

SHAAREY TPHILOH



Shabbat Shalom and Chag Sameach!!

April 2-4, 2021
21-22 Nisan, 5781

Services on hold due to the pandemic

7th day of Pesach (Shabbat)

Torah reading: Exodus 13:17-15:26; Numbers 28:19-28:25

Haftarah: II Samuel 22:1-51

8th day of Pesach

Torah reading: Deuteronomy 15:19-16:17; Numbers 28:19-28:25

Haftarah: Isaiah 10:32 - 12:6

Shabbat candle lighting: April 2, 6:51 pm

8th day of Pesach candle lighting: April 3, 7:54 pm

Earliest Havdalah: April 4, 7:55 pm

This Week's Dvar Torah

At a Glance Read what you want, in the order you want
If you see something underlined, try clicking!

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- [Words of Torah](#) Wisdom, strength, and happiness. Merit one, merit all three.
How can holiday observance help us achieve character strengths?

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Shaarey Tphiloh News

Notice

With deep sadness, we acknowledge the passing of Raymond Oransky, a lifelong member of Shaarey Tphiloh and father to our board member Jean Aron, Charlie Oransky, and Susan Levine. May they be comforted among the mourners of Zion and Jerusalem.

The full obituary published in the Portland Press Herald may be read [here](#).

Shul Membership Survey

We are updating our synagogue records. Please help us in this endeavor by clicking [here](#) (or type in: <http://bit.ly/STUpdate5781>) to fill out our survey form so we may better serve you and your family.

****Your privacy is important to us. Any information you share will of course not be shared with any other person or entities.****

Shaarey Tphiloh Online!!

SundayFriday Mornings Daily Taste of Torah

When: Every morning from Sunday through Friday. There will be no video this Sunday due to yom tov observance.

Visit our [Congregation Shaarey Tphiloh Facebook group](#) six days a week to hear a few thoughts on the weekly Torah reading, one aliyah at a time.

Friday afternoons are a time when you may join us for prayers for healing (Mi Sheberach) and for remembering yahrtzeits.

Tuesday 7 pm Tuesday Night Learning

When: Tuesday evening from 7:00 pm

Where: [Zoom](#)

Come together with friends and Rabbi Shub for Torah learning and lively discussion.

Join us on Tuesday at 7:00 PM EST on Zoom:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/797151978?pwd=L2UwUkZbTJpSGhRY2x5TW5DN0J2QT09>

Meeting ID: 797 151 978

Passcode: 045797

Refuah Shleimah, a Speedy Recovery!

Channa Bryndel bat Bluma
Yoiel Meshilum Feish ben Ruchle
Elisheva bat Ephraim
Leah bat Doris
Chaya Necha bat Leah
Sarah Kayla bat Sarah
Brucha bat Miriam
Perel Etzel bat Simah Bayla
Asher ben Sarah

Carmela bat Mazal
Miriam Tovah bat Gittel
Akiva ben Sarah
Deena bat Yehudit
Zelda Norof
Meir ben Helen
Hannah bat Yonit
Rochel Michal bat Sarah vYossell
Yaakov ben Shmuel v Batya
Dov Ber ben Eeta

Dear Shaarey Tphiloh Community,

Please let us know if there is anyone whose name you would like included in our service and announcements by [emailing us](#). Keep us updated through their

recovery.

Updates

For the most up to date information for the City of Portland, please check [here](#) and for the State of Maine, click [here](#).

Shaarey Tphiloh remains closed for regular services out of public health concerns, but with vaccinations beginning, we are starting to consider our reopening plans.

We will keep you updated about additional programs and events listed under "Shaarey Tphiloh Online" as well as available resources with our weekly newsletters.

The Rabbi is happy to provide counseling and advice via Rabbi@MaineSynagogue.org. He is best reached between 3 and 5 pm on Mondays and Thursdays at (207) 613-5765.

Our office remains functioning via phone (207) 773-0693 and email (Office@MaineSynagogue.org).

Stay safe and healthy!

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Yahrzeits

15 Nisan

Ralph Ross
Nancy Nemon
Ethel Zulofsky

16 Nisan

Samuel Cohen

17 Nisan

Ida Boxstein
Edith Tellan Weisman

18 Nisan

Minnie Hartman
Annie Levine
Owen Mack

22 Nisan

Frieda Fineberg
Sidney Gold

23 Nisan

Sara Erlick
Goldie Grant
Arthur Waterman
Frances Briggs
Simon Cohen
Sara Levy
Irving Rothstein

24 Nisan

Sarah Dansky
Morris Baker

Anne Greenberg

19 Nisan

Max Latkin

Max Astor

Joseph Goodkowsky

Henrietta Rosenthal

20 Nisan

Tobie Nemon

Mary Mack

Ida Branz

Fannie Lerman

Myer Silver

Theresa Weisman

21 Nisan

Hyman Lerman

Pola Avrech

Edward Cohen

Morris Fineberg

Harris Matson

Frances Stiman

Ida Modes

Emma Ross

25 Nisan

David Feldman

Kate Levine

Ethel Sneider

Abraham Zimmerman

26 Nisan

Morris Greenman

27 Nisan

Harold Lerman

Martin Sprince

Samuel Lerman

Hyman Bernstein

Abraham Levine

Stories from Mount Sinai Cemetery



There are so many people buried at Mount Sinai and Smith Street Cemeteries whose stories are lost to time. Often, the only thing we have are their names and some dates. How wonderful it would be if we could collect some of their stories and photos! SMJCA will post a photo of a headstone and share what info we have about them. If you have a story, information or a photo, please share them with [us](#).

Today we share the headstone of Etta D. Erlick who is buried in Mount Sinai Cemetery. Click [HERE](#) to read more about Etta and her family.

Community Resources & Events

Community Yom Hashoah Observance

Holocaust Remembrance Day

Weds. April 7th | 6:30 PM

Advanced registration required by 4/7 at 4 PM to receive the Zoom link.

Join us for a brief commemoration of Holocaust Remembrance Day, through memorial prayers, poems and songs, with poet and historian Anna Wrobel, and Rabbi Carolyn Braun of Temple Beth El.

Register through the JCA

at <https://mainejewish.z2systems.com/np/clients/mainejewish/eventRegistration.jsp?event=77087&>



Jacob Cousins Memorial



Unveiled in September 1935, the Jacob Cousins Memorial was part of an ongoing nationwide effort to highlight both the patriotism of Jewish Americans and their contribution during times of conflict. The memorial is a key artifact in the history of the Jewish community in southern Maine linking past to present and inspiring visitors to remember, respect and contemplate the cost of war.

The memorial was significantly renovated with extensive bench seating for viewing it and Casco Bay. The restoration was officially opened on October 1, 2018.

Shaarey Tphiloh is proud to be one of the



community sponsors of this memorial. Friends of the Eastern Promenade is continuing to raise funds to cover the cost of the recent redesign of this historic landmark.

To donate to this important cause, visit [here](#).



For the latest information on classes and events through the JCA.... Go to the [events calendar](#)

Sunday Simcha! - Listen to the archived programs [online](#).

Hosts: Hillel, Barbara Merson, Natan Kahn, and Ben Naftali

Sunday Simcha is the only Jewish music program in Maine and northern New England and one of only a handful of Jewish music radio shows in the United States. Shows are wildly eclectic of the few Jewish shows to feature modern, diverse, and cutting-edge recordings in addition to traditional music.



If you are interested in becoming a DJ, contact WMPG [here](#).



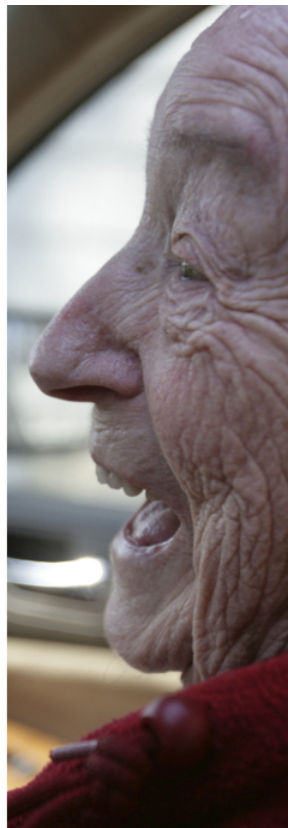
[Documenting Maine Jewry](#) documents the history of Maine Jews and has wonderful archival materials online at [mainejews.org](#).

Volunteer to Drive a Senior

Make a new friend, help your neighbors and improve your community.

ITN has instituted safety measures, and provides a mask and cleaning supplies to all drivers.

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