7	8	9 Shabbat Service, 8:00pm	10 Jeremy Malaga Bar Mitzvah Service, 10:30am
11	12 Spanish Class, 10:30am	13	14	15	16 Shabbat Service, 8:00pm	17 Torah Study & Service, 9:30am
18 Happy Father's Day 	19 Spanish Class, 10:30am	20	21 Tai Chi, 11:00am	22 <i>Garage Sale at 38 Allenwood Road</i>	23 Shabbat Service, 8:00pm	24 Torah Study & Service, 9:30am
25 <i>Garage Sale at 38 Allenwood Road</i>	26 Spanish Class, 10:30am	27	28 Tai Chi, 11:00am	29	30 Kabbalat Shabbat, 6:15pm followed by Potluck Dinner (RSVP)	

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