

THE JCFMI MESSENGER



Established 1982

OCTOBER 2019

TISHREI – CHESHVAN 5780

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Rabbi Mark Gross

and

Cantorial Soloist Hari Jacobsen

Friday Evenings at 7:30 PM

Saturday Morning Torah Study 9:30 AM

Shachrit morning worship on Saturdays will resume in January



Crossing the Line

One of the most venerable traditions of the sea, on cruise ships and merchant vessels and battlewagons alike, is the light-hearted hazing administered to those crossing the Equator for the first time. All such “pollywogs” are marched out by the more seasoned mariners (“shellbacks”) and compelled to subjugate themselves in mock-serious homage to Neptune, King of the Sea. As is often the case with such initiation rituals, the proceedings involve some silliness (and sometimes



even a small measure of personal humiliation), which is imposed by the veterans without malice and undertaken by the first-timer initiates with good will.

I was thinking of that, as we embark this month upon a new lunar month—and with it, a new Jewish year.

In part that is because so much of our liturgy for The Ten Days of Repentance is couched in terms of self-abnegation, as we bow before the Throne of Glory and humbly confess our many failings before the Sovereign of the Universe. But even more so, it came to mind because we who are turning our calendar from 5779 to 5780 are, like mariners crossing the equator, embarking upon a momentous milestone.

In terms of New Year observance, all of us are shellback veterans of past experiences of The Days of Awe. Based on long experience of apples-and-honey and *shofar*-blasts and *Kol Nidrei*, we have a pretty good idea of what to expect from Rosh haShanah and Yom Kippur. When it comes to this particular New Year of 5780, however, we are all first-time “pollywogs.” Each of us, regardless of our respective past experiences, is equally new to this year and without a clue of what it will bring us.

That may be why we wish one another **שנה טובה** “a good year.” Such a greetings is not so much an assertion as an aspiration, a benedictory affirmation for our mutual success and happiness, whatever the New Year may hold for us. It is a recognition that the very newness of the New Year makes first-timers of us all, out of our depth and dependent upon each other to make that happiness an accomplished reality.

The solemn feast of Rosh haShanah; the equally solemn Fast of Atonement which follows; the glorious break-the-fast that concludes the latter occasion; the jubilant harvest Feast of Sukkot which follows it; and the even more jubilant Simchat Torah parade culminating a 52-day season of introspection, all together represent a benign hazing that inaugurates each of our New Years in turn. Taken together, these spiritual celebrations are a richly evocative rite of passage into a future full of the blessings we share by having welcomed it together.



JCMI Schedule of Services

October, 2019 –Tishrei/Marcheshvan, 5780

It is customary to light the Shabbat candles no later than 18 minutes before sundown on Friday (and on the eve of major once-a-year religious holidays). Shabbat candle-lighting time for Marco Island is listed be-low for each Friday night this month.

We read the Five Books of the Torah once through each year, with a sequential installment assigned to each week in turn. The Torah and Haftarah passage for each week is listed on Saturday morning, for those who engage in ongoing study.

Shabbat vaYeileich-Shuvah –

Sunday, September 29, 7:30 p.m. – Rosh haShanah Eve worship service.

Monday, September 30, 10:00 a.m. – Rosh haShanah worship and *Shofar* service.

Tuesday, October 01, 11:00 a.m. – New Year’s waterside *Tashlich* experience (convenes at JCMI).

Friday, October 04, 7:30 p.m. [candles 6:52] – First-Friday-of-the-Month “Celebration Shabbat,” with special blessings for everyone celebrating a birthday or anniversary in the newly arrived month of October, and featuring the thematic melodies of the current ongoing New Year season.

Saturday, October 05, 9:30 a.m. – Torah study in the Sanctuary. Torah, Deuteronomy 31:1-30; *Haftarah*, Hosea 14:2-10, Micah 7:18-20, Joel 2:15-27.

Shabbat Ha’azinu –

Tuesday, October 08, 7:30 p.m. – Inaugurating our Yom Kippur fast with the performance of the stirring *Kol Nidrei* prayer.

Wednesday, October 09, 10:00 a.m. – Yom Kippur worship, including “*Yizkor*.”

Note that “*Yizkor*” is a feature of the Yom Kippur Morning Torah Service, and that **there will not be a separate Memorial Service** in the Afternoon.

Wednesday, October 9, 3:30 p.m. – Yom Kippur afternoon worship and *Ne’ilah* service.

Friday, October 11, 7:30 p.m. [candles 6:45] – Shabbat evening worship.

Saturday, October 12, 9:30 a.m. – Torah study in the Sanctuary. Torah, Deuteronomy 32:1-52; *Haftarah*, II Samuel 22:1-51.

Shabbat Chol haMo’eid –

Friday, October 18, 7:30 p.m. [candles 6:38] – Shabbat evening worship, with full Festival liturgy for this Harvest Feast of Sukkot, and featuring the “*Yizkor*” memorial prayer.

Saturday, October 19, 9:30 a.m. – Torah study in the Sanctuary. Torah, Exodus 33:12-34:26; *Haftarah*, Ezekiel 38:18-39:16.

Shabbat b’Reisheet –

Friday, October 25, 7:30 p.m. [candles 6:32] – our last-Friday-of-the-month “Torah Shabbat” features a procession with the sacred scroll in observance of Simchat Torah.

Saturday, October 26, 9:30 a.m. – Torah study in the Sanctuary. Torah, Genesis 1:1-6:8; *Haftarah*, Isaiah 42:5-43:10.

Don't Miss These Two Moving New Year Rituals



Tashlich Ceremony

Tuesday, October 01 - 11:00 a.m.

A meditative experience for the New Year, pondering the message of the prayer book and aspiring to renewal in our lives.

We will convene at JCMI for a brief walk to the waterside.



New Year Cemetery Visit

Sunday, October 06 - 11:30 a.m.

It is traditional to celebrate our love for the departed ones we miss at the New Year season, and to invite their intercession for us On High.

Meet at the Marco Island Cemetery, the southwest corner of Bald Eagle and Elkcam.



Food on a Fast Day

The *uN'taneh Toqef* prayer in our New Year prayer book affirms that “prayer and charity and repentance alter what is decreed for us.” Start your New Year with a charitable act, by bringing canned goods on Yom Kippur—the food you are not eating on that fast day—to support the ongoing needs of the poor in our community.

Enjoy our Harvest Booth

The beautiful JCMI *sukkah* is at your disposal at any time during the eight days of the holiday, for everything from a bagel-and-coffee nosh to a full catered sit-down banquet (if you've got the banquet, we've got the seats!). Notify Office Manager Tina Boxma ahead of time, to make sure the space is ready and available when you want to enjoy it.



Claiming Your Torah Legacy



Rabbi Gross invites every JCMI member to claim the legacy of Torah he spoke of on Rosh haShanah by signing up *Li-L'mod uL'lameid* “to learn and teach.” Starting in November, members of the Congregation will kick off our regular 9:30 Saturday morning Torah study with ten to fifteen minutes of their own unique reactions to and observations about the enduring lesson of that week's portion. Choose your passage and your date from the schedule Tina has at the JCMI Office, and sign up today!

Regardless of whether or not you choose *L'lameid* “to teach,” do by all means plan *Li-L'mod* “to learn” by making Saturday morning Torah study a habit. And don't miss our big Simchat Torah “starting all over again” celebration, kicking off a new Torah-reading year at Friday night services on October 25.

♪ NOTES FROM OUR
CANTORIAL SOLOIST ♪



L'Shanah Tovah uM'tukah. The very best of new years for each of us. And to anyone whom I have offended in any way, I am very sorry. May this New Year bring all together, forgiving and forgiven.

Shortly, we will read parashah "Vayeilech". It contains the fewest number of verses in all the Torah. Short, but powerful. Accordingly, I will keep this article short and, hopefully, interesting. The very beginning contains a birthday announcement - a 120th birthday announcement. Yes, it opens telling us that it is Moses' 120th birthday. If that doesn't tell us that his days are very numbered, the fact that there are only two parashiot to read after "Vayeilech" in Deuteronomy - in the Torah - certainly should.

While brief, this Torah portion includes dramatically historic moments. We read that God tells Moses that he will shortly die and that he is to bring Joshua to the tent of meeting for God to bless him. What a warm and fuzzy moment for Moses: To celebrate his birthday, God tells him: You're going to die and here's your replacement. And in return, I want you to go write a song as a witness to Me and teach it to the Israelites. Oh, yes, He did. And, yes, Moses did as God ordered. And, no, Moses would still not be allowed to enter the Promised Land.

If that is not a testament to Moses' faith in and commitment to God, I don't know what is. Moses believed in the teachings and values and strength of the Torah so greatly, that, at all personal expense, he was beholding to God.

No wonder he was chosen to lead our ancestors – and for so many years. May we each find the wonder of the teachings, values and strengths given to us in our most sacred scroll. And may that bring us to a wonderful and fulfilling New Year.





VICE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

THE YEAR 5780 APPROACHES

As summer winds down, the High Holidays of Rosh haShanah and Yom Kippur approach - 10 day period of prayer, self-reflection and repentance. On Saturday evening, September 21st, the Congregation observed S'lichot, a week prior to Rosh haShanah, which paves the way to the Holy days.



Before the service, the Oneg Committee offered a table of special pastries and fruit. Thank you to the Committee for these delights. As one who attended the service, I was moved by the program which followed, with strains of the Holy Day melodies as a backdrop provided by Dr. Ron Doiron. Rabbi Gross and Cantorial Soloist Hari Jacobsen conducted the meaningful service.

The covers of the Torahs were changed over to white, the beautiful voice of Grace Fields, granddaughter of Mary and Tony Pinto filled the Sanctuary. Traditional prayers were recited and the service concluded by the blowing of the Shofar by Rabbi Gross.

We are in readiness for the Holy Days. The Synagogue has been uplifted with fresh paint, replacement of carpet damaged by a prior flood and new tile installed; removing the flooring that buckled and had become a safety factor.

Join us for the pre-Kol Nidre Dinner, so beautifully arranged by Karen Saeks at La Tavola, and the Break the Fast, which brought the retired JCMI Chefs out of retirement.

Shanah Tova,
Sue R. Baum

October

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 Tashlich 11AM Bridge 1PM	3	4 Eve of Shabbat Shuvah Services 7:30 PM	5 Shabbat Shuvah 10AM
6 Cemetery Memorial 11:30AM	7	8 Pre Kol Nidrei Dinner 5:15PM Kol Nidrei Eve Service 7:30PM	9 Office Closed Yom Kippur Service 10AM Afternoon Service 3:30PM Break the Fast Dinner	10	11 Services 7:30PM	12 Torah Study 9:30AM
13	14 Office Closed First Bingo of the Season!	15	16 Bridge 1PM	17	18 Services 7:30PM	19 Torah Study 9:30AM
20	21 Office Closed	22	23 Bridge 1PM	24	25 Services 7:30 PM	26 Torah Study 9:30AM
27	28	29	30	31		



November Anniversaries

- 5 Mitch Braun & Bob Jares
- 6 Arnold & Jane Baron
- 13 Jack & Hari Jacobsen
- 15 Paul & Jackie Zwillenberg
- 28 Steven & Carole Roberts
- 28 Dick & Carol Polinsky
- 29 Richard & Grace Plager
- 30 Stacey & Betsy Berner



November Birthdays

- 2 Reva Miller
- 3 Rochelle Berman
- 5 Miriam Slavich
- 5 Eugene Siegel
- 7 Sue Baum
- 9 Jo Anne Youman
- 9 Arnold Baron
- 12 Shussie Blumenthal
- 15 Dalia Zuckerman
- 17 Barbara Silver
- 18 Don Schwartz
- 19 Hari Jacobsen
- 28 Robert Schwartzman
- 28 Larry Bernat
- 29 Michael Suffian



Welcome New Members

Susan and Mark Schuman reside year-round in Fanwood, NJ and part-time at South Seas Northwest on Marco. Susan is an accomplished singer and active in her Sweet Adelines regional-championship chorus and quartet, a Girl Scout leader, a preschool teacher and the Judaica Shop manager at the Schuman's NJ synagogue, Temple Emanu-El in Westfield. Mark is the lead public company and executive compensation attorney in-house at MetLife and volunteers at the Shakespeare Theater of NJ. Together they have raised three children, two of whom are in college (Lafayette College in PA and St. John's College in Annapolis, MD, respectively), and one of whom graduated from Rowan University in NJ.



October Weekly Yahrtseit List

September 29, 2019 – October 5, 2019

29 Elul – 6 Tishrei

Ben Blau
Deborah Exler*
Ida Feldman*
Jeanne Kahn*
Jennie R. Koble*
Margaret Schmalheiser Lipsit*
Lottie Marco
Harriet K. Peltin*
Henriette Rosenak*
Jack Rudolph*
Sidney Schwartz
Irving Seinfeld
Harry Soloway
Mark Sugerma*
Morris Treiber
Ahuva Tuchman
Holocaust Victims Tuller*
Louis Wischnia
Herman Yorks

October 6, 2019 - October 12, 2019

7 Tishrei – 13 Tishrei

David Alliker*
Harry Blumenthal
Martin Bragman*
Alex Cahn
Rose Ettinger*
Fred Farber*
Edward Forman
Keila Hurvitz*
Harriet Kabat
Rose Kendall*
Israel Liverant
Abraham (Al) Noskin
Mollie Noskin
Louis Perlman
Norma Rosenman*
Isaac J. Silverstein*
Lola Taylor*
Phillip Zelman

October 13, 2019 - October 19, 2019

14 Tishrei – 20 Tishrei

Morris Alliker
Edward Alfred Andelman*
Martin Baum
Michael Black
Morton David Braun*
Robert Brotman*
Samuel K. Grossman*
Patricia Hamburg*
Dr. Stephen Hechler*
Sam Hollander
Manfred Joel*

Wendy Weisberg Katchman*
Joseph Katz*
Marion Kupperman*
Boris Lubin*
Sylvia Novack*
Louis Parish
Dora Rosen*
Janet Rosenberg
Theresa Rosenthal*
Ralph Segall
Lou Siegel
Harry Snyder*
Susan Stein*
Bernice Ann Werber Weisberg*

October 20, 2019 – October 26, 2019

21 Tishrei – 27 Tishrei

Carl Abeson
Paul Forman
Louis Fox*
Marjorie Greenberg
Olga Greenstein*
Rabbi Howard R. Greenstein*
Abe Grosky
Harry Katz
Fritzie Pincus Kronish*
Robert Lipsitt
Sylvia Liverant
Jean Pollack*
Steven Rose*
David Silverstein*
Ivan L. Slavich*
Gussy Steinhauer
Bertha Turiel*
Ethel Werber*
Emma Zanditon*

October 27, 2019 – November 2, 2019

28 Tishrei – 4 Cheshvan

Dr. Harold W. Baum
Lillian Bernikoff*
Morris Bernikoff*
Eva Blumenthal
Joseph Bonfield
Olive Feldman*
Muriel "Mickey" Furman
Pearl Ketchum Grossman*
Jeffrey Katz
Anna E. Katz*
Sylvia Kennedy*
Selma Lewenberg*
Mark Migden*
H.S. "English" Posner*
Beverly Rudman
Laura Yules Treiber
Samuel Wallack*
Rose Weiner*

***Denotes a Yahrtseit Plaque.
Yahrtseits will be recited during the
Shabbat Services in the week that they
occur.**

Yahrtseit Notices

Our policy at JCMI is to offer members the choice of recording Yahrtseit dates in accordance with the English or Hebrew calendars.

If members choose to remember loved ones on their Yahrtseit using the English date of death, the Yahrtseit will be observed each year on the Friday Evening of the week in which that English date occurs.

If the Hebrew date is chosen, the Hebrew date falls on a different English date each year. The Yahrtseit will be observed each year on the Friday evening of the week when that Hebrew date occurs.

Please inform the office as to which date you observe the Yahrtseit of your loved one so that it can be properly recorded in our records. I hope this clarified and eliminates confusion about our policy.

ONEG SHABBATS OCTOBER - DECEMBER 2019

OCTOBER

4	Eddie & Karen Saeks	IHO Eddie's 90 th Birthday
11	Eta Gluzband Ted & Jean Bunten	IHO Elliott & Rivka Mascoop's 15 th Anniversary IHO Jean's 92 nd Birthday
18	Abbe & Elaine Hankin	IHO Elaine's Birthday
25	Abe & Jean Brown	IHO their 73 rd Wedding Anniversary

NOVEMBER

1	AVAILABLE	
8	Mitch Braun Arnold & Jane Baron	IHO Mitch & Bob's 4 th Anniversary and Bob's 64 th Birthday IHO their 59 th Wedding Anniversary
15	Elinore Weinhaus Barbara Silver	IMO Sidney Weinhaus IMO Howard's Birthday
22	Bernie & Rita Blutfield	IHO their Grandchildren
29	Phyllis Marco (Alone)	IMO Edward Samuel Marco and Dr. Maxim J. Pincus

DECEMBER

6	Sue Baum Ken & Dianne Bonfield	IHO the Film Festival IHO their 50 th Wedding Anniversary
13	Jerry & Helen Lerner George & Estie Karpman Herb & Hanita Kern	IHO their 46 th Anniversary IHO their JCMI Family IHO their 61 st Wedding Anniversary
20	The Hankin Family Dick & Carol Polinsky	IHO Abbe & Elaine's 62 nd Wedding Anniversary IMO their son, Craig Schiffer
27	Isabel Price	IMO Daniel Martin Price

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CALL TINA AT 642-0800.

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REFUAH SHELAYMAH

(Best wishes for a speedy recovery)

Joanne Blau

George & Estie Karpman

Marvin Klein

Roger & Joanne Blau

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

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Mitch Braun

Esta Alliker from

John Reiches & June Streisand
Steve Goldenberg

Carol Atkin from

John Reiches & June Streisand

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Bert & Joan Thompson
Ted & Jean Bunten
Steve Goldenberg

Roger Blau from

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Bert & Joan Thompson
Ted & Jean Bunten
Steve Goldenberg

Bernie Blutfield from

Steve Goldenberg

Jean Bunten from

John Reiches & June Streisand
Sandra Hechler
Steve Goldenberg

Stephen Chasin from

John Reiches & June Streisand

Alan Daroff from

Steve Goldenberg
Marvin & Natalie Klein

Peg Geller from

Bert & Joan Thompson
Isabel Price
Steve Goldenberg

Elaine Hankin from

John Reiches & June Streisand
Herb & Hanita Kern
Steve Goldenberg

Herb Jermanok from

Bert & Joan Thompson
Steve Goldenberg

Nora Joel from

Steve Goldenberg

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George & Estie Karpman
Mitch Braun
Bert & Joan Thompson

Ted & Jean Bunten

Isabel Price
Steve Goldenberg

Natalie Klein from

Mitch Braun

Bea Margolis from

George & Estie Karpman
Bert & Joan Thompson

Bonnie Perlman from

Isabel Price

Mary Pinto from

Mitch Braun

Grace Plager from

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Steve Goldenberg

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HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO:

Millard & Trudy Bloom from

Bert & Joan Thompson
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Jonathan & Heather Greenfield from

Mitch Braun

George & Estie Karpman from

Mitch Braun

Morris & Nancy Margolis from

Jerry & Evie Levin

Elliott & Rivka Mascoop from

John Reiches & June Streisand

Bert & Joan Thompson from

Mitch Braun

Herb & Diane Wallack from

Mitch Braun

Frank & Beth Weinberg from

Mitch Braun

Alan & Dalia Zuckerman from

Herb & Hanita Kern

CANTORIAL DISCRETIONARY FUND

Arnold & Jane Baron - IMO Sarah Weiner

Arnold & Jane Baron - IMO Max Baron

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Arnold & Jane Baron - High Holy Day Honors

Sandra S. Hechler - IMO Dr. Stephen H. Hechler

Lenore Greenstein - IMO Rabbi Howard Greenstein

Barbara Schwartz - IMO Sidney Schwartz

FLOWER FUND

Bert & Joan Thompson - IHO Roger Blau's Birthday

Morris & Nancy Margolis - IHO their 33rd Anniversary

Eddie & Karen Saeks - IHO their Family

Al & Yvette Benarroch - IMO Joseph Benarroch

GENERAL FUND

Bert & Joan Thompson - IMO Willard Aaron

Roger & Joanne Blau - IMO Ben Blau

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HIGH HOLY DAY HONORS

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Arthur Doxer
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PRAYER BOOKS

Harvey & Sue Goldberg - IMO Ernest Koppel
George & Estie Karpman - IHO Bernie Seidman's 80th
Bert & Joan Thompson - IHO Bernie Seidman's 80th

Bert & Shirley Posner - IMO Elsie & Joseph Posner
Bert & Shirley Posner - IMO Rose & Isaac Nudelman
Ted & Jean Bunten - IMO Wendy Hope Bunten
Sandra Hechler - IMO Dr. Stephen H. Hechler

PUSHKA FUND
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Michael & Dale Lieberman - IHO Bernie Seidman's 80th

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Marvin & Peg Geller would like to sell their cemetery plot in the Marco Island Cemetery ~ Jewish Gardens.

If you are interested, please contact Marvin or Peg Geller (908) 229-0769 or (908) 229-1771

2019-2020 Women's Book Club
November 19, 2019

Mrs. Lincoln's Dressmaker
Historical Fiction
By Jennifer Chiaverini

Temple membership is not necessary ~ everyone is welcome to participate in the discussion whether or not you have read the book.

Questions? Call Sandra 239-394-6953



SAVE THESE DATES

PLEASE NOTE: Event dates are subject to change.

These programs are exciting, entertaining and informative. Don't miss one. We encourage you to save this reminder page and mark the events on your calendar!

"5779-5780"

September 2019

11th - Nat'l Day of Remembrance Srv.	7:30 PM
21st - S'lichot Dessert Prog. & Service	8:00 PM
29th - Rosh haShanah Eve	7:30 PM
30th - Rosh haShanah Service	10:00 AM

October 2019

1st - Tashlich Ceremony at JCMI	11:00 AM
4th - Eve of Shabbat "Shuvah"	7:30 PM
5th - Shabbat "Shuvah"	10:00 AM
6th - Cemetery Memorial	11:30 AM
8th - Pre Kol Nidrei Dinner	5:30 PM
8th - Kol Nidrei Eve Service	7:30 PM
9th - Yom Kippur Morning Service	10:00 AM
9th - Yom Kippur Afternoon Service	3:30 PM
9th - Break the Fast Dinner	following service
14th - Bingo Season Begins	5:30 PM

November 2019

19th - Book Club	11:00 AM
24th - Rabbi's Life Long Learning	9:30 AM
26th - Interfaith Service @ United Church	7:00 PM

December 2019

15th - Film Festival	2:00 PM
17th - Book Club	11:00 AM
22nd - Rabbi's Life Long Learning	9:30 AM
28th - Comm. Chanukah Celebration	5:30 PM

January 2020

5th - Catholic/Jewish Dialogue	2:00 PM
12th - Film Festival	2:00 PM
18th - Cultural Series	7:30 PM
21st - Book Club	11:00 AM
25th - Atlantic City Boys	7:30 PM
26th - Rabbi's Life Long Learning	9:30 AM

February 2020

7th - Cantor's Sermon in Song	7:30 PM
9th - Film Festival	2:00 PM
13th - Mah Jongg Tournament	8:30 AM
15th - Cultural Series	7:30 PM
18th - Book Club	11:00 AM
21st - Federation Shabbat	7:30 PM
22nd - Motown Magic	7:30 PM
23rd - Rabbi's Life Long Learning	11:00 AM

March 2020

4th - Book Festival	1:00 PM
7th - Cultural Series	7:30 PM
12th - JCMI Annual Meeting	7:00 PM
15th - Film Festival	2:00 PM
17th - Book Club	11:00 AM
21st - Alter Eagles	7:30 PM

April 2020

8th - Congregational Passover Seider	6:30 PM
21st - Book Club	11:00 AM

Ongoing Events Throughout the Season:

Mondays - Bingo at 5:30PM (starts Oct.)

Monday - Canasta at 11:00 AM (starts Oct.)

Tuesdays - Duplicate Bridge at 1:00PM (starts Dec.)

Wednesdays - Club Bridge at 1:00PM

Thursdays - Mah Jongg at 11:00AM (starts Oct)

Fridays - Evening Services at 7:30 PM

Saturdays - Torah Study 9:30AM Sept. 7 through April

Saturdays - Services following Torah Study Jan. through Mar.

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Ongoing Services at JCMI

Event Information can be found in the monthly **Messenger**, the weekly **Monday Email** and online at the JCMI website: www.marcojcmi.com Call the JCMI Office at 239-642-0800

Sponsor an **Oneg** - \$75 or Sponsor **Flowers** on the Bimah - \$50

Honor your loved ones with a **Yahrtseit Plaque** - \$250

Mark a special occasion with a **Chai Leaf** for the Tree of Life - \$200, or a **Walk of Honor Paver** - \$100

Health & Caring - Notify the Office if you have information concerning our members - Have a rose bud vase sent with your well wishes - \$17.50

Mitzvah Cards are available at the minimum cost of \$5.00 each, though a larger donation is always appreciated

Living Will Form requires only the signature of a legal witness to be valid - forms available at the Office.

Hospital visits by the Rabbi and the Cantor can be arranged by calling the Office

Office Notes: Any information for the **JCMI Messenger** must be turned in to the office *no later than the 20th* of the preceding month. Any updates to the **Monday Email** must be sent to the office no later than Thursday of the preceding week.

**OFFICERS AND BOARD OF
DIRECTORS 2019-2020**

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President	Ted Buntin
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John Reiches

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Beth Povlow

**STANDING COMMITTEES AND THEIR
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