

ANNUAL REPORT



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“We are a dynamic and egalitarian congregation with a warm and inviting atmosphere”

Our Mission

Temple Aliyah is a Conservative synagogue founded in 1964 by a small, dedicated group of families in Needham. Through the years, it has grown and prospered to encompass more than 400 member families. Our members come from Needham, Wellesley, Dover, Medfield, Westwood, Newton, Dedham, and other communities in the greater Boston area, and even a few in New York, New Jersey, and Florida!

We are a dynamic and egalitarian congregation with a warm and inviting atmosphere. Under the leadership of Rabbi Samuel Barth, our Interim Rabbi and Cantor Jamie Gloth, we encourage our members to enrich their Jewish lives, to enhance their Jewish identities, and to engage in lifelong learning. Our spiritual, educational, and social action programs foster the values of Conservative Judaism and reflect our commitment to Torah (Jewish wisdom) and mitzvot (Jewish obligations). We support the broader Jewish community, Israel, and Jews worldwide.

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A Message from President Keith Lewinstein

Dear Friends,

I'm delighted to offer a few words of introduction to Temple Aliyah's first formal annual report. We've decided to publish a document like this one every year in part to reflect on our most recent activities and accomplishments, and in part to recognize and thank the many generous donors who keep our doors open and our programs running.

This was a year in which Temple Aliyah moved from an almost entirely remote operation to something closer to pre-pandemic normal. Our Adult Education program built on its established record of success, organizing over 45 programs. Two of these were sponsored by the Jill Segal Memorial Fund, and a number were multi-session courses spread over several weeks. The regular Kiddush Conversations brought people into the building on Shabbat mornings and helped us reacquaint ourselves with our fellow congregants. Our Kehillah Committee organized programs in the fall (ice cream at Defazio Field; Hot Chocolate and Havdalah in the tent) aiming to give people a chance to gather in person for the first time in 20 months. And large numbers of people in fact gathered. As we saw at the Hanukkah Happening, at Sisterhood Shabbat, at the musical Shabbaton weekend, and of course at the spring celebration of Rabbi Perkins, people remain thirsty for this kind of real, face-to-face contact, and that makes me optimistic about our own future as the pandemic recedes. Our acquisition last spring of a tent, which we hope will remain standing through late November, should provide an additional way to gather safely in person as long as weather permits.

This was also a year in which Temple Aliyah broke new ground for itself in sponsoring the resettlement of two Afghan refugees. Significant funds were raised to accomplish this, but even more noteworthy, more than 75 volunteers from every corner of our synagogue gave their time and their skills to settle these two young men. It was an exercise not only in furthering social justice but in re-building our own community. It shouldn't go unremarked that activities around social action and social justice may sometimes have the ancillary benefit of bringing a community like ours together.

New energy also comes from our children, and from the activities and educational programs we provide for them. Gan Aliyah has come into its own, with all its classrooms at or near capacity. Mercaz Aliyah is projected to grow slightly, and last year we saw strong participation from our Mercaz students in various co-curricular activities such as the Purim Carnival and Passover University, activities that also touch the broader synagogue community. Temple Tots came back in person after a year of entirely remote programming, welcoming last May over 40 children and their parents to a Celebrate Spring event with a magician and ice cream. Some of those children have also participated in our Shabbat Yeladim program, which last year brought more families to the building on Shabbat morning and helped bring us closer to what we remember from the pre-pandemic past. Our Mishpachah Aliyah programs helped build connection for families with children in grades K-5, and under the umbrella of Youth at Temple Aliyah we are once again providing opportunities for social connection and community service to our teens.

Bottom line: there's a lot going on. The building is once again starting to buzz with activity both on Shabbat mornings and during the week, and for that we can thank our dedicated and hard-working lay leaders, clergy, professional staff, and office staff, whose names you will find listed elsewhere in this report. One name still new to many of our members is that of our Interim Rabbi, Samuel (Sami) Barth. Rabbi Barth likes to joke that as an interim rabbi, he comes to us "pre-fired." What he means of course is that his role is specifically time limited; he is here to help us take advantage of a rare moment in our institutional history when we can and should step out of our usual way of doing things and experiment a bit. As we prepare to search for and then welcome a new long-term ("settled") rabbi, I hope we will take advantage of this year to push a little bit beyond our comfort zone, beyond the tried and true, so that we can discover new ways to grow as a *kehillah*.

As you look through the pictures and the names that follow, I hope you'll feel as I do that Temple Aliyah is prepared to do just that. What this report demonstrates above all is that we've emerged from the challenge of the pandemic with our strength intact and our community well positioned to navigate the transitional year ahead of us.

L'Shalom,

Keith Lewinstein

President



Who We Are

Clergy

Rabbi Carl M. Perkins

(as of June 30, 2022, Rabbi Perkins retired and became Temple Aliyah's first Rabbi Emeritus)

Rabbi Samuel (Sami) Barth, Interim Rabbi

(as of July 1, 2022, Rabbi Barth became our transitional rabbi)

Cantor Jamie Gloth

Cantor Linda Sue Sohn, B'nai Mitzvah Tutor

Leslie Gordon, Rabbi in Residence

Cantor Harry Gelman z"l, Cantor Emeritus

Professional Staff

Melissa Rudman, Executive Director

Kayla Reisman, Director of Mercaz Aliyah Congregational Learning and Engagement

Aileen Landau, Director of Gan Aliyah Preschool and Young Family Engagement

Nalani Haueter, Director of Youth and Teen Engagement

Mitchell Israel, Youth Advisor

(as of September 2022)

Administrative Staff

Caroline Nudelman, Administrative Assistant to Mercaz Aliyah and Gan Aliyah, Passport to Israel Coordinator

Elisa Blando, Bookkeeper

Elissa Gordon, Administrative Assistant to the Rabbi

Linda Rosenberg, Administrative Assistant

(through August 2022)

Adam Zeren, Administrative Assistant

(as of September 12, 2022)

Steve Boyd, Custodian

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Adult Education Sue Kesner (21-22) Lori Resnick (22-23)	Funds and Endowment Geoff Kurinsky and Heydon Traub	Gan Aliyah Advisory Board Beth Moskowitz
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Sisterhood Judy Lee, Marcy Leiman, Heidi Schwartz (21-22) Judy Lee, Marcy Leiman, Liat Rosen (22-23)	Social Action Peter Kessel and Rachel Weinstock	Staying Connected Sara and Stuart Altman
Technology David Rudolph	Youth Jason Weshler (21-22)	Kesher Lior Barnoon and Karen Shapiro
Membership Sarah Burns (21-22)	Strategic Planning David Farbman	Temple Tots Emma Dubin

Financial Secretaries - 2021-22 & 2022-23

Bruce Patz, Financial Secretary

Andrew Abraham, Assistant Financial Secretary

FY2021-22 FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Dear Friends,

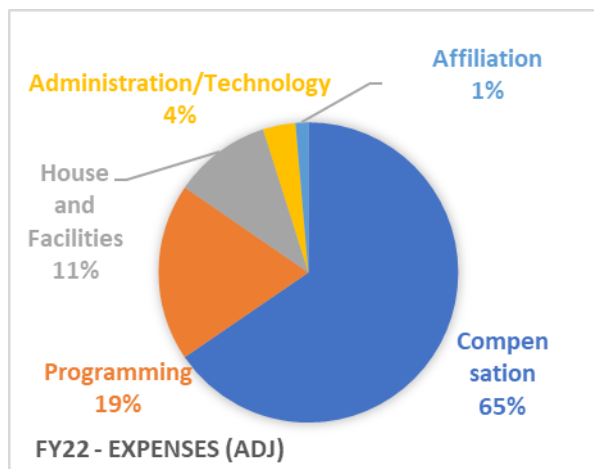
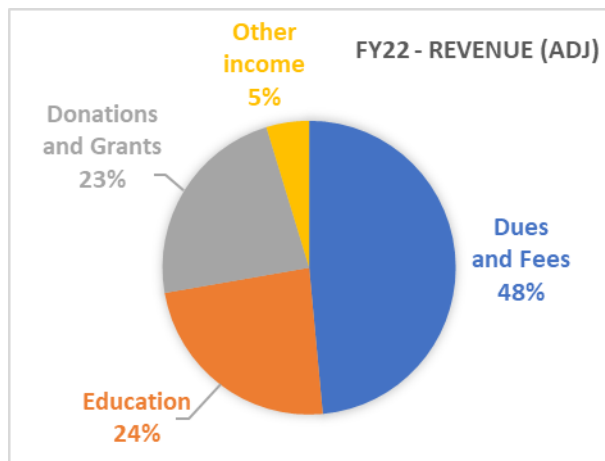
Fiscal year 2021-2022 was a solid year for Temple Aliyah financially. The pandemic continues to have a moderate impact on our finances, with both expenses and dues collections falling below expectations, the former due to programming that has not returned to pre-pandemic levels the latter due in large measure to adjustments for congregants unable to pay full dues. We encourage congregants to pay as much as they are able for annual dues and other charges but we are proud that we are able to support those who find themselves unable to pay full dues, in part through the generosity of other congregants and particularly during these difficult time.

On the education side, Mercaz Aliyah and Gan Aliyah both had excellent years financially and otherwise. For Mercaz Aliyah, enrollment and revenues exceeded expectations and expenses were less than budgeted. Gan Aliyah, aided by strong enrollment for the regular and extended day programs as well as for the summer program and by state and CJP grants, Gan Aliyah was able to break even and set aside funds to support Gan Aliyah in the coming years.

Of great note, we received this year an extraordinary number of unrestricted gifts, including very generous bequests from the estates of three congregants – Molli Krausze z”l, Harvey Leavitt z”l and Hasia Richman z”l. These bequests, and a strong President’s Appeal during Rosh Hashanah, allowed us to (A) grow our Capital Reserve (which is used for capital expenses to maintain and enhance the synagogue building and grounds); (B) add to the synagogue’s endowment; and (C) help grow a fund that we will likely need in order to assist an incoming rabbi acquire housing locally. In addition, we are setting aside a portion of these funds to finance the creation of an outdoor prayer/community space on synagogue grounds.

On the restricted funds side, we raised almost \$60,000 for the “Welcome the Stranger Fund” to support the resettlement of Afghan refugees and more than \$450,000 for the *Rabbi Carl M. Perkins Fund for Experiential Education*, or the “Atid Fund,” in honor of Rabbi Perkins on the occasion of his retirement. The Atid Fund will *provide resources for Temple Aliyah members to participate in meaningful Jewish encounters, immersive experiences, and hands-on programs.*

The charts below show the allocation of income and expenses during this fiscal year, adjusted to exclude the extraordinary donations received this year:



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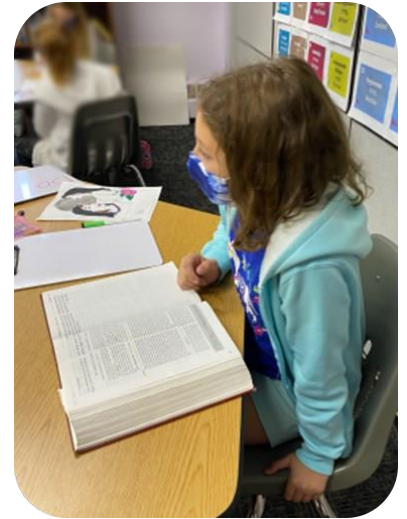
Bruce Berns, Treasurer and Vice President for Finance

EDUCATION AT TEMPLE ALIYAH



Mercaz Aliyah offers Jewish religious education to students in grades K-7. We strive to:

- Enliven Jewish education in order to provide meaningful, inclusive, creative and academic experiences while building community and fostering a love of Jewish living and learning within the framework of Conservative Judaism.
- Nurture the next generation of life-long learners who are eager to remain connected to their synagogue, their community, Israel and Jews throughout the world.
- Provide opportunities beyond the classroom to engage the whole family with whom we share responsibility for transmitting Jewish traditions and values to our children so that they become active participants in all aspects of Jewish life.



Gan Aliyah is a vibrant preschool program thriving within Temple Aliyah. What began as a single classroom of 8 students with 2 teachers has grown to 3 classrooms with 33 students and a team of 8 teachers. We now offer a variety of schedules, accommodating working parents who need longer days. Our program grows from a child-centered, teacher-guided curriculum that emphasizes social and emotional growth, as well as early language, math and science skill development through art, literature, and time to explore and discover. We seamlessly integrate secular and Judaic early childhood learning in deeply meaningful ways that support a love of Judaism, family and community. Our nurturing, personal supportive and intimate community welcomes every student



TODAH RABAH TO ALL OF THE DONORS WHO HAVE GENEROUSLY SUPPORTED TEMPLE ALIYAH THIS YEAR

ATID (Future) Fund

Oak (\$30,000 and higher)

David and Susan Levy
Beth and Michael Moskowitz & Family
Karen Shapiro
Steven and Sydna Weinstein Charitable Fund
Walter, Arnee, Sarah and Aaron Winshall

Cedar (\$18,000-\$29,999)

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Olive (\$10,000-\$17,999)

Haldon and Arlene Bryer
Franklin and Bonnie Gold
Jeffrey and Ellen Katz
James and Debra Krasnow
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Glenn and Alisa Levine
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Geoffrey and Deborah Kurinsky
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David Segal

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Jack and Sandra Swartz

Palm (\$1,800-\$3,599)

Julie and Bruce Berger
Howard and Jacquelyn Furman
Howard and Laura Kaufman
Susan and Richard Kesner
Diane and Gordon Piper
Howard and Lori Rosenblum
Gerry and Miriam Rovner
Martha and Max Rubinstein
Steven and Karen Sisselman
Temple Aliyah Sisterhood
Barry and Candace Sloan
Rose-Jane Sulman
Peter and Reva Winston
Michele and Jonathan Wolfman

The Rabbi Carl M. Perkins Fund for Experiential Education or the "Atid Fund" was established in May 2022 to honor Rabbi Perkins on the occasion of his retirement as our Rabbi for 31 years. Meaning "future" in Hebrew, Atid will strengthen Temple Aliyah's future by fostering creative, interactive, and vibrant opportunities for our community to find meaning in our Jewish heritage and in Jewish life.

The Atid Fund will provide dedicated resources for Temple Aliyah members to participate in meaningful Jewish encounters, immersive experiences, and hands-on programs. Activities supported by the Atid Fund may include retreats, trips to Israel and elsewhere, Jewish summer camp, and artistic experiences, all of which may expose our members to a range of Jewish ideas, values, and perspectives. In addition to funding experiential programs led by family educators and other instructors, the Atid Fund will subsidize participation to ensure its programs are accessible to all members.



Date (\$1,000-\$1,799)

Linda and Bruce Berns and Family
Margie and Gil Brodsky
Robert Brown and Jodi Abbott
Esta-Jean Cahn
Aliza and Michael Cooperman
Reverent Caroline B. Edge
Ronni and Amos Eisenberg
David and Pamela Glass
Evan, Sharon and Jordan Gold
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Aviva Jezer and Jeff Rothschild
William and Susan Kams
Deborah Levenson and Steven Adelman
Keith and Sylvia Lewinstein
Lewis and Linda Robert
David and Nicole Rudolph
Vikki and Matthew Sherman
Barry Slosberg
Temple Aliyah Men's Club
Weiskopf Family



Atid Fund (continued)

Carob (\$Up to \$999)

Penina Adelman
Peter Alpert and Rebecca Drill
Emily Alter
Stuart and Sara Altman
Aronson Insurance
Elizabeth and Joel Baker
Ken Baltin and Margie Glazer
Leonard and Amy Bard
Joseph and Debra Baron
Craig Basson
Stephen and Lynn Baum
Sheldon Benjamin
Janet Besser
Janet Besser
Marius Brill
Miriam Bronstein
Jeff and Deborah Buchbinder
Daniel and Sarah Burns
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Noah and Risa Carp
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Glenys Davis
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Tamra Dollin
Harol and Sheryl Dubin
Lois Englander
Wendy Fain
Edwin Farber
Paul Feldman and Judith Mendel
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Mark Goldstein
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Judah Levine and Adina Kling Levine
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Lois Madeson
Alan and Arna Margolies
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Jeremy and Corine Milgram
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Jack and Debbie Mozes
Jessica and Greg Munroe
Andrew and Adele Newman
Dan and Jeanette Norris
Judith Noun
Bruce and Melissa Patz

Nancy and Ira Rashap
Alan Reisch and Judith Dein
Kayla Reisman
Alan and Judy Richman
Gilbert and Ann Rosenthal
Ethan and Tessa Rowin
Maureen and Kenneth Rowin
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Martha and Max Rubinstein
Judy Sacks
Clifford and Barbara Saper
Arthur and Kim Schawbel
Richard and Lisa Schoeller
Seth and Amy Schulman
Adam Scott and Rachel Zar-Kessler
Peter and Deborah Seresky
Carl and Marsha Shapiro
Donald and Martha Siegel
Joseph and Susan Silverman
Irwin and Nina Silverstein
Nancy and Howard Smith
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Rabbi Donald and Greta Splansky
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Daryn Stylianopoulos
Mark Swartz and Karen Levin
Richard and Marilyn Tannenbaum
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Alan Teperow
Prudence and Michael Thorner
Heydon and Jodi Traub
Joshua Warshawsky
Kenneth and Jessica Weiss
Kenneth and Liz Wener
Jason and Miriam Weshler
Daniel Winograd and Karen Feldscher



Barbara Stein Garden Fund

This fund maintains and enhances the garden in front of the main entrance to our synagogue.

Susan Charton

Aaron Deykin and Rachel Herschenfeld

James and Debra Krasnow

Leslie Lloyd

Lawrence and Suzanne Stein



Chumash and Siddur Funds

These funds support the purchase of Siddurim (prayerbooks), Chumashim (bibles), and other liturgical materials, based on the needs of the community. In 2021-2022, we acquired copies of the Rabbinical Assembly's Siddur Lev Shalem for use on Shabbat and festivals.

Jeffrey and Karla Allan

Bruce and Julie Berger

Janet Besser

Gilbert and Margie Brodsky

Esta-Jean Cahn

Charlotte Chase

Michael Dorfman

Joel and Patricia Dunsky

Lois Englander

David and Karen Farbman

Lewis and Dede Hadelman

Judith Joseph

Robert and Susan Kalish

Beverly Litman

Nance Marshall

Jettrey and Shirley Megar

Ellen and David Moskowitz

Judith Pike

Rhoda Pinta

Steven and Stacy Ross

Ross and Bonnie Seider

Steve and Sydna Weinstein

Cantor Gelman Music Education Fund

This fund, named in memory of our long-term former Cantor Harry Gelman, to promote musical activities and education in our synagogue.

Gilbert and Margie Brodsky

Lee and Laurie Caplan

Lois Englander

Mark Fishbon

Donald and Sheila Frankel

Jonathan and Wendy Gelman

Jayne and Bruce Gerhskowitz

Howard and Laurie Hirsh

James and Debra Krasnow

The Estate of Harvey Leavitt

Judith Pike

Richard and Marilyn Tannenbaum

Steve and Sydna Weinstein

Chet and Barbara Feldman Jewish Youth Programming Fund

This fund, named in memory of founders of Temple Aliyah, assists youth in our community pursue Jewish youth programs in the summer and throughout the year, making these opportunities possible for children who wouldn't otherwise be able to attend or participate.

David Feldman

Nancy Feldman

Robert and Tera Feldman

James and Debra Krasnow

Mel and Elaine Rosenburg

Alisa Shapiro and Jay Cashook

Richard and Marilyn Tannenbaum

Community Caring (Hesed) Fund/Mental Health Initiative

The Community Caring Fund, or Hesed, provides support activities to our synagogue community, including, for example, food deliveries during shiva and other assistance for bereaved families ; home and hospital visits; assistance to the elderly and/or infirm, and rides to religious services, doctors' appointments or shopping.

The Mental Health Initiative was developed and is led by a group of congregants who are passionate mental health professionals, with the goals of lessening the stigma around any kind of mental or behavioral health issues or social-emotional challenges, and bringing community and caring to those dealing with these challenges .

Jeffrey and Karla Allan
Matthew and Judi Appelstein
Edward and Gerri Aron
Ken and Margie Glazer Baltin
Bruce and Julie Berger
Marvin Berkowitz and Sharon Serinsky
David Bernat
Bruce and Linda Berns
Fred and Ellen Borgenicht
Bruce and Wendy Bornstein
Gilbert and Margie Brodsky
Joan Buchbinder
Esta-Jean Cahn
Heather Caminetsky
Noah and Risa Carp
Ted Cohen and Meda Turetsky
Glenys Davis
Lynn Dennis
Harold and Sheryl Dubin
Peter and Nancy Finn
Barbara Fishbon
Cheryl Fishbon
Carol Flashner
Robert and Karen Geggel
David and Pamela Glass
Gary and Susan Glazer
Harvey and Helene Greenberg

Bruce Greenfield
David and Jude Heiger
Marc and Hilary Hershman
Cindy Jackson
Judith Joseph
David and Karen Kajmo
Robert and Susan Kalish
Roger Kaufman
Ellen Knizeski
Carol and Fred Kotler
Mona Krozy
Judy and Darren Lee
Mitchell and Marcy Leiman
Vivian Levin
Marla and Scott Levinson
Debbie and Barry Lipsett
Beverly Litman
Mitchell and Carol Macey
Amy Meyers
Steven and Judith Myers
Leslie and Sandra Nanberg
Rabbi Carl and Elana Kling Perkins
Judith Pike
Diane and Gordon Piper

Rabbi's Discretionary Fund
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Steven and Carol Rosenstock
Laurie and Phillip Rubin
Judy Sacks
Jean Safon
Marie Savrides and David Greenberg
Peter and Deborah Seresky
Alisa Shapiro and Jay Cashook
Michael and Ellen Sheetz
Jerry Sherman
Irwin and Nina Silverstein
Evan and Marla Simon
Steven and Karen Sisselman
Fred and Joan Smith
Marvin and Marilyn Stick
Harvey and Judi Tabachnick
Richard and Marilyn Tannenbaum
Heydon and Jodi Traub
Andy and Bess Weiskopf
Jonathan and Michele Wolfman
Heather Zacker

Edna Gelman Library Fund

Janet Besser
Susan and Richard Kesner
Marvin and Marilyn Stick



Gan Aliyah Preschool Fund

Matthew and Judi Appelstein
Bruce and Linda Berns
Gilbert and Margie Brodsky
Susan Charton
Brian and Alisa Delano
Sandra and William Flannery
Carol Flashner
Ron and Vicki Hadar
Robert and Susan Kalish
William and Susan Kams
Mark and Barbara Klamann
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Michael and Beth Moskowitz
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Alisa Shapiro and Jay Cashook
David Sherman
Karen Silverstein
Peter and Saralea Strock

Donations to the Gan Aliyah Preschool Fund support and enhance our educational program for the youngest children at Temple Aliyah, representing the future of our community.



General Fund (unrestricted)

*Donations support the ongoing religious, educational,
and social action work of our Congregation*

Susan and Andrew Abraham
Steve and Krista Alperin
Peter Alpert and Rebecca Drill
Esfira Annenberg
Edward and Gerri Aron
Roxanne Babigian
Ken Baltin and Margie Glazer
Leonard and Amy Bard
Linda and Arthur Bayer
Bea Becker
Sandra Bennett
Bruce and Julie Berger
Marvin Berkowitz and Sharon Serinsky
Janet Besser
Greg and Nancy Birne
Beverlee Bookman
Alan and Suzanne Brand
Michael and Marilyn Brier
Debra and Eddie Bruckner
Haldon and Arlene Bryer
David Caplan
Noah and Risa Carp
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Corrin Daman
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Ilene and Janice Galinsky

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Robert and Karen Geggel
Alan Geller
Jonathan and Wendy Gelman
Michael and Anne Glanz
Gary and Susan Glazer
Sally and Stuart Gold
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Bruce and Rochelle Goldin
Milton and Andrea Goodman
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Elaine Greenberg
Bruce Greenfield
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David Grossman
Frederic Haber and Jill Jacobs
Lewis and Dede Hadelman
Shirley Harris
Nancy Herbstman
Howard and Laurie Hirsh
Phyllis Hoffenberg and Ron Molin
Jane and Alan Jacober
Diane Jaye
Abdul Jones
Marilyn and Paul Kalis
Robert and Susan Kalish
Howard and Laura Kaufman
Jeffrey and Eilene Kleiman
Linda Kleinman
Michele Koppelman
Linda and Steven Koretz
Steven and Stephanie Kornbleuth
James and Debra Krasnow
Neil and Shelley Krug
Alan and Karen Langsner
Marla and Marla Levinson
David and Susan Levy
Ronald and Sandra Levy
Linda Dudis
Diane and Stanford Loveman
Lisa Lyons
Mitchell and Carol Macey
Dorothy and Craig Mael

Ari and Beth Marcus
Philip Margolis
Mintz Maria Warner
Paula and Steve Markman
Terri Matthews
Jeremy and Corine Milgram
David Mindlin
Cynthia Mortlock
Ellen and David Moskowitz
Cecily Murray
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Lillian and John Resnik
Lewis and Linda Robert
Kathy Rogozinski
James and Hilary Rosenbaum
Howard and Lori Rosenblum
Steven and Stacy Ross
Gerry and Miriam Rovner
Ethan and Tessa Rowin
Laurie and Phillip Rubin
George and Judith Rudnick
Nicole and David Rudolph
Judy Sacks
Mehran and Tammy Sadok
Jean Safon
Harvey and Thelma Sandberg
Clifford and Barbara Saper
Linda Savenor
Asher and Leora Schachter
Lois and Myron Schaffer
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Samuel Stern
Marvin and Marilyn Stick
Peter and Saralea Strock
Harvey and Judi Tabachnick
Richard and Marilyn Tannenbaum
Prudence and Michael Thorner
Elaine and Stephanie Timmons
Howard and Carol Trachtenberg
Jessica Treadway
Maureen Vanderspek
Herbert Weiner
Steve and Sydna Weinstein
Bruce and Sherrie Weinstein
Andy and Bess Weiskopf
Kenneth and Jessica Weiss
Marc and Susan Wexler
Walter and Arnee Winshall
Peter and Reva Winston
Jonathan Wolf
Gregory Zhodzishsky

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Matthew and Judi Appelstein
Elizabeth and Joel Baker
Ken Baltin and Margie Glazer
Leonard and Amy Bard
Lior and Becca Rausch Barnoon
Craig Basson
Stephen and Lynn Baum
Todd and Lisa Bello
Bruce and Julie Berger
Marvin Berkowitz and Sharon Serinsky
David Bernat
Bruce and Linda Berns
Janet Besser
Fred and Ellen Borgenicht
Bruce and Wendy Bornstein
Marius Brill
Gilbert and Margie Brodsky
Joel Brody and Debra Canner
Robert Brown and Jodi Abbott
Haldon and Arlene Bryer
Jeff and Deborah Buchbinder
Steven and Judith Burg
Daniel and Sarah Burns
Esta-Jean Cahn
Lee and Laurie Caplan
Noah and Risa Carp
Gerald and Patricia Clarke
Jeffrey and Karen Cohen
Ted Cohen and Meda Turetsky
Michael and Aliza Cooperman
Richard and Marcy Curtis
Myrna Davidson
Glenys Davis
Jeffrey Dell and Joanne Karger Dell
Larry Denenberg and Rachael Rosner
Lynn Dennis
Michael Dorfman
Leor Doron and Lyn Lustig
Harold and Sheryl Dubin
Joel and Patricia Dunsky
Lois Englander
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Henry and Lori Feldman
Paul Feldman and Judith Mendel
Ethan and Sharon Fener
Jeffrey and Meryl Fink
Peter and Nancy Finn
Barbara Fishbon
Micah Fleisig and Sara Pertman
Donald and Sheila Frankel
Howard and Jacquelyn Furman
Daniel Gale and Patricia Greenstein
Elizabeth Geggel
Michael and Anne Glanz
David and Pamela Glass
Gary and Susan Glazer
Evan and Sharon Gold
Franklin and Bonnie Gold
Caryn Goldberg
Marcy Goldberg
Kenneth and Elyse Goodman
Judith Olshansky Gragg
Harvey and Helene Greenberg
Judi Greenberg and Joshua Levine
Alan and Claudia Greenfield
Frederic Haber and Jill Jacobs
Ron and Vicki Hadar
Arnie and Margie Harris
Marc and Hilary Hershman
Phyllis Hoffenberg and Ron Molin
Martin Hoffman
Cindy Jackson
Jerold and Robin Jaeger
Aviva Jezer and Jeffrey Rothschild
Judith Joseph
Natalie Kadis
William and Susan Kams
Jason and Elissa Kaplan
Stuart and Faye Karp
Esther Kattf
Jeffrey and Ellen Katz
Sharon and Marshall Katz
Vicki Kaufman
Howard and Laura Kaufman
William and Nathalie Kaufman
Susan and Richard Kesner

High Holiday Appeal

The funds raised through this annual appeal helps to bridge the gap between our expenses and revenues in order to meet all the operational needs of Temple Aliyah.

Susan and Andrew Abraham
Marty and Rachel Abramson
Jeffrey and Karla Allan
Jack Alpert
Peter Alpert and Rebecca Drill
Emily Alter

Richard and Marcy Curtis
Myrna Davidson
Glenys Davis
Jeffrey Dell and Joanne Karger Dell
Larry Denenberg and Rachael Rosner
Lynn Dennis
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High Holiday Appeal (continued)

Lawrence and Phyllis Kimmelman
Lawrence and Amy Knopf
Charles and Susan Kohn
Adam and Elizabeth Korngold
Carol and Fred Kotler
Richard Kramer and Sara Shapiro
James and Debra Krasnow
Mona Krozy
Neil and Shelley Krug
Peter and Vicki Krupp
Geoffrey and Deborah Kurinsky
Peter and Nurit Kussell
Fred and Tamara Ledley
Judy and Darren Lee
Matthew and Deena Leibman
Mitchell and Marcy Leiman
Glenn and Alisa Levine
Naomi Levy
David and Susan Levy
Ronald and Sandra Levy
Keith and Sylvia Lewinstein
David and Carol Lintz
Martin and Jennifer Lipman
Beverly Litman
Lawrence and Mary Litwak
Mitchell and Carol Macey
Dorothy and Craig Mael
Jeffrey and Judith Magram
Ari and Beth Marcus
Lawrence and Diane Marget
Alan and Arna Margolies
Gerald and Marjorie Margolis
Paula and Steve Markman
Susan Maxwell and Ronald Waife
Jeffrey and Shirley Megar
Saul and Marilyn Mendelson
Kenneth and Robin Metzger
Amy Meyers
Jeremy and Corine Milgram
Richard and Judith Mirel
Nadene Moll
Michael and Beth Moskowitz
Steven and Judith Myers

Leslie and Sandra Nanberg
Andrew and Adele Newman
Joel and Jennifer Newman
Ricki and Mark Nickel
Samuel and Alyne Oppenheim
Scott and Amy Osband
Janet Oxman and Richard Simon
Jeffrey and Carol Pankin
Arthur and Diane Patz
Bruce and Melissa Patz
Roger Philipp
Judith Pike
Diane and Gordon Piper
Theodore Polansky
Bari and Charles Popkin
Roy and Taal Rachamimov
Neil and Jan Pevar Ram
Nancy and Ira Rashap
Alan and Judith Dein Reisch
Herbert and Lori Resnick
Maurice and Dawn Ringel
Lewis and Linda Robert
Sydell Rosen
Glenn and Hilary Rosengard
Gilbert and Ann Rosenthal
Steven and Stacy Ross
Gerry and Miriam Rovner
Ethan and Tessa Rowin
Laurie and Phillip Rubin
Jeffrey and Rosemarie Rudin
Nicole and David Rudolph
Judy Sacks
Clifford and Barbara Saper
Linda Savenor
Marie Savrides and David Greenberg
Seth and Amy Schulman
Eric and Heidi Schwartz
Adam Scott and Rachel Zar-Kessler Scott
David Segal
Ross and Bonnie Seider
Peter and Deborah Seresky
Karen Shapiro
Alisa Shapiro and Jay Cashook

Carl and Marsha Shapiro
Vikki and Matthew Sherman
Debra and David Silberberg
Bernard and Lisa Silverman
Joseph and Susan Silverman
Irwin and Nina Silverstein
Kamran Simani and Dalida Yeroshalmi
Evan and Marla Simon
Steven and Karen Sisselman
Barry and Candace Sloane
Barry Slosberg
Fred and Joan Smith
Laurie and Steven Spitz
Seth and Elaine Stadfeld
Donald Steinberg and Rebecca Kotkin
Marvin and Marilyn Stick
Jordan and Sarah Stone
Jeffrey Stulin and Melinda Harrison
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Jack and Sandra Swartz
Mark Swartz and Karen Levin
Prudence and Michael Thorner
Heydon and Jodi Traub
Dan and Judith Varon
Bruce and Robin Wachsman
Elliot Weinstein
Steve and Sydna Weinstein
Evie Weinstein-Park and Dan Weinstein
Andy and Bess Weiskopf
Kenneth and Jessica Weiss
Kenneth and Liz Wener
Jason and Miriam Weshler
Daniel Winograd and Karen Feldscher
Walter and Arnee Winshall
Peter and Reva Winston
Jeffrey Wisch and Cindy Crofts-Wisch
Daniel and Jillian Wiseman
Barry and Madeline Wolfeld
Debra and Ben Zalvan

Kesher Fund

Donations are used to educate congregants on the many issues Israel and Israelis face today, and to provide financial support for a variety of projects in Israel.

Peter Alpert and Rebecca Drill
Lior Barnoon and Becca Rausch
Stephen and Lynn Baum
Janet Besser
Alan and Suzanne Brand
Joel and Debra Canner Brody
Haldon and Arlene Bryer
Lee and Laurie Caplan
Lynn Dennis
Amos and Ronni Eisenberg
Gary Feldman
Paul Feldman and Judith Mendel
Peter and Nancy Finn
Carol Flashner
Howard and Jacquelyn Furman
Michael and Anne Glanz
David and Pamela Glass
Evan and Sharon Gold
Franklin and Bonnie Gold
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Arnie and Margie Harris
Jerold and Robin Jaeger
Aviva Jezer and Jeffrey Rothschild
Robert and Susan Kalish
Howard and Laura Kaufman
Susan and Richard Kesner
Lawrence and Amy Knopf
Richard Kramer and Sara Shapiro
James and Debra Krasnow
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Paula and Steve Markman
Jeremy and Corine Milgram
Richard and Judith Mirel
Michael and Beth Moskowitz

Jack and Debbie Mozes
Howard and Leslie Needleman
Rabbi Carl and Elana Kling Perkins
Marjorie and Kenneth Phillips
Diane and Gordon Piper
Neil and Jan Pevar Ram
Howard and Lori Rosenblum
Gerry and Miriam Rovner
Karen Shapiro
David Sherman
Nancy Shotola
Marvin and Paula Silberberg
Irwin and Nina Silverstein
Evan and Marla Simon
Laurie and Steven Spitz
Richard and Marilyn Tannenbaum
Prudence and Michael Thorner
Heydon and Jodi Traub
Dan and Judith Varon
Kenneth and Liz Wener
Peter and Reva Winston
Daniel and Jillian Wiseman

Jillian Segal Memorial Fund

This fund was established in Jill's honor and memory to support creative programming geared toward community education, especially on topics related to Judaism and the role of Jews in the world .

Janet Besser
Gilbert and Margie Brodsky
David Segal
Laurie and Steven Spitz

Marcia Levin Scholarship Fund

Julie Goraj

Robert Freeman Scholarship Fund

Andrew and Judith Epstein

Passport to Israel Fund

Michael Burkin
Michael Dorfman
Edwin Farber
William and Heather Herman
Eric and Rhonda Levin
Harvey and Judi Tabachnik
Richard and Marilyn Tannenbaum

Security Fund

Lee and Melinda Albert
Ron and Vicki Hadar
Howard and Laurie Hirsh
Gerry and Miriam Rovner
Karen Shapiro

Synagogue Enhancement Fund

Edward and Gerri Aron
Harvey and Helene Greenberg
Richard and Marilyn Tannenbaum

Mercaz Aliyah Fund

Funds are used to supplement the Mercaz Aliyah budget to provide educational speakers, programs, and materials to enhance our children's Jewish education.

Bruce and Linda Berns
Debbie Brandel
Jeff and Deborah Buchbinder
Daniel and Sarah Burns
Noah and Risa Carp
David and Sarah Choffnes
Sarah Conway
Sharon Conway
Sheryl Cooper
Michael and Aliza Cooperman
Foster Cooperstein and Lois Maisel
Jeffrey Dell and Joanne Karger Dell
Marianna and Michael Drootin
Zachary and Emma Dubin
Robert and Tera Feldman
Gregory Fischer and Laurie Dickstein-Fischer
Micah Fleisig and Sara Pertman
Donald and Sheila Frankel
Evan and Sharon Gold
Karin Hjalmarson and Jorge Fleisher
Stuart and Faye karp
Amanda and Barry Kaufman
James and Debra Krasnow
Aileen Landau

Alan and Karen Langsner
Mitchell and Marcy Leiman
Robin Maltz
Ari and Beth Marcus
Alan and Arna Margolies
Jeremy and Corine Milgram
Maya and Michael Mindlin
Ellen and David Moskowitz
Scott and Amy Osband
Adam Pase and Liat Rosen
Judith Pike
Alan Reisch and Judith Dein
Kayla Reisman
Linda Rosenburg
Eric and Heidi Schwartz
Susan Shoobe and Bruce Wolfeld
Warren and Frieda Soble
Cantor Linda Sue Sohn
Laura and David Tubman
Mark and Tara Warren
Kate Weinograd
Andy and Bess Weiskopf
Jason and Miriam Weshler
Rodan and Emily Zadeh

Mishpachah Aliyah Fund

This fund supports programming to connect elementary school aged kids—whether in public schools, Jewish day schools or independent schools—and their parents in a variety of Shabbat, holiday, and social activities.

Lior Barnoon and Becca Rausch
Jeffrey and Joanne Karger Dell
William and Heather Herman
Stuart and Faye Karp
Adam and Elizabeth Korngold
Rachel Levy
Scott and Amy Osband
Adam and Liat Rosen Pase
Joseph and Amy Regen
Seth and Amy Schulman
Susan Shoobe and Bruce Wolfeld

Temple Tots Fund

This fund supports family programming and outreach to families with children up to age 5, including activities, such as tot-friendly services, Kabalat Shabbat services and dinners, and special social and holiday events throughout the year.

Daniel Lieber
Natalie Kadis
James and Debra Krasnow
Sarah Snow



Welcome the Stranger Fund

This fund was created to sponsor the resettlement of refugees coming to the Boston area, with the initial focus on resettling two Afghan refugees, including assisting with housing, food, transportation, orientation to the United States and Boston, legal needs and learning English.

Alexander Acosta-Cohen
Peter and Rebecca Drill Alpert
Bruce and Linda Berns
Bruce and Wendy Bornstein
Alan and Suzanne Brand
Haldon and Arlene Bryer
Daniel and Sarah Burns
Esta-Jean Cahn
Lee and Laurie Caplan
Noah and Risa Carp
Peter Clarke
Josh Cochin
Mark and Roz Cohen
Ted Cohen and Meda Turetsky
Ezrahi and Sidra Dekoven
Lynn Dennis
Harold and Sheryl Dubin
Yvonne and Ted Alpert Emus
Ethan and Sharon Fener
David Flanders
Peggy and Maurie Fox-Warren
Donald and Sheila Frankel
Beth Gamel
Leslie Gerwin
David and Pamela Glass
Susan Glassman
Gary and Susan Glazer
Franklin and Bonnie Gold
Thomas and Judith Grove
Stephen and Constance Hines
Howard and Laurie Hirsh
Levine Chapels Inc
Ora Jezer
Natalie Kadis
David and Karen Kajmo
Howard and Laura Kaufman
William and Nathalie Kaufman
Susan and Richard Kesner
Peter and Nurit Kussell

Judy and Darren Lee
Sherry and James Leffert
Marla and Marla Levinson
David and Susan Levy
Keith and Sylvia Lewinstein
Jeffrey and Joni Liberman
Margaret McMahon and Bruce Rideout
Jeremy and Corine Milgram
Ralph Mitchell
Ellen and David Moskowitz
Michael and Beth Moskowitz
Howard and Leslie Needleman
Elan Noy
Alyne and Samuel Oppenheim
Bruce and Melissa Patz
Marjorie and Kenneth Phillips
Joseph and Amy Regen
Howard and Lori Rosenblum
Gerry and Miriam Rovner
Laurie and Phillip Rubin
Judy Sacks
David Segal
Alisa Shapiro and Jay Cashook
Debra and David Silberberg
Ronit and Gabriel Silver
Irwin and Nina Silverstein
Steven and Karen Sisselman
Judith and Edward Stein
Mark and Karen Levin Swartz
Richard and Marilyn Tannenbaum
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Barry Velleman
Steve and Sydna Weinstein
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Andrea Weintraub
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