Welcome, welcome to this breathtaking world. We have been waiting for you. Waiting to see your beautiful face, to hear the sound of your cry, to kiss you, rock you.

You are the fruit of our love, of our hearts, of our souls.

We have prayed for this day, and now it is here.

But no amount of anticipation could have prepared us for you.

You are a miracle.

You are a gift from God. You are ours.

May God watch over you in love and bless you with health.

How can we express our gratitude to You, God?

You have sent us a perfect blessing.

Thank you, Bless You, source of all life.

Amen.

Written by Rabbi Naomi Levy
Tiny Treasures

We are overjoyed to welcome you with warmth and love to this holy community. We embrace you with all of the richness and wisdom that our families passed down to us, and pray that you will, in turn, be inspired by the beauty of our tradition. We hope that you will live lives imbued with the power of Torah, chuppah, and ma’asim tovim.

Parents blessing sons: Yesimcha Elohim k’Ephraim Vechi Menashe.

益ימך אלהים כןפרים וכתמונשא.

May God make you like Ephraim and Menashe.

Parents blessing daughters: Yesimech Elohim k’Sarah, Rivka, Rahel, v’Leah.

益ימך אלהים כשרה רבקה רחל ויאה.

May God make you like Sarah, Rebecca, Rachel, and Leah.

For all of our children: Yevarechecha Adonai veyishmerecha, Yaer Adonai panav eilecha vichuneka, Yisa Adonai panav eilecha veyasem lecha shalom.

ברךך ד’ יישmereך, יאэр ד’ פנוי אלהך ויחניך, ישא ד’ פנוי אלהך ושמך.ך שולמ.

May God bless you and keep you. May God turn God’s face toward you and be gracious to you. May God pay attention to you and bless you with peace.

Everyone: Baruch Atah Adonai, Eloheinu melech ha’olam, shehechiyanu vekiyemanu vehigiyanu lazman hazeh.

ברוך אתה ה’ אלהינו מלך העולם, שמחינו וקימינו וברך וגו’.

Blessed are you, God, Sovereign of the universe, who has given us life, sustained us, and enabled us to reach this miraculous moment.
Blake, You have brought so much joy, happiness and light into our lives this past year. In a time where everything felt uncertain, your smiles and sweetness made us feel like everything would be alright. We are grateful you're a part of our family and we’re so excited to watch your bond with Riley continue to grow. We love you so very much.

-Mom and Dad
Mommy and Daddy love you so much, sweet boy!

Michael Abraham Bublick
Mikha’el Avraham • מיכאל אברהום
September 17, 2020 • 28 Elul 5780
Parents: Ellie and Asher Bublick
To our lovable Phillip, You’ve brought so much love and happiness to our entire family! We wish you the greatest health and mazel!

All our love, Grandma and Grandpa Chaet

Dear PJ, We all love you so much and excited for all the fun family time ahead! Love, Tantas Marissa, Tamar, & Danielle, Uncles Raphael & Aaron, and your cousins, Jonah, Sophie, Emilie, Eloise, & Sabina

PJ, We are blessed that we live in the same city so we can spend lots of time with you and watch you grow. Wishing you lots of health, happiness, and all the best in life. We love you! -Nana Dora and Grumps Cary Rudberg

PJ, you have brought so much joy to our lives and we can’t wait to continue to watch you grow! We love all of your smiles, giggles, and snuggles. We love you so much!

Love Always,
Mommy, Daddy and Nova

Phillip Jay Chaet

Pinchas Ya’akov • פנחס יעקב
May 24, 2020 • 1 Sivan 5780
Parents: Laura and Alex Chaet
Naomi, we love you so very much. You are so easy-going, sweet, and very funny. You are the best little sister to your brothers, who absolutely adore you. You make us smile every day and we would be incomplete without you. We hope your life is filled with joyous memories, fulfilling relationships, and many healthy years!

Love Mommy and Daddy
Charles Everett Davidoff

ליב
August 15, 2020 • 25 Av 5780
Parents: Tina and Jeremy Davidoff

Charlie, We love you so much and are thrilled to be your grandparents!
- Grandma and Grandpa

Charlie - you have brought so much joy to our lives and we cannot wait to watch you learn, grow, and love everything that life has to offer. We love you so much!
Love Mom & Dad
Stevie, you have made us the happiest parents in the world! We love you with all our hearts, sweet girl.

Love, Mom and Dad, Sugar and Pops, + Aunt Andrea and Uncle Brian
Caleb,

We are so blessed to have you in our lives! Your smile and laugh are beyond contagious and you bring such joy and love to the entire family!

Love Always,
Mom, Dad, and Big Brother Aaron
Edie Byrd Girson

September 15, 2020 • 26 Elul 5780
Parents: Annie and Ricky Girson

Edie B - we love you so much you little chatterbox. You’re so sweet and delicious and make us the happiest mommy and daddy in the world. Can’t wait to explain 2020 to you when you’re old enough.
Julian you bring such joy to our lives. Each day you grow to amaze us. Your smile and laugh can light up a room. We love you so much little boy. We can’t wait to show you the world. Love, Mom and Dad

Julian Ethan Glauben

Tuviah • סובה
February 20, 2020 • 26 Shevat 5780
Parents: Stacey and Ross Glauben
We are so excited to welcome you to the family Shneur! It is such a joy to watch you grow and learn. Your big sisters love to make you laugh; we light up when you smile. We love you so much!
We love you so much, Little Man. You are sweet, cheeky, curious, and such a happy boy. You brighten every day and keep us on our toes. We are so excited to continue watching you learn and grow. Love, Mom and Dad
We love you so much and we hope that you love basketball as much as we do! Your smile lights up the room and your giggle and coo's make the entire family happy to have you in our lives.

Love, Mommy Shayna, Daddy Michael, Macy, and Dusty
To the last of our greatest gifts, we love you so much, and you complete our family.

Love, Mommy, Daddy, Zoe and Noa
Miss Madeline, We love you more than words can ever describe. We are so excited to watch you grow up with your brother. You bring endless joy to our family.

Love, Mom, Dad & Jake
You have already brought so much joy to our lives, and we look forward to many more years of celebrating you and all your milestones. I can't imagine a more beautiful smile.

Love, Nana Marcy and Beep Beep

Ilyas Eli Weisbrod
Eliyahu • אליהו
January 30, 2020 • 5 Shevat 5780
Parents: Arwa and Eric Weisbrod
Briella Hope Yochananov
אמונה • עמנואל
June 20, 2020 • 29 Sivan 5780
Parents: Julie and Aharon Yochananov

May you always view life with as much hope, optimism, and love as you’ve filled our lives with since the moment you came into this world. We will love and support you unconditionally forever and always!
Love - Mommy, Daddy, Eliana, and Amelia
MAZEL TOV

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May you be forever blessed and raised to Torah, Chuppah and Ma’asim Tovim. Best wishes and lots of love to our Tiny Treasures and their families from your Shearith Israel family.

Baby gifts presented with love from

SISterhood
Shearith Israel SISterness
In every birth, blessed is the wonder.
In every creation, blessed is the new beginning.
    In every child, blessed is life.
In every hope, blessed is the potential.
In every transition, blessed is the beginning.
In every existence, blessed are the possibilities.
    In every love, blessed are the tears.
In every life, blessed is the love.

There are three names by which a person is called:
    One which her father and mother call her,
    And one which people call her,
    And one which she earns for herself.

The best one of these is the one that she earns for herself.

*Jewish Blessing*

Mazal Tov! SISterhood is proud to be a part of the first of many celebrations with your Tiny Treasures over years to come. At each stage of their lives, SISterhood will be there to cheer them on!

SISterhood is honored to partner with Shearith's Family Center and Weitzman Family Religious School

SISterhood member Sandy Somer and her husband Michael, surrounded by daughters Jenna and Katie and their puppies!
SHABABA
Cowgirl/Cowboy Shababa
Friday, March 19 | 5:15 pm
To prepare for Passover, we’ll do-si-do around the house as we find all of our chametz (leaven).
Part of Community Shabbatot! Order a delicious Shabbat Meal from Spice of Life and pick up at Shearith Israel between 2-4 pm on the 19th. After Shababa and a Western Kabbalat Shabbat service at 6 pm, join a breakout Zoom room for dinner with other families!

Celebrating Israel Shababa
Friday, April 16 | 5:15 pm
Celebrate Yom HaAtzmaut, Israel Independence Day.
Part of Community Shabbatot! Order a delicious Shabbat Meal from Spice of Life and pick up at Shearith Israel between 2-4 pm on the 16th. After Shababa and an Israeli Kabbalat Shabbat service at 6 pm, join a breakout Zoom room for dinner with other families!

Birthday Party Shababa
Saturday, May 8 | 10:30 am
Put on your party hats, it’s time to celebrate Shabbat!

Rock and Roll Shababa
Friday, May 21 | 5:15 pm
Bring your musical instruments and dancing shoes to this special Shababa! Part of Community Shabbatot! Order a delicious Shabbat Meal from Spice of Life and pick up at Shearith Israel between 2-4 pm on the 21st. After Shababa and a Beatles Kabbalat Shabbat service at 6 pm, join a breakout Zoom room for dinner with other families!

SHABBAT SING-ALONG & SCHMOOZE
Select Fridays | 9:30 - 10 am
A special gathering for families with kids 3 and under. Join Rabbi Shira Wallach and her puppet buddies to sing, smile, and dance as we get ready for Shabbat together. There will be time to schmooze with other parents. Join us promptly at 9:30 am so we can end in time for morning nap. Members free. Non-members asked to make a donation. Hosted by Rachel Walsh. For dates and Zoom info, email Sarah Katz at skatz@shearith.org

FAMILY SEDER
Sunday, March 28 | 4 pm
In less than two hours, relive the Passover story, discover your inner child, and eat a delicious Seder meal. Rabbis Wallach and Roffman lead this light-hearted, spunky exodus from Egypt.

MESSY PARTY — IN-PERSON
Sunday, June 6
Save the date for an in-person (please!) Family Center get together!