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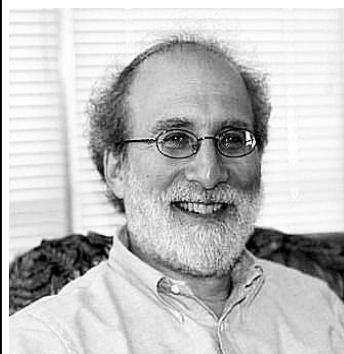
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## RABBI'S REFLECTIONS: Chinese Calendar and Judaism

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Rabbi Michael Rascoe

There's a joke that Chinese culture is older than Judaism, or where would Jews have eaten? A congregant recently asked about the Chinese New Year (Pig, year 12 of the 12-year cycle,) which began on Rosh Hodesh (New Moon) Adar 1 (Feb 5.) The Chinese New Year normally begins on Rosh Hodesh Adar, or sometimes on the previous month, Rosh Hodesh Shevat. They both use a calendar adjusted to both the sun and the moon.

Much of the world uses the Gregorian calendar, a solar calendar based on the earth's circling the sun, in almost 365 1/4 days. Islam uses a lunar calendar based on the moon's circling the earth, in just over 354 1/3 days. All divide a year into 12 months of 24-hour days, but a lunar month is just over 29 1/2 days, so the months are 29 or 30 days, while a solar month is mostly 30 or 31 days. Until recently, a daytime hour was the amount of daylight divided into 12 parts, then divided by 60, so a summer "hour" can be 70 clock minutes long, and a winter "hour" 45

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minutes. Night was likewise divided. Now we use a clock hour, not a sundial. This is why Jews traditionally wait varying times to end Sabbaths and festivals, at different times of the year. For those who wait a set number of minutes, someone calculated the longest day's end and one waits that long after sunset every holy day in order to avoid a weekly calculation.

This matters, because if Jews and Chinese had not changed the lunar calendar, we would be like Muslims, and holidays over time would fall in every season. But in Judaism, Pesah, and Sukkot (Passover and Booths) must fall near the equinox, when day and night are equal; and holidays must also typically fall on the full moon or near the new moon. Same with the Chinese. Both calendars add a month to solve this problem, which is why the Chinese New Year usually falls on, but occasionally just off, the Jewish New Months of Shevat or Adar. Jews add one month 7 times in 19 years (years 3, 6, 8, 11, 14, 17, 19,) and the Chinese add a new month about every three years. Jews add the month at the end of the year, and it has the last month's name (Adar,) while the Chinese add the month so that month 11 always includes the winter solstice, and it too has the preceding month's name. Thus, both years are 353-355 or 383-385 days long.

Jews add the month at the year's end, though Rosh Hashanah, the New Year marking the world's creation, starts the seventh month, Tishri. Tishri originally was the first month, but when God took the Israelites from Egypt, He, like all kings, started the new reign with a new year. So, Nisan became the first month and Adar became the last month; but the year's number still changes when the world was created in Tishri. Since Purim must be one month before Pesah, it always falls in Adar 2.

The year's length varies by a few days, because the moon circles the earth in over 29 1/2 days, so some months are 29 days and some 30. Nisan, Sivan, Av, and Tishri are a "full" (*malei*) 30 days, as are Shevat and Adar 1 in a leap year. We call both day 30 and day 1 of the next month Rosh Hodesh. Iyar, Tamuz, Elul, Tevet, Adar 2, and Adar in a non-leap year always are "lacking" (*haser*;) and Rosh Hodesh is only day 1. Heshvan and Kislev either can be 29 or 30 days. Since Rosh Hashanah must begin on the new moon and some holidays falling on certain days causes problems, like Yom Kippur on Friday or Sunday or

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Hoshanah Rabbah on Shabbat, we sometimes add one day to Kislev so it is 30 days, and the next year subtract a day from Heshvan so it is 29 days.

Three more notes: the prayer for rain in the *Amidah*, the Standing Silent Devotional, begins 60 days after the fall equinox. We bless the sun every 28 years on Wednesday morning when we first see it, to recall the fall equinox supposedly recurring at the same time as the first Nisan, Tuesday at 6 PM. The calculations occurred almost 2,000 years ago, and a

perpetual calendar developed once we no longer relied on observation to set the new moon, so now we just look at a calendar.

Jewish and Chinese calendar parallels are just a coincidence. Neither can allow the lunar cycle to deviate far from the solar one. Jewish time really exists, but it is just a joke that on Jewish time we always start things late unless we're German, punctilious, and punctual.



## Shabbat Dinner Speaker Series with Rabbi Stephen A. Karol



Temple Israel will be concluding a series of Friday evening dinner lectures given by Rabbi Stephen A. Karol, Rabbi Emeritus of Temple Isaiah in Stony Brook. He is the author of *Finding Hope and Faith in the Face of Death: Insights of a Rabbi and Mourner*.

Rabbi Karol was ordained in Cincinnati, and has served congregations in Buffalo, NY, and Hingham, Massachusetts. He teaches at Temple Isaiah and also at the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at Stony Brook University. Rabbi Karol resides in Port Jefferson Station, NY, with his wife, Donna.

### 'Turn, Turn, Turn': What We Can Learn from the Book of Ecclesiastes March 1, 2019

The Book of Ecclesiastes is profound and meaningful, especially for senior citizens, but its messages about wisdom, family values, and perspective can be meaningful to anyone. Generously sponsored by **Dr. Howard Gordon** in memory of **Lynne Gordon**.

Shabbat Services at 5:30 PM are followed by dinner & lecture. There is no charge for this event. Please RSVP to the Temple office to let us know if you plan on attending.

# Upcoming Events at Temple Israel of Riverhead

## Purim!



Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 PM  
Dinner followed by the whole Megillah

## Community Passover Seder

Friday, April 19<sup>th</sup>, Time TBA



## EEJCC Interfaith / Unity Holocaust Memorial Program

Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, Time TBA



## Memorial Day Weekend BBQ

Friday, May 24<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 PM

## Book Club Author Visit

Anastasia Goodman will join us on Thursday, June 6<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 PM  
to discuss her book, *The Terrorist*



## Shavuot

Saturday & Sunday, June 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>



## Fourth of July Weekend BBQ

Friday, July 5<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 PM

## Idler Bat Mitzvah

Friday & Saturday, July 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>



## Rabbi Stephen A Karol

Friday, Aug 2<sup>nd</sup>, 5:30 PM, BBQ followed by services and discussion of his book:  
*Finding Hope and Faith in the Face of Death: Insights of a Rabbi and Mourner*

Contact the Temple Office for more information, or if you are  
interested in sponsoring a summer BBQ.

Dear Temple Family and Friends:

This will mark the third year that we will participate in the **Yom HaShoah Yellow Candle Program**. We hope you will join other members of Temple Israel of Riverhead and your family on Wednesday May 1st, erev Yom HaShoah, and light this candle in memory of the victims of the Holocaust.

The act of kindling this flame, and reading the enclosed meditation, can be a moving ritual to remind us of what happened to our people not so long ago. Placing the candle in your window is a way to help remind the community. This moment can also be an appropriate opportunity to discuss the Holocaust with your children.

The **Yom HaShoah Yellow Candle Program** is a project of the Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs, in cooperation with the Men of Reform Judaism and the United Synagogue of Conservative Judaism.

It is our hope that the observance of Yom HaShoah, centered on the lighting of a Yellow Candle, will become an annual event in your home and in the home of every member of our congregation. Many congregations have already made this commemoration an important day in their Jewish calendar.

We ask that you help underwrite the cost of this project. Funds received over and above our program cost will go directly to support future educational programs in our synagogue, helping to insure the future of our people. We ask that you consider gifts in multiples of \$18. The number 18 is *chai*, Life.

By remembering, by doing our part to insure our future, we celebrate the ongoing life of our people, even as we memorialize those destroyed in the Shoah. We welcome and appreciate your support of our efforts in this commemoration and our on-going education programs.

We hope you and your family will participate in this small but meaningful project. If you have questions, you may call me at 631-653-3985. NEVER FORGET!

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**The Yellow Candle™** was created in 1981 by FJMC clubs in Canada, New England, and elsewhere to keep alive the memory of the Six Million who perished in the Shoah. The Candle is modeled after a traditional Jewish memorial Yahrzeit candle that burns for 24 hours during periods of mourning and on the Yahrzeit anniversary of a family member. The candle's yellow wax serves to remind us of the yellow arm band which Jews were forced to wear during the Nazi regime. A photo on the candle container shows young people visiting Auschwitz-Birkenau concentration camp. This reflects the importance of teaching our youth the lessons of the Holocaust and of remembering the Six Million. In addition, the program logo is a yellow Magen David (Star of David) outlined with barbed wire, with the word "Jude" in the middle. This preserves the memory of the armband or cloth patch that Jews were forced to wear in the ghettos of Eastern Europe.

For Jewish people, remembering a victim is a great mitzvah.

**Never Forget! Zachor!**



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Rabbi Rascoe

### **Rabbi Rascoe Discusses Buber's *I and Thou***

**Rabbi Rascoe** continues discussions of Martin Buber's book, *I and Thou*. The next sessions will be held on Tuesdays, March 12 & 26, and April 9, at 7 PM, at Temple Israel.

### **The Personhood of God**

On Tuesdays, March 19 and April 16 at 6 PM, we continue to look at the different images of God as a person, and what those images say about God, our faith, and the whole human condition.

### **Talmud Classes**

Talmud classes continue on the following Wednesdays: March 6, 13, & 27, and April 3 & 10, from 6 to 7:30 PM. **Rabbi Rascoe** invites you to join us. There is always review, so no previous attendance is required. Attendees receive an introduction to Talmudic logic, thought, and law.

### **Interfaith Bible Book-of-the-Month Club**

The Interfaith Bible Class will resume meeting on Wednesdays, March 13 and April 10, from 9:30-11:30 AM, at St. Marks Church, 105 Randall Road, Shoreham. Please call Mike Griske (631-849-1744,) club President, with any questions.

## Something to Kvell about? Let us know!

Please let us know if you have an event you would like to celebrate: the birth of a child or grandchild, a special graduation, an accomplishment of a close relative, or any of the other joys of life. Email the information to Allen Silver at [asilver9@gmail.com](mailto:asilver9@gmail.com).



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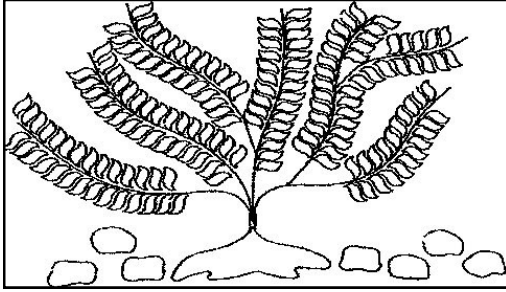


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### Some Jewish Humor

How many Zionists does it take to replace a light bulb?

Four: One to stay home and convince others to do it, a second to donate the bulb, a third to screw it in and a fourth to proclaim that the entire Jewish people stands behind their actions.

At the funeral of the richest man in town, a stranger saw a woman crying very loudly.

The stranger said, "Are you a relative of the deceased?"

"No."

"Then why are you crying?"

"That's why!"

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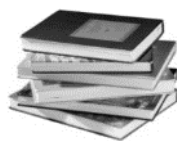
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***Sarah: A Woman of Genesis***

by Orson Scott Card

Location: Temple Israel of Riverhead

Please RSVP so we can plan accordingly.

Contact **Harley Abrams** or **Barbara Smith** with any questions.

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Yahrzeit for Robert & Roslyn Benstock—parents of Sondra Thompson.

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# TODAH RABAH!

Yahrzeit for Woody Goldstein—uncle of Karen Wolfson.

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Yahrzeit for Mercedes Diamond—grandmother of Isaac Israel.

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Yahrzeit for Pauline Israel—grandmother of Isaac Israel.

## **Leaves on the Tree of Life**

Mr. & Mrs. Richard Israel

For Ashton Tyler—Dr. & Mrs. Martin Van Dyne

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# TODAH RABAH!

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*May their memories be a blessing.*

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3/1	Raffe, Esther	Adar-I 24
3/1	Silver, Miriam	Adar-I 24
3/6	Coladner, Jack	Adar-I 29
3/6	Gradus, Hannah	Adar-I 29
3/8	Laufe, Sonia	Adar-II 1
3/8	Starkman, Jeanette	Adar-II 1
3/10	Weixelbaum, Milton	Adar-II 3
3/12	Israel, Isaac	Adar-II 5
3/14	Oppenheimer, Harry	Adar-II 7
3/15	Weiss, Dora	Adar-II 8
3/18	Lockman, Margaret	Adar-II 11

3/21	Smith, Lillian	Adar-II 14
3/22	Sturm, Neddie	Adar-II 15
3/24	Davis, Harry R.	Adar-II 17
3/25	Abrams, Harry	Adar-II 18
3/27	Lipetz, Fannie	Adar-II 20
3/28	Dresher, Barbara Sue	Adar-II 21
4/1	Jaeger, Fred	Adar-II 25
4/5	Klein, Sari	Adar-II 29
4/5	Novidoff, Raymond	Adar-II 29
4/6	Bartick, Albert	Nissan 1
4/7	Grossman, Brucha	Nissan 2
4/8	Schmalz, Ruth R.	Nissan 3

## IN MEMORY OF SYLVIA HAGLER

Last December Temple Israel lost one of its own- Sylvia Hagler. She and her husband Stanley were married in 1959 and eventually moved to Riverhead to take over the family business, Richard York Shoes. They were active members of Temple Israel from the time they arrived until the time they retired south to Boca Raton, Florida, in 1999. She is survived by her husband, Stanley, her son Mitchell and daughter-in-law Rebecca, and grandchildren Aaron and Rachel.

A former secretary at the Fifth Naval HQ in Norfolk, Virginia, at the Department of the Interior, Sylvia was very politically savvy. She had an inborn love of music and dancing, and loved to read.

Unfortunately, after several years of retirement, Sylvia developed Parkinson's disease, which she fought for 10 years. She will be sorely missed by her family, her remaining friends here at Temple Israel, as well as her friends in Florida. Our condolences go out to the entire Hagler family.

(Written with information provided by Stanley Hagler.)

## Remember to “Spring Ahead”

Winter Shabbat Dinners continue through March 8th, 2019, with services starting at 5:30, followed by dinner.

Daylight savings time returns on Sunday, March 10. On Friday, March 15, Shabbat Services will return to a starting time of 7 PM, followed by a traditional Oneg.

## Ongoing Silent Fundraisers for Temple Israel

**TD Bank:** Stop in at the Westhampton Beach branch to find out about all the special offers for TIR members. TD bank will make contributions to TIR based on activity from our members. For details on their Affinity Membership Program, stop in at any branch if you are already a TD Bank customer.

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# Winter Shabbat Dinners

continue through March 8th, 2019



Friday night Shabbat services begin at 5:30 PM, followed by a community dinner. Join us for services and dinner. It is a wonderful evening, and a great way to begin Shabbat.

Thank you to our March sponsors:

Date	Candle Lighting	Sponsors
3/1	5:23 PM	Howard Gordon in memory of Lynne Gordon*
3/8	5:31 PM	Ken & Lynn Stoller in memory of Albert and Evelyn Wasserman

\*also sponsoring speaker program that evening.

## A Huge Thank You!

to **Bozena** & her helpers for all the shopping, planning, & execution of our wonderful Shabbat dinners.

# SABBATH SERVICES

Friday evenings at 7:00 PM    Saturday mornings at 9:30 AM

## **March 2019**

Day	Date	Candle Lighting	Friday Oneg
Friday Evening Saturday Morning	3/15	6:39 PM	Allen & Lee Ann Silver in honor of their mothers' yahrzeits.
Friday Evening Saturday Morning	3/22	6:47 PM	Linda Prizer and Michael Tackman
Friday Evening Saturday Morning	3/29	6:54 PM	Rebecca & Mitchell Hagler
Friday Evening Saturday Morning	4/5	7:01 PM	Howie & Ann Collins

## **Modified Shabbat Services Continue**



Test out our shortened Shabbat services  
on the 1st Shabbat of the month.

**March 2, 2019**

**April 6, 2019**

Services begin promptly at **9:30 AM**,  
with a minyan, and end at **11:00 AM**.

Followed by a Kiddush luncheon.

# March 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 5:30 PM Services followed by dinner/ speaker	2 9:30 AM Modified Shab- bat Services
3	4	5	6 6 PM Talmud class	7	8 5:30 PM Services followed by dinner	9 9:30 AM Services
10	11 7:15 PM Board meeting	12 7 PM Book Discussion, <i>I and Thou</i>	13 9:30-11:30 AM Interfaith Bible Class; 6 PM Talmud class	14 Bulletin submissions deadline	15 7:00 PM Services and Oneg Shabbat	16 9:30 AM Services
17	18	19 6 PM <i>The Per- sonhood of God</i> class	20 6 PM—Purim- Megillah reading, dinner; 7:00 PM Services	21	22 7:00 PM Services and Oneg Shabbat	23 9:30 AM Services
24	25 7:00 PM Book Club	26 7 PM Book Discussion, <i>I and Thou</i>	27 6 PM Talmud class	28	29 7:00 PM Services and Oneg Shabbat	30 9:30 AM Services
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# April 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3 6 PM Talmud class	4	5 7:00 PM Services and Oneg Shabbat	6 9:30 AM Modified Shab- bat Services
7	8	9 7 PM Book Discussion, <i>I and Thou</i>	10 9:30-11:30 AM Interfaith Bible Class; 6 PM Talmud class	11	12 7:00 PM Services and Oneg Shabbat	13 9:30 AM Services
14	15	16 6 PM <i>The Per- sonhood of God</i> class	17 Bulletin submissions deadline	18	19 Services fol- lowed by Passover Com- munity Seder (time TBA)	20 9:30 AM Services, 1st day of Passover
21 2nd day of Passover	22	23	24	25	26 7:00 PM Services and Oneg Shabbat, 7th day Passover	27 9:30 AM Pass- over Services and Yizkor, 8th day of Passover
28	29	30				

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## CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS

March 1	Lecture—Rabbi Stephen Karol
March 12 & 26, and April 9	Adult Ed—Buber’s <i>I and Thou</i>
March 6, 13, & 27, and April 3 & 10	Adult Ed—Talmud Classes
March 19 and April 16	Adult Ed— <i>Personhood of God</i>
March 20	Purim—Megillah reading, dinner, & Services
March 25	TIR Book Club