# the sephandic temple congregation emeth ve'shalom

## WEEKLY BULLETIN

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# SHABBAT SHALOM שבת שלום

DAILY MINYAN SUNDAY - FRIDAY IS HELD VIA ZOOM AT 9:00 AM CONTACT RABBI GOLDEN FOR MORE INFORMATION

#### FRIDAY, APRIL 16, 2021

LIGHT CANDLES:

7:18 PM

At this time during COVID-19, Friday evening services are not being held



### <u>SATURDAY, APRIL 17, 2021</u> (5 IYAR 5781 – 20<sup>th</sup> Day of the Omer)

PARASHAT TAZRIA - TAHOROT (METSORA) (פרשת תזריע-טהרות (מצורע)

SHABBAT SERVICES 9:30 AM שחרית, קריאת התורה ומוסף

Shabbat Morning Services will be held in the Sanctuary with social distance restrictions by reservation only. Kindly refer to the updated COVID-19 Policy.

<u>Please contact the Temple office by</u>
<u>Thursday, April 15 to register:</u>
admin@thesephardictemple.org (516-295-4644)



PARASHAT TAZRIA is the first of two parshiot that deal with the laws of purification. The Israelites were sometimes afflicted by an

illness called Tsara'at that required both a diagnosis and a spiritual cure that was administered by members of the priesthood. Although the word Tsara'at is often translated as leprosy, it is quite clear that this Hebrew word is altogether different from the disease we know as Hansen's Disease. Tsara'at, unlike leprosy, affects not only people, but also clothes and other objects.



SHABBAT, APRIL 17, 2021

## FIRST YEAR SHIRLEY LEDERMAN

FREDDIE HAZAN LILLIE HAZAN MICHAEL HAZAN LESLIE HAZAN HERMAN FRAHM HILDA FRAHM BARRY FRAHM **ALEXANDRA ROSE MISNER** JOSEPH AROYO **ALBERT CAMHI CRESCAS** JEAN WEINBERGER HARRY COHEN SYDELL MARKOWITZ SARAH AMIEL **HYMAN BRILL** YOSSEF ABOAF ALBERT HAKIM PAULINE GRILL ISAAC J. NEGRIN MICHAEL DAVIS **MOLLIE BOOKCHIN ISCHAY ALDEROTY** MINNIE HERSHKOWITZ RABBI WOLF MANN RALPH BENSON VICTOR M. HAZAN **SONIA FRANCO REGINA IRIS BARUCH** ANNA GARTENLAUB

LILLIAN SOLOMON **ABRAHAM M. TESTA** JACK COHEN TAMAR H. ALKALAI DAVID J. BARDAVID **ABRAHAM I. CRESPI BERNICE ELIAS SARA ABRAHAM FARO** SOLOMON H. LOMITA NATHAN H. RUSSO **LOUIS ALBERT** LOUIS ALBOHER MARTIN ASKINAZI **MOE AZERRAD NISSIM CALDERON** YESHUA CAMHI **SAM CASUTTO** HAIM COHEN **VICTORIA COHEN** JOSEPH COMO **MOLLIE ESKENAS** JUDITH MAIZEL **SALVADOR MALLAH** MICHAEL MORDOCHAY **MORRIS PARDO BERNARD SCHAEFFEL ARLINE SOKOL** JACK YOUCHA

PARASHAT TAHOROT (METSORA) continues to describe the laws for the prevention and treatment of Tsara'at. The role of the Priest was crucial in dealing with this disease and its effects on the people of Israel. While the Torah does not suggest that the Priest could cure this disease, he had an important responsibility in safeguarding the larger community and providing for the spiritual and psychological well-being of the afflicted person.



## IN THE TEMPLE FAMILY

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## SEPHARDIC TEMPLE SHABBAT MORNING SERVICES

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Registration to the Temple office for Shabbat must be received by Thursday.

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Condolences on the loss of: **Aaron Aihini** 

**Husband of:** Selma Aihini

Father of: Joey Aihini Wendy Aihini Robin Aihini

## Leah Gabríella Pearl Pardo

was given her Jewish name at a Zeved haBat ceremony on April 12 via Zoom



We wish the family of לאה גריאלה פרלה בת חיים ופרלה



a hearty Mazal Tov!

#### Parents:

Pamela & Victor Pardo

#### **Grandparents:**

Louise & the late David Pardo Loretta & Herman Joseph

## Ladino Phrase of the Week

La sensya y la pasensya abaten al enemigo

Wisdom and patience beat the enemy

Source: Sephardic Bikur Holim (SBH) Congregation, Seattle, Washington. https://www.sbhseattle.org/resources/ladino/#Proverbs