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Federation created and enabled innovative and meaningful events and programs this year, including:

Dear Friends,

I consider myself very fortunate to be involved with the work of our Federation here in Western Massachusetts, which has existed for nearly 100 years as a critical resource for humanitarian, educational, and financial support for both local and world Jewry.

Since Israel was officially established as a Jewish state in 1948, Federation has supported and advocated for it and has celebrated its existence as our Jewish homeland. When I reflect on this extraordinary history of our Federation, I am so proud of how far we have come as a community and for all that we have achieved for the greater good of the world.

My own Federation work enables me to continue the philanthropic work of my great-grandfather Philip Goldstein, who in 1909 was among the founders of a Jewish society that offered funding to support the Jews of Sullivan County New York, also known as the Borscht Belt. I briefly share my own personal history here to encourage all of us to remember and honor the philanthropic work of our forebears; when we contribute to the needs of the Jewish world today, we carry out and honor their legacies.

May we all establish our own legacies now, by supporting the work of our local Federation, by which we pave the way for our own successors to have the same opportunities as we have to preserve Jewish life and Jewish values. Thus, let us celebrate both the present and the future of the Jewish Federation of Western Massachusetts, an organization that exemplifies what it means to be the primary cornerstone of Jewish philanthropy.

I wish you the best of health for 2022.

Lara R. Curtis, Ph.D., President,
Jewish Federation of Western Massachusetts
Dear Friends,

As our Federation and community move forward from the challenges of the past two years, I am passionately optimistic about the opportunities ahead of us. Together, we continue to make extraordinary accomplishments and strengthen our community by collaborating toward our shared goals.

Over the past decade I have had the privilege of working with many different local, national, and international Jewish organizations. We are fortunate that here in Western Massachusetts we are unique and resilient, changing with the times while continuing to remember and appreciate our historical roots. We engage across all ages and stages of Jewish life, work together to create events and activities for every type of Jewish identity and connection, and stay alert to meet emerging needs.

I have also witnessed how our Jewish community welcomes and invests in every person. We seek to empower individuals and organizations to lead and to collaborate on the issues of importance to our community and the people we serve. Together, we will continue to ensure that every member of our community is empowered and involved in Jewish life in the ways they choose.

Thank you for being present and involved in sustaining our community and creating a better world for ourselves and future generations. Together, we make a difference in the lives of people in Western Massachusetts, in Israel, and around the world.

With gratitude,

Nora Gorenstein, Interim Executive Director,
Jewish Federation of Western Massachusetts
Thank you to the 2021 Officers & Elected Trustees

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE & OFFICERS

Lara Curtis, President
Tani Sapirstein, Vice President
Henia Lewin, Secretary
Jeffrey Mandell, Treasurer
Ronda Parish, Past President
Steve Dane, JEF Chair
David Sloviter

ELECTED

Michelle Anfang
Carol Engelson
Anya Griffith
Miryam Kabakov
Gail Lansky
Robyn Newhouse
Sarah Shtrax

Thank you also to all of our honorary members, past presidents, and agency representatives for your service!

The full Board list can be found here: [QR Code]
PREPARING FOR OUR
CENTENNIAL
CELEBRATION:

1926 - 2026

Share your photos, clippings, and memories from years past!

QUESTIONS? IDEAS? EMAIL US:
marketing@jewishwesternmass.org
As many in the United States celebrate the nation’s first female vice president, we have been lifted by a spirit of diversity, democracy and inclusiveness. Those same sentiments recently emerged within the Jewish Federation of Western Massachusetts, an organization that, for nearly a century, has been supporting communities locally, nationally, and worldwide. I recently interviewed eight former female presidents — Donna Feldman, Susan Firestone, Betsy Gaberman, Suze Goldman, Sue Kline, Ronda Parish, Ann Pava and Diane Troderman — who led the organization at various times between 1987-2019. These interviews culminated in a major community-wide virtual program, in which each president was in the spotlight for a few minutes to discuss her accomplishments.

Read the full article by scanning this QR code:

Lara R. Curtis is a founder of the University of Massachusetts Amherst Institute for Holocaust, Genocide, and Memory Studies (IHGMS), adjunct faculty at Springfield College and author of “Writing Resistance and the Question of Gender: Charlotte Delbo, Noor Inayat Khan, and Germaine Tillion.”
The 2019-20 Pioneer Valley Jewish Community Study was conducted by a team from the Cohen Center for Jewish Studies at Brandeis University.

DID YOU KNOW...

12,200 Jewish Households

55% Hampshire and Franklin Counties
45% Hampden County

There are approximately 30,100 people currently living in approximately 12,200 Jewish households in the Pioneer Valley, including 19,200 Jewish adults and 3,700 Jewish children as well as 7,000 non-Jewish adults and 200 non-Jewish children.

25% of Jewish adults in our area participated in at least one program at the Springfield Jewish Community Center in 2019.

60% of Jewish adults in our area have been to Israel at least once.

27% of Jewish households in Pioneer Valley include someone who belongs to any Jewish congregation. Twenty percent of Jewish households belong to a congregation in the Pioneer Valley, including 16% who pay dues to a brick-and-mortar synagogue.
In 2020, Jewish Federation, like the rest of the world, found ourselves in uncharted waters, rife with rising need and projections of falling donations tied to people losing or worried about losing jobs, businesses, and more.

By cultivating additional funding sources through foundations and matching grants, and by redoubling financial resource development outreach efforts, we offset reductions and donor attrition, and acquired support from hundreds of new donors.

We continued to ensure sound fiscal management by:

- Making commitments based on a budget with attainable revenue goals
- Reducing operational spending
- Ongoing reviews of revenue and expenses for adherence to budget plan
- Managing long-term funds to ensure our continued ability to weather challenges

**MAINTAINING OUR POTENTIAL FOR IMPACT**

We responded promptly and thoughtfully to financial projections that charitable contributions across the region would decrease due to the pandemic. We lowered campaign projections and expenditures to reflect the unknown, while cultivating other revenue sources.
2020 OVERVIEW
Giving & Impact
As of Dec. 31, 2020

Total Revenue 2020: $8,545,308
  Contributions and Grants: $3,127,831
  Portfolio Income and Gains: $5,417,477
  2020 Annual Campaign Contributions: $631,412*

Total Expenses 2020: $4,467,303
  Grants and Distributions: $3,176,739
  Other Program Expenses: $375,911
  Fundraising Expenses: $331,715
  Management and General Expenses: $582,938

Total Net Assets: $48,843,440
  Total Assets: $50,688,301
  Total Liabilities: $1,844,861

*Includes pledges made after Dec. 31, 2020
INVESTED IN A JEWISH FUTURE

Local Agency Allocations: $200,000

- Beit Ahavah
- Congregation Ahavas Achim
- Congregation B’nai Israel
- Congregation Sons of Zion
- Five College Kupah (Hillels serving Amherst, Hampshire, Smith, Mt. Holyoke and UMASS)
- New England Jewish Academy
- Jewish Community of Amherst
- Jewish Family Service of Western Massachusetts
- Lander-Grinspoon Academy
- Lubavitcher Yeshiva Academy
- Sandi Kupperman Learning Center of Temple Beth El
- Sinai Temple Religious School
- Springfield Jewish Community Center
- UMASS Hillel
CARED FOR THE VULNERABLE

Overseas & Israel Allocations: $200,000

Through our partners JDC, JAFI, World ORT, P2G, and JFNA we supported Jews in need in more than 70 countries.

INVESTED IN THE JEWISH FUTURE

The Jewish Endowment Foundation of the Jewish Federation of Western Massachusetts offered grants in high priority areas including security and Jewish education. Other grants include scholarships funded by endowment funds, and unexpected opportunity grants for local organizations.

Donor Advised Fund Grants: $1,507,711.42
Community Grants: $921,523.49
Agency Distributions: $426,477.31
Scholarships: $65,412.95
The Star of David Society of the Jewish Federations of North America is an elite national recognition program that honors philanthropists who have endowed a minimum annual campaign gift of $10,000 with a Perpetual Annual Campaign Endowment (PACE) or women’s Lion of Judah Endowment (LOJE) of $200,000, couples who establish two PACE funds at a minimum of $100,000 each, or individuals who create any permanent endowment of $500,000.

LEGACY GIVING AT YOUR OWN PACE

STAR OF DAVID SOCIETY MEMBERS

- Stephen Bennett
- Mitchell Berlin*
- Anne & Elliot Bloom
- Charlotte & Paul Bloom*
- Frances Cohen* in honor of Norman Cohen*
- Brenda & Alan* Curtis
- Marcy Eisenberg
- Lorie & Charles Epstein
- Susan & William Firestone
- Lynn & William* Fogle
- Betsy & Richard Gaberman
- Helen & Shefford Goldband*
- Albert Goldberg*
- Susan & Ronald Grodsky
- Anna P. Housen*
- Maurice & Lynn Katz*
- Alissa & Steven Korn
- Janet & Charles*
- Nirenberg
- Arthur Pava*
- Ann & Jeremy Pava
- Fay & James Smith
- Diane Troderman & Harold Grinspoon
- Ruth & Ralph Webber*
- Ruth & Franklin Weiss*

*Of Blessed Memory
GENERATION TO GENERATION SOCIETY MEMBERS

Each individual who makes a commitment of at least $100,000 to endow an annual campaign gift of $5,000 or more to support the Jewish Federation of Western Massachusetts is recognized as a member of our local Generation to Generation Society and receives a beautiful crystal flame. Women’s LOJE commitments are included in this category.

- Kenneth Abrahams*
- Stephen Bennett
- Anne Perlo Bloom
- Charlotte Bloom*
- Elliot Bloom
- Paul Bloom*
- Sheila Budnick in honor of Alan Budnick*
- Paul Cohen
- Frances Cohen*
- Sharon Cohen
- Alan Curtis*
- Brenda Curtis
- Steven Dane
- Sherry Dickerman
- Marcy Eisenberg
- Charles Epstein
- Lorie Epstein
- Susan Weiss Firestone
- William Firestone
- Lynn Foggle
- William Foggle*
- Betsey Freedman
- Betsy Heit Gaberman
- Richard Gaberman
- Helen Goldband*
- Shefford Goldband*
- Albert Goldberg*
- Daniel Goodman
- David Goodman
- Harold Grinspoon
- Jeffrey Grinspoon
- Steven Grinspoon
- Ronald Grodsky
- Susan Grodsky
- Beatrice Hano
- Lynn Katz*
- Maurice Katz*
- Alissa Korn
- Steven Korn
- Zelma Lavin*
- Miriam Lieff
- Stuart Meyers
- Robyn Newhouse
- Charles Nirenberg*
- Janet Nirenberg
- Ronda Parish
- Ann Pava
- Arthur Pava*
- Jeremy Pava
- Harold Rosen*
- William Sadowsky*
- Cathrine Fischer Schwartz
- Allan Skole*
- Fay Smith
- James Smith
- Diane Troderman
- Ruth Wallace*
- Ralph Webber*
- Ruth Webber*
- Wendy Webber
- Franklin Weiss*
- Ruth Weiss*
- Nicolette Wernick
- Wendy Webber
- Bruce Wintman
PERPETUAL ANNUAL CAMPAIGN ENDOWMENT (PACE)

PACE funds have been established to endow an annual gift to honor in lifetime or memorialize in perpetuity the following:

- Gabriel Auerbach*
- Joanna & Clay Ballantine
- Marjorie Berg
- Betsy & Joel Bertuzzi
- Laura & Arnold* Blake
- Amy Bricker
- Justin Cammy
- Jean & Edward Canter*
- Diann & Herbert Cohen
- Pudsie & Sidney Cooley*
- Laura & Dean Curtis
- George Dickerman
- Phyllis & Mark Dindas
- Meredith & Ze’ev Dragon
- Eunice Elion*
- Margaret Epstein
- Steven Feldman
- Adena & Ben Falk
- Solomon Freeman*
- Jonna Gaberman
- Myra & Jerome Gold
- Susan & Marc Goldman
- Shirley & Herbert Goldstein*
- Edward Greenbaum
- Joshua Grey
- Sue Heller
- Mildred & Robert Kantor*
- Erica & Scott Kaplan
- Barry Kittredge*
- Susan & Edward Kline
- Karen Hirsch Kuhr
- Michelle Lancto
- Selma & George Lesnow*
- Iris Diamond Linson
- Bea & Jay Loey
- Sharon & Jeffrey Mandell
- Pearl-Anne & Nathan Margalit
- Linda Minoff
- Ronnie & Ronald Nadel
- Esther & Morris Okun*
- Susanne & Robert Osofsky
- Evelyn Parish*
- Michael Paysnick
- David & Deborah Peskin
- Sue Polansky
- Florence & Simon Posnick*
- Nancy Posnick & Avi Kushner
- Anne & Jacob Robinson*
- Rose Sadovsky*
- Pam Smith & Mel Cohen
- Grace Sperling
- Leonard Tariff*
- Sara Weinberger & Mordi Kamel
- Dorothy & Zane Wernick*
- Herbert Wood
DONOR ADVISED FUNDS

- Block Family Fund of Westfield, MA
- Ronni Susan Bloom Memorial Fund
- Isaac Goodman Chapin Donor Advised Fund
- Irving & Sylvia Cohen Family Philanthropic Fund
- Sharon B. Cohen Donor Advised Fund
- Alan & Brenda Curtis Philanthropic Fund
- Dean & Lara Curtis Donor Advised Fund
- Milton & Martha Dalitzky Family Foundation
- Muriel Dane Donor Advised Fund
- George & Sherry Dickerman Family Philanthropic Fund
- Mark & Phyllis Dindas Family Philanthropic Fund
- Epstein Family Donor Advised Fund
- Falk Family Charitable Fund
- Donna Feldman Philanthropic Fund
- Ann Feldman Memorial Heart Fund
- Steven & Donna Feldman Family Philanthropic Fund
- William & Susan Firestone Family Donor Advised Fund
- Joseph D. Freedman Family Foundation
- Richard M. Gaberman & Elizabeth Heit
- Gaberman Charitable Fund
- Ira Gaberman Philanthropic Fund
- Natan Gaberman Donor Advised Fund
- Jonna Gaberman & Bruce Wintman Family Fund
- Yoshua Gaberman Donor Advised Fund
- Noah Michael Gaberman Wintman Donor Advised Fund
- Jonathan & Susan Goldsmith Family Donor Advised Fund
- Kathy & Daniel Goodman Family Fund
- David & Deborah Goodman Family Fund
- Dr. Bernard & Samra Gotlib Family Fund
- Harold Grinspoon Endowment Fund
- Leslie N. & Michael Grodsky Memorial Fund
- Lynne D. & Gilbert A. Haberman Family Charitable Fund
- Sheila G. Halpern Family Charitable Fund
- Herbert M. Halpern Family Charitable Fund
- Marjorie & Bruce Hambro Family Charitable Fund
DONOR ADVISED FUNDS, CONT’D

- Stella & Samuel Izenstein Family Fund
- JMR Fund
- Gabriel A. Katz Tzedekah Fund
- Nina Ruth Katz Tzedekah Fund
- Harriet R. & Richard R. Kimball Family Donor Advised Fund
- Kline Family Philanthropic Fund
- Alissa & Steven Korn Family Charitable Fund
- Rachel Korn Tzedakah Fund
- Neal & Estelle Lakritz Family Philanthropic Fund
- Stephen and Joan Levine Family Fund
- Miriam Lieff & Albert Goldberg Fund
- Jacob Alan Lubell Donor Advised Fund
- Joshua David Lubell Donor Advised Fund
- Robert & Susanne Osofsky Family Fund
- Jeremy & Ann Pava Family Fund
- Susan & Stanley Polansky Family Fund
- Charles L. Polep Family Charitable Fund
- Popkin & Budnick Family Philanthropic Fund
- Sarah & Will Richmond Donor Advised Fund
- Jacob Z. & Anne Robinson Family Fund
- Steven & Georgianne Roberts Donor Advised Fund
- Marsha & Paul Rothschild Family Fund
- James & Barbara Sadowsky Family Fund
- Ronald & Brenna Sadowsky Family Charitable Fund
- Sophie Schaffer & Family Philanthropic Fund
- Sally & Malcolm Schneider Family Foundation
- Naomi & Mickey Schoenberg Family Fund
- Barry & Jane G. Schulman Philanthropic Fund
- Daryl J. Schwartz Family Charitable Fund
- Dr. Jacob B. & Estelle G. Shammash Family Fund
- Morty Shapiro “Never Say No” Charitable Foundation
- Mark & Jane Sherman & Mollie Sherman Family Fund
- Samuel & Helen Skolnick Family Fund
DONOR ADVISED FUNDS, CONT’D

- Linda & Jerry Wainick Family Philanthropic Fund
- Wendy & Neal Webber Family Fund
- Franklin & Ruth Weiss Family Charitable Fund
- Stuart & Nanette Rubin Weisenberg Fund
- Jerome M. Wiener Family Charitable Fund
- Stanley T. & Karen J. Winer Family Fund
- Harold & Nicolette Wernick Special Fund
- Harold & Nicolette Wernick Family Philanthropic Fund

FOR THE BENEFIT OF AGENCIES & SYNAGOGUES

B’nai Torah
- Kenneth & Rosalie Abrahams Scholarship and Financial Aid Fund
- Alliance of Orthodox Congregations Cemetery Endowment Fund
- Congregation B’hai Torah Jewish Legacy Fund
- Kermit R. Barger Memorial Fund
- Beth Israel Sisterhood Endowment Fund
- Paul & Charlotte Bloom Fund Congregation Kodimoh
- Ann Filler Fund of B’nai Torah
- Congregation B’hai Torah Foint-Pava Scholar in Residence Fund
- Dr. Louis Izenstein Memorial Lecture Fund
- Benjamin H. Katz Family Chanukah Fund
- Alliance of Orthodox Congregations Restricted Fund
- Kodimoh Sisterhood Endowment Fund
- Charles L. Polep Cong. Kodimoh Fund
- Muriel Schwartz Memorial Fund for Cong.Kodimoh
- Estate of Mitchell Berlin Restricted Fund
- Irving Shapiro Memorial Fund
- Paul & Charlotte Bloom Special Charitable Fund

City of Homes
- City of Homes Cemetery Association
FOR THE BENEFIT OF AGENCIES & SYNAGOGUES CONT’D

New England Jewish Academy
- Hebrew High School of New England 21st Century/HGF Challenge Fund
- Charles L. Polep Hebrew HS of NE Fund

Hebrew Free Loan
- Hebrew Free Loan Association Restricted Fund

Heritage Academy
- Noel Burke Special Needs Memorial Fund Heritage Academy
- Edward & Jean Canter Heritage Academy Fund
- Rev. Joseph B. & Mrs. Lena Freedman Family Scholarship Fund
- Goodman Family Fund-Heritage Ac. Israel Study Tour Rest Fund
- Greenbaum Family Fund for the Benefit of Heritage Academy
- Heritage Academy 21st Century/HGF Fund
- Heritage Academy Endowment Fund
- Yetta & Louis Izenstein Education Fund

- Ida Margolis/Sheldon Saffer Trustee Restricted Fund
- Arthur & Rebecca Marshall Fund for Heritage Academy
- Edward J. Naurison Memorial Fund
- Florence Naurison Family Fund
- Charles L. Polep Heritage Academy Fund
- Gertrude & Jack Popkin Memorial Scholarship Fund Heritage Academy
- Herman A. & Gail L. Rickless Academic Scholarship Fund
- Harold & Belle Rosen Charitable Fund
- Grenna Saffer Memorial Library Fund of Heritage Academy
- Weiss Firestone Fund for Israel Education at Heritage Academy
- Karl & Lillian Zuckerman Family-Heritage Academy Fund

Hillel House at UMass Amherst
- UMass Amherst Hillel Endowment Fund
FOR THE BENEFIT OF AGENCIES & SYNAGOGUES CONT’D

Hillel House at UMass Amherst
- UMASS Amherst Hillel Max Goldberg
- Jewish Living Community Fund
- UMass Amherst Hillel Herbert and Sayre Levi Fund
- David Liederman Endowment Fund for Social Justice and Community Service
- UMASS Amherst Hillel Saul Perlmutter Endowment Fund
- UMass Amherst Hillel Janice & Leo Rossbach Parenting & Family Life Programs Fund
- UMASS Amherst Hillel Diane Troderman Fund for Jewish Women’s Programming

Jewish Community of Amherst
- Jewish Community of Amherst, Inc. Fund

Jewish Federation of the Berkshires
- Jewish Federation of the Berkshires Endowment
- Henry Voremberg Fund for Jewish Federation of the Berkshires
- Sinai Academy of the Berkshires 21st Century/HGF Challenge
- Dr. Michael Nathan Shute Memorial Scholarship Fund

Jewish Federation of Western Massachusetts
- Elliot Bloom Family President’s Fund
- Herbert & Phyllis Cohen Family Fund for Immigrants to Israel

JGS
- Fred & Shirlee Cardarett Fund for JGS
- Jewish Nursing Home Restricted Fund
- Jewish Geriatric Services Agency Advised Fund
- Arthur & Rebecca Marshall Fund for Jewish Geriatric Services
- Charles L. Polep Jewish Nursing Home Fund
- Estate of Mitchell Berlin Restricted Fund

Lander-Grinspoon Academy
- Lander Grinspoon Academy Fund
FOR THE BENEFIT OF AGENCIES & SYNAGOGUES
CONT’D

Lubavitcher Yeshiva Academy
- Nathaniel Haber Memorial Fund for LYA
- Kittredge-Webber Lubavitcher Yeshiva Academy Fund
- Lubavitcher Yeshiva Academy 21st Century/HGF Challenge
- Nathan N. Metz Memorial Scholarship Fund for Yeshiva Academy
- Louis & Sheldon Saffer Memorial Scholarship Fund for the Israel Study Tour
- Estate of Mitchell Berlin Restricted Fund

Mak’hela
- Mak’hela Agency Fund

Jewish Federation of Western Massachusetts: Rachel’s Table
- Bernice & Joseph Kalicka Fund of Rachel’s Table
- Rachel’s Table Endowment Fund

Sinai Temple
- Jerry & Linda Wainick Family Fund for Sinai Temple Youth Program

- Ruth & Fred Weiss Fund for Sinai Temple

Springfield Jewish Community Center
- Fred & Shirlee Cardarett Fund for JCC
- Elion Memorial Fund
- Jewish Community Center Infund
- Jewish Community Center Restricted Fund
- Arthur & Rebecca Marshall Fund for the Spfld JCC
- Arthur & Rebecca Marshall Fund for the Spfld JCC
- Nadel Family Fund
- Charles L. Polep Jewish Community Center Fund
- Edith I. Rosenthal Fund
- Totsy Foundation-JCC Jewish Singles Program Fund
- Harry & Jeanette Weinberg Foundation Transportation Fund
- Estate of Mitchell Berlin Restricted Fund
- Paul & Charlotte Bloom Special Charitable Fund
FOR THE BENEFIT OF AGENCIES & SYNAGOGUES CONT’D

Temple Beth El
- Frances B. & Norman N. Cohen Fund for Temple Beth El (formerly Cong B’nai Jacob)
- Irving & Mollie Merrill Scholarship Fund
- Beth A. Lieberman Niejadlik Endowment Fund
- Temple Beth El Cemetery Fund
- David & Ruth Bennett Endowment Fund for Children at Temple Beth El
- Shefford & Helen Goldband Memorial for Temple Beth El
- Simon J. Katz Fund of Temple Beth El
- Twenty-First Century Fund of Temple Beth El
- Totsy Fund for Sandi Kupperman Learning Center of TBE
- Ann & Stuart Barowsky Family Fund
- Paul & Charlotte Bloom Special Charitable Fund
- Morris & Esther Okun Memorial Fund

National Yiddish Book Center
- A & R Marshall Restricted Fund for National Yiddish Book Ctr
- Paul & Charlotte Bloom Special Charitable Fund

FOR NON-JEWISH ORGANIZATIONS

Baystate Medical Center
- Arthur & Rebecca Marshall Fund for Baystate Medical Center

Community Music School of Springfield
- Jeffrey & Lorraine Katz Fund for Music Education

Mercy Hospital
- Arthur & Rebecca Marshall Fund for Mercy Hospital

Visiting Nurses Association
- Charles L. Polep Visiting Nurse Association Fund

Western New England University
- A & R Marshall Fund for Western New England College
RESTRICTED PURPOSE FUNDS

Children
- Brenda Jane Allen Memorial Fund
- McDonald’s Harold Rosen Children’s Fund

Individuals with Disabilities
- Eugene & Rhoda Zeller Family Fund

Elderly
- Joseph Izenstein Memorial Fund
- Anne Miskovich Restricted Fund for the Elderly
- Ida J. Salit Fund for Senior Life

Teen Israel Educational Travel
- Lloyd Bardach B’nai B’rith Scholarship Fund
- Jody Berg Memorial Fund
- Lillian & Philip Bessoff Simcha Restricted Fund
- Frances B. & Norman N. Cohen Memorial Fund for Israel Travel, Study & Programs
- Lynn & William Fogle 50th Anniversary Fund for Israel Study
- Melvin & Florence Lavin Fund for Israel Travel
- Nathan & Joan Libby Jewish Education Fund

Israel
- Anna P. Housen Fund for Israel
- Fred Weiss Fund for Israel
- Sylvia Zucker Children’s Fund

Academic Scholarships (Jewish Students)
- Edna Frankel (JEF) Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Hebrew Education, Culture & Israel Scholarship Fund
- Jonas B. & Anne R. Heit Foundation Fund
- Leslie & Beatrice Kahan Scholarship Fund
- Max, Frances & David Neigher Scholarship Fund
- Jeffrey A. Parish Fund for Study in Israel
- Aaron Posnik Family Fund
- Bertha & Abraham Ritterman Scholarship Fund
RESTRICTED PURPOSE FUNDS CONT’D

### Jewish Education
- Ida & Harry Gaberman & Anne & Jonas Heit Charitable Fund
- Sally Grinspoon Fund for Jewish Leaders
- Marlene & George Kittredge Fund for Jewish Education

### Jewish Women & Girls
- NEFESH-Nurturing the Feminine Spirit of Hope Fund

### Missions
- Mission Fund: Businessman’s Mission Funds
- Steven & Donna Feldman Mission Fund
- Harold Rosen Memorial Fund for Missions to Israel

### Professional and Leadership Development
- Frances B. & Norman N. Cohen Memorial Fund for Leadership Development
- Coopers & Lybrand Endowment Fund
- Maurice Kurn Memorial Fund
- Moriarty & Primack Endowment Fund

### Springfield Council of Jewish Women
- Academic Scholarships
- Pearle Poltenson Aaron & A. Allen Aaron Fund
- Gertrude Adelstein & Sidney Adelstein Fund
- Stanley & Gertrude (Gerry) Asinof Fund
- Pauline A. Asinof Scholarship Fund
- William Barowsky Memorial Fund
- Lillian Benton SCJW Scholarship Fund
- Daniel F. Berg Fund
- Leah Ruth Chase Scholarship Fund
- Lillian R., A. Abraham Benton & Rose Corbert Fund
- Bernerd & Eleanore Dunn Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Harry & Claire Edelson Scholarship Fund
- Maurice & Eunice Elion Scholarship Fund
- Anne B. Frank Scholarship Fund
- Lucie Friedman Fund
- Janine, Marc & Steven Goldstein Scholarship Fund
- Maurice L., Selden E. & Herbert M. Goldstein Fund
RESTRICTED PURPOSE FUNDS CONT’D

- Shirley & Herbert Goldstein Memorial Fund
- Bea & Frank Hano Scholarship Fund
- Judy & Ted Ingis Scholarship Fund
- Gary A. Jennison Fund
- Sylvia B. & Benjamin H. Katz Fund
- Ida & Louis, Milton & Edith Katz Fund
- Bertha B. Kittredge, Alfred H. Webber, Ralph G. Webber Scholarship Fund
- Iris & Edward Krintzman Fund
- Mary Louise & Newell Nissenbaum Scholarship Fund
- Potter (Vera, Leon, Ivan), Sloane (Julia, Homer W.), Slutskin (Sofia, Maurice) Family Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Lenore F. Roberts Scholarship Fund

- Springfield Council of Jewish Women Scholarship Fund
- Ruth K. Webber Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Weltman Family Fund

Resettlement
- Local Resettlement Fund of the Jewish Federation

Singles
- Fund for Jewish Singles

Social Justice
- Adele Beck Memorial/Community Relations Council Fund
- Honorable Frank Freedman Memorial Fund
- Harold Grinspoon & Diane Troderman Fund for Social Justice

To learn more or begin the process of creating a new endowment fund, contact Interim Executive Director Nora Gorenstein, ngorenstein@jewishwesternmass.org.
WE GRATEFULLY ACKNOWLEDGE THE GENEROSITY OF THOSE WHO CONTRIBUTED TO THE 2020 ANNUAL CAMPAIGN

Prime Minister’s Council ($100,000 & Above)
- Janet Nirenberg

Zahav ($25,000 - $49,999)
- Harold Grinspoon Foundation

King David / Emerald Lion ($25,000 - $49,999)
- Harold Grinspoon

Pacesetter / Ruby Lion ($10,000 - $17,999)
- Steven Dane
- Sherry & George Dickerman
- Diane Troderman
- Wendy Webber
- Arthur Pava Star of David Campaign Endowment Fund

Shofar / Lion of Judah ($5,000 - $9,999)
- Alan Curtis Generation to Generation Society Fund
- Anne Bloom
- Elliot Bloom
- Sheila Budnick
- Charlotte Bloom Lion of Judah Endowment Fund
- Edward and Jean Canter Perpetual Annual Campaign Endowment
- Sylvia Falk
- William Firestone
- Frances B. Cohen Lion of Judah Endowment Fund
- Franklin Weiss Generation to Generation Fund
- Candy Glazer
- Shefford Goldband Generation to Generation Fund
- Bruce Hambro
- Harold Rosen Generation to Generation Fund
- Helen Goldband Lion of Judah Endowment Fund
- Judy Ingis
- Barry R. Jacobs
- Susan Kline
- Miriam Lieff
- Lynn Katz Lion of Judah Endowment Fund
- Maurice N. Katz Generation to Generation Fund
- Robyn Newhouse
- Susanne Osofsky
- Ronda Parish
- Paul Bloom Generation to Generation Society Fund
- Ann Pava
- Ralph G. Webber
- Generation to Generation Fund
- Ruth Wallace Lion of Judah Endowment Fund
- Ruth Webber Lion of Judah (LOJE) Fund
- Cathrine & Roger Schwartz
- Susan Weiss Firestone
- Ruth Weiss*
- Shefford Goldband
- Generation to Generation Fund
- Steven & Nadine Wenner
- Bruce Wintman
- William Sadowsky
- Generation to Generation Fund

**Chai Society / Pomegranate ($1,800 - $4,999)**
- Dr. Rebecca Barron & Dr. Tovy Kamine
- Stewart Bromberg & John Winslow
- Lara & Dean Curtis
- Eunice K. Elion PACE Fund
- George Falk
- Donna Feldman
- Solomon Freeman
- PACE Fund
- Harlene Ginsberg
- Adam Peck & Rhonda Goldberg
- Seth & Jennifer Goodman
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Rachel’s Table, (RT), the nearly 30-year-old food rescue program of the Jewish Federation of Western Massachusetts, moved past immediate pandemic response to sustaining changes that serve to further reduce food waste and alleviate hunger. This past year saw an increase in our service – to 30% more families and individuals, as we expanded our 6-day-a-week program of food rescue into Hampshire County with agencies, food donors and drivers local to Northampton and Amherst and the surrounding towns. Our Food Bank partnership also expanded, allowing RT to deliver meat, dairy and produce to more agencies that feed the food insecure, and helping to fill the gap in the Food Bank’s enabled agency program.

RT enables members of our community to make a difference when it comes to hunger in our area. This year, youth created art about hunger and learned about its effect on health in children, filled 250 backpacks for the Holyoke Weekend Backpack program, and sponsored a virtual Foodraiser that purchased over 5,000 items to 4 agencies, including Jewish Family Service for their Afghan resettlement program.

Gleaning this fall was an amazing adventure: we gleaned with our sponsors, our agencies, a youth group from Amherst Regional high school that wanted to combat anti-Semitism, and conducted, with our wonderful new Gleaning Coordinator Cara Michelle Silverberg, a multigenerational gleaning event centered on the current Shmita year. We conducted Community Gleaning days as we saw the need – many eggplants were going to waste in a local field, and Jill Stewart, one of RT’s Board members, was savvy enough to reach out, find the farmer, and then get over 20 people to glean in a day’s notice. Apples were also abundant, and Alyce Stiles, a former Board member and amazing volunteer, made sure over 3,000 pounds of apples found their way to various of our agencies. We also engaged businesses in our rescue: Gagne Wealth Management in Greenfield gathered their team to move 3,500 pounds of lasagna, while Timberland Trucking, Climate Engineering and USA Waste and Recycling donated trucks and drivers to move over 40 tons of lasagna in September. In 2021, overall, RT distributed 766,990.15 pounds of food to our 3-county-wide community. We also added Program Coordinator Jay Levine to our staff.

This past year also saw new growth in RT’s programming and in sponsorship. The Growing Gardens program, breaking ground as we speak, was recently awarded $75,000 for the next three years to help our agencies grow their own food, an essential part of allying with others to help solve the problem of hunger in a dignified and meaningful way. 2021 started out with donating over 140,000 pounds of food a month and because of that significant amount of food distributed, State Senator Eric Lesser helped RT receive $100,000 in 2022 state funds for operations and to purchase a refrigerated van. Our Bountiful Bowls went virtual in May 2021, and while honoring Bob Bolduc of Pride Stores, and Suze Goldman, local activist and community leader, RT was able to raise 50% more funds than in 2019 to help offset the growing need and to sustain RT’s operations to meet that need. We at RT are thrilled to be able to do the work we set out to do nearly 30 years ago, and we meet that 30-year milestone with determination to keep doing more, for good.
In October, with the support of Senator Eric Lesser, the Jewish Federation of Western Massachusetts received a $25K grant under the Massachusetts Emergency Food Assistance Program (MEFAP) for its Rachel’s Table program. This funding will go towards rental of trucks and vans to deliver more food, general operations and food purchases, both of which have expanded since the pandemic began.

Rachel’s Table’s 6-day-a-week program has now expanded into Hampshire County. The expansion thus far has included 7 Hampshire County-based drivers, 3 new food donors in Hadley, Amherst and Northampton, and 3 new agencies in Amherst and Northampton. This expansion is an example of our efforts to support food security throughout Hampden, Hampshire, and Franklin counties.

A large starter plant donation in April 2021 by Rachel’s Table’s Teen Board began the Growing Gardens project, supporting people in need to grow their own food. Partner agencies are offered support with mentoring and materials to grow produce and involve their constituents in building their programs’ capacity to be self-sustaining. Arbella Insurance Foundation has granted $75,000 for the next three years to support this project and directly impact those affected by food insecurity.

Rachel’s Table has partnered with the Food Bank of Western Massachusetts to fill the gap where agencies lacked transportation or volunteers to transport food donations. This partnership serves 7 agencies, with 13 RT volunteer drivers rescuing nutritious food from 8 donors in Hampden, Hampshire, and Franklin Counties. More than 20,000 lbs. of healthy meat, produce and dairy have been delivered through this partnership to date.
COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

As the next step in responding to our 2019 Western Massachusetts Jewish Community Study, Federation is shifting its organizational priorities to match the changing demographics of our community.

In 2022, we will continue to engage and support Jewish families and the rest of our community with renewed passion and the knowledge that we continue to meet our 95-year commitment to sustain vibrant Jewish life. We will take this opportunity to further expand and provide accessible opportunities for people of all faiths, ages, and identities to connect and engage with our Jewish community.

We are already engaged in a process of evaluating organizational priorities and staffing needs and will continue to be involved with young family engagement in line with our core mission.

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