

Foundation Funds

Rabbi Henri E. Front Memorial Scholar-In-Residence Fund

This fund was established in memory of Henri E. Front, who was the beloved Rabbi of Beth David for 15 years. It provides funds to bring scholars of Jewish or Interfaith interest to Beth David and the community.

Lynn Front URJ Memorial Campership Fund

This fund was established by the Front family in memory of Lynn M. Front. It provides funds to provide camperships for deserving Beth David religious school students to attend Jewish camps, with preference given to URJ sponsored camps.

Caplan Family Outreach Fund

This fund was established by the Caplan family in memory of Al Caplan, who was the founding president of Beth David. It provides funds to support and promote programming intended to attract intermarried couples to Jewish life. The desire of the Caplan family in establishing this fund was to enable Beth David to make a tangible and dramatic impact on the dynamics of intermarriage and synagogue affiliation in Greater Long Beach and West Orange County.

Wendy Schekman Memorial Library Fund

This fund was established by the Schekman family, former members of Beth David in memory of their daughter. It provides funds to support, maintain and improve eth David's library.

Barbara Shanks Educational Enrichment Fund

This fund was established by the Kane family and friends in memory of the Kane's daughter. It provides funds for the purpose of providing enrichment programs for the Beth David religious school.

Dr. Leonard & Marjorie Brotchner Memorial Campership Fund

This fund was established by the Brotchner family in memory of their parents. It provides funds to provide camperships for deserving Beth David religious school students to attend Jewish camps, with preference given to local, Southern California Reform and JCA camps.

Jarrick Family Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by the Jarrick family, following the passing of Alan Jarrick's mother. It provides funds to provide scholarships for the children of temple member families to attend Jewish educational programs offered or sponsored by Beth David.

Irma Moskowitz Life-Long Learning Fund

This fund was established by friends in honor of Irma Moskowitz, Educator Emeritus of Beth David. It provides funds to supplement and enrich the educational experiences and programs that Beth David provides to all its learners from the Early Childhood Leaning Center population to its senior members. These are to be temple sponsored programs and may include programs featuring visiting scholars for families, retreat and off-site educational staff development. Any programs supported through this fund are to have the support of the Director of Education for Life Long Learning and are to be consistent with the purposes and direction of the congregation's overall educational program.

Roselle & Herbert Sommer Trust Fund

This fund was established pursuant to the provisions of the Sommer Family Trust and was later augmented by the Glass Family. It provides funds to support and underwrite Beth David's youth group programs and activities for the benefit of children participating in temple authorized activities.

The Sheila Joseph Memorial Fund

This fund was established by the Joseph family in memory of Sheila Joseph. It provides funds to enhance the lives of Jewish seniors associated with the Beth David community. Activities that will contribute to enhancing the quality of life for Jewish seniors will be eligible.

The Maureen Broscow Memorial Fund

This fund was established by the Broscow family in memory of Maureen Broscow. It provides funds for the Beth David Early Childhood Learning Center (ECLC) to assist needy students with tuition, to support professional development of the ECLC faculty, and to augment programs of the ECLC.

The Mort Wedner Memorial Special Projects Fund

This fund was established by the Wedner family in memory of Mort Wedner. It provides funds for special projects that will enhance and further the missions of Beth David. Qualifying projects are to be innovative ideas, pilot programs or other constructive projects not currently included in the budgets of the Temple board or arms of the temple.

Regina B. Front Memorial Mitzvah Fund

This fund was established by the Front family in memory of Regina Front, former rebbitzen of Beth David. It is a general fund of the Foundation to provide mitzvot, large and small, for Beth David in a manner consistent with Reggie Front's history of caring and good deeds.

Niederman Family Israel Fund

The purpose of this fund is to increase awareness of, and the connection to Israel by supporting activities including, but not limited to, helping to organize congregational trips to Israel, student related programs, events to celebrate Israel, education related to Israel and support for ARZA and the Reform Movement in Israel.

Lasting Legacies Endowment Fund & Hoogasian Lasting Legacy Endowment

This fund was established to benefit the general needs of Beth David with distributions to be used at the discretion of the temple board. 5% of the average