This Week at Temple Israel of Long Beach Experiencing the Warmth of Tradition



March 1, 2025 1 Adar 5785 Shabbat Terumah Shabbat Shekalim Rosh Chodesh





#### SHABBAT SHEKALIM

When the Temple stood in Jerusalem, each Jew contributed an annual half-shekel to the Temple.

The funds raised were primarily used to purchase cattle for the communal sacrifices. The leftover monies were used for a variety of communal purposes, including providing salaries for the judges and maintenance of the Temple, its vessels, and the city walls.

This annual tax, known as the machatzit hashekel, was due on the 1st of Nissan. One month earlier, on the 1st of Adar, the courts began posting reminders about this Biblical obligation.

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SUNDAY MARCH 9TH, 2-4PM 70 EAST PARK AVE LONG BEACH NY \$36 PP IN ADVANCE \$40 AT THE DOOR ALL ART SUPPLIES INCLUDED REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED CONTACT REVI (516) 503-0567 REVISPINKS 18@GMAIL.COM

> SPACE IS LIMITED. RSVP BY MARCH 6TH. 2025

### Candle Lighting 5:28 pm

Kabbalat Shabbat – 5:38 pm For week of 03/01/25 - 03/07/25





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