

## Yahrzeits this week

### May 23 – 29 Iyar

Diana F. Barrish  
Fanny Bersofsky  
Sylvia Chasen  
Harriet Chensky  
Florence Cohen  
Lillian Cohen  
Faye Danzig  
Harry J. Dunn  
Miriam Horwitz  
Esther Kulick  
Ilene Leon  
Shirley Massel  
Leonard Silverman  
Sam Singer  
Lee Singer  
Dena Slotky  
Sol Zisook

### May 24 – 1 Sivan

Sophie Binstein  
Marvin Boiko  
Marsha Bosley  
Jack Boyansky  
Miguel Castellano  
Helen Hunt  
Alan Hurwick  
Lillian Lew  
Aaron Schonfeld

### May 25 – 2 Sivan

Rose Agrest  
Hinda Chabner  
Leah Dickler  
Florence Dredze  
Libby Dubofsky  
Ethel Glikman  
Arthur Lasser  
Nathan Rosenthal

Shirley Sonenfeld  
Alice Weinstock  
Arlyne Wolfson  
Mamie Yusim

### May 26 – 3 Sivan

Daniel Simon  
Behar  
Sophie Berenson  
Dr. Lloyd Stephen  
Brookstein  
Pearl Dobrin  
Irving Echt  
Saidee Goldberg  
Goldie Harris  
Morton P. Kessler  
Rose Kessler  
Leon Orchow  
Hyman Trubitt  
Ronald Wolf

### May 27 – 4 Sivan

Della Albert  
Max Bogolub  
Abraham Cotton  
Lillian Fischer  
Sara Garber  
Cecelia Goldstein  
Roy Kramer  
Esther Malka  
Levitan  
Jeanne Lupel  
Sidney Markovitz  
Harry Silberman  
Aaron Speaker  
Lillian Zuber

### May 28 – 5 Sivan

Arthur Michael  
Bloom  
Victor Calamaro  
Isadore Ellis  
Lolita Garcia  
de Farnos  
Carole Joyce Katz  
Robert H. Klein  
Meyer Lezak  
Paul Oberlander  
William Schwartz  
Sylvia Wagmeister  
Schwartz  
Dr. Harry G. Zuber

### May 29 – 6 Sivan

Letty Berman  
Alex Garden  
Andrei Klein  
Rose Kleinberg  
Barry Konlon  
Harry Kraft  
Darlene Lasser  
Annabelle  
Lebovitz  
Morris Lutz  
Allen Pergricht  
Pauline Ellen Ranev  
Charles "Chuck"  
Salinger  
Walter Schulman  
Louis Shane  
Rebecca Wolkin  
Zelermeyer

May 23, 2020

29 Iyar, 5780



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Shabbat  
Bamidbar

## 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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## Mark Your Calendars

### Thought to Ponder:

To this day, we still redeem our firstborn sons from the Temple. Do you think it makes more sense to dedicate all firstborn sons to the Temple, or does it make more sense to appoint the Levites in their place? Why?

### Schedule of Online

#### Daily Minyanim

Sunday & secular holidays @ 8:45 AM  
Monday - Friday @ 6:45 AM  
Sunday-Thursday @ 7:45 PM

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## This Week's Parashah

God commands Moses to take a census of all the Israelite males over twenty years of age. Moses, Aaron, and the heads of each tribe record the census, the total of which is 603,500. The Levites are counted in a separate census, since they are not eligible to go to war. Moses instructs them to camp around the Tabernacle. They serve as a barrier between the Tabernacle and the remaining tribes, who are instructed to camp in four groups of three tribes each also around the Tabernacle. Originally, firstborn Israelites were consecrated to God, since they escaped the plague of the death of all firstborn in Egypt. Now, however, God tells Moses to appoint the Levites to serve in the sanctuary in place of the firstborn. Twenty-two thousand male Levites are the substitute for 22,000 firstborn Israelites who would otherwise have been required to carry out the sacrifices and religious worship in the Tabernacle. For the remaining 273 firstborn Israelites - for whom there were not enough Levites to serve as substitutes - a redemption price of five shekels per head is collected and paid to Aaron and his sons. A separate census is taken of the Kohanite clan of the Levites that is given the task of carrying the sacred objects from the Tabernacle during the Israelites' journeys.

## Today's Haftarah

Today's haftarah is part of a long narrative in the Bible describing David's ultimate ascent to the throne. King Saul was envious of David's fame in battle and urged his courtiers to kill his perceived rival. Ultimately, Saul himself pursues David. David flees to his close friend Jonathan, Saul's own son. David and Jonathan set forth a plan to reveal Saul's true intentions for David. The events in this week's haftarah begin on the eve of the new moon (Rosh Chodesh). This haftarah is always chanted when Rosh Chodesh falls on a Sunday. The Shabbat immediately preceding Rosh Chodesh is called Machar Chodesh, signifying that Rosh Chodesh begins the next day.

## 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.**

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