

Yahrzeits this week

Mar 21 – 25 Adar

Gertrude Berson
Bunny Braude
Philip Edelstein
Joaquin Jose Farnos
Rhonda Hoffman
Feder

Sylvia Footlik
Mae Gershon
David Goldman
Kay Greenstein
Celia Kaplan
Jack Kessler
Joseph Krieger
Isadore Lasko
Lenard Levy
Dr. Helayne Merkin
Janet Schwartzberg
Milton Shulman
Jack Zerkowitz

Mar 22 – 26 Adar

Agnes Berman
Leonard Genender
Alvin Lawrence Gitlitz
Leona Levin
Bess Ethel Lieber
Maurice Liebman
Norman Meczyk
Paul Mermel
Edwin Peckler
Herbert Spector
Mary Stoken
Nathan Warshawsky

Mar 23 – 27 Adar

Sarah Bender
Blanche Cwibel
Samuel Eisenberg
Harold Gladdin
Milton Harris
Perla Kletzer
Bessie Knopoff
Jeffrey Lerner
Harry Miller

Beatrice Mink
Louis J. Nurenberg
Sylvia Pekay
Herman Siegel
Ellen Spears
Sam Spector
Celia Treger
Helen Sigman Weil
Rhea Wolff

Mar 24 – 28 Adar

Goldie Belenke
Avraham Ben-Dov
Violet Besser
Leon Doppelt
William Elfman
Joseph Evans
Martin Anthony Gess
Bernard Greenberg
Sylvia Greenberg
Morrie Hoffman
Judy Kirsch
Sam Kwalwaser
Jeanne Lipsky
Reva Messer
Werner Neumann
Chava Rabinowitz
Teddy Singer
Scott Sternfield

Mar 25 – 29 Adar

Melvin Berkowitz
Fannie Drower
Anita Fagot
Helen Glazer
Ethel Ruth Grinker
Seymour Holleb
Edith Horwitz
Martin Kahn
Irving Kramer
Ida Singer
Leonard Zarovsky

Mar 26 – 1 Nisan

Benjamin Bloom
Nehama Chudacoff
Audrey Dann
Sheldon Edelson
Beverly Stein
Eisenstadt
Joseph Friedman
Leon Handelsman
Bernice Kessler
Iva Lerner
Carole Beth Marcus
Rabbi Sander J.
Mussman
Sylvia Orenstein
Louis Rosen
Nina Ross
Anne Barron Schwartz
Shirley Netter
Selmanovitz
Rosalyn Wilson
Ted Zide

Mar 27 – 2 Nisan

Badonna Berliner
Alfred Blum
Shirley Dick
Sofia Gesklin
Elaine S. Kahn
Sarah Lazare
Joseph Leavitt
Lena Levine
Albert Manesberg
Lillian Rosenfeld
Adolph Singer
Dr. Oscar Sugar
Harriet Wedner
Shirley Zerkowitz
Harry L. Zimmerman

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CONGREGATION
BETH SHALOM

Shabbat
Vayakhel-Pekudei-
HaChodesh

Shabbat Shalom and Welcome to Congregation Beth Shalom!

We seek to enrich the lives of our congregation through ever-evolving ideals of observance, life-long learning, and acts of kindness from this generation to the next. We are committed to meeting the spiritual, educational and social needs of our members through the practice of Conservative Judaism in an all-inclusive manner. We seek to encourage involvement and create a sense of belonging by serving our community, the Jewish people, and the State of Israel.

We hope you enjoy worshiping with us. Following services, please join us for kiddush luncheon and introduce yourself so we may personally greet you.

Rabbi Aaron Melman • Cantor Steven Stoehr

Rabbi Warner Ferratier • Cantor Raquel P. Gershon, Ritual Director

Tanya Solomon, President • Rabbi Carl Wolkin, Emeritus

Shabbat Shalom (virtually)!

Link to online Live Streaming
(copy and paste into browser) -

<https://www.bethshalomnb.org/pray/live-streaming/>

Link to Siddur Sim Shalom

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If you are interested in being a part of our community, please contact Michael Garlin, Executive Director.



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Thought to Ponder:
 Vayakel reminds us of the importance that artists, artisans and skilled workers played in the construction of the Tabernacle. How have artisans and artists enhanced your life?

Schedule of Online Daily Minyanim
 Sunday & secular holidays @ 8:45 AM
 Monday - Friday @ 6:45 AM
 Sunday-Thursday @ 7:45 PM

Mark Your Calendars

- Apr 8 First Pesach Seder
- Apr 9-16 Pesach (CBS Pesach Services Online Only)
- Apr 21 Yom Hashoah
- Apr 28 Yom Ha'zikaron
- Apr 29 Yom Ha'atzmaut

**Join us for:
 CBS Live!**

Talmud in Translation with Rabbi Ferratier
 Mondays, March 23, 30, April 6
 6:30 PM - 7:35 PM

Shabbat With A Twist Online & Facebook Live
 For ages 0 - Pre-K!
 April 3 at 11:00 AM

For the latest information on these events and more, check our website: www.BethShalomNB.org

This Week's Aliyot

ALIYAH	CHAPTER/VERSES	READER	PAGE
1	Exodus 35:1-10	Len Rubin	552
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3	Exodus 35:21-29	Bill Shulman	554
4	Exodus 35:30-36:7	Bill Shulman	555
5	Exodus 36:8-19	Pam Issen	557
6	Exodus 36:20-38	Bill Shulman	558
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This Week's Parashah

Moses reminds the Israelites to observe the Sabbath as a day of rest. No fires are to be lit. Moses reviews God's building instructions for the Tabernacle. He asks the people to bring gifts to use in its construction. He appoints Bezalel and Oholiab, selected by God, to be the chief artisans. Bezalel and Oholiab are also responsible for supervising the other skilled craftspeople who will take part in the construction. The Israelites respond to Moses' call with gifts of gold, silver and brass, fine fabrics and precious stones, and spices and oil. The people are so generous with their offerings that Moses asks the people to refrain from bringing any more. The skilled artisans make the cloth covering and the goat's hair tent over the Tabernacle, as well as the curtain, and the screen for the entrance to the Tabernacle. Bezalel makes the gold-covered Ark of acacia wood and the cherubim on the Ark cover. He makes the table for the bread of display, the seven-branched menorah, the altars and the copper washbowl and stand. The appearance and construction of the vestments for officiating in the sanctuary are presented in great detail. Everything is brought before Moses for inspection. All work had been performed and completed as God had commanded. Moses blesses the Israelites. The tabernacle is finally set up on the first of Nisan in the second year of Israel's freedom. When the Tabernacle has been erected, God's presence fills it.

Today's Haftarah

The Haftarah from the Book of Ezekiel reviews the Passover sacrifices as the Prophet describes the restored temple in Jerusalem. The Haftarah describes the festival of Passover envisioned for the new Temple period, stressing the purification at that time. These readings are intended to set our mood and thoughts on the coming Festival of Passover. As our preparations for Passover intensify, both the Maftir reading and the Haftarah focus on rituals connected with the festival. The Maftir and Haftarah each reflect two historical poles in Jewish History: the Maftir, describing the first Passover, and the Haftarah a vision of the Passover of the future, when Israel is restored to its homeland.

 This morning's reading concludes the Book of Exodus. Exodus, which began with the despair of the enslaved Israelites, now concludes on a note of hope and confidence as divine spirit hovers over and guides the Israelites in their journey home.

Congregational Gifts for S'machot

B'nai Mitzvah receive gifts from the congregation, Sisterhood, Men's Club, JUF, the Youth Commission and Rochelle Zell Jewish High School.
 Gifts presented to those celebrating aufrufs and babynamings are provided by the Zaransky Family Ticktin Jewish Community Memorial Fund.

Synagogue Etiquette

In keeping with the spirit of Shabbat and to respect your fellow worshipers, please refrain from taking photographs, smoking and writing. If you must be accessible, please set your phone on silent. Please do not use your cell phone anywhere inside the building.
If you have any questions, please see one of our volunteer Shabbat Ambassadors or Greeters.
 We invite you to visit www.BethShalomNB.org for more information about Beth Shalom and our many events, classes and programs happening throughout the year! **All CBS religious services are live streamed.**