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The summer of 2019 is a success story with every Shabbat and Kiddush having from 20 to 60 participants and Friday night Reform services with 20 to 40 participants. Thank you to Joe and Chavie Steinfeld, Rickey and Gail Rothner, Beth Consolino, and Steve and Karen Tolen for all you have done to enhance this success. The FHC board plans to add two more Friday night services and at least two more social events for 2020 summer

Book Club

Three well-attended meetings of the FHC book club have encouraged the group to continue. Thank you Sharona Shapiro for creating and facilitating the group.

Community

“Blessing of a Broken Heart”, a one women show, was held at the synagogue in August. It was well attended and enjoyed by all. Thanks to Foundry Hall and all that helped produce this wonderful event.

Bagels and Broadway

On August 18th, FHC celebrated the 90th birthday of the shul with “Bagels and Broadway,” featuring the vocal talents of our own Lou Price, in the memory of Arlene Tolen and sponsored by the Shechtman family. Around 60 people attended and enjoyed the great food. We got to see old friends like Rich Jordan, the Vogel family, the Green family, Buzzy Klein and the Block (Babock) family. Thank you to Lou, Kim, Steve and Barry for all you did for this wonderful event.

Thank you

A special thank you to Ricky Rothner for the new refrigerator/freezer. It has already come in handy for parties and Shabbat.

Remember Dues

We wish to remind all that dues, \$300/family or individual, are due by September 1st.

Remembrance

The Warshawsky family appreciated the kind thoughts with regard to the loss of Shelley, whose legacy will endure forever.

Congratulations

Congratulation to Bob Abel on a special anniversary. This month marks 50 years since his return from Viet Nam. We want to thank Bob for his service to our country and remember him and others who put their life on the line for us.

Amazon Smile

Donations to the First Hebrew Congregation is painless when making your Amazon purchases. The AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price from your eligible AmazonSmile purchases to the FHC.

Go to smile.amazon.com and select the First Hebrew Congregation of South Haven as your charity of choice. We received our first donations this month!

High Holiday Services

High Holiday services, in the format of egalitarian Conservative, will be led by Rabbi Alan Cohen. The schedule is as follows:

ROSH HASHANNAH

Candle lighting time on Sunday (9/29)—7:12 pm
SERVICES ON SUNDAY EVE (9/29)—8 pm

MONDAY (9/30)—9:30 am
TASHLIKH (9/30)—4:30 pm at the CLOCK TOWER on North Shore Drive
Candle lighting on Monday eve (9/30)—8:10 pm

TUESDAY (10/1)—9:30 am

SHABBAT SERVICES (10/5) 10 am

KOL NIDRE (TUESDAY EVE—10/8)

Candle lighting at 6:57 pm
SERVICES AT 7:15 pm

YOM KIPPUR (WEDNESDAY—10/9) 10 am

YIZKOR at 12:30 pm
MINHAH at 5:15 pm
NEILAH at 6:30 pm
MAARIV at 7:35 pm
SHOFAR BLOWING at 7:45 pm