



## Greeting from your Rabbi Len Muroff:

*"Prayer is not surrogate for work. He who makes peace in the heavens needs active allies to make peace on earth."*

*-Rabbi Harold Schulweis*

*Let's work together to deepen our lives and those of our neighbors. Happy Hanukkah.*



**December 6<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup>**

**December 25<sup>th</sup>**

**January 1<sup>st</sup>**

**Rabbi Muroff at Israel Conference**

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- Donation to general or specific fund (<https://tbolm.shulcloud.com/payment.php>)

## Here's what's happening at TBO over the next month:

- Mark your calendar ... **Please note that dates are subject to change**, so always check the calendar on the website **tbolm.org**
- Event notations: OS (On-Site), Z (Zoom), or YT (YouTube).
- If an RSVP is required, go to the TBO website and click on the calendar or event flyer link.

DECEMBER 2024						
Date		Time	Event	OS	Z	YT
12/01	Sun	1:00 pm	Laura Bloch Celebration of Life	OS		
12/03	Tue	10:30 am	Knotty Ladies		Z	
12/03	Tue	7:00 pm	Sisterhood Board Meeting		Z	
12/04	Wed	12:00 pm	Brown Bag & Books		Z	
12/06	Fri	6:00 pm	Bring Your Own Shabbat Dinner Gathering	OS		
12/06	Fri	7:30 pm	Erev Shabbat Worship Service	OS		YT
12/07	Sat	5:30 pm	Latkes & More	OS		
12/09	Mon	5:00 pm	Board Meeting	OS		
12/10	Tue	10:30 am	Knotty Ladies	OS	Z	
12/10	Tue	7:00 pm	Safety & Security Committee Meeting		Z	
12/11	Wed	6:30 pm	Sisterhood Members Dinner & Hanukkah Party	OS		
12/12	Wed	5:30 pm	A&A Finance Meeting		Z	
12/13	Fri	7:30 pm	Erev Shabbat Worship Service	OS		YT
12/15	Sun	4:00 pm	ICR/Social Action Veterans Project	OS		
12/16	Mon	6:00 pm	Grant Sub-Committee Meeting		Z	
12/17	Tue	10:30 am	Knotty Ladies		Z	
12/18	Wed	10:30 am	ICR/Social Action Committee Meeting		Z	
12/18	Wed	6:15 pm	Brotherhood Dinner Program & Meeting	OS	Z	
12/20	Fri	7:30 pm	Erev Shabbat Worship Service	OS		YT
12/21	Sat	10:00 am	Prayer and Torah Study with Rabbi Muroff		Z	
12/23	Mon	7:00 pm	Membership Committee Meeting		Z	
12/24	Tue	10:30 am	Knotty Ladies	OS	Z	
12/24	Tue	6:00 pm	Moo Shu Jew	OS		
12/25	Wed	Sunset	First Night of Hanukkah			
12/27	Fri	7:30 pm	Erev Shabbat & Hanukkah Worship Services	OS		YT
12/30	Mon	5:00 pm	Hanukkah Lighting at Main Place Mall	OS		
12/31	Tue	10:30 am	Knotty Ladies		Z	

## Greeting from your TBO Presidents:

Thank you to everyone who supported the food drive. We are happy to report that we donated 288 pounds of food to the Interfaith Food Council.



Hope you will all join us for Latkes & More on Saturday, December 7, 2024. In addition to latkes, salad and sliders, we have many activities planned! When you come, please bring a toy for the La Mirada Toy Drive.

Thanks to everyone who participated in the Rabbi's evaluation. We had 100% participation from the Board and 36% from the congregation.

On Sunday, December 15 at 4:00 the ICR/Social Action committee and Debbie Holland are sponsoring "Pack a Bag for the Veterans". Come out and help pack the bags for the Long Beach Veterans Medical Center or donate items! Check out the details on our website.

We are looking for someone to take over the Beacon-ette. It requires computer knowledge and about 2 hours or so a month. (Training will be provided!!) Please let us know if you can help.

Stay up-to-date and informed about everything concerning our Temple on our website [TBOLM.org](http://TBOLM.org)

Wishing all of you and your families a very Happy Hanukkah and Happy 2025!

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- We need ushers to greet our members and guests on Friday before Shabbat services. For more info contact [security@tbolm.org](mailto:security@tbolm.org)



### ***No offer to help is too small...***

"As you grow older, you will discover that you have two hands — one for helping yourself, the other for helping others." — Audrey Hepburn.

"The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others." — Gandhi.

## LISTING OF TEMPLE BETH OHR COMMITTEES, CLUBS, AND OTHER GROUPS

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