

Celebrating 100+ Years of Confirmation



Friday, June 5, 2015



1943

PORTO-JESONIS



2007

PILLAR

*Teach a child in the way they should go,
and when they are old they will not
depart from it. Proverbs 22:6*

*We look forward to our next
one hundred years!*

*Congregation B'nai Israel
Board of Trustees*





1977



1993



PILLAR

*"Don't call them your children,
call them your builders." ~ Brachot 64a*

*Mazel Tov to Congregation B'nai Israel for building
generations of Jewish adults.*

Patti and Samuel Rosenberg



1986

BENEFACTOR

Congratulations to all confirmands.

Judi and David Beier



1933



1939

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BENEFACTOR

*100+ Years of Confirmation...
A Wonderful Milestone For Our
B'nai Israel Community!*

*Steven Levine – Confirmation Class of 1972
Larry Levine – Confirmation Class of 1975
Jennifer Levine – Confirmation Class of 2014*

Alison Bonds and Larry Levine



2004

BENEFACTOR

*Mazel Tov on 100+ Years of Confirmation
at B'nai Israel!*

Edward Burger - 1969

Luise Mann Burger - 1973

Allison Burger - 2000

Marc Rottman - 2001

Daniel Burger - 2003

Edward and Luise Mann Burger



1965



1973



1987



BENEFACTOR

*Mazel Tov on 100+ Years of Confirmation
at B'nai Israel!*

Lisa and Jim Greenberg



1975



1981

BENEFACTOR

*Congratulations B'nai Israel
Blessed with the leadership of
outstanding Rabbis.*

*Rabbi Albert Martin
Rabbi Sanford Shapiro
Rabbi Arnold Sher
Rabbi James Prosnit*

These have been many fruitful years.

Bob and Lois Lesser





1956

1956

BENEFACTOR

*Mazel Tov on 100+ Years of Confirmation
at B'nai Israel!*

Amy and Michael Moorin



1991



BENEFACTOR

*Congratulations to Congregation B'nai Israel
for 100+ Years of Confirmation!*

*Jaclyn Siegel - Confirmation Class of 2005
Rebecca Siegel - Confirmation Class of 2009*

Mindy and Jeff Siegel



1966



1999

BENEFACTOR

Mazel tov on 100 years of confirmation!

Elizabeth and Zachary Confirmants

*Susan, Richard, Elizabeth and Zachary
Walden*



1947

Harold - Jeanette

STUDIO

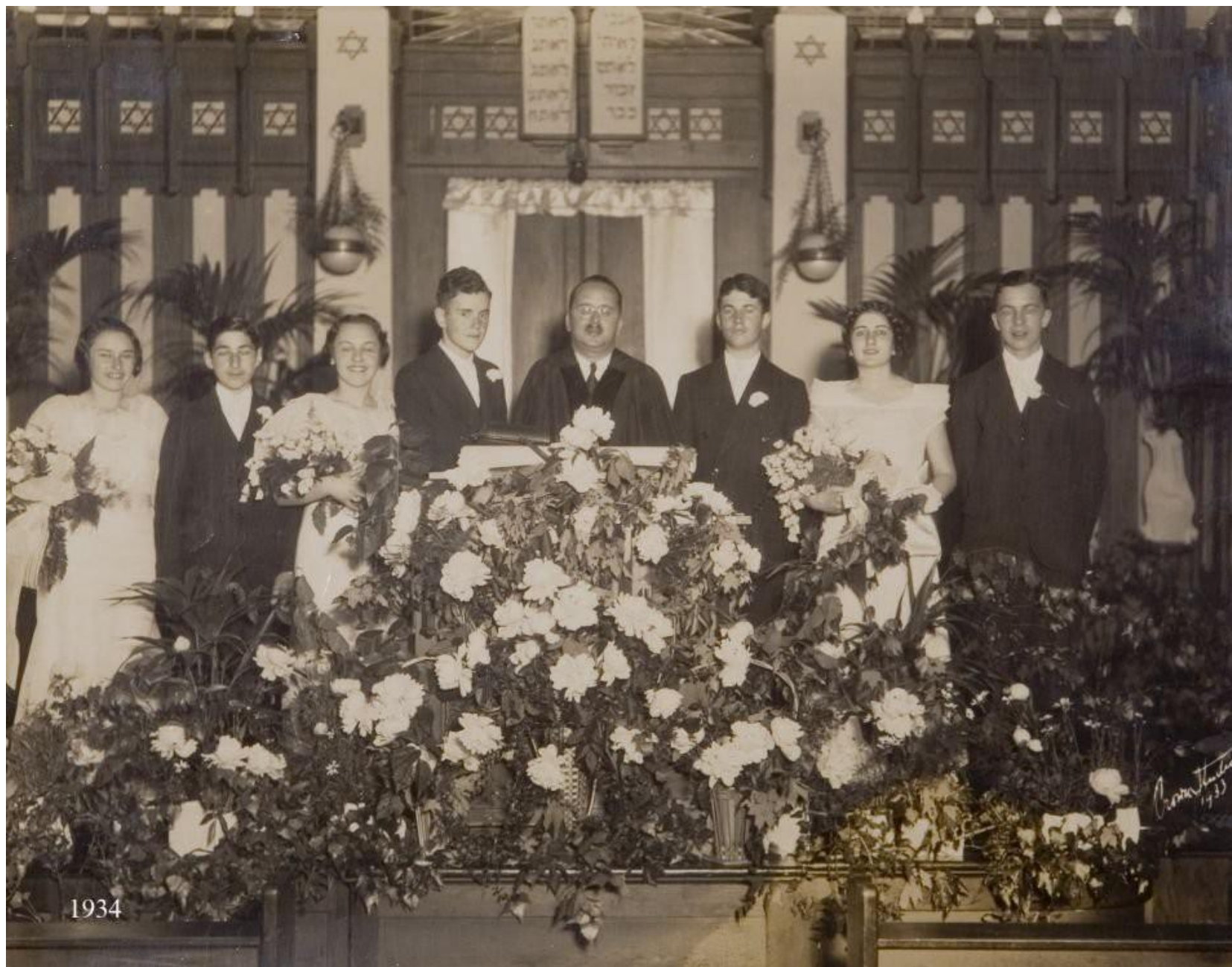


1988

PRESIDENT'S CIRCLE

*In Honor of
Barbara Pious Bresler
on the 75th Anniversary
of her Confirmation*

Barbara Abraham



PRESIDENT'S CIRCLE

*Happy that our family is on the wall
and part of 100+ Years of Confirmation.*

May the tradition continue for many years!

Judy Green – 1977

Jacob Blumenthal – 2007

Molly Blumenthal - 2011

Michael and Judy Green Blumenthal



2000

PRESIDENT'S CIRCLE

*Congratulations to B'nai Israel for
100+ Years of Confirmation*

Marty Burger, Confirmation Class 1951

David Burger, Confirmation Class 1978

Alyssa Burger Israel, Confirmation Class 1981

Alayne and Marty Burger



1978

PRESIDENT'S CIRCLE

*Elaine, Juda, Marci, Jonathan
and Michael Chetrit are grateful
to B'nai Israel for offering
our family and community years of
Torah and spiritual enrichment.*

Elaine and Juda Chetrit



1952

~1952~



PRESIDENT'S CIRCLE

*Mazel Tov on 100+ Years of Confirmation
at B'nai Israel!*

Anne and Mark Kirsch



1976

PRESIDENT'S CIRCLE

*Here's to the next 100 years.
Mazel Tov!*

Richard and Joanne Krantz



1935

- 1935 -

Pratt & Co.

PRESIDENT'S CIRCLE

*We are proud and honored to be part
of a sacred tradition and celebrate 100+ Years of
Confirmation at Congregation B'nai Israel*

*L'dor vador nigid godlecha
L'dor vador... we protect this chain
From generation to generation L'dor vador, these
lips will praise Your name*

Josh Nelson

*Rabbi James Prosnit, Rabbi Evan Schultz, Cantor
Sheri Blum, Ira Wise,
Alexa Cohen and Abby Rohinsky*



1997

PRESIDENT'S CIRCLE

*"And the old shall dream dreams,
and the youth shall see visions."*

Celebrating 100+ years of a vital legacy

Jonathan Prosnit, 1994

Ethan Prosnit, 1999

Jacob Prosnit, 2005

Rabbi James Prosnit and Wendy Bloch



1979

PRESIDENT'S CIRCLE

*Mazel Tov on 100+ Years of Confirmation
at B'nai Israel!*

Amy and Glenn Rich



TZEDEKAH

Congratulations Confirmands -

*Wear your new status of strength
in your faith with pride and joy.*

Bob Ford



1961

TZEDEKAH

Janet Jurow



2001

TZEDEKAH

Gerry and Harvey Levine



1989

TZEDEKAH

*Here's to another 100 years of a
wonderful tradition!*

The Montagna's



1936 *Committee*

1936

TZEDEKAH

*Mazel Tov on 100+ Years of Confirmation
at B'nai Israel!*

*Shari, Brian, Brad, Jason and Meredith
Nerreau*



1958

TZEDEKAH

*Mazel Tov on 100+ Years of Confirmation
at B'nai Israel!*

Susan and Richard Preminger



1980

TZEDEKAH

*Mazel Tov on 100+ Years of Confirmation
at B'nai Israel!*

Mark, Evan and Vanessa Schiff



1972

TZEDEKAH

*Mazel Tov B'nai Israel on
100 Years of Confirmations*

*Greer Silverman Kudon
Erica Silverman Moss*

Elaine and Marc Silverman



Crown
Studios
1950

1950

TZEDEKAH

*Mazel Tov to Past, Present
and Future Confirmation Classes*

Joseph, Leslie, Michele and Michael Varon



2002

TZEDEKAH

Honoring confirmands:

Gerald Frauwirth 1956

Debora Frauwirth Weisman 1961

Nancy Frauwirth 1962

Carey Weisman 1991

Steven Weisman 1993

Debora and Michael Weisman



1968

GENERATION TO GENERATION

*Mazel Tov to our synagogue
for this time-honored tradition!*

Ryan Berger - 2003

Arielle Berger - 2006

Darcy Berger - 2009

Lori and Ken Berger



2005

GENERATION TO GENERATION

Mazel Tov on 100 Years of Confirmation.

Laura and Bruce Braverman

Laura 1963

Andrew 1995

Amy 2000



1955

GENERATION TO GENERATION

*We Proudly Congratulate
Congregation B'nai Israel
on 100+ Years of Confirmation!*

*Broder & Orland LLC - Family &
Matrimonial Law*



1990

GENERATION TO GENERATION

Mazel Tov!

Kristen, Kevin, Sam, and Shane Carley



CLASS
1948

Pratt Studio

GENERATION TO GENERATION

Mazel Tov!

*Thank you for allowing us the pleasure
of having our four daughters confirmed
at the Temple.*

Judy and Bob Chessin



GENERATION TO GENERATION

I love looking at the photos of the confirmation classes.

Seeing my husband Sam when he was fifteen years old, my sister and brother Elizabeth and Joe Greenberg, my cousins Dorothy and Martha Spector, Carol and Marc Goloff, my nephew's, Samuel and Jonathan Stuckal, and Sam's Bernstein relatives, Ellen and Suzie.

I miss the white dresses and dinner jackets.

Judith Greenberg Freedman



1937

GENERATION TO GENERATION

***Mazel Tov on 100+ Years
of Confirmation at B'nai Israel!***

Stacy and Robert Giglietti



1982

GENERATION TO GENERATION

***Mazel Tov on 100+ Years of Confirmation
at B'nai Israel!***

Linda Liefland and Jon Orleans



1992



GENERATION TO GENERATION

*Thank you to all those who,
over the past 100 years,
strengthened B'nai Israel
and in turn were strengthened
through their Confirmation.*

George and Chris Markley



1951

GENERATION TO GENERATION

***Mazel Tov to Congregation B'nai Israel for
100+ Years of Confirmation!***

***Merkaz Community High School
for Judaic Studies***

Merkaz Board of Directors



1959

GENERATION TO GENERATION

*In honor of the confirmation of
our children and grandchildren:*

Bonnie Newman Stein

Eric Newman

Keri Newman Adwin

Sarah Stein

Ben Stein

Joan and Alan Newman



1971

GENERATION TO GENERATION

Congratulations to all of my fellow confirmation classes that line the hallway at B'nai Israel! For me, it's a wall of family history since my family was part of B'nai Israel for over 70 years. To the future confirmands, you will hear the same songs and read the same words as those that went before you. It's our connection, it's my connection!

Ellen Hyde Phillips



1942

PORTO-JESONIS

GENERATION TO GENERATION

*Mazel Tov on 100+ Years of Confirmation
at B'nai Israel!*

Julie and Steve Pressman



GENERATION TO GENERATION

Eunice Schine Postol, 1935

Barbara Postol Rifkin, 1964

Terry Rifkin Wasserman Lom, 1993

Daniel Rifkin, 1997

Barbara Rifkin



1945

GENERATION TO GENERATION

Rabbi Isaac Mayer Wise: “No Hebrew, man or woman, has a right to say, 'I will do nothing for the cause of Judaism; I let others do it for me.' Nobody can be just, pure, virtuous, happy, or miserable for you to your God, to your conscience, and to your fellow men; for you are an independent being and a free moral agent. You are as good, bad, or indifferent as you make yourself.”
How wonderful to celebrate 100+ Years of Confirmation at Congregation B'nai Israel!

Elaine Appellof and Jerry Saunders



1996

GENERATION TO GENERATION

*The Shumofsky Clan
Spreading far and wide
the B'nai Israel message:*

Nina Shumofsky, 1983, Maryland

Julie Shumofsky Chivo, 1982, Washington

Laura Shumofsky Brown, 1966, Pennsylvania

Mady Shumofsky, 1960, California

Allan Shumofsky, 1958, still in Connecticut

Allan and Claire Shumofsky



1963

GENERATION TO GENERATION

*Congratulations on the 100th
anniversary!*

*We have happy memories and have made
many friendships at B'nai Israel!
Cheers to the classes of 1986 and 1989!*

*Richard, Gloria, Rachel and Lee
The Sheiman Family*



GENERATION TO GENERATION

*From generation to generation
of the Weinstein Family....
Grandfather Stanley, Aunt Susan,
Father Peter, children Andrea and Brad
Gail and Peter Weinstein*



1927

GENERATION TO GENERATION

*Our son's Eric's and Aaron's Confirmations
were such a beautiful and deep family
experience that we will always treasure!*

Ken and Cindy West



1995

CONFIRMAND

*"I drew a Lion of Judah and
they printed it in the program!
I was very proud."*

- Amelia Arnold, Class of 2010

*Congratulations to Congregation B'nai Israel
for 100+ Years of Confirmation!*

Gina and Andy Arnold



CONFIRMAND

Our Confirmation memories are many and wonderful. Lynn, Sean and Sara all made this a time to be proud of their accomplishments. The celebrations after with family and friends were joyous. We will always remember this as a wonderful highlight of our Jewish family life.

Carol and Nate Barsky



CONFIRMAND

Mazel Tov to the Class of 2015

*Carson, Robert, Jessica, Ben and Ted
Berkowitz*



CONFIRMAND

THANKS FOR THE MEMORIES!

Marilyn Bissell



CONFIRMAND

***Mazel Tov on 100+ Years of Confirmation
at B'nai Israel!***

Barbara Bresler



1983

CONFIRMAND

***Congratulations on 100+ Years
of Confirmation***

Karen and Ken Ferleger



1964

CONFIRMAND

Congratulations B'nai Israel

Sidney Fialk



1969

CONFIRMAND

We wish you another 100 Years!

The Gladstone Family

Louis Gladstone



2003

CONFIRMAND

***Mazel Tov on 100+ Years of Confirmation
at B'nai Israel!***

Alice and George Kelly



1953

1953

Crown Studio

CONFIRMAND

***Congratulations B'nai Israel
on 100 Years of Confirmation***

Shelley and Howard Levinson



1960

CONFIRMAND

***Mazel Tov on 100+ Years of Confirmation
at B'nai Israel!***

Joanne, Neil, Carly and Maddy Lippman



1931

CONFIRMAND

To My Confirmands,

Steven S. Mayerson

Eric S. Mayerson

Wishing you the best of everything.

Lots of love, Mom

Nora Mayerson



1984

CONFIRMAND

***Mazel Tov on 100+ Years of Confirmation
at B'nai Israel!***

Laurence Panisch

Susan Panisch

Michael Panisch

Barbara Panisch



1946

CONFIRMAND

In honor of our confirmands:

Suzanne, Andrew, and Julie

and in honor of Congregation B'nai Israel

Beth and Randy Reich



1938

CONFIRMAND

*Mazel Tov on 100+ Years of Confirmation
at B'nai Israel!*

The Underberger's

Shira - 2006

Marisa - 2008

Ally - 2015

Lori and Dan Underberger



1962

CONFIRMAND

Rabbi Chanina said "I have learned much from my teachers. I have learned even more from my colleagues. But I have learned most of all from my students."

Babylonian Talmud, Ta'amit 7a

Thank you to 100 years of students teaching us all!

Audrey, Ira, Ethan and Harper Wise



1994

NAME LISTING

Linda and Brian Barlaam

Michael and Cindy Becker

Lisa and Yoav Burger

Colette and David Carasso

Anne and Bob Citrin

Linda, Mike, Jill and Danielle Epstein

Marvin and Joann Gelfand

Laurel, Hank, Sue and Andy Greenberg

Janice and Bernie Jacobs

Melanie and Geoff Kooris



1974

NAME LISTING

The Neigher Family

Carol and Rick Offenbach

Judy and Peter Panthauer

Ken, Nina, Bari, Dustin and Alexis Rabine

Becky and Rich Rosen

Scott, Susan, Elena and Evan Smith

Bonnie, Owen, Sarah, and Ben Stein

Debbie, Dan, Matthew and Jaime Viens



1941



2006



1917