

# PAS Gala 2021

## הבית שלנו

HaBayit Shelanu: The Home We Build Together!

**HONORING  
ART PENN**

*Thursday, May 6, 2021*



PARK AVENUE SYNAGOGUE

*No matter where we find ourselves,  
we are home when we are with PAS*

## ***Shalom and Welcome!***

This year's gala, our 16th annual, was originally scheduled for May 7, 2020. When we decided last Spring to postpone until this year, 2021, we could have never imagined that we would still be here, in our pandemic wilderness, sending virtual *l'chaims* to one another across our screens. And yet here we find ourselves, physically distanced still.

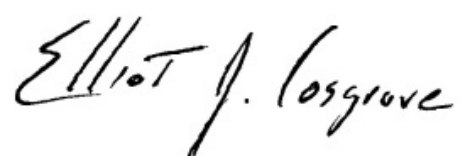
Our theme, *Habayit Shelanu: The Home We Build Together*, was the one we had chosen for our original 2020 celebration. We wanted to speak to the idea of "coming home" after the renovation of our 87th Street building only a few months before and to celebrate the role that tonight's honoree, Art Penn, played in its completion. When deciding what the theme should be for this year, we realized that last year's still fit, albeit in a very different way than we had initially envisioned. Our home is our community; we build it wherever we are – Zoom, 87th Street, or anywhere in between.

Under Art's leadership, we launched the once-in-a-generation *A Synagogue in Action: Building the Future* capital effort which along with the renovation of our 87th Street building also saw the dedication of the Eli M. Black Lifelong Learning Center at 89th Street and the purchase of the adjacent townhouse to meet our future needs. However, the objective of this campaign went beyond meeting our fundraising targets. We hoped to better strengthen our vibrant

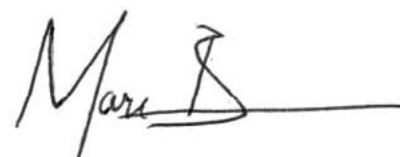
membership not only through physical spaces, but also through the prioritization of our services – transforming Friday nights, enhancing Saturday mornings, offering new High Holiday options, and most notably, introducing Livestream in 2015.

Tonight, we applaud Art and his tremendous accomplishments. He faithfully served Park Avenue Synagogue for a decade, first as Treasurer and then as Chairman. He celebrates this honor alongside his beautiful family: his wife Ilene and their three children Madeline, Andrew, and Eliza. Art's unrivaled belief in Park Avenue Synagogue's mission – to inspire, educate, and support its members toward living passion-filled Jewish lives – is demonstrated daily at our Penn Family Early Childhood Center, dedicated in Fall 2019.

Art helped us to see the possibility in Park Avenue Synagogue. He helped us all to realize that we are many, many things – we are a *Beit Tefillah* (a house of prayer), a *Beit Midrash* (a house of learning), and a *Beit Knesset* (a house of community). This past year has shown us that we can be all of these things from afar. Throughout these last 14 months, we have shown time and time again that no matter where we are, we are home when we are with PAS.



**Rabbi Elliot Cosgrove**  
Senior Rabbi



**Marc Becker**  
Chairman of the Board

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Vicki Warner

# **DAD,**

In all areas of your life, you are moral, honest, and kind.

With your dedication, integrity, hard work, and consistently positive attitude, you have shown us what it takes to be a strong leader.

Your commitment to the Park Avenue Synagogue community has had a deep and meaningful impact on us.

When navigating through our lives we think about what you would do to help guide us - you are an amazing role model.

You are an inspiration to us as a parent and as a person, and we are incredibly proud to be your children.

L'dor V'dor.

Mazel tov, Dad, we love you so much!

***Madeline, Andrew & Eliza***

***Diamond Chai***

We are thrilled to be a part of the Park Avenue Synagogue family and celebrate its extraordinary clergy and strong, vibrant and welcoming community.

We are so appreciative of your commitment to keeping this special community connected and inspired during this challenging time.

***The Baker Family  
Heather and Felix  
Guy, Hugo, and Wes***

***Diamond Chai***

Congratulations to

**ART PENN**

for this well-deserved recognition of his extensive and successful efforts to ensure a stronger and brighter future for Park Avenue Synagogue!

May you continue to go from strength to strength!

***Sam and Vicki Katz***

***Diamond Chai***



Congratulations,

**ART!**

Your dedication and service to  
the PAS community is legendary.  
Your leadership and kindness  
will always be remembered.

With our gratitude and appreciation,  
***Jennifer, Marc, Andrew, Jack,  
Charles, and Henry Lipschultz***

***Diamond Chai***

# WE FIND VALUE IN COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP.

## ***VRC JOINS IN PARK AVENUE SYNAGOGUE'S CELEBRATION OF ART PENN***

On behalf of VRC, we congratulate a true leader in both business and the community, Art Penn, on his many achievements.

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*Diamond Chai*

CONGRATULATIONS

**PARK AVENUE SYNAGOGUE**

and

**ART PENN**

Thanks for giving us such a wonderful  
and meaningful virtual year...

Well done!!!

Much appreciated.

***Susan and Morris Mark***

***Diamond Chai***

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**ART,**

Congratulations on  
your honoring -  
It is well deserved!

*David & Jackie*

**D|J|S**

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*Diamond Chai*

**ART -**

All the very best  
from your Partner.

***Salvatore Giannetti III***

***Diamond Chai***

**ART,**

Congratulations on this  
well-deserved honor!

All our love,

***Peter, Ellen, Eve, Jane, and Asher Cohen***

***Diamond Chai***

Mazal Tov to

**ART PENN**

on this well-deserved honor.

Thank you for all that you have  
done for Park Avenue Synagogue.

***Randi Goldberg and Steve Wasserman***

***Diamond Chai***



Mazal Tov

## **ART PENN**

and

Thank you to PAS for endless inspiration  
and light during this unprecedented year

***The Edelstein Family***  
***Susan, David, Sam, Toby and Peter***

***Diamond Chai***

Mazal Tov

**ART!**

Thank you for all you do  
for the PAS community.

Fondly,

***Erica and Eric Schwartz***

***Diamond Chai***

A heartfelt Mazal Tov  
to our dear friend,

**ART**

You are a true mensch and role  
model to us and our community

Love,

***The Becker Family***

***Caryn, Marc, Olivia, Willow, Hayden***

***Diamond Chai***

Congratulations,

**ART,**

on your well-deserved honor!

We are inspired by your leadership  
and deep commitment to fostering  
Jewish education, community and continuity.

Love,

***Felicia and Sander***

***Alyx, Simon and Morgan***

***Diamond Chai***

To our dearest friends

## **ILENE & ART PENN**

Congratulations on  
this most deserved honor.

Your dedication and commitment  
to Park Avenue Synagogue and the  
Jewish community are inspirational.

Park Avenue Synagogue and your  
community have been enriched  
by your leadership and service.

We are so lucky to have you in  
our lives for almost 30 years.

Without the blind date you  
set us up on, we wouldn't be

***Allison & Bennett Rosenthal***

***Brooke, Miles & Tess***

# ***Diamond Chai***

## **ART –**

Through your vision, leadership and determination, you have elevated Park Avenue Synagogue to a new level which will benefit generations to come.

We are most appreciative of all that you have done for our PAS community, and for your friendship.

***Rachael, Mark, Alyssa and Adam First***

***Diamond Chai***

## **ART PENN**

is an extraordinary person.

He is a person of great faith, and high moral and ethical standards. His love of God, Country and Family is evident in the way he lives his life and how he serves his community.

An incredibly successful entrepreneur, his humility, charity, and fairness in all his dealings are among his strongest attributes.

He is always willing to help anyone who seeks his advice and counsel.

I am proud to know Art and congratulate him on the recognition he is receiving tonight.

***Guy F. Talarico,***

*CEO, Alaric Compliance Services, LLC*

***Diamond Chai***

From PASECC to traveling in Israel  
together to all of the shared  
moments in between, we celebrate

**ART**

and the entire

**PENN FAMILY**

With Love and Gratitude,  
***Sheryl & Jeff Flug and Family***

***Diamond***



Saluting

**ART PENN**

with great respect  
and affection

*The Partners at  
GreensLedge Capital Markets*

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*Diamond*

**ART,**

Congratulations on this  
well-deserved honor!

Love,

***Sharon, Scott, David, and Eric***

***Diamond***

Mazal Tov to

**ART!**

Thank you for your wonderful years  
of service to the PAS community.

We are so grateful for your  
leadership and kindness.

***Lauren, Alan, Charlotte, and Sam Klein***

***Diamond***

Congratulations to

**ART**

and thank you for all your  
wonderful dedication to PAS.

Love,

***The Monsky Family***  
***Jennifer, John, Harrison,***  
***Annabel, Gillian and Caitlin***

***Diamond***

Congratulations

**ART PENN**

From all of us at



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Mazal Tov to

**ILENE, ART, AND THE  
ENTIRE PENN FAMILY!**

Art, thank you so much for your leadership,  
dedication, and PAS passion all these years.

Thank you to the

**PAS CLERGY, STAFF,  
AND LAY LEADERS**

who have been keeping our community  
so tightly knit throughout this pandemic.

Our family is so grateful for your work,  
and for the access to such an abundance  
of meaningful and moving content.

Love,

***Ian, Wendy, Isaac, Jaden, and Sawyer Sacks***

***Diamond***

Congratulations

**ART!**

This is a very well deserved honor  
for all you do for our PAS Community.

***Lisa & Larry Cohen***

***Diamond***

Congratulations to

**ART, ILENE AND  
THE PENN FAMILY**

for your endless and inspirational  
support of Park Avenue Synagogue.

You are transformational leaders.

With appreciation and great warmth,

***The Volpert Family***

***Diamond***



Congratulations on an  
honor well deserved.

Your spirit and dedication  
is an inspiration to us all.

***Judy & Billy Greenblatt***

***Diamond***

**ART:**

Congratulations on a job well done!

*David and Lisa Penn*

*Diamond*

Thank you to the  
**PAS CLERGY AND STAFF**

for keeping our  
community together.

*The Solomon & Sutker Families*

*Diamond*

**ART:**

Congratulations on tonight's honor.

You took the baton, ran a great race and passed it along having accomplished so much.

All our best,

***Cheri and Steve Friedman***

***Diamond***

With deep affection  
and respect for

**ART**

Who lead with vision, excellence and heart  
and are an inspiration to so many

Mazel Tov on tonight's honor.

***Amy and Robert Bressman***

***Diamond***

**ART,**

Mazel Tov on this  
well-deserved honor!

PAS is a stronger place  
because of your leadership!

Most important, we are proud  
to have you and Ilene as friends!

***Natalie, Brett, Brian and Benjamin Barth***

***Diamond***

Thank you to

**PARK AVENUE SYNAGOGUE**

for bringing our community together  
during this challenging time.

Mazal Tov to

**ART PENN AND FAMILY**

for this year's honor.

***Christine & Richard Mack***

***Diamond***

You have made a tremendous  
impact on so many people

Congratulations

**ART!**

All of your friends at

***KBW / Stifel***

***Diamond***



We are pleased to honor

## **ART PENN**

and his extraordinary contribution  
to the long-term growth  
of Park Avenue Synagogue.

It is visionaries like Art who  
truly make a difference.

***Laureine and David  
Greenbaum Family Foundation***

# ***Diamond***



Congratulations to

**ART PENN**

We thank you for making  
a difference in the  
PAS community and  
honor your legacy.

***Carol and John Finley and family***

***Diamond***

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Congratulations on receiving  
this well deserved honor

***Danny, Peter, Michelle, and Jennifer Bernstein***

***Diamond***

Mazel Tov

## **ART!**

Our greatest appreciation for all that you  
have done for Park Avenue Synagogue.

Looking forward to many more great  
achievements and lucites in your future.

***Lizzy, Bryce, Lucy, Lola & Liv Markus***

***Diamond***

Congratulations  
to our friend

## **ART PENN**

Your longtime dedication  
and commitment to  
Park Avenue Synagogue  
continues to inspire us all.

***Alan & Alessandra Mnuchin***

***Diamond***

# ART PENN

A visionary able to  
transform thoughts  
into action

*Lynne and Joel*

*Diamond*

RSM extends warm congratulations to

**ART PENN!**



**RSM**

*Diamond*

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"He who causes others to do good  
is greater than the doer."

Bava Batra 9a

Thank you for all the good you have  
caused to be done on behalf  
of Park Avenue Synagogue!

***Andrea Baumann Lustig (ABL) and Ivan Lustig***

***Diamond***



Congratulations to

**ART PENN**

for leading, inspiring and  
supporting Park Avenue Synagogue

***Sheri and Jimmy Rosenfeld and family***

***Diamond***

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Thank you,

**ART**

for you inspiring leadership and  
unwavering commitment to the  
Park Avenue Synagogue Community.

Mazel Tov!

With much gratitude,

***The Friedman Family***

***Diamond***

Kol Hakavod for all you've done and  
continue to do for the benefit of the  
Park Avenue Synagogue community.

Mazal Tov,

***Carol Kekst***

*Go Orioles!*

***Diamond***

Congratulations to

**ART PENN**

on this Well Deserved  
Recognition

You and your family  
continue to inspire.

***Marshall Brozost***

***Diamond***

Honoring

**ILENE AND ART PENN**

for their visionary leadership

*Marcia and Geoffrey Colvin*

*Platinum*

We congratulate

**ART PENN**

for his exceptional leadership  
of Park Avenue Synagogue and his  
unwavering commitment to the community.

With deepest appreciation,

***Lois Perelson-Gross and Stewart Gross***

***Platinum***

Congratulations on your  
well-deserved honor,

**ART!**

Thank you for your leadership and  
dedication to the PAS community.

With our gratitude and appreciation,  
***Les and Stephanie Gorman***

***Platinum***

Dear **ART,**

We congratulate you on being honored this evening for your many contributions to our community.

This world is a better place because of men and women like you.

Mazel tov!

With our best wishes,

***Joe, Jorge and Your Friends at JMP Securities***

***Platinum***



Congratulations to

## **ART PENN**

on your well-deserved recognition as a leader within Park Avenue Synagogue and in the business community.

The team at Capital One is honored to call you a partner and wishes you and the entire Park Avenue Synagogue congregation all the best in 2021 and beyond.



*Platinum*

Mazal Tov and  
Congratulations to

**ART**

We're so happy to be  
part of honoring you,  
your accomplishments,  
and your leadership.

***Ronald and Gail Kahn***

***Platinum***

To **ART PENN**

Congratulations on this well-deserved honor.  
Thank you for your inspiring leaderships.

And to the

**CLERGY AND STAFF OF  
PARK AVENUE SYNAGOGUE**

Thank you for all you do,  
day in and out, on behalf  
of a grateful community.

***Diane and David Hess***

***Platinum***

Our sincerest congratulations  
and best wishes to

**ART**

on an honor well-deserved.

***Leslie & Bernard Friedman***

***Platinum***



# Congratulations!

Credit Suisse is proud to celebrate with Park Avenue Synagogue and honor Art Penn on his leadership and steadfast dedication to the community.

Congratulations Art!

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Mazal Tov to

**ART AND THE  
ENTIRE PENN FAMILY!**

We are grateful for your leadership,  
commitment, and passion for PAS.

Love,

***The Halbfinger Family***

***Gold***

Mazel Tov

**ART**

on this well  
deserved honor!

Thank you for all  
that you do for PAS!

Xoxo

***Jen and Andrew Hoine***

***Gold***

Mazal Tov

**ART**

on this well-deserved honor!

We are thrilled to  
celebrate you tonight.

We are forever grateful for all that  
you have done to make PAS a special  
place where we all feel at home.

Love,

***The Steiners***

***Amy, Neil, Sam & Rachel***

***Gold***



The Fischer Family extends our  
Congratulations and Best Wishes To

**ARTHUR PENN**

our Gala Honoree

*Laraine and Alan Fischer*

*Gold*

Congratulations to

**ART PENN**

Thanks for including us in your  
team – it has been an honor.

***John and Julie Boschelli  
and the Kemper Team***

*Silver*

Mazal Tov

**ART!**

Along with the entire PAS community,  
we have been the beneficiaries of your  
commitment, wisdom and menschlichkeit.

We are grateful for your and  
Ilene's leadership and friendship.

Love,

***Rebecca and Eric Feuerstein***

*Silver*

In honor of

**ART PENN**

With gratitude for all you have done  
for the Park Avenue Synagogue and  
congratulations on this wonderful milestone

*Judy & David Lobel*

*Silver*

Dear **ART,**

We owe our love  
of Lucite to you.

In your honor,  
we take our ties off!

Lots of love,  
***Heidi & Rob***

***Silver***

# ART,

Thanking you for your all your  
leadership and generosity to our  
community and your dedication  
to Park Avenue Synagogue.

In gratitude,

***Karen & Fred Kastenbaum***

*Silver*

Congratulations

**ART!**

Thank you for your outstanding leadership  
and commitment to the PAS community.

***The Smul Family***

***Silver***

Our fantastic ECC, Lifelong Learning Center,  
and beautifully renovated synagogue  
home are a tribute to your leadership.

And it is a pleasure for  
us to say thank you.

***Nan and Howard Rubin***

***Silver***



In Honor of

**ART AND ILENE -**

Thank you for all have done  
and continue to do for  
Park Avenue Synagogue.

Mazal Tov on this  
well-deserved honor.

***Gail & David Furman***

***Silver***

# **ART,**

We are honored to take part with the rest of our PAS community honoring you and your family for the magnificent efforts you made as chairman of PAS.

We are thankful for all you have done at PAS.

Mazel Tov!

***The Podolsky Family***

***Silver***

Mazal Tov

**ART!**

Thank you for all that you have  
done for Park Avenue Synagogue.

***The Lascher Family***



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# **ART**

We are So Grateful for Your  
Leadership and Your Friendship

L'Chaim!

***Stefanie, James & Benjamin Rothman***

***Silver***

# CONGRATULATIONS ART!

Thank you for your extraordinary  
dedication to Park Avenue Synagogue

*The Nackenson Family*  
*Richard, Nicole, Benjamin and Alexandra*

*Silver*

**ART,**

we so appreciate all  
you have done, and  
continue to do for PAS!

***Rachel & Brian Lustbader***

***Silver***

Congrats!!!  
What a well deserved honor.

With love,  
***Vicki, Haley and Emi***

***Silver***



## ART,

It was an honor and privilege to  
serve on your leadership team.

We are all grateful to have you as part  
of our PAS community—and as our friend.

Mazal Tov on this well-deserved honor!

L'chaim!

***Paul Corwin***

***Melvin Schweitzer***

***Andrea Baumann Lustig***

***Marc Becker***

***Jean Bloch Rosensaft***

***Natalie Barth***

***Heidi Silverstone***





Mazal Tov

**ART!**

Your vision and leadership inspire us  
and your unwavering dedication to our  
synagogue continues to make PAS  
a home for all who wish to live  
passion-filled Jewish lives.

Todah Rabbah from the PAS Officers,

***Marc Becker***  
***Natalie Barth***  
***Mark First***

***Mark Hirsch***  
***Lizzy Markus***  
***Nan Rubin***

***Craig Solomon***  
***Amy Steiner***



Mazel tov Art!

What an honor to plan your p**ART**y!  
Thank you for all of your contributions  
to PAS over so many years.

Love,

***Jennifer Karol***

***Stefanie Katz Rothman***

***Tamara Stark***

Congratulations to

**ART PENN**

on this well-deserved honor.

*Rebecca and Larry Grafstein*

With Great Admiration

Mazel Tov To

## **ART PENN**

And His Family On This  
Most Deserved Honor

With Love and Appreciation,

***Debra & Stuart Abramovitz***

***Evelyn & Steven Alden***

***JoEllen & Donald Bernstein***

***Darcy Dalton***

***Karen & Barry Frankel***

***Howard & Amy Friedner***

***Candy & Leon Gould***

***Linda Moses & Arthur Gurevitch***

***Carol Goldstein & Robert Raskin***

***Dana & David Shani***

***Carol Schwartz and Robert Sills***

***Susan Smirnoff & Kirk Zachary***

***Roberta & Arnie Ursaner***

MAZAL TOV, **ART!**

We admire and adore you -  
thank you for your steadfast  
leadership of the PAS community.

Congratulations to you  
and your beautiful family!

With Gratitude & Love,

***Lynne, Bill, Rachel, and Gabrielle Bermont***

Congratulations

**ART**

***Amy and Gary Churgin***

Proud to support PAS and  
applaud all of our wonderful

## **CLERGY, STAFF AND OFFICERS**

who allow us all to enjoy all it continues  
offer our community, even virtually.

***Gayle & Stephen Bernstein***

**ART,**

Mazal Tov on a well deserved honor.

Thank you for your leadership  
and friendship over the years!

***Susan & Jeff Silverman and Family***



Dear **ART,**

Mazal tov and kol hakavod!!

Your leadership and devotion to our beloved PAS community continues to serve as an inspiration and shining example of selflessness.

With admiration and immense gratitude,

***Dena and Mark Hirsch***

Delighted to Raise a Glass to

**ART PENN.**

With our gratitude,

***The Yarden Smith Family  
Linda, Chris, Callie, and Eric***

תודה רבה

and

מצל טוב

to

**ART PENN**

מחיל אל חיל

לשנה הבאה ביחד

***Ronnie and David Parker***

Thank you to you,  
**ART AND YOUR FAMILY,**

for all you do to make  
PAS the wonderful Shul it is.

***Marlene and Philip Muskin***

"You are not expected to complete the work of perfecting the world, but neither are you permitted to desist from it."

*Pirkei Avot*

To **ART,**

Thank you for making Park Avenue Synagogue the beautiful home that it is.

Mazal Tov,

***Shereen and Howard Rutman***

With gratitude to

**ART AND ILENE PENN**

for all they do for our community

*Barbara Julius and Marc Silberberg*

Congratulations

# ART

Celebrating your friendly  
and welcoming persona

Appreciative of your  
forward thinking nature

Grateful for your mission to support what  
is of utmost importance in the life of PAS

AM YISRAEL CHAI

***Marlene and Philip Muskin***

***Marcia and Steven Stone***

***Laurie and Maury Harris***

To our leader, our friend,  
our partner in change

What a gift to work with you and  
share so much for ten years!

Congratulations on  
this well deserved honor

***Paul and Anne Corwin***



Mazal Tov

**ART!**

Thank you for your leadership, passion and commitment. Your vision helped not only to inspire and “build our house together,” but also to strengthen the future legacy of Conservative Judaism.

***The Gendel Family***  
***Mitch, Paula, Hannah and Marti***

Mazal Tov

## **ART PENN!**

Thank you for all you have  
done and continue to  
do for the PAS community.

Love,

***Melissa, Josh, Hannah and Madison Raskin***

**ART,**

It was a privilege to have served as Vice President of PAS under your leadership as Chair.

I am very proud of ALL that was accomplished for the Synagogue during your tenure.

Ronni and I will always treasure our friendship with you, Ilene, and your wonderful family, and congratulate you all on this well- deserved honor for everything you have done for PAS .

Congratulations.

***Ronni R. Bolger and Melvin L. Schweitzer***

With profound gratitude,  
we congratulate

**ART PENN**

on this wonderful occasion.

Mazel Tov, Art.

Best wishes to you and  
your entire family!

***Robin and Mark Friedman***

Congratulations

**ILENE AND ART**

on this well-deserved honor.

Warmly,

***Michelle and Steve Pasko***

***Ali and Josh Wander***

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רוֹמְמוֹת לְאָדָם, אֵינָהּ זָרָה הַיְמִינוּ לְעוֹלָם

David declared: Master of the Universe, whenever You  
give a leadership role to a person, it never leaves them.

– Midrash Tanhuma, Tetzaveh 10:5

Thank you,

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for all that you have done  
for us and our community.

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"Teach a child the way they should go; even as they grow older, they will not lose their path." (Proverbs 22:6)

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Mazel Tov to

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Shalom to the PAS Community!

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Mazel Tov on such a well deserved honor.

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Congratulations,

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**PAS CLERGY,**

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Warmly,

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Thank you for your leadership

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and leadership at a pivotal moment in the history of  
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May you, your family, and PAS continue to flourish.

Mazel tov!

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Congratulations  
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We salute

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for his leadership,  
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at Park Avenue Synagogue.

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for making this year the best it  
could be in such difficult times.

PAS was surely a shelter  
in the storm. Hope to see  
you all in shul soon!

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**ART**

on your honor!

The silver lining to the  
Covid storm has been  
being part of the PAS  
virtual family! PAS  
has filled a spiritual  
void for us this year.

Thank you!

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Thank you for your dedicated  
service to our community.

Warmly,

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and a sense of humor.

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