Rosh Hashanah 2017

High Holy Days services are live-streamed on Facebook, here are some captured scenes from Rosh Hashanah...
### October 2017
#### Tishrei-Kislev 5778

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**STUDENT CANTOR DANIEL GEIGERMAN**

- October 13-15
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Save The Date for November

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CBY Task Force on Financial Structure

In the June Tidings, President Pennie Meiselman reported that the special funding to support our student cantor and music director is coming to an end over the next couple of years. We will, therefore, be required to fund these programs from on-going operating funds.

In the same issue, the treasurer reported that the board has authorized a special task force to examine the synagogue’s financial structure to determine how to best provide funds for our music and other programs going forward.

The Task Force on Financial Structure, consisting of 16 synagogue members, chaired by Ted David, has assumed that responsibility— to determine how to best maintain our music and all other programs and activities for years into the future. The task force has formed six teams to examine different aspects of CBY’s finances:

- **Congregants’ Financial Obligation (dues and Friends)** – Mike Weingarten, Team Leader
- **Fundraising** – Alan Meiselman, Team Leader
- **Membership** – Candy Solomon, Team Leader
- **Religious School** – Felicia Roth, Team Leader
- **Social Media (can we use it better?)** – Jack Miller, Team Leader
- **Cost Reductions Opportunities** – Ted David, Team Leader

The Task Force and the Teams are hard at work. We plan to hold congregant meetings this fall to hear from the membership and to describe preliminary thoughts and recommendations. In the meantime, please contact any of these individuals with your ideas for covering increasing revenues or reducing costs so we can maintain all of CBY’s wonderful programs and activities.

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Lovely breast cancer pins were distributed beginning on Kol Nidre. The pins are a donation from the Sisterhood Lisa G. Memorial Fund

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92Y Live

In honor of Arts and Humanities month and Crescendo! Congregation Beth Yam, presents: “Alan Alda in Conversation with Neil De Grasse Tyson.”

Sunday, October 29, 7:30 – 9:00 PM at CBY
Rabbi’s Message

I am so excited about an upcoming event in our congregation in November that I couldn’t wait until then to write about it. Beth Yam and St. Francis Church formed a working committee last year to plan an amazing event for our congregations and the community.

Today, given all the pressures we face in the world, it is a time to join hands, minds and hearts. As you know, each year I am invited to teach a class at St. Francis on the Bible. I have loved doing it. Last year I suggested at the end of the class that we bring a scholar, a Rabbi and professor at Hebrew Union College–Jewish Institute of Religion, who is also a specialist in the Christian New Testament. He was one of my Bible professors while I was in school. Professor Michael Cook was an extraordinary lecturer with charm, charisma and a sense of humor too! I have brought him to other congregations which I have served during the course of my rabbinate. He will be our scholar in residence beginning on Thursday, November 9, through Friday, November 10.

The program will be split between both congregations with us attending St. Francis to hear his lecture and to see both our congregation’s choirs sing the sacred music together as we did several years ago when we had a scholar with Holy Family Catholic Church. That was great success and I am confident that this, too, will be great. On Friday night Dr. Cook will join us for Shabbat services at CBY along with the St. Francis community.

Barbara Slagowitz, Phyllis Napoli and Joyce Kelleher have been the respective co-chairpersons and deserve our deep appreciation.

What is unique about this weekend is that it will probably be the first time for both congregations to hear a rabbi who devotes his academic career in ecumenical studies of the New Testament and who has made a tremendous contribution towards a greater understanding for Jews about the Christian scriptures and for Christians, from a Jewish point of view, about their own scriptures. So this is a major program and this is why I wanted to get the program on your radar screen now.

We are living in times when religions cannot afford to build or maintain walls around themselves. In my view, we need to do outreach and work together to learn about each other’s sacred texts. Those texts are at the heart of our learning and understanding about where our Christian neighbors and friends are coming from in their faith tradition. I strongly maintain that sharing these kinds of learning experiences together creates bonds and stands for values that all of us can embrace. Does that principle not enable and enrich our spirituality? So please mark your calendar and keep your eye out for the publicity surely coming your way.

Shalom,
Rabbi Brad L. Bloom MSW DD

Care Committee—Carol Carty and Janice Fradkin, Co-Chairs

Care Committee volunteers Sandy Leff, Barbara Meyer, Fran Krieger, Carol Carty, and Janice Fradkin and Fran’s wonderful therapy poodle, Bogie, visited with several seniors at residential facilities in Hilton Head and Bluffton bringing apples, honey, sweets, New Year’s wishes, and lots of good cheer for the holidays!

Volunteers were rewarded with many smiles of appreciation in return!

The Care Committee continues to make visits to congregants and other Jewish patients at Hilton Head Hospital. If you know of someone admitted to the hospital (especially through the ER which does not always list patients by religious affiliation) and you think that person would benefit from a visit, please let Carol or Janice know.

On Wednesday, December 13, the Care Committee will again present a free Chanukah celebration for CBY congregants and Jewish seniors who find it difficult to attend evening services or programs. This year, our guests will be treated to the first ever performance by the new CBY Barbershop Quartet at 11:30 AM with a delicious latke lunch to follow at CBY. Reservations are necessary to Janice Fradkin (843) 715-9514 or Carol Carty (609) 313-9036. Volunteers needed for set up on Tuesday, December 12 at 2 PM and for help to serve at the luncheon. Please join us for the fun!
Resilience is defined as “the process of adapting well in the face of adversity, trauma, tragedy, threats or even significant sources of stress, such as family and relationship problems, serious health problems, or workplace and financial stresses.” It means “bouncing back from difficult experiences.”

I would say “bouncing back” after Hurricane Matthew and 11 months later after Hurricane Irma is what we have done. Resilient people don’t wallow or dwell on the problem, they are able to move forward. And move forward we will, at Congregation Beth Yam.

Our High Holy Day Services began with an inspiring and educational Selichot discussion and service. This was followed by a Meditation Walk and discussion led by Rabbi Bloom at Dolphin Head Park. Joyous Rosh Hashanah services welcomed in 5778. Our beautiful Kol Nidre service led us into the solemnity of Yom Kippur. My prayers are that all of us at CBY are written into and sealed in the Book of Life for this New Year.

We celebrate the Festival of Sukkot on October 5 and conclude the High Holy Day season with the unrolling and re-rolling of the Torah on Simchat Torah, Friday evening, October 13, and the consecration of our newest Religious School students.

Now we are ready to resume all of our programs planned for the year ahead. A few highlights for the month of October:

- October 3 – The Women’s Prayer Service of Thanksgiving co-sponsored by our Sisterhood and the Women’s Group from All Saints Episcopal Church
- October 3 – Game Night sponsored by Sisterhood
- October 4 – our first Dine Around of the year at The Cottage
- October 16 – The Men’s Club Charity Golf Tournament
- October 26 – Dine Around at The Comedy Club

As you know, our BeachBrunch had to be postponed because of Hurricane Irma and has been rescheduled for Sunday, October 8. A very important program sponsored by the Social Action Committee is scheduled for October 24. Lecia Brooks, from the Southern Poverty Leadership Center, will speak about fighting hate, teaching tolerance and seeking justice. Her talk will focus on anti-Semitism. Please put all these events on your calendars.

Shalom,

Pennie Meiselman

Ritual Committee—David Kurjan, Chair

This month we celebrate some really interesting holidays.

Sukkot (Feast of Booths or Feast of Tabernacles) is celebrated on the 15th day of the month of Tishrei. It is one of the three biblically mandated festivals on which Jews were commanded to make a pilgrimage to the Temple in Jerusalem. Sukkot commemorates God sheltering our ancestors as they traveled from Egypt to the Promised Land. Coming after the solemn High Holy Days, it is a time of joy and happiness. Some symbols of Sukkot are the sukkah (foliage-covered booth), the lulav (palm frond), the etrog (citron), and challah slices dipped in honey.

Simchat Torah is a celebration marking the conclusion of the annual cycle of public Torah readings and the start of a new cycle from the beginning of Genesis because we never finish reading or studying the Torah. Simchat Torah is a component of the Biblical Jewish holiday of Shemini Atzeret (Eighth Day of Assembly), which follows immediately after the festival of Sukkot. This joyous milestone is marked with dancing, traditionally following seven circuits of the synagogue known as hakafot, as the Torah scrolls are held aloft.
Once again, we have celebrated our special holidays, and begun a new year. This is a time of renewal and rededication. We have survived two hurricanes, and witnessed the devastation suffered in communities as a result of these storms. We have observed the events that impacted the Jewish people in Charlottesville, and have rallied, along with others in support. In a letter our Sisterhood sent to Congregation Beth Israel, the writing of Elie Wiesel was quoted: “The opposite of love is not hate...it is indifference.”

Even after all that he endured during the Holocaust, he vowed to take a position...to support the victim (not just the Jewish victim). I believe that those are words we live by in our congregation. We support the needs of our less fortunate residents. We care about others’ hunger, children’s education and safety and medical needs and the integrity of family. We, as Jewish women and Americans, share what we have learned through our heritage and are sensitive to the struggles of others. We are a caring community. These common values serve to unite us.

Yours in Sisterhood,

Sue

Sisterhood Book Club and Women’s Study Group reviews: *The Lost Torah of Shanghai* by Linda Frank on Thursday, October 19, at 3:00 PM at CBY. All are welcome. Added features: Mark Britanisky will speak on his growing up as a Jew in China as well as a discussion of the author’s notes on the history of Jews in China. Refreshments will be served RSVP to Diane Miller.

Meeting called to order by President Pennie Meiselman. Board Prayer read by Helen Hauer

Motion made to accept minutes as sent: Motion seconded and passed

D’Vor Torah given by Rabbi Bloom. Topic was “Jews Getting Along With Each Other”

**Rabbi’s Report:**
- Working on organizing a trip to Israel to take place sometime in October of 2018
- Getting ready for High Holy Days

**Treasurer’s Report:**
- Has sent out statements for dues
- Fundraising revenues are up due to hard working Ad Book Committee
- Motion made, seconded, and passed to accept report as presented

**Membership Committee Report:**
- Presented four new member units for approval. Three for resident membership and one for affiliate membership. All memberships approved
- Brought up some wording changes for Policy Book regarding payment of dues. Approved and will be sent to policy committee for inclusion in Policy Book

**Information Items:**
- Investigating the feasibility of having a railing installed on the stairs, somewhere near the middle of the bimah
- Five teens have signed up for the March of The Living Program

**New Business:**
- Janet Weingarten is making contact with Hurricane Harvey and Irma ravaged areas to see if we can offer some assistance. She is trying to reach out to synagogues, Jewish senior homes, and other Jewish agencies
- Rabbi has asked that we keep on “clicking” on his column in the Island Packet so they will continue to run his column. It all depends on the number of “clicks”.

Meeting adjourned
Temple Tidings

Men’s Club—Alan Krumholz, President

The Men’s Club September 12 meeting was cancelled due to Irma.

Future meetings for 2017:
- October 10 – Lunch and Board
- November 28 – Dinner Meeting

We are busy finalizing our Fall Golf tournament on October 16. Get your foursomes in ASAP. Planning and execution are going well.

St. Francis by the Sea Catholic Church and Congregation Beth Yam are co-sponsoring an Interfaith Convocation

Congregation Beth Yam and St. Francis by the Sea Catholic Church have joined together to invite a unique scholar, Rabbi Michael Cook, Ph.D., to come to Hilton Head. Rabbi Cook is an international authority on the New Testament and a longtime faculty member of the Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion in Cincinnati, Ohio. Rabbi Cook is likely the only Rabbi in North America with a full professorial chair in New Testament Studies. He was one of seven scholars selected by the National Conference of Catholic Bishops to assess the accuracy of the advance script of Mel Gibson’s movie, “The Passion of the Christ.” He has devoted his rabbinical career toward educating rabbis and communities of all faiths about the New Testament.

While much of the Convocation will be limited to members of Congregation Beth Yam and St. Francis by the Sea, we are inviting the public to attend an event on Thursday evening, November 9, 2017, from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM in the St. Francis sanctuary. Rabbi Cook will present “Jewish Symbols in Renaissance Christian Art: Why They Are There and What They Mean.” The evening will include music from the St. Francis by the Sea and Congregation Beth Yam choirs. Refreshments will follow in the St. Francis Family Center.

St. Francis By the Sea Catholic Church is located at 45 Beach City Road. Please contact Phyllis Napoli (843) 785-3331 or Joyce Kelleher (440) 552-531) for more information.

FOR CONGREGATION BETH YAM AND ST. FRANCIS BY THE SEA ONLY:

In addition, on Thursday morning, November 9, 2017, from 10:00 AM to noon, Rabbi Cook will be presenting “Hebrew Biblical Stories: Their Transformation by Christian Theology,” at the St. Francis Family Center. For this event only, please call (843) 715-2679 for reservations to ensure adequate seating. Coffee and pastries will be provided prior to the presentation.

At the Friday evening Shabbat Service at Congregation Beth Yam on November 10, 2017, from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM, Rabbi Cook will be presenting “Why Advice by Our Sages Was Not Sage Advice – Neutralizing a 2,000 Year Error.” Music will be provided by the Congregation Beth Yam and St. Francis by the Sea Choirs. Refreshments will follow. Seating is limited for this event. Required reservations may be made by calling (843) 715-2679.

Please contact Nelson Adelman or Mike Werner of our events committee with any ideas for new events or revivals of old meeting programs. We welcome your suggestions for short programs for future meetings, and larger scale events.

If you are a dues paying member and not receiving our regular E-mails please contact me at Mensclub.cby@gmail.com. Please let me know and we will update our list to include your direct Email. Thanks for your cooperation.

Blessing of the Animals by Rabbi Bloom

A Special Service to Honor Animals

Sunday, October 22
11:00 AM Registration & Photos
11:30 AM Service
Under the Portico at CBY
- Photo opportunity session with your pet
- Dog treats
- Animals for adoption
Pets must be on a leash or crate!

Sponsored by the Social Action Committee and CBY Religious School

Sisterhood Book Club & Women’s Study Group presents:
"The Lost Torah of Shanghai" by Linda Frank
Thursday, October 19, 3:00 PM at CBY

Refreshments will be served
RSVP to: Diane Miller, (410) 458-2246
2017-18 Friends Campaign—Judy Bluestone and Bob Sable, Co-chairs

WE’RE BACK!!!!

We are pleased to tell you that we are happy to be back as co-chairs of the Congregation Beth Yam Friends Campaign. Most of the readers of the Temple Tidings are well aware of the CBY Friends Campaign. It is probably worthwhile to explain Friends, not only for the new members, but also as a reminder to all members of the importance of the CBY Friends Campaign at a number of different levels:

1. Friends is the second largest source of revenue for Congregation Beth Yam, being over 15% of budgeted revenue with this year’s Friends’ target being $82,000 against total congregational revenue of $500,000.

2. The level of participation is approximately 160 members of a total of 312 members. We do not distinguish between Resident and Affiliate member (because our Affiliates have a high participation rate.)

3. In most cities, active members of the Jewish community have a wide variety of giving choices in addition to synagogue membership, including, but not limited to, United Jewish Federation, United Jewish Appeal, Jewish Schools, Yeshiva, Jewish Home for the Aged, Jewish camps and Jewish schools, both Orthodox and Conservative, to say nothing of a plethora of special purpose charities, Jewish Burial Society and other specific purpose charities.

4. In the Carolina Lowcountry there is only one place to donate to Jewish charity and know that the funds will stay in this community. That place is your Jewish home, Beth Yam.

We recognize that everyone has different means and priorities, but your membership in Beth Yam is a strong indication of your desire to maintain your Jewish connection and identity. We aim for 100% participation in the Friends Campaign. As co-chairs, we make it a point NOT to tell anyone what they should give but we ask everyone to do a little better and we look for broader participation because the more people who give, the stronger the bonds are among us and the stronger Congregation Beth Yam is.

We will be sending letters requesting donations to the 2017-2018 Friends Campaign after the High Holy Days but we wanted you to be thinking about your gift for this coming year.

Thanks,
Judy Bluestone and Bob Sable

Membership Committee—Candy Solomon & Michael Weingarten, Co-chairs

The Family Directory is ready. Please pick up your copy in the CBY foyer if you have not already done so.

We would like to extend a warm welcome to our newest members: Susan and Howard Lalli and their three children, Nick, Jordan, and Jonathan, Teresa Bedo, Sandra and Geoffrey Cutler, and Nancy and Sheldon Karasik. Please introduce yourselves when you see them at CBY events.

Temple Tidings

Congregation Beth Yam’s
11TH ANNUAL
MEN’S CLUB
CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

Monday, October 16, 2017
Moss Creek North Course
9:00 AM SHOTGUN START

More information & registration at bethyam.org

Comedy Magic Cabaret

Thursday, October 26, 7:00 PM
Eat, laugh and drink with friends at CBY’s Comedy Night
RSVP to Rob Knuckman, 608-780-1982
$45/per person

Catered by: Java Burrito
Comedy Magic Cabaret
843 William Hilton Pkwy - South Island Square

If you have a student attending college, please send their email address to the CBY office so that we can send them an electronic version of the Tidings. We would like to keep them connected to CBY activities.

Have a happy and healthy New Year!
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Melanie, Jeff, Alex and Cameron Wynne are now back in their newly renovated home

Lightning struck the Wynne’s home causing major fire and smoke damage throughout...

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- All new kitchen cabinets and appliances
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- New hardwood floors
- Interior painted
- ...and much more, resulting in a beautiful new home!

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