

President's Message

I heard a term today that I had not heard before, called "vaccine envy". Over the past few weeks, I have been thrilled to see people in our congregation getting the covid-19 vaccine. Not being a person who gets jealous very often, I think I have felt vaccine envy. Even though I was out of state and was unable to apply for the vaccine, I really wanted to get my dose of the vaccine for me and Iris. Over the last week both Iris and I were able to receive our first dose of the vaccine. I truly hope this is a step in getting back to our normal lives. While I think I have made the best of being cooped up in my house for the better part of a year, and not seeing many people, I miss you all very much. Hugless Howie is not as happy a person as Howie the Hugger. As a congregation, we are starting to think about how to open up again and be able to hold services and classes in person. We will be using all the guidelines that we can find to make the best decisions to keep all of you safe. I look forward to the day when we will be able to embrace, pray, sing, console and rejoice with one another. Be on the lookout for announcements regarding a second night Zoom Seder led by Rabbi Dubin. I wish you a zissen Pesach and much health.

Love, Howie