

## **June 2018 Message from President Howie Hirsch**

As our temple group begins our final preparations for our pilgrimage to Israel, I am getting more excited by the day. We had our final meeting with the travel representative to answer as many of our questions as we could think of. We are making our plans to get to the airport, and we went over the entire trip with the Arza representative.

We will be visiting Tel Aviv, Jerusalem, a Bedouin village, the Golan Heights, the Dead Sea, Masada, the Sea of Galilee, Zfat, Haifa and Caesarea, to name most of the places we will go.

I hope for those of you who are not going, you will follow us on the [temple Facebook page](#). We will try to post daily about the trip so that you can follow along with us on our journey. For those of you who want to see us off, the best way to do that will be at services on Friday, June 15th, where we will all receive a special blessing intended to help keep us safe on our journey.

Shalom,  
Howie

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