



MARCH 2018

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Diverse Faiths Together in Israel: *Coexistence at the Galilee Medical Center and Beyond*

Please join us
Thursday, March 22, at 7 p.m.
At The History Center, 302 E. Berry Street, Fort Wayne



with
**Dr. Arie Eisenman, a Jewish Israeli, head of
the Internal Medicine in the Emergency
Department at the Galilee Medical Center**



and
**Dr. Khaled Atalla, a Christian Arab Israeli,
a specialist in Internal Medicine and a
resident in Emergency Medicine at the
Galilee Medical Center**

The Galilee Medical Center, only 6 miles from the Lebanese border, has a long history of being prepared for mass-casualty events. GMC was the first hospital in Israel to build an underground hospital enabling it to provide continuous safe and secure care to patients in the event of warfare. It is now the model for medical institutions nationwide.

It is the second-largest hospital in the north of Israel with 69 departments, specialty units and 700 registered beds above ground and, in case of need, 450 underground. The GMC serves a demographically mixed population of Jews, Muslims, Christians, and Druze.

The GMC has provided medical care for more than 2,000 Syrian casualties over the last several years, about a third of whom were women and children under the age of 18.

Dr. Eisenman and Dr. Atalla will speak about their experiences working as part of a diverse team in the hospital – and about how the Galilee Medical Center is a microcosm of life in this diverse area.



This event is free and open to the public
Thank you to the Dr. Harry W. Salon Foundation for its support

**READY...RECHARGE...RENEW!
2018**

PATHWAYS TO PEACE



Community Relations Committee (CRC)

**Welcomes
Aviv Ezra, Consul General of Israel
to the Midwest
Wednesday, March 28, 2018**

3:30 pm at Barrett McNagly
215 E. Berry Street, Fort Wayne, IN

Aviv Ezra currently serves as the Consul General of Israel to the Midwest, based in Chicago. He is the official representative of the state of Israel in Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wisconsin.

This event is open to the Jewish community and by invitation.

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Queen Esther and Bella Abzug: Costumes, Leadership, and Identity

On Purim we dress in costume to create a new persona. We delight in unexpected images. We poke holes in the humdrum everyday roles of men and women, rich and poor, young and old. Our assumptions about people shift, and thus, the holiday transforms us.

What lessons do Esther and Bella Abzug each have to teach

us about leadership? How did their dress either hide or reveal their true selves? What messages did their "costumes" send? Please join us as we look at their stories to answer these questions.



Our next meeting will be at the Downtown Allen County Public Library in the Globe room (near the children's section) on Tuesday, March 6 at 6:30 pm (Note new time). All women Federation members are welcome to join us. Costumes are optional!



EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT



LIVING THE DREAM: CELEBRATING ISRAEL AT 70

The **ISRAEL@70** Committee is still hard at work planning our 2018 celebratory events that are sure to hold something of interest for everyone. On March 22nd, the Jewish Federation of Fort Wayne will host two physicians from the Western Galilee Medical Center, sent to us because of our alliance with Partnership 2Gether. They will speak about coexisting in the Western Galilee and providing medical care to victims of the Syrian conflict. Their presentation will be captivating and enlightening. Please plan to attend and bring a friend.

On March 28, Israel Consul General to the Midwest, Aviv Ezra, will be visiting Fort Wayne. He will meet with the Jewish community and community leaders at a reception held on the top floor of the Barrett McNagny building at approximately 3:30 p.m.

These two events will be the kickoff for the **Israel@70** commemoration. We encourage you to attend.

In spite of the great challenges it has and continues to face, the State of Israel, founded 70 years ago in May 1948, has accomplished extraordinary things. We often ask ourselves, what it is that gives Israel and the Israelis the fortitude and strength to persist and overcome? How did the Jewish People manage to nurture and develop the notion of a Jewish State for literally thousands of years while in Exile? We wonder what role believing non-Jews had in sustaining the dream of Israel. We continue to ask ourselves what we can do today and in the future to help support and defend Israel. We take inspiration from Israel's ability to 'live the dream' in our own lives.



Our office is finalizing the details of each event. The full schedule will be published in a booklet and sent to your homes. These festivities are made possible thanks to the Jewish Federation of Fort Wayne, the Annual Campaign, the Dr. Harry W. Salon Foundation, and our association with Partnership 2Gether.



READY...RECHARGE...RENEW! 2018

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OUR PARTNERS



Summer is almost here!

It is never too early to start thinking about summer! [Camp Joe Levine](#) will run the weeks of July 9, 16 and 23 at [Fox Island County Park](#). Registration is now open for [Goldman Union Camp Institute](#) (GUCI). [Jewish Federation of Fort Wayne](#) Jan Finkel Camp Scholarships are available on a first-come, first-served basis. If you are interested in finding out more about scholarships, please contact the Federation office at (260) 465 – 0400 or office@fwjf.org.



Camp Joe

Want to learn more about Camp Joe? Want to register your child? Larisa and Samantha will be at the Purim carnival to answer all of your questions. See you then!

Indiana
Jewish
Historical
Society



JEWISH HISTORICAL SOCIETY TO MEET IN THE RESOURCE CENTER

The Indiana Jewish Historical Society will hold its spring meeting on Sunday, April 22

at 1 p.m. at the Madge Rothschild Resource Center to introduce people across the state to Congregation Achduth Vesholom's efforts to preserve Jewish history in northeast Indiana. All society members and non-members are invited to attend this free program. Light refreshments will be served.

Now headquartered in Indianapolis, the organization was founded in Fort Wayne in 1972 by Joe Levine to collect, preserve, publish, and share the Jewish experience in Indiana. Dr. Wendy Soltz, a member of the Federation and Achduth Vesholom, is the Executive Director.

Rosh Chodesh - Jews & Superstitions



"I used to be superstitious but then I found out it was bad luck!" – Rabbi Aron Moss

Where does the belief in superstitions come from? Are they simply bubbe-meises or old wives' tales? Are they stories shared down by generations? Do we as Jews believe in superstitions?

Yes? No?

These were just some of the great questions we discussed last month. We ended our evening by making beautiful Hamsas for our homes.

Thank you, Leah, for organizing and leading another amazing evening!



ODDS 'N ENDS

SAVE THE DATE WE ARE CELEBRATING ISRAEL AT 70!



Thursday, March 22 & Friday
March 23, 2018
P2G Medical Delegation

Wednesday, March 28, 2018
Consul General of Israel to the
Midwest

Friday, April 20, 2018
Joint Shabbat Service at B'nai
Jacob

Saturday, April 21, 2018
PJ Library Pot Luck Havdalah

Saturday, April 21, 2018
Celebration continues
at Rifkin Campus at 5200

More information coming.....

We Need Your Help!

Our Israel@70 committee is planning on showing a slide show with pictures from Israel at our April 21 event.

Here is where you can help. Please send us pictures of

Israel that you took when you were visiting. They do not need to be current pictures. You can email them to: office@fwjf.org.

We look forward to sharing the pictures of all the beautiful places our amazing community has visited!



PASSOVER BASKETS

We had so much fun going out into our Jewish community this past Hanukkah and delivering some "goodie" bags. The smiles on recipients' faces were a gift to us!

Do you know anyone in our Jewish community who might like a Pesach "goodie" bag? Please call (260) 456 – 0400 or email office@fwjf.org and let us know.



BAUM/GOLDENBERG ISRAEL SCHOLARSHIP

Are you thinking about participating in a first-time peer program in Israel this summer? Have you been confirmed? Are you going to be confirmed this spring? If you answered yes, and are currently in your sophomore or junior year in



high school and you reside with family who are contributing members of the Jewish Federation of Fort Wayne's annual campaign, you are eligible to apply for the Baum/Goldenberg Israel Scholarship.

Please contact the Federation as soon as possible for an application. Upon receipt of your application, you will be notified of the timeline and procedures that will be followed.

The deadline for submitting your application is March 15, 2018.

Help is Available

We know that during these trying times, we can all use a little help once in a while. For those in need, we do offer food vouchers and gas cards. Please call the [Federation office](http://www.fwjf.org) at (260) 456-0400. All calls are confidential.



We are also accepting donations of gas cards as well. If you would like to make a donation, please send in a check with "gas card" in the memo or call the office.



CALENDAR

MARCH 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
KEY: JFFW - Jewish Federation of Fort Wayne (The Federation) BJ - B'nai Jacob (the Synagogue)	CAV - Congregation Achduth Vesholom (the Temple) RC - Rosh Chodesh (Women's Group) RO - ROMEOs			10:00 a.m. Purim Celebration - BJ Noon - ROMEOs - RO	JFFW Office Closed 6:00 p.m. Shabbat Katan - CAV 7:00 p.m. Benjamin Finkel's Bar Mitzvah - BJ 8:00 p.m. Purim Spiel - CAV	9:00 a.m. Benjamin Finkel's Bar Mirzvah - BJ
9:45 a.m. Religious School - CAV 4	CAV Office Closed 5	4:00 p.m. Hebrew School - CAV 6 6:30 p.m. Rosh Chodesh - Allen County Public Library, Globe room 7:00 p.m. Talmud - CAV	4:00 p.m. Hebrew School - CAV 7 4:00 p.m. Religious School - BJ	6:30 p.m. CAV Board Meeting - CAV 8	JFFW Office Closed 9 7:00 p.m. Shabbat Services - Hot Topics - CAV	9:15 a.m. Shabbat Services - BJ 10 9:30 p.m. Shabbat School - BJ 12:45 p.m. Torah Study - BJ
9:45 a.m. Religious School - CAV 11	CAV Office Closed 12	4:00 p.m. Hebrew School - CAV 13 7:00 p.m. Talmud - CAV	4:00 p.m. Hebrew School - CAV 14 4:00 p.m. Religious School - BJ	Noon - ROMEOs - RO 15 7:00 p.m. JFFW Board Meeting - CAV	JFFW Office Closed 16 7:30 p.m. Shabbat Services - CAV	9:15 a.m. Shabbat Services - BJ 17 9:30 p.m. Shabbat School - BJ
9:45 a.m. Religious School - CAV 18 Noon Religious School Purim Carnival - CAV	CAV Office Closed 19	4:00 p.m. Hebrew School - CAV 20 7:00 p.m. Talmud - CAV	4:00 p.m. Hebrew School - CAV 21 4:00 p.m. Religious School - BJ	7:00 p.m. P2G Medical Delegation Program - the History Center 22 7:00 p.m. BJ Board Meeting - BJ	JFFW Office Closed 23 7:30 p.m. Shabbat Services - CAV	9:15 a.m. Shabbat Services - BJ 24 9:30 p.m. Shabbat School - BJ
9:45 a.m. Religious School - CAV 25	CAV Office Closed 26	4:00 p.m. Hebrew School - CAV 27	3:30 p.m. Consul General reception - Barrett McNagny 4:00 p.m. Hebrew School - CAV 4:00 p.m. Religious School - BJ 28	Noon - ROMEOs - RO 29	JFFW Office Closed 30 No Services	6:00 p.m. Congregational Seder - CAV 31

CONGREGATION ACHDUTH VESHOLOM HAPPENINGS

WHY IS THIS NIGHT DIFFERENT? FIND OUT AT CONGREGATIONAL SEDER

Passover begins on Friday, March 30 when we retell the story of the Jews' exodus from Egypt and freedom from bondage. No Shabbat service will be held that evening at the Temple. Please join us for the Second Seder on Saturday, March 31 at 6 p.m. to read the Haggadah and dine on a traditional Pesach meal.

Please call the Temple office at (260) 744-4245 with your reservations by Friday, March 16 and then follow up by sending your check made payable to "CAV - The Temple." The meal will be catered by Splendid Fare.

The cost for Temple members is \$30 for adults, \$15 for children ages 3-12 who are not enrolled in the Religious School, and free for children under age 3. Students enrolled in the Temple's Religious School may attend at no charge by making a reservation and when accompanied by a parent. For non-members, the cost is \$36 for adults, \$18 for children 3-12, and free for children under age 3. No refunds will be issued for cancellations or no-shows. Reservations AFTER March 16 will be taken if space is available at an additional cost of \$5 per person.



HOT TOPICS SHABBAT: DRUG COURT

Our next Hot Topics Shabbat on Friday, March 9 will focus on a criminal justice program that helps those addicted to opioids and other drugs. Following an abbreviated Shabbat service at 7 p.m., Allen Superior Court Judge Fran Gull will join us to talk about the Allen Superior Court's Drug Court. The program is sponsored by the Temple's Social Action Committee with support from the Dr. Harry W. Salon Foundation.

NOSH YOUR WAY THROUGH SEVEN SPECIES WITH CHEF MARLA COHEN

Chef Marla Cohen will bring her culinary skills and whimsy to the Temple on Sunday, April 29 at 1 p.m. with a Taste of the Seven Species of Israel. Join her for a light-hearted cooking demonstration that will keep you noshing, learning, and, most importantly, laughing.

Known as much for her humorous take on life as she is for her creativity and expertise as a chef, Marla is a graduate of the Culinary Institute of America. She has honed her skills in Sanibel, Florida, the former Summit Club in Fort Wayne, and Southern California. If you've been in Fort Wayne for a long time, you may even remember Marla's Bakery on the southwest side back in the 1980's.

Currently Marla has an expanding spice and food line along with her business partner Lyn Cloninger. You can find her spices in over 700 stores across the U.S., including The Monogram Shoppe and Stoner's in Fort Wayne and The Lasting Light Emporium in Berne. In her "spare time," her hobbies include teaching and consulting.

Cost is \$7 per person. Space is limited, so please RSVP no later than Friday, April 20 to the Temple office at (260) 744-4245 and

send your check (payable to "CAV- The Temple"). Thank you to the Adult Education Committee for sponsoring Chef Marla's program as part of our year-long look at the Seven Species and to the Dr. Harry W. Salon Foundation for its support.

PREPARING TOMORROW'S TEACHERS TO EDUCATE ABOUT THE HOLOCAUST

The Temple's Holocaust Education Committee and IPFW's Institute for Holocaust and Genocide Studies are co-sponsoring a week-long symposium May 13-18, 2018 on the IPFW campus for pre-service teachers interested in learning more about teaching the Holocaust and genocide at the junior high and high school level. Housing, most meals, and other materials and resources are covered for participants. Find registration information [here](#).

The keynote address is open to the public on Wednesday, May 16 at 7 p.m. at the Temple. All are invited. A reception will follow. Sponsors of the symposium include the Dr. Harry W. Salon Foundation.

GRAB A GROGGER AND JOIN US FOR PURIM FUN!

Wear a crown, cape or costume, grab a grogger, and join us for a visit to the streets of Shushan on Friday, March 2 at 7 p.m. during our Purim celebration at the Temple. We'll make merry when Rabbi Lenny reads from Megillat Esther, retelling the story of how Queen Esther and her cousin Mordechai save the Jews of Persia. Our Shabbat Katan group for young children will join the fun when we boo Haman's name and nosh on delicious hamentashen.

Please bring boxes of macaroni and cheese to shake – and then we'll donate it to the food bank at Wellspring Interfaith Social Services. [What is Purim?](#)

PURIM CARNIVAL INCLUDES GAMES AND ROMEO'S' SPAGHETTI MEAL

"Heroes and Villains" is the theme of this year's Purim Carnival hosted by the high school and middle school youth groups on Sunday, March 18 from noon to 2 p.m. at the Temple. Join us for lots of games, a cake walk, bouncy house, costume contest, and a spaghetti lunch made by the ROMEOs (Retired Old Men Eating Out).

Come dressed as your favorite hero or villain from biblical or modern times. Admission is \$2 per person and includes access to all games and activities, including face painting, a board and card game area, and community mural painting. Stop by the "PJ Reading Nook" provided by the Jewish Federation of Fort Wayne and PJ Library. A pasta lunch will be available for \$5 per person. Hamentashen also will be on sale.

Thanks to ForTY and Junior Youth Group students from Achduth Vesholom and B'nai Jacob and advisor Taylor Replane for putting together this fun event. We also thank the ROMEOs for their help.

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CONGREGATION ACHDUTH VESHOLOM & B'NAI JACOB HAPPENINGS

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SHARE SHABBAT AT THE TEMPLE

Celebrate Shabbat with us during March at Congregation Achduth Vesholom, with several special programs. Please visit us at www.templecav.org for more information. All are welcome! Join us after the service for Kiddush and an Oneg Shabbat.

- Friday, March 2 – We'll celebrate Purim at 7 p.m. Wear a costume, grab a grogger, and join us when Rabbi Lenny reads from Megillat Esther. Our Shabbat Katan group for young children will join the fun when we boo Haman's name and nosh on delicious hamantaschen.
- Friday, March 9 – Join us for an abbreviated Hot Topics Shabbat service at 7 p.m., followed by a program with Allen Superior Court Judge Fran Gull about the Allen Superior Court's Drug Court.
- Friday, March 16 & 23 – Share the joy of Shabbat with us at 7:30 p.m. led by Rabbi Lenny Sarko.
- Friday, March 30 – No Shabbat service at the Temple due to the first night of Passover. Find information on our [Second Seder](#) on Saturday, March 31 at 6 p.m.

LOOKING FOR A MAHJ GAME?

Join us for open play mah jongg games each week in the Madge Rothschild Resource Center at the Rifkin Campus at 5200. Sign up to play! Find out more at www.templecav.org.

GETTING READY FOR PRE-K TO KINDERGARTEN ROUND UP

Congregation Achduth Vesholom is currently taking names of children eligible to enroll in our PreK-Kindergarten Program on Sunday mornings for the 2018-2019 school year. If you have a child who will be three years old on or before August 1, 2018, please call the Temple office at (260) 744-4245 by April 1, 2018 for information about our program and membership at the Temple.



CONGREGATION B'NAI JACOB CLASSES

Wednesday, March 7th Mishneh Torah
7:00pm-8:00pm
Saturday, March 10th Torah study
12:45pm-2:00pm

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

Hebrew School Wed. March 7, 14, 21, 28
4:00pm-6:00pm
Shabbat School Sat. March 10, 17, 24
9:30am-11:45am

RABBI'S SCHEDULE

Rabbi Mitchell Kornspan is in the midst of his semi-retirement schedule. He will be back in Fort Wayne conducting services on Shabbat, February 24-March 10, 2018. The Rabbi will also be available for appointments during that time.

PURIM

Shalach Manot Fundraiser One of the mitzvot associated with the festival of Purim is Shalach Manot, the sending of treats to friends and family. The annual Shalach Manot sale is the main fundraiser for the B'nai Jacob Religious School, providing funds for need-based scholarships. In honor of the mitzvah, please join in sending gifts to your family and friends. Each family will receive one package filled with an assortment of kosher goodies and treats, including hamantaschen. If you are interested, please call our office at 260-672-8459. Your generous support of our Religious School is greatly appreciated.

Purim Celebration - Please join us for a Purim celebration and Megillah reading at the synagogue on Wednesday, February 28th at 6:30pm. The celebration continues on Thursday morning, March 1st at 10:00am with davening and the Megillah reading.



SHABBAT SERVICES

Please join us in celebrating the Bar Mitzvah of Benjamin Finkel the Shabbat of March 2nd-3rd. He will be helping to lead the Shabbat davening and will be called up to the Torah as a Bar Mitzvah. Services will be on Friday evening at 7:00pm and Saturday morning at 9:00am.

Shabbat morning services are held each Saturday at 9:15am. After our services, congregants and guests have an opportunity to enjoy Shabbat and camaraderie at our Kiddush.

PASSOVER INFORMATION AND SERVICES

Thursday, March 29, at 8:35pm – Bedikat Chametz*

After the house has been thoroughly cleaned, a ceremonial search is performed for whatever "chametz" may remain. All chametz should have already been put away in cabinets, the garage or in some place where it can be marked and not be used, even by accident.

***Selling of Chametz** form available by calling the synagogue office at 260-672-8459. Return to office or Rabbi by Monday, March 26th.

Eve of Pesach: Friday, March 30 - One may eat a chametz meal until 11:36am. No matzah is to be eaten until the Seder that night. First Seder - Candle lighting: 7:44pm.

Services: Shabbat/Pesach Services Saturday, March 31 9:15am
Second Seder-Candle Lighting: 8:38 p.m.
2nd day Pesach Services Sunday, April 1 10:00am
Seventh Day Pesach Services Friday, April 6 10:00am
Shabbat/Eighth Day Pesach Services, Yizkor Saturday, April 7 9:15am

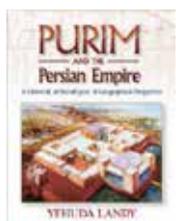
THIS 'N THAT



Need Some Quiet Time

PJ Library and the Jewish Federation of Fort Wayne will have a "reading nook" at the Purim carnival on Sunday, March 18. If you are looking for a place to read a book or color some pages, come visit us!

PURIM RESOURCES



This spring, stop by the Madge Rothschild Resource Center for holiday books, music and videos. We have resources for all ages!

Purim. For adults, Rabbi Paul Steinberg's *Celebrating the Jewish Year: The Winter Holidays* is a great start, with prayers, sources, rituals and stories to help celebrate. If your interest lies in history, *Purim and the Persian Empire*, by Yehuda Landy, is a well-illustrated look at the geography, history and archaeology related to the holiday. And if you're looking for a *shpiel* to try, you might check out *Beware the Ides of*

Adar: A Shakespearean Purim Shpiel by Deborah Bodin Cohen.

For older kids, favorite Purim titles include Eric Kimmel's *The Story of Esther*, and Diane Wolkstein's *Esther's Story*. Our newest picture book for Purim, *A Queen in Jerusalem*, by Tami Shem-Tov, is a great look at old Jerusalem through the eyes of a girl looking for a costume. Two of my favorite Purim classics are Leone Adelson's *The Mystery Bear* and *The Purim Surprise* by Lesley Simpson. And for the littlest among us, remember our set of *Shalom Sesame* videos, including *No. 6, Be Happy, It's Purim!*

You can browse our complete catalog at www.library.org/lib/cavlibrary.

Submitted by Betsy Gephart



JEWISH BEDTIME STORIES and SONGS

What are you reading this month?



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THOUGHTFUL THURSDAYS CREATES LASTING IMPACT



Thoughtful Thursdays started as a grass-roots project of the Jewish community. The idea was to help the Temple Head Start families by providing food and personal hygiene items.

In the early days before we were fortunate enough to receive generous grants from the Dr. Harry W. Salon Foundation, Girl Scout Troop 20517 held canned food drives and knocked on their neighbor's doors asking for food donations.

Some of my fondest memories were of Girl Scout overnights in the Environmental Center in southwest Fort Wayne, where the girls were excited to bring the donations they collected, assemble and decorate bags, and share their ideas on how to improve the program.

Nine years later, we recently received a lovely note from Troop 20517 that talked about the lasting impact for many scouts of

the Thoughtful Thursdays program. The letter said many of the girls received their Silver and Gold awards by volunteering for Thoughtful Thursdays. Most of the members graduated from college, with some in graduate school, and as the last activity of Troop 20517, they wanted to continue helping their community. Enclosed was a generous donation to Thoughtful Thursdays!

Wow! On the same day we received this lovely letter, I was contacted by another Girl Scout troop on the north side of town. They are going to assemble our dental hygiene bags and Mother's Day bags. We are excited to work with a new group and hope the legacy continues!

Our bag assembly team will meet this month on Wednesday, March 7 at 10 a.m. at the Rifkin Campus to put together items for the 66 Brightpoint Head Start students who attend class at the Temple. New volunteers are welcome to join our dedicated group from Congregation Achduth Vesholom, Congregation B'nai Jacob, and the Jewish Federation of Fort Wayne. Questions? Contact Co-Chairs Jamie Berger or Bonnie Pomerantz.

FUNDS AND DONATIONS

JEWISH FEDERATION FUNDS

ENDOWMENT

- **Audrey and Joe Gerson Free Loan Fund**
- **Baum/Goldenberg Scholarship**
- **Emergency Cash Assistance Fund**
- **Holocaust Education Fund**
- **Jewish Experience Fund**
- **JNF - Plant a tree in Israel**
- **Prejudice Reduction Elimination Fund**
- **Thoughtful Thursdays Fund**
- **Community Relations Committee (CRC):**
To provide for local programming and events through the Jewish Federation of Fort Wayne.
- **Goldenberg Camp Joe Fund:**
Every year we get a number of requests for assistance with the registration for our three-week Camp Joe Levine Day Camp.



- **Janet Finkel Campership Fund:**
In April 2008, Audrey Gerson established the Janet Finkel Campership Fund in honor of Janet Finkel. This fund makes it possible to help youngsters go to a Jewish Camp or to a Music Camp.
- **PJ Library:**
Supports reading anytime of the day, but we know that many families sit down to read books at bedtime, in their pajamas. PJ Library books can be enjoyed any time you want a good story.
- **The Martha Rothenberg Replane Theater & Creative Arts Fund:**
This fund was created in Memory of Martha Rothenberg Replane to honor her memory and her love for theater and creative arts. The fund will be used to encourage theater and creative arts presentations and knowledge in our Community.

DONATIONS

Janet Finkel Campership Fund

- A donation was received in honor of Janet Finkel and her grandson's bar mitzvah.
- A donation was received from Jaki Schreier in honor of Leah Hadashi and the wonderful job she has done with Rosh Chodesh.

WE MAKE
A LIVING
BY WHAT WE GET,
BUT WE MAKE
A LIFE BY
WHAT WE GIVE.

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JFFW Fund Donation Form

Donation from: Name _____ Fund (pick from list) _____

Donor Address _____ In honor of _____

Donor City/St/Zip _____ In memory of _____

Send card to: Name _____ Notes: _____

Send card to address _____

Send card to City/St/Zip _____

Send your donation and this form to:
Jewish Federation of Fort Wayne
5200 Old Mill Road
Fort Wayne, IN 46807

R.O.M.E.O.s
(Retired Old Men Eating Out)

March 1 – Casa Grille!
411 E. Dupont Road

March 15 – Saigon Restaurant
2006 S. Calhoun Street

March 29 – Mad Anthony Brewing Co.
1109 Taylor Street

Anyone interested in joining the ROMEOs for lunch can contact Rich Manalis at 260-240-9961 or richmanalis@me.com

UPcoming EVENTS

March 6
Rosh Chodesh
6:30 pm
ACPL Main Library
Globe Room

March 28
Consul General
3:30 pm
Barrett McNagny

March 22
P2G Medical Delegation
7 pm
History Center

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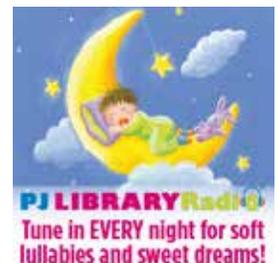
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JEWISH BEDTIME STORIES and SONGS

PJ Library Radio was launched to share inspirational Jewish Music with tens of thousands of **PJ Library** families and their friends throughout the world. Have you tuned in?

<http://pjlibraryradio.com/>



PJ LIBRARY Radio
Tune in EVERY night for soft lullabies and sweet dreams!

Jewish Federation of Fort Wayne Mission Statement:

To support the well-being and continuity of the Jewish people in greater Fort Wayne, in Israel, and throughout the world.